

NAME

tcsetpgrp - set foreground process group ID

LIBRARY

Standard C Library (libc, -lc)

SYNOPSIS

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#include <unistd.h>
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int

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tcsetpgrp(int fd, pid_t pgrp_id);
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DESCRIPTION

If the process has a controlling terminal, the **tcsetpgrp()** function sets the foreground process group ID associated with the terminal device to *pgrp_id*. The terminal device associated with *fd* must be the controlling terminal of the calling process and the controlling terminal must be currently associated with the session of the calling process. The value of *pgrp_id* must be the same as the process group ID of a process in the same session as the calling process.

RETURN VALUES

The **tcsetpgrp()** function returns the value 0 if successful; otherwise the value -1 is returned and the global variable *errno* is set to indicate the error.

ERRORS

The **tcsetpgrp()** function will fail if:

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| [EBADF] | The <i>fd</i> argument is not a valid file descriptor. |
| [EINVAL] | An invalid value of <i>pgrp_id</i> was specified. |
| [ENOTTY] | The calling process does not have a controlling terminal, or the file represented by <i>fd</i> is not the controlling terminal, or the controlling terminal is no longer associated with the session of the calling process. |
| [EPERM] | The <i>pgrp_id</i> argument does not match the process group ID of a process in the same session as the calling process. |

SEE ALSO

setpgid(2), setsid(2), tcgetpgrp(3)

STANDARDS

The **tcsetpgrp()** function is expected to be compliant with the IEEE Std 1003.1-1988 ("POSIX.1") specification.