NAME

paperconf - print paper configuration information

SYNOPSIS

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paperconf [ [ -p ] paper | -d | -a ] [ -z ] [ -n | -N ] [ -s | -w | -h ] [ -c | -m | -i ]
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DESCRIPTION

paperconf prints information about a given paper. The information that can be obtained is the name of the paper, its size and its width or height. When called without arguments, **paperconf** prints the name of the system- or user-specified paper, obtained by looking in order at the **PAPERSIZE** environment variable, at the contents of the file specified by the **PAPERCONF** environment variable, at the contents of **\${prefix}/etc/papersize** or by using **letter** as a fall-back value if none of the other alternatives are successful. By default, width and height of the paper are printed in PostScript points.

OPTIONS

-p paper

Specify the name of the *paper* about which information is asked.

- -d Use the default builtin paper name.
- -a Consider all known paper names.
- -z If the paper name is unknown, print it but issue a message on the standard error and exit with a non-zero code.
- -n Print the name of the paper.
- -N Print the name of the paper with the first letter capitalized.
- -s Print the size (width followed by height) of the paper.
- -w Print the width of the paper.
- -h Print the height of the paper.
- -c Use centimetres as unit for paper size.
- -m Use millimetres as unit for paper size.
- -i Use inches as unit for paper size.

ENVIRONMENT PAPERSIZE

PAPERSIZE	Paper size to use regardless of what the papersize file contains.
PAPERCONF	Full path to a file containing the paper size to use.

FILES

\${prefix}/etc/papersize Contains the name of the system-wide default paper size to be used if the **PAPERSIZE** and **PAPERCONF** variables are not set.

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