



stdio and **conio** are two different libraries in the C programming language, each with its purpose and set of functions.

stdio (Standard Input/Output) is a part of the C standard library and provides functions for file and stream-based input and output. It is a portable and widely-used library that allows you to work with files, read from and write to the console, and process input and output using formatted strings. Some common functions provided by the **stdio** library include:

printf(): Print formatted output to stdout (the console).

scanf(): Read formatted input from stdin (the console).

fopen(): Open a file for reading or writing.

fclose(): Close an open file.

fgets(): Read a string from a file.

fputs(): Write a string to a file.

conio (Console Input/Output) is a non-standard library that is primarily used in MS-DOS and some Windows compilers. It is not part of the C standard library, and its functionality and availability can vary across different platforms and compilers. The **conio** library provides functions for low-level console input and output operations, such as reading single characters without waiting for the Enter key or changing text colors. Some common functions provided by the **conio** library include:

clrscr(): Clear the console screen.

gotoxy(): Set the cursor position on the console.

kbhit(): Check if a key has been pressed without waiting for input.

getch(): Read a single character from the console without echoing and without waiting for the Enter key.

cprintf(): Print formatted output to the console with attributes like color and style.

In summary, **stdio** is a standard and portable library for file and stream-based input and output, while **conio** is a non-standard library that provides low-level console input and

output functionality, mainly used in MS-DOS and some Windows environments.
