

## **man pages section 5: Standards, Environments, and Macros**

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# Preface

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Both novice users and those familiar with the SunOS operating system can use online man pages to obtain information about the system and its features. A man page is intended to answer concisely the question “What does it do?” The man pages in general comprise a reference manual. They are not intended to be a tutorial.

## Overview

The following contains a brief description of each man page section and the information it references:

- Section 1 describes, in alphabetical order, commands available with the operating system.
- Section 1M describes, in alphabetical order, commands that are used chiefly for system maintenance and administration purposes.
- Section 2 describes all of the system calls. Most of these calls have one or more error returns. An error condition is indicated by an otherwise impossible returned value.
- Section 3 describes functions found in various libraries, other than those functions that directly invoke UNIX system primitives, which are described in Section 2.
- Section 4 outlines the formats of various files. The C structure declarations for the file formats are given where applicable.
- Section 5 contains miscellaneous documentation such as character-set tables.
- Section 6 contains available games and demos.
- Section 7 describes various special files that refer to specific hardware peripherals and device drivers. STREAMS software drivers, modules and the STREAMS-generic set of system calls are also described.
- Section 9 provides reference information needed to write device drivers in the kernel environment. It describes two device driver interface specifications: the Device Driver Interface (DDI) and the Driver/Kernel Interface (DKI).
- Section 9E describes the DDI/DKI, DDI-only, and DKI-only entry-point routines a developer can include in a device driver.
- Section 9F describes the kernel functions available for use by device drivers.
- Section 9S describes the data structures used by drivers to share information between the driver and the kernel.

Below is a generic format for man pages. The man pages of each manual section generally follow this order, but include only needed headings. For example, if there are no bugs to report, there is no BUGS section. See the `intro` pages for more information and detail about each section, and [man\(1\)](#) for more information about man pages in general.

NAME	This section gives the names of the commands or functions documented, followed by a brief description of what they do.								
SYNOPSIS	<p>This section shows the syntax of commands or functions. When a command or file does not exist in the standard path, its full path name is shown. Options and arguments are alphabetized, with single letter arguments first, and options with arguments next, unless a different argument order is required.</p> <p>The following special characters are used in this section:</p> <table><tr><td>[ ]</td><td>Brackets. The option or argument enclosed in these brackets is optional. If the brackets are omitted, the argument must be specified.</td></tr><tr><td>. . .</td><td>Ellipses. Several values can be provided for the previous argument, or the previous argument can be specified multiple times, for example, "filename...".</td></tr><tr><td> </td><td>Separator. Only one of the arguments separated by this character can be specified at a time.</td></tr><tr><td>{ }</td><td>Braces. The options and/or arguments enclosed within braces are interdependent, such that everything enclosed must be treated as a unit.</td></tr></table>	[ ]	Brackets. The option or argument enclosed in these brackets is optional. If the brackets are omitted, the argument must be specified.	. . .	Ellipses. Several values can be provided for the previous argument, or the previous argument can be specified multiple times, for example, "filename...".		Separator. Only one of the arguments separated by this character can be specified at a time.	{ }	Braces. The options and/or arguments enclosed within braces are interdependent, such that everything enclosed must be treated as a unit.
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{ }	Braces. The options and/or arguments enclosed within braces are interdependent, such that everything enclosed must be treated as a unit.								
PROTOCOL	This section occurs only in subsection 3R to indicate the protocol description file.								
DESCRIPTION	This section defines the functionality and behavior of the service. Thus it describes concisely what the command does. It does not discuss OPTIONS or cite EXAMPLES. Interactive commands, subcommands, requests, macros, and functions are described under USAGE.								
IOCTL	This section appears on pages in Section 7 only. Only the device class that supplies appropriate parameters to the <a href="#">ioctl(2)</a> system call is called <code>ioctl</code> and generates its own								



	<p>heading. <code>ioctl</code> calls for a specific device are listed alphabetically (on the man page for that specific device). <code>ioctl</code> calls are used for a particular class of devices all of which have an <code>io</code> ending, such as <code>mtio(7I)</code>.</p>
OPTIONS	<p>This section lists the command options with a concise summary of what each option does. The options are listed literally and in the order they appear in the SYNOPSIS section. Possible arguments to options are discussed under the option, and where appropriate, default values are supplied.</p>
OPERANDS	<p>This section lists the command operands and describes how they affect the actions of the command.</p>
OUTPUT	<p>This section describes the output – standard output, standard error, or output files – generated by the command.</p>
RETURN VALUES	<p>If the man page documents functions that return values, this section lists these values and describes the conditions under which they are returned. If a function can return only constant values, such as 0 or -1, these values are listed in tagged paragraphs. Otherwise, a single paragraph describes the return values of each function. Functions declared void do not return values, so they are not discussed in RETURN VALUES.</p>
ERRORS	<p>On failure, most functions place an error code in the global variable <code>errno</code> indicating why they failed. This section lists alphabetically all error codes a function can generate and describes the conditions that cause each error. When more than one condition can cause the same error, each condition is described in a separate paragraph under the error code.</p>
USAGE	<p>This section lists special rules, features, and commands that require in-depth explanations. The subsections listed here are used to explain built-in functionality:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Commands</li><li>Modifiers</li><li>Variables</li><li>Expressions</li><li>Input Grammar</li></ul>

EXAMPLES	This section provides examples of usage or of how to use a command or function. Wherever possible a complete example including command-line entry and machine response is shown. Whenever an example is given, the prompt is shown as <code>example%</code> , or if the user must be superuser, <code>example#</code> . Examples are followed by explanations, variable substitution rules, or returned values. Most examples illustrate concepts from the SYNOPSIS, DESCRIPTION, OPTIONS, and USAGE sections.
ENVIRONMENT VARIABLES	This section lists any environment variables that the command or function affects, followed by a brief description of the effect.
EXIT STATUS	This section lists the values the command returns to the calling program or shell and the conditions that cause these values to be returned. Usually, zero is returned for successful completion, and values other than zero for various error conditions.
FILES	This section lists all file names referred to by the man page, files of interest, and files created or required by commands. Each is followed by a descriptive summary or explanation.
ATTRIBUTES	This section lists characteristics of commands, utilities, and device drivers by defining the attribute type and its corresponding value. See <a href="#">attributes(5)</a> for more information.
SEE ALSO	This section lists references to other man pages, in-house documentation, and outside publications.
DIAGNOSTICS	This section lists diagnostic messages with a brief explanation of the condition causing the error.
WARNINGS	This section lists warnings about special conditions which could seriously affect your working conditions. This is not a list of diagnostics.
NOTES	This section lists additional information that does not belong anywhere else on the page. It takes the form of an aside to the user, covering points of special interest. Critical information is never covered here.
BUGS	This section describes known bugs and, wherever possible, suggests workarounds.

## REFERENCE

## Introduction

**Name** Intro – introduction to miscellany

**Description** Among the topics presented in this section are:

Standards	The POSIX (IEEE) Standards and the X/Open Specifications are described on the <code>standards</code> page.
Environments	The user environment ( <code>environ</code> ), the subset of the user environment that depends on language and cultural conventions ( <code>locale</code> ), the large file compilation environment ( <code>lfcompile</code> ), and the transitional compilation environment ( <code>lfcompile64</code> ) are described.
Macros	The macros to format Reference Manual pages ( <code>man</code> and <code>mansun</code> ) as well as other text format macros ( <code>me</code> , <code>mm</code> , and <code>ms</code> ) are described.
Characters	Tables of character sets ( <code>ascii</code> , <code>charmap</code> , <code>eqnchar</code> , and <code>iconv</code> ), file format notation ( <code>formats</code> ), file name pattern matching ( <code>fnmatch</code> ), and regular expressions ( <code>regex</code> and <code>regexp</code> ) are presented.

## REFERENCE

### Standards, Environments, and Macros

**Name** acl – Access Control Lists

**Description** Access control lists (ACLs) are discretionary access control mechanisms that grant and deny access to files and directories. Two different ACL models are supported in the Solaris release: POSIX-draft ACLs and NFSv4 ACLs.

The older, POSIX-draft model is supported by the UFS file system. This model is based on a withdrawn ACL POSIX specification that was never standardized. It was subsequently withdrawn by the POSIX committee.

The other model is based on the standards of the NFSv4 working group and is an approved standard from the Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF). The ZFS file system uses the NFSv4 model, and provides richer semantics and finer grained permission capabilities than the POSIX-draft model.

POSIX-draft ACLs POSIX-draft ACLs provide an alternative security mechanism to basic UNIX file permissions in the Solaris release. Their purpose is to further restrict access to files and directories or to extend permissions to a particular user. ACLs can be used to change the permissions for the standard owner, group and other class bits of a file's mode. ACLs can give additional users and groups access to the file. A directory can also have a special kind of ACL called a *default* ACL, which defines ACL entries to be inherited by descendents of the directory. POSIX-draft ACLs have an ACL entry called *mask*. The mask defines the maximum permissions that can be granted to additional user and group entries. Whenever a file is created or its mode is changed by `chmod(1)` or `chmod(2)`, the mask is recomputed. It is recomputed to be the group permission defined in the mode passed to `chmod(2)`.

The POSIX-draft ACL model uses the standard `rxw` model of traditional UNIX permissions.

An ACL is represented as follows:

`acl_entry[ ,acl_entry] . . .`

Each `acl_entry` contains one ACL entry. An ACL entry is represented by two or three colon-separated( : ) fields.

`user:[uid]:perms` If `uid` blank, it represents the file owner.

`group:[gid]:perms` If `gid` is blank, it represents the owning group.

`other:perms` Represents the file other class.

`mask:perms` Defines the MAX permission to hand out.

For example to give user `joe` read and write permissions, the ACL entry is specified as:

`user:joe:rw-`

NFSv4 ACLs NFSv4 ACL model is based loosely on the Windows NT ACL model. NFSv4 ACLs provide a much richer ACL model than POSIX-draft ACLs.

The major differences between NFSv4 and POSIX-draft ACLs are as follows:

- NFSv4 ACLs provide finer grained permissions than the rwx model.
- NFSv4 ACLs allow for both ALLOW and DENY entries.
- NFSv4 ACLs provide a rich set of inheritance semantics. POSIX ACLs also have inheritance, but with the NFSv4 model you can control the following inheritance features:
  - Whether inheritance cascades to both files and directories or only to files or directories.
  - In the case of directories, you can indicate whether inheritance is applied to the directory itself, to just one level of subdirectories, or cascades to all subdirectories of the directory.
- NFSv4 ACLs provide a mechanism for hooking into a system's audit trail. Currently, Solaris does not support this mechanism.
- NFSv4 ACLs enable administrators to specify the order in which ACL entries are checked. With POSIX-draft ACLs the file system reorders ACL entries into a well defined, strict access, checking order.

POSIX-draft ACL semantics can be achieved with NFSv4 ACLs. However, only some NFSv4 ACLs can be translated to equivalent POSIX-draft ACLs.

Permissions can be specified in three different chmod ACL formats: verbose, compact, or positional. The verbose format uses words to indicate that the permissions are separated with a forward slash (/) character. Compact format uses the permission letters and positional format uses the permission letters or the hyphen (-) to identify no permissions.

The permissions for verbose mode and their abbreviated form in parentheses for compact and positional mode are described as follows:

read_data (r)	Permission to read the data of the file
list_directory (r)	Permission to list the contents of a directory.
write_data (w)	Permission to modify a file's data anywhere in the file's offset range. This includes the ability to grow the file or write to any arbitrary offset.
add_file (w)	Permission to add a new file to a directory.
append_data (p)	The ability to modify the file's data, but only starting at EOF. Currently, this permission is not supported.
add_subdirectory (p)	Permission to create a subdirectory to a directory.

read_xattr (R)	The ability to read the extended attributes of a file or do a lookup in the extended attributes directory.
write_xattr (A)	The ability to create extended attributes or write to the extended attributes directory.
execute (X)	Permission to execute a file.
read_attributes (a)	The ability to read basic attributes (non-ACLs) of a file. Basic attributes are considered to be the stat level attributes. Allowing this access mask bit means that the entity can execute <code>ls(1)</code> and <code>stat(2)</code> .
write_attributes (w)	Permission to change the times associated with a file or directory to an arbitrary value.
delete (d)	Permission to delete the file.
delete_child (D)	Permission to delete a file within a directory.
read_acl (c)	Permission to read the ACL.
write_acl (C)	Permission to write the ACL or the ability to execute <code>chmod(1)</code> or <code>setfacl(1)</code> .
write_owner (o)	Permission to change the owner or the ability to execute <code>chown(1)</code> or <code>chgrp(1)</code> .
synchronize (s)	Permission to access a file locally at the server with synchronous reads and writes. Currently, this permission is not supported.

The following inheritance flags are supported by NFSv4:

file_inherit (f)	Inherit to all newly created files in a directory.
dir_inherit (d)	Inherit to all newly created directories in a directory.
inherit_only (i)	Placed on a directory, but does not apply to the directory itself, only to newly created created files and directories. This flag requires <code>file_inherit</code> and or <code>dir_inherit</code> to indicate what to inherit.
no_propagate (n)	Placed on directories and indicates that ACL entries should only be inherited one level of the tree. This flag requires <code>file_inherit</code> and or <code>dir_inherit</code> to indicate what to inherit.

An NFSv4 ACL is expressed using the following syntax:

`acl_entry[ ,acl_entry]...`

```
owner@:<perms>[:inheritance flags]:<allow|deny>
group@:<perms>[:inheritance flags]:<allow|deny>
everyone@:<perms>[:inheritance flags]:<allow|deny>
user:<username>[:inheritance flags]:<allow|deny>
```



```
group:<groupname>[:inheritance flags]:<allow|deny>
```

owner@     File owner

group@     Group owner

user        Permissions for a specific user

group       Permissions for a specific group

Permission and inheritance flags are separated by a / character.

ACL specification examples:

```
user:fred:read_data/write_data/read_attributes:file_inherit:allow
owner@:read_data:allow,group@:read_data:allow,user:tom:read_data:deny
```

Using the compact ACL format, permissions are specified by using 14 unique letters to indicate permissions.

Using the positional ACL format, permissions are specified as positional arguments similar to the `ls -V` format. The hyphen (-), which indicates that no permission is granted at that position, can be omitted and only the required letters have to be specified.

The letters above are listed in the order they would be specified in positional notation.

With these letters you can specify permissions in the following equivalent ways.

```
user:fred:rw-----R-----:file_inherit:allow
```

Or you can remove the - and scrunch it together.

```
user:fred:rwR:file_inherit:allow
```

The inheritance flags can also be specified in a more compact manner, as follows:

```
user:fred:rwR:f:allow
user:fred:rwR:f-----:allow
```

Shell-level Solaris API     The Solaris command interface supports the manipulation of ACLs. The following Solaris utilities accommodate both ACL models:

- |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| chmod    | The <code>chmod</code> utility has been enhanced to allow for the setting and deleting of ACLs. This is achieved by extending the symbolic-mode argument to support ACL manipulation. See <a href="#">chmod(1)</a> for details.                                 |
| compress | When a file is compressed any ACL associated with the original file is preserved with the compressed file.                                                                                                                                                      |
| cp       | By default, <code>cp</code> ignores ACLs, unless the <code>-p</code> option is specified. When <code>-p</code> is specified the owner and group id, permission modes, modification and access times, ACLs, and extended attributes if applicable are preserved. |

<code>cpio</code>	ACLs are preserved when the <code>-P</code> option is specified.
<code>find</code>	<code>Find</code> locates files with ACLs when the <code>-acl</code> flag is specified.
<code>ls</code>	By default <code>ls</code> does not display ACL information. When the <code>-v</code> option is specified, a file's ACL is displayed.
<code>mv</code>	When a file is moved, all attributes are carried along with the renamed file. When a file is moved across a file system boundary, the ACLs are replicated. If the ACL information cannot be replicated, the move fails and the source file is not removed.
<code>pack</code>	When a file is packed, any ACL associated with the original file is preserved with the packed file.
<code>rcp</code>	<code>rcp</code> has been enhanced to support copying. A file's ACL is only preserved when the remote host supports ACLs.
<code>tar</code>	ACLs are preserved when the <code>-p</code> option is specified.
<code>unpack</code>	When a file with an ACL is unpacked, the unpacked file retains the ACL information.

Application-level API The primary interfaces required to access file system ACLs at the programmatic level are the `acl_get()` and `acl_set()` functions. These functions support both POSIX draft ACLs and NFSv4 ACLs.

Retrieving a file's ACL 

```
int acl_get(const char *path, int flag, acl_t **aclp);
int facl_get(int fd, int flag, acl_t **aclp);
```

The `acl_get(3SEC)` and `facl_get(3SEC)` functions retrieve an ACL on a file whose name is given by `path` or referenced by the open file descriptor `fd`. The `flag` argument specifies whether a trivial ACL should be retrieved. When the `flag` argument equals `ACL_NO_TRIVIAL` then only ACLs that are not trivial are retrieved. The ACL is returned in the `aclp` argument.

Freeing ACL structure 

```
void acl_free(acl_t *aclp);
```

The `acl_free()` function frees up memory allocated for the argument `aclp`.

Setting an ACL on a file 

```
int acl_set(const char *path, acl_t *aclp);
int facl_set(int fd, acl_t *aclp);
```

The `acl_set(3SEC)` and `facl_set(3SEC)` functions are used for setting an ACL on a file whose name is given by `path` or referenced by the open file descriptor `fd`. The `aclp` argument specifies the ACL to set. The `acl_set(3SEC)` translates a POSIX-draft ACL into a NFSv4 ACL when the target file system supports NFSv4 ACLs. No translation is performed when trying to set an NFSv4 ACL on a POSIX-draft ACL supported file system.

Determining an ACL's trivialness `int acl_trivial(const char *path);`

The `acl_trivial()` function is used to determine whether a file has a trivial ACL. The trivialness of a file's ACL depends on the type of ACL it is. For POSIX-draft ACLs, it implies the ACL has greater than `MIN_ACL_ENTRIES`. For NFSv4/ZFS style ACLs, it implies that the ACL has entries other than `owner@`, `group@` and `everyone@`, inheritance flags are set, or the ACL is not ordered in a manner that meets POSIX access control requirements.

Removing all ACLs from a file `int acl_strip(const char *path, uid_t uid, gid_t gid, mode_t mode);`

The `acl_strip()` function removes all ACLs from a file and replaces them with a trivial ACL based off of the passed in argument mode. After replacing the ACL the owner and group of the file are set to the values specified in the uid and gid parameters.

Converting ACLs to/from external representation `int acl_fromtext(const char *path, acl_t **aclp);`  
`char *acl_totext(acl_t *aclp, int flags);`

The `acl_text()` function converts an internal ACL representation pointed to by `aclp` into an external representation. See `DESCRIPTION` for details about external representation.

The `acl_fromtext()` functions converts and external representation into an internal representation. See `DESCRIPTION` for details about external representation.

**Examples** The following examples demonstrate how the API can be used to perform basic operations on ACLs.

#### EXAMPLE 1 Retrieving and Setting an ACL

Use the following to retrieve an ACL and set it on another file:

```
error = acl_get("file", ACL_NO_TRIVIAL, &aclp);

if (error == 0 && aclp != NULL) {
    error = acl_set("file2", aclp)
    acl_free(aclp);
}
...
```

#### EXAMPLE 2 Retrieving and Setting Any ACLs

Use the following to retrieve any ACL, including trivial ACLs, and set it on another file:

```
error = acl_get("file3", 0, &aclp);
if (error == 0) {
    error = acl_set("file4", aclp)
    acl_free(aclp);
}
...
```

**EXAMPLE 3** Determining if a File has a Trivial ACL

Use the following to determine if a file has a trivial ACL:

```
istrivial = acl_trivial("file")

if (istrivial == 0)
printf("file %s has a trivial ACL\n", file);
else
printf("file %s has a NON-trivial ACL\n", file);
...
```

**EXAMPLE 4** Removing all ACLs from a File

Use the following to remove all ACLs from a file, and set a new mode, owner, and group:

```
error = acl_strip("file", 10, 100, 0644);
...
```

**See Also** [chgrp\(1\)](#), [chmod\(1\)](#), [chown\(1\)](#), [cp\(1\)](#), [cpio\(1\)](#), [find\(1\)](#), [ls\(1\)](#), [mv\(1\)](#), [tar\(1\)](#), [setfacl\(1\)](#), [chmod\(2\)](#), [acl\(2\)](#), [stat\(2\)](#), [acl\\_get\(3SEC\)](#), [aclsort\(3SEC\)](#), [acl\\_fromtext\(3SEC\)](#), [acl\\_free\(3SEC\)](#), [acl\\_strip\(3SEC\)](#), [acl\\_trivial\(3SEC\)](#)

**Name** `ascii` – map of ASCII character set

**Synopsis** `cat /usr/pub/ascii`

**Description** `/usr/pub/ascii` is a map of the ASCII character set, to be printed as needed. It contains octal and hexadecimal values for each character. While not included in that file, a chart of decimal values is also shown here.

#### Octal – Character

000 NUL	001 SOH	002 STX	003 ETX	004 EOT	005 ENQ	006 ACK	007 BEL
010 BS	011 HT	012 NL	013 VT	014 NP	015 CR	016 SO	017 SI
020 DLE	021 DC1	022 DC2	023 DC3	024 DC4	025 NAK	026 SYN	027 ETB
030 CAN	031 EM	032 SUB	033 ESC	034 FS	035 GS	036 RS	037 US
040 SP	041 !	042 "	043 #	044 \$	045 %	046 &	047 '
050 (	051 )	052 *	053 +	054 ,	055 -	056 .	057 /
060 0	061 1	062 2	063 3	064 4	065 5	066 6	067 7
070 8	071 9	072 :	073 ;	074 <	075 =	076 >	077 ?
100 @	101 A	102 B	103 C	104 D	105 E	106 F	107 G
110 H	111 I	112 J	113 K	114 L	115 M	116 N	117 O
120 P	121 Q	122 R	123 S	124 T	125 U	126 V	127 W
130 X	131 Y	132 Z	133 [	134 \	135 ]	136 ^	137 _
140 `	141 a	142 b	143 c	144 d	145 e	146 f	147 g
150 h	151 i	152 j	153 k	154 l	155 m	156 n	157 o
160 p	161 q	162 r	163 s	164 t	165 u	166 v	167 w
170 x	171 y	172 z	173 {	174	175 }	176 ~	177 DEL

#### Hexadecimal – Character

00 NUL	01 SOH	02 STX	03 ETX	04 EOT	05 ENQ	06 ACK	07 BEL
08 BS	09 HT	0A NL	0B VT	0C NP	0D CR	0E SO	0F SI
10 DLE	11 DC1	12 DC2	13 DC3	14 DC4	15 NAK	16 SYN	17 ETB
18 CAN	19 EM	1A SUB	1B ESC	1C FS	1D GS	1E RS	1F US
20 SP	21 !	22 "	23 #	24 \$	25 %	26 &	27 '
28 (	29 )	2A *	2B +	2C ,	2D -	2E .	2F /
30 0	31 1	32 2	33 3	34 4	35 5	36 6	37 7
38 8	39 9	3A :	3B ;	3C <	3D =	3E >	3F ?
40 @	41 A	42 B	43 C	44 D	45 E	46 F	47 G
48 H	49 I	4A J	4B K	4C L	4D M	4E N	4F O
50 P	51 Q	52 R	53 S	54 T	55 U	56 V	57 W
58 X	59 Y	5A Z	5B [	5C \	5D ]	5E ^	5F _
60 `	61 a	62 b	63 c	64 d	65 e	66 f	67 g
68 h	69 i	6A j	6B k	6C l	6D m	6E n	6F o
70 p	71 q	72 r	73 s	74 t	75 u	76 v	77 w
78 x	79 y	7A z	7B {	7C	7D }	7E ~	7F DEL

#### Decimal – Character

0 NUL	1 SOH	2 STX	3 ETX	4 EOT	5 ENQ	6 ACK	7 BEL
-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------

8 BS	9 HT	10 NL	11 VT	12 NP	13 CR	14 SO	15 SI
16 DLE	17 DC1	18 DC2	19 DC3	20 DC4	21 NAK	22 SYN	23 ETB
24 CAN	25 EM	26 SUB	27 ESC	28 FS	29 GS	30 RS	31 US
32 SP	33 !	34 "	35 #	36 \$	37 %	38 &	39 '
40 (	41 )	42 *	43 +	44 ,	45 -	46 .	47 /
48 0	49 1	50 2	51 3	52 4	53 5	54 6	55 7
56 8	57 9	58 :	59 ;	60 <	61 =	62 >	63 ?
64 @	65 A	66 B	67 C	68 D	69 E	70 F	71 G
72 H	73 I	74 J	75 K	76 L	77 M	78 N	79 O
80 P	81 Q	82 R	83 S	84 T	85 U	86 V	87 W
88 X	89 Y	90 Z	91 [	92 \	93 ]	94 ^	95 _
96 `	97 a	98 b	99 c	100 d	101 e	102 f	103 g
104 h	105 i	106 j	107 k	108 l	109 m	110 n	111 o
112 p	113 q	114 r	115 s	116 t	117 u	118 v	119 w
120 x	121 y	122 z	123 {	124	125 }	126 ~	127 DEL

**Files** /usr/pub/ascii      On-line chart of octal and hexadecimal values for the ASCII character set.

**Name** attributes, architecture, availability, CSI, stability, MT-Level, standard – attributes of interfaces

**Description** The ATTRIBUTES section of a manual page contains a table defining attribute types and their corresponding values. The following is an example of an attributes table. Not all attribute types are appropriate for all types of interfaces.

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Architecture	SPARC
Availability	SUNWcsu
CSI	Enabled
Interface Stability	Committed
MT-Level	Safe
Standard	See <a href="#">standards(5)</a> .

**Architecture** Architecture defines processor or specific hardware. See -p option of [uname\(1\)](#). In some cases, it may indicate required adapters or peripherals.

**Availability** This refers to the software package which contains the command or component being described on the man page. To be able to use the command, the indicated package must have been installed. For information on how to add a package see [pkgadd\(1M\)](#).

**Code Set Independence (CSI)** OS utilities and libraries free of dependencies on the properties of any code sets are said to have Code Set Independence (CSI). They have the attribute of being CSI enabled. This is in contrast to many commands and utilities, for example, that work only with Extended Unix Codesets (EUC), an encoding method that allows concurrent support for up to four code sets and is commonly used to represent Asian character sets.

For practical reasons, however, this independence is not absolute. Certain assumptions are still applied to the current CSI implementation:

- File code is a superset of ASCII.
- To support multi-byte characters and null-terminated UNIX file names, the NULL and / (slash) characters cannot be part of any multi-byte characters.
- Only “stateless” file code encodings are supported. Stateless encoding avoids shift, locking shift, designation, invocation, and so forth, although single shift is not excluded.
- Process code (wchar\_t values) is implementation dependent and can change over time or between implementations or between locales.
- Not every object can have names composed of arbitrary characters. The names of the following objects must be composed of ASCII characters:
  - User names, group name, and passwords

- System name
- Names of printers and special devices
- Names of terminals (/dev/tty\*)
- Process ID numbers
- Message queues, semaphores, and shared memory labels.
- The following may be composed of ISO Latin-1 or EUC characters:
  - File names
  - Directory names
  - Command names
  - Shell variables and environmental variable names
  - Mount points for file systems
  - NIS key names and domain names
- The names of NFS shared files should be composed of ASCII characters. Although files and directories may have names and contents composed of characters from non-ASCII code sets, using only the ASCII codeset allows NFS mounting across any machine, regardless of localization. For the commands and utilities that are CSI enabled, all can handle single-byte and multi-byte locales released in 2.6. For applications to get full support of internationalization services, dynamic binding has to be applied. Statically bound programs will only get support for C and POSIX locales.

**Interface Stability** Sun often provides developers with early access to new technologies, which allows developers to evaluate with them as soon as possible. Unfortunately, new technologies are prone to changes and standardization often results in interface incompatibility from previous versions.

To make reasonable risk assessments, developers need to know how likely an interface is to change in future releases. To aid developers in making these assessments, interface stability information is included on some manual pages for commands, entry-points, and file formats.

The more stable interfaces can safely be used by nearly all applications, because Sun will endeavor to ensure that these continue to work in future minor releases. Applications that depend only on Committed interfaces should reliably continue to function correctly on future minor releases (but not necessarily on earlier major releases).

The less stable interfaces allow experimentation and prototyping, but should be used only with the understanding that they might change incompatibly or even be dropped or replaced with alternatives in future minor releases.

“Interfaces” that Sun does not document (for example, most kernel data structures and some symbols in system header files) may be implementation artifacts. Such internal interfaces are not only subject to incompatible change or removal, but we are unlikely to mention such a change in release notes.

### **Release Levels**



Products are given release levels, as well as names, to aid compatibility discussions. Each release level may also include changes suitable for lower levels.

Release	Version	Significance
Major	x.0	Likely to contain major feature additions; adhere to different, possibly incompatible standard revisions; and though unlikely, could change, drop, or replace Committed interfaces. Initial product releases are usually 1.0.
Minor	x.y	Compared to an x.0 or earlier release (y!=0), it is likely to contain: feature additions, compatible changes to Committed interfaces, or likely incompatible changes to Uncommitted or Volatile interfaces.
Micro	x.y.z	Intended to be interface compatible with the previous release (z!=0), but likely to add bug fixes, performance enhancements, and support for additional hardware. Incompatible changes to Volatile interfaces are possible.

In the context of interface stability, update releases (occasionally referred to as patch releases) should be considered equivalent to Micro Releases.

### Classifications

The following table summarizes how stability level classifications relate to release level. The first column lists the Stability Level. The second column lists the Release Level for Incompatible Changes, and the third column lists other comments. For a complete discussion of individual classifications, see the appropriate subsection below.

Stability	Release	Comments
Committed	Major (x.0)	Incompatibilities are exceptional.
Uncommitted	Minor (x.y)	Incompatibilities are common.
Volatile	Micro (x.y.z)	Incompatibilities are common.

The interface stability level classifications described on this manual page apply to both source and binary interfaces unless otherwise stated. All stability level classifications are public, with the exception of the `Private` classification. The precise stability level of a public interface (one that is documented in the manual pages) is unspecified unless explicitly stated. The stability level of an undocumented interface is implicitly `Private`.

The existence of documentation other than the documentation that is a component of the Solaris product should not be construed to imply any level of stability for interfaces provided by the Solaris product. The only source of stability level information is Solaris manual pages.

### Committed

The intention of a Committed interface is to enable third parties to develop applications to these interfaces, release them, and have confidence that they will run on all releases of the product after the one in which the interface was introduced, and within the same Major release. Even at a Major release, incompatible changes are expected to be rare, and to have strong justifications.

Interfaces defined and controlled as industry standards are most often treated as Committed interfaces. In this case, the controlling body and/or public, versioned document is typically noted in a “Standard” entry in the Attributes table or elsewhere in the documentation.

Although a truly exceptional event, incompatible changes are possible in any release if the associated defect is serious enough as outlined in the Exceptions section of this document or in a Minor release by following the End of Feature process. If support of a Committed interface must be discontinued, Sun will attempt to provide notification and the stability level will be marked Obsolete.

### Uncommitted

No commitment is made about either source or binary compatibility of these interfaces from one Minor release to the next. Even the drastic incompatible change of removal of the interface in a Minor release is possible. Uncommitted interfaces are generally not appropriate for use by release-independent products.

Incompatible changes to the interface are intended to be motivated by true improvement to the interface which may include ease of use considerations. The general expectation should be that Uncommitted interfaces are not likely to change incompatibly and if such changes occur they will be small in impact and may often have a mitigation plan.

Uncommitted interfaces generally fall into one of the following subcategories:

1. Interfaces that are experimental or transitional. They are typically used to give outside developers early access to new or rapidly changing technology, or to provide an interim solution to a problem where a more general solution is anticipated.
2. Interfaces whose specification is controlled by an outside body yet Sun expects to make a reasonable effort to maintain compatibility with previous releases until the next Minor release at which time Sun expects to synchronize with the external specification.
3. Interfaces whose target audience values innovation (and possibly ease of use) over stability. This attribute is often associated with administrative interfaces for higher tier components.

For Uncommitted interfaces, Sun makes no claims about either source or binary compatibility from one minor release to another. Applications developed based on these interfaces may not work in future minor releases.

### Volatile

Volatile interfaces can change at any time and for any reason.

The Volatile interface stability level allows Sun products to quickly track a fluid, rapidly evolving specification. In many cases, this is preferred to providing additional stability to the interface, as it may better meet the expectations of the consumer.

The most common application of this taxonomy level is to interfaces that are controlled by a body other than Sun, but unlike specifications controlled by standards bodies or Free or Open Source Software (FOSS) communities which value interface compatibility, it can not be asserted that an incompatible change to the interface specification would be exceedingly rare. It may also be applied to FOSS controlled software where it is deemed more important to track the community with minimal latency than to provide stability to our customers.

It also common to apply the Volatile classification level to interfaces in the process of being defined by trusted or widely accepted organization. These are generically referred to as draft standards. An “IETF Internet draft” is a well understood example of a specification under development.

Volatile can also be applied to experimental interfaces.

No assertion is made regarding either source or binary compatibility of Volatile interfaces between any two releases, including patches. Applications containing these interfaces might fail to function properly in any future release.

#### Not-an-Interface

The situation occasionally occurs where there exists an entity that could be inferred to be an interface, but actually is not. Common examples are output from CLIs intended only for human consumption and the exact layout of a GUI.

This classification is a convenience term to be used to clarify such situations where such confusion is identified as likely. Failure to apply this term to an entity is not an indication that the entity is some form of interface. It only indicates that the potential for confusion was not identified.

#### Private

A Private interface is an interface provided by a component (or product) intended only for the use of that component. A Private interface might still be visible to or accessible by other components. Because the use of interfaces private to another component carries great stability risks, such use is explicitly not supported. Components not supplied by Sun Microsystems should not use Private interfaces.

Most Private interfaces are not documented. It is an exceptional case when a Private interface is documented. Reasons for documenting a Private interface include, but are not limited to, the intention that the interface might be reclassified to one of the public stability level classifications in the future or the fact that the interface is inordinately visible.

#### Obsolete

Obsolete is a modifier that can appear in conjunction with the above classification levels.

The Obsolete modifier indicates an interface that is “deprecated” and/or no longer advised

for general use. An existing interface may be downgraded from some other status (such as Committed or Uncommitted) by the application of the Obsolete modifier to encourage customers to migrate from that interface before it may be removed (or incompatibly changed).

An Obsolete interface is supported in the current release, but is scheduled to be removed in a future (minor) release. When support of an interface is to be discontinued, Sun will attempt to provide notification before discontinuing support. Use of an Obsolete interface may produce warning messages.

**Exceptions**

There are rare instances when it is in the best interest of both Sun and the customer to break the interface stability commitment. The following list contains the common, known reasons for the interface provider to violate an interface stability commitment, but does not preclude others.

- 1. Security holes where the vulnerability is inherent in the interface.
- 2. Data corruption where the vulnerability is inherent in the interface.
- 3. Standards violations uncovered by a change in interpretation or enhancement of conformance tests.
- 4. An interface specification which isn't controlled by Sun has been changed incompatibly and the vast majority of interface consumers expect the newer interface.
- 5. Not making the incompatible change would be incomprehensible to our customers. One example of this would be not incompatibly changed pcfs when the DOS 8.3 naming restrictions were abandoned.

Incompatible changes allowed by exception will always be delivered in the “most major” release vehicle possible. However, often the consequences of the vulnerabilities or contractual branding requirements will force delivery in a patch.

**Compatibility with Earlier Interface Classification Schemes**

In releases up to and including Solaris 10, a different interface classification scheme was used. The following table summarizes the mapping between the old and new classification schemes.

Old	New	Comments
Standard	Committed	An entry in the attributes table for the Standard attribute type should appear.
Stable	Committed	Name change.
Evolving	Uncommitted	Actual commitments match.
Unstable	Uncommitted	Name change.
External	Volatile	Name change with expansion of allowed usage.

Old	New	Comments
Obsolete	(Obsolete)	Was a classification, now a modifier.

The increased importance of Free or Open Source Software motivated the name change from Stable/Unstable to Committed/Uncommitted. Stable conflicted with the common use of the term in FOSS communities.

Ambiguity in the definition of Evolving was causing difficulty in interpretation. As part of the migration to the new classification scheme, many formerly Evolving interfaces were upgraded to Committed. However, upon encountering the term Evolving, Uncommitted should be inferred.

MT-Level Libraries are classified into categories that define their ability to support multiple threads. Manual pages containing functions that are of multiple or differing levels describe this in their NOTES or USAGE section.

#### Safe

Safe is an attribute of code that can be called from a multithreaded application. The effect of calling into a Safe interface or a safe code segment is that the results are valid even when called by multiple threads. Often overlooked is the fact that the result of this Safe interface or safe code segment can have global consequences that affect all threads. For example, the action of opening or closing a file from one thread is visible by all the threads within a process. A multithreaded application has the responsibility for using these interfaces in a safe manner, which is different from whether or not the interface is Safe. For example, a multithreaded application that closes a file that is still in use by other threads within the application is not using the `close(2)` interface safely.

#### Unsafe

An Unsafe library contains global and static data that is not protected. It is not safe to use unless the application arranges for only one thread at time to execute within the library. Unsafe libraries might contain functions that are Safe; however, most of the library's functions are unsafe to call. Some functions that are Unsafe have reentrant counterparts that are MT-Safe. Reentrant functions are designated by the `_r` suffix appended to the function name.

#### MT-Safe

An MT-Safe library is fully prepared for multithreaded access. It protects its global and static data with locks, and can provide a reasonable amount of concurrency. A library can be safe to use, but not MT-Safe. For example, surrounding an entire library with a monitor makes the library Safe, but it supports no concurrency so it is not considered MT-Safe. An MT-Safe library must permit a reasonable amount of concurrency. (This definition's purpose is to give precision to what is meant when a library is described as Safe. The definition of a Safe library does not specify if the library supports concurrency. The MT-Safe definition makes it clear that the library is Safe, and supports some concurrency. This clarifies the Safe definition, which can mean anything from being single threaded to being any degree of multithreaded.)

### Async-Signal-Safe

Async-Signal-Safe refers to particular library functions that can be safely called from a signal handler. A thread that is executing an Async-Signal-Safe function will not deadlock with itself if interrupted by a signal. Signals are only a problem for MT-Safe functions that acquire locks.

Async-Signal-Safe functions are also MT-Safe. Signals are disabled when locks are acquired in Async-Signal-Safe functions. These signals prevent a signal handler that might acquire the same lock from being called.

### MT-Safe with Exceptions

See the NOTES or USAGE sections of these pages for a description of the exceptions.

### Safe with Exceptions

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### Fork-Safe

The `fork(2)` function replicates only the calling thread in the child process. The `fork1(2)` function exists for compatibility with the past and is synonymous with `fork()`. If a thread other than the one performing the fork holds a lock when `fork()` is called, the lock will still be held in the child process but there will be no lock owner since the owning thread was not replicated. A child calling a function that attempts to acquire the lock will deadlock itself.

When `fork()` is called, a Fork-Safe library arranges to have all of its internal locks held only by the thread performing the fork. This is usually accomplished with `pthread_atfork(3C)`, which is called when the library is initialized.

The `forkall(2)` function provides the capability for the rare case when a process needs to replicate all of its threads when performing a fork. No `pthread_atfork()` actions are performed when `forkall()` is called. There are dangers associated with calling `forkall()`. If some threads in a process are performing I/O operations when another thread calls `forkall()`, they will continue performing the same I/O operations in both the parent and child processes, possibly causing data corruption. For this and other race-condition reasons, the use of `forkall()` is discouraged.

In all Solaris releases prior to Solaris 10, the behavior of `fork()` depended on whether or not the application was linked with `-lpthread` (POSIX threads, see [standards\(5\)](#)). If linked with `-lpthread`, `fork()` behaved like `fork1()`; otherwise it behaved like `forkall()`. To avoid any confusion concerning the behavior of `fork()`, applications can specifically call `fork1()` or `forkall()` as appropriate.

### Cancel-Safety

If a multithreaded application uses `pthread_cancel(3C)` to cancel (that is, kill) a thread, it is possible that the target thread is killed while holding a resource, such as a lock or allocated memory. If the thread has not installed the appropriate cancellation cleanup handlers to release the resources appropriately (see `pthread_cancel(3C)`), the application is “cancel-unsafe”, that is, it is not safe with respect to cancellation. This unsafety could

result in deadlocks due to locks not released by a thread that gets cancelled, or resource leaks; for example, memory not being freed on thread cancellation. All applications that use `pthread_cancel(3C)` should ensure that they operate in a Cancel-Safe environment. Libraries that have cancellation points and which acquire resources such as locks or allocate memory dynamically, also contribute to the cancel-unsafety of applications that are linked with these libraries. This introduces another level of safety for libraries in a multithreaded program: Cancel-Safety. There are two sub-categories of Cancel-Safety: Deferred-Cancel-Safety, and Asynchronous-Cancel-Safety. An application is considered to be Deferred-Cancel-Safe when it is Cancel-Safe for threads whose cancellation type is `PTHREAD_CANCEL_DEFERRED`. An application is considered to be Asynchronous-Cancel-Safe when it is Cancel-Safe for threads whose cancellation type is `PTHREAD_CANCEL_ASYNCCHRONOUS`. Deferred-Cancel-Safety is easier to achieve than Asynchronous-Cancel-Safety, since a thread with the deferred cancellation type can be cancelled only at well-defined cancellation points, whereas a thread with the asynchronous cancellation type can be cancelled anywhere. Since all threads are created by default to have the deferred cancellation type, it might never be necessary to worry about asynchronous cancel safety. Most applications and libraries are expected to always be Asynchronous-Cancel-Unsafe. An application which is Asynchronous-Cancel-Safe is also, by definition, Deferred-Cancel-Safe.

**Standard** Many interfaces are defined and controlled as industry standards. When this is the case, the controlling body and/or public, versioned document is noted in this section.

Programmers producing portable applications should rely on the interface descriptions present in the standard or specification to which the application is intended to conform, rather than the manual page descriptions of interfaces based upon a public standard. When the standard or specification allows alternative implementation choices, the manual page usually only describes the alternative implemented by Sun. The manual page also describes any compatible extensions to the base definition of Standard interfaces provided by Sun.

No endorsement of the referenced controlling body or document should be inferred by its presence as a “Standard” entry. The controlling body may be a very formal organization, as in ISO or ANSI, a less formal, but generally accepted organization such as IETF, or as informal as the sole contributor in the case of FOSS (Free or Open Source Software).

**See Also** [uname\(1\)](#), [pkgadd\(1M\)](#), [Intro\(3\)](#), [standards\(5\)](#)

**Name** audit\_binfile – generation of Solaris audit logs

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/audit\_binfile.so

**Description** The audit\_binfile plugin module for Solaris audit, /usr/lib/security/audit\_binfile.so, writes binary audit data to files as configured in [audit\\_control\(4\)](#); it is the default plugin for the Solaris audit daemon [auditd\(1M\)](#). Its output is described by [audit.log\(4\)](#).

The audit\_binfile plugin is loaded by auditd if audit\_control contains one or more lines defining audit directories by means of the dir: specification or if audit\_control has a plugin: specification of name=audit\_binfile.so.

**Object Attributes** The p\_dir and p\_minfree attributes are equivalent to the dir: and minfree: lines described in audit\_control. If both the dir: line and the p\_dir attribute are used, the plugin combines all directories into a single list with those specified by means of dir: at the front of the list. If both the minfree and the p\_minfree attributes are given, the p\_minfree value is used.

The p\_fsize attribute defines the maximum size in bytes that an audit file can become before it is automatically closed and a new audit file opened. This is equivalent to an administrator issuing an audit -n command when the audit file contains the specified number of bytes. The default size is zero (0), which allows the file to grow without bound. The value specified must be within the range of [512,000, 2,147,483,647].

**Examples** The following directives cause audit\_binfile.so to be loaded, specify the directories for writing audit logs, and specify the percentage of required free space per directory.

```
flags: lo,ad,-fm
naflags: lo,ad
plugin: name=audit_binfile.so;\
p_minfree=20;\
p_dir=/etc/security/jedgar/eggplant,\
/etc/security/jedgar.aux/eggplant,\
/etc/security/global/eggplant
```

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
MT Level	MT-Safe
Interface Stability	Committed

**See Also** [auditd\(1M\)](#), [audit\\_control\(4\)](#), [syslog.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)



- Name** audit\_syslog – real time conversion of Solaris audit data to syslog messages
- Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/audit\_syslog.so
- Description** The audit\_syslog plugin module for Solaris audit, /usr/lib/security/audit\_syslog.so, provides realtime conversion of Solaris audit data to syslog-formatted (text) data and sends it to a syslog daemon as configured in [syslog.conf\(4\)](#). The plugin's path is specified in the audit configuration file, [audit\\_control\(4\)](#).

Messages to syslog are written if selected via the plugin option in audit\_control. Syslog messages are generated with the facility code of LOG\_AUDIT (audit in [syslog.conf\(4\)](#)) and severity of LOG\_NOTICE. Audit syslog messages contain data selected from the tokens described for the binary audit log. (See [audit.log\(4\)](#)). As with all syslog messages, each line in a syslog file consists of two parts, a syslog header and a message.

The syslog header contains the date and time the message was generated, the host name from which it was sent, auditd to indicate that it was generated by the audit daemon, an ID field used internally by syslogd, and audit.notice indicating the syslog facility and severity values. The syslog header ends with the characters, that is, a closing square bracket and a space.

The message part starts with the event type from the header token. All subsequent data appears only if contained in the original audit record and there is room in the 1024-byte maximum length syslog line. In the following example, the backslash (\) indicates a continuation; actual syslog messages are contained on one line:

```
Oct 31 11:38:08 smothers auditd: [ID 917521 audit.notice] chdir(2) ok\
session 401 by joeuser as root:other from myultra obj /export/home
```

In the preceding example, chdir(2) is the event type. Following this field is additional data, described below. This data is omitted if it is not contained in the source audit record.

ok or failed	Comes from the return or exit token.
session <#>	<#> is the session ID from the subject token.
by <name>	<name> is the audit ID from the subject token.
as <name>:<group>	<name> is the effective user ID and <group> is the effective group ID from the subject token.
in <zone name>	The zone name. This field is generated only if the zonename audit policy is set.
from <terminal>	<terminal> is the text machine address from the subject token.
obj <path>	<path> is the path from the path token The path can be truncated from the left if necessary to fit it on the line. Truncation is indicated by leading ellipsis (...).
attr_obj <path>	<path> is the path from the path_attr token. It is treated as above.

`proc_uid <owner>`      `<owner>` is the effective user ID of the process owner.

`proc_auid <owner>`      `<owner>` is the audit ID of the process owner.

`uath <auth name>`      `<auth name>` is the name of the authorization that was used or required for this event. It is truncated from the right if necessary to fit on the line. Truncation is indicated by trailing ellipsis (...).

Additionally the text from any text tokens that are present is included. It is truncated from the right if necessary to fit on the line. Truncation is indicated by trailing ellipsis (...).

The following are example syslog messages:

```
Nov  4  8:27:07 smothers auditd: [ID 175219 audit.notice] \
system booted

Nov  4  9:28:17 smothers auditd: [ID 752191 audit.notice] \
login - rlogin ok session 401 by joeuser as joeuser:staff from myultra

Nov  4 10:29:27 smothers auditd: [ID 521917 audit.notice] \
access(2) ok session 255 by janeuser as janeuser:staff from \
129.146.89.30 obj /etc/passwd
```

**Object Attributes** The `p_flag` attribute, specified by means of the `plugin` directive (see [audit\\_control\(4\)](#)), is used to further filter audit data being sent to the syslog daemon beyond the classes specified through the `flags` and `naflags` lines of `audit_control` and through the user-specific lines of [audit\\_user\(4\)](#). The parameter is a comma-separated list; each item represents an audit class (see [audit\\_class\(4\)](#)) and is specified using the same syntax used in `audit_control` for the `flags` and `naflags` lines. The default (no `p_flags` listed) is that no audit records will be generated.

#### Examples **EXAMPLE 1** One Use of the plugin Line

In the specification shown below, the `plugin` line (in conjunction with `flags` and `naflags`) is used to allow class records for `lo` but allows class records for `am` for failures only. Omission of the `fm` class records results in no `fm` class records being output. The `pc` parameter has no effect because you cannot add classes to those defined by means of `flags` and `naflags` and by [audit\\_user\(4\)](#). You can only remove them.

```
flags: lo,am,fm
naflags: lo
plugin: name=audit_syslog.so; p_flags=lo,-am
```

#### **EXAMPLE 2** Use of all

In the specification shown below, with one exception, `all` allows all flags defined by means of `flags` and `naflags` (and [audit\\_user\(4\)](#)). The exception the `am` metaclass, which is equivalent to `ss`, `as`, `ua`, which is modified to output all `ua` events but only failure events for `ss` and `as`.

EXAMPLE 2 Use of all (Continued)

```
flags: lo,am
naflags: lo
plugin: name=audit_syslog.so; p_flags=all,^+ss,^+as
```

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
MT Level	MT-Safe
Interface Stability	:
message format	Unstable
message content	Unstable
config parameters	Evolving

**See Also** [auditd\(1M\)](#), [audit\\_class\(4\)](#), [audit\\_control\(4\)](#), [syslog.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Notes** Use of the plugin configuration line to include `audit_syslog.so` requires that `/etc/syslog.conf` is configured to store syslog messages of facility `audit` and severity `notice` or above in a file intended for Solaris audit records. An example of such a line in `syslog.conf` is:

```
audit.notice /var/audit/audit.log
```

Messages from syslog are sent to remote syslog servers by means of UDP, which does not guarantee delivery or ensure the correct order of arrival of messages.

If the parameters specified for the plugin line result in no classes being preselected, an error is reported by means of a syslog alert with the LOG\_DAEMON facility code.

`audit_syslog` is not a substitute for [audit\\_binfile\(5\)](#). The a limited set of tokens are included in the syslog message. Use the audit trail files ([audit.log\(4\)](#)) to obtain full audit records.

The time field in the syslog header is generated by [syslog\(3C\)](#) and only approximates the time given in the binary audit log. Normally the time field shows the same whole second or at most a few seconds' difference.

**Name** brands – alternate operating environments for non-global zones

**Description** The branded zone (BrandZ) framework extends the Solaris Zones infrastructure described in [zones\(5\)](#) to include the creation of brands, which provide non-global zones that contain non-native operating environments.

The term “brand” can refer to a wide range of operating environments. All brand management is performed as extensions to the current zones structure.

Every zone is configured with an associated brand. The brand type is used to determine which scripts are executed when a zone is installed and booted. In addition, a zone's brand is used to properly identify the correct application type at application launch time. The default is the native brand.

A branded zone will support exactly one brand of non-native binary, which means that a branded zone provides a single operating environment. Once a zone has been assigned a brand, that brand cannot be changed or removed.

BrandZ extends the zones tools in the following ways:

- A brand is an attribute of a zone, set at zone create time.
- The `zonectl` tool (see [zonectl\(1M\)](#)) is used to set a zone's brand type and configure the zone.
- The `zoneadm` tool (see [zoneadm\(1M\)](#)) is used to report a zone's brand type and administer the zone.

