

## NAME

`afm2afm` – reencode an afm file

## SYNOPSIS

**afm2afm**

**[`-help`] [`-encoding` *encodingfile*] [`-output` *outputfile*] **afmfile****

## DESCRIPTION

**afm2afm** re-encodes an *afm* file.

Metrics (including kerning data) for characters not present in the chosen encoding are excluded from the output, which results in much smaller files.

Note that if you don't specify an encoding file, the *afm* file isn't re-encoded, but the unused data is still pruned.

The program also generates an entry for a *dvips*-style map file, but only if the *afm* file has been re-encoded and the output was written to file (i.e., if both the `-encoding` and `-output` options were specified).

## OPTIONS AND ARGUMENTS

**`-help`**

Print a short description of the syntax

**`-encoding` *encodingfile***

Re-encode to the encoding in *encodingfile*

**`-output` *outputfile***

Write the result to *outputfile* instead of `stdout`.

***afmfile***

The *afm* file to be re-encoded.

Option names may be shortened to a unique prefix.

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## RECENT CHANGES

(See the source code for the rest of the story.)

*2012-02-01* Refactored the code; added the “no re-encoding, only pruning” functionality.