### NAME

aa-exec - confine a program with the specified AppArmor profile

# SYNOPSIS

**aa-exec** [options] [--] [<*command*> ...]

# DESCRIPTION

**aa-exec** is used to launch a program confined by the specified profile and or namespace. If both a profile and namespace are specified command will be confined by profile in the new policy namespace. If only a namespace is specified, the profile name of the current confinement will be used. If neither a profile or namespace is specified command will be run using standard profile attachment (ie. as if run without the aa-exec command).

If the arguments are to be pasted to the < command > being invoked by aa-exec then — should be used to separate aa-exec arguments from the command.

aa-exec -p profile1 — ls -l

### **OPTIONS** aa-exec accepts the following arguments:

-p PROFILE, --profile=PROFILE

confine *<command>* with PROFILE. If the PROFILE is not specified use the current profile name (likely unconfined).

#### -n NAMESPACE, -- namespace=NAMESPACE

use profiles in NAMESPACE. This will result in confinement transitioning to using the new profile namespace.

-i, --immediate

transition to PROFILE before doing executing *<command>*. This subjects the running of *<command>* to the exec transition rules of the current profile.

-v, --verbose

show commands being performed

-d, --debug

show commands and error codes

-- Signal the end of options and disables further option processing. Any arguments after the — are treated as arguments of the command. This is useful when passing arguments to the <command> being invoked by aa-exec.

## BUGS

If you find any bugs, please report them at <https://bugs.launchpad.net/apparmor/+filebug>.

#### **SEE ALSO**

**aa-stack** (8), **aa-namespace** (8), **apparmor** (7), **apparmor.d** (5), **aa\_change\_profile** (3), **aa\_change\_onexec** (3) and <https://wiki.apparmor.net>.