

**graph close** — Close Graph windows[Description](#)  
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## Description

`graph close` closes specified or all Graph windows.

## Quick start

Close `mygraph1` Graph window

```
graph close mygraph1
```

Close `mygraph2` and `mygraph3` Graph windows

```
graph close mygraph2 mygraph3
```

Close all Graph windows

```
graph close _all
```

Close all Graph windows starting with `p`

```
graph close p*
```

As above, and close `mygraph3` Graph window

```
graph drop p* mygraph3
```

## Menu

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## Syntax

*Close named Graph windows*

```
graph close name [name ...]
```

*Close all Graph windows*

```
graph close _all
```

*name* is the name of a Graph window or the partial name of a Graph window with the ? and \* wildcard characters.

## Remarks and examples

See [G-2] [graph manipulation](#) for an introduction to the graph manipulation commands. See [P] [window manage](#) for a discussion of how Stata's windowed interface is accessed.

`graph close` closes Graph windows, allowing users to easily manage Stata's windowed interface. `graph close` can also be used to move through series of graphs. After each graph is examined, it can be closed without manually closing the Graph window. `Graph` is the default name of the graph.

```
. graph twoway scatter faminc educ, ms(p)
. ...
. graph close Graph
. ...
. graph close Graph
```

## Also see

[G-2] [graph drop](#) — Drop graphs from memory

[G-2] [graph manipulation](#) — Graph manipulation commands

[G-2] [graph replay](#) — Replay multiple graphs

[D] [erase](#) — Erase a disk file

[P] [discard](#) — Drop automatically loaded programs

[P] [window manage](#) — Manage window characteristics