

**NAME**

pasuspender - Temporarily suspend PulseAudio

**SYNOPSIS**

**pasuspender** [*options*] -- *PROGRAM* [*ARGUMENTS* ...]

**pasuspender --help**

**pasuspender --version**

**DESCRIPTION**

*pasuspender* is a tool that can be used to tell a local PulseAudio sound server to temporarily suspend access to the audio devices, to allow other applications access them directly. *pasuspender* will suspend access to the audio devices, fork a child process, and when the child process terminates, resume access again.

Make sure to include -- in your *pasuspender* command line before passing the subprocess command line (as shown above). Otherwise *pasuspender* itself might end up interpreting the command line switches and options you intended to pass to the subprocess.

**OPTIONS**

**-h | --help**

Show help.

**--version**

Show version information.

**-s | --server=*SERVER***

Specify the sound server to connect to.

**AUTHORS**

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**SEE ALSO**

**pulseaudio(1)**, **padsp(1)**, **pacmd(1)**, **pactl(1)**