

**NAME**

cupsaccept/cupsreject - accept/reject jobs sent to a destination

**SYNOPSIS**

**cupsaccept** [ **-E** ] [ **-U** *username* ] [ **-h** *hostname[:port]* ] *destination(s)*

**cupsreject** [ **-E** ] [ **-U** *username* ] [ **-h** *hostname[:port]* ] [ **-r** *reason* ] *destination(s)*

**DESCRIPTION**

The **cupsaccept** command instructs the printing system to accept print jobs to the specified destinations.

The **cupsreject** command instructs the printing system to reject print jobs to the specified destinations.

The **-r** option sets the reason for rejecting print jobs. If not specified, the reason defaults to "Reason Unknown".

**OPTIONS**

The following options are supported by both **cupsaccept** and **cupsreject**:

**-E** Forces encryption when connecting to the server.

**-U** *username*

Sets the username that is sent when connecting to the server.

**-h** *hostname[:port]*

Chooses an alternate server.

**-r** "*reason*"

Sets the reason string that is shown for a printer that is rejecting jobs.

**CONFORMING TO**

The **cupsaccept** and **cupsreject** commands correspond to the System V printing system commands "accept" and "reject", respectively. Unlike the System V printing system, CUPS allows printer names to contain any printable character except SPACE, TAB, "/", or "#". Also, printer and class names are *not* case-sensitive.

Finally, the CUPS versions may ask the user for an access password depending on the printing system configuration.

**SEE ALSO**

**cancel(1)**, **cupsenable(8)**, **lp(1)**, **lpadmin(8)**, **lpstat(1)**,  
CUPS Online Help (<http://localhost:631/help>)

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