

## Ruby trunk - Feature #9042

### Remove "f" suffix in favor of VM optimization of "literal".freeze

10/22/2013 09:14 PM - headius (Charles Nutter)

<b>Status:</b>	Closed
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal
<b>Assignee:</b>	
<b>Target version:</b>	2.1.0
<b>Description</b>	
The "f" suffix has been added to Ruby trunk to allow creating pre-frozen literal strings. However, <a href="#">#8992</a> provides a way the VM could simply optimize #freeze called on a literal string in the same way. If <a href="#">#8992</a> is accepted, the backward-incompatible "f" syntax should be removed.	

#### Associated revisions

##### Revision 43634 - 11/10/2013 06:13 AM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)

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## History

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**#1 - 10/22/2013 09:17 PM - headius (Charles Nutter)**

- *Category set to core*

**#2 - 11/10/2013 03:13 PM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)**

- *Status changed from Open to Closed*

- *% Done changed from 0 to 100*

This issue was solved with changeset [r43634](#).  
Charles, thank you for reporting this issue.  
Your contribution to Ruby is greatly appreciated.  
May Ruby be with you.

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