

NAME

PCRE - Perl-compatible regular expressions

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <pcre.h>

void pcre_free_study(pcre_extra *extra);

void pcre16_free_study(pcre16_extra *extra);

void pcre32_free_study(pcre32_extra *extra);
```

DESCRIPTION

This function is used to free the memory used for the data generated by a call to **pcre[16|32]_study()** when it is no longer needed. The argument must be the result of such a call.

There is a complete description of the PCRE native API in the **pcreapi** page and a description of the POSIX API in the **pcreposix** page.