

**NAME**

gnome-dictionary - Look up words in online dictionaries

**SYNOPSIS**

**gnome-dictionary** [--look-up *WORD*] [--match *WORD*] [--source *NAME*] [--database *NAME*]  
[--strategy *NAME*] [--help]

**DESCRIPTION**

**gnome-dictionary** looks up words in online dictionaries using the DICT protocol.

**OPTIONS**

--look-up *WORD*

Looks up the specified *WORD* using the default dictionary source, or the one specified with the **--source** command line option.

--match *WORD*

List all the entries in the dictionary source that match the specified *WORD*.

--source=*NAME*, -s *NAME*

Specifies the dictionary source to be used for looking up or matching words.

--database=*NAME*, -D *NAME*

Specifies the database in the dictionary source to be used for looking up or matching words.

--strategy=*NAME*, -S *NAME*

Specifies the matching strategy in the dictionary source to be used for looking up or matching words.

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