

NAME

packxxx – pack TI graphing calculator software files

SYNOPSIS

packxxk [**-t type**] [**-d date**] [**-o xxkfile**] *appfile* ...

DESCRIPTION

packxxk is a program to generate Flash Application and OS files for the Texas Instruments TI-73, TI-83 Plus, TI-84 Plus, TI-89, and TI-92 Plus graphing calculators. The files generated are in the “TIFL” format used by recent versions of TI’s GraphLink and TI-Connect software.

The input file to **packxxk** must be in TI-Hex or TIFL format to begin with, and (in order for the application to be installed) it must have been digitally signed before being packed. **packxxk** does not do this, nor does it check for the presence of a signature. You can use **rabbitsign(1)** to sign applications in several common formats.

If multiple input files are specified, **packxxk** creates a multi-part TIFL file.

OPTIONS

-t type Specify the type of program (e.g., ‘8xk’ for a TI-83 Plus application, or ‘73u’ for a TI-73 operating system.) The default behavior is to infer the program type from the name of the input file. (If the input file does not have a recognized suffix, the type is guessed based on the contents of the program header.)

-c id Manually specify the calculator device ID (e.g., 0x73 for the TI-83 Plus, or 0x74 for the TI-73.)

-d [month/day/year | day-month-year]

Manually specify the date stamp for the application. The default is to use the current date in the local time zone.

-o xxkfile

Specify the output file name (default is to write to standard output.)

SEE ALSO

rabbitsign(1)

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