**Brands** For Oracle Solaris 10, the available brands are:

- `native`  
See [native\(5\)](#).
- `lx`  
See [lx\(5\)](#).
- `solaris8`  
See [solaris8\(5\)](#) in the separate Oracle Solaris Legacy Containers product.
- `solaris9`  
See [solaris9\(5\)](#) in the separate Oracle Solaris Legacy Containers product.

**Device Support** The devices supported by each zone are documented in the man pages and other documentation for that brand. The zones infrastructure detects any attempt to add an unsupported device and issues a warning to the administrator. If the administrator chooses to add an unsupported device despite that warning, that device might or might not work as expected. The configuration will be untested and unsupported.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	SUNWzoneu
Interface Stability	Evolving

**See Also** [mdb\(1\)](#), [zlogin\(1\)](#), [zonename\(1\)](#), [dtrace\(1M\)](#), [in.rlogind\(1M\)](#), [sshd\(1M\)](#), [zoneadm\(1M\)](#), [zonecfg\(1M\)](#), [kill\(2\)](#), [priocntl\(2\)](#), [getzoneid\(3C\)](#), [ucrd\\_get\(3C\)](#), [getzoneid\(3C\)](#), [proc\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [lx\(5\)](#), [native\(5\)](#), [privileges\(5\)](#), [zones\(5\)](#), [lx\\_systrace\(7D\)](#), [crgetzoneid\(9F\)](#)

**Name** cancellation – overview of concepts related to POSIX thread cancellation

Description	FUNCTION	ACTION
	pthread_cancel()	Cancels thread execution.
	pthread_setcancelstate()	Sets the cancellation <i>state</i> of a thread.
	pthread_setcanceltype()	Sets the cancellation <i>type</i> of a thread.
	pthread_testcancel()	Creates a cancellation point in the calling thread.
	pthread_cleanup_push()	Pushes a cleanup handler routine.
	pthread_cleanup_pop()	Pops a cleanup handler routine.

Cancellation Thread cancellation allows a thread to terminate the execution of any application thread in the process. Cancellation is useful when further operations of one or more threads are undesirable or unnecessary.

An example of a situation that could benefit from using cancellation is an asynchronously-generated cancel condition such as a user requesting to close or exit some running operation. Another example is the completion of a task undertaken by a number of threads, such as solving a maze. While many threads search for the solution, one of the threads might solve the puzzle while the others continue to operate. Since they are serving no purpose at that point, they should all be canceled.

Planning Steps Planning and programming for most cancellations follow this pattern:

1. Identify which threads you want to cancel, and insert `pthread_cancel(3C)` statements.
2. Identify system-defined cancellation points where a thread that might be canceled could have changed system or program state that should be restored. See the Cancellation Points for a list.
3. When a thread changes the system or program state just before a cancellation point, and should restore that state before the thread is canceled, place a cleanup handler before the cancellation point with `pthread_cleanup_push(3C)`. Wherever a thread restores the changed state, pop the cleanup handler from the cleanup stack with `pthread_cleanup_pop(3C)`.
4. Know whether the threads you are canceling call into cancel-unsafe libraries, and disable cancellation with `pthread_setcancelstate(3C)` before the call into the library. See Cancellation State and Cancel-Safe.
5. To cancel a thread in a procedure that contains no cancellation points, insert your own cancellation points with `pthread_testcancel(3C)`. This function creates cancellation points by testing for pending cancellations and performing those cancellations if they are found. Push and pop cleanup handlers around the cancellation point, if necessary (see Step 3, above).

**Cancellation Points** The system defines certain points at which cancellation can occur (cancellation points), and you can create additional cancellation points in your application with `pthread_testcancel()`.

The following cancellation points are defined by the system (system-defined cancellation points): `creat(2)`, `aio_suspend(3RT)`, `close(2)`, `creat(2)`, `getmsg(2)`, `getpmsg(2)`, `lockf(3C)`, `mq_receive(3RT)`, `mq_send(3RT)`, `msgrcv(2)`, `msgsnd(2)`, `msync(3C)`, `nanosleep(3RT)`, `open(2)`, `pause(2)`, `poll(2)`, `pread(2)`, `pthread_cond_timedwait(3C)`, `pthread_cond_wait(3C)`, `pthread_join(3C)`, `pthread_testcancel(3C)`, `putmsg(2)`, `putpmsg(2)`, `pwrite(2)`, `read(2)`, `readv(2)`, `select(3C)`, `sem_wait(3RT)`, `sigpause(3C)`, `sigwaitinfo(3RT)`, `sigsuspend(2)`, `sigtimedwait(3RT)`, `sigwait(2)`, `sleep(3C)`, `sync(2)`, `system(3C)`, `tcdrain(3C)`, `usleep(3C)`, `wait(3C)`, `waitid(2)`, `wait3(3C)`, `waitpid(3C)`, `write(2)`, `writew(2)`, and `fcntl(2)`, when specifying `F_SETLKW` as the command.

When cancellation is asynchronous, cancellation can occur at any time (before, during, or after the execution of the function defined as the cancellation point). When cancellation is deferred (the default case), cancellation occurs only within the scope of a function defined as a cancellation point (after the function is called and before the function returns). See **Cancellation Type** for more information about deferred and asynchronous cancellation.

Choosing where to place cancellation points and understanding how cancellation affects your program depend upon your understanding of both your application and of cancellation mechanics.

Typically, any call that might require a long wait should be a cancellation point. Operations need to check for pending cancellation requests when the operation is about to block indefinitely. This includes threads waiting in `pthread_cond_wait()` and `pthread_cond_timedwait()`, threads waiting for the termination of another thread in `pthread_join()`, and threads blocked on `sigwait()`.

A mutex is explicitly not a cancellation point and should be held for only the minimal essential time.

Most of the dangers in performing cancellations deal with properly restoring invariants and freeing shared resources. For example, a carelessly canceled thread might leave a mutex in a locked state, leading to a deadlock. Or it might leave a region of memory allocated with no way to identify it and therefore no way to free it.

**Cleanup Handlers** When a thread is canceled, it should release resources and clean up the state that is shared with other threads. So, whenever a thread that might be canceled changes the state of the system or of the program, be sure to push a cleanup handler with `pthread_cleanup_push(3C)` before the cancellation point.

When a thread is canceled, all the currently-stacked cleanup handlers are executed in last-in-first-out (LIFO) order. Each handler is run in the scope in which it was pushed. When the last cleanup handler returns, the thread-specific data destructor functions are called. Thread execution terminates when the last destructor function returns.

When, in the normal course of the program, an uncanceled thread restores state that it had previously changed, be sure to pop the cleanup handler (that you had set up where the change took place) using `pthread_cleanup_pop(3C)`. That way, if the thread is canceled later, only currently-changed state will be restored by the handlers that are left in the stack.

The `pthread_cleanup_push()` and `pthread_cleanup_pop()` functions can be implemented as macros. The application must ensure that they appear as statements, and in pairs within the same lexical scope (that is, the `pthread_cleanup_push()` macro can be thought to expand to a token list whose first token is '{' with `pthread_cleanup_pop()` expanding to a token list whose last token is the corresponding '}').

The effect of the use of `return`, `break`, `continue`, and `goto` to prematurely leave a code block described by a pair of `pthread_cleanup_push()` and `pthread_cleanup_pop()` function calls is undefined.

**Cancellation State** Most programmers will use only the default cancellation state of `PTHREAD_CANCEL_ENABLE`, but can choose to change the state by using `pthread_setcancelstate(3C)`, which determines whether a thread is cancelable at all. With the default *state* of `PTHREAD_CANCEL_ENABLE`, cancellation is enabled and the thread is cancelable at points determined by its cancellation *type*. See Cancellation Type.

If the *state* is `PTHREAD_CANCEL_DISABLE`, cancellation is disabled, the thread is not cancelable at any point, and all cancellation requests to it are held pending.

You might want to disable cancellation before a call to a cancel-unsafe library, restoring the old cancel state when the call returns from the library. See `Cancel - Safe` for explanations of cancel safety.

**Cancellation Type** A thread's cancellation type is set with `pthread_setcanceltype(3C)`, and determines whether the thread can be canceled anywhere in its execution or only at cancellation points.

With the default *type* of `PTHREAD_CANCEL_DEFERRED`, the thread is cancelable only at cancellation points, and then only when cancellation is enabled.

If the *type* is `PTHREAD_CANCEL_ASYNCHRONOUS`, the thread is cancelable at any point in its execution (assuming, of course, that cancellation is enabled). Try to limit regions of asynchronous cancellation to sequences with no external dependencies that could result in dangling resources or unresolved state conditions. Using asynchronous cancellation is discouraged because of the danger involved in trying to guarantee correct cleanup handling at absolutely every point in the program.

Cancellation Type/State Table		
Type	State	
	Enabled (Default)	Disabled



Cancellation Type/State Table		
Deferred (Default)	Cancellation occurs when the target thread reaches a cancellation point and a cancel is pending. (Default)	All cancellation requests to the target thread are held pending.
Asynchronous	Receipt of a <code>pthread_cancel()</code> call causes immediate cancellation.	All cancellation requests to the target thread are held pending; as soon as cancellation is re-enabled, pending cancellations are executed immediately.

**Cancel-Safe** With the arrival of POSIX cancellation, the Cancel-Safe level has been added to the list of MT-Safety levels. See [attributes\(5\)](#). An application or library is Cancel-Safe whenever it has arranged for cleanup handlers to restore system or program state wherever cancellation can occur. The application or library is specifically Deferred-Cancel-Safe when it is Cancel-Safe for threads whose cancellation type is `PTHREAD_CANCEL_DEFERRED`. See [Cancellation State](#). It is specifically Asynchronous-Cancel-Safe when it is Cancel-Safe for threads whose cancellation type is `PTHREAD_CANCEL_ASYNCHRONOUS`.

It is easier to arrange for deferred cancel safety, as this requires system and program state protection only around cancellation points. In general, expect that most applications and libraries are not Asynchronous-Cancel-Safe.

**POSIX Threads Only** The cancellation functions described in this manual page are available for POSIX threads, only (the Solaris threads interfaces do not provide cancellation functions).

### Examples **EXAMPLE 1** Cancellation example

The following short C++ example shows the pushing/popping of cancellation handlers, the disabling/enabling of cancellation, the use of `pthread_testcancel()`, and so on. The `free_res()` cancellation handler in this example is a dummy function that simply prints a message, but that would free resources in a real application. The function `f2()` is called from the main thread, and goes deep into its call stack by calling itself recursively.

Before `f2()` starts running, the newly created thread has probably posted a cancellation on the main thread since the main thread calls `thr_yield()` right after creating `thread2`. Because cancellation was initially disabled in the main thread, through a call to `pthread_setcancelstate()`, the call to `f2()` from `main()` continues and constructs `X` at each recursive call, even though the main thread has a pending cancellation.

When `f2()` is called for the fifty-first time (when "`i == 50`"), `f2()` enables cancellation by calling `pthread_setcancelstate()`. It then establishes a cancellation point for itself by calling `pthread_testcancel()`. (Because a cancellation is pending, a call to a cancellation point such as [read\(2\)](#) or [write\(2\)](#) would also cancel the caller here.)

**EXAMPLE 1** Cancellation example      *(Continued)*

After the `main()` thread is canceled at the fifty-first iteration, all the cleanup handlers that were pushed are called in sequence; this is indicated by the calls to `free_res()` and the calls to the destructor for `X`. At each level, the C++ runtime calls the destructor for `X` and then the cancellation handler, `free_res()`. The print messages from `free_res()` and `X`'s destructor show the sequence of calls.

At the end, the main thread is joined by `thread2`. Because the main thread was canceled, its return status from `pthread_join()` is `PTHREAD_CANCELED`. After the status is printed, `thread2` returns, killing the process (since it is the last thread in the process).

```
#include <pthread.h>
#include <sched.h>
extern "C" void thr_yield(void);

extern "C" void printf(...);

struct X {
    int x;
    X(int i){x = i; printf("X(%d) constructed.\n", i);}
    ~X(){ printf("X(%d) destroyed.\n", x);}
};

void
free_res(void *i)
{
    printf("Freeing '%d'\n", i);
}

char* f2(int i)
{
    try {
        X dummy(i);
        pthread_cleanup_push(free_res, (void *)i);
        if (i == 50) {
            pthread_setcancelstate(PTHREAD_CANCEL_ENABLE, NULL);
            pthread_testcancel();
        }
        f2(i+1);
        pthread_cleanup_pop(0);
    }
    catch (int) {
        printf("Error: In handler.\n");
    }
    return "f2";
}
```

**EXAMPLE 1** Cancellation example *(Continued)*

```

void *
thread2(void *tid)
{
    void *sts;

    printf("I am new thread :%d\n", pthread_self());

    pthread_cancel((pthread_t)tid);

    pthread_join((pthread_t)tid, &sts);

    printf("main thread cancelled due to %d\n", sts);

    return (sts);
}

main()
{
    pthread_setcancelstate(PTHREAD_CANCEL_DISABLE, NULL);
    pthread_create(NULL, NULL, thread2, (void *)pthread_self());
    thr_yield();
    printf("Returned from %s\n", f2(0));
}

```

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTETYPE	ATTRIBUTEVALUE
MT-Level	MT-Safe

**See Also** [read\(2\)](#), [sigwait\(2\)](#), [write\(2\)](#), [Intro\(3\)](#), [condition\(5\)](#), [pthread\\_cleanup\\_pop\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_cleanup\\_push\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_exit\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_join\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_setcancelstate\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_setcanceltype\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_testcancel\(3C\)](#), [setjmp\(3C\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [standards\(5\)](#)

**Name** charmap – character set description file

**Description** A character set description file or *charmap* defines characteristics for a coded character set. Other information about the coded character set may also be in the file. Coded character set character values are defined using symbolic character names followed by character encoding values.

The character set description file provides:

- The capability to describe character set attributes (such as collation order or character classes) independent of character set encoding, and using only the characters in the portable character set. This makes it possible to create generic `localedef(1)` source files for all codesets that share the portable character set.
- Standardized symbolic names for all characters in the portable character set, making it possible to refer to any such character regardless of encoding.

**Symbolic Names** Each symbolic name is included in the file and is mapped to a unique encoding value (except for those symbolic names that are shown with identical glyphs). If the control characters commonly associated with the symbolic names in the following table are supported by the implementation, the symbolic names and their corresponding encoding values are included in the file. Some of the encodings associated with the symbolic names in this table may be the same as characters in the portable character set table.

<ACK>	<DC2>	<ENQ>	<FS>	<IS4>	<SOH>
<BEL>	<DC3>	<EOT>	<GS>	<LF>	<STX>
<BS>	<DC4>	<ESC>	<HT>	<NAK>	<SUB>
<CAN>	<DEL>	<ETB>	<IS1>	<RS>	<SYN>
<CR>	<DLE>	<ETX>	<IS2>	<SI>	<US>
<DC1>	<EM>	<FF>	<IS3>	<SO>	<VT>

**Declarations** The following declarations can precede the character definitions. Each must consist of the symbol shown in the following list, starting in column 1, including the surrounding brackets, followed by one or more blank characters, followed by the value to be assigned to the symbol.

- <code\_set\_name>     The name of the coded character set for which the character set description file is defined.
- <mb\_cur\_max>        The maximum number of bytes in a multi-byte character. This defaults to 1.
- <mb\_cur\_min>        An unsigned positive integer value that defines the minimum number of bytes in a character for the encoded character set.

<code>&lt;escape_char&gt;</code>	The escape character used to indicate that the characters following will be interpreted in a special way, as defined later in this section. This defaults to backslash ('\'), which is the character glyph used in all the following text and examples, unless otherwise noted.
<code>&lt;comment_char&gt;</code>	The character that when placed in column 1 of a charmap line, is used to indicate that the line is to be ignored. The default character is the number sign (#).

Format The character set mapping definitions will be all the lines immediately following an identifier line containing the string CHARMAP starting in column 1, and preceding a trailer line containing the string END CHARMAP starting in column 1. Empty lines and lines containing a `<comment_char>` in the first column will be ignored. Each non-comment line of the character set mapping definition, that is, between the CHARMAP and END CHARMAP lines of the file), must be in either of two forms:

```
"%s %s %s\n", <symbolic-name>, <encoding>, <comments>
```

or

```
"%s...%s %s %s\n", <symbolic-name>, <symbolic-name>, <encoding>, \
    <comments>
```

In the first format, the line in the character set mapping definition defines a single symbolic name and a corresponding encoding. A character following an escape character is interpreted as itself; for example, the sequence "`<\\>`" represents the symbolic name "`>`" enclosed between angle brackets.

In the second format, the line in the character set mapping definition defines a range of one or more symbolic names. In this form, the symbolic names must consist of zero or more non-numeric characters, followed by an integer formed by one or more decimal digits. The characters preceding the integer must be identical in the two symbolic names, and the integer formed by the digits in the second symbolic name must be equal to or greater than the integer formed by the digits in the first name. This is interpreted as a series of symbolic names formed from the common part and each of the integers between the first and the second integer, inclusive. As an example, `<j0101>...<j0104>` is interpreted as the symbolic names `<j0101>`, `<j0102>`, `<j0103>`, and `<j0104>`, in that order.

A character set mapping definition line must exist for all symbolic names and must define the coded character value that corresponds to the character glyph indicated in the table, or the coded character value that corresponds with the control character symbolic name. If the control characters commonly associated with the symbolic names are supported by the implementation, the symbolic name and the corresponding encoding value must be included in the file. Additional unique symbolic names may be included. A coded character value can be represented by more than one symbolic name.

The encoding part is expressed as one (for single-byte character values) or more concatenated decimal, octal or hexadecimal constants in the following formats:

`"%cd%d", <escape_char>, <decimal byte value>`

`"%cX%X", <escape_char>, <hexadecimal byte value>`

`"%c%0", <escape_char>, <octal byte value>`

**Decimal Constants** Decimal constants must be represented by two or three decimal digits, preceded by the escape character and the lower-case letter d; for example, `\d05`, `\d97`, or `\d143`. Hexadecimal constants must be represented by two hexadecimal digits, preceded by the escape character and the lower-case letter x; for example, `\x05`, `\x61`, or `\x8f`. Octal constants must be represented by two or three octal digits, preceded by the escape character; for example, `\05`, `\141`, or `\217`. In a portable charmap file, each constant must represent an 8-bit byte. Implementations supporting other byte sizes may allow constants to represent values larger than those that can be represented in 8-bit bytes, and to allow additional digits in constants. When constants are concatenated for multi-byte character values, they must be of the same type, and interpreted in byte order from first to last with the least significant byte of the multi-byte character specified by the last constant.

**Ranges of Symbolic Names** In lines defining ranges of symbolic names, the encoded value is the value for the first symbolic name in the range (the symbolic name preceding the ellipsis). Subsequent symbolic names defined by the range will have encoding values in increasing order. Bytes are treated as unsigned octets and carry is propagated between the bytes as necessary to represent the range. However, because this causes a null byte in the second or subsequent bytes of a character, such a declaration should not be specified. For example, the line

```
<j0101>...<j0104>      \d129\d254
```

is interpreted as:

```
<j0101>      \d129\d254
<j0102>      \d129\d255
<j0103>      \d130\d00
<j0104>      \d130\d01
```

The expanded declaration of the symbol `<j0103>` in the above example is an invalid specification, because it contains a null byte in the second byte of a character.

The comment is optional.

**Width Specification** The following declarations can follow the character set mapping definitions (after the “END CHARMAP” statement). Each consists of the keyword shown in the following list, starting in column 1, followed by the value(s) to be associated to the keyword, as defined below.

**WIDTH**                    A non-negative integer value defining the column width for the printable character in the coded character set mapping definitions. Coded

character set character values are defined using symbolic character names followed by column width values. Defining a character with more than one WIDTH produces undefined results. The END WIDTH keyword is used to terminate the WIDTH definitions. Specifying the width of a non-printable character in a WIDTH declaration produces undefined results.

**WIDTH\_DEFAULT** A non-negative integer value defining the default column width for any printable character not listed by one of the WIDTH keywords. If no WIDTH\_DEFAULT keyword is included in the charmap, the default character width is 1.

Example:

After the “END CHARMAP” statement, a syntax for a width definition would be:

```
WIDTH
<A>          1
<B>          1
<C>...<Z>    1
...
<fool>...<foon> 2
...
END WIDTH
```

In this example, the numerical code point values represented by the symbols <A> and <B> are assigned a width of 1. The code point values < C> to <Z> inclusive, that is, <C>, <D>, <E>, and so on, are also assigned a width of 1. Using <A> . . . <Z> would have required fewer lines, but the alternative was shown to demonstrate flexibility. The keyword WIDTH\_DEFAULT could have been added as appropriate.

**See Also** [locale\(1\)](#), [localedef\(1\)](#), [nl\\_langinfo\(3C\)](#), [extensions\(5\)](#), [locale\(5\)](#)

**Name** condition – concepts related to condition variables

**Description** Occasionally, a thread running within a mutex needs to wait for an event, in which case it blocks or sleeps. When a thread is waiting for another thread to communicate its disposition, it uses a condition variable in conjunction with a mutex. Although a mutex is exclusive and the code it protects is sharable (at certain moments), condition variables enable the synchronization of differing events that share a mutex, but not necessarily data. Several condition variables may be used by threads to signal each other when a task is complete, which then allows the next waiting thread to take ownership of the mutex.

A condition variable enables threads to atomically block and test the condition under the protection of a mutual exclusion lock (mutex) until the condition is satisfied. If the condition is false, a thread blocks on a condition variable and atomically releases the mutex that is waiting for the condition to change. If another thread changes the condition, it may wake up waiting threads by signaling the associated condition variable. The waiting threads, upon awakening, reacquire the mutex and re-evaluate the condition.

**Initialize** Condition variables and mutexes should be global. Condition variables that are allocated in writable memory can synchronize threads among processes if they are shared by the cooperating processes (see [mmap\(2\)](#)) and are initialized for this purpose.

The scope of a condition variable is either intra-process or inter-process. This is dependent upon whether the argument is passed implicitly or explicitly to the initialization of that condition variable. A condition variable does not need to be explicitly initialized. A condition variable is initialized with all zeros, by default, and its scope is set to within the calling process. For inter-process synchronization, a condition variable must be initialized once, and only once, before use.

A condition variable must not be simultaneously initialized by multiple threads or re-initialized while in use by other threads.

Condition variables attributes may be set to the default or customized at initialization. POSIX threads even allow the default values to be customized. Establishing these attributes varies depending upon whether POSIX or Solaris threads are used. Similar to the distinctions between POSIX and Solaris thread creation, POSIX condition variables implement the default, intra-process, unless an attribute object is modified for inter-process prior to the initialization of the condition variable. Solaris condition variables also implement as the default, intra-process; however, they set this attribute according to the argument, *type*, passed to their initialization function.

**Condition Wait** The condition wait interface allows a thread to wait for a condition and atomically release the associated mutex that it needs to hold to check the condition. The thread waits for another thread to make the condition true and that thread's resulting call to signal and wakeup the waiting thread.



**Condition Signaling** A condition signal allows a thread to unblock the next thread waiting on the condition variable, whereas, a condition broadcast allows a thread to unblock all threads waiting on the condition variable.

**Destroy** The condition destroy functions destroy any state, but not the space, associated with the condition variable.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
MT-Level	MT-Safe

**See Also** [fork\(2\)](#), [mmap\(2\)](#), [setitimer\(2\)](#), [shmop\(2\)](#), [cond\\_broadcast\(3C\)](#), [cond\\_destroy\(3C\)](#), [cond\\_init\(3C\)](#), [cond\\_signal\(3C\)](#), [cond\\_timedwait\(3C\)](#), [cond\\_wait\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_cond\\_broadcast\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_cond\\_destroy\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_cond\\_init\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_cond\\_signal\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_cond\\_timedwait\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_cond\\_wait\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_condattr\\_init\(3C\)](#), [signal\(3C\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [mutex\(5\)](#), [standards\(5\)](#)

**Notes** If more than one thread is blocked on a condition variable, the order in which threads are unblocked is determined by the scheduling policy.

USYNC\_THREAD does not support multiple mappings to the same logical synch object. If you need to `mmap( )` a synch object to different locations within the same address space, then the synch object should be initialized as a shared object USYNC\_PROCESS for Solaris, and PTHREAD\_PROCESS\_PRIVATE for POSIX.

**Name** crypt\_bsdbf – password hashing module using Blowfish cryptographic algorithm

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/\$ISA/crypt\_bsdbf.so

**Description** The crypt\_bsdbf module is a one-way password hashing module for use with [crypt\(3C\)](#) that uses the Blowfish cryptographic algorithm. The algorithm identifier for [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) and [policy.conf\(4\)](#) is 2a.

The maximum password length for crypt\_bsdbf is 72 characters.

The default number of rounds is  $\log(4)$ . This can be increased by updating `/etc/security/crypt.conf`, for example, for  $\log(12)$  rounds:

2a crypt\_bsdbf.so.1 12

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
MT-Level	Safe

**See Also** [passwd\(1\)](#), [crypt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_genhash\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [getpassphrase\(3C\)](#), [crypt.conf\(4\)](#), [passwd\(4\)](#), [policy.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Name** crypt\_bsdmd5 – password hashing module using MD5 message hash algorithm

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/\$ISA/crypt\_bsdmd5.so

**Description** The crypt\_bsdmd5 module is a one-way password hashing module for use with [crypt\(3C\)](#) that uses the MD5 message hash algorithm. The algorithm identifier for [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) and [policy.conf\(4\)](#) is 1. The output is compatible with md5crypt on BSD and Linux systems.

The maximum password length for crypt\_bsdmd5 is 255 characters.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
MT-Level	Safe

**See Also** [passwd\(1\)](#), [crypt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_genhash\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [getpassphrase\(3C\)](#), [crypt.conf\(4\)](#), [passwd\(4\)](#), [policy.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Name** crypt\_sha256 – password hashing module using SHA–256 message hash algorithm

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/\$ISA/crypt\_sha256.so

**Description** The crypt\_sha256 module is a one-way password hashing module for use with [crypt\(3C\)](#) that uses the SHA–256 message hash algorithm. The algorithm identifier for [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) and [policy.conf\(4\)](#) is 5.

This module is designed to make it difficult to crack passwords that use brute force attacks based on high speed SHA–256 implementations that use code inlining, unrolled loops, and table lookup.

The maximum password length for crypt\_sha256 is 255 characters.

The following options can be passed to the module by means of [crypt.conf\(4\)](#):

`rounds=<positive_number>`

Specifies the number of rounds of SHA-256 to use in generation of the salt; the default number of rounds is 5000. Negative values have no effect and are ignored. The minimum number of rounds cannot be below 1000.

The number of additional rounds is stored in the salt string returned by [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#). For example:

`$5,rounds=6000$n1xmTtpz$`

When [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#) is being used to generate a new salt, if the number of additional rounds configured in [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) is greater than that in the old salt, the value from [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) is used instead. This allows for migration to stronger (but more time-consuming) salts on password change.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Committed
MT-Level	Safe

**See Also** [passwd\(1\)](#), [crypt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_genhash\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [getpassphrase\(3C\)](#), [crypt.conf\(4\)](#), [passwd\(4\)](#), [policy.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Name** crypt\_sha512 – password hashing module using SHA-512 message hash algorithm

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/\$ISA/crypt\_sha512.so

**Description** The crypt\_sha512 module is a one-way password hashing module for use with [crypt\(3C\)](#) that uses the SHA-512 message hash algorithm. The algorithm identifier for [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) and [policy.conf\(4\)](#) is 6.

This module is designed to make it difficult to crack passwords that use brute force attacks based on high speed SHA-512 implementations that use code inlining, unrolled loops, and table lookup.

The maximum password length for crypt\_sha512 is 255 characters.

The following options can be passed to the module by means of [crypt.conf\(4\)](#):

rounds=<positive\_number>

Specifies the number of rounds of SHA-512 to use in generation of the salt; the default number of rounds is 5000. Negative values have no effect and are ignored. The minimum number of rounds cannot be below 1000.

The number of additional rounds is stored in the salt string returned by [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#). For example:

```
$6,rounds=6000$nlxmTtpz$
```

When [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#) is being used to generate a new salt, if the number of additional rounds configured in [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) is greater than that in the old salt, the value from [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) is used instead. This allows for migration to stronger (but more time-consuming) salts on password change.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Committed
MT-Level	Safe

**See Also** [passwd\(1\)](#), [crypt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_genhash\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [getpassphrase\(3C\)](#), [crypt.conf\(4\)](#), [passwd\(4\)](#), [policy.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Name** crypt\_sunmd5 – password hashing module using MD5 message hash algorithm

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/\$ISA/crypt\_sunmd5.so

**Description** The crypt\_sunmd5 module is a one-way password hashing module for use with [crypt\(3C\)](#) that uses the MD5 message hash algorithm. The algorithm identifier for [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) and [policy.conf\(4\)](#) is md5.

This module is designed to make it difficult to crack passwords that use brute force attacks based on high speed MD5 implementations that use code inlining, unrolled loops, and table lookup.

The maximum password length for crypt\_sunmd5 is 255 characters.

The following options can be passed to the module by means of [crypt.conf\(4\)](#):

`rounds=<positive_number>` Specifies the number of additional rounds of MD5 to use in generation of the salt; the default number of rounds is 4096. Negative values have no effect and are ignored, that is, the number of rounds cannot be lowered below 4096.

The number of additional rounds is stored in the salt string returned by [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#). For example:

`$md5,rounds=1000$n1xmTTpz$`

When [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#) is being used to generate a new salt, if the number of additional rounds configured in [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) is greater than that in the old salt, the value from [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) is used instead. This allows for migration to stronger (but more time-consuming) salts on password change.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
MT-Level	Safe

**See Also** [passwd\(1\)](#), [crypt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_genhash\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [getpassphrase\(3C\)](#), [crypt.conf\(4\)](#), [passwd\(4\)](#), [policy.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Name** crypt\_unix – traditional UNIX crypt algorithm

- Description** The crypt\_unix algorithm is the traditional UNIX crypt algorithm. It is not considered sufficiently secure for current systems and is provided for backwards compatibility. The [crypt\\_sunmd5\(5\)](#), [crypt\\_bsdmd5\(5\)](#), or [crypt\\_bsdbf\(5\)](#) algorithm should be used instead.
- The algorithm identifier for [policy.conf\(4\)](#) is `__unix__`. There is no entry in [crypt.conf\(4\)](#) for this algorithm.
- The crypt\_unix algorithm is internal to libc and provides the string encoding function used by [crypt\(3C\)](#) when the first character of the salt is not a "\$".
- This algorithm is based on a one-way encryption algorithm with variations intended (among other things) to frustrate use of hardware implementations of a key search. Only the first eight characters of the key passed to `crypt()` are used with this algorithm; the rest are silently ignored. The salt is a two-character string chosen from the set [a-zA-Z0-9./]. This string is used to perturb the hashing algorithm in one of 4096 different ways.
- The maximum password length for crypt\_unix is 8 characters.
- Usage** The return value of the crypt\_unix algorithm might not be portable among standard-conforming systems. See [standards\(5\)](#).
- Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
MT-Level	Safe

**See Also** [passwd\(1\)](#), [crypt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_genhash\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\(3C\)](#), [crypt\\_gensalt\\_impl\(3C\)](#), [getpassphrase\(3C\)](#), [crypt.conf\(4\)](#), [passwd\(4\)](#), [policy.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [crypt\\_bsdbf\(5\)](#), [crypt\\_bsdmd5\(5\)](#), [crypt\\_sunmd5\(5\)](#), [standards\(5\)](#)

**Name** device\_clean – device clean programs

**Description** Each allocatable device has a device clean program associated with it. Device clean programs are invoked by `deallocate(1)` to clean device states, registers, and any residual information in the device before the device is allocated to a user. Such cleaning is required by the object reuse policy.

Use `list_devices(1)` to obtain the names and types of allocatable devices as well as the cleaning program and the authorizations that are associated with each device.

On a system configured with Trusted Extensions, device clean programs are also invoked by `allocate(1)`, in which case the program can optionally mount appropriate media for the caller.

The following device clean programs reside in `/etc/security/lib`.

<code>audio_clean</code>	audio devices
<code>fd_clean</code>	floppy devices
<code>st_clean</code>	tape devices
<code>sr_clean</code>	CD-ROM devices

On a system configured with Trusted Extensions, the following additional cleaning programs and wrappers are available.

<code>disk_clean</code>	floppy, CD-ROM, and other removable media devices. This program mounts the device during the execution of <code>allocate</code> , if required.
<code>audio_clean_wrapper</code>	wrapper to make <code>audio_clean</code> work with CDE
<code>wdwrapper</code>	wrapper to make other cleaning programs work with CDE
<code>wdwmsg</code>	CDE dialog boxes for cleaning programs

Administrators can create device clean programs for their sites. These programs must adhere to the syntax described below.

```
/etc/security/lib/device-clean-program [-i | -f | -s | -I] \  
-m mode -u user-name -z zone-name -p zone-path device-name
```

where:

<i>device-name</i>	The name of the device that is to be cleaned. Use <code>list_devices</code> to obtain the list of allocatable devices.
<code>-i</code>	Invoke boot-time initialization.
<code>-f</code>	Force cleanup by the administrator.
<code>-s</code>	Invoke standard cleanup by the user.



-I Same as -i, with no error or warning.

The following options are supported only when the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

- m *mode* Specify the mode in which the clean program is invoked. Valid values are allocate and deallocate. The default mode is allocate.
- u *user-name* Specify the name of user who executes the device clean program. The default user is the caller.
- z *zone-name* Specify the name of the zone in which the device is to be allocated or deallocated. The default zone is the global zone.
- p *zone-path* Establish the root path of the zone that is specified by *zone-name*. Default is "/".

**Exit Status** The following exit values are returned:

- 0 Successful completion.
- 1 An error. Caller can place device in error state.
- 2 A system error. Caller can place device in error state.

On a system configured with Trusted Extensions, the following additional exit values are returned:

- 3 Mounting of device failed. Caller shall not place device in error state.
- 4 Mounting of device succeeded.

**Files** /etc/security/lib/\* device clean programs

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	SUNWcsu
Interface Stability	See below.

The Invocation is Uncommitted. The Output is Not-an-interface.

**See Also** [allocate\(1\)](#), [deallocate\(1\)](#), [list\\_devices\(1\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

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**Name** dhcp – Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol

**Description** Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) enables host systems in a TCP/IP network to be configured automatically for the network as they boot. DHCP uses a client/server mechanism: servers store configuration information for clients, and provide that information upon a client's request. The information can include the client's IP address and information about network services available to the client.

This manual page provides a brief summary of the Solaris DHCP implementation.

Solaris DHCP Client The Solaris DHCP client is implemented as background daemon, [dhcpcagent\(1M\)](#).

For IPv4, this daemon is started automatically during bootup if there exists at least one `dhcp.interface` file in `/etc`. Only interfaces with a corresponding `/etc/dhcp.interface` file are automatically configured during boot.

For IPv6, this daemon is started automatically when commanded by `in.ndpd` (based on IPv6 Routing Advertisement messages). No `/etc/dhcp.interface` file is necessary, but such a file can be used to specify an interface as “primary,” provided that IPv4 DHCP is also in use.

Network parameters needed for system configuration during bootup are extracted from the information received by the daemon through the use of the [dhcpinfo\(1\)](#) command. The daemon's default behavior can be altered by changing the tunables in the `/etc/default/dhcpcagent` file. The daemon is controlled by the [ifconfig\(1M\)](#) utility. Check the status of the daemon using the [netstat\(1M\)](#) and [ifconfig\(1M\)](#) commands.

Solaris DHCP Server The Solaris DHCP server is implemented as a background daemon, [in.dhcpd\(1M\)](#). This daemon can deliver network configuration information to either BOOTP or DHCP clients. The Solaris DHCP service can be managed using the [dhcpcmgr\(1M\)](#) GUI or the command line utilities [dhcpconfig\(1M\)](#), [dhtadm\(1M\)](#), and [pntadm\(1M\)](#).

DHCP Configuration Tables The Solaris DHCP server stores client configuration information in the following two types of tables:

dhcptab tables                      Contain macros and options (also known as symbols), used to construct a package of configuration information to send to each DHCP client. There exists only one dhcptab for the DHCP service. The [dhcptab\(4\)](#) can be viewed and modified using the [dhtadm\(1M\)](#) command or [dhcpcmgr\(1M\)](#) graphical utility. See [dhcptab\(4\)](#) for more information about the syntax of dhcptab records. See [dhcp\\_inittab\(4\)](#) for more information about the DHCP options and symbols.

DHCP network tables                DHCP network tables, which contain mappings of client IDs to IP addresses and parameters associated with those addresses. Network tables are named with the IP address of the network, and can be created, viewed, and modified using the `pntadm` command or

dhcpgmr graphical utility. See [dhcp\\_network\(4\)](#) for more information about network tables.

**See Also** [dhcpinfo\(1\)](#), [dhcpageant\(1M\)](#), [dhcpconfig\(1M\)](#), [dhcpgmr\(1M\)](#), [dhtadm\(1M\)](#), [ifconfig\(1M\)](#), [in.dhcpd\(1M\)](#), [in.ndpd\(1M\)](#), [netstat\(1M\)](#), [pntadm\(1M\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [dhcp\\_network\(4\)](#), [dhcptab\(4\)](#), [dhcpsvc.conf\(4\)](#), [dhcp\\_inittab\(4\)](#), [ndpd.conf\(4\)](#), [dhcp\\_modules\(5\)](#)

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<b>Name</b>	dhcp_modules – data storage modules for the DHCP service
<b>Description</b>	<p>This man page describes the characteristics of data storage modules (public modules) for use by the Solaris Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) service.</p> <p>Public modules are the part of the DHCP service architecture that encapsulate the details of storing DHCP service data in a data storage service. Examples of data storage services are NIS+, Oracle, and ufs file systems.</p> <p>Public modules are dynamic objects which can be shipped separately from the Solaris DHCP service. Once installed, a public module is visible to the DHCP service, and can be selected for use by the service through the DHCP service management interfaces (<a href="#">dhcpgmr(1M)</a>, <a href="#">dhcpconfig(1M)</a>, <a href="#">dhtadm(1M)</a>, and <a href="#">pntadm(1M)</a>).</p> <p>Public modules may be provided by Sun Microsystems, Inc or by third parties.</p> <p>The Solaris DHCP service management architecture provides a mechanism for plugging in public module-specific administration functionality into the <a href="#">dhcpgmr(1M)</a> and <a href="#">dhcpconfig(1M)</a> utilities. This functionality is in the form of a Java Bean, which is provided by the public module vendor. This Java Bean collects public module-specific configuration from the user (you) and provides it to the Solaris DHCP service.</p> <p>The Solaris DHCP service bundles three modules with the service, which are described below. There are three <a href="#">dhcpsvc.conf(4)</a> DHCP service configuration parameters pertaining to public modules: RESOURCE, PATH, and RESOURCE_CONFIG. See <a href="#">dhcpsvc.conf(4)</a> for more information about these parameters.</p>
SUNWfiles	<p>This module stores its data in ASCII files. Although the format is ASCII, hand-editing is discouraged. It is useful for DHCP service environments that support several hundred to a couple thousand of clients and lease times are a few hours or more.</p> <p>This module's data may be shared between DHCP servers through the use of NFS.</p>
SUNWbinfiles	<p>This module stores its data in binary files. It is useful for DHCP service environments with many networks and many thousands of clients. This module provides an order of magnitude increase in performance and capacity over SUNWfiles.</p> <p>This module's data cannot be shared between DHCP servers.</p>
SUNWnisplus	<p>This module stores its data within a NIS+ domain. It is useful in environments where NIS+ is already deployed and facilitates sharing among multiple DHCP servers. This module supports several hundred to a few thousand clients with lease times of several hours or more.</p> <p>The NIS+ service should be hosted on a machine with ample CPU power, memory, and disk space, as the load on NIS+ is significant when it is used to store DHCP data. Periodic</p>

checkpointing of the NIS+ service is necessary in order to roll the transaction logs and keep the NIS+ service operating at its highest efficiency. See [nisping\(1M\)](#) and [crontab\(1\)](#) for more information.

**See Also** [crontab\(1\)](#), [dhcpconfig\(1M\)](#), [dhcpmgr\(1M\)](#), [dhtadm\(1M\)](#), [nisping\(1M\)](#), [pntadm\(1M\)](#), [dhcpsvc.conf\(4\)](#), [dhcp\(5\)](#)

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**Name** environ – user environment

**Description** When a process begins execution, one of the `exec` family of functions makes available an array of strings called the environment; see [exec\(2\)](#). By convention, these strings have the form *variable=value*, for example, `PATH=/sbin:/usr/sbin`. These environmental variables provide a way to make information about a program's environment available to programs.

A name may be placed in the environment by the `export` command and *name=value* arguments in [sh\(1\)](#), or by one of the `exec` functions. It is unwise to conflict with certain shell variables such as `MAIL`, `PS1`, `PS2`, and `IFS` that are frequently exported by `.profile` files; see [profile\(4\)](#).

The following environmental variables can be used by applications and are expected to be set in the target run-time environment.

#### HOME

The name of the user's login directory, set by [login\(1\)](#) from the password file; see [passwd\(4\)](#).

#### LANG

The string used to specify internationalization information that allows users to work with different national conventions. The [setlocale\(3C\)](#) function checks the `LANG` environment variable when it is called with `""` as the `locale` argument. `LANG` is used as the default locale if the corresponding environment variable for a particular category is unset or null. If, however, `LC_ALL` is set to a valid, non-empty value, its contents are used to override both the `LANG` and the other `LC_*` variables. For example, when invoked as `setlocale(LC_CTYPE, "")`, `setlocale()` will query the `LC_CTYPE` environment variable first to see if it is set and non-null. If `LC_CTYPE` is not set or null, then `setlocale()` will check the `LANG` environment variable to see if it is set and non-null. If both `LANG` and `LC_CTYPE` are unset or `NULL`, the default "C" locale will be used to set the `LC_CTYPE` category.

Most commands will invoke `setlocale(LC_ALL, "")` prior to any other processing. This allows the command to be used with different national conventions by setting the appropriate environment variables.

The following environment variables correspond to each category of [setlocale\(3C\)](#):

#### LC\_ALL

If set to a valid, non-empty string value, override the values of `LANG` and all the other `LC_*` variables.

#### LC\_COLLATE

This category specifies the character collation sequence being used. The information corresponding to this category is stored in a database created by the [localed\(1\)](#) command. This environment variable affects [strcoll\(3C\)](#) and [strxfrm\(3C\)](#).

**LC\_CTYPE**

This category specifies character classification, character conversion, and widths of multibyte characters. When `LC_CTYPE` is set to a valid value, the calling utility can display and handle text and file names containing valid characters for that locale; Extended Unix Code (EUC) characters where any individual character can be 1, 2, or 3 bytes wide; and EUC characters of 1, 2, or 3 column widths. The default "C" locale corresponds to the 7-bit ASCII character set; only characters from ISO 8859-1 are valid. The information corresponding to this category is stored in a database created by the `localedef()` command. This environment variable is used by `ctype(3C)`, `mblen(3C)`, and many commands, such as `cat(1)`, `ed(1)`, `ls(1)`, and `vi(1)`.

**LC\_MESSAGES**

This category specifies the language of the message database being used. For example, an application may have one message database with French messages, and another database with German messages. Message databases are created by the `mkmsgs(1)` command. This environment variable is used by `exstr(1)`, `gettext(1)`, `srchtxt(1)`, `gettext(3C)`, and `gettext(3C)`.

**LC\_MONETARY**

This category specifies the monetary symbols and delimiters used for a particular locale. The information corresponding to this category is stored in a database created by the `localedef(1)` command. This environment variable is used by `localeconv(3C)`.

**LC\_NUMERIC**

This category specifies the decimal and thousands delimiters. The information corresponding to this category is stored in a database created by the `localedef()` command. The default C locale corresponds to "." as the decimal delimiter and no thousands delimiter. This environment variable is used by `localeconv(3C)`, `printf(3C)`, and `strtod(3C)`.

**LC\_TIME**

This category specifies date and time formats. The information corresponding to this category is stored in a database specified in `localedef()`. The default C locale corresponds to U.S. date and time formats. This environment variable is used by many commands and functions; for example: `at(1)`, `calendar(1)`, `date(1)`, `strftime(3C)`, and `getdate(3C)`.

**MSGVERB**

Controls which standard format message components `fmtmsg` selects when messages are displayed to `stderr`; see `fmtmsg(1)` and `fmtmsg(3C)`.

**NETPATH**

A colon-separated list of network identifiers. A network identifier is a character string used by the Network Selection component of the system to provide application-specific default network search paths. A network identifier must consist of non-null characters and must have a length of at least 1. No maximum length is specified. Network identifiers are normally chosen by the system administrator. A network identifier is also the first field in



any `/etc/netconfig` file entry. `NETPATH` thus provides a link into the `/etc/netconfig` file and the information about a network contained in that network's entry. `/etc/netconfig` is maintained by the system administrator. The library routines described in [getnetpath\(3NSL\)](#) access the `NETPATH` environment variable.

#### NLSPATH

Contains a sequence of templates which [catopen\(3C\)](#) and [gettext\(3C\)](#) use when attempting to locate message catalogs. Each template consists of an optional prefix, one or more substitution fields, a filename and an optional suffix. For example:

```
NLSPATH="/system/nlslib/%N.cat"
```

defines that `catopen()` should look for all message catalogs in the directory `/system/nlslib`, where the catalog name should be constructed from the *name* parameter passed to `catopen()`, `%N`, with the suffix `.cat`.

Substitution fields consist of a `%` symbol, followed by a single-letter keyword. The following keywords are currently defined:

`%N`

The value of the *name* parameter passed to `catopen()`.

`%L`

The value of `LANG` or `LC_MESSAGES`.

`%l`

The language element from `LANG` or `LC_MESSAGES`.

`%t`

The territory element from `LANG` or `LC_MESSAGES`.

`%c`

The codeset element from `LANG` or `LC_MESSAGES`.

`%%`

A single `%` character.

An empty string is substituted if the specified value is not currently defined. The separators `"_"` and `"."` are not included in `%t` and `%c` substitutions.

Templates defined in `NLSPATH` are separated by colons (`:`). A leading colon or two adjacent colons (`::`) is equivalent to specifying `%N`. For example:

```
NLSPATH="%N.cat:/nlslib/%L/%N.cat"
```

indicates to `catopen()` that it should look for the requested message catalog in *name*, *name.cat* and `/nlslib/$LANG/name.cat`. For `gettext()`, `%N` automatically maps to "messages".

If `NLSPATH` is unset or `NULL`, `catopen()` and `gettext()` call [setlocale\(3C\)](#), which checks `LANG` and the `LC_*` variables to locate the message catalogs.

NLSPATH will normally be set up on a system wide basis (in `/etc/profile`) and thus makes the location and naming conventions associated with message catalogs transparent to both programs and users.

#### PATH

The sequence of directory prefixes that `sh(1)`, `time(1)`, `nice(1)`, `nohup(1)`, and other utilities apply in searching for a file known by an incomplete path name. The prefixes are separated by colons (:). `login(1)` sets `PATH=/usr/bin`. For more detail, see `sh(1)`.

#### SEV\_LEVEL

Define severity levels and associate and print strings with them in standard format error messages; see `addseverity(3C)`, `fmtmsg(1)`, and `fmtmsg(3C)`.

#### TERM

The kind of terminal for which output is to be prepared. This information is used by commands, such as `vi(1)`, which may exploit special capabilities of that terminal.

#### TZ

Timezone information. The contents of this environment variable are used by the functions `ctime(3C)`, `localtime(3C)`, `strftime(3C)`, and `mktime(3C)` to override the default timezone. The value of TZ has one of the two formats (spaces inserted for clarity):

:characters

or

std offset dst offset, rule

If TZ is of the first format (that is, if the first character is a colon (:)), or if TZ is not of the second format, then TZ designates a path to a timezone database file relative to `/usr/share/lib/zoneinfo/`, ignoring a leading colon if one exists.

Otherwise, TZ is of the second form, which when expanded is as follows:

```
stdoffset[dst[offset][,start[/time],end[/time]]]
```

#### *std* and *dst*

Indicate no less than three, nor more than `{TZNAME_MAX}`, bytes that are the designation for the standard (*std*) or the alternative (*dst*, such as Daylight Savings Time) timezone. Only *std* is required; if *dst* is missing, then the alternative time does not apply in this timezone. Each of these fields can occur in either of two formats, quoted or unquoted:

- In the quoted form, the first character is the less-than ('<') character and the last character is the greater-than ('>') character. All characters between these quoting characters are alphanumeric characters from the portable character set in the current locale, the plus-sign ('+') character, or the minus-sign ('-') character. The *std* and *dst* fields in this case do not include the quoting characters.
- In the unquoted form, all characters in these fields are alphabetic characters from the portable character set in the current locale.

The interpretation of these fields is unspecified if either field is less than three bytes (except for the case when *dst* is missing), more than {TZNAME\_MAX} bytes, or if they contain characters other than those specified.

### *offset*

Indicate the value one must add to the local time to arrive at Coordinated Universal Time. The offset has the form:

*hh[:mm[:ss]]*

The minutes (*mm*) and seconds (*ss*) are optional. The hour (*hh*) is required and can be a single digit. The *offset* following *std* is required. If no *offset* follows *dst*, daylight savings time is assumed to be one hour ahead of standard time. One or more digits can be used. The value is always interpreted as a decimal number. The hour must be between 0 and 24, and the minutes (and seconds), if present, must be between 0 and 59. Out of range values can cause unpredictable behavior. If preceded by a “-”, the timezone is east of the Prime Meridian. Otherwise, it is west of the Prime Meridian (which can be indicated by an optional preceding “+” sign).

### *start/time, end/time*

Indicate when to change to and back from daylight savings time, where *start/time* describes when the change from standard time to daylight savings time occurs, and *end/time* describes when the change back occurs. Each *time* field describes when, in current local time, the change is made.

The formats of *start* and *end* are one of the following:

#### *Jn*

The Julian day *n* ( $1 \leq n \leq 365$ ). Leap days are not counted. That is, in all years, February 28 is day 59 and March 1 is day 60. It is impossible to refer to the occasional February 29.

#### *n*

The zero-based Julian day ( $0 \leq n \leq 365$ ). Leap days are counted, and it is possible to refer to February 29.

#### *Mm.n.d*

The  $d^{\text{th}}$  day, ( $0 \leq d \leq 6$ ) of week *n* of month *m* of the year ( $1 \leq n \leq 5$ ,  $1 \leq m \leq 12$ ), where week 5 means “the last *d*-day in month *m*” which may occur in either the fourth or the fifth week). Week 1 is the first week in which the  $d^{\text{th}}$  day occurs. Day zero is Sunday.

Implementation specific defaults are used for *start* and *end* if these optional fields are not specified.

The *time* has the same format as *offset* except that no leading sign (“-” or “+”) is allowed. If *time* is not specified, the default value is 02:00:00.

