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Linux Programmer's Manual

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## NAME

unlockpt - unlock a pseudoterminal master/slave pair

# SYNOPSIS

#define \_XOPEN\_SOURCE

#include <stdlib.h>

int unlockpt(int fd);

Feature Test Macro Requirements for glibc (see feature\_test\_macros(7)):

unlockpt():

Since glibc 2.24:

\_XOPEN\_SOURCE >= 500 ||

(\_XOPEN\_SOURCE && \_XOPEN\_SOURCE\_EXTENDED)

Glibc 2.23 and earlier:

\_XOPEN\_SOURCE

### DESCRIPTION

The unlockpt() function unlocks the slave pseudoterminal device corre?

sponding to the master pseudoterminal referred to by the file descrip?

unlockpt() should be called before opening the slave side of a pseu?

doterminal.

#### **RETURN VALUE**

When successful, unlockpt() returns 0. Otherwise, it returns -1 and sets errno appropriately.

#### ERRORS

EBADF The fd argument is not a file descriptor open for writing.

EINVAL The fd argument is not associated with a master pseudoterminal.

### VERSIONS

unlockpt() is provided in glibc since version 2.1.

### ATTRIBUTES

For an explanation of the terms used in this section, see at?

tributes(7).

?Interface ? Attribute ? Value ?

?unlockpt() ? Thread safety ? MT-Safe ?

### CONFORMING TO

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

### SEE ALSO

grantpt(3), posix\_openpt(3), ptsname(3), pts(4), pty(7)

#### COLOPHON

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