

**NAME**

**from** - print names of those who have sent mail

**SYNOPSIS**

**from** [-c] [-f *file*] [-s *sender*] [*user*]

**DESCRIPTION**

The **from** utility prints out the mail header lines from the invoker's mailbox.

The following options are available:

**-c** Just print a count of messages and exit.

**-f *file*** The supplied *file* is examined instead of the invoker's mailbox. If the **-f** option is used, the *user* argument should not be used. Read from standard input if file name "-" is given.

**-s *sender***

Only mail from addresses containing the supplied string are printed.

If *user* is given, the *user*'s mailbox is examined instead of the invoker's own mailbox. (Privileges are required.)

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If set, the location of the invoker's mailbox. Otherwise, the default in */var/mail* is used.

**FILES**

*/var/mail/\**

**SEE ALSO**

biff(1), mail(1)

**HISTORY**

The **from** command appeared in 3.0BSD.