

# instscript install a script

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bash script, version=1.04

## Synopsis

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instscript [options] scriptname
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Options:

-h, --help	print this help and exit
-H, --Help	print full documentation via less and exit
-V, --version	print version and exit
-z, --zip	create zip file for CTAN
-p, --pdf	create pdf
-d, --debug	set debug flag: keep intermediate files for inspection
-e, --extras	comma separated list of extra files to be zipped
-m, --markdown	use markdown for bitbucket-compatible output

## Description

**instscript** installs a (bash, ruby, perl, ...) script, which is maintained using the Mercurial(1) source code management system. The script is installed in `/local/bin`. Its documentation is extracted and placed in `/local/bin/doc/`. The index there is updated. **instscript** must be executed in the script's mercurial directory.

The script must have valid gendoc documentation - see [BitBucket](#) The first paragraph that is found under the `=_Description` header is saved in a README file, which should be part of the source: it is used by BitBucket. Bars (`()`) will be stripped from that paragraph.

With the `--zip` option, a zip file containing the script and a README file is created. With the `--pdf` option, pdf documentation is created. With the `--markdown` option, the README will be made compatible with bitbucket.

## Changes

-I option added

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