

**/msg ChanServ help FLAGS**

The **FLAGS** command allows for the granting/removal of channel privileges on a more specific, non-generalized level. It supports both nicknames and hostmasks as targets.

When only the channel argument is given, a listing of permissions granted to users will be displayed.

**Syntax:** FLAGS <#channel>

Otherwise, an access entry is modified. A modification may be specified by a template name (changes the access to the template) or a flags change (starts with + or -). See the **TEMPLATE** help entry for more information about templates.

If you are not a founder, you may only manipulate flags you have yourself, and may not edit users that have flags you don't have. For this purpose, +v grants +V, +h grants +H, +o grants +O and +r grants +b.

If you do not have +f you may still remove your own access with -\*.

**Syntax:** FLAGS <#channel> [nickname|hostmask template]

**Syntax:** FLAGS <#channel> [nickname|hostmask flag\_changes]

**Permissions:**

- +v - Enables use of the voice/devoice commands.
- +V - Enables automatic voice.
- +o - Enables use of the op/deop commands.
- +O - Enables automatic op.
- +s - Enables use of the set command.
- +i - Enables use of the invite and getkey commands.
- +r - Enables use of the kick, ban, and kickban commands.
- +R - Enables use of the recover and clear commands.
- +f - Enables modification of channel access lists.
- +t - Enables use of the topic and topicappend commands.
- +A - Enables viewing of channel access lists.
- +F - Grants full founder access.
- +b - Enables automatic kickban.

The special permission +\* adds all permissions except +b and +F. The special permission -\* removes all permissions including +b and +F.

**Examples:**

```
/msg ChanServ FLAGS #foo
/msg ChanServ FLAGS #foo foo!*@bar.com VOP
/msg ChanServ FLAGS #foo foo!*@bar.com -V+oO
/msg ChanServ FLAGS #foo foo!*@bar.com -*
/msg ChanServ FLAGS #foo foo +oOtsi
/msg ChanServ FLAGS #foo TroubleUser!*@*.troubleisp.net +b
```

**/msg ChanServ help TEMPLATE**

The **TEMPLATE** command allows definition of sets of flags, simplifying the use of the **FLAGS** command.

Without arguments, network wide templates are shown. These include at least SOP/AOP/HOP/VOP.

**Syntax:** TEMPLATE

When given only the channel argument, a listing of templates for the channel will be displayed.

**Syntax:** TEMPLATE <#channel>

Otherwise, a template is modified. A modification may be specified by a template name (copies the template) or a flags change (starts with + or -, optionally preceded by an !). Templates cannot be the empty set (making a template empty deletes it).

If the ! form is used, all access entries which exactly match the template are changed accordingly. This is not supported if the template includes or included founder access (+F).

There is a limit on the length of all templates on a channel.

If you are not a founder, similar restrictions apply as in **FLAGS**.

**Syntax:** TEMPLATE <#channel> [template oldtemplate]

**Syntax:** TEMPLATE <#channel> [template flag\_changes]

**Syntax:** TEMPLATE <#channel> [template !flag\_changes]

**Examples:**

```
/msg ChanServ TEMPLATE #foo
/msg ChanServ TEMPLATE #foo user VOP
/msg ChanServ TEMPLATE #foo user !+A
/msg ChanServ TEMPLATE #foo co-founder +*-OH
/msg ChanServ TEMPLATE #foo op -*+vVhoti
/msg ChanServ TEMPLATE #foo obsoletetemplate -*
```

**SET**

- EMAIL
- ENTRYMSG
- FOUNDER
- GUARD
- KEEPTOPIC
- MLOCK
- PRIVATE
- PROPERTY
- SECURE
- TOPICLOCK
- URL
- VERBOSE

**USER CMDS**

- ACCESS
- AKICK
- CLEAR
- COUNT
- DEOP
- DEVOICE
- DROP
- FLAGS (\*)
- GETKEY
- HELP
- INFO
- INVITE
- OP
- RECOVER
- REGISTER
- SET (\*)
- STATUS
- TAXONOMY
- TEMPLATE (\*)
- TOPIC
- TOPICAPPEND
- TOPICPREPEND
- UNBAN
- VOICE
- WHY

**ADMINISTRATOR CMDS**

Never attribute to malice that which can be adequately explained by stupidity.  
*Hanlon's razor*

- FORBID Prevent anyone from using a channel
- UNFORBID Reverses FORBID effects
- SETPASS Reset a channel's contact password
- STATUS View a user's access level on a channel
- NOEXPIRE Prevent a channel from expiring
- CLEARNOEXP Clear all noexpire flags for channels