

**NAME**

Pluma - The MATE Text Editor

**SYNOPSIS**

**pluma** [**OPTIONS...**] [**FILES...**]

**DESCRIPTION**

Pluma is the official text editor of the MATE desktop environment. While aiming at simplicity and ease of use, Pluma is a powerful general purpose text editor. It can be used to create and edit all sorts of text files.

Pluma features a flexible plugin system which can be used to dynamically add new advanced features to Pluma itself.

This manual page briefly documents the **pluma** command.

**OPTIONS****filename(s)...**

Specifies the file to open when **pluma** starts. If this is not specified, **pluma** will start a new, blank file with an "Unsaved Document" label. Multiple files can be loaded if they are separated by spaces. **pluma** also supports handling of remote files.

**--display=DISPLAY**

X display to use.

**--encoding**

Set the character encoding to be used for opening the files listed on the command line.

**--new-window**

Create a new toplevel window in an existing instance of **pluma**.

**--new-document**

Create a new document in an existing instance of **pluma**, on the last Pluma window that had focus.

**+**[num]****

For the first file, go to the line specified by "num" (do not insert a space between the "+" sign and the number). If "num" is missing, go to the last line.

**--list-encodings**

Display list of possible values for the encoding option and exit

**--version**

Output version information and exit

**-, -h, --help**

Print standard command line options.

**--help-all**

Print all command line options.

This program also accepts the standard GTK options.

**EXAMPLES**

**pluma --encoding WINDOWS-1252 ftp://ftp.kernel.org/pub/linux/kernel/README**

Open the Linux Kernel README file from kernel.org's FTP server using Windows-1252 character encoding.

**pluma +156 http://mate-desktop.org/**

Open the main web page of mate-desktop.org and jump to line 156.

**pluma --new-window ~/.bashrc ~/.bash\_history**

Open the current users .bashrc and .bash\_history files in a new Pluma window.

**BUGS**

**Should you encounter any bugs, they may be reported at:**

<http://github.com/mate-desktop/pluma/issues>

**NOTES**

This version of the Pluma Manual Page was written with Pluma. =)

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**SEE ALSO**

**Pluma documentation can be found from the "Help" menu, or by pressing the F1 key.**

Further information may also be available at: <http://wiki.mate-desktop.org/docs>