

NAME

`systemd-network-generator.service`, `systemd-network-generator` – Generate network configuration from the kernel command line

SYNOPSIS

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systemd-network-generator.service  
/lib/systemd/systemd-network-generator
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DESCRIPTION

`systemd-network-generator.service` is a system service that translates `ip=` and the related settings on the kernel command line (see below) into **systemd.network(5)**, **systemd.netdev(5)**, and **systemd.link(5)** configuration files understood by **systemd-networkd.service(8)** and **systemd-udevd.service(8)**.

Files are generated in `/run/systemd/network/`.

KERNEL COMMAND LINE OPTIONS

This tool understands the following options:

`ip=`, `rd.route=`, `rd.peerdns=`
— translated into **systemd.network(5)** files.

`ifname=`
— translated into **systemd.link(5)** files.

`vlan=`, `bond=`, `bridge=`, `bootdev=`
— translated into **systemd.netdev(5)** files.

See **dracut.kernel(7)** for option syntax and details.

SEE ALSO

systemd(1), **systemd-networkd.service(8)**, **dracut(8)**