

**NAME**

**glob** — virtual table expanding shell wildcard specification

**LIBRARY**

SQLite User-defined function Library (glob.so)

**SYNOPSIS**

```
create virtual table tablename using glob(pattern)
```

**DESCRIPTION**

The **glob** virtual table renders pattern in the filesystem as a table with one column:

name filename matching pattern

The contents of the virtual table are *not* cached. That is, every query initiates a call to `glob(3)` and each row is an element in the structure returned by that function.

**EXAMPLES**

```
sqlite> .load /usr/local/lib/sqlite3/glob.so
sqlite> create virtual table f using glob(*.o);
sqlite> select * from f;
name
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shell.o
sqlite3.so
sqlite>
```

**IMPLEMENTATION NOTES**

To use **glob** in the SQLite shell **sqlite3**, add the following to your `~/.sqliterc` file:

```
.load /usr/local/lib/sqlite3/glob.so
```

**SEE ALSO**

`stat(3s)` `strmode(3s)`

The above SQLite user-defined functions are intended for use with **glob**.

**AUTHORS**

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