

**NAME**

**llvm-config** - Print LLVM compilation options

**SYNOPSIS**

**llvm-config** *option* [*components...*]

**DESCRIPTION**

**llvm-config** makes it easier to build applications that use LLVM. It can print the compiler flags, linker flags and object libraries needed to link against LLVM.

**EXAMPLES**

To link against the JIT:

```
g++ `llvm-config --cxxflags` -o HowToUseJIT.o -c HowToUseJIT.cpp  
g++ `llvm-config --ldflags` -o HowToUseJIT HowToUseJIT.o \  
     `llvm-config --libs engine bcreader scalaropts`
```

**OPTIONS****--assertion-mode**

Print the assertion mode used when LLVM was built (ON or OFF).

**--bindir**

Print the installation directory for LLVM binaries.

**--build-mode**

Print the build mode used when LLVM was built (e.g. Debug or Release).

**--build-system**

Print the build system used to build LLVM (e.g. *cmake* or *gn*).

**--cflags**

Print the C compiler flags needed to use LLVM headers.

**--cmakedefs**

Print the installation directory for LLVM CMake modules.

**--components**

Print all valid component names.

**--cppflags**

Print the C preprocessor flags needed to use LLVM headers.

**--cxxflags**

Print the C++ compiler flags needed to use LLVM headers.

**--has-rtti**

Print whether or not LLVM was built with rtti (YES or NO).

**--help**

Print a summary of **llvm-config** arguments.

**--host-target**

Print the target triple used to configure LLVM.

**--ignore-libllvm**

Ignore libLLVM and link component libraries instead.

**--includedir**

Print the installation directory for LLVM headers.

**--ldflags**

Print the flags needed to link against LLVM libraries.

**--libdir**

Print the installation directory for LLVM libraries.

**--libfiles**

Similar to **--libs**, but print the full path to each library file. This is useful when creating makefile dependencies, to ensure that a tool is relinked if any library it uses changes.

**--libnames**

Similar to **--libs**, but prints the bare filenames of the libraries without **-l** or pathnames. Useful for linking against a not-yet-installed copy of LLVM.

**--libs**

Print all the libraries needed to link against the specified LLVM *components*, including any dependencies.

**--link-shared**

Link the components as shared libraries.

**--link-static**

Link the component libraries statically.

**--obj-root**

Print the object root used to build LLVM.

**--prefix**

Print the installation prefix for LLVM.

**--shared-mode**

Print how the provided components can be collectively linked (*shared* or *static*).

**--src-root**

Print the source root from which LLVM was built.

**--system-libs**

Print all the system libraries needed to link against the specified LLVM *components*, including any dependencies.

**--targets-built**

Print the component names for all targets supported by this copy of LLVM.

**--version**

Print the version number of LLVM.

## COMPONENTS

To print a list of all available components, run **llvm-config --components**. In most cases, components correspond directly to LLVM libraries. Useful "virtual" components include:

**all**

Includes all LLVM libraries. The default if no components are specified.

**backend**

Includes either a native backend or the C backend.

**engine**

Includes either a native JIT or the bitcode interpreter.

## EXIT STATUS

If **llvm-config** succeeds, it will exit with 0. Otherwise, if an error occurs, it will exit with a non-zero

value.

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