

**NAME**

`tftotype42` – create PostScript Type 42 wrapper of TrueType font

**SYNOPSIS**

**tftotype42** [*input* [*output*]]

**DESCRIPTION**

**Tftotype42** converts TrueType or TrueType-flavored OpenType font programs into PostScript Type 42 format, which is a wrapper for the TrueType outlines. This conversion preserves all outlines and hint information from the original TrueType font. The Type 42 wrapper uses glyph names identical to those expected by **pdflatex**(1) or **otftotfm**(1), so encoding files suitable for TrueType fonts and **pdflatex** will also work for the Type 42 fonts and **dvips**(1). If the file *output* is not specified output goes to the standard output. If the file *input* is not specified input comes from the standard input.

**OPTIONS**

**-o file, --output file**

Write output font to *file* instead of the standard output.

**-q, --quiet**

Do not generate any error messages.

**-h, --help**

Print usage information and exit.

**-v, --version**

Print the version number and some short non-warranty information and exit.

**SEE ALSO**

**cfftot1**(1), **otftotfm**(1), **pdftex**(1), **dvips**(1)

Adobe Technical Note #5012, *The Type 42 Font Format Specification*

*OpenType Specification*, Version 1.4

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