**See Also** `cat(1)`, `date(1)`, `ed(1)`, `fmtmsg(1)`, `localedef(1)`, `login(1)`, `ls(1)`, `mkmsgs(1)`, `nice(1)`, `nohup(1)`, `sh(1)`, `sort(1)`, `time(1)`, `vi(1)`, `exec(2)`, `addseverity(3C)`, `catopen(3C)`, `ctime(3C)`, `ctype(3C)`, `fmtmsg(3C)`, `getdate(3C)`, `getnetpath(3NSL)`, `gettext(3C)`, `gettxt(3C)`, `localeconv(3C)`, `mblen(3C)`, `mktime(3C)`, `printf(3C)`, `setlocale(3C)`, `strcoll(3C)`, `strftime(3C)`, `strtod(3C)`, `strxfrm(3C)`, `TIMEZONE(4)`, `netconfig(4)`, `passwd(4)`, `profile(4)`

**Name** eqnchar – special character definitions for eqn

**Synopsis** eqn /usr/share/lib/pub/eqnchar *filename* | troff *options*

neqn /usr/share/lib/pub/eqnchar *filename* | troff *options*

**Description** The eqnchar command contains [nroff\(1\)](#) and [troff\(1\)](#) character definitions for constructing characters that are not available on the Graphic Systems typesetter. These definitions are primarily intended for use with [eqn\(1\)](#) and [neqn\(1\)](#). It contains definitions for the characters listed in the following table.

<i>ciplus</i>	$\oplus$	$  $	$\parallel$	<i>square</i>	$\square$
<i>citimes</i>	$\otimes$	<i>langle</i>	$\langle$	<i>circle</i>	$\bigcirc$
<i>wig</i>	$\sim$	<i>rangle</i>	$\rangle$	<i>blot</i>	$\blacksquare$
<i>-wig</i>	$\approx$	<i>hbar</i>	$\hbar$	<i>bullet</i>	$\bullet$
<i>&gt;wig</i>	$\gtrsim$	<i>ppd</i>	$\perp$	<i>prop</i>	$\propto$
<i>&lt;wig</i>	$\lesssim$	<i>&lt;-&gt;</i>	$\leftrightarrow$	<i>empty</i>	$\emptyset$
<i>=wig</i>	$\doteq$	<i>&lt;=&gt;</i>	$\Leftrightarrow$	<i>member</i>	$\in$
<i>star</i>	$*$	<i> &lt;</i>	$\lt$	<i>nomem</i>	$\notin$
<i>bigstar</i>	$\ast$	<i> &gt;</i>	$\gt$	<i>cup</i>	$\cup$
<i>=dot</i>	$\dot{=}$	<i>ang</i>	$\angle$	<i>cap</i>	$\cap$
<i>orsign</i>	$\vee$	<i>rang</i>	$\sphericalangle$	<i>incl</i>	$\subseteq$
<i>andsign</i>	$\wedge$	<i>3dot</i>	$\vdots$	<i>subset</i>	$\subset$
<i>=del</i>	$\Delta$	<i>thf</i>	$\therefore$	<i>supset</i>	$\supset$
<i>oppA</i>	$\nabla$	<i>quarter</i>	$\frac{1}{4}$	<i>!subset</i>	$\subsetneq$
<i>oppE</i>	$\equiv$	<i>3quarter</i>	$\frac{3}{4}$	<i>!supset</i>	$\supsetneq$
<i>angstrom</i>	$\text{\AA}$	<i>degree</i>	$^{\circ}$		

**Files** /usr/share/lib/pub/eqnchar

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	SUNWdoc

**See Also** [eqn\(1\)](#), [nroff\(1\)](#), [troff\(1\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Name** extendedFILE – enable extended FILE facility usage

**Synopsis** `$ ulimit -n N_file_descriptors`  
`$ LD_PRELOAD_32=/usr/lib/extendedFILE.so.1 application [arg...]`

**Description** The extendedFILE.so.1 is not a library but an enabler of the extended FILE facility.

The extended FILE facility allows 32-bit processes to use any valid file descriptor with the standard I/O (see [stdio\(3C\)](#)) C library functions. Historically, 32-bit applications have been limited to using the first 256 numerical file descriptors for use with standard I/O streams. By using the extended FILE facility this limitation is lifted. Any valid file descriptor can be used with standard I/O. See the NOTES section of [enable\\_extended\\_FILE\\_stdio\(3C\)](#).

The extended FILE facility is enabled from the shell level before an application is launched. The file descriptor limit must also be raised. The syntax for raising the file descriptor limit is

```
$ ulimit -n max_file_descriptors
$ LD_PRELOAD_32=/usr/lib/extendedFILE.so.1 application [arg...]
```

where *max\_file\_descriptors* is the maximum number of file descriptors desired. See [limit\(1\)](#). The maximum value is the same as the maximum value for [open\(2\)](#).

**Environment Variables** The following environment variables control the behavior of the extended FILE facility.

<code>_STDIO_BADFD</code>	This variable takes an integer representing the lowest file descriptor, which will be made unallocatable. This action provides a protection mechanism so that applications that abuse interfaces do not experience silent data corruption. The value must be between 3 and 255 inclusive.
<code>_STDIO_BADFD_SIGNAL</code>	This variable takes an integer or string representing any valid signal. See <a href="#">signal.h(3HEAD)</a> for valid values or strings. This environment variable causes the specified signal to be sent to the application if certain exceptional cases are detected during the use of this facility. The default signal is SIGABRT.

**Examples** **EXAMPLE 1** Limit the number of file descriptors and FILE standard I/O structures.

The following example limits the number of file descriptors and FILE standard I/O structures to 1000.

```
$ ulimit -n 1000
$ LD_PRELOAD_32=/usr/lib/extendedFILE.so.1 application [arg...]
```

**EXAMPLE 2** Enable the extended FILE facility.

The following example enables the extended FILE facility. See [enable\\_extended\\_FILE\\_stdio\(3C\)](#) for more examples.

**EXAMPLE 2** Enable the extended FILE facility. (Continued)

```
$ ulimit -n 1000
$ _STDIO_BADFD=100 _STDIO_BADFD_SIGNAL=SIGABRT \
  LD_PRELOAD_32=/usr/lib/extendedFILE.so.1 \
  application [arg ...]
```

**EXAMPLE 3** Set up the extended FILE environment and start the application.

The following shell script first sets up the proper extended FILE environment and then starts the application:

```
#!/bin/sh
if [ $# = 0 ]; then
    echo "usage: $0 application [arguments...]"
    exit 1
fi
ulimit -n 1000
# _STDIO_BADFD=196; export _STDIO_BADFD
# _STDIO_BADFD_SIGNAL=SIGABRT; export _STDIO_BADFD_SIGNAL
LD_PRELOAD_32=/usr/lib/extendedFILE.so.1; export LD_PRELOAD_32
"$@"
```

**Files** /usr/lib/extendedFILE.so.1    enabling library

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	SUNWcsl (32-bit)
Interface Stability	Stable
MT-Level	Safe

**See Also** [limit\(1\)](#), [open\(2\)](#), [enable\\_extended\\_FILE\\_stdio\(3C\)](#), [fdopen\(3C\)](#), [fopen\(3C\)](#), [popen\(3C\)](#), [signal.h\(3HEAD\)](#), [stdio\(3C\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Warnings** The following displayed message

```
Application violated extended FILE safety mechanism.
Please read the man page for extendedFILE.
Aborting
```

is an indication that your application is modifying the internal file descriptor field of the FILE structure from standard I/O. Continued use of this extended FILE facility could harm your data. Do not use the extended FILE facility with your application.

**Name** extensions – localedef extensions description file

**Description** A localedef extensions description file or *extensions* file defines various extensions for the [localedef\(1\)](#) command.

The localedef extensions description file provides:

- EUC code set width information via the `cswidth` keyword: `cswidth bc1 : sw1, bc2 : sw2, bc3 : sw3` where `bc1`, `bc2`, and `bc3` indicate the number of bytes (byte count) per character for EUC codesets 1, 2, and 3, respectively. `sw1`, `sw2`, and `sw3` indicate screen width for EUC codesets 1, 2, and 3, respectively.
- Other extensions which will be documented in a future release.

**See Also** [locale\(1\)](#), [localedef\(1\)](#), [environ\(5\)](#), [locale\(5\)](#)



**Name** filesystem – file system organization

**Synopsis** /

/usr

**Description** The file system tree is organized for administrative convenience. Distinct areas within the file system tree are provided for files that are private to one machine, files that can be shared by multiple machines of a common platform, files that can be shared by all machines, and home directories. This organization allows sharable files to be stored on one machine but accessed by many machines using a remote file access mechanism such as NFS. Grouping together similar files makes the file system tree easier to upgrade and manage.

The file system tree consists of a root file system and a collection of mountable file systems. The `mount(2)` program attaches mountable file systems to the file system tree at mount points (directory entries) in the root file system or other previously mounted file systems. Two file systems, / (the root) and /usr, must be mounted and /var must be accessible to have a functional system. The root file system is mounted automatically by the kernel at boot time; the /usr file system is mounted by the system start-up script, which is run as part of the booting process. /var can be mounted as its own file system or be part of /usr, as it is by default.

Certain locations, noted below, are approved installation locations for bundled Foundation Solaris software. In some cases, the approved locations for bundled software are also approved locations for add-on system software or for applications. The following descriptions make clear where the two locations differ. For example, /etc is the installation location for platform-dependent configuration files that are bundled with Solaris software. The analogous location for applications is /etc/opt/*packagename*.

In the following descriptions, *subsystem* is a category of application or system software, such as a window system (dt) or a language (java1.2)

The following descriptions make use of the terms *platform*, *platform-dependent*, *platform-independent*, and *platform-specific*. Platform refers to a machine's Instruction Set Architecture or processor type, such as is returned by `uname -i`. *Platform-dependent* refers to a file that is installed on all platforms and whose contents vary depending on the platform. Like a platform-dependent file, a *platform-independent* file is installed on all platforms. However, the contents of the latter type remains the same on all platforms. An example of a platform-dependent file is a compiled, executable program. An example of a platform-independent file is a standard configuration file, such as /etc/hosts. Unlike a platform-dependent or a platform-independent file, the *platform-specific* file is installed only on a subset of supported platforms. Most platform-specific files are gathered under /platform and /usr/platform.

In the following file or directory descriptions, GNOME stands for GNU Network Object Model Environment. The GNOME Desktop is shipped with the Solaris operating system.

Root File System The root file system contains files that are unique to each machine. It contains the following directories:

/

Root of the overall file system name space.

/dev

Primary location for special files. Typically, device files are built to match the kernel and hardware configuration of the machine.

/dev/cfg

Symbolic links to physical ap\_ids.

/dev/cpu

Provides configuration and capability information about the processor type

/dev/cua

Device files for uucp.

/dev/dsk

Block disk devices.

/dev/dtrace

Pseudo-devices used by the DTrace framework.

/dev/dtrace/provider

Pseudo-device drivers representing instrumentation providers for the DTrace framework.

/dev/fbs

Frame buffer device files.

/dev/fd

File descriptors.

/dev/md

Logical volume management meta-disk devices.

/dev/printers

USB printer device files.

/dev/pts

Pseudo-terminal devices.

/dev/rdisk

Raw disk devices.

/dev/rmt

Raw tape devices.

/dev/sad

Entry points for the STREAMS Administrative driver.

`/dev/sound`  
Audio device and audio device control files.

`/dev/swap`  
Default swap device.

`/dev/term`  
Terminal devices.

`/devices`  
Physical device files.

`/etc`  
Platform-dependent administrative and configuration files and databases that are not shared among systems. `/etc` may be viewed as the directory that defines the machine's identity. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/etc/opt/packagename`.

`/etc/X11`  
Xorg Xserver (X11) configuration files.

`/etc/acct`  
Accounting system configuration information.

`/etc/apache`  
Apache configuration files.

`/etc/apoc`  
Files for configuring Sun Java Desktop System Configuration Manager remote access.

`/etc/bonobo-activation`  
GNOME XML configuration file for identifying CORBA servers.

`/etc/cron.d`  
Configuration information for [cron\(1M\)](#).

`/etc/dat`  
Contains a list of interface adapters supported by uDAPL service providers.

`/etc/default`  
Defaults information for various programs.

`/etc/devices`  
Contains device-related data.

`/etc/dfs`  
Configuration information for shared file systems.

`/etc/dhcp`  
Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) configuration files.

`/etc/dmi`  
Solstice Enterprise Agents configuration files.

`/etc/dt`

Desktop configuration files.

`/etc/flash`

Solaris Flash Archive configuration files.

`/etc/fm`

Fault manager configuration files. For more information, see [fmd\(1M\)](#).

`/etc/fonts`

Font configuration information.

`/etc/fs`

Binaries organized by file system types for operations required before `/usr` is mounted.

`/etc/ftpd`

ftpd configuration files.

`/etc/gconf`

GConf system configuration (including system defaults and system mandatory settings)

`/etc/gimp`

GNU Image Manipulation Program (GIMP) configuration files.

`/etc/gnome`

GNOME Desktop configuration files.

`/etc/gnome-vfs-2.0`

Files for customizing GNOME 2.0 desktop menus.

`/etc/gnopernicus-1.0`

Configuration files for GNOME's Gnopernicus, an Assistive Technology (AT) screen reader.

`/etc/gss`

Generic Security Service (GSS) Application Program Interface configuration files.

`/etc/gtk`

GTK+ configuration files.

`/etc/gtk-2.0`

GTK+ Pixbuf loaders and Input Method modules

`/etc/imq`

Sun Java System Message Queue security configuration files.

`/etc/inet`

Configuration files for Internet services.

`/etc/init.d`

Shell scripts for transitioning between run levels.

`/etc/krb5`  
Kerberos configuration files.

`/etc/lib`  
Shared libraries needed during booting.

`/etc/lld2`  
Logical link control (lld2) driver configuration files.

`/etc/lp`  
Configuration information for the printer subsystem.

`/etc/lu`  
Solaris Live Upgrade configuration files.

`/etc/lvm`  
Solaris Logical Volume Manager configuration files.

`/etc/mail`  
Mail subsystem configuration.

`/etc/nca`  
Solaris Network Cache and Accelerator (NCA) configuration files.

`/etc/net`  
Configuration information for transport independent network services.

`/etc/nfs`  
NFS server logging configuration file.

`/etc/opt`  
Configuration information for optional packages.

`/etc/pango`  
Pango configuration and module information

`/etc/patch`  
Configuration files for patch management.

`/etc/ppp`  
Solaris PPP configuration files.

`/etc/rc0.d`  
Scripts for entering or leaving run level 0. See [init\(1M\)](#).

`/etc/rc1.d`  
Scripts for entering or leaving run level 1. See [init\(1M\)](#).

`/etc/rc2.d`  
Scripts for entering or leaving run level 2. See [init\(1M\)](#).

`/etc/rc3.d`  
Scripts for entering or leaving run level 3. See [init\(1M\)](#).

`/etc/rcS.d`

Scripts for bringing the system up in single user mode.

`/etc/rcm`

Directory for reconfiguration manager (RCM) custom scripts.

`/etc/rpcsec`

This directory might contain an NIS+ authentication configuration file.

`/etc/saf`

Service Access Facility files.

`/etc/sasl`

Simple Authentication and Security Layer (SASL) server configuration files.

`/etc/security`

Basic Security Module (BSM) configuration files.

`/etc/sfw`

Platform-dependent administrative, configuration files and databases for subsystems from `/usr/sfw` that are not shared among systems.

`/etc/sfw/samba`

Samba configuration files.

`/etc/skel`

Default profile scripts for new user accounts. See [useradd\(1M\)](#).

`/etc/sma`

Systems Management Agent (SMA) configuration files.

`/etc/smartcard`

Solaris Smart Card configuration files.

`/etc/snmp`

Solstice Enterprise Agents configuration files.

`/etc/sound`

Sound Events configuration files.

`/etc/ssh`

Secure Shell configuration files. See [ssh\(1\)](#)

`/etc/svc`

SMF service repository.

`/etc/sysevent`

syseventd configuration files.

`/etc/subsystem`

Platform-dependent *subsystem* configuration files that are not shared among systems. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/etc/opt/packageName`.

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`/etc/tm`  
Trademark files; contents displayed at boot time.

`/etc/usb`  
USB configuration information.

`/etc/uucp`  
UUCP configuration information. See [uucp\(1C\)](#).

`/etc/xml`  
Extensible Markup Language (XML) catalog.

`/etc/zones`  
Solaris Zones configuration files.

`/export`  
Default root of the shared file system tree.

`/home`  
Default root of a subtree for user directories.

`/kernel`  
Subtree of platform-dependent loadable kernel modules required as part of the boot process. It includes the generic part of the core kernel that is platform-independent, `/kernel/genunix`. See [kernel\(1M\)](#) An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software.

`/kernel/drv`  
32-bit x86 device drivers.

`/kernel/drv/sparcv9`  
64-bit SPARC device drivers.

`/kernel/drv/amd64`  
64-bit device drivers for 64-bit x86 platforms.

`/kernel/dtrace`  
Kernel modules representing components in the DTrace framework.

`/kernel/genunix`  
Platform-independent kernel.

`/kernel/amd64/genunix`  
64-bit, platform-independent kernel.

`/kernel/subsystem/amd64`  
64-bit x86 platform-dependent modules required for boot. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software.

`/kernel/subsystem/sparcv9`  
64-bit SPARC platform-dependent modules required for boot. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software.

**/lib/svc/manifest**

SMF method scripts. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/manifest`.

**/mnt**

Default temporary mount point for file systems. This is an empty directory on which file systems can be temporarily mounted.

**/net**

Temporary mount point for file systems that are mounted by the automounter.

**/opt**

Root of a subtree for add-on application packages.

**/platform**

Subtree of platform-specific objects which need to reside on the root filesystem. It contains a series of directories, one per supported platform. The semantics of the series of directories is equivalent to `/` (root).

**/platform/`uname -i`/kernel**

Platform-specific modules required for boot. These modules have semantics equivalent to `/kernel`. It includes the file `unix`, the core kernel. See [kernel\(1M\)](#). An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software.

**/platform/`uname -m`/kernel**

Hardware class-specific modules required for boot. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software.

**/platform/`uname -i`/kernel/subsystem/amd64**

x86 64-bit, platform-dependent modules required for boot. This is an approved installation location for bundled Solaris software.

**/platform/`uname -i`/kernel/subsystem/sparcv9**

SPARC 64-bit platform-specific modules required for boot. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software.

**/platform/`uname -i`/kernel/sparcv9/unix**

64-bit platform-dependent kernel.

**/platform/`uname -i`/kernel/unix**

32-bit platform-dependent kernel on i86 and a symlink to `sparcv9/unix` on SPARC.

**/platform/`uname -i`/lib**

Platform-specific shared objects required for boot. Semantics are equivalent to `/lib`. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software.



`/platform/'uname -i'/sbin`

Platform-specific administrative utilities required for boot. Semantics are equivalent to `/sbin`. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software.

`/proc`

Root of a subtree for the process file system.

`/sbin`

Essential executables used in the booting process and in manual system recovery. The full complement of utilities is available only after `/usr` is mounted. `/sbin` is an approved installation location for bundled Solaris software.

`/system`

Mount point for the contract (CTFS) and object (OBJFS) file systems.

`/tmp`

Temporary files; cleared during the boot operation.

`/usr`

Mount point for the `/usr` file system. See description of `/usr` file system, below.

`/var`

Root of a subtree for varying files. Varying files are files that are unique to a machine but that can grow to an arbitrary (that is, variable) size. An example is a log file. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/var/opt/packagename`.

`/var/adm`

System logging and accounting files.

`/var/apache`

Scripts, icons, logs, and cache pages for Apache web server.

`/var/appserver`

Sun Java System Application Server administrative domain files.

`/var/audit`

Basic Security Module (BSM) audit files.

`/var/crash`

Default depository for kernel crash dumps.

`/var/cron`

Log files for [cron\(1M\)](#).

`/var/dmi`

Solstice Enterprise Agents (SEA) Desktop Management Interface (DMI) run-time components.

`/var/dt`

`dtlogin` configuration files.

`/var/fm`  
Fault manager state files. For more information, see [fmd\(1M\)](#).

`/var/imq`  
Message queue broker instance configuration file.

`/var/ftp`  
FTP server directory.

`/var/inet`  
IPv6 router state files.

`/var/krb5`  
Database and log files for Kerberos.

`/var/ld`  
Configuration files for runtime linker.

`/var/ldap`  
LDAP client configuration files.

`/var/lib`  
Directory for variable state information.

`/var/log`  
System log files.

`/var/logadm`  
State information for the `logadm` service, particularly timestamps for last rotation.

`/var/lp`  
Line printer subsystem logging information.

`/var/mail`  
Directory where users' mail is kept.

`/var/mysql`  
Dynamic database directory for MySQL Database Management System.

`/var/news`  
Community service messages. This is not the same as USENET-style news.

`/var/nfs`  
NFS server log files.

`/var/nis`  
NIS+ databases.

`/var/ntp`  
Network Time Protocol (NTP) server state directory.

`/var/opt`  
Root of a subtree for varying files associated with optional software packages. An approved installation location for add-on system software and applications.

`/var/patchsrv`  
Patch management log files.

`/var/preserve`  
Backup files for [vi\(1\)](#) and [ex\(1\)](#).

`/var/run`  
Temporary files which are not needed across reboots. Only root may modify the contents of this directory.

`/var/sadm`  
Databases maintained by the software package management utilities.

`/var/sadm/system/logs`  
Status log files produced by software management functions and/or applications. For example, log files produced for product installation. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software and applications.

`/var/saf`  
Service access facility logging and accounting files.

`/var/samba`  
Log and lock files for Samba.

`/var/sma_snmp`  
Systems Management Agent (SMA) security and MIB component information.

`/var/snmp`  
SNMP status and configuration information.

`/var/spool`  
Contains directories for files used in printer spooling, mail delivery, [cron\(1M\)](#), [at\(1\)](#), and so forth.

`/var/spool/clientmqueue`  
[sendmail\(1M\)](#) client files.

`/var/spool/cron`  
[cron\(1M\)](#) and [at\(1\)](#) spooling files.

`/var/spool/locks`  
Spooling lock files.

`/var/spool/lp`  
Line printer spool files. See [lp\(1\)](#).

`/var/spool/mqueue`  
Mail queued for delivery.

`/var/spool/pkg`  
Spooled packages.

`/var/spool/print`  
LP print service client-side request staging area.

`/var/spool/samba`  
Samba print queue.

`/var/spool/uucp`  
Queued [uucp\(1C\)](#) jobs.

`/var/spool/uucppublic`  
Files deposited by [uucp\(1C\)](#).

`/var/statmon`  
Network status monitor files.

`/var/svc/log`  
SMF log files.

`/var/svc/manifest`  
SMF service manifests. An approved installation location for bundled, add-on system software and applications.

`/var/svc/manifest/site`  
Site-local SMF service manifests.

`/var/tmp`  
Files that vary in size or presence during normal system operations. This directory is *not* cleared during the boot operation. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software and applications.

`/var/uucp`  
[uucp\(1C\)](#) log and status files.

`/var/yp`  
Databases needed for backwards compatibility with NIS and [ypbind\(1M\)](#); unnecessary after full transition to NIS+.

`/usr File System` Because it is desirable to keep the root file system small and not volatile, on disk-based systems larger file systems are often mounted on `/home`, `/opt`, `/usr`, and `/var`.

The file system mounted on `/usr` contains platform-dependent and platform-independent sharable files. The subtree rooted at `/usr/share` contains platform-independent sharable files; the rest of the `/usr` tree contains platform-dependent files. By mounting a common remote file system, a group of machines with a common platform may share a single `/usr` file system. A single `/usr/share` file system can be shared by machines of any platform. A machine acting as a file server can share many different `/usr` file systems to support several different architectures and operating system releases. Clients usually mount `/usr` read-only so that they do not accidentally change any shared files.

The `/usr` file system contains the following subdirectories:

`/usr/4lib`

a.out libraries for the Binary Compatibility Package.

`/usr/5bin`

Symbolic link to the `/usr/bin` directory.

`/usr/SUNWale`

Configuration files for Asian Language Environment (ALE).

`/usr/X`

Symbolic link to the `/usr/openwin` directory.

`/usr/X11`

Xorg Xserver (X11) executables and documentation.

`/usr/adm`

Symbolic link to the `/var/adm` directory.

`/usr/apache`

Apache executables, loadable modules, and documentation.

`/usr/appserver`

Sun Java System Application Server software.

`/usr/aset`

Directory for Automated Security Enhancement Tools (ASET) programs and files.

`/usr/bin`

Platform-dependent, user-invoked executables. These are commands users expect to be run as part of their normal `$PATH`. For executables that are different on a 64-bit system than on a 32-bit system, a wrapper that selects the appropriate executable is placed here. See [isaexec\(3C\)](#). An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/bin`.

`/usr/bin/amd64`

x86 64-bit, platform-dependent, user-invoked executables. This directory should not be part of a user's `$PATH`. A wrapper in `/usr/bin` should invoke the executable in this directory. See [isaexec\(3C\)](#). An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/bin/amd64`.

`/usr/bin/sparcv9`

SPARC platform-dependent, user-invoked executables. This directory should not be part of a user's `$PATH`. A wrapper in `/usr/bin` should invoke the executable in this directory. See [isaexec\(3C\)](#). An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/bin/sparcv9`.

**/usr/bin/amd64**

x86 platform-dependent, user-invoked executables. This directory should not be part of a user's \$PATH. A wrapper in /usr/bin should invoke the executable in this directory. See [isaexec\(3C\)](#). An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is /opt/*packagename*/bin/amd64.

**/usr/bin/subsystem**

Platform-dependent user-invoked executables that are associated with *subsystem*. These are commands users expect to be run as part of their normal \$PATH. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is /opt/*packagename*/bin.

**/usr/subsystem/bin**

Platform-dependent user-invoked executables that are associated with *subsystem*. These are commands users expect to be run as part of their normal \$PATH. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is /opt/*packagename*/bin.

**/usr/subsystem/bin/amd64**

x86 64-bit, platform-dependent, user-invoked executables. This directory should not be part of a user's \$PATH. A wrapper in /usr/bin should invoke the executable in this directory. See [isaexec\(3C\)](#). An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is /opt/*packagename*/bin/amd64.

**/usr/subsystem/bin/sparcv9**

SPARC 64-bit, platform-dependent, user-invoked executables. This directory should not be part of a user's \$PATH. A wrapper in /usr/bin should invoke the executable in this directory. See [isaexec\(3C\)](#). An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is /opt/*packagename*/bin/sparcv9.

**/usr/ccs**

C compilation system.

**/usr/ccs/bin**

C compilation commands and system utilities.

**/usr/ccs/lib**

Symbolic link to /usr/lib.

**/usr/demo**

Demo programs and data.

**/usr/dict**

Symbolic link to the /usr/share/lib/dict directory, which contains the dictionary file used by the UNIX spell program.

`/usr/dt`  
root of a subtree for CDE software.

`/usr/dt/bin`  
Primary location for CDE system utilities.

`/usr/dt/include`  
Header files for CDE software.

`/usr/dt/lib`  
Libraries for CDE software.

`/usr/dt/share/man`  
On-line reference manual pages for CDE software.

`/usr/games`  
An empty directory, a remnant of the SunOS 4.0/4.1 software.

`/usr/gnome`  
This is an obsolete directory where 3rd party programs can install their applications and pixmap files. It is supported for backwards compatibility.

`/usr/include`  
Include headers (for C programs).

`/usr/j2se`  
Java 2 SDK executables, loadable modules, and documentation.

`/usr/java*`  
Directories containing Java programs and libraries.

`/usr/jdk*`  
Java Platform virtual machine and core class libraries.

`/usr/kernel`  
Subtree of platform-dependent loadable kernel modules, not needed in the root filesystem.  
An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software.

`/usr/kvm`  
A mount point, retained for backward compatibility, that formerly contained platform-specific binaries and libraries.

`/usr/lib`  
Platform-dependent libraries, various databases, commands and daemons not invoked directly by a human user. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software.  
The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/lib`.

`/usr/lib/32`  
Symbolic link to `/usr/lib`.

**/usr/lib/64**

Symbolic link to the most portable 64-bit Solaris interfaces, on both SPARC and x86 platforms.

**/usr/lib/acct**

Accounting scripts and binaries. See [acct\(1M\)](#).

**/usr/lib/adb**

adb accounting scripts.

**/usr/lib/amd64**

Platform-dependent libraries, various databases, commands and daemons not invoked directly by a human user on 64-bit x86. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is */opt/package/*lib/amd64.

**/usr/lib/autofs**

Contains the automountd executable.

**/usr/lib/cfgadm**

Contains cfgadm hardware-specific driver plugins.

**/usr/lib/class**

Scheduling-class-specific directories containing executables for [prioctl\(1\)](#) and [dispadmin\(1M\)](#).

**/usr/lib/crypto**

Contains the kernel-level cryptographic framework daemon (kcfld).

**/usr/lib/devfsadm**

Contains devfsadm, the daemon version of devfsadm.

**/usr/lib/dict**

Database files for [spell\(1\)](#).

**/usr/lib/dns**

Contains DNS resolver libraries.

**/usr/lib/dtrace**

Contains dtrace D source files.

**/usr/lib/flash**

Contains Solaris flash archive deployment scripts.

**/usr/lib/fm**

Contains fmd, the fault manager daemon and the fault manager library.

**/usr/lib/font**

[ttroff\(1\)](#) font description files.



`/usr/lib/fs`  
File system type dependent modules; generally not intended to be invoked directly by the user.

`/usr/lib/gss`  
Secure services-related libraries.

`/usr/lib/iconv`  
Conversion tables for [iconv\(1\)](#).

`/usr/lib/inet`  
Contains many network-related daemons and libraries.

`/usr/lib/ipf`  
Contains `IPFILTER.LICENCE` and `ipftest`.

`/usr/lib/ipqosconf`  
IPQoS configuration utility.

`/usr/lib/krb5`  
Contains the Kerberos database propagation program and libraries.

`/usr/lib/ld`  
Contains the map files for the `ld` link editor.

`/usr/lib/ldap`  
Contains LDAP client configuration utilities.

`/usr/lib/libp`  
Profiled libraries.

`/usr/lib/llc2`  
Contains logical link control (`llc2`) driver configuration files.

`/usr/lib/locale`  
Localization databases.

`/usr/lib/lp`  
Line printer subsystem databases and back-end executables.

`/usr/lib/lu`  
Live Upgrade utilities.

`/usr/lib/netsvc`  
Internet network services.

`/usr/lib/nfs`  
Auxiliary NFS-related programs and daemons.

`/usr/lib/nis`  
Contains NIS+ administrative commands.

`/usr/lib/picl`  
Platform Information and Control Library.

`/usr/lib/pool`  
Contains the automated resource pools partitioning daemon (`pool`d) and associated libraries.

`/usr/lib/power`  
Power management daemon, `powerd`.

`/usr/lib/print`  
Contains `lp` conversion scripts and the `in . lp`d daemon.

`/usr/lib/rcap`  
Resource cap enforcement daemon, `rcap`d.

`/usr/lib/rcm`  
Contains the Reconfiguration and Coordination Manager daemon (`rcm_daemon`) and RCM scripts.

`/usr/lib/refer`  
Auxiliary programs for [refer\(1\)](#).

`/usr/lib/rmmount`  
Removable media mounter shared objects.

`/usr/lib/sa`  
Scripts and commands for the system activity report package. See [sar\(1\)](#).

`/usr/lib/saf`  
Auxiliary programs and daemons related to the service access facility.

`/usr/lib/sasl`  
Simple Authentication and Security Layer (SASL) plug-in modules.

`/usr/lib/secure`  
Default trusted libraries.

`/usr/lib/security`  
Solaris security plug-in modules.

`/usr/lib/smartcard`  
IFD handler libraries.

`/usr/lib/smedia`  
Removable media device server daemon, `rpc . smserverd`.

`/usr/lib/sparcv9`  
SPARC 64-bit, platform-dependent libraries, various databases, commands and daemons not invoked directly by a human user. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/ lib/sparcv9`.

**/usr/lib/spell**

Auxiliary programs and databases for [spell\(1\)](#). This directory is only present when the Binary Compatibility Package is installed.

**/usr/lib/ssh**

Contains the Secure Shell daemon (`sshd`) and supporting programs.

**/usr/lib/subsystem**

Platform-dependent libraries, various databases, commands and daemons that are associated with *subsystem* and that are not invoked directly by a human user. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/lib`.

**/usr/lib/subsystem/amd64**

x86 64-bit, platform-dependent libraries, various databases, commands and daemons that are associated with *subsystem* and that are not invoked directly by a human user. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/lib/amd64`.

**/usr/lib/subsystem/sparcv9**

SPARC 64-bit, platform-dependent libraries, various databases, commands and daemons that are associated with *subsystem* and that are not invoked directly by a human user. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/lib/sparcv9`.

**/usr/subsystem/lib**

Platform-dependent libraries, various databases, commands and daemons not invoked directly by a human user. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/lib`.

**/usr/subsystem/lib/amd64**

x86 64-bit, platform-dependent libraries, various databases, commands and daemons that are associated with *subsystem* and that are not invoked directly by a human user. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/lib/amd64`.

**/usr/subsystem/lib/sparcv9**

SPARC 64-bit, platform-dependent libraries, various databases, commands and daemons that are associated with *subsystem* and that are not invoked directly by a human user. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/lib/sparcv9`.

**/usr/lib/sysevent**

Contains the system event notification daemon (`syseventd`) and the `syseventd` loadable module (SLM) repository.

**/usr/lib/uucp**

Auxiliary programs and daemons for [uucp\(1C\)](#).

`/usr/lib/vold`

Auxiliary vold programs and shared libraries.

`/usr/lib/webconsole`

Sun Java web console programs and scripts.

`/usr/lib/zones`

Zone administration daemon (`zoneamd`).

`/usr/local`

Not part of the SVR4-based Solaris distribution. The `/usr` directory is exclusively for software bundled with the Solaris operating system. If needed for storing machine-local add-on software, create the directory `/opt/local` and make `/usr/local` a symbolic link to `/opt/local`. The `/opt` directory or filesystem is for storing add-on software to the system.

`/usr/mail`

Symbolic link to the `/var/mail` directory.

`/usr/man`

Symbolic link to the `/usr/share/man` directory.

`/usr/net/servers`

Entry points for foreign name service requests relayed using the network listener. See [listen\(1M\)](#).

`/usr/news`

Symbolic link to the `/var/news` directory.

`/usr/oasys`

Commands and files related to the Form and Menu Language Interpreter (FMLI) execution environment. See [face\(1\)](#).

`/usr/old`

Programs that are being phased out.

`/usr/openwin`

Installation or mount point for the OpenWindows software.

`/usr/perl5`

Perl 5 programs and documentation

`/usr/platform`

Subtree of platform-specific objects which does not need to reside on the root filesystem. It contains a series of directories, one per supported platform. The semantics of the series of directories is equivalent to `/platform`, except for subdirectories which do not provide utility under one or the other (for example, `/platform/include` is not needed).

`/usr/platform/‘uname -i’/include`

Symbolic link to `../‘uname -i’/include`. Platform-specific system (`sys`, `vm`) header files with semantics equivalent to `/usr/include`. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software.

`/usr/platform/`uname -i`/lib`

Platform-specific shared objects with semantics equivalent to `/usr/lib`. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software.

`/usr/platform/`uname -i`/lib/subsystem/amd64`

x86 64-bit, platform-specific daemon and shared objects. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software.

`/usr/platform/`uname -i`/sbin`

Platform-specific system administration utilities with semantics equivalent to `/usr/sbin`. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software and for add-on system software.

`/usr/preserve`

Symbolic link to the `/var/preserve` directory.

`/usr/proc`

Directory for the `proc` tools.

`/usr/pub`

Symbolic link to `/share/lib/pub`, which contains files for online man page and character processing.

`/usr/sadm`

System administration files and directories.

`/usr/sadm/bin`

Binaries for the Form and Menu Language Interpreter (FMLI) scripts. See [fmli\(1\)](#).

`/usr/sadm/install`

Executables and scripts for package management.

`/usr/sbin`

Platform-dependent executables for system administration, expected to be run only by system administrators. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/packageName/sbin`.

`/usr/sbin/install.d`

Custom Jumpstart scripts and executables.

`/usr/sbin/sparc7` and `sparc9`

32-bit and 64-bit versions of commands.

`/usr/sbin/amd64`

64-bit x86 versions of commands.

**/usr/sbin/subsystem**

Platform-dependent executables for system administration, expected to be run only by system administrators, and associated with *subsystem*. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/sbin`.

**/usr/subsystem/sbin**

Platform-dependent executables for system administration, expected to be run only by system administrators, and associated with *subsystem*. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/package/sbin`.

**/usr/sfw**

GNU and open source executables, libraries, and documentation.

**/usr/share**

Platform-independent sharable files. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software.

**/usr/share/aclocal**

Open source m4 files.

**/usr/share/applications**

Open source desktop applications files.

**/usr/share/audio**

Sample audio files.

**/usr/share/glib-2.0**

Makefile for glib.

**/usr/share/gnome**

GNOME desktop and application data.

**/usr/share/gtk-2.0**

GTK+ application data and demos

**/usr/share/gtk-doc**

API documentation for libraries which use gtk-doc documentation format, which mostly includes desktop interfaces.

**/usr/share/icons**

Sun Java Desktop icons.

**/usr/share/idl**

Open source Interface Definition Language (IDL) files.

**/usr/share/intltool**

XML translation tools.

**/usr/share/ipfilter**

Open source IP Filter sample files.

`/usr/share/javadoc`

Help files for Message Queue broker and Smart Card applications.

`/usr/share/lib`

Platform-independent sharable databases. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software.

`/usr/share/lib/dict`

Contains word list for [spell\(1\)](#).

`/usr/share/lib/keytables`

Keyboard layout description tables.

`/usr/share/lib/mailx`

Help files for [mailx\(1\)](#).

`/usr/share/lib/nterm`

[nroff\(1\)](#) terminal tables.

`/usr/share/lib/pub`

Character set data files.

`/usr/share/lib/tabset`

Tab setting escape sequences.

`/usr/share/lib/terminfo`

Terminal description files for [terminfo\(4\)](#).

`/usr/share/lib/tmac`

Macro packages and related files for text processing tools, for example, [nroff\(1\)](#) and [troff\(1\)](#).

`/usr/share/lib/zoneinfo`

Time zone information.

`/usr/share/man`

Platform-independent sharable manual pages. An approved installation location for bundled Solaris software. The analogous location for add-on system software or for applications is `/opt/packagename/man`.

`/usr/share/omf`

GNOME Scrollkeeper database files.

`/usr/share/pixmaps`

Sun Java graphics.

`/usr/share/scrollkeeper`

GNOME Scrollkeeper templates and `xslt` files.

`/usr/share/sgml`

Open source SGML files.

`/usr/share/sounds`  
Sound files.

`/usr/share/src`  
Source code for kernel, utilities, and libraries.

`/usr/share/themes`  
GNOME 2.0 Desktop themes.

`/usr/share/webconsole`  
Sun Web Console status files.

`/usr/share/xml`  
GNOME Scrollkeeper DTD files.

`/usr/snadm`  
Files related to system and network administration.

`/usr/spool`  
Symbolic link to the `/var/spool` directory.

`/usr/src`  
Symbolic link to the `/usr/share/src` directory.

`/usr/tmp`  
Symbolic link to the `/var/tmp` directory.

`/usr/ucb`  
Berkeley compatibility package binaries.

`/usr/ucbinclude`  
Berkeley compatibility package headers.

`/usr/ucblib`  
Berkeley compatibility package libraries.

`/usr/vmsys`  
Commands and files related to the Framed Access Command Environment (FACE) programs. See [face\(1\)](#).

`/usr/xpg4`  
Directory for POSIX-compliant utilities.

`/usr/xpg6`  
Directory for newer versions of POSIX-compliant utilities.

**See Also** [at\(1\)](#), [ex\(1\)](#), [face\(1\)](#), [fmli\(1\)](#), [iconv\(1\)](#), [lp\(1\)](#), [isainfo\(1\)](#), [mail\(1\)](#), [mailx\(1\)](#), [nroff\(1\)](#), [priocntl\(1\)](#), [refer\(1\)](#), [sar\(1\)](#), [sh\(1\)](#), [spell\(1\)](#), [troff\(1\)](#), [uname\(1\)](#), [uucp\(1C\)](#), [vi\(1\)](#), [acct\(1M\)](#), [cron\(1M\)](#), [dispadm\(1M\)](#), [fmd\(1M\)](#), [fsck\(1M\)](#), [init\(1M\)](#), [kernel\(1M\)](#), [mknod\(1M\)](#), [mount\(1M\)](#), [useradd\(1M\)](#), [ypbind\(1M\)](#), [mount\(2\)](#), [Intro\(4\)](#), [terminfo\(4\)](#)



**Name** fnmatch – file name pattern matching

**Description** The pattern matching notation described below is used to specify patterns for matching strings in the shell. Historically, pattern matching notation is related to, but slightly different from, the regular expression notation. For this reason, the description of the rules for this pattern matching notation is based on the description of regular expression notation described on the [regex\(5\)](#) manual page.

**Patterns Matching a Single Character** The following *patterns matching a single character* match a single character: *ordinary characters*, *special pattern characters* and *pattern bracket expressions*. The pattern bracket expression will also match a single collating element.

An ordinary character is a pattern that matches itself. It can be any character in the supported character set except for NUL, those special shell characters that require quoting, and the following three special pattern characters. Matching is based on the bit pattern used for encoding the character, not on the graphic representation of the character. If any character (ordinary, shell special, or pattern special) is quoted, that pattern will match the character itself. The shell special characters always require quoting.

When unquoted and outside a bracket expression, the following three characters will have special meaning in the specification of patterns:

- ? A question-mark is a pattern that will match any character.
- \* An asterisk is a pattern that will match multiple characters, as described in **Patterns Matching Multiple Characters**, below.
- [ The open bracket will introduce a pattern bracket expression.

The description of basic regular expression bracket expressions on the [regex\(5\)](#) manual page also applies to the pattern bracket expression, except that the exclamation-mark character ( ! ) replaces the circumflex character ( ^ ) in its role in a *non-matching list* in the regular expression notation. A bracket expression starting with an unquoted circumflex character produces unspecified results.

The restriction on a circumflex in a bracket expression is to allow implementations that support pattern matching using the circumflex as the negation character in addition to the exclamation-mark. A portable application must use something like [ \ ^ ! ] to match either character.

When pattern matching is used where shell quote removal is not performed (such as in the argument to the `find -name` primary when `find` is being called using one of the `exec` functions, or in the *pattern* argument to the [fnmatch\(3C\)](#) function, special characters can be escaped to remove their special meaning by preceding them with a backslash character. This escaping backslash will be discarded. The sequence `\\` represents one literal backslash. All of the requirements and effects of quoting on ordinary, shell special and special pattern characters will apply to escaping in this context.

Both quoting and escaping are described here because pattern matching must work in three separate circumstances:

- Calling directly upon the shell, such as in pathname expansion or in a case statement. All of the following will match the string or file abc:

abc	"abc"	a"b"c	a\bc	a[b]c
a["b"]c	a[\b]c	a["\b"]c	a?c	a*c

The following will not:

"a?c"	a*c	a\[b]c
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- Calling a utility or function without going through a shell, as described for [find\(1\)](#) and the function [fnmatch\(3C\)](#)
- Calling utilities such as find, cpio, tar or pax through the shell command line. In this case, shell quote removal is performed before the utility sees the argument. For example, in:

find /bin -name e\c[\h]o -print

after quote removal, the backslashes are presented to find and it treats them as escape characters. Both precede ordinary characters, so the c and h represent themselves and echo would be found on many historical systems (that have it in /bin). To find a file name that contained shell special characters or pattern characters, both quoting and escaping are required, such as:

pax -r . . . "\*a\ ( \?"

to extract a filename ending with a ( ?.

Conforming applications are required to quote or escape the shell special characters (sometimes called metacharacters). If used without this protection, syntax errors can result or implementation extensions can be triggered. For example, the KornShell supports a series of extensions based on parentheses in patterns; see [ksh\(1\)](#)

Patterns Matching Multiple Characters

The following rules are used to construct *patterns matching multiple characters* from *patterns matching a single character*:

- The asterisk (\*) is a pattern that will match any string, including the null string.
- The concatenation of *patterns matching a single character* is a valid pattern that will match the concatenation of the single characters or collating elements matched by each of the concatenated patterns.

- The concatenation of one or more *patterns matching a single character* with one or more asterisks is a valid pattern. In such patterns, each asterisk will match a string of zero or more characters, matching the greatest possible number of characters that still allows the remainder of the pattern to match the string.

Since each asterisk matches zero or more occurrences, the patterns `a*b` and `a**b` have identical functionality.

Examples:

`a[bc]` matches the strings `ab` and `ac`.  
`a*d` matches the strings `ad`, `abd` and `abcd`, but not the string `abc`.  
`a*d*` matches the strings `ad`, `abcd`, `abcdef`, `aaaad` and `adddd`.  
`*a*d` matches the strings `ad`, `abcd`, `efabcd`, `aaaad` and `adddd`.

Patterns Used for  
Filename Expansion

The rules described so far in *Patterns Matching Multiple Characters* and *Patterns Matching a Single Character* are qualified by the following rules that apply when pattern matching notation is used for filename expansion.

1. The slash character in a pathname must be explicitly matched by using one or more slashes in the pattern; it cannot be matched by the asterisk or question-mark special characters or by a bracket expression. Slashes in the pattern are identified before bracket expressions; thus, a slash cannot be included in a pattern bracket expression used for filename expansion. For example, the pattern `a[b/c]d` will not match such pathnames as `abd` or `a/d`. It will only match a pathname of literally `a[b/c]d`.
2. If a filename begins with a period (`.`), the period must be explicitly matched by using a period as the first character of the pattern or immediately following a slash character. The leading period will not be matched by:
  - the asterisk or question-mark special characters
  - a bracket expression containing a non-matching list, such as:

`[!a]`

a range expression, such as:

`[%-0]`

or a character class expression, such as:

`[[:punct:]]`

It is unspecified whether an explicit period in a bracket expression matching list, such as:

`[.abc]`

can match a leading period in a filename.

3. Specified patterns are matched against existing filenames and pathnames, as appropriate. Each component that contains a pattern character requires read permission in the directory containing that component. Any component, except the last, that does not contain a pattern character requires search permission. For example, given the pattern:

`/foo/bar/x*/bam`

search permission is needed for directories `/` and `foo`, search and read permissions are needed for directory `bar`, and search permission is needed for each `x*` directory.

If the pattern matches any existing filenames or pathnames, the pattern will be replaced with those filenames and pathnames, sorted according to the collating sequence in effect in the current locale. If the pattern contains an invalid bracket expression or does not match any existing filenames or pathnames, the pattern string is left unchanged.

**See Also** [find\(1\)](#), [ksh\(1\)](#), [fnmatch\(3C\)](#), [regex\(5\)](#)

**Name** formats – file format notation

**Description** Utility descriptions use a syntax to describe the data organization within files—stdin, stdout, stderr, input files, and output files—when that organization is not otherwise obvious. The syntax is similar to that used by the `printf(3C)` function. When used for stdin or input file descriptions, this syntax describes the format that could have been used to write the text to be read, not a format that could be used by the `scanf(3C)` function to read the input file.

**Format** The description of an individual record is as follows:

"<format>", [<arg1>, <arg2>, . . . , <argn>]

The format is a character string that contains three types of objects defined below:

- characters* Characters that are not *escape sequences* or *conversion specifications*, as described below, are copied to the output.
- escape sequences* Represent non-graphic characters.
- conversion specifications* Specifies the output format of each argument. (See below.)

The following characters have the following special meaning in the format string:

- » (An empty character position.) One or more blank characters.
- /\ Exactly one space character.

The notation for spaces allows some flexibility for application output. Note that an empty character position in format represents one or more blank characters on the output (not *white space*, which can include newline characters). Therefore, another utility that reads that output as its input must be prepared to parse the data using `scanf(3C)`, `awk(1)`, and so forth. The character is used when exactly one space character is output.

**Escape Sequences** The following table lists escape sequences and associated actions on display devices capable of the action.

Sequence	Character	Terminal Action
\\	backslash	None.
\a	alert	Attempts to alert the user through audible or visible notification.
\b	backspace	Moves the printing position to one column before the current position, unless the current position is the start of a line.
\f	form-feed	Moves the printing position to the initial printing position of the next logical page.

Sequence	Character	Terminal Action
<code>\n</code>	newline	Moves the printing position to the start of the next line.
<code>\r</code>	carriage-return	Moves the printing position to the start of the current line.
<code>\t</code>	tab	Moves the printing position to the next tab position on the current line. If there are no more tab positions left on the line, the behavior is undefined.
<code>\v</code>	vertical-tab	Moves the printing position to the start of the next vertical tab position. If there are no more vertical tab positions left on the page, the behavior is undefined.

Conversion Specifications	Each conversion specification is introduced by the percent-sign character (%). After the character %, the following appear in sequence:	
<i>flags</i>	Zero or more <i>flags</i> , in any order, that modify the meaning of the conversion specification.	
<i>field width</i>	An optional string of decimal digits to specify a minimum <i>field width</i> . For an output field, if the converted value has fewer bytes than the field width, it is padded on the left (or right, if the left-adjustment flag (–), described below, has been given to the field width).	
<i>precision</i>	Gives the minimum number of digits to appear for the d, o, i, u, x or X conversions (the field is padded with leading zeros), the number of digits to appear after the radix character for the e and f conversions, the maximum number of significant digits for the g conversion; or the maximum number of bytes to be written from a string in s conversion. The precision takes the form of a period (.) followed by a decimal digit string; a null digit string is treated as zero.	
<i>conversion characters</i>	A conversion character (see below) that indicates the type of conversion to be applied.	
<i>flags</i>	The <i>flags</i> and their meanings are:	
–	The result of the conversion is left-justified within the field.	
+	The result of a signed conversion always begins with a sign (+ or –).	
<space>	If the first character of a signed conversion is not a sign, a space character is prefixed to the result. This means that if the space character and + flags both appear, the space character flag is ignored.	
#	The value is to be converted to an alternative form. For c, d, i, u, and s conversions, the behaviour is undefined. For o conversion, it increases the	

precision to force the first digit of the result to be a zero. For x or X conversion, a non-zero result has 0x or 0X prefixed to it, respectively. For e, E, f, g, and G conversions, the result always contains a radix character, even if no digits follow the radix character. For g and G conversions, trailing zeros are not removed from the result as they usually are.

*0* For d, i, o, u, x, X, e, E, f, g, and G conversions, leading zeros (following any indication of sign or base) are used to pad to the field width; no space padding is performed. If the 0 and – flags both appear, the 0 flag is ignored. For d, i, o, u, x and X conversions, if a precision is specified, the 0 flag is ignored. For other conversions, the behaviour is undefined.

**Conversion Characters** Each conversion character results in fetching zero or more arguments. The results are undefined if there are insufficient arguments for the format. If the format is exhausted while arguments remain, the excess arguments are ignored.

