#### **NAME**

a2enconf, a2disconf - enable or disable an apache2 configuration file

#### **SYNOPSIS**

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a2enconf [ [-q|--quiet] configuration]
a2disconf [ [-q|--quiet] configuration]
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# **DESCRIPTION**

This manual page documents briefly the **a2enconf** and **a2disconf** commands.

**a2enconf** is a script that enables the specified configuration file within the **apache2** configuration. It does this by creating symlinks within /etc/apache2/conf-enabled. Likewise, a2disconf disables a specific configuration part by removing those symlinks. It is not an error to enable a configuration which is already enabled, or to disable one which is already disabled.

Note that many configuration file may have a dependency to specific modules. Unlike module dependencies, these are not resolved automatically. Configuration fragments stored in the conf-available directory are considered non-essential or being installed and manged by reverse dependencies (e.g. web scripts).

#### **OPTIONS**

#### -q, --quiet

Don't show informative messages.

#### -m, --maintmode

Enables the maintainer mode, that is the program invocation is effectuated automatically by a maintainer script. This switch should not be used by end users.

# -p, --purge

When disabling a module, purge all traces of the module in the internal state data base.

#### **EXIT STATUS**

**a2enconf** and **a2disconf** exit with status 0 if all *configurations* are processed successfully, 1 if errors occur, 2 if an invalid option was used.

# **EXAMPLES**

# a2enconf security a2disconf charset

Enables Apache security directives stored in the **security** configuration files, and disables the **charset** configuration.

## **FILES**

# /etc/apache2/conf-available

Directory with files giving information on available configuration files.

# /etc/apache2/conf-enabled

Directory with links to the files in **conf-available** for enabled configuration files.

## **SEE ALSO**

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apache2ctl(8), a2enmod(8), a2dismod(8).
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