NAME

sync – Synchronize cached writes to persistent storage

SYNOPSIS

sync [*OPTION*] [*FILE*]...

DESCRIPTION

Synchronize cached writes to persistent storage

If one or more files are specified, sync only them, or their containing file systems.

−d, **−−data**
    sync only file data, no unneeded metadata

−f, **−−file−system**
    sync the file systems that contain the files

−−help display this help and exit

−−version
    output version information and exit

BUGS

Persistence guarantees vary per system. See the system calls below for more details.

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REPORTING BUGS

GNU coreutils online help: <https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/>
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SEE ALSO

fdatasync(2), fsync(2), sync(2), syncfs(2)

Full documentation <https://www.gnu.org/software/coreutils/sync>
or available locally via: info '(coreutils) sync invocation'