

**NAME**

**nfslockd** - NFS advisory locking

**SYNOPSIS**

To compile this driver into the kernel, place the following lines in your kernel configuration file:

```
options NFSLOCKD
```

Alternatively, to load the driver as a module at boot time, place the following line in loader.conf(5):

```
nfslockd_load="YES"
```

**DESCRIPTION**

The **nfslockd** driver provides kernel support for NFSv3 advisory locking. It works in tandem with `rpc.lockd(8)`, which will normally load it on startup if it is not already loaded or compiled-in.

**SEE ALSO**

`rpc.lockd(8)`

**HISTORY**

The **nfslockd** driver first appeared in FreeBSD 6.4.

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