# NAME

pasuspender - Temporarily suspend PulseAudio

# SYNOPSIS

pasuspender [options] -- PROGRAM [ARGUMENTS ...]

## pasuspender --help

### pasuspender --version

## DESCRIPTION

*pasuspender* is a tool that can be used to tell a local PulseAudio sound server to temporarily suspend access to the audio devices, to allow other applications access them directly. *pasuspender* will suspend access to the audio devices, fork a child process, and when the child process terminates, resume access again.

Make sure to include -- in your *pasuspender* command line before passing the subprocess command line (as shown above). Otherwise *pasuspender* itself might end up interpreting the command line switches and options you intended to pass to the subprocess.

## **OPTIONS**

#### -h | --help

Show help.

#### --version

Show version information.

#### -s | --server=SERVER

Specify the sound server to connect to.

## AUTHORS

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#### **SEE ALSO**

pulseaudio(1), padsp(1), pacmd(1), pactl(1)