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NAME

chvt - change foreground virtual terminal

SYNOPSIS

chvt [option...] [N]

DESCRIPTION

The command `chvt N` makes `/dev/ttyN` the foreground terminal. (The corresponding screen is created if it did not exist yet. To get rid of unused VTs, use `deallocvt(1)`.) The key com?

ination (Ctrl-)LeftAlt-FN (with N in the range 1-12) usually has a similar effect.

OPTIONS

-C, --console=DEV

the console device to be used.

-V, --version

print version number.

-h, --help

print this usage message.

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SEE ALSO

`deallocvt(1)`, `openvt(1)`