

NAME

`archive_write_new` — functions for creating archives

LIBRARY

Streaming Archive Library (`libarchive`, `-larchive`)

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <archive.h>

struct archive *
archive_write_new(void);
```

DESCRIPTION

Allocates and initializes a struct archive object suitable for writing a tar archive. `NULL` is returned on error.

A complete description of the struct archive object can be found in the overview manual page for *libarchive(3)*.

SEE ALSO

tar(1), *archive_write(3)*, *archive_write_set_options(3)*, *libarchive(3)*, *cpio(5)*, *mtree(5)*, *tar(5)*