

**NAME**

fold – wrap each input line to fit in specified width

**SYNOPSIS**

**fold** [*OPTION*]... [*FILE*]...

**DESCRIPTION**

Wrap input lines in each FILE, writing to standard output.

With no FILE, or when FILE is –, read standard input.

Mandatory arguments to long options are mandatory for short options too.

**-b, --bytes**

count bytes rather than columns

**-s, --spaces**

break at spaces

**-w, --width=WIDTH**

use WIDTH columns instead of 80

**--help** display this help and exit

**--version**

output version information and exit

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**REPORTING BUGS**

GNU coreutils online help: <<https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/>>

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Full documentation at: <<https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/fold>>  
or available locally via: info '(coreutils) fold invocation'