# FE GET EVENT

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### Name

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#### **Attention!**

This ioctl is deprecated.

## **Synopsis**

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int ioctl(int fd, FE GET EVENT, struct dvb frontend event \*ev)

## **Arguments**

fd

File descriptor returned by :c:func:`open()`.

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Points to the location where the event, if any, is to be stored.

## **Description**

This ioctl call returns a frontend event if available. If an event is not available, the behavior depends on whether the device is in blocking or non-blocking mode. In the latter case, the call fails immediately with errno set to <code>EWOULDBLOCK</code>. In the former case, the call blocks until an event becomes available.

#### Return Value

On success 0 is returned.

On error -1 is returned, and the errno variable is set appropriately.

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- ``EWOULDBLOCK``

- There is no event pending, and the device is in non-blocking mode.

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- ``EOVERFLOW``

- Overflow in event queue - one or more events were lost.
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Generic error codes are described at the <a href="ref">ref</a> 'Generic Error Codes <a href="gen-errors">gen-errors</a> 'chapter.

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