

**NAME**

font2afm – create font metrics (in *afm* format) for (almost) any font file

**SYNOPSIS**

font2afm [options] *font* ...

font2afm [options] @*filelist*

**DESCRIPTION**

**font2afm** generates font metrics (in Adobe's *afm* format) for Type1, TrueType and OpenType fonts.

**font2afm** is just a wrapper script around several utilities (**cfftot1**, **pf2afm**, **ttf2afm**, **pfm2kpx** and **ot2kpx**) that do the real work. All these utilities need to be available on your system.

**OPTIONS**

**-f** Force overwriting of existing *afm* files.

**FILES**

*font*

This can be any Type1 (in either *pfa* or *pfb* format), TrueType or OpenType (both PostScript- and TrueType-flavored) font.

*filelist*

This should contain a newline-separated list of font filenames.

**SEE ALSO**

*pf2afm* (part of *GhostScript*), *ttf2afm* (part of *pdfTeX*), *afm2afm*, *autoinst*, *cmap2enc*, *ot2kpx*, *pfm2kpx*, *cfftot1* (part of Eddie Kohler's *LCDF TypeTools*).

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**HISTORY**

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