

NAME

`iconv_close` – deallocate descriptor for character set conversion

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <iconv.h>
```

```
int iconv_close(iconv_t cd);
```

DESCRIPTION

The `iconv_close()` function deallocates a conversion descriptor `cd` previously allocated using `iconv_open(3)`.

RETURN VALUE

When successful, the `iconv_close()` function returns 0. In case of error, it sets `errno` and returns `-1`.

VERSIONS

This function is available in glibc since version 2.1.

ATTRIBUTES

For an explanation of the terms used in this section, see `attributes(7)`.

Interface	Attribute	Value
<code>iconv_close()</code>	Thread safety	MT-Safe

CONFORMING TO

POSIX.1-2001, POSIX.1-2008, SUSv2.

SEE ALSO

`iconv(3)`, `iconv_open(3)`

COLOPHON

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