

**NAME**

regdiff - Diff program for Windows registry files

**SYNOPSIS**

**regdiff** [--help] [--backend=BACKEND] [--credentials=CREDENTIALS] [location]

**DESCRIPTION**

regdiff compares two Windows registry files key by key and value by value and generates a text file that contains the differences between the two files.

A file generated by regdiff can later be applied to a registry file by the regpatch utility.

regdiff and regpatch use the same file format as the regedit32.exe utility from Windows.

**OPTIONS**

--help

Show list of available options.

--backend BACKEND

Name of backend to load. Possible values are: creg, regf, dir and rpc. The default is *dir*.

This argument can be specified twice: once for the first registry file and once for the second.

--credentials=CREDENTIALS

Credentials to use, if any. Password should be separated from user name by a percent sign.

This argument can be specified twice: once for the first registry file and once for the second.

**VERSION**

This man page is correct for version 4.0 of the Samba suite.

**SEE ALSO**

grededit, regshell, regpatch, regtree, samba, patch, diff

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This utility is part of the **Samba**[1] suite, which is developed by the global **Samba Team**[2].

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**NOTES**

1. Samba  
<http://www.samba.org/>
2. Samba Team  
<http://www.samba.org/samba/team/>