

NAME

`bdump` -- read from block device

SYNOPSIS

`/etc/bdump dev blockno [filename]`

DESCRIPTION

Bdump seeks to the specified block on the specified device and copies one 512-byte block from the device into either the *filename* argument (if it is given), or the default file name `dtmpx` otherwise. *Bdump* prepends `/dev/` onto the front of the *dev* argument and attempts to open the device for reading. The *blockno* argument is assumed to be octal if it contains a leading zero, otherwise decimal.

FILES

`dtmpx`

SEE ALSO

`blod(1M)`

DIAGNOSTICS

`dev?` - The device cannot be opened.

`non` - numeric character -- the *blockno* argument contains a bad character

`destination file?` -- `"dtmpx"` or *filename* cannot be created in the current directory