

**NAME**

`wdctl` - show hardware watchdog status

**SYNOPSIS**

`wdctl` [options] [*device...*]

**DESCRIPTION**

Show hardware watchdog status. The default device is `/dev/watchdog`. If more than one device is specified then the output is separated by one blank line.

Note that the number of supported watchdog features is hardware specific.

**OPTIONS**

**-f, --flags** *list*

Print only the specified flags.

**-F, --noflags**

Do not print information about flags.

**-I, --noident**

Do not print watchdog identity information.

**-n, --noheadings**

Do not print a header line for flags table.

**-o, --output** *list*

Define the output columns to use in table of watchdog flags. If no output arrangement is specified, then a default set is used. Use **--help** to get list of all supported columns.

**-O, --oneline**

Print all wanted information on one line in `key="value"` output format.

**-r, --raw**

Use the raw output format.

**-s, --settimeout** *seconds*

Set the watchdog timeout in seconds.

**-T, --notimeouts**

Do not print watchdog timeouts.

**-x, --flags-only**

Same as **-I -T**.

**-V, --version**

Display version information and exit.

**-h, --help**

Display help text and exit.

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**AVAILABILITY**

The `wdctl` command is part of the `util-linux` package and is available from [Linux Kernel Archive](#).