

**NAME**

**st** – simple terminal (Luke Smith (<https://lukesmith.xyz>)’s build)

**SYNOPSIS**

**st** [**-aiv**] [**-c** *class*] [**-f** *font*] [**-g** *geometry*] [**-n** *name*] [**-o** *iofile*] [**-T** *title*] [**-t** *title*] [**-l** *line*] [**-w** *windowid*] [**-e** *command* [*arguments...*]]

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**DESCRIPTION**

**st** is a simple terminal emulator.

**OPTIONS**

- a**       disable alternate screens in terminal
- c** *class*       defines the window class (default \$TERM).
- f** *font*       defines the *font* to use when st is run.
- g** *geometry*   defines the X11 geometry string. The form is [=][<cols>{xX}<rows>][{+-}<xoffset>{+-}<yoffset>]. See **XParseGeometry(3)** for further details.
- i**       will fixate the position given with the -g option.
- n** *name*       defines the window instance name (default \$TERM).
- o** *iofile*     writes all the I/O to *iofile*. This feature is useful when recording st sessions. A value of "-" means standard output.
- T** *title*     defines the window title (default 'st').
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- w** *windowid*   embeds st within the window identified by *windowid*
- l** *line*     use a tty *line* instead of a pseudo terminal. *line* should be a (pseudo-)serial device (e.g. /dev/ttyS0 on Linux for serial port 0). When this flag is given remaining arguments are used as flags for **stty(1)**. By default st initializes the serial line to 8 bits, no parity, 1 stop bit and a 38400 baud rate. The speed is set by appending it as last argument (e.g. 'st -l /dev/ttyS0 115200'). Arguments before the last one are **stty(1)** flags. If you want to set odd parity on 115200 baud use for example 'st -l /dev/ttyS0 parenb parodd 115200'. Set the number of bits by using for example 'st -l /dev/ttyS0 cs7 115200'. See **stty(1)** for more arguments and cases.
- v**       prints version information to stderr, then exits.
- e** *command* [*arguments ...*]   st executes *command* instead of the shell. If this is used it **must be the last option** on the command line, as in xterm / rxvt. This option is only intended for compatibility, and all the remaining arguments are used as a command even without it.

**SHORTCUTS****Alt-j/k or Alt-Up/Down or Alt-Mouse Wheel**

Scroll up/down one line at a time.

**Alt-u/d or Alt-Page Up/Page Down**

Scroll up/down one screen at a time.

**Alt-Shift-k/j or Alt-Shift-Page Up/Page Down or Alt-Shift-Mouse Wheel**

Increase or decrease font size.

**Alt-Home**

Reset to default font size.

**Shift-Insert or Alt-v**

Paste from clipboard.

**Alt-c** Copy to clipboard.

**Alt-p** Paste/input primary selection.

**Alt-l** Show dmenu menu of all URLs on screen and choose one to open.

**Alt-y** Show dmenu menu of all URLs on screen and choose one to copy.

**Alt-o** Show dmenu menu of all recently run commands and copy the output of the chosen command to the clipboard. *xclip* required.

**Alt-a/s** Increase or decrease opacity/alpha value (make window more or less transparent).

**Break** Send a break in the serial line. Break key is obtained in PC keyboards pressing at the same time control and pause.

**Ctrl-Print Screen**

Toggle if st should print to the *iofile*.

**Shift-Print Screen**

Print the full screen to the *iofile*.

**Print Screen**

Print the selection to the *iofile*.

**Alt-Ctrl**

Launch dmenu to enter a unicode codepoint and send the corresponding glyph to st.

**CUSTOMIZATION**

**st** can be customized by creating a custom config.h and (re)compiling the source code. This keeps it fast, secure and simple.

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**SEE ALSO**

**tabbed(1)**, **utmp(1)**, **stty(1)**

**BUGS**

See the TODO file in the distribution.