The *conversion characters* and their meanings are:

*d,i,o,u,x,X* The integer argument is written as signed decimal (d or i), unsigned octal (o), unsigned decimal (u), or unsigned hexadecimal notation (x and X). The d and i specifiers convert to signed decimal in the style `[-]dddd`. The x conversion uses the numbers and letters 0123456789abcdef and the X conversion uses the numbers and letters 0123456789ABCDEF. The *precision* component of the argument specifies the minimum number of digits to appear. If the value being converted can be represented in fewer digits than the specified minimum, it is expanded with leading zeros. The default precision is 1. The result of converting a zero value with a precision of 0 is no characters. If both the field width and precision are omitted, the implementation may precede, follow or precede and follow numeric arguments of types d, i and u with blank characters; arguments of type o (octal) may be preceded with leading zeros.

The treatment of integers and spaces is different from the `printf(3C)` function in that they can be surrounded with blank characters. This was done so that, given a format such as:

```
"%d\n", <foo>
```

the implementation could use a `printf()` call such as:

```
printf("%6d\n", foo);
```

and still conform. This notation is thus somewhat like `scanf()` in addition to `printf()`.

*f* The floating point number argument is written in decimal notation in the style `[-]ddd.ddd`, where the number of digits after the radix character (shown here as a decimal point) is equal to the *precision* specification. The `LC_NUMERIC` locale category determines the radix character to use in this format. If the

	<i>precision</i> is omitted from the argument, six digits are written after the radix character; if the <i>precision</i> is explicitly 0, no radix character appears.
<i>e,E</i>	The floating point number argument is written in the style <code>[-]d.ddde±dd</code> (the symbol $\pm$ indicates either a plus or minus sign), where there is one digit before the radix character (shown here as a decimal point) and the number of digits after it is equal to the precision. The <code>LC_NUMERIC</code> locale category determines the radix character to use in this format. When the precision is missing, six digits are written after the radix character; if the precision is 0, no radix character appears. The <code>E</code> conversion character produces a number with <code>E</code> instead of <code>e</code> introducing the exponent. The exponent always contains at least two digits. However, if the value to be written requires an exponent greater than two digits, additional exponent digits are written as necessary.
<i>g,G</i>	The floating point number argument is written in style <code>f</code> or <code>e</code> (or in style <code>E</code> in the case of a <code>G</code> conversion character), with the precision specifying the number of significant digits. The style used depends on the value converted: style <code>g</code> is used only if the exponent resulting from the conversion is less than $-4$ or greater than or equal to the precision. Trailing zeros are removed from the result. A radix character appears only if it is followed by a digit.
<i>c</i>	The integer argument is converted to an unsigned char and the resulting byte is written.
<i>s</i>	The argument is taken to be a string and bytes from the string are written until the end of the string or the number of bytes indicated by the <i>precision</i> specification of the argument is reached. If the precision is omitted from the argument, it is taken to be infinite, so all bytes up to the end of the string are written.
<i>%</i>	Write a <code>%</code> character; no argument is converted.

In no case does a non-existent or insufficient *field width* cause truncation of a field; if the result of a conversion is wider than the field width, the field is simply expanded to contain the conversion result. The term *field width* should not be confused with the term *precision* used in the description of `%s`.

One difference from the C function `printf()` is that the `l` and `h` conversion characters are not used. There is no differentiation between decimal values for type `int`, type `long`, or type `short`. The specifications `%d` or `%i` should be interpreted as an arbitrary length sequence of digits. Also, no distinction is made between single precision and double precision numbers (`float` or `double` in C). These are simply referred to as floating point numbers.

Many of the output descriptions use the term `line`, such as:

`"%s", <input line>`



Since the definition of `\line` includes the trailing newline character already, there is no need to include a `\n` in the format; a double newline character would otherwise result.

**Examples** **EXAMPLE 1** To represent the output of a program that prints a date and time in the form Sunday, July 3, 10:02, where `<weekday>` and `<month>` are strings:

```
"%s, /\%s/\%d, /\%d: %.2d\n", <weekday>, <month>, <day>, <hour>, <min>
```

**EXAMPLE 2** To show pi written to 5 decimal places:

```
"pi /\=/\%.5f\n", <value of pi>
```

**EXAMPLE 3** To show an input file format consisting of five colon-separated fields:

```
"%s:%s:%s:%s:%s\n", <arg1>, <arg2>, <arg3>, <arg4>, <arg5>
```

**See Also** [awk\(1\)](#), [printf\(1\)](#), [printf\(3C\)](#), [scanf\(3C\)](#)

**Name** fsattr – extended file attributes

**Description** Attributes are logically supported as files within the file system. The file system is therefore augmented with an orthogonal name space of file attributes. Any file (including attribute files) can have an arbitrarily deep attribute tree associated with it. Attribute values are accessed by file descriptors obtained through a special attribute interface. This logical view of "attributes as files" allows the leveraging of existing file system interface functionality to support the construction, deletion, and manipulation of attributes.

The special files "." and ".." retain their accustomed semantics within the attribute hierarchy. The "." attribute file refers to the current directory and the ".." attribute file refers to the parent directory. The unnamed directory at the head of each attribute tree is considered the "child" of the file it is associated with and the "." file refers to the associated file. For any non-directory file with attributes, the ".." entry in the unnamed directory refers to a file that is not a directory.

Conceptually, the attribute model is fully general. Extended attributes can be any type of file (doors, links, directories, and so forth) and can even have their own attributes (fully recursive). As a result, the attributes associated with a file could be an arbitrarily deep directory hierarchy where each attribute could have an equally complex attribute tree associated with it. Not all implementations are able to, or want to, support the full model. Implementation are therefore permitted to reject operations that are not supported. For example, the implementation for the UFS file system allows only regular files as attributes (for example, no sub-directories) and rejects attempts to place attributes on attributes.

The following list details the operations that are rejected in the current implementation:

link	Any attempt to create links between attribute and non-attribute space is rejected to prevent security-related or otherwise sensitive attributes from being exposed, and therefore manipulable, as regular files.
rename	Any attempt to rename between attribute and non-attribute space is rejected to prevent an already linked file from being renamed and thereby circumventing the link restriction above.
mkdir, symlink, mknod	Any attempt to create a "non-regular" file in attribute space is rejected to reduce the functionality, and therefore exposure and risk, of the initial implementation.

The entire available name space has been allocated to "general use" to bring the implementation in line with the NFSv4 draft standard [NFSv4]. That standard defines "named attributes" (equivalent to Solaris Extended Attributes) with no naming restrictions. All Sun applications making use of opaque extended attributes will use the prefix "SUNW".

**Shell-level API** The command interface for extended attributes is the set of applications provided by Solaris for the manipulation of attributes from the command line. This interface consists of a set of existing utilities that have been extended to be "attribute-aware", plus the `runat` utility designed to "expose" the extended attribute space so that extended attributes can be manipulated as regular files.

The `-@` option enable utilities to manipulate extended attributes. As a rule, this option enables the utility to enter into attribute space when the utility is performing a recursive traversal of file system space. This is a fully recursive concept. If the underlying file system supports recursive attributes and directory structures, the `-@` option opens these spaces to the file tree-walking algorithms.

The following utilities accommodate extended attributes (see the individual manual pages for details):

- `cp` By default, `cp` ignores attributes and copies only file data. This is intended to maintain the semantics implied by `cp` currently, where attributes (such as owner and mode) are not copied unless the `-p` option is specified. With the `-@` (or `-p`) option, `cp` attempts to copy all attributes along with the file data.
- `cpio` The `-@` option informs `cpio` to archive attributes, but by default `cpio` ignores extended attributes. See [Extended Archive Formats](#) below for a description of the new archive records.
- `du` File sizes computed include the space allocated for any extended attributes present.
- `find` By default, `find` ignores attributes. The `-xattr` expression provides support for searches involving attribute space. It returns true if extended attributes are present on the current file.
- `fsck` The `fsck` utility manages extended attribute data on the disk. A file system with extended attributes can be mounted on versions of Solaris that are not attribute-aware (versions prior to Solaris 9), but the attributes will not be accessible and `fsck` will strip them from the files and place them in `lost+found`. Once the attributes have been stripped the file system is completely stable on Solaris versions that are not attribute-aware, but would now be considered corrupted on attribute-aware versions of Solaris. The attribute-aware `fsck` utility should be run to stabilize the file system before using it in an attribute-aware environment.
- `fsdb` This `fsdb` utility is able to find the inode for the "hidden" extended attribute directory.
- `ls` The `ls -@` command displays an "@" following the mode information when extended attributes are present. More precisely, the output line for a given file contains an "@" character following the mode characters if the [pathconf\(2\)](#) variable `XATTR_EXISTS` is set to true. See the `pathconf()` section below. The `-@` option uses the same general output format as the `-l` option.

- mv** When a file is moved, all attributes are carried along with the file rename. When a file is moved across a file system boundary, the copy command invoked is similar to the `cp -p` variant described above and extended attributes are "moved". If the extended file attributes cannot be replicated, the move operation fails and the source file is not removed.
- pax** The `-@` option informs pax to archive attributes, but by default pax ignores extended attributes. The [pax\(1\)](#) utility is a generic replacement for both [tar\(1\)](#) and [cpio\(1\)](#) and is able to produce either output format in its archive. See Extended Archive Formats below for a description of the new archive records.
- tar** In the default case, tar does not attempt to place attributes in the archive. If the `-@` option is specified, however, tar traverses into the attribute space of all files being placed in the archive and attempts to add the attributes to the archive. A new record type has been introduced for extended attribute entries in tar archive files (the same is true for pax and cpio archives) similar to the way ACLs records were defined. See Extended Archive Formats below for a description of the new archive records.

There is a class of utilities (`chmod`, `chown`, `chgrp`) that one might expect to be modified in a manner similar to those listed above. For example, one might expect that performing `chmod` on a file would not only affect the file itself but would also affect at least the extended attribute directory if not any existing extended attribute files. This is not the case. The model chosen for extended attributes implies that the attribute directory and the attributes themselves are all file objects in their own right, and can therefore have independent file status attributes associated with them (a given implementation cannot support this, for example, for intrinsic attributes). The relationship is left undefined and a fine-grained control mechanism ([runat\(1\)](#)) is provided to allow manipulation of extended attribute status attributes as necessary.

The `runat` utility has the following syntax:

```
runat filename [command]
```

The `runat` utility executes the supplied command in the context of the "attribute space" associated with the indicated file. If no command argument is supplied, a shell is invoked. See [runat\(1\)](#) for details.

**Application-level API** The primary interface required to access extended attributes at the programmatic level is the [openat\(2\)](#) function. Once a file descriptor has been obtained for an attribute file by an `openat()` call, all normal file system semantics apply. There is no attempt to place special semantics on [read\(2\)](#), [write\(2\)](#), [ftruncate\(3C\)](#), or other functions when applied to attribute file descriptors relative to "normal" file descriptors.

The set of existing attributes can be browsed by calling `openat()` with "." as the file name and the `O_XATTR` flag set, resulting in a file descriptor for the attribute directory. The list of attributes is obtained by calls to [getdents\(2\)](#) on the returned file descriptor. If the target file did not previously have any attributes associated with it, an empty top-level attribute directory

is created for the file and subsequent `getdents()` calls will return only "." and "..". While the owner of the parent file owns the extended attribute directory, it is not charged against its quota if the directory is empty. Attribute files themselves, however, are charged against the user quota as any other regular file.

Additional system calls have been provided as convenience functions. These include the `fchownat(2)`, `fstatat(2)`, `futimesat(2)`, `renameat(2)`, `unlinkat(2)`. These new functions, along with `openat()`, provide a mechanism to access files relative to an arbitrary point in the file system, rather than only the current working directory. This mechanism is particularly useful in situations when a file descriptor is available with no path. The `openat()` function, in particular, can be used in many contexts where `chdir()` or `fchdir()` is currently required. See `chdir(2)`.

### Open a file relative to a file descriptor

```
int openat (int fd, const char *path, int oflag [, mode_t mode])
```

The `openat(2)` function behaves exactly as `open(2)` except when given a relative path. Where `open()` resolves a relative path from the current working directory, `openat()` resolves the path based on the vnode indicated by the supplied file descriptor. When `oflag` is `O_XATTR`, `openat()` interprets the `path` argument as an extended attribute reference. The following code fragment uses `openat()` to examine the attributes of some already opened file:

```
dfd = openat(fd, ".", O_RDONLY|O_XATTR);
(void)getdents(dfd, buf, nbytes);
```

If `openat()` is passed the special value `AT_FDCWD` as its first (`fd`) argument, its behavior is identical to `open()` and the relative path arguments are interpreted relative to the current working directory. If the `O_XATTR` flag is provided to `openat()` or to `open()`, the supplied path is interpreted as a reference to an extended attribute on the current working directory.

### Unlink a file relative to a directory file descriptor

```
int unlinkat (int dirfd, const char *pathflag, int flagflag)
```

The `unlinkat(2)` function deletes an entry from a directory. The `path` argument indicates the name of the entry to remove. If `path` an absolute path, the `dirfd` argument is ignored. If it is a relative path, it is interpreted relative to the directory indicated by the `dirfd` argument. If `dirfd` does not refer to a valid directory, the function returns `ENOTDIR`. If the special value `AT_FDCWD` is specified for `dirfd`, a relative path argument is resolved relative to the current working directory. If the `flag` argument is 0, all other semantics of this function are equivalent to `unlink(2)`. If `flag` is set to `AT_REMOVEDIR`, all other semantics of this function are equivalent to `rmdir(2)`.

### Rename a file relative to directories

```
int renameat (int fromfd, const char *old, int tofd, const char *new)
```

The `renameat(2)` function renames an entry in a directory, possibly moving the entry into a different directory. The *old* argument indicates the name of the entry to rename. If this argument is a relative path, it is interpreted relative to the directory indicated by the *fd* argument. If it is an absolute path, the *fromfd* argument is ignored. The *new* argument indicates the new name for the entry. If this argument is a relative path, it is interpreted relative to the directory indicated by the *tofd* argument. If it is an absolute path, the *tofd* argument is ignored.

In the relative path cases, if the directory file descriptor arguments do not refer to a valid directory, the function returns `ENOTDIR`. All other semantics of this function are equivalent to `rename(2)`.

If a special value `AT_FDCWD` is specified for either the *fromfd* or *tofd* arguments, their associated path arguments (*old* and *new*) are interpreted relative to the current working directory if they are not specified as absolute paths. Any attempt to use `renameat()` to move a file that is not an extended attribute into an extended attribute directory (so that it becomes an extended attribute) will fail. The same is true for an attempt to move a file that is an extended attribute into a directory that is not an extended attribute directory.

### Obtain information about a file

```
int fstatat (int fd, const char *path, struct stat* buf, int flag)
```

The `fstatat(2)` function obtains information about a file. If the *path* argument is relative, it is resolved relative to the *fd* argument file descriptor, otherwise the *fd* argument is ignored. If the *fd* argument is a special value `AT_FDCWD` the path is resolved relative to the current working directory. If the *path* argument is a null pointer, the function returns information about the file referenced by the *fd* argument. In all other relative path cases, if the *fd* argument does not refer to a valid directory, the function returns `ENOTDIR`. If the *flag* argument is set to `AT_SYMLINK_NOFOLLOW`, the function will not automatically traverse a symbolic link at the position of the path. The `fstatat()` function is a multi-purpose function that can be used in place of `stat()`, `lstat()`, or `fstat()`. See `stat(2)`

The function call `stat(path, buf)` is identical to `fstatat(AT_FDCWD, path, buf, 0)`.

The function call `lstat(path, buf)` is identical to `fstatat(AT_FDCWD, path, buf, AT_SYMLINK_NOFOLLOW)`

The function call `fstat(fildes, buf)` is identical to `fstatat(fildes, NULL, buf, 0)`.

### Set owner and group ID

```
int fchownat (int fd, const char *path, uid_t owner, gid_t group, \
              int flag)
```

The `fchownat(2)` function sets the owner ID and group ID for a file. If the *path* argument is relative, it is resolved relative to the *fd* argument file descriptor, otherwise the *fd* argument is

ignored. If the *fd* argument is a special value `AT_FDCWD` the path is resolved relative to the current working directory. If the path argument is a null pointer, the function sets the owner and group ID of the file referenced by the *fd* argument. In all other relative path cases, if the *fd* argument does not refer to a valid directory, the function returns `ENOTDIR`. If the *flag* argument is set to `AT_SYMLINK_NOFOLLOW`, the function will not automatically traverse a symbolic link at the position of the path. The `fchownat()` function is a multi-purpose function that can be used in place of `chown()`, `lchown()`, or `fchown()`. See [chown\(2\)](#).

The function call `chown(path, owner, group)` is equivalent to `fchownat(AT_FDCWD, path, owner, group, 0)`.

The function call `lchown(path, owner, group)` is equivalent to `fchownat(AT_FDCWD, path, owner, group, AT_SYMLINK_NOFOLLOW)`.

### Set file access and modification times

```
int futimesat (int fd, const char *path, const struct timeval \
               times[2])
```

The [futimesat\(2\)](#) function sets the access and modification times for a file. If the *path* argument is relative, it is resolved relative to the *fd* argument file descriptor; otherwise the *fd* argument is ignored. If the *fd* argument is the special value `AT_FDCWD`, the path is resolved relative to the current working directory. If the *path* argument is a null pointer, the function sets the access and modification times of the file referenced by the *fd* argument. In all other relative path cases, if the *fd* argument does not refer to a valid directory, the function returns `ENOTDIR`. The `futimesat()` function can be used in place of [utimes\(2\)](#).

The function call `utimes(path, times)` is equivalent to `futimesat(AT_FDCWD, path, times)`.

### New pathconf() functionality

```
long int pathconf(const char *path, int name)
```

Two variables have been added to [pathconf\(2\)](#) to provide enhanced support for extended attribute manipulation. The `XATTR_ENABLED` variable allows an application to determine if attribute support is currently enabled for the file in question. The `XATTR_EXISTS` variable allows an application to determine whether there are any extended attributes associated with the supplied path.

### Open/Create an attribute file

```
int attropen (const char *path, const char *attrpath, int oflag \
              [, mode_t mode])
```

The [attropen\(3C\)](#) function returns a file descriptor for the named attribute, *attrpath*, of the file indicated by *path*. The *oflag* and *mode* arguments are identical to the [open\(2\)](#) arguments and are applied to the open operation on the attribute file (for example, using the `O_CREAT` flag

creates a new attribute). Once opened, all normal file system operations can be used on the attribute file descriptor. The `attropen()` function is a convenience function and is equivalent to the following sequence of operations:

```
fd = open (path, O_RDONLY);
attrfd = openat(fd, attrpath, oflag|O_XATTR, mode);
close(fd);
```

The set of existing attributes can be browsed by calling `attropen()` with "." as the attribute name. The list of attributes is obtained by calling `getdents(2)` (or `fdopendir(3C)` followed by `readdir(3C)`, see below) on the returned file descriptor.

### Convert an open file descriptor for a directory into a directory descriptor

```
DIR * fdopendir (const int fd)
```

The `fdopendir(3C)` function promotes a file descriptor for a directory to a directory pointer suitable for use with the `readdir(3C)` function. The originating file descriptor should not be used again following the call to `fdopendir()`. The directory pointer should be closed with a call to `closedir(3C)`. If the provided file descriptor does not reference a directory, the function returns `ENOTDIR`. This function is useful in circumstances where the only available handle on a directory is a file descriptor. See `attropen(3C)` and `openat(2)`.

### Using the API

The following examples demonstrate how the API might be used to perform basic operations on extended attributes:

**EXAMPLE 1** List extended attributes on a file.

```
attrdirfd = attropen("test", ".", O_RDONLY);
dirp = fdopendir(attrdirfd);
while (dp = readdir(dirp)) {
    ...
}
```

**EXAMPLE 2** Open an extended attribute.

```
attrfd = attropen("test", dp->d_name, O_RDONLY);

or

attrfd = openat(attrdirfd, dp->d_name, O_RDONLY);
```

**EXAMPLE 3** Read from an extended attribute.

```
while (read(attrfd, buf, 512) > 0) {
    ...
}
```



**EXAMPLE 4** Create an extended attribute.

```
newfd = attropen("test", "attr", O_CREAT|O_RDWR);
```

or

```
newfd = openat(attrdirfd, "attr", O_CREAT|O_RDWR);
```

**EXAMPLE 5** Write to an extended attribute.

```
count = write(newfd, buf, length);
```

**EXAMPLE 6** Delete an extended attribute.

```
error = unlinkat(attrdirfd, "attr");
```

Applications intending to access the interfaces defined here as well as the POSIX and X/Open specification-conforming interfaces should define the macro `_ATFILE_SOURCE` to be 1 and set whichever feature test macros are appropriate to obtain the desired environment. See [standards\(5\)](#).

#### Extended Archive Formats

As noted above in the description of command utilities modified to provide support for extended attributes, the archive formats for [tar\(1\)](#) and [cpio\(1\)](#) have been extended to provide support for archiving extended attributes. This section describes the specifics of the archive format extensions.

#### Extended tar format

The tar archive is made up of a series of 512 byte blocks. Each archived file is represented by a header block and zero or more data blocks containing the file contents. The header block is structured as shown in the following table.

Field Name	Length (in Octets)	Description
Name	100	File name string
Mode	8	12 file mode bits
Uid	8	User ID of file owner
Gid	8	Group ID of file owner
Size	12	Size of file
Mtime	12	File modification time
Chksum	8	File contents checksum
Typeflag	1	File type flag
Linkname	100	Link target name if file linked

Field Name	Length (in Octets)	Description
Magic	6	"ustar"
Version	2	"00"
Uname	32	User name of file owner
Gname	32	Group name of file owner
Devmajor	8	Major device ID if special file
Devminor	8	Minor device ID if special file
Prefix	155	Path prefix string for file

The extended attribute project extends the above header format by defining a new header type (for the `Typeflag` field). The type 'E' is defined to be used for all extended attribute files. Attribute files are stored in the tar archive as a sequence of two `<header , data>` pairs. The first file contains the data necessary to locate and name the extended attribute in the file system. The second file contains the actual attribute file data. Both files use an 'E' type header. The prefix and name fields in extended attribute headers are ignored, though they should be set to meaningful values for the benefit of archivers that do not process these headers. Solaris archivers set the prefix field to `"/dev/null"` to prevent archivers that do not understand the type 'E' header from trying to restore extended attribute files in inappropriate places.

**Extended cpio format**

The cpio archive format is octet-oriented rather than block-oriented. Each file entry in the archive includes a header that describes the file, followed by the file name, followed by the contents of the file. These data are arranged as described in the following table.

Field Name	Length (in Octets)	Description
c_magic	6	70707
c_dev	6	First half of unique file ID
c_ino	6	Second half of unique file ID
c_mode	6	File mode bits
c_uid	6	User ID of file owner
c_gid	6	Group ID of file owner
c_nlink	6	Number of links referencing file
c_rdev	6	Information for special files
c_mtime	11	Modification time of file

Field Name	Length (in Octets)	Description
c_namesize	6	Length of file pathname
c_filesize	11	Length of file content
c_name	c_namesize	File pathname
c_filedata	c_filesize	File content

The basic archive file structure is not changed for extended attributes. The file type bits stored in the `c_mode` field for an attribute file are set to `0xB000`. As with the `tar` archive format, extended attributes are stored in `cpio` archives as two consecutive file entries. The first file describes the location/name for the extended attribute. The second file contains the actual attribute file content. The `c_name` field in extended attribute headers is ignored, though it should be set to a meaningful value for the benefit of archivers that do not process these headers. Solaris archivers start the pathname with `"/dev/null/"` to prevent archivers that do not understand the type 'E' header from trying to restore extended attribute files in inappropriate places.

### Attribute identification data format

Both the `tar` and `cpio` archive formats can contain the special files described above, always paired with the extended attribute data record, for identifying the precise location of the extended attribute. These special data files are necessary because there is no simple naming mechanism for extended attribute files. Extended attributes are not visible in the file system name space. The extended attribute name space must be "tunneled into" using the `openat()` function. The attribute identification data must support not only the flat naming structure for extended attributes, but also the possibility of future extensions allowing for attribute directory hierarchies and recursive attributes. The data file is therefore composed of a sequence of records. It begins with a fixed length header describing the content. The following table describes the format of this data file.

Field Name	Length (in Octets)	Description
h_version	7	Name file version
h_size	10	Length of data file
h_component_len	10	Total length of all path segments
h_link_comp_len	10	Total length of all link segments
path	h_component_len	Complex path
link_path	h_link_comp_len	Complex link path

As demonstrated above, the header is followed by a record describing the "path" to the attribute file. This path is composed of two or more path segments separated by a null character. Each segment describes a path rooted at the hidden extended attribute directory of the leaf file of the previous segment, making it possible to name attributes on attributes. The first segment is always the path to the parent file that roots the entire sequence in the normal name space. The following table describes the format of each segment.

Field Name	Length (in Octets)	Description
h_namesz	7	Length of segment path
h_typeflag	1	Actual file type of attribute file
h_names	h_namesz	Parent path + segment path

If the attribute file is linked to another file, the path record is followed by a second record describing the location of the referencing file. The structure of this record is identical to the record described above.

**See Also** `cp(1)`, `cpio(1)`, `find(1)`, `ls(1)`, `mv(1)`, `pax(1)`, `runat(1)`, `tar(1)`, `du(1)`, `fsck(1M)`, `chown(2)`, `link(2)`, `open(2)`, `pathconf(2)`, `rename(2)`, `stat(2)`, `unlink(2)`, `utimes(2)`, `attropen(3C)`, `standards(5)`

**Name** grub – GRand Unified Bootloader software on Solaris

**Description** The current release of the Solaris operating system is shipped with the GRUB (GRand Unified Bootloader) software. GRUB is developed and supported by the Free Software Foundation.

The overview for the GRUB Manual, accessible at [www.gnu.org](http://www.gnu.org), describes GRUB:

Briefly, a boot loader is the first software program that runs when a computer starts. It is responsible for loading and transferring control to an operating system kernel software (such as Linux or GNU Mach). The kernel, in turn, initializes the rest of the operating system (for example, a GNU [Ed. note: or Solaris] system).

GNU GRUB is a very powerful boot loader that can load a wide variety of free, as well as proprietary, operating systems, by means of chain-loading. GRUB is designed to address the complexity of booting a personal computer; both the program and this manual are tightly bound to that computer platform, although porting to other platforms may be addressed in the future. [Ed. note: Sun has ported GRUB to the Solaris operating system.]

One of the important features in GRUB is flexibility; GRUB understands filesystems and kernel executable formats, so you can load an arbitrary operating system the way you like, without recording the physical position of your kernel on the disk. Thus you can load the kernel just by specifying its file name and the drive and partition where the kernel resides.

Among Solaris machines, GRUB is supported on x86 platforms. The GRUB software that is shipped with Solaris adds two utilities not present in the open-source distribution:

**bootadm(1M)** Enables you to manage the boot archive and make changes to the GRUB menu.

**installgrub(1M)** Loads the boot program from disk.

Both of these utilities are described in Solaris man pages.

Beyond these two Solaris-specific utilities, the GRUB software is described in the GRUB manual, a PDF version of which is available from the Sun web site. Available in the same location is the grub(8) open-source man page. This man page describes the GRUB shell.

**See Also** [boot\(1M\)](#), [bootadm\(1M\)](#), [installgrub\(1M\)](#)

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<http://www.gnu.org/software/grub>

**Name** gss\_auth\_rules – overview of GSS authorization

**Description** The establishment of the veracity of a user's credentials requires both authentication (Is this an authentic user?) and authorization (Is this authentic user, in fact, authorized?).

When a user makes use of Generic Security Services (GSS) versions of the ftp or ssh clients to connect to a server, the user is not necessarily authorized, even if his claimed GSS identity is authenticated. Authentication merely establishes that the user is who he says he is to the GSS mechanism's authentication system. Authorization is then required: it determines whether the GSS identity is permitted to access the specified Solaris user account.

The GSS authorization rules are as follows:

- If the mechanism of the connection has a set of authorization rules, then use those rules. For example, if the mechanism is Kerberos, then use the [krb5\\_auth\\_rules\(5\)](#), so that authorization is consistent between raw Kerberos applications and GSS/Kerberos applications.
- If the mechanism of the connection does not have a set of authorization rules, then authorization is successful if the remote user's gssname matches the local user's gssname exactly, as compared by [gss\\_compare\\_name\(3GSS\)](#).

**Files** /etc/passwd      System account file. This information may also be in a directory service. See [passwd\(4\)](#).

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving

**See Also** [ftp\(1\)](#), [ssh\(1\)](#), [gsscred\(1M\)](#), [gss\\_compare\\_name\(3GSS\)](#), [passwd\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [krb5\\_auth\\_rules\(5\)](#)

**Name** iconv\_1250 – code set conversion tables for MS 1250 (Windows Latin 2)

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
MS 1250	win2	ISO 8859-2	iso2	ISO Latin 2
MS 1250	win2	MS 852	dos2	MS-DOS Latin 2
MS 1250	win2	Mazovia	maz	Mazovia
MS 1250	win2	DHN	dhn	Dom Handlowy Nauki

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

MS 1250 to ISO 8859-2 For the conversion of MS 1250 to ISO 8859-2, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 1250	ISO 8859-2	MS 1250	ISO 8859-2
24-211	40	235	273
212	251	236	276
213	40	237	274
214	246	241	267
215	253	245	241
216	256	246-267	40
217	254	271	261
221-231	40	273	40
232	271	274	245
233	40	276	265
234	266	247	365

MS 1250 to MS 852 For the conversion of MS 1250 to MS 852, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 1250	MS 852	MS 1250	MS 852
200-211	40	311	220
212	346	312	250
213	40	313	323
214	227	314	267
215	233	315	326
216	246	316	327
217	215	317	322
220-231	40	320	321
232	347	321	343
233	40	322	325
234	230	323	340
235	234	324	342
236	247	325	212
237	253	326	231
240	377	327	236
241	363	330	374
242	364	331	336
243	235	332	351
244	317	333	353
245	244	334	232
246	40	335	355
247	365	336	335
250	371	337	341
251	40	340	352
252	270	341	240
253	256	342	203
254	252	343	307



Conversions Performed			
MS 1250	MS 852	MS 1250	MS 852
255	360	344	204
256	40	345	222
257	275	346	206
260	370	347	207
261	40	350	237
262	362	351	202
263	210	352	251
264	357	353	211
265-267	40	354	330
270	367	355	241
271	245	356	214
272	255	357	324
273	257	360	320
274	225	361	344
275	361	362	345
276	226	363	242
277	276	364	223
300	350	365	213
301	265	366	224
302	266	367	366
303	306	370	375
304	216	371	205
305	221	372	243
306	217	374	201
307	200	375	354
310	254	376	356

MS 1250 to Mazovia For the conversion of MS 1250 to Mazovia, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 1250	Mazovia	MS 1250	Mazovia
200-213	40	310-311	40
214	230	312	220
215-216	40	313-320	40
217	240	321	245
220-233	40	322	40
234	236	323	243
235-236	40	324-325	40
237	246	326	231
240	377	327-333	40
241-242	40	334	232
243	234	335-336	40
244	40	337	341
245	217	340-341	40
246-252	40	342	203
253	256	343	40
254	252	344	204
255-256	40	345	40
257	241	346	215
260	370	347	207
261	361	350	40
262	40	351	202
263	222	352	221
264	40	353	211
265	346	354-355	40
266	40	356	214

Conversions Performed			
MS 1250	Mazovia	MS 1250	Mazovia
267	372	357-360	40
270	40	361	244
271	206	362	40
272	40	363	242
273	257	364	223
274-276	40	365	40
277	247	366	224
300-303	40	367	366
304	216	370-373	40
305	40	374	201
306	225	375-376	40
307	200		

MS 1250 to DHN For the conversion of MS 1250 to DHN, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 1250	DHN	MS 1250	DHN
200-213	40	306	201
214	206	307-311	40
215-216	40	312	202
217	207	313-320	40
220-233	40	321	204
234	217	322	40
235-236	40	323	205
237	220	324-325	40
240	377	326	231
241-242	40	327-333	40
243	203	334	232

Conversions Performed			
MS 1250	DHN	MS 1250	DHN
244	40	335-336	40
245	200	337	341
246-252	40	340	40
253	256	341	240
254	252	342-345	40
255-256	40	346	212
257	210	347-351	40
260	370	352	213
261	361	353-354	40
262	40	355	241
263	214	356-360	40
264	40	361	215
265	346	362	40
266	40	363	216
267	372	364	223
270	40	365	40
271	211	366	224
272	40	367	366
273	257	370-371	40
274-276	40	372	243
277	221	373-376	40
300-305	40		

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/usr/lib/iconv/\*.so

/usr/lib/iconv/\*.t

/usr/lib/iconv/iconv\_data

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See Also [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)

**Name** iconv\_1251 – code set conversion tables for MS 1251 (Windows Cyrillic)

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
MS 1251	win5	ISO 8859-5	iso5	ISO 8859-5 Cyrillic
MS 1251	win5	KOI8-R	koi8	KOI8-R
MS 1251	win5	PC Cyrillic	alt	Alternative PC Cyrillic
MS 1251	win5	Mac Cyrillic	mac	Macintosh Cyrillic

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

**MS 1251 to ISO 8859-5** For the conversion of MS 1251 to ISO 8859-5, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	ISO 8859-5	MS 1251	ISO 8859-5
24	4	310	270
200	242	311	271
201	243	312	272
202	40	313	273
203	363	314	274
204-207	40	315	275
210	255	316	276
211	40	317	277
212	251	320	300
213	40	321	301
214	252	322	302
215	254	323	303
216	253	324	304
217	257	325	305

Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	ISO 8859-5	MS 1251	ISO 8859-5
220	362	326	306
221-227	40	327	307
230	255	330	310
231	40	331	311
232	371	332	312
233	40	333	313
234	372	334	314
235	374	335	315
236	373	336	316
237	377	337	317
241	256	340	320
242	376	341	321
243	250	342	322
244-247	40	343	323
250	241	344	324
251	40	345	325
252	244	346	326
253-254	40	347	327
255	55	350	330
256	40	351	331
257	247	352	332
260-261	40	353	333
262	246	354	334
263	366	355	335
264-267	40	356	336
270	361	357	337
271	360	360	340

Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	ISO 8859-5	MS 1251	ISO 8859-5
272	364	361	341
273	40	362	342
274	370	363	343
275	245	364	344
276	365	365	345
277	367	366	346
300	260	367	347
301	261	370	350
302	262	371	351
303	263	372	352
304	264	373	353
305	265	374	354
306	266	375	355
307	267	376	356

MS 1251 to KOI8-R For the conversion of MS 1251 to KOI8-R , all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	KOI8-R	MS 1251	KOI8-R
24	4	310	351
200	261	311	352
201	262	312	353
202	40	313	354
203	242	314	355
204-207	40	315	356
210	255	316	357
211	40	317	360
212	271	320	362

Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	KOI8-R	MS 1251	KOI8-R
213	40	321	363
214	272	322	364
215	274	323	365
216	273	324	346
217	277	325	350
220	241	326	343
221-227	40	327	376
230	255	330	373
231	40	331	375
232	251	332	377
233	40	333	371
234	252	334	370
235	254	335	374
236	253	336	340
237	257	337	361
241	276	340	301
242	256	341	302
243	270	342	327
244-247	40	343	307
250	263	344	304
251	40	345	305
252	264	346	326
253-254	40	347	332
255	55	350	311
256	40	351	312
257	267	352	313
260-261	40	353	314



Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	KOI8-R	MS 1251	KOI8-R
262	266	354	315
263	246	355	316
264-267	40	356	317
270	243	357	320
271	260	360	322
272	244	361	323
273	40	362	324
274	250	363	325
275	265	364	306
276	245	365	310
277	247	366	303
300	341	367	336
301	342	370	333
302	367	371	335
303	347	372	337
304	344	373	331
305	345	374	330
306	366	375	334
307	372	376	300

MS 1251 to PC Cyrillic For the conversion of MS 1251 to PC Cyrillic, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	PC Cyrillic	MS 1251	PC Cyrillic
24	4	332	232
200-207	40	333	233
210	260	334	234
211-227	40	335	235

Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	PC Cyrillic	MS 1251	PC Cyrillic
230	260	336	236
231-247	40	337	237
250	360	340	240
251-254	40	341	241
255	55	342	242
256-267	40	343	243
270	361	344	244
271-277	40	345	245
300	200	346	246
301	201	347	247
302	202	350	250
303	203	351	251
304	204	352	252
305	205	353	253
306	206	354	254
307	207	355	255
310	210	356	256
311	211	357	257
312	212	360	340
313	213	361	341
314	214	362	342
315	215	363	343
316	216	364	344
317	217	365	345
320	220	366	346
321	221	367	347
322	222	370	350

Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	PC Cyrillic	MS 1251	PC Cyrillic
323	223	371	351
324	224	372	352
325	225	373	353
326	226	374	354
327	227	375	355
330	230	376	356
331	231		

MS 1251 to Mac Cyrillic For the conversion of MS 1251 to Mac Cyrillic, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	Mac Cyrillic	MS 1251	Mac Cyrillic
24	4	260	241
200	253	262	247
201	256	263	264
202	40	264	266
203	257	266	246
204	327	267	245
205	311	270	336
206	240	271	334
207-211	40	272	271
212	274	273	310
213	40	274	300
214	276	275	301
215	315	276	317
216	40	277	273
217	332	300	200
220	254	301	201

Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	Mac Cyrillic	MS 1251	Mac Cyrillic
221	324	302	202
222	325	303	203
223	322	304	204
224	323	305	205
225	40	306	206
226	320	307	207
227	321	310	210
230	40	311	211
231	252	312	212
232	275	313	213
233	40	314	214
234	277	315	215
235	316	316	216
236	40	317	217
237	333	320	220
240	312	321	221
241	330	322	222
242	331	323	223
243	267	324	224
244	377	325	225
245	242	326	226
246	40	327	227
247	244	330	230
250	335	331	231
252	270	332	232
253	307	333	233
254	302	334	234

Conversions Performed			
MS 1251	Mac Cyrillic	MS 1251	Mac Cyrillic
255	55	335	235
256	250	336	236
257	272	337	237
355	316		

**Files** `/usr/lib/iconv/*.so` conversion modules  
`/usr/lib/iconv/*.t` conversion tables  
`/usr/lib/iconv/iconv_data` list of conversions supported by conversion tables

**See Also** [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)

**Name** iconv – code set conversion tables

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported

Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
ISO 646	646	ISO 8859-1	8859	US ASCII
ISO 646de	646de	ISO 8859-1	8859	German
ISO 646da	646da	ISO 8859-1	8859	Danish
ISO 646en	646en	ISO 8859-1	8859	English ASCII
ISO 646es	646es	ISO 8859-1	8859	Spanish
ISO 646fr	646fr	ISO 8859-1	8859	French
ISO 646it	646it	ISO 8859-1	8859	Italian
ISO 646sv	646sv	ISO 8859-1	8859	Swedish
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646	646	7 bit ASCII
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646de	646de	German
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646da	646da	Danish
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646en	646en	English ASCII
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646es	646es	Spanish
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646fr	646fr	French
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646it	646it	Italian
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646sv	646sv	Swedish
ISO 8859-16	iso16	ISO 8859-2	iso2	ISO Latin 2
ISO 8859-2	iso2	ISO 8859-16	iso16	ISO Latin 10
ISO 8859-16	iso16	IBM 850	ibm850	IBM 850 code page
ISO 8859-16	iso16	IBM 870	ibm870	IBM 870 code page
ISO 8859-2	iso2	MS 1250	win2	Windows Latin 2
ISO 8859-2	iso2	MS 852	dos2	MS-DOS Latin 2
ISO 8859-2	iso2	Mazovia	maz	Mazovia
IBM 850	ibm850	ISO 8859-16	iso16	ISO Latin 10
IBM 870	ibm870	ISO 8859-16	iso16	ISO Latin 10
MS 1250	win2	DHN	dhn	Dom Handlowy Nauki
MS 852	dos2	ISO 8859-2	iso2	ISO Latin 2
MS 852	dos2	MS 1250	win2	Windows Latin 2
MS 852	dos2	Mazovia	maz	Mazovia
MS 852	dos2	DHN	dhn	Dom Handlowy Nauki
Mazovia	maz	ISO 8859-2	iso2	ISO Latin 2
Mazovia	maz	MS 1250	win2	Windows Latin 2
Mazovia	maz	MS 852	dos2	MS-DOS Latin 2
Mazovia	maz	DHN	dhn	Dom Handlowy Nauki
DHN	dhn	ISO 8859-2	iso2	ISO Latin 2
DHN	dhn	MS 1250	win2	Windows Latin 2
DHN	dhn	MS 852	dos2	MS-DOS Latin 2
DHN	dhn	Mazovia	maz	Mazovia
ISO 8859-5	iso5	KOI8-R	koi8	KOI8-R
ISO 8859-5	iso5	PC Cyrillic	alt	Alternative PC Cyrillic

ISO 8859-5	iso5	MS 1251	win5	Windows Cyrillic
ISO 8859-5	iso5	Mac Cyrillic	mac	Macintosh Cyrillic
KOI8-R	koi8	ISO 8859-5	iso5	ISO 8859-5 Cyrillic
KOI8-R	koi8	PC Cyrillic	alt	Alternative PC Cyrillic
KOI8-R	koi8	MS 1251	win5	Windows Cyrillic
KOI8-R	koi8	Mac Cyrillic	mac	Macintosh Cyrillic
PC Cyrillic	alt	ISO 8859-5	iso5	ISO 8859-5 Cyrillic
PC Cyrillic	alt	KOI8-R	koi8	KOI8-R
PC Cyrillic	alt	MS 1251	win5	Windows Cyrillic
PC Cyrillic	alt	Mac Cyrillic	mac	Macintosh Cyrillic
MS 1251	win5	ISO 8859-5	iso5	ISO 8859-5 Cyrillic
MS 1251	win5	KOI8-R	koi8	KOI8-R
MS 1251	win5	PC Cyrillic	alt	Alternative PC Cyrillic
MS 1251	win5	Mac Cyrillic	mac	Macintosh Cyrillic
Mac Cyrillic	mac	ISO 8859-5	iso5	ISO 8859-5 Cyrillic
Mac Cyrillic	mac	KOI8-R	koi8	KOI8-R
Mac Cyrillic	mac	PC Cyrillic	alt	Alternative PC Cyrillic
Mac Cyrillic	mac	MS 1251	win5	Windows Cyrillic

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the tables contained in the manual pages cross-referenced in the Index of Conversion Code Tables below.

Index of Conversion Code Tables		
Code	Target Code	See Manual Page
ISO 646	ISO 8859-1	iconv_646 (5)
ISO 646de	ISO 8859-1	
ISO 646da	ISO 8859-1	
ISO 646en	ISO 8859-1	
ISO 646es	ISO 8859-1	
ISO 646fr	ISO 8859-1	
ISO 646it	ISO 8859-1	
ISO 646sv	ISO 8859-1	
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646	iconv_8859-1 (5)
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646de	
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646da	
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646en	
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646es	

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ISO 8859-1	ISO 646fr	
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646it	
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646sv	
ISO 8859-2	MS 1250	iconv_8859-2 (5)
ISO 8859-2	MS 852	
ISO 8859-2	Mazovia	
ISO 8859-2	DHN	
MS 1250	ISO 8859-2	iconv_1250 (5)
MS 1250	MS 852	
MS 1250	Mazovia	
MS 1250	DHN	
MS 852	ISO 8859-2	iconv_852 (5)
MS 852	MS 1250	
MS 852	Mazovia	
MS 852	DHN	
Mazovia	ISO 8859-2	iconv_maz (5)
Mazovia	MS 1250	
Mazovia	MS 852	
Mazovia	DHN	

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Code	Target Code	See Manual Page
DHN	ISO 8859-2	iconv_dhn (5)
DHN	MS 1250	
DHN	MS 852	
DHN	Mazovia	
ISO 8859-5	KOI8-R	iconv_8859-5 (5)
ISO 8859-5	PC Cyrillic	



Index of Conversion Code Tables		
ISO 8859-5	MS 1251	
ISO 8859-5	Mac Cyrillic	
KOI8-R	ISO 8859-5	iconv_koi8-r (5)
KOI8-R	PC Cyrillic	
KOI8-R	MS 1251	
KOI8-R	Mac Cyrillic	
PC Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	iconv_pc_cyr (5)
PC Cyrillic	KOI8-R	
PC Cyrillic	MS 1251	
PC Cyrillic	Mac Cyrillic	
MS 1251	ISO 8859-5	iconv_1251 (5)
MS 1251	KOI8-R	
MS 1251	PC Cyrillic	
MS 1251	Mac Cyrillic	
Mac Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	iconv_mac_cyr (5)
Mac Cyrillic	KOI8-R	
Mac Cyrillic	PC Cyrillic	
Mac Cyrillic	MS 1251	

**Files** /usr/lib/iconv/\*.so  
conversion modules

/usr/lib/iconv/\*.t  
Conversion tables.

/usr/lib/iconv/geniconvtbl/binarytables/\*.bt  
Conversion binary tables.

/usr/lib/iconv/iconv\_data  
List of conversions supported by conversion tables.

