# V4L2 munmap()

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#### Name

v412-munmap - Unmap device memory

## **Synopsis**

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#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/mman.h>
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.. c:function:: int munmap( void *start, size_t length )
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### **Arguments**

start

Address of the mapped buffer as returned by the :c:func:'mmap()' function.

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length

Length of the mapped buffer. This must be the same value as given to :c:func:'mmap()' and returned by the driver in the struct :c:type:'v4l2\_buffer' length field for the single-planar API and in the struct :c:type:'v4l2\_plane' length field for the multi-planar API.

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## **Description**

Unmaps a previously with the :c:func:'mmap()' function mapped buffer and frees it, if possible.

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#### Return Value

On success :c:func: 'munmap()' returns 0, on failure -1 and the errno variable is set appropriately:

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#### **EINVAL**

The start or length is incorrect, or no buffers have been mapped yet.