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User Commands

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## NAME

**paste** - merge lines of files

## SYNOPSIS

**paste** [OPTION]... [FILE]...

## DESCRIPTION

Write lines consisting of the sequentially corresponding lines from each FILE, separated by TABs, to standard output.

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

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

**-d, --delimiters=LIST**

reuse characters from LIST instead of TABs

**-s, --serial**

paste one file at a time instead of in parallel

**-z, --zero-terminated**

**--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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## SEE ALSO

Full documentation <<https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/paste>>

or available locally via: info '(coreutils) paste invocation'