**See Also** [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\\_1250\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_1251\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_646\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_852\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_8859-1\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_8859-2\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_8859-5\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_dhn\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_koi8-r\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_mac\\_cyr\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_maz\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_pc\\_cyr\(5\)](#), [iconv\\_unicode\(5\)](#)

**Name** iconv\_646 – code set conversion tables for ISO 646

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
ISO 646	646	ISO 8859-1	8859	US ASCII
ISO 646de	646de	ISO 8859-1	8859	German
ISO 646da	646da	ISO 8859-1	8859	Danish
ISO 646en	646en	ISO 8859-1	8859	English ASCII
ISO 646es	646es	ISO 8859-1	8859	Spanish
ISO 646fr	646fr	ISO 8859-1	8859	French
ISO 646it	646it	ISO 8859-1	8859	Italian
ISO 646sv	646sv	ISO 8859-1	8859	Swedish

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

- ISO 646 (US ASCII) to  
ISO 8859-1

For the conversion of ISO 646 to ISO 8859-1, all characters in ISO 646 can be mapped unchanged to ISO 8859-1
- ISO 646de (GERMAN) to  
ISO 8859-1

For the conversion of ISO 646de to ISO 8859-1, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 646de	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646de	ISO 8859-1
100	247	173	344
133	304	174	366
134	326	175	374
135	334	176	337

- ISO 646da (DANISH) to  
ISO 8859-1

For the conversion of ISO 646da to ISO 8859-1, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 646da	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646da	ISO 8859-1
133	306	173	346
134	330	174	370
135	305	175	345

ISO 646en (ENGLISH  
ASCII) to ISO 8859-1

For the conversion of ISO 646en to ISO 8859-1, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed	
ISO 646en	ISO 8859-1
043	243

ISO 646es (SPANISH) to  
ISO 8859-1

For the conversion of ISO 646es to ISO 8859-1, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 646es	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646es	ISO 8859-1
100	247	173	260
133	241	174	361
134	321	175	347
135	277		

ISO 646fr (FRENCH) to  
ISO 8859-1

For the conversion of ISO 646fr to ISO 8859-1, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 646fr	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646fr	ISO 8859-1
043	243	173	351
100	340	174	371
133	260	175	350
134	347	176	250
135	247		

ISO 646it (ITALIAN) to ISO 8859-1 For the conversion of ISO 646it to ISO 8859-1, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 646it	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646it	ISO 8859-1
043	243	140	371
100	247	173	340
133	260	174	362
134	347	175	350
135	351	176	354

ISO 646sv (SWEDISH) to ISO 8859-1 For the conversion of ISO 646sv to ISO 8859-1, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 646sv	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646sv	ISO 8859-1
100	311	140	351
133	304	173	344
134	326	174	366
135	305	175	345
136	334	176	374

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/usr/lib/iconv/\*.t

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See Also [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)

**Name** iconv\_852 – code set conversion tables for MS 852 (MS-DOS Latin 2)

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
MS 852	dos2	ISO 8859-2	iso2	ISO Latin 2
MS 852	dos2	MS 1250	win2	Windows Latin 2
MS 852	dos2	Mazovia	maz	Mazovia
MS 852	dos2	DHN	dhn	Dom Handlowy Nauki

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

**MS 852 to ISO 8859-2** For the conversion of MS 852 to ISO 8859-2, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 852	ISO 8859-2	MS 852	ISO 8859-2
24-177	40	271-274	40
200	307	275	257
201	374	276	277
202	351	277-305	40
203	342	306	303
204	344	307	343
205	371	310-316	40
206	346	317	244
207	347	320	360
210	263	321	320
211	353	322	317
212	325	323	313
213	365	324	357
214	356	325	322

Conversions Performed			
MS 852	ISO 8859-2	MS 852	ISO 8859-2
215	254	326	315
216	304	327	316
217	306	330	354
220	311	331-334	40
221	305	335	336
222	345	336	331
223	364	337	40
224	366	340	323
225	245	341	337
226	265	342	324
227	246	343	321
230	266	344	361
231	326	345	362
232	334	346	251
233	253	347	271
234	273	350	300
235	243	351	332
236	327	352	340
237	350	353	333
240	341	354	375
241	355	355	335
242	363	356	376
243	372	357	264
244	241	360	255
245	261	361	275
246	256	362	262
247	276	363	267

Conversions Performed			
MS 852	ISO 8859-2	MS 852	ISO 8859-2
250	312	364	242
251	352	365	247
252	40	366	367
253	274	367	270
254	310	370	260
255	272	371	250
256-264	40	372	377
265	301	374	330
266	302	375	370
267	314	376	40
270	252		

MS 852 to MS 1250 For the conversion of MS 852 to MS 1250, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 852	MS 1250	MS 852	MS 1250
200	307	270	252
201	374	271-274	40
202	351	275	257
203	342	276	277
204	344	277-305	40
205	371	306	303
206	346	307	343
207	347	310-316	40
210	263	317	244
211	353	320	360
212	325	321	320
213	365	322	317

Conversions Performed			
MS 852	MS 1250	MS 852	MS 1250
214	356	323	313
215	217	324	357
216	304	325	322
217	306	326	315
220	311	327	316
221	305	330	354
222	345	331-334	40
223	364	335	336
224	366	336	331
225	274	337	40
226	276	340	323
227	214	341	337
230	234	342	324
231	326	343	321
232	334	344	361
233	215	345	362
234	235	346	212
235	243	347	232
236	327	350	300
237	350	351	332
240	341	352	340
241	355	353	333
242	363	354	375
243	372	355	335
244	245	356	376
245	271	357	264
246	216	360	255



Conversions Performed			
MS 852	MS 1250	MS 852	MS 1250
247	236	361	275
250	312	362	262
251	352	363	241
252	254	364	242
253	237	365	247
254	310	366	367
255	272	367	270
256	253	370	260
257	273	371	250
260-264	40	372	377
265	301	374	330
266	302	375	370
267	314	376	40

MS 852 to Mazovia For the conversion of MS 852 to Mazovia, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 852	Mazovia	MS 852	Mazovia
205	40	246-247	40
206	215	250	220
210	222	251	221
212-213	40	253	246
215	240	254-270	40
217	225	275	241
220-226	40	276	247
227	230	306-336	40
230	236	340	243
233-234	40	342	40

Conversions Performed			
MS 852	Mazovia	MS 852	Mazovia
235	234	343	245
236-243	40	344	244
244	217	345-375	40
245	206		

MS 852 to DHN For the conversion of MS 852 to DHN, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
MS 852	DHN	MS 852	DHN
200-205	40	244	200
206	212	245	211
207	40	246-247	40
210	214	250	202
211-214	40	251	213
215	207	253	220
216	40	254-270	40
217	201	275	210
220-226	40	276	221
227	206	306-336	40
230	217	340	205
233-234	40	342	40
235	203	343	204
236-237	40	344	215
242	216	345-375	40
252	254		

- Files

/usr/lib/iconv/\*.so

/usr/lib/iconv/\*.t

/usr/lib/iconv/iconv\_data

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**See Also** [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)

**Name** iconv\_8859-1 – code set conversion tables for ISO 8859-1 (Latin 1)

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646	646	7 bit ASCII
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646de	646de	German
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646da	646da	Danish
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646en	646en	English ASCII
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646es	646es	Spanish
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646fr	646fr	French
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646it	646it	Italian
ISO 8859-1	8859	ISO 646sv	646sv	Swedish

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646 (7-bit ASCII) For the conversion of ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Converted to Underscore '\_' (137)  
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200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207  
210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217  
220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227  
230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237  
240 241 242 243 244 245 246 247  
250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257  
260 261 262 263 264 265 266 267  
270 271 272 273 274 275 276 277  
300 301 302 303 304 305 306 307  
310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317  
320 321 322 323 324 325 326 327  
330 331 332 333 334 335 336 337  
340 341 342 343 344 345 346 347  
350 351 352 353 354 355 356 357  
360 361 362 363 364 365 366 367  
370 371 372 373 374 375 376 377

ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646de (GERMAN) For the conversion of ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646de, all characters not in the following tables are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646de	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646de
247	100	337	176
304	133	344	173
326	134	366	174
334	135	374	175

Converted to Underscore ' \_ ' (137)

-----  
100 133 134 135 173 174 175 176  
200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207  
210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217  
220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227  
230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237  
240 241 242 243 244 245 246  
250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257  
260 261 262 263 264 265 266 267  
270 271 272 273 274 275 276 277  
300 301 302 303 305 306 307  
310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317  
320 321 322 323 324 325 327  
330 331 332 333 335 336 337  
340 341 342 343 345 346 347  
350 351 352 353 354 355 356 357  
360 361 362 363 364 365 367  
370 371 372 373 375 376 377

ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646da (DANISH) For the conversion of ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646da, all characters not in the following tables are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646da	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646da
305	135	345	175
306	133	346	173
330	134	370	174

Converted to Underscore ' \_ ' (137)

-----  
133 134 135 173 174 175

200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207  
210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217  
220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227  
230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237  
240 241 242 243 244 245 246 247  
250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257  
260 261 262 263 264 265 266 267  
270 271 272 273 274 275 276 277  
300 301 302 303 304           307  
310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317  
320 321 322 323 324 325 326 327  
      331 332 333 334 335 336 337  
340 341 342 343 344           347  
350 351 352 353 354 355 356 357  
360 361 362 363 364 365 366 367  
371 372 373 374           376 377

ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646en (ENGLISH ASCII) For the conversion of ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646en, all characters not in the following tables are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed	
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646en
243	043

Converted to Underscore ' \_ ' (137)

-----  
043  
200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207  
210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217  
220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227  
230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237  
240 241 242       244 245 246 247  
250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257  
260 261 262 263 264 265 266 267  
270 271 272 273 274 275 276 277  
300 301 302 303 304 305 306 307  
310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317  
320 321 322 323 324 325 326 327  
330 331 332 333 334 335 336 337  
340 341 342 343 344 345 346 347  
350 351 352 353 354 355 356 357  
360 361 362 363 364 365 366 367  
370 371 372 373 374 375 376 377

ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646fr (FRENCH) For the conversion of ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646fr, all characters not in the following tables are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646fr	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646fr
243	043	347	134
247	135	350	175
250	176	351	173
260	133	371	174
340	100		

Converted to Underscore '\_' (137)

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043
100 133 134 135 173 174 175 176
200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207
210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217
220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227
230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237
240 241 242      244 245 246
      251 252 253 254 255 256 257
      261 262 263 264 265 266 267
270 271 272 273 274 275 276 277
300 301 302 303 304 305 306 307
310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317
320 321 322 323 324 325 326 327
330 331 332 333 334 335 336 337
      341 342 343 344 345 346
      352 353 354 355 356 357
360 361 362 363 364 365 366 367
370      372 373 374 375 376 377

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ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646it (ITALIAN) For the conversion of ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646it, all characters not in the following tables are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646it	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646it
243	043	350	175
247	100	351	135
260	133	354	176

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646it	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646it
340	173	362	174
347	134	371	140

Converted to Underscore ' \_ ' (137)

-----  
043  
100 133 134 135 173 174 175 176  
200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207  
210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217  
220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227  
230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237  
240 241 242      244 245 246  
250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257  
     261 262 263 264 265 266 267  
270 271 272 273 274 275 276 277  
300 301 302 303 304 305 306 307  
310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317  
320 321 322 323 324 325 326 327  
330 331 332 333 334 335 336 337  
     341 342 343 344 345 346  
         352 353 354 355 356 357  
360 361 362 363 364 365 366 367  
370      372 373 374 375 376 377

ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646es (SPANISH) For the conversion of ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646es, all characters not in the following tables are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646es	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646es
241	133	321	134
247	100	347	175
260	173	361	174
277	135		

Converted to Underscore ' \_ ' (137)

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100 133 134 135 173 174 175  
200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207  
210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217  
220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227  
230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237



240 242 243 244 245 246  
250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257  
261 262 263 264 265 266 267  
270 271 272 273 274 275 276  
300 301 302 303 304 305 306 307  
310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317  
320 322 323 324 325 326 327  
330 331 332 333 334 335 336 337  
340 341 342 343 344 345 346  
350 351 352 353 354 355 356 357  
360 362 363 364 365 366 367  
370 371 372 373 374 375 376 377

ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646sv (SWEDISH) For the conversion of ISO 8859-1 to ISO 646sv, all characters not in the following tables are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-1	ISO 646sv	ISO 8859-1	ISO 646sv
304	133	344	173
305	135	345	175
311	100	351	140
326	134	366	174
334	136	374	176

Converted to Underscore ' \_ ' (137)

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100 133 134 135 136 140  
173 174 175 176  
200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207  
210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217  
220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227  
230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237  
240 241 242 243 244 245 246 247  
250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257  
260 261 262 263 264 265 266 267  
270 271 272 273 274 275 276 277  
300 301 302 303 306 307  
310 312 313 314 315 316 317  
320 321 322 323 324 325 327  
330 331 332 333 335 336 337  
340 341 342 343 346 347  
350 352 353 354 355 356 357  
360 361 362 363 364 365 367  
370 371 372 373 375 376 377

<b>Files</b>	<code>/usr/lib/iconv/*.so</code>	conversion modules
	<code>/usr/lib/iconv/*.t</code>	conversion tables
	<code>/usr/lib/iconv/iconv_data</code>	list of conversions supported by conversion tables

**See Also** [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)

**Name** iconv\_8859-2 – code set conversion tables for ISO 8859-2 (Latin 2)

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
ISO 8859-2	iso2	MS 1250	win2	Windows Latin 2
ISO 8859-2	iso2	MS 852	dos2	MS-DOS Latin 2
ISO 8859-2	iso2	Mazovia	maz	Mazovia
ISO 8859-2	iso2	DHN	dhn	Dom Handlowy Nauki

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

ISO 8859-2 to MS 1250 For the conversion of ISO 8859-2 to MS 1250, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-2	MS 1250	ISO 8859-2	MS 1250
24	4	261	271
177-237	40	265	276
241	245	266	234
245	274	267	241
246	214	271	232
251	212	273	235
253	215	274	237
254	217	276	236
256	216	266	236

ISO 8859-2 to MS 852 For the conversion of ISO 8859-2 to MS 852, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-2	MS 852	ISO 8859-2	MS 852
24	4	316	327
177-237	40	317	322
240	377	320	321
241	244	321	343
242	364	322	325
243	235	323	340
244	317	324	342
245	225	325	212
246	227	326	231
247	365	327	236
250	371	330	374
251	346	331	336
252	270	332	351
253	233	333	353
254	215	334	232
255	360	335	355
256	246	336	335
257	275	337	341
260	370	340	352
261	245	341	240
262	362	342	203
263	210	343	307
264	357	344	204
265	226	345	222
266	230	346	206
267	363	347	207
270	367	350	237

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-2	MS 852	ISO 8859-2	MS 852
271	347	351	202
272	255	352	251
273	234	353	211
274	253	354	330
275	361	355	241
276	247	356	214
277	276	357	324
300	350	360	320
301	265	361	344
302	266	362	345
303	306	363	242
304	216	364	223
305	221	365	213
306	217	366	224
307	200	367	366
310	254	370	375
311	220	371	205
312	250	372	243
313	323	374	201
314	267	375	354
315	326	376	356
366	367		

ISO 8859-2 to Mazovia For the conversion of ISO 8859-2 to Mazovia, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-2	Mazovia	ISO 8859-2	Mazovia
24	4	323	243

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-2	Mazovia	ISO 8859-2	Mazovia
177-237	40	324-325	40
240	377	326	231
241	217	327-333	40
242	40	334	232
243	234	335-336	40
244-245	40	337	341
246	230	340-341	40
247-253	40	342	203
254	240	343	40
255-256	40	344	204
257	241	345	40
260	370	346	215
261	206	347	207
262	40	350	40
263	222	351	202
264-265	40	352	221
266	236	353	211
267-273	40	354-355	40
274	246	356	214
275-276	40	357-360	40
277	247	361	244
300-303	40	362	40
304	216	363	242
305	40	364	223
306	225	365	40
307	200	366	224
310-311	40	367	366

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-2	Mazovia	ISO 8859-2	Mazovia
312	220	370-373	40
313-320	40	374	201
321	245	375-376	40
322	40		

ISO 8859-2 to DHN For the conversion of ISO 8859-2 to DHN, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-2	DHN	ISO 8859-2	DHN
24	4	322	40
177-237	40	323	205
240	377	324-325	40
241	200	326	231
242	40	327-333	40
243	203	334	232
244-245	40	335-336	40
246	206	337	341
247-253	40	340	40
254	207	341	240
255-256	40	342-345	40
257	210	346	212
260	370	347-351	40
261	211	352	213
262	40	353-354	40
263	214	355	241
264-265	40	356-360	40
266	217	361	215
267-273	40	362	40

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-2	DHN	ISO 8859-2	DHN
274	220	363	216
275-276	40	364	223
277	221	365	40
300-305	40	366	224
306	201	367	366
307-311	40	370-371	40
312	202	372	243
313-320	40	373-376	40
321	204		

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See Also [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)



**Name** iconv\_8859-5 – code set conversion tables for ISO 8859-5 (Cyrillic)

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
ISO 8859-5	iso5	KOI8-R	koi8	KOI8-R
ISO 8859-5	iso5	PC Cyrillic	alt	Alternative PC Cyrillic
ISO 8859-5	iso5	MS 1251	win5	Windows Cyrillic
ISO 8859-5	iso5	Mac Cyrillic	mac	Macintosh Cyrillic

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

ISO 8859-5 to KOI8-R For the conversion of ISO 8859-5 to KOI8-R, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-5	KOI8-R	ISO 8859-5	KOI8-R
24	4	320	301
241	263	321	302
242	261	322	327
243	262	323	307
244	264	324	304
245	265	325	305
246	266	327	332
247	267	330	311
250	270	331	312
251	271	332	313
252	272	333	314
253	273	334	315
254	274	335	316
256	276	336	317

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-5	KOI8-R	ISO 8859-5	KOI8-R
257	277	337	320
260	341	340	322
261	342	341	323
262	367	342	324
263	347	343	325
264	344	344	306
265	345	345	310
266	366	346	303
267	372	347	336
270	351	350	333
271	352	351	335
272	353	352	337
273	354	353	331
274	355	354	330
275	356	355	334
276	357	356	300
277	360	357	321
300	362	360	260
301	363	361	243
302	364	362	241
303	365	363	242
304	346	364	244
305	350	365	245
306	343	366	246
307	376	367	247
310	373	370	250
311	375	371	251

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-5	KOI8-R	ISO 8859-5	KOI8-R
312	377	372	252
313	371	373	253
314	370	374	254
315	374	375	255
316	340	376	256
317	361		

ISO 8859-5 to PC Cyrillic For the conversion of ISO 8859-5 to PC Cyrillic, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-5	PC Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	PC Cyrillic
24	4	307	227
200-240	40	310	230
241	360	311	231
242-254	40	312	232
255	260	313	233
256-257	40	314	234
260	200	315	235
261	201	316	236
262	202	317	237
263	203	320	240
264	204	321	241
265	205	322	242
266	206	323	243
267	207	324	244
270	210	325	245
271	211	326	246
272	212	327	247

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-5	PC Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	PC Cyrillic
273	213	330	250
274	214	331	251
275	215	332	252
276	216	333	253
277	217	334	254
300	220	335	255
301	221	336	256
302	222	337	257
303	223	360-374	40
304	224	375	260
305	225	376	40
306	226	365	40

ISO 8859-5 to MS 1251 For the conversion of ISO 8859-5 to MS 1251, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-5	MS 1251	ISO 8859-5	MS 1251
24	4	317	337
200-237	40	320	340
241	250	321	341
242	200	322	342
243	201	323	343
244	252	324	344
245	275	325	345
246	262	326	346
247	257	327	347
250	243	330	350
251	212	331	351

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-5	MS 1251	ISO 8859-5	MS 1251
252	214	332	352
253	216	333	353
254	215	334	354
255	210	335	355
256	241	336	356
257	217	337	357
260	300	340	360
261	301	341	361
262	302	342	362
263	303	343	363
264	304	344	364
265	305	345	365
266	306	346	366
267	307	347	367
270	310	350	370
271	311	351	371
272	312	352	372
273	313	353	373
274	314	354	374
275	315	355	375
276	316	356	376
277	317	357	377
300	320	360	271
301	321	361	270
302	322	362	220
303	323	363	203
304	324	364	272

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-5	MS 1251	ISO 8859-5	MS 1251
305	325	365	276
306	326	366	263
307	327	367	277
310	330	370	274
311	331	371	232
312	332	372	234
313	333	373	236
314	334	374	235
315	335	375	210
316	336	376	242
376	331		

ISO 8859-5 to Mac Cyrillic

For the conversion of ISO 8859-5 to Mac Cyrillic, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-5	Mac Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	Mac Cyrillic
24	4	317	237
200-237	40	320	340
240	312	321	341
241	335	322	342
242	253	323	343
243	256	324	344
244	270	325	345
245	301	326	346
246	247	327	347
247	272	330	350
250	267	331	351
251	274	332	352

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-5	Mac Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	Mac Cyrillic
252	276	333	353
253	40	334	354
254	315	335	355
255	40	336	356
256	330	337	357
257	332	340	360
260	200	341	361
261	201	342	362
262	202	343	363
263	203	344	364
264	204	345	365
265	205	346	366
266	206	347	367
267	207	350	370
270	210	351	371
271	211	352	372
272	212	353	373
273	213	354	374
274	214	355	375
275	215	356	376
276	216	357	337
277	217	360	334
300	220	361	336
301	221	362	254
302	222	363	257
303	223	364	271
304	224	365	317

Conversions Performed			
ISO 8859-5	Mac Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	Mac Cyrillic
305	225	366	264
306	226	367	273
307	227	370	300
310	230	371	275
311	231	372	277
312	232	373	40
313	233	374	316
314	234	375	40
315	235	376	331
316	236		

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See Also [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)



**Name** iconv\_dhn – code set conversion tables for DHN (Dom Handlowy Nauki)

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
DHN	dhn	ISO 8859-2	iso2	ISO Latin 2
DHN	dhn	MS 1250	win2	Windows Latin 2
DHN	dhn	MS 852	dos2	MS-DOS Latin 2
DHN	dhn	Mazovia	maz	Mazovia

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

DHN to ISO 8859-2 For the conversion of DHN to ISO 8859-2, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
DHN	ISO 8859-2	DHN	ISO 8859-2
24-177	40	222	40
200	241	223	364
201	306	224	366
202	312	225-230	40
203	243	231	326
204	321	232	334
205	323	233-237	40
206	246	240	341
207	254	241	355
210	257	242	363
211	261	243	372
212	346	244-340	40
213	352	341	337
214	263	342-365	40

Conversions Performed			
DHN	ISO 8859-2	DHN	ISO 8859-2
215	361	366	367
216	363	367	40
217	266	370	260
220	274	371-376	40
221	277		

DHN to MS 1250 For the conversion of DHN to MS 1250, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
DHN	MS 1250	DHN	MS 1250
200	245	233-237	40
201	306	240	341
202	312	241	355
203	243	242	363
204	321	243	372
205	323	244-251	40
206	214	252	254
207	217	253-255	40
210	257	256	253
211	271	257	273
212	346	260-340	40
213	352	341	337
214	263	342-345	40
215	361	346	265
216	363	347-360	40
217	234	361	261
220	237	362-365	40
221	277	366	367

Conversions Performed			
DHN	MS 1250	DHN	MS 1250
222	40	367	40
223	364	370	260
224	366	371	40
225-230	40	372	267
231	326	373-376	40
232	334		

DHN to MS 852 For the conversion of DHN to MS 852, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
DHN	MS 852	DHN	MS 852
200	244	212	206
201	217	213	251
202	250	214	210
203	235	215	344
204	343	216	242
205	340	217	230
206	227	220	253
207	215	221	276
210	275	222-375	40
211	245		

DHN to Mazovia For the conversion of DHN to Mazovia, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
DHN	Mazovia	DHN	Mazovia
200	217	212	215
201	225	213	221

Conversions Performed			
DHN	Mazovia	DHN	Mazovia
202	220	214	222
203	234	215	244
204	245	216	242
205	243	217	236
206	230	220	246
207	240	221	247
210	241	222-247	40
211	206		

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See Also [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)

**Name** iconv\_koi8-r – code set conversion tables for KOI8-R

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
KOI8-R	koi8	ISO 8859-5	iso5	ISO 8859-5 Cyrillic
KOI8-R	koi8	PC Cyrillic	alt	Alternative PC Cyrillic
KOI8-R	koi8	MS 1251	win5	Windows Cyrillic
KOI8-R	koi8	Mac Cyrillic	mac	Macintosh Cyrillic

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

**KOI8-R to ISO 8859-5** For the conversion of KOI8-R to ISO 8859-5, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
KOI8-R	ISO 8859-5	KOI8-R	ISO 8859-5
24	4	320	337
241	362	321	357
242	363	322	340
243	361	323	341
244	364	324	342
245	365	325	343
246	366	327	322
247	367	330	354
250	370	331	353
251	371	332	327
252	372	333	350
253	373	334	355
254	374	335	351
256	376	336	347

Conversions Performed			
KOI8-R	ISO 8859-5	KOI8-R	ISO 8859-5
257	377	337	352
260	360	340	316
261	242	341	260
262	243	342	261
263	241	343	306
264	244	344	264
265	245	345	265
266	246	346	304
267	247	347	263
270	250	350	305
271	251	351	270
272	252	352	271
273	253	353	272
274	254	354	273
275	255	355	274
276	256	356	275
277	257	357	276
300	356	360	277
301	320	361	317
302	321	362	300
303	346	363	301
304	324	364	302
305	325	365	303
306	344	366	266
307	323	367	262
310	345	370	314
311	330	371	313

Conversions Performed			
KOI8-R	ISO 8859-5	KOI8-R	ISO 8859-5
312	331	372	267
313	332	373	310
314	333	374	315
315	334	375	311
316	335	376	307
317	336		

KOI8-R to PC Cyrillic For the conversion of KOI8-R to PC Cyrillic, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
KOI8-R	PC Cyrillic	KOI8-R	PC Cyrillic
24	4	333	350
200-242	40	334	355
243	361	335	351
244-254	40	336	347
255	260	337	352
256-262	40	340	236
263	360	341	200
264-274	40	342	201
275	260	343	226
276-277	40	344	204
300	356	345	205
301	240	346	224
302	241	347	203
303	346	350	225
304	244	351	210
305	245	352	211
306	344	353	212

Conversions Performed			
KOI8-R	PC Cyrillic	KOI8-R	PC Cyrillic
307	243	354	213
310	345	355	214
311	250	356	215
312	251	357	216
313	252	360	217
314	253	361	237
315	254	362	220
316	255	363	221
317	256	364	222
320	257	365	223
321	357	366	206
322	340	367	202
323	341	370	234
324	342	371	233
325	343	372	207
326	246	373	230
327	242	374	235
330	354	375	231
331	353	376	227
332	247		

KOI8-R to MS 1251 For the conversion of KOI8-R to MS 1251, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
KOI8-R	MS 1251	KOI8-R	MS 1251
24	4	317	356
200-237	40	320	357
241	220	321	377



Conversions Performed			
KOI8-R	MS 1251	KOI8-R	MS 1251
242	203	322	360
243	270	323	361
244	272	324	362
245	276	325	363
246	263	326	346
247	277	327	342
250	274	330	374
251	232	331	373
252	234	332	347
253	236	333	370
254	235	334	375
255	210	335	371
256	242	336	367
257	237	337	372
260	271	340	336
261	200	341	300
262	201	342	301
263	250	343	326
264	252	344	304
265	275	345	305
266	262	346	324
267	257	347	303
270	243	350	325
271	212	351	310
272	214	352	311
273	216	353	312
274	215	354	313

Conversions Performed			
KOI8-R	MS 1251	KOI8-R	MS 1251
275	210	355	314
276	241	356	315
277	217	357	316
300	376	360	317
301	340	361	337
302	341	362	320
303	366	363	321
304	344	364	322
305	345	365	323
306	364	366	306
307	343	367	302
310	365	370	334
311	350	371	333
312	351	372	307
313	352	373	330
314	353	374	335
315	354	375	331
316	355	376	327
376	227		

KOI8-R to Mac Cyrillic    For the conversion of KOI8-R to Mac Cyrillic, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
KOI8-R	Mac Cyrillic	KOI8-R	Mac Cyrillic
24	4	317	356
200-237	40	320	357
240	312	321	337
241	254	322	360

Conversions Performed			
KOI8-R	Mac Cyrillic	KOI8-R	Mac Cyrillic
242	257	323	361
243	336	324	362
244	271	325	363
245	317	326	346
246	264	327	342
247	273	330	374
250	300	331	373
251	275	332	347
252	277	333	370
253	40	334	375
254	316	335	371
255	40	336	367
256	331	337	372
257	333	340	236
260	334	341	200
261	253	342	201
262	256	343	226
263	335	344	204
264	270	345	205
265	301	346	224
266	247	347	203
267	272	350	225
270	267	351	210
271	274	352	211
272	276	353	212
273	40	354	213
274	315	355	214

Conversions Performed			
KOI8-R	Mac Cyrillic	KOI8-R	Mac Cyrillic
275	40	356	215
276	330	357	216
277	332	360	217
300	376	361	237
301	340	362	220
302	341	363	221
303	366	364	222
304	344	365	223
305	345	366	206
306	364	367	202
307	343	370	234
310	365	371	233
311	350	372	207
312	351	373	230
313	352	374	235
314	353	375	231
315	354	376	227
316	355		

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See Also [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)

**Name** iconv\_mac\_cyr – code set conversion tables for Macintosh Cyrillic

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
Mac Cyrillic	mac	ISO 8859-5	iso5	ISO 8859-5 Cyrillic
Mac Cyrillic	mac	KOI8-R	koi8	KOI8-R
Mac Cyrillic	mac	PC Cyrillic	alt	Alternative PC Cyrillic
Mac Cyrillic	mac	MS 1251	win5	Windows Cyrillic

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

Mac Cyrillic to ISO 8859-5 For the conversion of Mac Cyrillic to ISO 8859-5, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
Mac Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	Mac Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5
24	4	276	252
200	260	277	372
201	261	300	370
202	262	301	245
203	263	302-311	40
204	264	312	240
205	265	313	242
206	266	314	362
207	267	315	254
210	270	316	374
211	271	317	365
212	272	320-327	40
213	273	330	256
214	274	331	376

Conversions Performed			
Mac Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	Mac Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5
215	275	332	257
216	276	333	377
217	277	334	360
220	300	335	241
221	301	336	361
222	302	337	357
223	303	340	320
224	304	341	321
225	305	342	322
226	306	343	323
227	307	344	324
230	310	345	325
231	311	346	326
232	312	347	327
233	313	350	330
234	314	351	331
235	315	352	332
236	316	353	333
237	317	354	334
240-246	40	355	335
247	246	356	336
250-252	40	357	337
253	242	360	340
254	362	361	341
255	40	362	342
256	243	363	343
257	363	364	344

Conversions Performed			
Mac Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	Mac Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5
260-263	40	365	345
264	366	366	346
265-266	40	367	347
267	250	370	350
270	244	371	351
271	364	372	352
272	247	373	353
273	367	374	354
274	251	375	355
275	371	376	356
375	370		

Mac Cyrillic to KOI8-R For the conversion of Mac Cyrillic to KOI8-R, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
Mac Cyrillic	KOI8-R	Mac Cyrillic	KOI8-R
24	4	276	272
200	341	277	252
201	342	300	250
202	367	301	265
203	347	302-311	40
204	344	312	240
205	345	313	261
206	366	314	241
207	372	315	274
210	351	316	254
211	352	317	245
212	353	320-327	40

Conversions Performed			
Mac Cyrillic	KOI8-R	Mac Cyrillic	KOI8-R
213	354	330	276
214	355	331	256
215	356	332	277
216	357	333	257
217	360	334	260
220	362	335	263
221	363	336	243
222	364	337	321
223	365	340	301
224	346	341	302
225	350	342	327
226	343	343	307
227	376	344	304
230	373	345	305
231	375	346	326
232	377	347	332
233	371	350	311
234	370	351	312
235	374	352	313
236	340	353	314
237	361	354	315
240-246	40	355	316
247	266	356	317
250-252	40	357	320
253	261	360	322
254	241	361	323
255	40	362	324



Conversions Performed			
Mac Cyrillic	KOI8-R	Mac Cyrillic	KOI8-R
256	262	363	325
257	242	364	306
260-263	40	365	310
264	246	366	303
265-266	40	367	336
267	270	370	333
270	264	371	335
271	244	372	337
272	267	373	331
273	247	374	330
274	271	375	334
275	251	376	300
375	370		

Mac Cyrillic to PC  
Cyrillic

For the conversion of Mac Cyrillic to PC Cyrillic, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
Mac Cyrillic	PC Cyrillic	Mac Cyrillic	PC Cyrillic
24	4	355	255
240-334	40	356	256
335	360	357	257
336	361	360	340
337	357	361	341
340	240	362	342
341	241	363	343
342	242	364	344
343	243	365	345
344	244	366	346

Conversions Performed			
Mac Cyrillic	PC Cyrillic	Mac Cyrillic	PC Cyrillic
345	245	367	347
346	246	370	350
347	247	371	351
350	250	372	352
351	251	373	353
352	252	374	354
353	253	375	355
354	254	376	356
303	366		

Mac Cyrillic to MS 1251 For the conversion of Mac Cyrillic to MS 1251, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
Mac Cyrillic	MS 1251	Mac Cyrillic	MS 1251
24	4	255	40
200	300	256	201
201	301	257	203
202	302	260-263	40
203	303	264	263
204	304	266	264
205	305	267	243
206	306	270	252
207	307	271	272
210	310	272	257
211	311	273	277
212	312	274	212
213	313	275	232
214	314	276	214

Conversions Performed			
Mac Cyrillic	MS 1251	Mac Cyrillic	MS 1251
215	315	277	234
216	316	300	274
217	317	301	275
220	320	302	254
221	321	303-306	40
222	322	307	253
223	323	310	273
224	324	311	205
225	325	312	240
226	326	313	200
227	327	314	220
230	330	315	215
231	331	316	235
232	332	317	276
233	333	320	226
234	334	321	227
235	335	322	223
236	336	323	224
237	337	324	221
240	206	325	222
241	260	326	40
242	245	327	204
243	40	330	241
244	247	331	242
245	267	332	217
246	266	333	237
247	262	334	271

Conversions Performed			
Mac Cyrillic	MS 1251	Mac Cyrillic	MS 1251
250	256	335	250
252	231	336	270
253	200	337	377
254	220	362	324

- Files**    `/usr/lib/iconv/*.so`            conversion modules  
          `/usr/lib/iconv/*.t`            conversion tables  
          `/usr/lib/iconv/iconv_data`    list of conversions supported by conversion tables

**See Also**    [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)

**Name** iconv\_maz – code set conversion tables for Mazovia

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
Mazovia	maz	ISO 8859-2	iso2	ISO Latin 2
Mazovia	maz	MS 1250	win2	Windows Latin 2
Mazovia	maz	MS 852	dos2	MS-DOS Latin 2
Mazovia	maz	DHN	dhn	Dom Hanlowy Nauki

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

Mazovia to ISO 8859-2 For the conversion of Mazovia to ISO 8859-2, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
Mazovia	ISO 8859-2	Mazovia	ISO 8859-2
24–177	40	230	246
200	307	231	326
201	374	232	334
202	351	233	40
203	342	234	243
204	344	235	40
205	40	236	266
206	261	237	40
207	347	240	254
210	40	241	257
211	353	242	363
212–213	40	243	323
214	356	244	361
215	346	245	321

Conversions Performed			
Mazovia	ISO 8859-2	Mazovia	ISO 8859-2
216	304	246	274
217	241	247	277
220	312	250-340	40
221	352	341	337
222	263	342-365	40
223	364	366	367
224	366	367	40
225	306	370	260
226-227	40	371-376	40
256	201		

Mazovia to MS 1250 For the conversion of Mazovia to MS 1250, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Mazovia	MS 1250	Mazovia	MS 1250
200	307	236	234
201	374	237	40
202	351	240	217
203	342	241	257
204	344	242	363
205	40	243	323
206	271	244	361
207	347	245	321
210	40	246	237
211	353	247	277
212-213	40	250-251	40
214	356	252	254
215	346	253-255	40
216	304	256	253

Mazovia	MS 1250	Mazovia	MS 1250
217	245	257	273
220	312	260-340	40
221	352	341	337
222	263	342-345	40
223	364	346	265
224	366	347-360	40
225	306	361	261
226-227	40	362-365	0
230	214	366	367
231	326	367	40
232	334	370	260
233	40	371	40
234	243	372	267
235	40	373-376	40
274	212		

Mazovia to MS 852 For the conversion of Mazovia to MS 852, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
Mazovia	MS 852	Mazovia	MS 852
205	40	234	235
206	245	235	40
210-213	40	236	230
215	206	237	40
217	244	240	215
220	250	241	275
221	251	243	340
222	210	244	344
225	217	245	343

Conversions Performed			
Mazovia	MS 852	Mazovia	MS 852
226-227	40	246	253
230	227	247	276
233	40	250-375	40
227	327		

Mazovia to DHN For the conversion of Mazovia to DHN, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
Mazovia	DHN	Mazovia	DHN
200-205	40	234	203
206	211	236	217
207-214	40	240	207
215	212	241	210
216	40	242	216
217	200	243	205
220	202	244	215
221	214	246	220
225	201	247	221
230	206		

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See Also [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)



**Name** iconv\_pc\_cyr – code set conversion tables for Alternative PC Cyrillic

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

Code Set Conversions Supported				
Code	Symbol	Target Code	Symbol	Target Output
PC Cyrillic	alt	ISO 8859-5	iso5	ISO 8859-5 Cyrillic
PC Cyrillic	alt	KOI8-R	koi8	KOI8-R
PC Cyrillic	alt	MS 1251	win5	Windows Cyrillic
PC Cyrillic	alt	Mac Cyrillic	mac	Macintosh Cyrillic

**Conversions** The conversions are performed according to the following tables. All values in the tables are given in octal.

**PC Cyrillic to ISO 8859-5** For the conversion of PC Cyrillic to ISO 8859-5, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
PC Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	PC Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5
24	4	231	311
200	260	232	312
201	261	233	313
202	262	234	314
203	263	235	315
204	264	236	316
205	265	237	317
206	266	240	320
207	267	241	321
210	270	242	322
211	271	243	323
212	272	244	324
213	273	245	325
214	274	246	326

Conversions Performed			
PC Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5	PC Cyrillic	ISO 8859-5
215	275	247	327
216	276	250	330
217	277	251	331
220	300	252	332
221	301	253	333
222	302	254	334
223	303	255	335
224	304	256	336
225	305	257	337
226	306	260-337	255
227	307	360	241
230	310	362-376	255

PC Cyrillic to KOI8-R For the conversion of PC Cyrillic to KOI8-R, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
PC Cyrillic	KOI8-R	PC Cyrillic	KOI8-R
24	4	242	327
200	341	243	307
201	342	244	304
202	367	245	305
203	347	246	326
204	344	247	332
205	345	250	311
206	366	251	312
207	372	252	313
210	351	253	314
211	352	254	315

Conversions Performed			
PC Cyrillic	KOI8-R	PC Cyrillic	KOI8-R
212	353	255	316
213	354	256	317
214	355	257	320
215	356	260-337	255
216	357	340	322
217	360	341	323
220	362	342	324
221	363	343	325
222	364	344	306
223	365	345	310
224	346	346	303
225	350	347	336
226	343	350	333
227	376	351	335
230	373	352	337
231	375	353	331
232	377	354	330
233	371	355	334
234	370	356	300
235	374	357	321
236	340	360	263
237	361	361	243
240	301	362-376	255
241	302		

PC Cyrillic to MS 1251 For the conversion of PC Cyrillic to MS 1251, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
PC Cyrillic	MS 1251	PC Cyrillic	MS 1251
24	4	242	342
200	300	243	343
201	301	244	344
202	302	245	345
203	303	246	346
204	304	247	347
205	305	250	350
206	306	251	351
207	307	252	352
210	310	253	353
211	311	254	354
212	312	255	355
213	313	256	356
214	314	257	357
215	315	260-337	210
216	316	340	360
217	317	341	361
220	320	342	362
221	321	343	363
222	322	344	364
223	323	345	365
224	324	346	366
225	325	347	367
226	326	350	370
227	327	351	371
230	330	352	372
231	331	353	373

Conversions Performed			
PC Cyrillic	MS 1251	PC Cyrillic	MS 1251
232	332	354	374
233	333	355	375
234	334	356	376
235	335	357	377
236	336	360	250
237	337	361	270
240	340	362-376	210
241	341		

PC Cyrillic to Mac Cyrillic For the conversion of PC Cyrillic to Mac Cyrillic, all characters not in the following table are mapped unchanged.

Conversions Performed			
PC Cyrillic	Mac Cyrillic	PC Cyrillic	Mac Cyrillic
24	4	341	361
240	340	342	362
241	341	343	363
242	342	344	364
243	343	345	365
244	344	346	366
245	345	347	367
246	346	350	370
247	347	351	371
250	350	352	372
251	351	353	373
252	352	354	374
253	353	355	375
254	354	356	376
255	355	357	337

Conversions Performed			
PC Cyrillic	Mac Cyrillic	PC Cyrillic	Mac Cyrillic
256	356	360	335
257	357	361	336
260-337	40	362-376	40
340	360		

- Files**    `/usr/lib/iconv/*.so`            conversion modules  
          `/usr/lib/iconv/*.t`            conversion tables  
          `/usr/lib/iconv/iconv_data`    list of conversions supported by conversion tables

**See Also**    [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)

**Name** iconv\_unicode – code set conversion tables for Unicode

**Description** The following code set conversions are supported:

CODE SET CONVERSIONS SUPPORTED			
-----			
FROM Code Set Code	FROM Filename Element	TO Code Set Target Code	TO Filename Element
ISO 8859-1 (Latin 1)	8859-1	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO 8859-2 (Latin 2)	8859-2	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO 8859-3 (Latin 3)	8859-3	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO 8859-4 (Latin 4)	8859-4	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO 8859-5 (Cyrillic)	8859-5	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO 8859-6 (Arabic)	8859-6	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO 8859-7 (Greek)	8859-7	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO 8859-8 (Hebrew)	8859-8	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO 8859-9 (Latin 5)	8859-9	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO 8859-10 (Latin 6)	8859-10	UTF-8	UTF-8
Japanese EUC	eucJP	UTF-8	UTF-8
Chinese/PRC EUC			
(GB 2312-1980)	gb2312	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO-2022	iso2022	UTF-8	UTF-8
Korean EUC	ko_KR-euc	Korean UTF-8	ko_KR-UTF-8
ISO-2022-KR	ko_KR-iso2022-7	Korean UTF-8	ko_KR-UTF-8
Korean Johap			
(KS C 5601-1987)	ko_KR-johap	Korean UTF-8	ko_KR-UTF-8
Korean Johap			
(KS C 5601-1992)	ko_KR-johap92	Korean UTF-8	ko_KR-UTF-8
Korean UTF-8	ko_KR-UTF-8	Korean EUC	ko_KR-euc
Korean UTF-8	ko_KR-UTF-8	Korean Johap	ko_KR-johap
		(KS C 5601-1987)	
Korean UTF-8	ko_KR-UTF-8	Korean Johap	ko_KR-johap92
		(KS C 5601-1992)	
KOI8-R (Cyrillic)	KOI8-R	UCS-2	UCS-2
KOI8-R (Cyrillic)	KOI8-R	UTF-8	UTF-8
PC Kanji (SJIS)	PCK	UTF-8	UTF-8
PC Kanji (SJIS)	SJIS	UTF-8	UTF-8
UCS-2	UCS-2	KOI8-R (Cyrillic)	KOI8-R
UCS-2	UCS-2	UCS-4	UCS-4

#### CODE SET CONVERSIONS SUPPORTED

-----			
FROM Code Set Code	FROM Filename Element	TO Code Set Target Code	TO Filename Element

Element		Element	
UCS-2	UCS-2	UTF-7	UTF-7
UCS-2	UCS-2	UTF-8	UTF-8
UCS-4	UCS-4	UCS-2	UCS-2
UCS-4	UCS-4	UTF-16	UTF-16
UCS-4	UCS-4	UTF-7	UTF-7
UCS-4	UCS-4	UTF-8	UTF-8
UTF-16	UTF-16	UCS-4	UCS-4
UTF-16	UTF-16	UTF-8	UTF-8
UTF-7	UTF-7	UCS-2	UCS-2
UTF-7	UTF-7	UCS-4	UCS-4
UTF-7	UTF-7	UTF-8	UTF-8
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 8859-1 (Latin 1)	8859-1
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 8859-2 (Latin 2)	8859-2
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 8859-3 (Latin 3)	8859-3
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 8859-4 (Latin 4)	8859-4
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 8859-5 (Cyrillic)	8859-5
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 8859-6 (Arabic)	8859-6
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 8859-7 (Greek)	8859-7
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 8859-8 (Hebrew)	8859-8
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 8859-9 (Latin 5)	8859-9
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 8859-10 (Latin 6)	8859-10
UTF-8	UTF-8	Japanese EUC	eucJP
UTF-8	UTF-8	Chinese/PRC EUC (GB 2312-1980)	gb2312
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO-2022	iso2022
UTF-8	UTF-8	KOI8-R (Cyrillic)	KOI8-R
UTF-8	UTF-8	PC Kanji (SJIS)	PCK
UTF-8	UTF-8	PC Kanji (SJIS)	SJIS
UTF-8	UTF-8	UCS-2	UCS-2
UTF-8	UTF-8	UCS-4	UCS-4
UTF-8	UTF-8	UTF-16	UTF-16
UTF-8	UTF-8	UTF-7	UTF-7
UTF-8	UTF-8	Chinese/PRC EUC (GB 2312-1980)	zh_CN.euc

CODE SET CONVERSIONS SUPPORTED

FROM Code Set		TO Code Set	
Code	FROM Filename Element	Target Code	TO Filename Element
UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 2022-CN	zh_CN.iso2022-7
UTF-8	UTF-8	Chinese/Taiwan Big5	zh_TW-big5
UTF-8	UTF-8	Chinese/Taiwan EUC (CNS 11643-1992)	zh_TW-euc



UTF-8	UTF-8	ISO 2022-TW	zh_TW-iso2022-7
Chinese/PRC EUC (GB 2312-1980)	zh_CN.euc	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO 2022-CN	zh_CN.iso2022-7	UTF-8	UTF-8
Chinese/Taiwan Big5	zh_TW-big5	UTF-8	UTF-8
Chinese/Taiwan EUC (CNS 11643-1992)	zh_TW-euc	UTF-8	UTF-8
ISO 2022-TW	zh_TW-iso2022-7	UTF-8	UTF-8

**Examples** **EXAMPLE 1** The library module filename

In the conversion library, `/usr/lib/conv` (see [iconv\(3C\)](#)), the library module filename is composed of two symbolic elements separated by the percent sign (%). The first symbol specifies the code set that is being converted; the second symbol specifies the *target code*, that is, the code set to which the first one is being converted.

In the conversion table above, the first symbol is termed the "FROM Filename Element". The second symbol, representing the target code set, is the "TO Filename Element".

For example, the library module filename to convert from the *Korean EUC* code set to the *Korean UTF-8* code set is

ko KR-euc%ko KR-UTF-8

**Files** /usr/lib/iconv/\*.so conversion modules

**See Also** [iconv\(1\)](#), [iconv\(3C\)](#), [iconv\(5\)](#)

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**Notes** ISO 8859 character sets using Latin alphabetic characters are distinguished as follows:

ISO 8859-1 (Latin 1)

For most West European languages, including:

Albanian	Finnish	Italian
Catalan	French	Norwegian
Danish	German	Portuguese
Dutch	Galician	Spanish
English	Irish	Swedish
Faeroese	Icelandic	

ISO 8859-2 (Latin 2)

For most Latin-written Slavic and Central European languages:

Czech	Polish	Slovak
German	Rumanian	Slovene
Hungarian	Croatian	

ISO 8859-3 (Latin 3)

Popularly used for Esperanto, Galician, Maltese, and Turkish.

ISO 8859-4 (Latin 4)

Introduces letters for Estonian, Latvian, and Lithuanian. It is an incomplete predecessor of ISO 8859-10 (Latin 6).

ISO 8859-9 (Latin 5)

Replaces the rarely needed Icelandic letters in ISO 8859-1 (Latin 1) with the Turkish ones.

ISO 8859-10 (Latin 6)

Adds the last Inuit (Greenlandic) and Sami (Lappish) letters that were not included in ISO 8859-4 (Latin 4) to complete coverage of the Nordic area.

**Name** ieee802.3, cap\_autoneg, cap\_1000fdx, cap\_1000hdx, cap\_100fdx, cap\_100hdx, cap\_10fdx, cap\_10hdx, cap\_rem\_fault, cap\_pause, cap\_asmpause, adv\_cap\_autoneg, adv\_cap\_1000fdx, adv\_cap\_1000hdx, adv\_cap\_100fdx, adv\_cap\_100hdx, adv\_cap\_10fdx, adv\_cap\_10hdx, adv\_cap\_pause, adv\_cap\_asmpause, adv\_rem\_fault, lp\_cap\_autoneg, lp\_cap\_1000fdx, lp\_cap\_1000hdx, lp\_cap\_100fdx, lp\_cap\_100hdx, lp\_cap\_10fdx, lp\_cap\_10hdx, lp\_cap\_pause, lp\_cap\_asmpause, lp\_rem\_fault, xcvr\_addr, xcvr\_id, xcvr\_inuse, link\_up, link\_duplex, link\_pause, link\_asmpause – Ethernet mii kstat and ndd parameters

**Description** This page describes the kernel statistics and the [nnd\(1M\)](#) configuration parameters used to monitor and configure the Ethernet physical layer.

The cap\_\* parameters exist in the kernel statistics for an Ethernet device. The parameters describe the maximum capability of a device. When the value of a statistic is 1, the device has the capability described. When the value is 0, the device does not have the capability.

The exceptions to this rule are the cap\_asmpause and cap\_pause parameters which are explained later in the page.

cap_autoneg	Capable of auto-negotiation
cap_1000fdx	Capable of 1000 full duplex operation
cap_1000hdx	Capable of 1000 half duplex operation
cap_100fdx	Capable of 100 full duplex operation
cap_100hdx	Capable of 100 half duplex operation
cap_10fdx	Capable of 10 full duplex operation
cap_10hdx	Capable of 10 half duplex operation
cap_rem_fault	Capable of reporting locally detected faults to link partner

The adv\_cap\_\* parameters exist in the kernel statistics and represent a mirror image of the ndd adv\_\*\_cap parameter list for an Ethernet device. The ndd adv\_\*\_cap tuning parameters allow fine grain control of the Ethernet device physical layer. The parameters are also a subset of the cap\_\* statistics. If the cap\_\* value is 0, the corresponding adv\_cap\_\* must also be 0. The exceptions to this rule are the adv\_cap\_asmpause and adv\_cap\_pause parameters.

When auto-negotiation is enabled, the adv\_\*\_cap statistics show which capabilities are advertised to the link partner. When auto-negotiation is disabled in *forced mode*, the statistics precisely show how a link should function and that it must be matched on the link partner to achieve a valid link up.

Statistics with values other than 0 and 1 are also described in the following.

adv_cap_autoneg	Advertise auto-negotiation capability
adv_cap_1000fdx	Advertise 1000 full duplex capability

<code>adv_cap_1000hdx</code>	Advertise 1000 half duplex capability
<code>adv_cap_100fdx</code>	Advertise 100 full duplex capability
<code>adv_cap_100hdx</code>	Advertise 100 half duplex capability
<code>adv_cap_10fdx</code>	Advertise 10 full duplex capability
<code>adv_cap_10hdxv</code>	Advertise 10 half duplex capability
<code>adv_rem_fault</code>	Fault value reported by the local system to the peer
	0 Link is good
	1 Off line
	2 Link failure
	3 Auto-negotiation failure

The `lp_cap_*` parameters exist as kernel statistics for an Ethernet device. The statistics are the advertised capabilities provided by the link partner on completion of auto-negotiation. If the capabilities match the capabilities provided in the local advertisement, the link can proceed to a link up state. If no match is found, the link remains down. In two other instances, `lp_cap_*` values might all be zero: when a cable is not present, when forced mode is enabled.

<code>lp_cap_autoneg</code>	Link partner advertises auto-negotiation capability
<code>lp_cap_1000fdx</code>	Link partner advertises 1000 full duplex capability
<code>lp_cap_1000hdx</code>	Link partner advertises 1000 half duplex capability
<code>lp_cap_100fdx</code>	Link partner advertises 100 full duplex capability
<code>lp_cap_100hdx</code>	Link partner advertises 100 half duplex capability
<code>lp_cap_10fdx</code>	Link partner advertises 10 full duplex capability
<code>lp_cap_10hdx</code>	Link partner advertises 10 half duplex capability
<code>lp_rem_fault</code>	Fault value the remote system reports
	0 Link is good
	1 Off line
	2 Link failure
	3 Auto-negotiation failure

The `xcvr_*` kernel statistics provide information about the physical layer device that is in use.

<code>xcvr_addr</code>	MII address in the 0 to 31 range of the physical layer device in use for a given Ethernet device
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xcvr_id	MII transceiver manufacturer and device ID	
xcvr_inuse	MII transceiver type, based on the following list:	
	0 other	Undefined
	1 none	MII present, but nothing connected
	2 10Mb/s	10Mb/s Manchester encoding
	3 100BaseT4	100 Mb/s 8B/6T
	4 100BaseX	100 Mb/s 4B/5B
	5 100BaseT2	100 Mb/s PAM5X5
	6 1000BaseX	1000 Mb/s 8B/10B
	7 1000BaseT	1000 Mb/s 4D-PAM5

The above values define maximum capability. In many cases, lower speeds can occur. The cap\_\* statistics must be viewed to establish the range of capability.

The link\_\* kernel statistics show the link state at the local end of the connection.

link_up	1	Link is up
	0	Link is down
link_duplex	2	Full duplex link
	1	Half duplex link
	0	Unknown

The cap\_asmpause, cap\_pause, adv\_cap\_asmpause, and adv\_cap\_pause parameters do not follow the rules of other cap\_\* and adv\_cap\_\* kstats or parameters.

cap_pause	The meaning of this statistic depends on the value provided by cap_asmpause.	
	if cap_asmpause = 1, pause one direction	
	1	Send pause frames when there is receive congestion.
	0	Pause transmission when a pause frame is received.
	if cap_asmpause = 0, pause in either direction	
	1	Send pause frames when there is receive congestion, and pause transmission when a pause frame is received.

0      Pause capability is not available in either direction.

cap\_asmpause      Asymmetric pause capability

The adv\_cap\_pause and adv\_cap\_asmpause statistics are limited by the available settings for cap\_pause and cap\_asmpause. For a device that is fully capable of pausing both Rx (receive) and Tx (transmit) operations, the settings available are defined in the truth table that follows the adv\_cap\_pause and adv\_cap\_asmpause parameter descriptions below.

adv\_cap\_pause      The meaning of this statistic depends on the value provided by adv\_cap\_asmpause.

if adv\_cap\_asmpause = 1

1      Send pause frames when there is receive congestion.

0      Pause transmission when a pause frame is received.

if adv\_cap\_asmpause = 0

1      Send pause frames when there is receive congestion, and pause transmission when a pause frame is received.

0      Pause capability is not available in either direction.

adv\_cap\_asmpause      Asymmetric pause capability

The cap\_asmpause and cap\_pause statistics show the capability of a device and also limit the legal setting for adv\_cap\_asmpause and adv\_cap\_pause. The following truth table describes the available adv\_cap\_asmpause and adv\_cap\_pause settings limited by cap\_asmpause and cap\_pause statistics. The abbreviations below are used in the table.

CA      cap\_asmpause  
CP      cap\_pause  
AA      adv\_cap\_asmpause  
AP      adv\_cap\_pause

CP	CA	AP	AA	Description
0	0	0	0	No pause in use
0	0	x	x	Device not pause capable, cannot set
0	1	0	0	Asymmetric Rx pause capable, but not advertised
0	1	0	1	Asymmetric Rx pause capable and advertised
0	1	1	0	Asymmetric Rx pause capable, making it impossible advertise symmetric pause

0	1	1	1	Asymmetric Rx pause capable, making it impossible advertise asymmetric Tx pause
1	0	0	0	Symmetric pause capable, but not advertised
1	0	0	1	Symmetric pause capable, advertising asymmetric Rx pause only
1	0	1	0	Symmetric pause capable, advertising symmetric Rx and Tx pause capability
1	0	1	1	Symmetric pause capable, advertising asymmetric Tx pause only
1	1	0	0	Asymmetric Tx pause capable, but not advertised
1	1	0	1	Asymmetric Tx pause capable, making it impossible to advertise Asymmetric Rx pause
1	1	1	0	Asymmetric Tx pause capable, making it impossible advertise symmetric pause
1	1	1	1	Asymmetric Tx pause capable and advertised

In the cases above, an error is posted when a device driver cannot advertise. A new setting is ignored and values revert to the previous setting.

