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RASPIVID

`raspivid` is the command line tool for capturing video with the camera module.

BASIC USAGE OF RASPIVID

With the camera module [connected and enabled](#), record a video using the following command:

```
raspivid -o vid.h264
```

Remember to use `-hf` and `-vf` to flip the image if required, like with [raspistill](#)

This will save a 5 second video file to the path given here as `vid.h264` (default length of time).

SPECIFY LENGTH OF VIDEO

To specify the length of the video taken, pass in the `-t` flag with a number of milliseconds. For example:

```
raspivid -o video.h264 -t 10000
```

This will record 10 seconds of video.

MORE OPTIONS

For a full list of possible options, run `raspivid` with no arguments, or pipe this command through `less` and scroll through:

```
raspivid 2>&1 | less
```

Use the arrow keys to scroll and type `q` to exit.

FULL DOCUMENTATION

Full documentation of the camera can be found at [hardware/camera](#).

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