

NAME

delpart – tell the kernel to forget about a partition

SYNOPSIS

delpart *device partition*

DESCRIPTION

delpart asks the Linux kernel to forget about the specified *partition* (a number) on the specified *device*. The command is a simple wrapper around the "del partition" ioctl.

This command doesn't manipulate partitions on a block device.

SEE ALSO

[addpart\(8\)](#), [fdisk\(8\)](#), [parted\(8\)](#), [partprobe\(8\)](#), [partx\(8\)](#)

AVAILABILITY

The delpart command is part of the util-linux package and is available from <https://www.kernel.org/pub/linux/utils/util-linux/>.