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## Name

**rdautorest** — Tool for restoring Rivendell backups produced by **rdautoback**(8)

## Synopsis

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rdautorest [--yes] {mount-pt}
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## Description

**rdautorest**(8) is a command-line tool used for restoring backups of the data for the Rivendell Radio Automation System produced by **rdautoback**(8).

**rdautorest**(8) takes one required argument: the name of a storage mount point that has been configured in **fstab**(5). Upon startup, **rdautorest**(8) will attempt to mount the specified mount point and restore the following data elements:

- The Rivendell database specified by the current **rd.conf**(5) configuration file.
- The contents of the Rivendell audiostore, located at `/var/snd`.

Any Rivendell data that is already present on the target system will be incrementally updated so as to be a precise copy of the backed-up data. After completing the restoration, **rdautorest**(8) will automatically unmount the backup device and remove its mount point.

By default **rdautorest**(8) will print a warning and require confirmation before proceeding with the restoration. This prompt can be bypassed by providing the **--yes** option.

## See Also

**fstab**(5) , **rd.conf**(5)