

NAME

over — overstrike optimizer

SYNOPSIS

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DESCRIPTION

Over reads the standard input and writes the standard output. It interprets and then removes backspaces, constructing line buffers which contain only forward motions and are separated by carriage returns. This greatly reduces print time for printing devices incapable of backspaces (such as LP11 printers). *Over* is generally used to filter the output produced by *nroff*.

SEE ALSO

nroff(1), *col*(1)

BUGS

Maximum line length is 500 characters. Won't handle more than 10 overstrikes. *Over* should be built into the output device as needed; the same comment applies to *col*.