Ruby master - Bug #7184
--disable-gems commandline parameter does not show up with ruby -h
10/19/2012 06:15 AM - steenslag (siep korteling)

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**Description**
The `--disable-gems` commandline parameter, as documented in The Ruby Programming Language, is not listed when exploring the options with `ruby -h`.

**Associated revisions**

Revision 357a5f5a - 10/23/2012 08:08 AM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)

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Revision a8e25c92 - 10/23/2012 04:37 PM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)

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Revision 37302 - 10/23/2012 04:37 PM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)
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History

#1 - 10/19/2012 09:12 AM - drbrain (Eric Hodel)
- Target version changed from 1.9.3 to 2.0.0

There are many options that do not show up with --help including all of the --disable-feature options.

I believe that historically --help hasn't show all of the options ruby supports in order to allow --help to fit on one screen.

You can view these options on the man page.

#2 - 10/19/2012 11:41 AM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)
Yes, another idea is adding a new option to show all.

#3 - 10/19/2012 12:23 PM - usa (Usaku NAKAMURA)
Hello,

In message "[ruby-core:48081] [ruby-trunk - Bug #7184] --disable-gems commandline parameter does not show up with ruby -h"
on Oct.19,2012 11:41:49, nobu@ruby-lang.org wrote:

    Yes, another idea is adding a new option to show all.

    For instance, -h to short help, and --help to long help ?

    Regards,
    --
    U.Nakamura usa@garbagecollect.jp

#4 - 10/19/2012 02:59 PM - duerst (Martin Dürst)
On 2012/10/19 12:02, U.Nakamura wrote:

    Hello,

    In message "[ruby-core:48081] [ruby-trunk - Bug #7184] --disable-gems commandline parameter does not show up with ruby -h"
on Oct.19,2012 11:41:49, nobu@ruby-lang.org wrote:
Yes, another idea is adding a new option to show all.

For instance, -h to short help, and --help to long help?

Yes, please, something like this. Remove one of the options showing up currently so that the "show all options" option can be added to the list that will fit in one screen. Then people can use the "show all options" option to look at the whole list, and those that want the screen to fit on 24 lines (which I think includes Matz) are happy, too. As for which option to removed from the short list, I can make some suggestions if it's necessary. But there are many that don't look terribly important.

Regards, Martin.

#5 - 10/23/2012 05:08 PM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)
- Status changed from Open to Closed
- % Done changed from 0 to 100

This issue was solved with changeset r37298.
siep, thank you for reporting this issue.
Your contribution to Ruby is greatly appreciated.
May Ruby be with you.

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#6 - 11/23/2012 04:38 PM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)
- Status changed from Closed to Open
- % Done changed from 100 to 0

tadf reverted this feature.

#7 - 11/23/2012 05:10 PM - tadf (tadayoshi funaba)
i reverted your commit, not feature or bug.
you reverted a test.
matz wants to print -h in a page.
because, user can read summary without pager.
but, we can use more pages for --help even if we want to write more or all.
big paper isn't necessary absolutely.

#8 - 11/23/2012 05:40 PM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)
fixed at r37818.

#9 - 11/23/2012 06:00 PM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)
No rationale, no description but just failing test makes no sense.
File a ticket first.

#10 - 11/23/2012 06:00 PM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)
- Status changed from Open to Closed
- % Done changed from 0 to 100