

NAME

xcb_open_font - opens a font

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <xcb/xproto.h>
```

Request function

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xcb_void_cookie_t xcb_open_font(xcb_connection_t *conn, xcb_font_t fid, uint16_t name_len, const char *name);
```

REQUEST ARGUMENTS

conn The XCB connection to X11.

fid The ID with which you will refer to the font, created by *xcb_generate_id*.

name_len Length (in bytes) of *name*.

name A pattern describing an X core font.

DESCRIPTION

Opens any X core font matching the given *name* (for example "-misc-fixed-*").

Note that X core fonts are deprecated (but still supported) in favor of client-side rendering using Xft.

RETURN VALUE

Returns an *xcb_void_cookie_t*. Errors (if any) have to be handled in the event loop.

If you want to handle errors directly with *xcb_request_check* instead, use *xcb_open_font_checked*. See **xcb-requests(3)** for details.

ERRORS

xcb_name_error_t

No font matches the given *name*.

SEE ALSO

xcb-requests(3), **xcb_generate_id(3)**

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