### NAME

pam\_end - terminate the PAM transaction

### SYNOPSIS

#include <sys/types.h>
#include <security/pam\_appl.h>

int

pam\_end(pam\_handle\_t \*pamh, int status);

### DESCRIPTION

The **pam\_end**() function terminates a PAM transaction and destroys the corresponding PAM context, releasing all resources allocated to it.

The *status* argument should be set to the error code returned by the last API call before the call to **pam\_end**().

### **RETURN VALUES**

The **pam\_end**() function returns one of the following values:

[PAM\_SUCCESS] Success.

[PAM\_BAD\_HANDLE]

Invalid PAM handle.

# SEE ALSO

pam(3), pam\_strerror(3)

### STANDARDS

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