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$ man sha256sum.1

SHA256SUM(1)   User Commands   SHA256SUM(1)

NAME

    sha256sum - compute and check SHA256 message digest

SYNOPSIS

    sha256sum [OPTION]... [FILE]...

DESCRIPTION

    Print or check SHA256 (256-bit) checksums.

    With no FILE, or when FILE is -, read standard input.

    -b, --binary

        read in binary mode

    -c, --check

        read SHA256 sums from the FILEs and check them

    --tag create a BSD-style checksum

    -t, --text

        read in text mode (default)

    -z, --zero

        end each output line with NUL, not newline, and disable file

        name escaping

The following five options are useful only when verifying checksums:

--ignore-missing

    don't fail or report status for missing files

--quiet

    don't print OK for each successfully verified file

--status

    don't output anything, status code shows success

--strict

    exit non-zero for improperly formatted checksum lines

-w, --warn

    warn about improperly formatted checksum lines

--help display this help and exit

--version

    output version information and exit

The sums are computed as described in FIPS-180-2. When checking, the
input should be a former output of this program. The default mode is
to print a line with checksum, a space, a character indicating input
mode ('*' for binary, ' ' for text or where binary is insignificant),
and name for each FILE.

Note: There is no difference between binary mode and text mode on GNU
systems.

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