

NAME

fclose, *fflush* — close or flush a stream

SYNOPSIS

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#include <stdio.h>
int fclose (stream)
FILE *stream;
int fflush (stream)
FILE *stream;
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DESCRIPTION

Fclose causes any buffers for the named *stream* to be emptied, and the file to be closed. Buffers allocated by the standard input/output system are freed.

Fclose is performed automatically upon calling *exit*(2).

Fflush causes any buffered data for the named output *stream* to be written to that file. The stream remains open.

These functions return 0 for success, and EOF if any errors were detected.

SEE ALSO

close(2), *fopen*(3S), *setbuf*(3S)