The lp\_cap\_pause and the lp\_cap\_asmpause provide the advertised capabilities of the link partners.

lp_cap_pause	The meaning of this statistic depends on the value provided by lp_cap_asmpause.  if lp_cap_asmpause = 1 1 Send pause frames when there is receive congestion. 0 Pause transmission when a pause frame is received.  if lp_cap_asmpause = 0 1 Send pause frames when there is receive congestion, and pause transmission when a pause frame is received. 0 Pause capability is not available in either direction.
lp_cap_asmpause	Asymmetric pause capability

When adv\_\*pause\_cap and lp\_\*pause\_cap are compared on completion of auto-negotiation, the chosen flow control mechanism for the link depends on what is most meaningful.

link_asmpause	1 indicates flow control in one direction.
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	0	indicates flow control in both directions when link_pause is set to one.
link_pause	if link_asmpause = 0	
	1	Flow control in both Rx and Tx directions is available.
	0	No flow control available on the link.
	if link_asmpause = 1	
	1	The local station will honor received pause frames by temporarily suspending transmit of further frames.
	0	In the event of receive congestion, the local station will transmit a pause frame to the peer.
lp_cap_asmpause	Asymmetric pause capability	

The following truth table illustrates the meaningful flow control combinations related to local and link partner configurations. The abbreviations below are used in the table.

AA	adv_cap_asmpause
AP	adv_cap_pause
LAC	lp_cap_asmpause
LPC	lp_cap_pause
LA	link_asmpause
LP	link_pause

AA	AP	LAC	LPC	LA	LP	Description
1	0	1	1	1	0	Local station will Tx a pause when Rx is congested.
0	1	0	1	0	1	Flow control in both Rx and Tx directions.
x	1	1	0	1	1	Local station will honor received Pause frames by temporarily suspending Transmit.
x	x	x	x	0	0	All other combinations: Flow control not avilable on the link

When forced mode is enabled, the current setting of adv\_cap\_asmpause and adv\_cap\_pause are used for the link. The link\_asmpause and link\_pause become equal to the current adv\_cap\_asmpause and adv\_cap\_pause settings. The above table also applies in forced mode, but the link partner configuration must be checked to verify that flow control is operating on the link.

**See Also** [nbd\(1M\)](#), [driver.conf\(4\)](#), [bge\(7D\)](#), [ce\(7D\)](#), [d1pi\(7P\)](#), [eri\(7D\)](#), [ge\(7D\)](#), [gld\(7D\)](#), [hme\(7D\)](#), [qfe\(7d\)](#)

**Notes** When `adv_cap_autoneg` is set to 0, the highest priority speed and duplex is used for forced mode.

The highest priority is the highest speed at full duplex. The lowest priority is the lowest speed at half duplex.

MII transceivers can exist internally to a system or can be connected to an external MII connector. Typically, an internal transceiver has an `xcvr_addr` of 1, while an external connection has an `xcvr_addr` of 0.

**Name** ipfilter – IP packet filtering software

**Description** IP Filter is software that provides packet filtering capabilities on a Solaris system. On a properly setup system, it can be used to build a firewall.

Solaris IP Filter is installed with the Solaris operating system. However, packet filtering is not enabled by default. See [ipf\(1M\)](#) for a procedure to enable and activate the IP Filter feature.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving

**See Also** [ipf\(1M\)](#), [ipnat\(1M\)](#), [ipf\(4\)](#), [ipnat\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

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**Notes** To view license terms, attribution, and copyright for IP Filter, the default path is `/usr/lib/ipf/IPFILTER.LICENCE`. If the Solaris operating system has been installed anywhere other than the default, modify the given path to access the file at the installed location.

In the current release of the Solaris operating system, IP Filter startup configuration files are stored in `/etc/ipf`.

**Name** isalist – the native instruction sets known to Solaris software

**Description** The possible instruction set names returned by `isalist(1)` and the `SI_ISALIST` command of `sysinfo(2)` are listed here.

The list is ordered within an instruction set family in the sense that later names are generally faster than earlier names; note that this is in the reverse order than listed by `isalist(1)` and `sysinfo(2)`. In the following list of values, numbered entries generally represent increasing performance; lettered entries are either mutually exclusive or cannot be ordered.

SPARC Platforms	Where appropriate, correspondence with a given value of the <code>-xarch</code> option of Sun's C 4.0 compiler is indicated. Other compilers may have similar options.	
1a. sparc	Indicates the SPARC V8 instruction set, as defined in The SPARC Architecture Manual, Version 8, Prentice-Hall, Inc., 1992. Some instructions (such as integer multiply and divide, FSMULD, and all floating point operations on quad operands) may be emulated by the kernel on certain systems.	
1b. sparcv7	Same as sparc. This corresponds to code produced with the <code>-xarch=v7</code> option of Sun's C 4.0 compiler.	
2. sparcv8-fsmuld	Like sparc, except that integer multiply and divide must be executed in hardware. This corresponds to code produced with the <code>-xarch=v8a</code> option of Sun's C 4.0 compiler.	
3. sparcv8	Like sparcv8-fsmuld, except that FSMULD must also be executed in hardware. This corresponds to code produced with the <code>-xarch=v8</code> option of Sun's C 4.0 compiler.	
4. sparcv8plus	Indicates the SPARC V8 instruction set plus those instructions in the SPARC V9 instruction set, as defined in The SPARC Architecture Manual, Version 9, Prentice-Hall, 1994, that can be used according to The V8+ Technical Specification. This corresponds to code produced with the <code>-xarch=v8plus</code> option of Sun's C 4.0 compiler.	
5a. sparcv8plus+vis	Like sparcv8plus, with the addition of those UltraSPARC I Visualization Instructions that can be used according to The V8+ Technical Specification. This corresponds to code produced with the <code>-xarch=v8plusa</code> option of Sun's C 4.0 compiler.	
5b. sparcv8plus+fmuladd	Like sparcv8plus, with the addition of the Fujitsu SPARC64 floating multiply-add and multiply-subtract instructions.	
6. sparcv9	Indicates the SPARC V9 instruction set, as defined in The SPARC Architecture Manual, Version 9, Prentice-Hall, 1994.	

	7a. sparcv9+vis	Like sparcv9, with the addition of the UltraSPARC I Visualization Instructions.
	7b. sparcv9+vis2	Like sparcv9, with the addition of the UltraSPARC III Visualization Instructions.
	7c. sparcv9+fmuladd	Like sparcv9, with the addition of the Fujitsu SPARC64 floating multiply-add and multiply-subtract instructions.
x86 Platforms	1. i386	The Intel 80386 instruction set, as described in The i386 Microprocessor Programmer's Reference Manual.
	2. i486	The Intel 80486 instruction set, as described in The i486 Microprocessor Programmer's Reference Manual. (This is effectively i386, plus the CMPXCHG, BSWAP, and XADD instructions.)
	3. pentium	The Intel Pentium instruction set, as described in The Pentium Processor User's Manual. (This is effectively i486, plus the CPU_ID instruction, and any features that the CPU_ID instruction indicates are present.)
	4. pentium+mmx	Like pentium, with the MMX instructions guaranteed present.
	5. pentium_pro	The Intel PentiumPro instruction set, as described in The PentiumPro Family Developer's Manual. (This is effectively pentium, with the CMOVcc, FCMOVcc, FCOMI, and RDPMC instructions guaranteed present.)
	6. pentium_pro+mmx	Like pentium_pro, with the MMX instructions guaranteed present.
	7. amd64	The AMD Opteron instruction set, as described in the <i>AMD64 Architecture Programmer's Manual</i> .

**See Also** [isalist\(1\)](#), [sysinfo\(2\)](#)

**Name** kerberos – overview of Solaris Kerberos implementation

**Description** The Solaris Kerberos implementation, hereafter sometimes shortened to “Kerberos,” authenticates clients in a network environment, allowing for secure transactions. (A client may be a user or a network service.) Kerberos validates the identity of a client and the authenticity of transferred data. Kerberos is a *single-sign-on* system, meaning that a user needs to provide a password only at the beginning of a session. The Solaris Kerberos implementation is based on the Kerberos(TM) system developed at MIT, and is compatible with Kerberos V5 systems over heterogeneous networks.

Kerberos works by granting clients *tickets*, which uniquely identify a client, and which have a finite lifetime. A client possessing a ticket is automatically validated for network services for which it is entitled; for example, a user with a valid Kerberos ticket may rlogin into another machine running Kerberos without having to identify itself. Because each client has a unique ticket, its identity is guaranteed.

To obtain tickets, a client must first initialize the Kerberos session, either by using the `kinit(1)` command or a PAM module. (See `pam_krb5(5)`.) `kinit` prompts for a password, and then communicates with a *Key Distribution Center* (KDC). The KDC returns a *Ticket-Granting Ticket* (TGT) and prompts for a confirmation password. If the client confirms the password, it can use the Ticket-Granting Ticket to obtain tickets for specific network services. Because tickets are granted transparently, the user need not worry about their management. Current tickets may be viewed by using the `klist(1)` command.

Tickets are valid according to the system *policy* set up at installation time. For example, tickets have a default lifetime for which they are valid. A policy may further dictate that privileged tickets, such as those belonging to root, have very short lifetimes. Policies may allow some defaults to be overruled; for example, a client may request a ticket with a lifetime greater or less than the default.

Tickets can be renewed using `kinit`. Tickets are also *forwardable*, allowing you to use a ticket granted on one machine on a different host. Tickets can be destroyed by using `kdestroy(1)`. It is a good idea to include a call to `kdestroy` in your `.logout` file.

Under Kerberos, a client is referred to as a *principal*. A principal takes the following form:

primary/instance@REALM

primary	A user, a host, or a service.
instance	A qualification of the primary. If the primary is a host — indicated by the keyword <code>host</code> — then the instance is the fully-qualified domain name of that host. If the primary is a user or service, then the instance is optional. Some instances, such as <code>admin</code> or <code>root</code> , are privileged.
realm	The Kerberos equivalent of a domain; in fact, in most cases the realm is directly mapped to a DNS domain name. Kerberos realms are given in upper-case only.

For examples of principal names, see the EXAMPLES.

By taking advantage of the General Security Services API (GSS-API), Kerberos offers, besides user authentication, two other types of security service: *integrity*, which authenticates the validity of transmitted data, and *privacy*, which encrypts transmitted data. Developers can take advantage of the GSS-API through the use of the RPCSEC\_GSS API interface (see [rpcsec\\_gss\(3NSL\)](#)).

**Examples** EXAMPLE 1 Examples of valid principal names

The following are examples of valid principal names:

```
joe
joe/admin
joe@ENG.ACME.COM
joe/admin@ENG.ACME.COM
rlogin/bigmachine.eng.acme.com@ENG.ACME.COM
host/bigmachine.eng.acme.com@ENG.ACME.COM
```

The first four cases are *user principals*. In the first two cases, it is assumed that the user joe is in the same realm as the client, so no realm is specified. Note that joe and joe/admin are different principals, even if the same user uses them; joe/admin has different privileges from joe. The fifth case is a *service principal*, while the final case is a *host principal*. The word host is required for host principals. With host principals, the instance is the fully qualified hostname. Note that the words admin and host are reserved keywords.

**See Also** [kdestroy\(1\)](#), [kinit\(1\)](#), [klist\(1\)](#), [kpasswd\(1\)](#), [krb5.conf\(4\)](#), [krb5envvar\(5\)](#)

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**Notes** In previous releases of the Solaris operating system, the Solaris Kerberos implementation was referred to as the “Sun Enterprise Authentication Mechanism” (SEAM).

If you enter your username and kinit responds with this message:

```
Principal unknown (kerberos)
```

you have not been registered as a Kerberos user. See your system administrator or the [System Administration Guide: Security Services](#).

**Name** krb5\_auth\_rules – overview of Kerberos V5 authorization

**Description** When kerberized versions of the ftp, rdist, rcp, rlogin, rsh, telnet, or ssh clients are used to connect to a server, the identity of the originating user must be authenticated to the Kerberos V5 authentication system. Account access can then be authorized if appropriate entries exist in the `~/ .k5login` file, the `gsscred` table, or if the default GSS/Kerberos authentication rules successfully map the Kerberos principal name to Unix login name.

To avoid security problems, the `~/ .k5login` file must be owned by the remote user on the server the client is attempting to access. The file should contain a private authorization list comprised of Kerberos principal names of the form *principal/instance@realm*. The */instance* variable is optional in Kerberos principal names. For example, different principal names such as `jdb@ENG.ACME.COM` and `jdb/happy.eng.acme.com@ENG.ACME.COM` would each be legal, though not equivalent, Kerberos principals. The client is granted access if the `~/ .k5login` file is located in the login directory of the remote user account and if the originating user can be authenticated to one of the principals named in the file. See [gkadmin\(1M\)](#) and [kadm5.acl\(4\)](#) for more information on Kerberos principal names.

When no `~/ .k5login` file is found in the remote user's login account, the Kerberos V5 principal name associated with the originating user is checked against the `gsscred` table. If a `gsscred` table exists and the principal name is matched in the table, access is granted if the Unix user ID listed in the table corresponds to the user account the client is attempting to access. If the Unix user ID does not match, access is denied. See [gsscred\(1M\)](#).

For example, an originating user listed in the `gsscred` table with the principal name `jdb@ENG.ACME.COM` and the `uid 23154` is granted access to the `jdb-user` account if `23154` is also the `uid` of `jdb-user` listed in the user account database. See [passwd\(4\)](#).

Finally, if there is no `~/ .k5login` file and the Kerberos V5 identity of the originating user is not in the `gsscred` table, or if the `gsscred` table does not exist, the client is granted access to the account under the following conditions (default GSS/Kerberos auth rules):

- The user part of the authenticated principal name is the same as the Unix account name specified by the client.
- The realm part of the client and server are the same, unless the [krb5.conf\(4\)](#) `auth_to_local_realm` parameter is used to create equivalence.
- The Unix account name exists on the server.

For example, if the originating user has the principal name `jdb@ENG.ACME.COM` and if the server is in realm `SALES.ACME.COM`, the client would be denied access even if `jdb` is a valid account name on the server. This is because the realms `SALES.ACME.COM` and `ENG.ACME.COM` differ.



The `krb5.conf(4)` `auth_to_local_realm` parameter also affects authorization. Non-default realms can be equated with the default realm for authenticated name-to-local name mapping.

- Files**    `~/ .k5login`      Per user-account authorization file.
- `/etc/passwd`      System account file. This information may also be in a directory service. See `passwd(4)`.

**Attributes**    See `attributes(5)` for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving

**See Also**    `ftp(1)`, `rcp(1)`, `rdist(1)`, `rlogin(1)`, `rsh(1)`, `telnet(1)`, `gkadmin(1M)`, `gsscred(1M)`, `kadm5.acl(4)`, `krb5.conf(4)`, `passwd(4)`, `attributes(5)`, `gss_auth_rules(5)`

**Name** krb5envvar – Kerberos environment variables

**Description** The Kerberos mechanism provides a number of environment variables to configure different behavior in order to meet applications' needs. Environment variables used within the Kerberos mechanism are:

**KRB5\_KTNAME**

Used by the mechanism to specify the location of the key table file. The variable can be set to the following value:

[ [*<kt type>*: ] *<file name>* ]

where *<kt type>* can be FILE or WRFILE. FILE is for read operations; WRFILE is for write operations. *<file name>* is the location of the keytab file.

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If KRB5\_KTNAME is not defined, the default value is:

FILE: /etc/krb5/krb5.keytab

The keytab file is used to store credentials persistently and is used commonly for service daemons.

Specifying the FILE type assumes that the subsequent operations on the associated file are readable by the invoking process. Care must be taken to ensure that the file is readable only by the set of principals that need to retrieve their unencrypted keys.

The WRFILE type is used by the [kadmin\(1M\)](#) command. Specifying this type allows the administrator to designate an alternate keytab file to write to without using extra command line arguments for file location.

**KRB5CCNAME**

Used by the mechanism to specify the location of the credential cache. The variable can be set to the following value:

[ [*<cc type>*: ] *<file name>* ]

where *<cc type>* can be FILE or MEMORY. *<file name>* is the location of the principal's credential cache.

If KRB5CCNAME is not defined, the default value is:

FILE: /tmp/krb5cc\_*<uid>*

where *<uid>* is the user id of the process that created the cache file.

The credential cache file is used to store tickets that have been granted to the principal.

Specifying the FILE types assumes that subsequent operations on the associated file are readable and writable by the invoking process. Care must be taken to ensure that the file is

accessible only by the set of principals that need to access their credentials. If the credential file is in a directory to which other users have write access, you need to set that directory's sticky bit (see [chmod\(1\)](#)).

The MEMORY credential cache type is used only in special cases, such as when making a temporary cache for the life of the invoking process.

#### KRB5RCNAME

Used by the mechanism to specify the type and location of the replay cache. The variable can be set to the following value:

```
[[<rc type>:]<file name>]
```

where *<rc type>* can be either FILE, MEMORY, or NONE. *<file name>* is relevant only when specifying the replay cache file type.

If not defined, the default value is:

```
FILE:/var/krb5/rcache/root/rc_<service>
```

...if the process is owned by root, or:

```
FILE:/var/krb5/rcache/rc_<service>
```

...if the process is owned by a user other than root. *<service>* is the service process name associated with the replay cache file.

The replay cache is used by Kerberos to detect the replay of authentication data. This prevents people who capture authentication messages on the network from authenticating to the server by resending these messages.

When specifying the FILE replay cache type, care must be taken to prevent the replay cache file from being deleted by another user. Make sure that every directory in the replay cache path is either writable only by the owner of the replay cache or that the sticky bit ("t") is set on every directory in the replay cache path to which others have write permission.

When specifying the MEMORY replay cache type you need to weigh the trade-off of performance against the slight security risk created by using a non-persistent cache. The risk occurs during system reboots when the following condition obtains:

- The duration from the last write to the replay cache before reboot to the point when the Kerberized server applications are running is less than the Kerberos clockskew (see [krb5.conf\(4\)](#)).

When specifying the NONE replay cache time you need to understand that this disables the replay cache, and all security risks that this presents. This includes all the risks outlined in this section of the man page.

Under this condition, the server applications can accept a replay of Kerberos authentication data (up to the difference between the time of the last write and the clockskew). Typically, this is a small window of time. If the server applications take longer than the clockskew to start accepting connections there is no replay risk.

The risk described above is the same when using FILE replay cache types when the replay cache resides on swap file systems, such as /tmp and /var/run.

The performance improvement in MEMORY replay cache types over FILE types is derived from the absence of disk I/O. This is true even if the FILE replay cache is on a memory-backed file system, such as swap (/tmp and /var/run).

Note that MEMORY-type caches are per-process caches, therefore use of these types of caches must be carefully considered. One example of where MEMORY-type caches can be problematic is when an application uses more than one process for establishing security contexts. In such a case, memory replay caches are not shared across the processes, thus allowing potential for replay attacks.

KRB5\_CONFIG

Allows you to change the default location of the /etc/krb5/krb5.conf file to enable the Kerberos library code to read configuration parameters from another file specified by KRB5\_CONFIG. For example (using kinit from ksh(1)):

```
KRB5_CONFIG=/var/tmp/krb5.conf kinit
```

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	SUNWkrbu
Interface Stability	Uncommitted

**See Also** [chmod\(1\)](#), [kinit\(1\)](#), [klist\(1\)](#), [ksh\(1\)](#), [kadmin\(1M\)](#), [kadmind\(1M\)](#), [krb5.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [kerberos\(5\)](#)

**Name** kssl, KSSL – kernel SSL proxy

**Description** The KSSL is a transparent server side proxy for SSL/TLS protocol. It provides processing of SSL traffic in the kernel and thus improving performance by avoiding context switches and directly accessing kernel providers of Oracle Solaris Crypto Framework. With KSSL it is possible to provide SSL protection even for applications which are only able to communicate in clear text over TCP.

KSSL is configured in the kernel and passes/accepts clear text data from an application. Together they are visible to the clients as single SSL server.

The server side application for which KSSL is configured is unaware that it is receiving data previously protected by SSL. KSSL receives SSL traffic on one port, for example, 443, performs processing and passes clear text data to the application listening on another port, for example, 8080. Similarly, for the outgress direction, application sends clear text data and KSSL produces SSL records and sends them to the client. Therefore, the application does not have to be setup for SSL.

Multiple KSSL instances can be configured on the system, each with separate set of properties such as port, certificate, key or cipher suites. See [ksslcfg\(1M\)](#). Each KSSL instance in the kernel is tracked as SMF service. See [smf\(5\)](#).

KSSL provides SSL processing for records passed with TCP over IPv4.

KSSL supports the following protocols: SSLv3, TLSv1.0

**See Also** [ksslcfg\(1M\)](#), [smf\(5\)](#)

T. Dierks, C. Allen, *RFC 2246, The TLS Protocol Version 1.0*, The Internet Society, 1999.

**Name** labels – Solaris Trusted Extensions label attributes

**Description** Labels are attributes that are used in mandatory policy decisions. Labels are associated, either explicitly or implicitly, with all subjects (generally processes) and objects (generally things with data such as files) that are accessible to subjects. The default Trusted Extensions mandatory policy labels are defined by a site's security administrator in [label\\_encodings\(4\)](#).

**Mandatory Policy** Various mandatory policies might be delivered in the lifetime of Solaris Trusted Extensions.

The default mandatory policy of Trusted Extensions is a Mandatory Access Control (MAC) policy that is equivalent to that of the Bell-LaPadula Model of the Lattice, the Simple Security Property, and the \*-Property (Star Property), with restricted write up. The default mandatory policy is also equivalent to the Goguen and Meseguer model of Non-Inteference.

For this MAC policy, two labels are always defined: `admin_low` and `admin_high`. The site's security administrator defines all other labels in `label_encodings(4)`. `admin_low` is associated with all normal user readable (viewable) Trusted Extensions objects. `admin_high` is associated with all other Trusted Extensions objects. Only administrative users have MAC read (view) access to `admin_high` objects and only administrative users have MAC write (modify) access to `admin_low` objects or `admin_high` objects.

**Human Readable Labels** Users interact with labels as strings. Graphical user interfaces and command line interfaces present the strings as defined in `label_encodings(4)`. Human readable labels are classified at the label that they represent. Thus the string for a label A is only readable (viewable, translatable to or from human readable to opaque `m_label_t`) by a subject whose label allows read (view) access to that label.

**Internal Text Labels** In order to store labels in publicly accessible (`admin_low`) name service databases, an unclassified internal text form is used. This textual form is not intended to be used in any interfaces other than those that are provided with the Trusted Extensions software release that created this textual form of the label.

**Labels and Applications** Applications interact with labels as opaque (`m_label_t`) structures. The semantics of these opaque structures are defined by a string to `m_label_t` translation. This translation is defined in `label_encodings(4)`. Various Application Programming Interfaces (API) translate between strings and `m_label_t` structures. Various APIs test access of subject-related labels to object-related labels.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	See below.

The labels implementation is Committed for systems that implement the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA) MAC policy of [label\\_encodings\(4\)](#). Other policies might exist in a future release of Trusted Extensions that might make obsolete or supplement `label_encodings`.

Internal text labels are Not-an-Interface and might change with any release of Trusted Extensions. They are intended only for input and generation on the same release of Trusted Extensions software.

As a potential porting aid for Trusted Solaris 8 applications, the opaque structure names `bslabel_t`, `blevel_t`, and `bclear_t` are defined to be equivalent to `m_label_t`. Like `m_label_t`, these types must be ported as opaque pointers. The same must be done with the various Trusted Solaris 8 label interfaces. These Trusted Solaris 8 structures and interfaces are Obsolete and might be removed from a future release of Trusted Extensions.

**See Also** `chk_encodings(1M)`, `blcompare(3TSOL)`, `label_to_str(3TSOL)`, `m_label_alloc(3TSOL)`, `m_label_dup(3TSOL)`, `m_label_free(3TSOL)`, `str_to_label(3TSOL)`, `label_encodings(4)`, `attributes(5)`

Bell, D. E., and LaPadula, L. J. *Secure Computer Systems: Unified Exposition and Multics Interpretation*, MTR-2997 Rev. 2, MITRE Corp., Bedford Mass., March 1976. NTIS AD-A023 588/7.

Goguen, J. A., and Meseguer, J.: *Security Policies and Security Models*, Proceedings 1982 Symposium on Security and Privacy, IEEE Computer Society Press, 1982, p 11-20.

Goguen, J. A., and Meseguer, J.: *Unwinding and Interference Control*, Proceedings 1984 Symposium on Security and Privacy, IEEE Computer Society Press, 1984, p 75-86.

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**Notes** The functionality described on this manual page is available only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

**Name** largefile – large file status of utilities

**Description** A *large file* is a regular file whose size is greater than or equal to 2 Gbyte (  $2^{31}$  bytes). A *small file* is a regular file whose size is less than 2 Gbyte.

Large file aware utilities A utility is called *large file aware* if it can process large files in the same manner as it does small files. A utility that is large file aware is able to handle large files as input and generate as output large files that are being processed. The exception is where additional files are used as system configuration files or support files that can augment the processing. For example, the `file` utility supports the `-m` option for an alternative “magic” file and the `-f` option for a support file that can contain a list of file names. It is unspecified whether a utility that is large file aware will accept configuration or support files that are large files. If a large file aware utility does not accept configuration or support files that are large files, it will cause no data loss or corruption upon encountering such files and will return an appropriate error.

The following `/usr/bin` utilities are large file aware:

<code>adb</code>	<code>aliasadm</code>	<code>awk</code>	<code>bdiff</code>	<code>cat</code>
<code>chgrp</code>	<code>chmod</code>	<code>chown</code>	<code>cksum</code>	<code>cmp</code>
<code>compress</code>	<code>cp</code>	<code>csch</code>	<code>csplit</code>	<code>cut</code>
<code>dd</code>	<code>dircmp</code>	<code>du</code>	<code>egrep</code>	<code>fgrep</code>
<code>file</code>	<code>find</code>	<code>ftp</code>	<code>getconf</code>	<code>grep</code>
<code>gzip</code>	<code>head</code>	<code>join</code>	<code>jsh</code>	<code>ksh</code>
<code>ln</code>	<code>ls</code>	<code>mailcompat</code>	<code>mailstats</code>	<code>mdb</code>
<code>mkdir</code>	<code>mkfifo</code>	<code>more</code>	<code>mv</code>	<code>nawk</code>
<code>page</code>	<code>paste</code>	<code>pathchk</code>	<code>pg</code>	<code>praliases</code>
<code>rcp</code>	<code>remsh</code>	<code>rksh</code>	<code>rm</code>	<code>rmdir</code>
<code>rsh</code>	<code>sed</code>	<code>sh</code>	<code>sort</code>	<code>split</code>
<code>sum</code>	<code>tail</code>	<code>tar</code>	<code>tee</code>	<code>test</code>
<code>touch</code>	<code>tr</code>	<code>uncompress</code>	<code>uudecode</code>	<code>uuencode</code>
<code>vacation</code>	<code>wc</code>	<code>zcat</code>		

The following `/usr/xpg4/bin` utilities are large file aware:

<code>awk</code>	<code>cp</code>	<code>chgrp</code>	<code>chown</code>	<code>du</code>
<code>egrep</code>	<code>fgrep</code>	<code>file</code>	<code>grep</code>	<code>ln</code>



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ls	more	mv	rm	sed
sh	sort	tail	tr	

The following `/usr/xpg6/bin` utilities are large file aware:

getconf	ls	tr
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The following `/usr/sbin` utilities are large file aware:

editmap	install	makemap	mkfile	mknod
mvdir	swap			

The following `/usr/lib` utilities are large file aware:

mail.local	sendmail	smrsh
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See the USAGE section of the [swap\(1M\)](#) manual page for limitations of swap on block devices greater than 2 Gbyte on a 32-bit operating system.

The following `/usr/ucb` utilities are large file aware:

chown	from	ln	ls	sed
sum	touch			

The `/usr/bin/cpio` and `/usr/bin/pax` utilities are large file aware, but cannot archive a file whose size exceeds 8 Gbyte – 1 byte.

The `/usr/bin/truss` utilities has been modified to read a dump file and display information relevant to large files, such as offsets.

cache`fs` file systems The following `/usr/bin` utilities are large file aware for cache`fs` file systems:

cache <code>fs</code> pack	cache <code>fs</code> stat
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The following `/usr/sbin` utilities are large file aware for cache`fs` file systems:

cachefslog	cachefswssize	cfsadmin	fsck
mount	umount		

nfs file systems    The following utilities are large file aware for nfs file systems:

/usr/lib/autofs/automountd	/usr/sbin/mount
/usr/lib/nfs/rquotad	

ufs file systems    The following /usr/bin utility is large file aware for ufs file systems:

df

The following /usr/lib/nfs utility is large file aware for ufs file systems:

rquotad

The following /usr/xpg4/bin utility is large file aware for ufs file systems:

df

The following /usr/sbin utilities are large file aware for ufs file systems:

clri	dcopy	edquota	ff	fsck
fsdb	fsirand	fstyp	labelit	lockfs
mkfs	mount	ncheck	newfs	quot
quota	quotacheck	quotaoff	quotaon	repquota
tunefs	ufsdump	ufsrestore	umount	

Large file safe utilities    A utility is called *large file safe* if it causes no data loss or corruption when it encounters a large file. A utility that is large file safe is unable to process properly a large file, but returns an appropriate error.

The following /usr/bin utilities are large file safe:

audioconvert	audioplay	audiorecord	comm	diff
diff3	diffmk	ed	lp	mail
mailcompat	mailstats	mailx	pack	pcat
red	rmail	sdiff	unpack	vi
view				

The following `/usr/xpg4/bin` utilities are large file safe:

`ed`                      `vi`                      `view`

The following `/usr/xpg6/bin` utility is large file safe:

`ed`

The following `/usr/sbin` utilities are large file safe:

`lpfilter`                      `lpforms`

The following `/usr/ucb` utilities are large file safe:

`Mail`                      `lpr`

**See Also** [lf64\(5\)](#), [lfcompile\(5\)](#), [lfcompile64\(5\)](#)

**Name** lf64 – transitional interfaces for 64-bit file offsets

**Description** The data types, interfaces, and macros described on this page provide explicit access to 64-bit file offsets. They are accessible through the transitional compilation environment described on the [lfcompile64\(5\)](#) manual page. The function prototype and semantics of a transitional interface are equivalent to those of the standard version of the call, except that relevant data types are 64-bit entities.

**Data Types** The following tables list the standard data or struct types in the left-hand column and their corresponding explicit 64-bit file offset types in the right-hand column, grouped by header. The absence of an entry in the left-hand column indicates that there is no existing explicit 32-bit type that corresponds to the 64-bit type listed in the right—hand column. Note that in a 64-bit application, the standard definition is equivalent to the 64-bit file offset definition.

**< aio.h >**

struct aiocb	struct aiocb64
off_t aio_offset;	off64_t aio_offset;

**< sys/dirent.h >**

struct dirent	struct dirent64
ino_t d_ino;	ino64_t d_ino;
off_t d_off;	off64_t d_off;

**< sys/fcntl.h >**

struct flock	struct flock64
off_t l_start;	off64_t l_start;
off_t l_len;	off64_t l_len;
F_SETLK	F_SETLK64
F_SETLKW	F_SETLKW64
F_GETLK	F_GETLK64
F_FREESP	F_FREESP64
	O_LARGEFILE

**< sys/stdio.h >**

fpos\_t

fpos64\_t

**<sys/resource.h>**

rlim\_t

rlim64\_t

struct rlimit

struct rlimit64

rlim\_t rlim\_cur;

rlim64\_t rlim\_cur;

rlim\_t rlim\_max;

rlim64\_t rlim\_max;

RLIM\_INFINITY

RLIM64\_INFINITY

RLIM\_SAVED\_MAX

RLIM64\_SAVED\_MAX

RLIM\_SAVED\_CUR

RLIM64\_SAVED\_CUR

**<sys/stat.h>**

struct stat

struct stat64

ino\_t st\_ino;

ino64\_t st\_ino;

off\_t st\_size;

off64\_t st\_size;

blkcnt\_t st\_blocks;

blkcnt64\_t st\_blocks;

**<sys/statvfs.h>**

struct statvfs

struct statvfs64

fsblkcnt\_t f\_blocks;

fsblkcnt64\_t f\_blocks;

fsblkcnt\_t f\_bfree;

fsblkcnt64\_t f\_bfree;

fsblkcnt\_t f\_bavail;

fsblkcnt64\_t f\_bavail;

fsfilcnt\_t f\_files;

fsfilcnt64\_t f\_files;

fsfilcnt\_t f\_ffree;

fsfilcnt64\_t f\_ffree;

fsfilcnt\_t f\_favail;

fsfilcnt64\_t f\_favail;

**<sys/types.h>**

off_t;	off64_t;
ino_t;	ino64_t;
blkcnt_t;	blkcnt64_t;
fsblkcnt_t;	fsblkcnt64_t;
fsfilcnt_t;	fsfilcnt64_t;

**<unistd.h>**

```
_LFS64_LARGEFILE
_LFS64_STDIO
```

**<sys/unistd.h>**

```
_CS_LFS64_CFLAGS
_CS_LFS64_LDFLAGS
_CS_LFS64_LIBS
_CS_LFS64_LINTFLAGS
```

System Interfaces    The following tables display the standard API and the corresponding transitional interfaces for 64-bit file offsets. The interfaces are grouped by header. The interface name and the affected data types are displayed in courier font.

**<aio.h>**

int aio_cancel(...,	int aio_cancel64(...,
struct aiocb *);	struct aiocb64 *);
int aio_error(	int aio_error64(
const struct aiocb *);	const struct aiocb64 *);
int aio_fsync(...,	int aio_fsync64(...,
struct aiocb *);	struct aiocb64 *);
int aio_read(struct aiocb *);	int aio_read64(struct aiocb64 *);
int aio_return(struct aiocb *);	int aio_return64(struct aiocb64 *);
int aio_suspend(	int aio_suspend64(

```

const struct aiocb *, ...);

int aio_waitn(aiocb_t*[],
...);

int aio_write(struct aiocb *);

int lio_listio(...,
const struct aiocb *, ...);

```

```

const struct aiocb64 *, ...);

int aio_waitn64(aiocb64_t*[],
...);

int aio_write64(struct aiocb64 *);

int lio_listio64(...,
const struct aiocb64 *, ...);

```

### <dirent.h>

```

int alphasort(const struct dirent **, const struct
dirent **)

struct dirent *readdir();

struct dirent *readdir_r();

int scandir(..., struct dirent *(*[]), int (*)(const
struct dirent *), int (*)(const struct dirent **, const
struct dirent **))

```

```

int alphasort64(const struct dirent64 **, const struct
dirent64 **)

struct dirent64 *readdir64();

struct dirent64 *readdir64_r();

int scandir64(..., struct dirent64 *(*[]), int (*)(const
struct dirent64 *), int (*)(const struct dirent64 **,
const struct dirent64 **))

```

### <fcntl.h>

```

int attropen();

int creat();

int open();

int openat();

```

```

int attropen64();

int creat64();

int open64();

int openat64();

```

### <ftw.h>

```

int ftw(...,
const struct stat *, ...);

int nftw(..
const struct stat *, ...);

```

```

int ftw64(...,
const struct stat64 *, ...);

int nftw64(...,
const struct stat64 *, ...);

```

**<libgen.h>**`char *copylist(..., off_t);``char *copylist64(..., off64_t);`**<stdio.h>**`int fgetpos();``int fgetpos64();``FILE *fopen();``FILE *fopen64();``FILE *freopen();``FILE *freopen64();``int fseeko(..., off_t, ...);``int fseeko64(..., off64_t, ...);``int fsetpos(...,``int fsetpos64(...,``const fpos_t *);``const fpos64_t *);``off_t ftello();``off64_t ftello64();``FILE *tmpfile();``FILE *tmpfile64();`**<stdlib.h>**`int mkstemp();``int mkstemp64();`**<sys/async.h>**`int aioread(..., off_t, ...);``int aioread64(..., off64_t, ...);``int aiowrite(..., off_t, ...);``int aiowrite64(..., off64_t, ...);`**<sys/dirent.h>**`int getdents(..., dirent);``int getdents64(..., dirent64);`**<sys/mman.h>**`void mmap(..., off_t);``void mmap64(..., off64_t);`**<sys/resource.h>**



```

int getrlimit(...,
struct rlimit *);
int setrlimit(...,
const struct rlimit *);

```

```

int getrlimit64(...,
struct rlimit64 *);
int setrlimit64(...,
const struct rlimit64 *);

```

### <sys/sendfile.h>

```

ssize_t sendfile(...,
off_t *, ...);
ssize_t sendfilev(..., const
struct sendfilevec *, ...);

```

```

ssize_t sendfile64(...,
off64_t *, ...);
ssize_t sendfilev64(..., const
struct sendfilevec64 *, ...);

```

### <sys/stat.h>

```

int fstat(..., struct stat *);
int fstatat(...,
struct stat *, int);
int lstat(..., struct stat *);
int stat(..., struct stat *);

```

```

int fstat64(..., struct stat64 *);
int fstatat64(...,
struct stat64 *, int);
int lstat64(..., struct stat64 *);
int stat64(..., struct stat64 *);

```

### <sys/statvfs.h>

```

int statvfs(...,
struct statvfs *);
int fstatvfs(...,
struct statvfs *);

```

```

int statvfs64(...,
struct statvfs64 *);
int fstatvfs64(...,
struct statvfs64 *);

```

### <ucbinclude/stdio.h>

```

FILE *fopen()
FILE *freopen()

```

```

FILE *fopen64()
FILE *freopen64()

```

**<ucbinclude/sys/dir.h>**

int alphasort( struct direct **, struct direct **);	int alphasort64( struct direct64 **, struct direct64 **);
struct direct *readdir();	struct direct64 *readdir64();
int scandir(..., struct direct *(*[]), ...);	int scandir64(..., struct direct64 *(*[]), ...);

**<unistd.h>**

int lockf(..., off_t);	int lockf64(..., off64_t);
off_t lseek(..., off_t, ...);	off64_t lseek64(..., off64_t, ...);
int ftruncate(..., off_t);	int ftruncate64(..., off64_t);
ssize_t pread(..., off_t);	ssize_t pread64(..., off64_t);
ssize_t pwrite(..., off_t);	ssize_t pwrite64(..., off64_t);
int truncate(..., off_t);	int truncate64(..., off64_t);

**See Also** [lfcompile\(5\)](#), [lfcompile64\(5\)](#)

**Name** lfcompile – large file compilation environment for 32-bit applications

**Description** All 64-bit applications can manipulate large files by default. The methods described on this page allow 32-bit applications to manipulate large files.

In the large file compilation environment, source interfaces are bound to appropriate 64-bit functions, structures, and types. Compiling in this environment allows 32-bit applications to access files whose size is greater than or equal to 2 Gbyte (  $2^{31}$  bytes).

Each interface named `xxx()` that needs to access 64-bit entities to access large files maps to a `xxx64()` call in the resulting binary. All relevant data types are defined to be of correct size (for example, `off_t` has a typedef definition for a 64-bit entity).

An application compiled in this environment is able to use the `xxx()` source interfaces to access both large and small files, rather than having to explicitly utilize the transitional `xxx64()` interface calls to access large files. See the [lfcompile64\(5\)](#) manual page for information regarding the transitional compilation environment.

Applications can be compiled in the large file compilation environment by using the following methods:

- Use the [getconf\(1\)](#) utility with one or more of the arguments listed in the table below. This method is recommended for portable applications.

argument	purpose
LFS_CFLAGS	obtain compilation flags necessary to enable the large file compilation environment
LFS_LDFLAGS	obtain link editor options
LFS_LIBS	obtain link library names
LFS_LINTFLAGS	obtain lint options

- Set the compile-time flag `_FILE_OFFSET_BITS` to 64 before including any headers. Applications may combine objects produced in the large file compilation environment with objects produced in the transitional compilation environment, but must be careful with respect to interoperability between those objects. Applications should not declare global variables of types whose sizes change between compilation environments.

Access to Additional Large File Interfaces

The `fseek()` and `ftell()` functions *do not* map to functions named `fseek64()` and `ftell64()`; rather, the large file additions `fseeko()` and `ftello()`, have functionality identical to `fseek()` and `ftell()` and *do* map to the 64-bit functions `fseeko64()` and `ftello64()`. Applications wishing to access large files should use `fseeko()` and `ftello()` in place of `fseek()` and `ftell()`. See the [fseek\(3C\)](#) and [ftell\(3C\)](#) manual pages for information about `fseeko()` and `ftello()`.

Applications wishing to access `fseeko()` and `ftello()` as well as the POSIX and X/Open specification-conforming interfaces should define the macro `_LARGEFILE_SOURCE` to be 1 and set whichever feature test macros are appropriate to obtain the desired environment (see [standards\(5\)](#)).

**Examples** In the following examples, the large file compilation environment is accessed by invoking the `getconf` utility with one of the arguments listed in the table above. The additional large file interfaces are accessed by specifying `-D_LARGEFILE_SOURCE`.

The examples that use the form of command substitution specifying the command within parentheses preceded by a dollar sign can be executed only in a POSIX-conforming shell such as the Korn Shell (see [ksh\(1\)](#)). In a shell that is not POSIX-conforming, such as the Bourne Shell (see [sh\(1\)](#)) and the C Shell (see [csh\(1\)](#)), the `getconf` calls must be enclosed within grave accent marks, as shown in the second example.

**EXAMPLE 1** Compile a program with a “large” `off_t` that uses `fseeko()`, `ftello()`, and `yacc`.

The following example compiles a program with a “large” `off_t` and uses `fseeko()`, `ftello()`, and [yacc\(1\)](#).

```
$ c89 -D_LARGEFILE_SOURCE          \
    -D_FILE_OFFSET_BITS=64 -o foo  \
    $(getconf LFS_CFLAGS) y.tab.c b.o \
    $(getconf LFS_LDFLAGS)          \
    -ly $(getconf LFS_LIBS)
```

**EXAMPLE 2** Compile a program with a “large” `off_t` that does not use `fseeko()` and `ftello()` and has no application specific libraries.

```
% c89 -D_FILE_OFFSET_BITS=64      \
    `getconf LFS_CFLAG`S a.c      \
    `getconf LFS_LDFLAG`S          \
    `getconf LFS_LIB`S             \
```

**EXAMPLE 3** Compile a program with a “default” `off_t` that uses `fseeko()` and `ftello()`.

```
$ c89 -D_LARGEFILE_SOURCE a.c
```

**See Also** [csh\(1\)](#), [getconf\(1\)](#), [ksh\(1\)](#), [yacc\(1\)](#), [lint\(1B\)](#), [sh\(1\)](#), [fseek\(3C\)](#), [ftell\(3C\)](#), [lf64\(5\)](#), [lfcompile64\(5\)](#), [standards\(5\)](#)

**Notes** Certain system-specific or non-portable interfaces are not usable in the large file compilation environment. Known cases are:

- Kernel data structures read from `/dev/kmem`.
- Interfaces in the kernel virtual memory library, `-lkvm`.
- Interfaces in the ELF access library, `-lelf`.
- Interfaces to `/proc` defined in `<procfs.h>`.
- The [ustat\(2\)](#) system call.

Programs that use these interfaces should not be compiled in the large file compilation environment. As a partial safeguard against making this mistake, including either of the `<libelf.h>` or `<sys/procfs.h>` header files will induce a compilation error when the large file compilation environment is enabled.

In general, caution should be exercised when using any separately-compiled library whose interfaces include data items of type `off_t` or the other redefined types either directly or indirectly, such as with `'struct stat'`. (The redefined types are `off_t`, `rlim_t`, `ino_t`, `blkcnt_t`, `fsblkcnt_t`, and `fsfilcnt_t`.) For the large file compilation environment to work correctly with such a library, the library interfaces must include the appropriate `xxx64()` binary entry points and must have them mapped to the corresponding primary functions when `_FILE_OFFSET_BITS` is set to 64.

Care should be exercised using any of the `printf()` or `scanf()` routines on variables of the types mentioned above. In the large file compilation environment, these variables should be printed or scanned using `long long` formats.

**Bugs** The `lint(1B)` utility will generate spurious error messages when `_FILE_OFFSET_BITS` is set to 64. This is because the binary `libc lint` library, `/usr/lib/llib-lc.ln`, is compiled only for the standard interfaces, not with `_FILE_OFFSET_BITS` set to 64. This deficiency hampers static error-checking for programs compiled in the large file compilation environment.

Symbolic formats analogous to those found in `<sys/int_fmtio.h>` do not exist for printing or scanning variables of the types that are redefined in the large file compilation environment.

**Name** lfcompile64 – transitional compilation environment

**Description** All 64-bit applications can manipulate large files by default. The transitional interfaces described on this page can be used by 32-bit and 64-bit applications to manipulate large files.

In the transitional compilation environment, explicit 64-bit functions, structures, and types are added to the API. Compiling in this environment allows both 32-bit and 64-bit applications to access files whose size is greater than or equal to 2 Gbyte (  $2^{31}$  bytes).

The transitional compilation environment exports all the explicit 64-bit functions (*xxx64()*) and types in addition to all the regular functions (*xxx()*) and types. Both *xxx()* and *xxx64()* functions are available to the program source. A 32-bit application must use the *xxx64()* functions in order to access large files. See the [lf64\(5\)](#) manual page for a complete listing of the 64-bit transitional interfaces.

The transitional compilation environment differs from the large file compilation environment, wherein the underlying interfaces are bound to 64-bit functions, structures, and types. An application compiled in the large file compilation environment is able to use the *xxx()* source interfaces to access both large and small files, rather than having to explicitly utilize the transitional *xxx64()* interface calls to access large files. See the [lfcompile\(5\)](#) manual page for more information regarding the large file compilation environment.

Applications may combine objects produced in the large file compilation environment with objects produced in the transitional compilation environment, but must be careful with respect to interoperability between those objects. Applications should not declare global variables of types whose sizes change between compilation environments.

For applications that do not wish to conform to the POSIX or X/Open specifications, the 64-bit transitional interfaces are available by default. No compile-time flags need to be set.

**Access to Additional Large File Interfaces** Applications that wish to access the transitional interfaces as well as the POSIX or X/Open specification-conforming interfaces should use the following compilation methods and set whichever feature test macros are appropriate to obtain the desired environment (see [standards\(5\)](#)).

- Set the compile-time flag `_LARGEFILE64_SOURCE` to 1 before including any headers.
- Use the [getconf\(1\)](#) command with one or more of the following arguments:

argument	purpose
LFS64_CFLAGS	obtain compilation flags necessary to enable the transitional compilation environment
LFS64_LDFLAGS	obtain link editor options
LFS64_LIBS	obtain link library names
LFS64_LINTFLAGS	obtain lint options

**Examples** In the following examples, the transitional compilation environment is accessed by invoking the `getconf` utility with one of the arguments listed in the table above. The additional large file interfaces are accessed either by specifying `-D_LARGEFILE64_SOURCE` or by invoking the `getconf` utility with the arguments listed above.

The example that uses the form of command substitution specifying the command within parentheses preceded by a dollar sign can be executed only in a POSIX-conforming shell such as the Korn Shell (see [ksh\(1\)](#)). In a shell that is not POSIX-conforming, such as the Bourne Shell (see [sh\(1\)](#)) and the C Shell (see [csh\(1\)](#)), the command must be enclosed within grave accent marks.

**EXAMPLE 1** An example of compiling a program using transitional interfaces such as `lseek64()` and `fopen64()`:

```
$ c89 -D_LARGEFILE64_SOURCE      \
    $(getconf LFS64_CFLAGS) a.c  \
    $(getconf LFS64_LDFLAGS)     \
    $(getconf LFS64_LIBS)
```

**EXAMPLE 2** An example of running lint on a program using transitional interfaces:

```
% lint -D_LARGEFILE64_SOURCE      \
    `getconf LFS64_LINTFLAG`S ... \
    `getconf LFS64_LIB`S
```

**See Also** [getconf\(1\)](#), [lseek\(2\)](#), [fopen\(3C\)](#), [lf64\(5\)](#), [standards\(5\)](#)

**Name** live\_upgrade – overview of Live Upgrade feature

**Description** The Live Upgrade feature of the Solaris operating environment enables you to maintain multiple operating system images on a single system. An image—called a boot environment, or BE—represents a set of operating system and application software packages. The BEs might contain different operating system and/or application versions.

On a system with the Solaris Live Upgrade software, your currently booted OS environment is referred to as your active, or current BE. You have one active, or current BE; all others are inactive. You can perform any number of modifications to inactive BEs on the same system, then boot from one of those BEs. If there is a failure or some undesired behavior in the newly booted BE, Live Upgrade software makes it easy for you to fall back to the previously running BE.

Live Upgrade software includes a full suite of commands, listed below and described in individual man pages, which implement all of the Live Upgrade features and functions.

The following are some of the tasks you can perform with Live Upgrade software:

- You can make one or more copies of the currently running system.
- You can upgrade to a new OS version on a second boot environment, then boot from that environment. If you choose, you can then fall back to your original boot environment or boot from yet another environment.
- You can install application or OS packages to a boot environment, then boot from that environment.
- You can install OS patches to a boot environment, then boot from that environment.
- From a flash archive, you can install an OS to a boot environment, then boot from that environment. See [flar\(1M\)](#) for information on administering flash archives.
- You can split and rejoin file systems in a new BE. For example, you can separate `/usr`, `/var`, and `/opt` from `/`, putting them on their own partitions. Conversely, you could join these file systems on a single partition under `/`.
- You can mount any or all of the filesystems of a BE that is not active, compare the files in any pair of BEs, delete or rename a BE, and perform other administrative tasks.

The Live Upgrade software supports upgrade from any valid Solaris installation medium, including a CD-ROM, an NFS or UFS directory, or a flash archive. (See [flash\\_archive\(4\)](#) for a description of the flash archive feature.)

In simplest terms, a BE, for Live Upgrade, consists of the disk slice containing a root file system and the file system/device (usually disk) slice entries specified in [vfstab\(4\)](#). This set of slices is not limited to a single disk. This means that you can have multiple BEs on a single device, or have a BE spread across slices on multiple devices. The BE includes any non-global [zones\(5\)](#) that might exist on the system as well. If any of the non-global zones in the BE have separate file systems, the disk slices making up these file systems are considered part of the BE.



The minimal requirement for a Live Upgrade BE is the same as for any Solaris boot environment: you must have root (/) and usr filesystems (which might both reside on /). All filesystems except for /, /usr, /var, and /opt can be shared among multiple BEs, if you choose.

Each BE must have a unique copy of the file systems that contain the OS—/, /usr, /var, and /opt. For Live Upgrade purposes, these are referred to as non-shareable (sometimes referred to as *critical*) file systems. With other file systems, such as /export or /home, you have the option of copying the files to a new BE or, the default, sharing them among BEs. These are referred to as shareable file systems. A BE is made up of a unique copy of one or more non-shareable file systems and zero or more copies of shareable file systems.

Live Upgrade commands support an option (-X) that enables XML output. Characteristics of the XML are specified in a DTD shipped with the product. XML output enables programmatic parsing of portions of the command output.

Live Upgrade supports the notion of a BE description, an optional attribute of a BE. A BE description can be of any length and format. It might be a text string or a binary file. See [ludesc\(1M\)](#) for details.

Below is an example set of steps that you might follow in the use of Live Upgrade software. This example is by no means exhaustive of the possibilities of the use of the Live Upgrade software.

