#### **NAME**

montage - create a composite image by combining several separate images. The images are tiled on the composite image optionally adorned with a border, frame, image name, and more.

#### **SYNOPSIS**

**montage** *input-file*[s] [options] output-file

#### **OVERVIEW**

The **montage** program is a member of the ImageMagick(1) suite of tools. Use it to create a composite image by combining several separate images. The images are tiled on the composite image optionally adorned with a border, frame, image name, and more.

For more information about the montage command, point your browser to file:///usr/local/share/doc/ImageMagick-7/www/montage.html or http://imagemagick.org/script/montage.php.

# **DESCRIPTION**

Image Settings:

-adjoin join images into a single multi-image file

-affine matrix affine transform matrix

-alpha option on, activate, off, deactivate, set, opaque, copy

transparent, extract, background, or shape

-authenticate value decrypt image with this password

-blue-primary point chromaticity blue primary point

-bordercolor color border color

-caption string assign a caption to an image

-colors value preferred number of colors in the image

-colorspace type alternate image colorspace

-comment string annotate image with comment

-compose operator composite operator

-compress type type of pixel compression when writing the image

-define format:option

define one or more image format options

-delay centiseconds display the next image after pausing

-density geometry horizontal and vertical density of the image

-depth value image depth

-display server query font from this X server

-dispose method layer disposal method

-dither method apply error diffusion to image

-encoding type text encoding type

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endianness (MSB or LSB) of the image
-endian type
-extract geometry extract area from image
-fill color
               color to use when filling a graphic primitive
                use this filter when resizing an image
-filter type
-font name
                 render text with this font
-format "string"
                  output formatted image characteristics
-gamma value
                   level of gamma correction
-geometry geometry preferred tile and border sizes
-gravity direction which direction to gravitate towards
-green-primary point chromaticity green primary point
-identify
                identify the format and characteristics of the image
-interlace type
                 type of image interlacing scheme
-interpolate method pixel color interpolation method
-kerning value
                  set the space between two letters
-label string
                 assign a label to an image
-limit type value pixel cache resource limit
-matte
               store matte channel if the image has one
-mattecolor color frame color
-mode type
                  framing style
-monitor
                monitor progress
                   size and location of an image canvas (setting)
-page geometry
-pointsize value
                  font point size
-profile filename add, delete, or apply an image profile
                  JPEG/MIFF/PNG compression level
-quality value
-quantize colorspace reduce colors in this colorspace
               suppress all warning messages
-quiet
-red-primary point chromaticity red primary point
-regard-warnings
                    pay attention to warning messages
                    size and location of an image canvas (operator)
-repage geometry
-respect-parentheses settings remain in effect until parenthesis boundary
-sampling-factor geometry
             horizontal and vertical sampling factor
-scenes range
                  image scene range
-seed value
                 seed a new sequence of pseudo-random numbers
-set attribute value set an image attribute
-shadow
                 add a shadow beneath a tile to simulate depth
-size geometry
                  width and height of image
-stroke color
                 color to use when stroking a graphic primitive
                  resize support: > 1.0 is blurry, < 1.0 is sharp
-support factor
-synchronize
                  synchronize image to storage device
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-taint
               declare the image as modified
-texture filename name of texture to tile onto the image background
 -thumbnail geometry create a thumbnail of the image
 -tile geometry
                   number of tiles per row and column
 -title string
                decorate the montage image with a title
 -transparent-color color
             transparent color
-treedepth value
                   color tree depth
               trim image edges
 -trim
-units type
                 the units of image resolution
-verbose
                 print detailed information about the image
 -virtual-pixel method
              virtual pixel access method
 -white-point point chromaticity white point
Image Operators:
 -adaptive-sharpen geometry
             adaptively sharpen pixels; increase effect near edges
 -annotate geometry text
             annotate the image with text
 -auto-orient
                  automagically orient image
 -blur geometry
                   reduce image noise and reduce detail levels
 -border geometry
                     surround image with a border of color
                    set the image channel mask
 -channel mask
 -crop geometry
                    preferred size and location of the cropped image
 -distort method args
              distort images according to given method and args
 -draw string
                  annotate the image with a graphic primitive
-extent geometry
                    set the image size
-flatten
                flatten a sequence of images
-flip
               flip image in the vertical direction
               flop image in the horizontal direction
 -flop
-frame geometry
                     surround image with an ornamental border
 -layers method
                    optimize or compare image layers
-monochrome
                     transform image to black and white
 -polaroid angle
                   simulate a Polaroid picture
 -resize geometry
                    resize the image
 -rotate degrees
                   apply Paeth rotation to the image
 -scale geometry
                    scale the image
 -strip
               strip image of all profiles and comments
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-transform affine transform image

-transpose flip image vertically and rotate 90 degrees

-transparent color make this color transparent within the image

-type type image type

-unsharp geometry sharpen the image

### Image Sequence Operators:

-coalesce merge a sequence of images

-composite composite image

# **Image Stack Operators:**

-clone indexes clone an image

-delete indexes delete the image from the image sequence

-duplicate count, indexes

duplicate an image one or more times

-insert index insert last image into the image sequence

-reverse image sequence

-swap indexes swap two images in the image sequence

# Miscellaneous Options:

-debug events display copious debugging information

-help print program options

-log format format of debugging information

-list type print a list of supported option arguments

-version print version information

In addition to those listed above, you can specify these standard X resources as command line options: -background, -bordercolor, -borderwidth, -font, -mattecolor, or -title.

By default, the image format of 'file' is determined by its magic number. To specify a particular image format, precede the filename with an image format name and a colon (i.e. ps:image) or specify the image type as the filename suffix (i.e. image.ps). Specify 'file' as '-' for standard input or output.

### **SEE ALSO**

ImageMagick(1)

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