

tikztosvg(1)

The `tikztosvg(1)` command renders TikZ diagrams to SVG, using `xetex` and `pdf2svg`.

Usage

```
tikztosvg [OPTION]... INPUT_PATH
```

If *INPUT_PATH* is set to - the input will be read from stdin.

Options

-o, --output=OUTPUT_PATH

Write output to file *OUTPUT_PATH*. If set to - the output will be written to stdout. Defaults to the base name of the input file suffixed with the .svg extension. The file is resolved relative to the working directory.

-p, --package=+PACKAGE

Include `\usepackage{PACKAGE}` when rendering the diagram.

-q, --quiet

Silence application log messages and script warnings.

-h, --help

Print a help message.

-v, --version

Print version information.

Example

Let's say you want to convert the file `example.tikz` to SVG:

```
\begin{tikzcd}
G \arrow[r, "\varphi"] \arrow[d, "\psi", two heads] & H \\
\text{sfrac}{G}{\ker \varphi} \arrow[ru, dotted] &
\end{tikzcd}
```

You could achieve that by running the following command:

```
tikztosvg -p tikz-cd -p xfrac example.tikz
```

The results will be stored in the file `example.svg`:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} G & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & H \\ \psi \downarrow & \nearrow & \\ G/\ker\varphi & & \end{array}$$

Installation

The `tikztosvg(1)` command and it's man page can be installed in Unix systems by running:

```
$ curl -s https://gitlab.com/pablo-escobar/tikztosvg/-/raw/master/install.sh | sudo sh
```

The executable is installed in `$HOME/.local/bin/` and the man-page is installed in `$HOME/.local/share/man/man1/`.

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