1. You create a new BE, using [lucreate\(1M\)](#). The first time you create a BE on a given system, you must designate the current Solaris operating environment as a BE (give it a name). You then specify a name and a set of device (disk) slices you want to use for the new BE. The `lucreate` command copies the contents of the current Solaris operating environment (now a BE) to the new BE.

After you have created additional BEs, you can use a BE other than the current BE as the source for a new BE. Also, you can create an empty BE onto which you can later install a flash archive.

2. Using [luupgrade\(1M\)](#), you upgrade the OS version on your new BE (or on yet another BE you created with `lucreate`). The `luupgrade` enables you to upgrade an OS (from any valid Solaris installation medium, including a flash archive), add or remove packages (OS or application), and add or remove patches.
3. You use [luactivate\(1M\)](#) to make the new BE bootable. The next time you reboot your system, you will come up in the new BE.
4. Using [lucompare\(1M\)](#), you compare the system files on two different BEs. This utility gives you a comprehensive list of the files that have differences.
5. Using [lumount\(1M\)](#), you mount the filesystems of a BE that is not active, enabling you to make changes. When you are finished with the changes, use [lumount\(1M\)](#) to unmount the BE's file systems.

6. Upon booting a new BE, you discover a failure or some other undesirable behavior. Using the procedure specified in `luactivate`, you can fall back to the previous BE.
7. Using `ludelete` then `lucreate`, you reassign file systems on the now-deleted BE to different disk slices. You separate `/opt` and `/var` from `/` on the new BE. Also, you specify that swap be spread over slices on multiple disks.

The following is a summary of Live Upgrade commands. All commands require root privileges.

<code>lu</code>	FMLI-based interface for creating and administering BEs. No longer recommended for customer use.
<code>luactivate</code>	Designate a BE as the BE to boot from upon the next reboot of the system.
<code>lucancel</code>	Cancel a previously scheduled operation.
<code>lucompare</code>	Compare the contents of two BEs.
<code>lucreate</code>	Create a BE.
<code>lucurr</code>	Display the name of the current BE.
<code>ludelete</code>	Delete a BE.
<code>ludesc</code>	Add or change BE descriptions.
<code>lufslist</code>	List the file systems on a specified BE.
<code>lumake</code>	Re-create a BE based on the active BE.
<code>lumount, luumount</code>	Mount, unmount file systems of a specified BE.
<code>lurename</code>	Rename a BE.
<code>lustatus</code>	For all BEs on a system, report on whether a BE is active, active upon the next reboot, in the midst of a copy operation, and whether a copy operation is scheduled for it.
<code>luupgrade</code>	Upgrade an OS and install application software on a BE. Such software includes flash archives, complete OS installations, OS and application packages, and OS patches.

**Files** `/etc/ltab` list of BEs on the system

**See Also** [luactivate\(1M\)](#), [lucancel\(1M\)](#), [lucompare\(1M\)](#), [lucreate\(1M\)](#), [lucurr\(1M\)](#), [ludelete\(1M\)](#), [ludesc\(1M\)](#), [lufslist\(1M\)](#), [lumake\(1M\)](#), [lumount\(1M\)](#), [lurename\(1M\)](#), [lustatus\(1M\)](#), [luupgrade\(1M\)](#), [ltab\(4\)](#), [zones\(5\)](#)

**Notes** Correct operation of Solaris Live Upgrade requires that a limited set of patch revisions be installed for a given OS version. Before installing or running Live Upgrade, you are required to

install the limited set of patch revisions. Make sure you have the most recently updated patch list by consulting <http://sunsolve.sun.com>. Search for the infodoc 72099 on the SunSolve web site.

It is possible for an operating system upgrade to remove installed patches. Prior to such an upgrade, use `analyze_patches`, as described in [luupgrade\(1M\)](#), to determine which, if any, patches will be removed.

For versions of the Solaris operating system prior to Solaris 10, Live Upgrade supports the release it is distributed on and up to three marketing releases back. For example, if you obtained Live Upgrade with Solaris 9 (including a Solaris 9 upgrade), that version of Live Upgrade supports Solaris versions 2.6, Solaris 7, and Solaris 8, in addition to Solaris 9. No version of Live Upgrade supports a Solaris version prior to Solaris 2.6.

Starting with version 10 of the Solaris operating system, Live Upgrade supports the release it is distributed on and up to two marketing releases back. For example, if you obtained Live Upgrade with Solaris 10 (including a Solaris 10 upgrade), that version of Live Upgrade supports Solaris 8 and Solaris 9, in addition to Solaris 10.

**Name** locale – subset of a user's environment that depends on language and cultural conventions

**Description** A locale is the definition of the subset of a user's environment that depends on language and cultural conventions. It is made up from one or more categories. Each category is identified by its name and controls specific aspects of the behavior of components of the system. Category names correspond to the following environment variable names:

LC_CTYPE	Character classification and case conversion.
LC_COLLATE	Collation order.
LC_TIME	Date and time formats.
LC_NUMERIC	Numeric formatting.
LC_MONETARY	Monetary formatting.
LC_MESSAGES	Formats of informative and diagnostic messages and interactive responses.

The standard utilities base their behavior on the current locale, as defined in the ENVIRONMENT VARIABLES section for each utility. The behavior of some of the C-language functions will also be modified based on the current locale, as defined by the last call to [setlocale\(3C\)](#).

Locales other than those supplied by the implementation can be created by the application via the [localdef\(1\)](#) utility. The value that is used to specify a locale when using environment variables will be the string specified as the *name* operand to [localdef](#) when the locale was created. The strings "C" and "POSIX" are reserved as identifiers for the POSIX locale.

Applications can select the desired locale by invoking the `setlocale()` function with the appropriate value. If the function is invoked with an empty string, such as:

```
setlocale(LC_ALL, "");
```

the value of the corresponding environment variable is used. If the environment variable is unset or is set to the empty string, the `setlocale()` function sets the appropriate environment.

**Locale Definition** Locales can be described with the file format accepted by the `localdef` utility.

The locale definition file must contain one or more locale category source definitions, and must not contain more than one definition for the same locale category.

A category source definition consists of a category header, a category body and a category trailer. A category header consists of the character string naming of the category, beginning with the characters LC\_. The category trailer consists of the string END, followed by one or more blank characters and the string used in the corresponding category header.

The category body consists of one or more lines of text. Each line contains an identifier, optionally followed by one or more operands. Identifiers are either keywords, identifying a particular locale element, or collating elements. Each keyword within a locale must have a unique name (that is, two categories cannot have a commonly-named keyword). No keyword can start with the characters LC\_. Identifiers must be separated from the operands by one or more blank characters.

Operands must be characters, collating elements, or strings of characters. Strings must be enclosed in double-quotes ("). Literal double-quotes within strings must be preceded by the *<escape character>*, as described below. When a keyword is followed by more than one operand, the operands must be separated by semicolons (;). Blank characters are allowed both before and after a semicolon.

The first category header in the file can be preceded by a line modifying the comment character. It has the following format, starting in column 1:

```
"comment_char %c\n", <comment character>
```

The comment character defaults to the number sign (#). Blank lines and lines containing the *<comment character>* in the first position are ignored.

The first category header in the file can be preceded by a line modifying the escape character to be used in the file. It has the following format, starting in column 1:

```
"escape_char %c\n", <escape character>
```

The escape character defaults to backslash.

A line can be continued by placing an escape character as the last character on the line; this continuation character will be discarded from the input. Although the implementation need not accept any one portion of a continued line with a length exceeding {LINE\_MAX} bytes, it places no limits on the accumulated length of the continued line. Comment lines cannot be continued on a subsequent line using an escaped newline character.

Individual characters, characters in strings, and collating elements must be represented using symbolic names, as defined below. In addition, characters can be represented using the characters themselves or as octal, hexadecimal or decimal constants. When non-symbolic notation is used, the resultant locale definitions will in many cases not be portable between systems. The left angle bracket (<) is a reserved symbol, denoting the start of a symbolic name; when used to represent itself it must be preceded by the escape character. The following rules apply to character representation:

1. A character can be represented via a symbolic name, enclosed within angle brackets < and >. The symbolic name, including the angle brackets, must exactly match a symbolic name defined in the charmap file specified via the `localedef -f` option, and will be replaced by a character value determined from the value associated with the symbolic name in the charmap file. The use of a symbolic name not found in the charmap file constitutes an

error, unless the category is LC\_CTYPE or LC\_COLLATE, in which case it constitutes a warning condition (see [localedef\(1\)](#) for a description of action resulting from errors and warnings). The specification of a symbolic name in a `collating-element` or `collating-symbol` section that duplicates a symbolic name in the charmap file (if present) is an error. Use of the escape character or a right angle bracket within a symbolic name is invalid unless the character is preceded by the escape character.

Example:

```
<C>;<c-cedilla> "<M><a><y>"
```

2. A character can be represented by the character itself, in which case the value of the character is implementation-dependent. Within a string, the double-quote character, the escape character and the right angle bracket character must be escaped (preceded by the escape character) to be interpreted as the character itself. Outside strings, the characters

```
, ; < > escape_char
```

must be escaped to be interpreted as the character itself.

Example:

```
c "May"
```

3. A character can be represented as an octal constant. An octal constant is specified as the escape character followed by two or more octal digits. Each constant represents a byte value. Multi-byte values can be represented by concatenated constants specified in byte order with the last constant specifying the least significant byte of the character.

Example:

```
\143;\347;\143\150 "\115\141\171"
```

4. A character can be represented as a hexadecimal constant. A hexadecimal constant is specified as the escape character followed by an `x` followed by two or more hexadecimal digits. Each constant represents a byte value. Multi-byte values can be represented by concatenated constants specified in byte order with the last constant specifying the least significant byte of the character.

Example:

```
\x63;\xe7;\x63\x68 "\x4d\x61\x79"
```

5. A character can be represented as a decimal constant. A decimal constant is specified as the escape character followed by a `d` followed by two or more decimal digits. Each constant represents a byte value. Multi-byte values can be represented by concatenated constants specified in byte order with the last constant specifying the least significant byte of the character.

Example:

```
\d99;\d231;\d99\d104 "\d77\d97\d121"
```

Only characters existing in the character set for which the locale definition is created can be specified, whether using symbolic names, the characters themselves, or octal, decimal or hexadecimal constants. If a charmap file is present, only characters defined in the charmap can be specified using octal, decimal or hexadecimal constants. Symbolic names not present in the charmap file can be specified and will be ignored, as specified under item 1 above.

**LC\_CTYPE** The **LC\_CTYPE** category defines character classification, case conversion and other character attributes. In addition, a series of characters can be represented by three adjacent periods representing an ellipsis symbol (. . .). The ellipsis specification is interpreted as meaning that all values between the values preceding and following it represent valid characters. The ellipsis specification is valid only within a single encoded character set, that is, within a group of characters of the same size. An ellipsis is interpreted as including in the list all characters with an encoded value higher than the encoded value of the character preceding the ellipsis and lower than the encoded value of the character following the ellipsis.

Example:

```
\x30; . . . ; \x39;
```

includes in the character class all characters with encoded values between the endpoints.

The following keywords are recognized. In the descriptions, the term “automatically included” means that it is not an error either to include or omit any of the referenced characters.

The character classes **digit**, **xdigit**, **lower**, **upper**, and **space** have a set of automatically included characters. These only need to be specified if the character values (that is, encoding) differ from the implementation default values.

**upper** Define characters to be classified as upper-case letters.

In the POSIX locale, the 26 upper-case letters are included:

```
A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z
```

In a locale definition file, no character specified for the keywords **cntrl**, **digit**, **punct**, or **space** can be specified. The upper-case letters A to Z are automatically included in this class.

**lower** Define characters to be classified as lower-case letters. In the POSIX locale, the 26 lower-case letters are included:

```
a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r s t u v w x y z
```

In a locale definition file, no character specified for the keywords **cntrl**, **digit**, **punct**, or **space** can be specified. The lower-case letters a to z of the portable character set are automatically included in this class.

<code>alpha</code>	<p>Define characters to be classified as letters.</p> <p>In the POSIX locale, all characters in the classes <code>upper</code> and <code>lower</code> are included.</p> <p>In a locale definition file, no character specified for the keywords <code>cntrl</code>, <code>digit</code>, <code>punct</code>, or <code>space</code> can be specified. Characters classified as either <code>upper</code> or <code>lower</code> are automatically included in this class.</p>
<code>digit</code>	<p>Define the characters to be classified as numeric digits.</p> <p>In the POSIX locale, only</p> <p><code>0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9</code></p> <p>are included.</p> <p>In a locale definition file, only the digits <code>0</code>, <code>1</code>, <code>2</code>, <code>3</code>, <code>4</code>, <code>5</code>, <code>6</code>, <code>7</code>, <code>8</code>, and <code>9</code> can be specified, and in contiguous ascending sequence by numerical value. The digits <code>0</code> to <code>9</code> of the portable character set are automatically included in this class.</p> <p>The definition of character class <code>digit</code> requires that only ten characters; the ones defining digits can be specified; alternative digits (for example, Hindi or Kanji) cannot be specified here.</p>
<code>alnum</code>	<p>Define characters to be classified as letters and numeric digits. Only the characters specified for the <code>alpha</code> and <code>digit</code> keywords are specified. Characters specified for the keywords <code>alpha</code> and <code>digit</code> are automatically included in this class.</p>
<code>space</code>	<p>Define characters to be classified as white-space characters.</p> <p>In the POSIX locale, at a minimum, the characters <code>SPACE</code>, <code>FORMFEED</code>, <code>NEWLINE</code>, <code>CARRIAGE RETURN</code>, <code>TAB</code>, and <code>VERTICAL TAB</code> are included.</p> <p>In a locale definition file, no character specified for the keywords <code>upper</code>, <code>lower</code>, <code>alpha</code>, <code>digit</code>, <code>graph</code>, or <code>xdigit</code> can be specified. The characters <code>SPACE</code>, <code>FORMFEED</code>, <code>NEWLINE</code>, <code>CARRIAGE RETURN</code>, <code>TAB</code>, and <code>VERTICAL TAB</code> of the portable character set, and any characters included in the class <code>blank</code> are automatically included in this class.</p>
<code>cntrl</code>	<p>Define characters to be classified as control characters.</p> <p>In the POSIX locale, no characters in classes <code>alpha</code> or <code>print</code> are included.</p> <p>In a locale definition file, no character specified for the keywords <code>upper</code>, <code>lower</code>, <code>alpha</code>, <code>digit</code>, <code>punct</code>, <code>graph</code>, <code>print</code>, or <code>xdigit</code> can be specified.</p>



punct	<p>Define characters to be classified as punctuation characters.</p> <p>In the POSIX locale, neither the space character nor any characters in classes <code>alpha</code>, <code>digit</code>, or <code>cntrl</code> are included.</p> <p>In a locale definition file, no character specified for the keywords <code>upper</code>, <code>lower</code>, <code>alpha</code>, <code>digit</code>, <code>cntrl</code>, <code>xdigit</code> or as the space character can be specified.</p>
graph	<p>Define characters to be classified as printable characters, not including the space character.</p> <p>In the POSIX locale, all characters in classes <code>alpha</code>, <code>digit</code>, and <code>punct</code> are included; no characters in class <code>cntrl</code> are included.</p> <p>In a locale definition file, characters specified for the keywords <code>upper</code>, <code>lower</code>, <code>alpha</code>, <code>digit</code>, <code>xdigit</code>, and <code>punct</code> are automatically included in this class. No character specified for the keyword <code>cntrl</code> can be specified.</p>
print	<p>Define characters to be classified as printable characters, including the space character.</p> <p>In the POSIX locale, all characters in class <code>graph</code> are included; no characters in class <code>cntrl</code> are included.</p> <p>In a locale definition file, characters specified for the keywords <code>upper</code>, <code>lower</code>, <code>alpha</code>, <code>digit</code>, <code>xdigit</code>, <code>punct</code>, and the space character are automatically included in this class. No character specified for the keyword <code>cntrl</code> can be specified.</p>
xdigit	<p>Define the characters to be classified as hexadecimal digits.</p> <p>In the POSIX locale, only:</p> <p><code>0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 A B C D E F a b c d e f</code></p> <p>are included.</p> <p>In a locale definition file, only the characters defined for the class <code>digit</code> can be specified, in contiguous ascending sequence by numerical value, followed by one or more sets of six characters representing the hexadecimal digits 10 to 15 inclusive, with each set in ascending order (for example <code>A, B, C, D, E, F, a, b, c, d, e, f</code>). The digits <code>0</code> to <code>9</code>, the upper-case letters <code>A</code> to <code>F</code> and the lower-case letters <code>a</code> to <code>f</code> of the portable character set are automatically included in this class.</p> <p>The definition of character class <code>xdigit</code> requires that the characters included in character class <code>digit</code> be included here also.</p>

<code>blank</code>	<p>Define characters to be classified as blank characters.</p> <p>In the POSIX locale, only the space and tab characters are included.</p> <p>In a locale definition file, the characters space and tab are automatically included in this class.</p>
<code>charclass</code>	<p>Define one or more locale-specific character class names as strings separated by semi-colons. Each named character class can then be defined subsequently in the <code>LC_CTYPE</code> definition. A character class name consists of at least one and at most <code>{CHARCLASS_NAME_MAX}</code> bytes of alphanumeric characters from the portable filename character set. The first character of a character class name cannot be a digit. The name cannot match any of the <code>LC_CTYPE</code> keywords defined in this document.</p>
<code>charclass-name</code>	<p>Define characters to be classified as belonging to the named locale-specific character class. In the POSIX locale, the locale-specific named character classes need not exist. If a class name is defined by a <code>charclass</code> keyword, but no characters are subsequently assigned to it, this is not an error; it represents a class without any characters belonging to it. The <code>charclass-name</code> can be used as the <i>property</i> argument to the <a href="#">wctype(3C)</a> function, in regular expression and shell pattern-matching bracket expressions, and by the <a href="#">tr(1)</a> command.</p>
<code>toupper</code>	<p>Define the mapping of lower-case letters to upper-case letters.</p> <p>In the POSIX locale, at a minimum, the 26 lower-case characters:</p> <pre>a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r s t u v w x y z</pre> <p>are mapped to the corresponding 26 upper-case characters:</p> <pre>A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z</pre> <p>In a locale definition file, the operand consists of character pairs, separated by semicolons. The characters in each character pair are separated by a comma and the pair enclosed by parentheses. The first character in each pair is the lower-case letter, the second the corresponding upper-case letter. Only characters specified for the keywords <code>lower</code> and <code>upper</code> can be specified. The lower-case letters <code>a</code> to <code>z</code>, and their corresponding upper-case letters <code>A</code> to <code>Z</code>, of the portable character set are automatically included in this mapping, but only when the <code>toupper</code> keyword is omitted from the locale definition.</p>
<code>tolower</code>	<p>Define the mapping of upper-case letters to lower-case letters.</p> <p>In the POSIX locale, at a minimum, the 26 upper-case characters:</p> <pre>A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z</pre>

are mapped to the corresponding 26 lower-case characters:

a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r s t u v w x y z

In a locale definition file, the operand consists of character pairs, separated by semicolons. The characters in each character pair are separated by a comma and the pair enclosed by parentheses. The first character in each pair is the upper-case letter, the second the corresponding lower-case letter. Only characters specified for the keywords `lower` and `upper` can be specified. If the `tolower` keyword is omitted from the locale definition, the mapping will be the reverse mapping of the one specified for `toupper`.

**LC\_COLLATE** The `LC_COLLATE` category provides a collation sequence definition for numerous utilities (such as `sort(1)`, `uniq(1)`, and so forth), regular expression matching (see `regex(5)`), and the `strcoll(3C)`, `strxfrm(3C)`, `wscoll(3C)`, and `wcsxfrm(3C)` functions.

A collation sequence definition defines the relative order between collating elements (characters and multi-character collating elements) in the locale. This order is expressed in terms of collation values, that is, by assigning each element one or more collation values (also known as collation weights). The following capabilities are provided:

1. Multi-character collating elements. Specification of multi-character collating elements (that is, sequences of two or more characters to be collated as an entity).
2. User-defined ordering of collating elements. Each collating element is assigned a collation value defining its order in the character (or basic) collation sequence. This ordering is used by regular expressions and pattern matching and, unless collation weights are explicitly specified, also as the collation weight to be used in sorting.
3. Multiple weights and equivalence classes. Collating elements can be assigned one or more (up to the limit `{COLL_WEIGHTS_MAX}`) collating weights for use in sorting. The first weight is hereafter referred to as the primary weight.
4. One-to-Many mapping. A single character is mapped into a string of collating elements.
5. Equivalence class definition. Two or more collating elements have the same collation value (primary weight).
6. Ordering by weights. When two strings are compared to determine their relative order, the two strings are first broken up into a series of collating elements. The elements in each successive pair of elements are then compared according to the relative primary weights for the elements. If equal, and more than one weight has been assigned, the pairs of collating elements are recompared according to the relative subsequent weights, until either a pair of collating elements compare unequal or the weights are exhausted.

The following keywords are recognized in a collation sequence definition. They are described in detail in the following sections.

copy	Specify the name of an existing locale which is used as the definition of this category. If this keyword is specified, no other keyword is specified.
collating-element	Define a collating-element symbol representing a multi-character collating element. This keyword is optional.
collating-symbol	Define a collating symbol for use in collation order statements. This keyword is optional.
order_start	Define collation rules. This statement is followed by one or more collation order statements, assigning character collation values and collation weights to collating elements.
order_end	Specify the end of the collation-order statements.

*collating-element keyword* In addition to the collating elements in the character set, the `collating-element` keyword is used to define multi-character collating elements. The syntax is:

```
"collating-element %s from \"%s\"\\n", <collating-symbol>, <string>
```

The `<collating-symbol>` operand is a symbolic name, enclosed between angle brackets (< and >), and must not duplicate any symbolic name in the current charmap file (if any), or any other symbolic name defined in this collation definition. The string operand is a string of two or more characters that collates as an entity. A `<collating-element>` defined via this keyword is only recognized with the LC\_COLLATE category.

Example:

```
collating-element <ch> from "<c><h>"
collating-element <e-acute> from "<acute><e>"
collating-element <ll> from "\\l"
```

*collating-symbol keyword* This keyword will be used to define symbols for use in collation sequence statements; that is, between the `order_start` and the `order_end` keywords. The syntax is:

```
"collating-symbol %s\\n", <collating-symbol>
```

The `<collating-symbol>` is a symbolic name, enclosed between angle brackets (< and >), and must not duplicate any symbolic name in the current charmap file (if any), or any other symbolic name defined in this collation definition.

A `collating-symbol` defined via this keyword is only recognized with the LC\_COLLATE category.

Example:

collating-symbol <UPPER\_CASE>

collating-symbol <HIGH>

The `collating-symbol` keyword defines a symbolic name that can be associated with a relative position in the character order sequence. While such a symbolic name does not represent any collating element, it can be used as a weight.

*order\_start keyword* The `order_start` keyword must precede collation order entries and also defines the number of weights for this collation sequence definition and other collation rules.

The syntax of the `order_start` keyword is:

```
"order_start %s;%s;...;%s\n", <sort-rules>, <sort-rules>
```

The operands to the `order_start` keyword are optional. If present, the operands define rules to be applied when strings are compared. The number of operands define how many weights each element is assigned. If no operands are present, one forward operand is assumed. If present, the first operand defines rules to be applied when comparing strings using the first (primary) weight; the second when comparing strings using the second weight, and so on. Operands are separated by semicolons (;). Each operand consists of one or more collation directives, separated by commas (,). If the number of operands exceeds the {COLL\_WEIGHTS\_MAX} limit, the utility will issue a warning message. The following directives will be supported:

- |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| forward  | Specifies that comparison operations for the weight level proceed from start of string towards the end of string.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| backward | Specifies that comparison operations for the weight level proceed from end of string towards the beginning of string.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| position | Specifies that comparison operations for the weight level will consider the relative position of elements in the strings not subject to IGNORE. The string containing an element not subject to IGNORE after the fewest collating elements subject to IGNORE from the start of the compare will collate first. If both strings contain a character not subject to IGNORE in the same relative position, the collating values assigned to the elements will determine the ordering. In case of equality, subsequent characters not subject to IGNORE are considered in the same manner. |

The directives `forward` and `backward` are mutually exclusive.

Example:

```
order_start    forward;backward
```

If no operands are specified, a single `forward` operand is assumed.

**Collation Order** The `order_start` keyword is followed by collating identifier entries. The syntax for the collating element entries is:

```
"%s %s;%s;...;%s\n"<collating-identifier>,<weight>,<weight>,...
```

Each *collating-identifier* consists of either a character described in *Locale Definition* above, a *<collating-element>*, a *<collating-symbol>*, an ellipsis, or the special symbol `UNDEFINED`. The order in which collating elements are specified determines the character order sequence, such that each collating element compares less than the elements following it. The NUL character compares lower than any other character.

A *<collating-element>* is used to specify multi-character collating elements, and indicates that the character sequence specified via the *<collating-element>* is to be collated as a unit and in the relative order specified by its place.

A *<collating-symbol>* is used to define a position in the relative order for use in weights. No weights are specified with a *<collating-symbol>*.

The ellipsis symbol specifies that a sequence of characters will collate according to their encoded character values. It is interpreted as indicating that all characters with a coded character set value higher than the value of the character in the preceding line, and lower than the coded character set value for the character in the following line, in the current coded character set, will be placed in the character collation order between the previous and the following character in ascending order according to their coded character set values. An initial ellipsis is interpreted as if the preceding line specified the NUL character, and a trailing ellipsis as if the following line specified the highest coded character set value in the current coded character set. An ellipsis is treated as invalid if the preceding or following lines do not specify characters in the current coded character set. The use of the ellipsis symbol ties the definition to a specific coded character set and may preclude the definition from being portable between implementations.

The symbol `UNDEFINED` is interpreted as including all coded character set values not specified explicitly or via the ellipsis symbol. Such characters are inserted in the character collation order at the point indicated by the symbol, and in ascending order according to their coded character set values. If no `UNDEFINED` symbol is specified, and the current coded character set contains characters not specified in this section, the utility will issue a warning message and place such characters at the end of the character collation order.

The optional operands for each collation-element are used to define the primary, secondary, or subsequent weights for the collating element. The first operand specifies the relative primary weight, the second the relative secondary weight, and so on. Two or more collation-elements can be assigned the same weight; they belong to the same *equivalence class* if they have the same primary weight. Collation behaves as if, for each weight level, elements subject to `IGNORE` are removed, unless the `position` collation directive is specified for the corresponding level with the `order_start` keyword. Then each successive pair of elements is

compared according to the relative weights for the elements. If the two strings compare equal, the process is repeated for the next weight level, up to the limit {COLL\_WEIGHTS\_MAX}.

Weights are expressed as characters described in *Locale Definition* above, *<collating-symbol>*s, *<collating-element>*s, an ellipsis, or the special symbol *IGNORE*. A single character, a *<collating-symbol>* or a *<collating-element>* represent the relative position in the character collating sequence of the character or symbol, rather than the character or characters themselves. Thus, rather than assigning absolute values to weights, a particular weight is expressed using the relative order value assigned to a collating element based on its order in the character collation sequence.

One-to-many mapping is indicated by specifying two or more concatenated characters or symbolic names. For example, if the character *<eszet>* is given the string "*<s><s>*" as a weight, comparisons are performed as if all occurrences of the character *<eszet>* are replaced by *<s><s>* (assuming that *<s>* has the collating weight *<s>*). If it is necessary to define *<eszet>* and *<s><s>* as an equivalence class, then a collating element must be defined for the string *ss*.

All characters specified via an ellipsis will by default be assigned unique weights, equal to the relative order of characters. Characters specified via an explicit or implicit *UNDEFINED* special symbol will by default be assigned the same primary weight (that is, belong to the same equivalence class). An ellipsis symbol as a weight is interpreted to mean that each character in the sequence has unique weights, equal to the relative order of their character in the character collation sequence. The use of the ellipsis as a weight is treated as an error if the collating element is neither an ellipsis nor the special symbol *UNDEFINED*.

The special keyword *IGNORE* as a weight indicates that when strings are compared using the weights at the level where *IGNORE* is specified, the collating element is ignored; that is, as if the string did not contain the collating element. In regular expressions and pattern matching, all characters that are subject to *IGNORE* in their primary weight form an equivalence class.

An empty operand is interpreted as the collating element itself.

For example, the order statement:

```
<a>      <a>;<a>
```

is equal to:

```
<a>
```

An ellipsis can be used as an operand if the collating element was an ellipsis, and is interpreted as the value of each character defined by the ellipsis.

The collation order as defined in this section defines the interpretation of bracket expressions in regular expressions.

Example:

order_start	forward;backward
UNDEFINED	IGNORE;IGNORE
<LOW>	
<space>	<LOW>;<space>
. . .	<LOW>;. . .
<a>	<a>;<a>
<a-acute>	<a>;<a-acute>
<a-grave>	<a>;<a-grave>
<A>	<a>;<A>
<A-acute>	<a>;<A-acute>
<A-grave>	<a>;<A-grave>
<ch>	<ch>;<ch>
<Ch>	<ch>;<Ch>
<s>	<s>;<s>
<eszet>	"<s><s>";"<eszet><eszet>"
order_end	

This example is interpreted as follows:

1. The UNDEFINED means that all characters not specified in this definition (explicitly or via the ellipsis) are ignored for collation purposes; for regular expression purposes they are ordered first.
2. All characters between <space> and <a> have the same primary equivalence class and individual secondary weights based on their ordinal encoded values.
3. All characters based on the upper- or lower-case character a belong to the same primary equivalence class.
4. The multi-character collating element <ch> is represented by the collating symbol <ch> and belongs to the same primary equivalence class as the multi-character collating element <Ch>.

*order\_end keyword* The collating order entries must be terminated with an `order_end` keyword.



**LC\_MONETARY** The **LC\_MONETARY** category defines the rules and symbols that are used to format monetary numeric information. This information is available through the `localeconv(3C)` function

The following items are defined in this category of the locale. The item names are the keywords recognized by the `localedef(1)` utility when defining a locale. They are also similar to the member names of the `lconv` structure defined in `<locale.h>`. The `localeconv` function returns `{CHAR_MAX}` for unspecified integer items and the empty string `("")` for unspecified or size zero string items.

In a locale definition file the operands are strings. For some keywords, the strings can contain only integers. Keywords that are not provided, string values set to the empty string `("")`, or integer keywords set to `-1`, are used to indicate that the value is not available in the locale.

**int\_curr\_symbol** The international currency symbol. The operand is a four-character string, with the first three characters containing the alphabetic international currency symbol in accordance with those specified in the ISO 4217 standard. The fourth character is the character used to separate the international currency symbol from the monetary quantity.

**currency\_symbol** The string used as the local currency symbol.

**mon\_decimal\_point** The operand is a string containing the symbol that is used as the decimal delimiter (radix character) in monetary formatted quantities.

**mon\_thousands\_sep** The operand is a string containing the symbol that is used as a separator for groups of digits to the left of the decimal delimiter in formatted monetary quantities.

**mon\_grouping** Define the size of each group of digits in formatted monetary quantities. The operand is a sequence of integers separated by semicolons. Each integer specifies the number of digits in each group, with the initial integer defining the size of the group immediately preceding the decimal delimiter, and the following integers defining the preceding groups. If the last integer is not `-1`, then the size of the previous group (if any) will be repeatedly used for the remainder of the digits. If the last integer is `-1`, then no further grouping will be performed.

The following is an example of the interpretation of the **mon\_grouping** keyword. Assuming that the value to be formatted is 123456789 and the **mon\_thousands\_sep** is `' '`, then the following table shows the result. The third column shows the equivalent string in the ISO C standard that would be used by the `localeconv` function to accommodate this grouping.

mon_grouping	Formatted Value	ISO C String
3;-1	123456'789	"\3\177"
3	123'456'789	"\3"
3;2;-1	1234'56'789	"\3\2\177"
3;2	12'34'56'789	"\3\2"
-1	1234567898	"\177"

In these examples, the octal value of {CHAR\_MAX} is 177.

positive_sign	A string used to indicate a non-negative-valued formatted monetary quantity.
negative_sign	A string used to indicate a negative-valued formatted monetary quantity.
int_frac_digits	An integer representing the number of fractional digits (those to the right of the decimal delimiter) to be written in a formatted monetary quantity using int_curr_symbol.
frac_digits	An integer representing the number of fractional digits (those to the right of the decimal delimiter) to be written in a formatted monetary quantity using currency_symbol.
p_cs_precedes	<p>In an application conforming to the SUSv3 standard, an integer set to 1 if the currency_symbol precedes the value for a monetary quantity with a non-negative value, and set to 0 if the symbol succeeds the value.</p> <p>In an application <i>not</i> conforming to the SUSv3 standard, an integer set to 1 if the currency_symbol or int_currency_symbol precedes the value for a monetary quantity with a non-negative value, and set to 0 if the symbol succeeds the value.</p>
p_sep_by_space	<p>In an application conforming to the SUSv3 standard, an integer set to 0 if no space separates the currency_symbol from the value for a monetary quantity with a non-negative value, set to 1 if a space separates the symbol from the value, and set to 2 if a space separates the symbol and the sign string, if adjacent.</p> <p>In an application <i>not</i> conforming to the SUSv3 standard, an integer set to 0 if no space separates the currency_symbol or int_curr_symbol from the value for a monetary quantity with a non-negative value, set to 1 if a space separates the symbol from the value, and set to 2 if a space separates the symbol and the sign string, if adjacent.</p>

n_cs_precedes	<p>In an application conforming to the SUSv3 standard, an integer set to 1 if the <code>currency_symbol</code> precedes the value for a monetary quantity with a negative value, and set to 0 if the symbol succeeds the value.</p> <p>In an application <i>not</i> conforming to the SUSv3 standard, an integer set to 1 if the <code>currency_symbol</code> or <code>int_currency_symbol</code> precedes the value for a monetary quantity with a negative value, and set to 0 if the symbol succeeds the value.</p>
n_sep_by_space	<p>In an application conforming to the SUSv3 standard, an integer set to 0 if no space separates the <code>currency_symbol</code> from the value for a monetary quantity with a negative value, set to 1 if a space separates the symbol from the value, and set to 2 if a space separates the symbol and the sign string, if adjacent.</p> <p>In an application <i>not</i> conforming to the SUSv3 standard, an integer set to 0 if no space separates the <code>currency_symbol</code> or <code>int_curr_symbol</code> from the value for a monetary quantity with a negative value, set to 1 if a space separates the symbol from the value, and set to 2 if a space separates the symbol and the sign string, if adjacent.</p>
p_sign_posn	<p>An integer set to a value indicating the positioning of the <code>positive_sign</code> for a monetary quantity with a non-negative value. The following integer values are recognized for both <code>p_sign_posn</code> and <code>n_sign_posn</code>:</p> <p>In an application conforming to the SUSv3 standard:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0    Parentheses enclose the quantity and the <code>currency_symbol</code>.</li> <li>1    The sign string precedes the quantity and the <code>currency_symbol</code>.</li> <li>2    The sign string succeeds the quantity and the <code>currency_symbol</code>.</li> <li>3    The sign string precedes the <code>currency_symbol</code>.</li> <li>4    The sign string succeeds the <code>currency_symbol</code>.</li> </ul> <p>In an application <i>not</i> conforming to the SUSv3 standard:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>0    Parentheses enclose the quantity and the <code>currency_symbol</code> or <code>int_curr_symbol</code>.</li> <li>1    The sign string precedes the quantity and the <code>currency_symbol</code> or <code>int_curr_symbol</code>.</li> </ul>

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>2 The sign string succeeds the quantity and the <code>currency_symbol</code> or <code>int_curr_symbol</code>.</li><li>3 The sign string precedes the <code>currency_symbol</code> or <code>int_curr_symbol</code>.</li><li>4 The sign string succeeds the <code>currency_symbol</code> or <code>int_curr_symbol</code>.</li></ol>
<code>n_sign_posn</code>	An integer set to a value indicating the positioning of the <code>negative_sign</code> for a negative formatted monetary quantity.
<code>int_p_cs_precedes</code>	An integer set to 1 if the <code>int_curr_symbol</code> precedes the value for a monetary quantity with a non-negative value, and set to 0 if the symbol succeeds the value.
<code>int_n_cs_precedes</code>	An integer set to 1 if the <code>int_curr_symbol</code> precedes the value for a monetary quantity with a negative value, and set to 0 if the symbol succeeds the value.
<code>int_p_sep_by_space</code>	An integer set to 0 if no space separates the <code>int_curr_symbol</code> from the value for a monetary quantity with a non-negative value, set to 1 if a space separates the symbol from the value, and set to 2 if a space separates the symbol and the sign string, if adjacent.
<code>int_n_sep_by_space</code>	An integer set to 0 if no space separates the <code>int_curr_symbol</code> from the value for a monetary quantity with a negative value, set to 1 if a space separates the symbol from the value, and set to 2 if a space separates the symbol and the sign string, if adjacent.
<code>int_p_sign_posn</code>	<p>An integer set to a value indicating the positioning of the <code>positive_sign</code> for a positive monetary quantity formatted with the international format. The following integer values are recognized for <code>int_p_sign_posn</code> and <code>int_n_sign_posn</code>:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>0 Parentheses enclose the quantity and the <code>int_curr_symbol</code>.</li><li>1 The sign string precedes the quantity and the <code>int_curr_symbol</code>.</li><li>2 The sign string precedes the quantity and the <code>int_curr_symbol</code>.</li><li>3 The sign string precedes the <code>int_curr_symbol</code>.</li><li>4 The sign string succeeds the <code>int_curr_symbol</code>.</li></ol>
<code>int_n_sign_posn</code>	An integer set to a value indicating the positioning of the <code>negative_sign</code> for a negative monetary quantity formatted with the international format.

The following table shows the result of various combinations:

		p_sep_by_space		
		2	1	0
p_cs_precedes= 1	p_sign_posn= 0	(\$1.25)	(\$1.25)	(\$1.25)
	p_sign_posn= 1	+\$1.25	+\$1.25	+\$1.25
	p_sign_posn= 2	\$1.25+	\$1.25+	\$1.25+
	p_sign_posn= 3	+\$1.25	+\$1.25	+\$1.25
	p_sign_posn= 4	\$+1.25	\$+1.25	\$+1.25
p_cs_precedes= 0	p_sign_posn= 0	(1.25 \$)	(1.25 \$)	(1.25\$)
	p_sign_posn= 1	+1.25 \$	+1.25 \$	+1.25\$
	p_sign_posn= 2	1.25\$ +	1.25 \$+	1.25\$+
	p_sign_posn= 3	1.25+ \$	1.25 +\$	1.25+\$
	p_sign_posn= 4	1.25\$ +	1.25 \$+	1.25\$+

The monetary formatting definitions for the POSIX locale follow. The code listing depicts the `localedef(1)` input, the table representing the same information with the addition of `localeconv(3C)` and `nl_langinfo(3C)` formats. All values are unspecified in the POSIX locale.

```
LC_MONETARY
# This is the POSIX locale definition for
# the LC_MONETARY category.
#
int_curr_symbol      ""
currency_symbol      ""
mon_decimal_point    ""
mon_thousands_sep   ""
mon_grouping         -1
positive_sign        ""
negative_sign        ""
int_frac_digits      -1
frac_digits          -1
p_cs_precedes        -1
p_sep_by_space       -1
n_cs_precedes        -1
n_sep_by_space       -1
p_sign_posn          -1
n_sign_posn          -1
int_p_cs_precedes    -1
```

```
int_p_sep_by_space    -1
int_n_cs_precedes     -1
int_n_sep_by_space    -1
int_p_sign_posn       -1
int_n_sign_posn       -1
#
END LC_MONETARY
```

The entry `n/a` indicates that the value is not available in the POSIX locale.

**LC\_NUMERIC** The **LC\_NUMERIC** category defines the rules and symbols that will be used to format non-monetary numeric information. This information is available through the [localeconv\(3C\)](#) function.

The following items are defined in this category of the locale. The item names are the keywords recognized by the `localedef` utility when defining a locale. They are also similar to the member names of the `lconv` structure defined in `<locale.h>`. The `localeconv()` function returns `{CHAR_MAX}` for unspecified integer items and the empty string (`""`) for unspecified or size zero string items.

In a locale definition file the operands are strings. For some keywords, the strings only can contain integers. Keywords that are not provided, string values set to the empty string (`""`), or integer keywords set to `-1`, will be used to indicate that the value is not available in the locale. The following keywords are recognized:

<code>decimal_point</code>	The operand is a string containing the symbol that is used as the decimal delimiter (radix character) in numeric, non-monetary formatted quantities. This keyword cannot be omitted and cannot be set to the empty string. In contexts where standards limit the <code>decimal_point</code> to a single byte, the result of specifying a multi-byte operand is unspecified.
<code>thousands_sep</code>	The operand is a string containing the symbol that is used as a separator for groups of digits to the left of the decimal delimiter in numeric, non-monetary formatted monetary quantities. In contexts where standards limit the <code>thousands_sep</code> to a single byte, the result of specifying a multi-byte operand is unspecified.
<code>grouping</code>	Define the size of each group of digits in formatted non-monetary quantities. The operand is a sequence of integers separated by semicolons. Each integer specifies the number of digits in each group, with the initial integer defining the size of the group immediately preceding the decimal delimiter, and the following integers defining the preceding groups. If the last integer is not <code>-1</code> , then the size of the previous group (if any) will be repeatedly used for the remainder of the digits. If the last integer is <code>-1</code> , then no further grouping will be performed. The non-monetary numeric formatting definitions for the POSIX locale follow. The code listing depicts the <code>localedef</code> input, the table representing the same information with the addition of <code>localeconv</code> values, and <code>nL_langinfo</code> constants.

```
LC_NUMERIC
# This is the POSIX locale definition for
# the LC_NUMERIC category.
#
decimal_point    "<period>"
thousands_sep    ""
grouping         -1
#
END LC_NUMERIC
```

	POSIX locale	langinfo	localeconv()	localedef
Item	Value	Constant	Value	Value
decimal_point	"."	RADIXCHAR	"."	.
thousands_sep	n/a	THOUSEP	""	""
grouping	n/a	-	""	-1

The entry n/a indicates that the value is not available in the POSIX locale.

**LC\_TIME** The **LC\_TIME** category defines the interpretation of the field descriptors supported by **date(1)** and affects the behavior of the **strftime(3C)**, **wcsftime(3C)**, **strptime(3C)**, and **nl\_langinfo(3C)** functions. Because the interfaces for C-language access and locale definition differ significantly, they are described separately. For locale definition, the following mandatory keywords are recognized:

- abday** Define the abbreviated weekday names, corresponding to the **%a** field descriptor (conversion specification in the **strftime()**, **wcsftime()**, and **strptime()** functions). The operand consists of seven semicolon-separated strings, each surrounded by double-quotes. The first string is the abbreviated name of the day corresponding to Sunday, the second the abbreviated name of the day corresponding to Monday, and so on.
- day** Define the full weekday names, corresponding to the **%A** field descriptor. The operand consists of seven semicolon-separated strings, each surrounded by double-quotes. The first string is the full name of the day corresponding to Sunday, the second the full name of the day corresponding to Monday, and so on.
- abmon** Define the abbreviated month names, corresponding to the **%b** field descriptor. The operand consists of twelve semicolon-separated strings, each surrounded by double-quotes. The first string is the abbreviated name of the first month of the year (January), the second the abbreviated name of the second month, and so on.

mon	Define the full month names, corresponding to the %B field descriptor. The operand consists of twelve semicolon-separated strings, each surrounded by double-quotes. The first string is the full name of the first month of the year (January), the second the full name of the second month, and so on.
d_t_fmt	Define the appropriate date and time representation, corresponding to the %c field descriptor. The operand consists of a string, and can contain any combination of characters and field descriptors. In addition, the string can contain the escape sequences \\, \a, \b, \f, \n, \r, \t, \v.
date_fmt	Define the appropriate date and time representation, corresponding to the %C field descriptor. The operand consists of a string, and can contain any combination of characters and field descriptors. In addition, the string can contain the escape sequences \\, \a, \b, \f, \n, \r, \t, \v.
d_fmt	Define the appropriate date representation, corresponding to the %x field descriptor. The operand consists of a string, and can contain any combination of characters and field descriptors. In addition, the string can contain the escape sequences \\, \a, \b, \f, \n, \r, \t, \v.
t_fmt	Define the appropriate time representation, corresponding to the %X field descriptor. The operand consists of a string, and can contain any combination of characters and field descriptors. In addition, the string can contain the escape sequences \\, \a, \b, \f, \n, \r, \t, \v.
am_pm	Define the appropriate representation of the <i>ante meridiem</i> and <i>post meridiem</i> strings, corresponding to the %p field descriptor. The operand consists of two strings, separated by a semicolon, each surrounded by double-quotes. The first string represents the <i>ante meridiem</i> designation, the last string the <i>post meridiem</i> designation.
t_fmt_ampm	Define the appropriate time representation in the 12-hour clock format with am_pm, corresponding to the %r field descriptor. The operand consists of a string and can contain any combination of characters and field descriptors. If the string is empty, the 12-hour format is not supported in the locale.
era	Define how years are counted and displayed for each era in a locale. The operand consists of semicolon-separated strings. Each string is an era description segment with the format:

*direction:offset:start\_date:end\_date:era\_name:era\_format*

according to the definitions below. There can be as many era description segments as are necessary to describe the different eras.

The start of an era might not be the earliest point. For example, the Christian era B.C. starts on the day before January 1, A.D. 1, and increases with earlier time.



	<i>direction</i>	Either a + or a – character. The + character indicates that years closer to the <i>start_date</i> have lower numbers than those closer to the <i>end_date</i> . The – character indicates that years closer to the <i>start_date</i> have higher numbers than those closer to the <i>end_date</i> .
	<i>offset</i>	The number of the year closest to the <i>start_date</i> in the era, corresponding to the %Eg and %Ey field descriptors.
	<i>start_date</i>	A date in the form <i>yyyy/mm/dd</i> , where <i>yyyy</i> , <i>mm</i> , and <i>dd</i> are the year, month and day numbers respectively of the start of the era. Years prior to A.D. 1 are represented as negative numbers.
	<i>end_date</i>	The ending date of the era, in the same format as the <i>start_date</i> , or one of the two special values –* or +*. The value –* indicates that the ending date is the beginning of time. The value +* indicates that the ending date is the end of time.
	<i>era_name</i>	A string representing the name of the era, corresponding to the %EC field descriptor.
	<i>era_format</i>	A string for formatting the year in the era, corresponding to the %EG and %EY field descriptors.
era_d_fmt		Define the format of the date in alternative era notation, corresponding to the %Ex field descriptor.
era_t_fmt		Define the locale's appropriate alternative time format, corresponding to the %EX field descriptor.
era_d_t_fmt		Define the locale's appropriate alternative date and time format, corresponding to the %Ec field descriptor.
alt_digits		Define alternative symbols for digits, corresponding to the %0 field descriptor modifier. The operand consists of semicolon-separated strings, each surrounded by double-quotes. The first string is the alternative symbol corresponding with zero, the second string the symbol corresponding with one, and so on. Up to 100 alternative symbol strings can be specified. The %0 modifier indicates that the string corresponding to the value specified via the field descriptor will be used instead of the value.
LC_TIME C-language Access	The following information can be accessed. These correspond to constants defined in <langinfo.h> and used as arguments to the <a href="#">nl_langinfo(3C)</a> function.	
ABDAY_x		The abbreviated weekday names (for example Sun), where <i>x</i> is a number from 1 to 7.

DAY_ <i>x</i>	The full weekday names (for example Sunday), where <i>x</i> is a number from 1 to 7.
ABMON_ <i>x</i>	The abbreviated month names (for example Jan), where <i>x</i> is a number from 1 to 12.
MON_ <i>x</i>	The full month names (for example January), where <i>x</i> is a number from 1 to 12.
D_T_FMT	The appropriate date and time representation.
D_FMT	The appropriate date representation.
T_FMT	The appropriate time representation.
AM_STR	The appropriate ante-meridiem affix.
PM_STR	The appropriate post-meridiem affix.
T_FMT_AMPM	The appropriate time representation in the 12-hour clock format with AM_STR and PM_STR.
ERA	The era description segments, which describe how years are counted and displayed for each era in a locale. Each era description segment has the format:

*direction*:*offset*:*start\_date*:*end\_date*:*era\_name*:*era\_format*

according to the definitions below. There will be as many era description segments as are necessary to describe the different eras. Era description segments are separated by semicolons.

The start of an era might not be the earliest point For example, the Christian era B.C. starts on the day before January 1, A.D. 1, and increases with earlier time.

*direction* Either a + or a – character. The + character indicates that years closer to the *start\_date* have lower numbers than those closer to the *end\_date*. The – character indicates that years closer to the *start\_date* have higher numbers than those closer to the *end\_date*.

*offset* The number of the year closest to the *start\_date* in the era.

*start\_date* A date in the form *yyyy/mm/dd*, where *yyyy*, *mm*, and *dd* are the year, month and day numbers respectively of the start of the era. Years prior to AD 1 are represented as negative numbers.

*end\_date* The ending date of the era, in the same format as the *start\_date*, or one of the two special values, –\* or +\*. The

value `—*` indicates that the ending date is the beginning of time. The value `+*` indicates that the ending date is the end of time.

*era\_name* The era, corresponding to the `%EC` conversion specification.

*era\_format* The format of the year in the era, corresponding to the `%EY` and `%EY` conversion specifications.

`ERA_D_FMT` The era date format.

`ERA_T_FMT` The locale's appropriate alternative time format, corresponding to the `%EX` field descriptor.

`ERA_D_T_FMT` The locale's appropriate alternative date and time format, corresponding to the `%Ec` field descriptor.

`ALT_DIGITS` The alternative symbols for digits, corresponding to the `%0` conversion specification modifier. The value consists of semicolon-separated symbols. The first is the alternative symbol corresponding to zero, the second is the symbol corresponding to one, and so on. Up to 100 alternative symbols may be specified. The following table displays the correspondence between the items described above and the conversion specifiers used by `date(1)` and the `strftime(3C)`, `wcsftime(3C)`, and `strptime(3C)` functions.

localedef Keyword	langinfo Constant	Conversion Specifier
abday	ABDAY_ <i>x</i>	%a
day	DAY_ <i>x</i>	%A
abmon	ABMON_ <i>x</i>	%b
mon	MON	%B
d_t_fmt	D_T_FMT	%c
date_fmt	DATE_FMT	%C
d_fmt	D_FMT	%x
t_fmt	T_FMT	%X
am_pm	AM_STR	%p
am_pm	PM_STR	%p
t_fmt_ampm	T_FMT_AMP	%r
era	ERA	%EC, %Eg,

localedef	langinfo	Conversion
Keyword	Constant	Specifier
		%EG, %Ey, %EY
era_d_fmt	ERA_D_FMT	%Ex
era_t_fmt	ERA_T_FMT	%EX
era_d_t_fmt	ERA_D_T_FMT	%Ec
alt_digits	ALT_DIGITS	%0

**LC\_TIME** *General Information* Although certain of the field descriptors in the POSIX locale (such as the name of the month) are shown with initial capital letters, this need not be the case in other locales. Programs using these fields may need to adjust the capitalization if the output is going to be used at the beginning of a sentence.

