

# Repository Function DESTROY

## Description

Method for destroying an entity. Entities used by it (such as window events inside windows) are not destroyed. Use the [TDESTROY](#) method to destroy an entity and entities inside it.

## Syntax

*object* = **Repository**("DESTROY", *entID*)

## Parameters

The **EXECUTE** method has the following parameters.

Parameter	Description
<i>Message</i>	<b>DESTROY</b>
<i>entID</i>	<i>entID</i> consists of four elements, which are '*' (asterisk) delimited:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Application name</li><li>• Type ID</li><li>• Class ID</li><li>• Entity name</li></ul>

Methods are executed as follows: if class specific, execute at the class level; if type specific, execute at the type level; otherwise, execute the method.

## Returns

null

**Note:** Always call the [Get\\_Status function](#) after calling *Repository*.

## See also

[Repository\(\)](#) function, [TDESTROY](#) method, [Get\\_Repos\\_Entities\(\)](#).

## Example

```
/* Destroy the CENTERWINDOW_BACKUP stored procedure */
Declare Function Repository, Get_Status
AppID = @APPID<1>  /* current application
TypeID = "STPROC"  /* OpenInsight stored procedures
ClassID = ""      /* Not Applicable
Stored_Proc_Name = 'CENTERWINDOW_BACKUP'

entid = AppID : '*' : TypeID : '*' : ClassID : '*' : Stored_Proc_Name

result = Repository("DESTROY", entid)
* test result
If Get_Status(ErrCode) then
    call msg(@window, 'Error Message returned: ' : ErrCode)
end
```