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## **Red Hat Enterprise Linux Release 9.2 Manual Pages on 'rescan-scsi-bus.sh.8' command**

**\$ man rescan-scsi-bus.sh.8**

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### NAME

rescan-scsi-bus.sh - script to add and remove SCSI devices without reboots

### SYNOPSIS

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rescan-scsi-bus.sh [--alltargets] [--attachpq3] [-c] [--channels=CLIST] [--color] [-d] [--flush] [-f] [--forceremove] [--forcerescan] [--help] [--hosts=HLIST] [--ids=TLIST] [--ignore-rev] [--issue-lip] [-i] [--issue-lip-wait=SECS] [-l SECS] [-L NUM] [--largetun] [--luns=LLIST] [-m] [--multipath] [--nooptscan] [--nosync] [--remove] [--removelun2] [--resize] [--sparselun] [--sync] [--update] [--version] [--wide] [HOST1 [HOST2 ...]]
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### OPTIONS

Options are ordered by their long name. Those without a long name are ordered as if their single letter was a long name.

**-a, --alltargets**

scan all targets, not just currently existing [default: disabled]

**--attachpq3**

tell kernel to attach sg to LUN 0 that reports PQ=3

**-c** enables scanning of channels 0 1 [default: 0 / all detected ones]

**--channels=CLIST**

scan only channel(s) in CLIST

--color

use coloured prefixes OLD/NEW/DEL

-d enable debug [default: 0]

-f, --flush

flush failed multipath devices [default: disabled]

--forceremove

remove stale devices (DANGEROUS)

--forcerescan

remove and readd existing devices (DANGEROUS)

-h, --help

print usage message then exit

--hosts=HLIST

scan only host(s) in HLIST

--ids=TLIST

scan only target ID(s) in TLIST

--ignore-rev

ignore (firmware) revision change. This is the third text field  
(4 bytes long) in a standard INQUIRY response.

-i, --issue-lip

issue a FibreChannel LIP reset [default: disabled]

-I SECS, --issue-lip-wait=SECS

issue a FibreChannel LIP reset and then wait SECS seconds.

-L NUM activates scanning for LUNs 0--NUM [default: 0]

-l activates scanning for LUNs 0--7 [default: 0]

--largelun

tell kernel to support LUNs > 7 even on SCSI2 devs

--luns=NLIST

scan only lun(s) in NLIST

-m, --multipath

update multipath devices [default: disabled]

--nooptscan

don't stop looking for LUNs is 0 is not found

--nosync

do not issue a sync [default: sync if remove]

-r, --remove

enables removing of devices [default: disabled]

--reportlun2

tell kernel to try REPORT\_LUN even on SCSI2 devices

-s, --resize

look for resized disks and reload associated multipath devices,  
if applicable

--sparselun

tell kernel to support sparse LUN numbering

--sync issue a sync [default: sync if remove]

-u, --update

look for existing disks that have been remapped

-V, --version

shows version string then exits. The version string is a numeric  
datestamp of the form YYYYMMDD.

-w, --wide

scan for target device IDs 0--15 [default: 0--7]

Host numbers may thus be specified either directly on cmd line  
(deprecated) or with the --hosts=LIST parameter (recommended).

Arguments to options that end in LIST (e.g. TLIST) can have this form:

A[-B][,C[-D]]...

which is a comma separated list of single values and/or ranges (no spaces allowed).

## SEE ALSO

There is a brief description here: <https://fibrevillage.com/storage/585-rescan-scsi-bus-sh-script-for-adding-and-removing-scsi-devices-without-rebooting>

sg3\_utils Homepage: <https://sg.danny.cz/sg>