The LC\_TIME descriptions of abday, day, mon, and abmon imply a Gregorian style calendar (7-day weeks, 12-month years, leap years, and so forth). Formatting time strings for other types of calendars is outside the scope of this document set.

As specified under date in Locale Definition and [strftime\(3C\)](#), the field descriptors corresponding to the optional keywords consist of a modifier followed by a traditional field descriptor (for instance %Ex). If the optional keywords are not supported by the implementation or are unspecified for the current locale, these field descriptors are treated as the traditional field descriptor. For instance, assume the following keywords:

```
alt_digits    "0th" ; "1st" ; "2nd" ; "3rd" ; "4th" ; "5th" ; \
              "6th" ; "7th" ; "8th" ; "9th" ; "10th">
d_fmt        "The %0d day of %B in %Y"
```

On 7/4/1776, the %x field descriptor would result in “The 4th day of July in 1776” while 7/14/1789 would come out as “The 14 day of July in 1789” The above example is for illustrative purposes only. The %0 modifier is primarily intended to provide for Kanji or Hindi digits in date formats.

**LC\_MESSAGES** The LC\_MESSAGES category defines the format and values for affirmative and negative responses.

The following keywords are recognized as part of the locale definition file. The [nl\\_langinfo\(3C\)](#) function accepts upper-case versions of the first four keywords.

- yesexpr     The operand consists of an extended regular expression (see [regex\(5\)](#)) that describes the acceptable affirmative response to a question expecting an affirmative or negative response.
- noexpr     The operand consists of an extended regular expression that describes the acceptable negative response to a question expecting an affirmative or negative response.

**yesstr** The operand consists of a fixed string (not a regular expression) that can be used by an application for composition of a message that lists an acceptable affirmative response, such as in a prompt.

**nostr** The operand consists of a fixed string that can be used by an application for composition of a message that lists an acceptable negative response. The format and values for affirmative and negative responses of the POSIX locale follow; the code listing depicting the `localedef` input, the table representing the same information with the addition of `nl_langinfo()` constants.

```
LC_MESSAGES
# This is the POSIX locale definition for
# the LC_MESSAGES category.
#
yesexpr "<circumflex><left-square-bracket><y><Y>\
        <right-square-bracket>"
#
noexpr  "<circumflex><left-square-bracket><n><N>\
        <right-square-bracket>"
#
yesstr  "yes"
nostr   "no"
END LC_MESSAGES
```

localedef Keyword	langinfo Constant	POSIX Locale Value
yesexpr	YESEXPR	"^[yY]"
noexpr	NOEXPR	"^[nN]"
yesstr	YESSTR	"yes"
nostr	NOSTR	"no"

In an application conforming to the SUSv3 standard, the information on `yesstr` and `nostr` is not available.

**See Also** `date(1)`, `locale(1)`, `localedef(1)`, `sort(1)`, `tr(1)`, `uniq(1)`, `localeconv(3C)`, `nl_langinfo(3C)`, `setlocale(3C)`, `strcoll(3C)`, `strftime(3C)`, `strptime(3C)`, `strxfrm(3C)`, `wscoll(3C)`, `wcsftime(3C)`, `wcsxfrm(3C)`, `wctype(3C)`, `attributes(5)`, `charmap(5)`, `extensions(5)`, `regex(5)`

**Name** lx – Linux branded zone

**Description** The lx brand uses the branded zones framework described in [brands\(5\)](#) to enable Linux binary applications to run unmodified on a machine with a Solaris Operating System kernel.

The lx brand includes the tools necessary to install a CentOS 3.x or Red Hat Enterprise Linux 3.x distribution inside a non-global zone. The brand supports the execution of 32-bit Linux applications on x86/x64 machines running the Solaris system in either 32-bit or 64-bit mode.

**Supported Linux Distributions** The lx brand emulates the system call interfaces provided by the Linux 2.4.21 kernel, as modified by Red Hat in the RHEL 3.x distributions. This kernel provides the system call interfaces consumed by the glibc version 2.3.2 released by Red Hat.

In addition, the lx brand partially emulates the Linux /dev and /proc interfaces.

**Configuration and Administration** The lx brand supports the whole root non-global zone model. All of the required linux packages are installed into the private file systems of the zone.

The [zoncfg\(1M\)](#) utility is used to configure an lx branded zone. Once a branded zone has been installed, that zone's brand cannot be changed or removed. The [zoneadm\(1M\)](#) utility is used to report the zone's brand type and administer the zone. The [zlogin\(1\)](#) utility is used to log in to the zone.

**Application Support** The lx zone only supports user-level Linux applications. You cannot use Linux device drivers, Linux kernel modules, or Linux file systems from inside an lx zone.

You cannot add any non-standard Solaris devices to a Linux zone. Any attempt to do so will result in a zone that [zoncfg\(1M\)](#) will refuse to verify.

You cannot run Solaris applications inside an lx zone. Solaris debugging tools such as DTrace (see [dtrace\(1M\)](#)) and mdb (see [mdb\(1\)](#)) can be applied to Linux processes executing inside the zone, but the tools themselves must be running in the global zone. Any core files generated are produced in the Solaris format, and such files can only be debugged with Solaris tools.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	SUNWlxr, SUNWlxu
Interface Stability	Evolving

**See Also** [mdb\(1\)](#), [zlogin\(1\)](#), [zonename\(1\)](#), [dtrace\(1M\)](#), [zoneadm\(1M\)](#), [zoncfg\(1M\)](#), [brands\(5\)](#), [zones\(5\)](#), [lx\\_systrace\(7D\)](#)

**Notes** This feature might be removed in a future release.

**Name** man – macros to format Reference Manual pages

**Synopsis** nroff -man filename...  
troff -man filename...

**Description** These macros are used to lay out the reference pages in this manual. Note: if *filename* contains format input for a preprocessor, the commands shown above must be piped through the appropriate preprocessor. This is handled automatically by the [man\(1\)](#) command. See the “Conventions” section.

Any text argument *t* may be zero to six words. Quotes may be used to include SPACE characters in a “word”. If *text* is empty, the special treatment is applied to the next input line with text to be printed. In this way .I may be used to italicize a whole line, or .SB may be used to make small bold letters.

A prevailing indent distance is remembered between successive indented paragraphs, and is reset to default value upon reaching a non-indented paragraph. Default units for indents *i* are ens.

Type font and size are reset to default values before each paragraph, and after processing font and size setting macros.

These strings are predefined by -man:

\\*R ‘®’, ‘(Reg)’ in nroff.  
\\*S Change to default type size.

**Requests** \* n.t.l. = next text line; p.i. = prevailing indent

<i>Request</i>	<i>Cause</i>	<i>If no</i>	<i>Explanation</i>
	<i>Break</i>	<i>Argument</i>	
.B <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.*	Text is in bold font.
.BI <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating bold and italic.
.BR <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating bold and roman.
.DT	no	.5i 1i...	Restore default tabs.
.HP <i>i</i>	yes	<i>i</i> =p.i.*	Begin paragraph with hanging indent. Set prevailing indent to <i>i</i> .
.I <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Text is italic.
.IB <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating italic and bold.
.IP <i>x i</i>	yes	<i>x</i> =""	Same as .TP with tag <i>x</i> .
.IR <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating italic and roman.



<i>Request</i>	<i>Cause</i>	<i>If no</i>	<i>Explanation</i>
	<i>Break</i>	<i>Argument</i>	
.IX <i>t</i>	no	-	Index macro, for SunSoft internal use.
.LP	yes	-	Begin left-aligned paragraph. Set prevailing indent to .5i.
.P	yes	-	Same as .LP.
.PD <i>d</i>	no	<i>d</i> =.4v	Set vertical distance between paragraphs.
.PP	yes	-	Same as .LP.
.RE	yes	-	End of relative indent. Restores prevailing indent.
.RB <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating roman and bold.
.RI <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating roman and italic.
.RS <i>i</i>	yes	<i>i</i> =p.i.	Start relative indent, increase indent by <i>i</i> . Sets prevailing indent to .5i for nested indents.
.SB <i>t</i>	no	-	Reduce size of text by 1 point, make text bold.
.SH <i>t</i>	yes	-	Section Heading.
.SM <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Reduce size of text by 1 point.
.SS <i>t</i>	yes	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Section Subheading.
.TH <i>n s d f m</i>	yes	-	Begin reference page <i>n</i> , of of section <i>s</i> ; <i>d</i> is the date of the most recent change. If present, <i>f</i> is the left page footer; <i>m</i> is the main page (center) header. Sets prevailing indent and tabs to .5i.
.TP <i>i</i>	yes	<i>i</i> =p.i.	Begin indented paragraph, with the tag given on the next text line. Set prevailing indent to <i>i</i> .
.TX <i>t p</i>	no	-	Resolve the title abbreviation <i>t</i> ; join to punctuation mark (or text) <i>p</i> .

Conventions When formatting a manual page, man examines the first line to determine whether it requires special processing. For example a first line consisting of:

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indicates that the manual page must be run through the `tbl(1)` preprocessor.

A typical manual page for a command or function is laid out as follows:

.TH <i>title</i> [1-9]	The name of the command or function, which serves as the title of the manual page. This is followed by the number of the section in which it appears.
.SH NAME	The name, or list of names, by which the command is called, followed by a dash and then a one-line summary of the action performed. All in roman font, this section contains no <code>troff(1)</code> commands or escapes, and no macro requests. It is used to generate the windex database, which is used by the <code>whatis(1)</code> command.
.SH SYNOPSIS	<p>Commands:    The syntax of the command and its arguments, as typed on the command line. When in boldface, a word must be typed exactly as printed. When in italics, a word can be replaced with an argument that you supply. References to bold or italicized items are not capitalized in other sections, even when they begin a sentence.</p> <p>Syntactic symbols appear in roman face:</p> <p>[ ]    An argument, when surrounded by brackets is optional.</p> <p>     Arguments separated by a vertical bar are exclusive. You can supply only one item from such a list.</p> <p>. . .    Arguments followed by an ellipsis can be repeated. When an ellipsis follows a bracketed set, the expression within the brackets can be repeated.</p> <p>Functions:    If required, the data declaration, or <code>#include</code> directive, is shown first, followed by the function declaration. Otherwise, the function declaration is shown.</p>
.SH DESCRIPTION	A narrative overview of the command or function's external behavior. This includes how it interacts with files or data, and how it handles the standard input, standard output and standard error. Internals and implementation details are normally omitted. This section attempts to provide a succinct overview in answer to the question, "what does it do?"

Literal text from the synopsis appears in constant width, as do literal filenames and references to items that appear elsewhere in the reference manuals. Arguments are italicized.

If a command interprets either subcommands or an input grammar, its command interface or input grammar is normally described in a USAGE section, which follows the OPTIONS section. The DESCRIPTION section only describes the behavior of the command itself, not that of subcommands.

.SH OPTIONS	The list of options along with a description of how each affects the command's operation.
.SH RETURN VALUES	A list of the values the library routine will return to the calling program and the conditions that cause these values to be returned.
.SH EXIT STATUS	A list of the values the utility will return to the calling program or shell, and the conditions that cause these values to be returned.
.SH FILES	A list of files associated with the command or function.
.SH SEE ALSO	A comma-separated list of related manual pages, followed by references to other published materials.
.SH DIAGNOSTICS	A list of diagnostic messages and an explanation of each.
.SH BUGS	A description of limitations, known defects, and possible problems associated with the command or function.

**Files** /usr/share/lib/tmac/an  
/usr/share/man/windex

**See Also** [man\(1\)](#), [nroff\(1\)](#), [troff\(1\)](#), [whatis\(1\)](#)

Dale Dougherty and Tim O'Reilly, *Unix Text Processing*

**Name** mansun – macros to format Reference Manual pages

**Synopsis** nroff -mansun *filename* . . .  
troff -mansun *filename* . . .

**Description** These macros are used to lay out the reference pages in this manual. Note: if *filename* contains format input for a preprocessor, the commands shown above must be piped through the appropriate preprocessor. This is handled automatically by [man\(1\)](#). See the “Conventions” section.

Any text argument *t* may be zero to six words. Quotes may be used to include SPACE characters in a “word”. If *text* is empty, the special treatment is applied to the next input line with text to be printed. In this way .I may be used to italicize a whole line, or .SB may be used to make small bold letters.

A prevailing indent distance is remembered between successive indented paragraphs, and is reset to default value upon reaching a non-indented paragraph. Default units for indents *i* are ens.

Type font and size are reset to default values before each paragraph, and after processing font and size setting macros.

These strings are predefined by -mansun:

\\*R ‘®’, ‘(Reg)’ in nroff.  
\\*S Change to default type size.

Requests \* n.t.l. = next text line; p.i. = prevailing indent

<i>Request</i>	<i>Cause</i>	<i>If no</i>	<i>Explanation</i>
	<i>Break</i>	<i>Argument</i>	
.B <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.*	Text is in bold font.
.BI <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating bold and italic.
.BR <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating bold and Roman.
.DT	no	.5i 1i...	Restore default tabs.
.HP <i>i</i>	yes	<i>i</i> =p.i.*	Begin paragraph with hanging indent. Set prevailing indent to <i>i</i> .
.I <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Text is italic.
.IB <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating italic and bold.
.IP <i>x i</i>	yes	<i>x</i> =""	Same as .TP with tag <i>x</i> .

<i>Request</i>	<i>Cause</i>	<i>If no</i>	<i>Explanation</i>
	<i>Break</i>	<i>Argument</i>	
.IR <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating italic and Roman.
.IX <i>t</i>	no	-	Index macro, for SunSoft internal use.
.LP	yes	-	Begin left-aligned paragraph. Set prevailing indent to .5i.
.P	yes	-	Same as .LP.
.PD <i>d</i>	no	<i>d</i> =.4v	Set vertical distance between paragraphs.
.PP	yes	-	Same as .LP.
.RE	yes	-	End of relative indent. Restores prevailing indent.
.RB <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating Roman and bold.
.RI <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Join words, alternating Roman and italic.
.RS <i>i</i>	yes	<i>i</i> =p.i.	Start relative indent, increase indent by <i>i</i> . Sets prevailing indent to .5i for nested indents.
.SB <i>t</i>	no	-	Reduce size of text by 1 point, make text bold.
.SH <i>t</i>	yes	-	Section Heading.
.SM <i>t</i>	no	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Reduce size of text by 1 point.
.SS <i>t</i>	yes	<i>t</i> =n.t.l.	Section Subheading.
.TH <i>n s d f m</i>	yes	-	Begin reference page <i>n</i> , of of section <i>s</i> ; <i>d</i> is the date of the most recent change. If present, <i>f</i> is the left page footer; <i>m</i> is the main page (center) header. Sets prevailing indent and tabs to .5i.
.TP <i>i</i>	yes	<i>i</i> =p.i.	Begin indented paragraph, with the tag given on the next text line. Set prevailing indent to <i>i</i> .
.TX <i>t p</i>	no	-	Resolve the title abbreviation <i>t</i> ; join to punctuation mark (or text) <i>p</i> .

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indicates that the manual page must be run through the `tbl(1)` preprocessor.

A typical manual page for a command or function is laid out as follows:

.TH <i>title</i> [1-8]	The name of the command or function, which serves as the title of the manual page. This is followed by the number of the section in which it appears.
.SH NAME	The name, or list of names, by which the command is called, followed by a dash and then a one-line summary of the action performed. All in Roman font, this section contains no <code>troff(1)</code> commands or escapes, and no macro requests. It is used to generate the windex database, which is used by the <code>whatis(1)</code> command.
.SH SYNOPSIS	<p>Commands:     The syntax of the command and its arguments, as typed on the command line. When in boldface, a word must be typed exactly as printed. When in italics, a word can be replaced with an argument that you supply. References to bold or italicized items are not capitalized in other sections, even when they begin a sentence.</p> <p>Syntactic symbols appear in Roman face:</p> <p>[ ]     An argument, when surrounded by brackets is optional.</p> <p>      Arguments separated by a vertical bar are exclusive. You can supply only one item from such a list.</p> <p>. . .     Arguments followed by an ellipsis can be repeated. When an ellipsis follows a bracketed set, the expression within the brackets can be repeated.</p> <p>Functions:     If required, the data declaration, or <code>#include</code> directive, is shown first, followed by the function declaration. Otherwise, the function declaration is shown.</p>
.SH DESCRIPTION	<p>A narrative overview of the command or function's external behavior. This includes how it interacts with files or data, and how it handles the standard input, standard output and standard error. Internals and implementation details are normally omitted. This section attempts to provide a succinct overview in answer to the question, "what does it do?"</p> <p>Literal text from the synopsis appears in constant width, as do literal filenames and references to items that appear elsewhere in the reference manuals. Arguments are italicized.</p> <p>If a command interprets either subcommands or an input grammar, its command interface or input grammar is normally described in a USAGE</p>

section, which follows the `OPTIONS` section. The `DESCRIPTION` section only describes the behavior of the command itself, not that of subcommands.

- `.SH OPTIONS`    The list of options along with a description of how each affects the command's operation.
- `.SH FILES`     A list of files associated with the command or function.
- `.SH SEE ALSO`   A comma-separated list of related manual pages, followed by references to other published materials.
- `.SH`  
`DIAGNOSTICS`    A list of diagnostic messages and an explanation of each.
- `.SH BUGS`       A description of limitations, known defects, and possible problems associated with the command or function.

**Files**    `/usr/share/lib/tmac/ansun`  
          `/usr/share/man/windex`

**See Also**   [man\(1\)](#), [nroff\(1\)](#), [troff\(1\)](#), [what\(1\)](#)

Dale Dougherty and Tim O'Reilly, *Unix Text Processing*

**Name** me – macros for formatting papers

**Synopsis** nroff -me [*options*] *filename*...  
troff -me [*options*] *filename*...

**Description** This package of nroff and troff macro definitions provides a canned formatting facility for technical papers in various formats. When producing 2-column output on a terminal, filter the output through [col\(1\)](#).

The macro requests are defined below. Many nroff and troff requests are unsafe in conjunction with this package, however, these requests may be used with impunity after the first .pp:

- .bp        begin new page
- .br        break output line here
- .sp *n*     insert *n* spacing lines
- .ls *n*     (line spacing) *n*=1 single, *n*=2 double space
- .na        no alignment of right margin
- .ce *n*     center next *n* lines
- .ul *n*     underline next *n* lines
- .sz +*n*    add *n* to point size

Output of the [eqn\(1\)](#), [neqn\(1\)](#), [refer\(1\)](#), and [tbl\(1\)](#) preprocessors for equations and tables is acceptable as input.

**Requests** In the following list, “initialization” refers to the first .pp, .lp, .ip, .np, .sh, or .uh macro. This list is incomplete.

<i>Request</i>	<i>Initial Value</i>	<i>Cause Break</i>	<i>Explanation</i>
. (c	-	yes	Begin centered block.
. (d	-	no	Begin delayed text.
. (f	-	no	Begin footnote.
. (l	-	yes	Begin list.
. (q	-	yes	Begin major quote.
. (xx	-	no	Begin indexed item in index <i>x</i> .
. (z	-	no	Begin floating keep.



<i>Request</i>	<i>Initial Value</i>	<i>Cause Break</i>	<i>Explanation</i>
.)c	-	yes	End centered block.
.)d	-	yes	End delayed text.
.)f	-	yes	End footnote.
.)l	-	yes	End list.
.)q	-	yes	End major quote.
.)x	-	yes	End index item.
.)z	-	yes	End floating keep.
.++ <i>m H</i>	-	no	Define paper section.  <i>m</i> defines the part of the paper,  and can be C (chapter), A (appendix), P (preliminary, for instance,  abstract, table of contents, etc.),  B (bibliography), RC (chapters renumbered from page one each chapter), or RA (appendix renumbered from page one).
.+c <i>T</i>	-	yes	Begin chapter (or appendix, etc., as set by .++). <i>T</i> is the chapter title.
.1c	1	yes	One column format on a new page.
.2c	1	yes	Two column format.
.EN	-	yes	Space after equation produced by eqn or neqn.
.EQ <i>x y</i>	-	yes	Precede equation; break out and add space. Equation number is <i>y</i> .  The optional argument <i>x</i> may be <i>I</i> to indent equation (default), <i>L</i> to left-adjust the equation, or

<i>Request</i>	<i>Initial Value</i>	<i>Cause Break</i>	<i>Explanation</i>
			C to center the equation.
.GE	-	yes	End <i>gremlin</i> picture.
.GS	-	yes	Begin <i>gremlin</i> picture.
.PE	-	yes	End pic picture.
.PS	-	yes	Begin pic picture.
.TE	-	yes	End table.
.TH	-	yes	End heading section of table.
.TS <i>x</i>	-	yes	Begin table; if <i>x</i> is <i>H</i> table has repeated heading.
.ac <i>A N</i>	-	no	Set up for ACM style output. <i>A</i> is the Author's name(s), <i>N</i> is the total number of pages. Must be given before the first initialization.
.b <i>x</i>	no	no	Print <i>x</i> in boldface; if no argument switch to boldface.
.ba <i>+n</i>	0	yes	Augments the base indent by <i>n</i> .  This indent is used to set the indent on regular text (like paragraphs).
.bc	no	yes	Begin new column.
.bi <i>x</i>	no	no	Print <i>x</i> in bold italics  (nofill only).
.bu	-	yes	Begin bulleted paragraph.
.bx <i>x</i>	no	no	Print <i>x</i> in a box (nofill only).
.ef 'x'y'z	""	no	Set even footer to <i>x y z</i> .
.eh 'x'y'z	""	no	Set even header to <i>x y z</i> .
.fo 'x'y'z	""	no	Set footer to <i>x y z</i> .
.hx	-	no	Suppress headers and footers on

<i>Request</i>	<i>Initial Value</i>	<i>Cause Break</i>	<i>Explanation</i>
			next page.
.he 'x'y'z	""	no	Set header to x y z.
.hl	-	yes	Draw a horizontal line.
.i x	no	no	Italicize x; if x missing, italic text follows.
.ip x y	no	yes	Start indented paragraph, with hanging tag x. Indentation is y ens (default 5).
.lp	yes	yes	Start left-blocked paragraph.
.lo	-	no	Read in a file of local macros of the form . *x. Must be given before initialization.
.np	1	yes	Start numbered paragraph.
.of 'x'y'z	""	no	Set odd footer to x y z.
.oh 'x'y'z	""	no	Set odd header to x y z.
.pd	-	yes	Print delayed text.
.pp	no	yes	Begin paragraph. First line indented.
.r	yes	no	Roman text follows.
.re	-	no	Reset tabs to default values.
.sc	no	no	Read in a file of special characters and diacritical marks. Must be given before initialization.
.sh n x	-	yes	Section head follows, font automatically bold. n is level of section, x is title of section.
.sk	no	no	Leave the next page blank. Only one page is remembered ahead.

<i>Request</i>	<i>Initial Value</i>	<i>Cause Break</i>	<i>Explanation</i>
<code>.sm <i>x</i></code>	-	no	Set <i>x</i> in a smaller pointsize.
<code>.sz +<i>n</i></code>	10p	no	Augment the point size by <i>n</i> points.
<code>.th</code>	no	no	Produce the paper in thesis format. Must be given before initialization.
<code>.tp</code>	no	yes	Begin title page.
<code>.u <i>x</i></code>	-	no	Underline argument (even in troff). (Nofill only).
<code>.uh</code>	-	yes	Like <code>.sh</code> but unnumbered.
<code>.xp <i>x</i></code>	-	no	Print index <i>x</i> .

**Files** /usr/share/lib/tmac/e  
/usr/share/lib/tmac/\*.me

**See Also** [col\(1\)](#), [eqn\(1\)](#), [nroff\(1\)](#), [refer\(1\)](#), [tbl\(1\)](#), [troff\(1\)](#)

**Name** mech\_spnego – Simple and Protected GSS-API Negotiation Mechanism

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/gss/mech\_spnego.so.1

**Description** The SPNEGO security mechanism for GSS-API allows GSS-API applications to negotiate the actual security mechanism to be used in the GSS-API session. mech\_spnego.so.1 is a shared object module that is dynamically opened by applications that specify the SPNEGO Object Identifier (OID) in calls to the GSS-API functions (see [libgss\(3LIB\)](#)).

SPNEGO is described by IETF RFC 2478 and is intended to be used in environments where multiple GSS-API mechanisms are available to the client or server and neither side knows what mechanisms are supported by the other.

When SPNEGO is used, it selects the list of mechanisms to advertise by reading the GSS mechanism configuration file, /etc/gss/mech (see [mech\(4\)](#)), and by listing all active mechanisms except for itself.

**Options** SPNEGO may be configured to function in two ways. The first way is to interoperate with Microsoft SSPI clients and servers that use the Microsoft "Negotiate" method, which is also based on SPNEGO. The Microsoft "Negotiate" mechanism does not strictly follow the IETF RFC. Therefore, use special handling in order to enable full interoperability. In order to interoperate, place option "[ msinterop ]" at the end of the SPNEGO line in /etc/gss/mech.

This is an example (from /etc/gss/mech):

```
spnego      1.3.6.1.5.5.2      mech_spnego.so      [ msinterop ]
```

Without the "[ msinterop ]" option, mech\_spnego will follow the strict IETF RFC 2478 specification and will not be able to negotiate with Microsoft applications that try to use the SSPI "Negotiate" mechanism.

**Interfaces** mech\_spnego.so.1 has no public interfaces. It is only activated and used through the GSS-API interface provided by libgss.so.1 (see [libgss\(3LIB\)](#)).

**Files**

/usr/lib/gss/mech_spnego.so.1	shared object file
/usr/lib/sparcv9/gss/mech_spnego.so.1	SPARC 64-bit shared object file
/usr/lib/amd64/gss/mech_spnego.so.1	x86 64-bit shared object file

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	SUWNspnego
MT Level	Safe

**See Also** [Intro\(3\)](#), [libgss\(3LIB\)](#), [mech\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

*Developer's Guide to Oracle Solaris Security*

**Name** mm – text formatting (memorandum) macros

**Synopsis** `nroff -mm [options] filename...`

`troff -mm [options] filename...`

**Description** This package of `nroff(1)` and `troff(1)` macro definitions provides a formatting facility for various styles of articles, theses, and books. When producing 2-column output on a terminal or lineprinter, or when reverse line motions are needed, filter the output through `col(1)`. All external -mm macros are defined below.

Note: this -mm macro package is an extended version written at Berkeley and is a superset of the standard -mm macro packages as supplied by Bell Labs. Some of the Bell Labs macros have been removed; for instance, it is assumed that the user has little interest in producing headers stating that the memo was generated at Whippany Labs.

Many `nroff` and `troff` requests are unsafe in conjunction with this package. However, the first four requests below may be used with impunity after initialization, and the last two may be used even before initialization:

- `.bp`      begin new page
- `.br`      break output line
- `.spn`     insert n spacing lines
- `.cen`     center next n lines
- `.lsn`    line spacing:  $n=1$  single,  $n=2$  double space
- `.na`      no alignment of right margin

Font and point size changes with `\f` and `\s` are also allowed; for example, `\fIword\fR` will italicize *word*. Output of the `tbl(1)`, `eqn(1)` and `refer(1)` preprocessors for equations, tables, and references is acceptable as input.

**Requests** Here is a table of macros.

Macro Name	Initial Value	Break? Reset?	Explanation
<code>.1C</code>	on	y,y	one column format on a new page
<code>.2C [l]</code>	–	y,y	two column format $l$ =line length
<code>.AE</code>	–	y	end abstract
<code>.AL [t][i][s]</code>	$t=1; i=.$ L <i>i</i> ; $s=0$	y	Start automatic list type $t=[1,A,a,I,i]$ 1=arabic numbers; A=uppercase letters a=lowercase letters; I=uppercase Roman numerals; i=lowercase Roman numerals indentation $i$ ; separation $s$

Macro Name	Initial Value	Break? Reset?	Explanation
.AS $m$ [ $n$ ]	$n=0$	y	begin abstract
.AU	–	y	author's name
.AV $x$	–	y	signature and date line of verifier $x$
.B $x$	–	n	embolden $x$ ; if no $x$ , switch to boldface
.BE	–	y	end block text
.BI $x$ $y$	–	n	embolden $x$ and underline $y$
.BL	–	y	bullet list
.BR $x$ $y$	–	n	embolden $x$ and use Roman font for $y$
.BS	–	n	start block text
.CN	–	y	same as .DE (nroff)
.CS	–	y	cover sheet
.CW	–	n	same as .DS I (nroff)
.DE	–	y	end display
.DF [ $p$ ] [ $f$ ] [ $rp$ ]	$p=L;f=N$	y	start floating display; position $p=[L,C,CB]$ L=left; I=indent; C=center; CB=center block fill $f=[N,Y]$ ; right position $rp$ (fill only)
.DL [ $i$ ] [ $s$ ]	–	y	start dash list
.DS [ $p$ ] [ $f$ ] [ $rp$ ]	$p=L;f=N$	y	begin static display (see .DF for argument descriptions)
.EC $x$ [ $n$ ]	$n=1$	y	equation title; equation $x$ ; number $n$
.EF $x$	–	n	even footer appears at the bottom of even-numbered pages; $x="l' c' r"$ $l$ =left; $c$ =center; $r$ =right
.EH $x$	–	n	even header appears at the top of even-numbered pages; $x="l' c' r"$ $l$ =left; $c$ =center; $r$ =right
.EN	–	y	end displayed equation produced by eqn
.EQ	–	y	break out equation produced by eqn
.EX $x$ [ $n$ ]	$n=1$	y	exhibit title; exhibit $x$
			number $n$



Macro Name	Initial Value	Break? Reset?	Explanation
.FD [ <i>f</i> ] [ <i>r</i> ]	$f=10;r=1$	n	set footnote style format $f=[0-11]$ ; renumber $r=[0,1]$
.FE	–	y	end footnote
.FG <i>x</i> [ <i>n</i> ]	$n=1$	y	figure title; figure <i>x</i> ; number <i>n</i>
.FS	–	n	start footnote
.H <i>l</i> [ <i>t</i> ]	–	y	produce numbered heading level $l=[1-7]$ ; title <i>t</i>
.HU <i>t</i>	–	y	produce unnumbered heading; title <i>t</i>
.I <i>x</i>	–	n	underline <i>x</i>
.IB <i>x y</i>	–	n	underline <i>x</i> and embolden <i>y</i>
.IR <i>x y</i>	–	n	underline <i>x</i> and use Roman font on <i>y</i>
.LE [ <i>s</i> ]	$s=0$	y	end list; separation <i>s</i>
.LI [ <i>m</i> ] [ <i>p</i> ]	–	y	start new list item; mark <i>m</i>
			prefix <i>p</i> (mark only)
.ML <i>m</i> [ <i>i</i> ] [ <i>s</i> ]	$s=0$	y	start marked list; mark <i>m</i> indentation <i>i</i> ; separation $s=[0,1]$
.MT <i>x</i>		y	memo title; title <i>x</i>
.ND <i>x</i>		n	no date in page footer; <i>x</i> is date on cover
.NE	–	y	end block text
.NS	–	y	start block text
.OF <i>x</i>	–	n	odd footer appears at the bottom of odd-numbered pages; $x="l'c'r"$ $l$ =left; $c$ =center; $r$ =right
.OF <i>x</i>	–	n	odd header appears at the top of odd-numbered pages; $x="l'c'r"$ $l$ =left; $c$ =center; $r$ =right
.OP	–	y	skip to the top of an odd-number page
.P [ <i>t</i> ]	$t=0$	y,y	begin paragraph; $t=[0,1]$ $0$ =justified; $1$ =indented
.PF <i>x</i>	–	n	page footer appears at the bottom of every page; $x="l'c'r"$ $l$ =left; $c$ =center; $r$ =right

Macro Name	Initial Value	Break? Reset?	Explanation
.PH <i>x</i>	–	n	page header appears at the top of every page; <i>x</i> ="l" <i>c</i> " <i>r</i> " <i>l</i> =left; <i>c</i> =center; <i>r</i> =right
.R	on	n	return to Roman font
.RB <i>x y</i>	–	n	use Roman on <i>x</i> and embolden <i>y</i>
.RI <i>x y</i>	–	n	use Roman on <i>x</i> and underline <i>y</i>
.RP <i>x</i>	-	y,y	released paper format ? <i>x</i> =no stops title on first
.RS	5n	y,y	right shift: start level of relative indentation
.S <i>m n</i>	–	n	set character point size & vertical space character point size <i>m</i> ; vertical space <i>n</i>
.SA <i>x</i>	<i>x</i> =1	n	justification; <i>x</i> =[0,1]
.SK <i>x</i>	–	y	skip <i>x</i> pages
.SM	–	n	smaller; decrease point size by 2
.SP [ <i>x</i> ]	–	y	leave <i>x</i> blank lines
.TB <i>x</i> [ <i>n</i> ]	<i>n</i> =1	y	table title; table <i>x</i> ; number <i>n</i>
.TC	–	y	print table of contents (put at end of input file)
.TE	–	y	end of table processed by tbl
.TH	–	y	end multi-page header of table
.TL	–	n	title in boldface and two points larger
.TM	–	n	UC Berkeley thesis mode
.TP <i>i</i>	y	y	<i>i</i> =p.i. Begin indented paragraph, with the tag given on the next text line. Set prevailing indent to <i>i</i> .
.TS <i>x</i>	–	y,y	begin table; if <i>x</i> =H table has multi-page header
.TY	–	y	display centered title CONTENTS
.VL <i>i</i> [ <i>m</i> ] [ <i>s</i> ]	<i>m</i> =0; <i>s</i> =0	y	start variable-item list; indentation <i>i</i> mark-indentation <i>m</i> ; separation <i>s</i>

**Registers** Formatting distances can be controlled in -mm by means of built-in number registers. For example, this sets the line length to 6.5 inches:

.nr LL 6.5i

Here is a table of number registers and their default values:

Name	Register Controls	Takes Effect	Default
Cl	contents level	table of contents	2
De	display eject	display	0
Df	display floating	display	5
Ds	display spacing	display	1v
Hb	heading break	heading	2
Hc	heading centering	heading	0
Hi	heading indent	heading	1
Hi	heading spacing	heading	1
Hu	heading unnumbered	heading	2
Li	list indentation	list	6 (nroff) 5 (troff)
Ls	list spacing	list	6
Pi	paragraph indent	paragraph	5
Pt	paragraph type	paragraph	1
Si	static indent	display	5 (nroff) 3 (troff)

When resetting these values, make sure to specify the appropriate units. Setting the line length to 7, for example, will result in output with one character per line. Setting Pi to 0 suppresses paragraph indentation

Here is a list of string registers available in -mm; they may be used anywhere in the text:

Name	String's Function
\*Q	quote (" in nroff, " in troff)
\*U	unquote (" in nroff, ' in troff)
\*-	dash (-- in nroff, — in troff)
\*(MO	month (month of the year)

Name	String's Function
\*(DY	day (current date)
\**	automatically numbered footnote
\*'	acute accent (before letter)
\*‘	grave accent (before letter)
\*^	circumflex (before letter)
\*,	cedilla (before letter)
\*:	umlaut (before letter)
\*~	tilde (before letter)
\(BU	bullet item
\(DT	date ( <i>month day, yr</i> )
\(EM	em dash
\(Lf	LIST OF FIGURES title
\(Lt	LIST OF TABLES title
\(Lx	LIST OF EXHIBITS title
\(Le	LIST OF EQUATIONS title
\(Rp	REFERENCES title
\(Tm	trademark character (TM)

When using the extended accent mark definitions available with .AM, these strings should come after, rather than before, the letter to be accented.

**Files** /usr/share/lib/tmac/m  
/usr/share/lib/tmac/mm. [nt]      nroff and troff definitions of mm.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	SUNWdoc

**See Also** [col\(1\)](#), [eqn\(1\)](#), [nroff\(1\)](#), [refer\(1\)](#), [tbl\(1\)](#), [troff\(1\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Bugs** Floating keeps and regular keeps are diverted to the same space, so they cannot be mixed together with predictable results.

**Name** ms – text formatting macros

**Synopsis** `nroff -ms [options] filename...`  
`troff -ms [options] filename...`

**Description** This package of `nroff(1)` and `troff(1)` macro definitions provides a formatting facility for various styles of articles, theses, and books. When producing 2-column output on a terminal or lineprinter, or when reverse line motions are needed, filter the output through `col(1)`. All external `-ms` macros are defined below.

Note: this `-ms` macro package is an extended version written at Berkeley and is a superset of the standard `-ms` macro packages as supplied by Bell Labs. Some of the Bell Labs macros have been removed; for instance, it is assumed that the user has little interest in producing headers stating that the memo was generated at Whippany Labs.

Many `nroff` and `troff` requests are unsafe in conjunction with this package. However, the first four requests below may be used with impunity after initialization, and the last two may be used even before initialization:

- `.bp`      begin new page
- `.br`      break output line
- `.sp n`    insert *n* spacing lines
- `.ce n`    center next *n* lines
- `.ls n`    line spacing: *n*=1 single, *n*=2 double space
- `.na`      no alignment of right margin

Font and point size changes with `\f` and `\s` are also allowed; for example, `\fIword\fR` will italicize *word*. Output of the `tbl(1)`, `eqn(1)` and `refer(1)` preprocessors for equations, tables, and references is acceptable as input.

Requests	Macro Name	Initial Value	Break? Reset?	Explanation
	<code>.AB <i>x</i></code>	–	y	begin abstract; if <i>x</i> =no do not label abstract
	<code>.AE</code>	–	y	end abstract
	<code>.AI</code>	–	y	author's institution
	<code>.AM</code>	–	n	better accent mark definitions
	<code>.AU</code>	–	y	author's name
	<code>.B <i>x</i></code>	–	n	embolden <i>x</i> ; if no <i>x</i> , switch to boldface
	<code>.B1</code>	–	y	begin text to be enclosed in a box

Macro Name	Initial Value	Break? Reset?	Explanation
.B2	–	y	end boxed text and print it
.BT	date	n	bottom title, printed at foot of page
.BX <i>x</i>	–	n	print word <i>x</i> in a box
.CM	if t	n	cut mark between pages
.CT	–	y,y	chapter title: page number moved to CF (TM only)
.DA <i>x</i>	if n	n	force date <i>x</i> at bottom of page; today if no <i>x</i>
.DE	–	y	end display (unfilled text) of any kind
.DS <i>x y</i>	I	y	begin display with keep; <i>x</i> =I, L, C, B; <i>y</i> =indent
.ID <i>y</i>	8n,.5i	y	indented display with no keep; <i>y</i> =indent
.LD	–	y	left display with no keep
.CD	–	y	centered display with no keep
.BD	–	y	block display; center entire block
.EF <i>x</i>	–	n	even page footer <i>x</i> (3 part as for .t1)
.EH <i>x</i>	–	n	even page header <i>x</i> (3 part as for .t1)
.EN	–	y	end displayed equation produced by eqn
.EQ <i>x y</i>	–	y	break out equation; <i>x</i> =L,I,C; <i>y</i> =equation number
.FE	–	n	end footnote to be placed at bottom of page
.FP	–	n	numbered footnote paragraph; may be redefined
.FS <i>x</i>	–	n	start footnote; <i>x</i> is optional footnote label
.HD	undef	n	optional page header below header margin
.I <i>x</i>	–	n	italicize <i>x</i> ; if no <i>x</i> , switch to italics
.IP <i>x y</i>	–	y,y	indented paragraph, with hanging tag <i>x</i> ; <i>y</i> =indent
.IX <i>x y</i>	–	y	index words <i>x y</i> and so on (up to 5 levels)
.KE	–	n	end keep of any kind
.KF	–	n	begin floating keep; text fills remainder of page
.KS	–	y	begin keep; unit kept together on a single page
.LG	–	n	larger; increase point size by 2
.LP	–	y,y	left (block) paragraph.

Macro Name	Initial Value	Break? Reset?	Explanation
.MC <i>x</i>	–	y,y	multiple columns; <i>x</i> =column width
.ND <i>x</i>	if t	n	no date in page footer; <i>x</i> is date on cover
.NH <i>x y</i>	–	y,y	numbered header; <i>x</i> =level, <i>x</i> =0 resets, <i>x</i> =S sets to <i>y</i>
.NL	10p	n	set point size back to normal
.OF <i>x</i>	–	n	odd page footer <i>x</i> (3 part as for . t l)
.OH <i>x</i>	–	n	odd page header <i>x</i> (3 part as for . t l)
.P1	if TM	n	print header on first page
.PP	–	y,y	paragraph with first line indented
.PT	- % -	n	page title, printed at head of page
.PX <i>x</i>	–	y	print index (table of contents); <i>x</i> =no suppresses title
.QP	–	y,y	quote paragraph (indented and shorter)
.R	on	n	return to Roman font
.RE	5n	y,y	retreat: end level of relative indentation
.RP <i>x</i>	–	n	released paper format; <i>x</i> =no stops title on first page
.RS	5n	y,y	right shift: start level of relative indentation
.SH	–	y,y	section header, in boldface
.SM	–	n	smaller; decrease point size by 2
.TA	8n,5n	n	set TAB characters to 8n 16n . . . (n r o f f) or 5n 10n . . . (t r o f f)
.TC <i>x</i>	–	y	print table of contents at end; <i>x</i> =no suppresses title
.TE	–	y	end of table processed by t b l
.TH	–	y	end multi-page header of table
.TL	–	y	title in boldface and two points larger
.TM	off	n	UC Berkeley thesis mode
.TS <i>x</i>	–	y,y	begin table; if <i>x</i> =H table has multi-page header
.UL <i>x</i>	–	n	underline <i>x</i> , even in t r o f f
.UX <i>x</i>	–	n	UNIX; trademark message first time; <i>x</i> appended
.XA <i>x y</i>	–	y	another index entry; <i>x</i> =page or no for none; <i>y</i> =indent



Macro Name	Initial Value	Break? Reset?	Explanation
.XE	–	y	end index entry (or series of .IX entries)
.XP	–	y,y	paragraph with first line indented, others indented
.XS x y	–	y	begin index entry; x=page or no for none; y=indent
.1C	on	y,y	one column format, on a new page
.2C	–	y,y	begin two column format
.] –	–	n	beginning of refer reference
.[ 0	–	n	end of unclassifiable type of reference
.[ N	–	n	N= 1:journal-article, 2:book, 3:book-article, 4:report

**Registers** Formatting distances can be controlled in -ms by means of built-in number registers. For example, this sets the line length to 6.5 inches:

```
.nr LL 6.5i
```

Here is a table of number registers and their default values:

Name	Register Controls	Takes Effect	Default
PS	point size	paragraph	10
VS	vertical spacing	paragraph	12
LL	line length	paragraph	6i
LT	title length	next page	same as LL
FL	footnote length	next .FS	5.5i
PD	paragraph distance	paragraph	1v (if n), .3v (if t)
DD	display distance	displays	1v (if n), .5v (if t)
PI	paragraph indent	paragraph	5n
QI	quote indent	next .QP	5n
FI	footnote indent	next .FS	2n
PO	page offset	next page	0 (if n), ≈1i (if t)
HM	header margin	next page	1i
FM	footer margin	next page	1i
FF	footnote format	next .FS	0 (1, 2, 3 available)

When resetting these values, make sure to specify the appropriate units. Setting the line length to 7, for example, will result in output with one character per line. Setting FF to 1 suppresses footnote superscripting; setting it to 2 also suppresses indentation of the first line; and setting it to 3 produces an .IP-like footnote paragraph.

Here is a list of string registers available in -ms; they may be used anywhere in the text:

Name	String's Function
\*Q	quote (" in nroff, " in troff )
\*U	unquote (" in nroff, " in troff )
\*-	dash (- in nroff, - in troff )
\*(MO	month (month of the year)
\*(DY	day (current date)
\**	automatically numbered footnote
\*'	acute accent (before letter)
\* <sup>grave</sup>	grave accent (before letter)
\* <sup>circumflex</sup>	circumflex (before letter)
\*,	cedilla (before letter)
\*:	umlaut (before letter)
\*~	tilde (before letter)

When using the extended accent mark definitions available with .AM, these strings should come after, rather than before, the letter to be accented.

**Files** /usr/share/lib/tmac/s  
/usr/share/lib/tmac/ms.???

**See Also** [col\(1\)](#), [eqn\(1\)](#), [nroff\(1\)](#), [refer\(1\)](#), [tbl\(1\)](#), [troff\(1\)](#)

**Bugs** Floating keeps and regular keeps are diverted to the same space, so they cannot be mixed together with predictable results.

**Name** mutex – concepts relating to mutual exclusion locks

**Description** Mutual exclusion locks (mutexes) prevent multiple threads from simultaneously executing critical sections of code which access shared data (that is, mutexes are used to serialize the execution of threads). All mutexes must be global. A successful call to acquire a mutex will cause another thread that is also trying to lock the same mutex to block until the owner thread unlocks the mutex.

Mutexes can synchronize threads within the same process or in other processes. Mutexes can be used to synchronize threads between processes if the mutexes are allocated in writable memory and shared among the cooperating processes (see [mmap\(2\)](#)), and have been initialized for this task.

The following table lists mutex functions and the actions they perform.

FUNCTION	ACTION
<code>mutex_init</code>	Initialize a mutex.
<code>mutex_destroy</code>	Destroy a mutex.
<code>mutex_lock</code>	Lock a mutex.
<code>mutex_trylock</code>	Attempt to lock a mutex.
<code>mutex_unlock</code>	Unlock a mutex.
<code>pthread_mutex_init</code>	Initialize a mutex.
<code>pthread_mutex_destroy</code>	Destroy a mutex.
<code>pthread_mutex_lock</code>	Lock a mutex.
<code>pthread_mutex_trylock</code>	Attempt to lock a mutex.
<code>pthread_mutex_unlock</code>	Unlock a mutex.

**Initialization** Mutexes are either intra-process or inter-process, depending upon the argument passed implicitly or explicitly to the initialization of that mutex. A statically allocated mutex does not need to be explicitly initialized; by default, a statically allocated mutex is initialized with all zeros and its scope is set to be within the calling process.

For inter-process synchronization, a mutex needs to be allocated in memory shared between these processes. Since the memory for such a mutex must be allocated dynamically, the mutex needs to be explicitly initialized with the appropriate attribute that indicates inter-process use.

**Locking and Unlocking** A critical section of code is enclosed by a call to lock the mutex and the call to unlock the mutex to protect it from simultaneous access by multiple threads. Only one thread at a time may possess mutually exclusive access to the critical section of code that is enclosed by the mutex-locking call and the mutex-unlocking call, whether the mutex's scope is intra-process

or inter-process. A thread calling to lock the mutex either gets exclusive access to the code starting from the successful locking until its call to unlock the mutex, or it waits until the mutex is unlocked by the thread that locked it.

Mutexes have ownership, unlike semaphores. Only the thread that locked a mutex, (that is, the owner of the mutex), should unlock it.

If a thread waiting for a mutex receives a signal, upon return from the signal handler, the thread resumes waiting for the mutex as if there was no interrupt.

**Caveats** Mutexes are almost like data – they can be embedded in data structures, files, dynamic or static memory, and so forth. Hence, they are easy to introduce into a program. However, too many mutexes can degrade performance and scalability of the application. Because too few mutexes can hinder the concurrency of the application, they should be introduced with care. Also, incorrect usage (such as recursive calls, or violation of locking order, and so forth) can lead to deadlocks, or worse, data inconsistencies.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
MT-Level	MT-Safe

**See Also** [mmap\(2\)](#), [shmop\(2\)](#), [mutex\\_destroy\(3C\)](#), [mutex\\_init\(3C\)](#), [mutex\\_lock\(3C\)](#), [mutex\\_trylock\(3C\)](#), [mutex\\_unlock\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_create\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_mutex\\_destroy\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_mutex\\_init\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_mutex\\_lock\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_mutex\\_trylock\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_mutex\\_unlock\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_mutexattr\\_init\(3C\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [standards\(5\)](#)

**Notes** In the current implementation of threads, [pthread\\_mutex\\_lock\(\)](#), [pthread\\_mutex\\_unlock\(\)](#), [mutex\\_lock\(\)](#), [mutex\\_unlock\(\)](#), [pthread\\_mutex\\_trylock\(\)](#), and [mutex\\_trylock\(\)](#) do not validate the mutex type. Therefore, an uninitialized mutex or a mutex with an invalid type does not return EINVAL. Interfaces for mutexes with an invalid type have unspecified behavior.

By default, if multiple threads are waiting for a mutex, the order of acquisition is undefined.

The system does not support multiple mappings to the same logical synch object if it is initialized as process-private (USYNC\_THREAD for Solaris, PTHREAD\_PROCESS\_PRIVATE for POSIX). If you need to [mmap\(2\)](#) a synch object to different locations within the same address space, then the synch object should be initialized as a shared object (USYNC\_PROCESS for Solaris, PTHREAD\_PROCESS\_SHARED for POSIX).

**Name** native – native branded zone

**Description** The native brand uses the branded zones framework described in [brands\(5\)](#) to run zones installed with the same software as is installed in the global zone. The system software must always be in sync with the global zone when using a native brand.

**Sub-commands** The following native brand-specific subcommand options are supported in [zoneadm\(1M\)](#).

**attach** [-u] [-b *patchid*]...

For native zones, zoneadm checks package and patch levels on the machine to which the zone is to be attached. If the packages/patches that the zone depends on from the global zone are different (have different revision numbers) from the dependent packages/patches on the source machine, zoneadm reports these conflicts and does not perform the attach. If the destination system has only newer dependent packages/patches (higher revision numbers) than those on the source system, you can use the -u option to update the attached zone to match the -revision packages and patches that exist on the new system. With -u, as in the default behavior, zoneadm does not perform an attach if outdated packages/patches are found on the target system.

For native zones, one or more -b options can be used to specify a patch ID for a patch installed in the zone. These patches will be backed out before the zone is attached or, if -u was also specified, updated.

**install** [-a *archive*] | [-d *path*] [-p] [-s] [-u] [-v] [-b *patchid*]...

The native brand installer supports installing the zone from either the software already installed on the system or from an image of an installed system running the same release. This can be a full flash archive (see [flash\\_archive\(4\)](#)) or a [cpio\(1\)](#) or [pax\(1\)](#) “xustar” archive. The cpio archive be compressed with gzip or bzip2. The image can also be a level 0 [ufsdump\(1M\)](#), a path to the top-level of a system's root tree, or a pre-existing zone path.

With no options the zone is installed using same software as is running the global zone.

To install the zone from a system image either the -a or -d is required. Either the -u or -p option is also required in this case.

**-a *archive***

The path to a [flash\\_archive\(4\)](#), [cpio\(1\)](#), or [pax\(1\)](#) “xustar” archive, or a level 0 [ufsdump\(1M\)](#), of an installed system. cpio archives may be compressed using gzip or bzip2.

**-b *patchid***

One or more -b options can be used to specify a patch ID for a patch installed in the system image. These patches will be backed out during the installation process.

**-d *path***

The path to the root directory of an installed system. If path is a hyphen (-), the *zonepath* is presumed to be already populated with the system image.

- p  
Preserve the system configuration after installing the zone.
- s  
Install silently.
- u  
Run `sys-unconfig(1M)` on the zone after installing it.
- v  
Verbose output from the install process.

**Attributes** See `attributes(5)` for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	SUNWzoneu
Interface Stability	Uncommitted

**See Also** `cpio(1)`, `pax(1)`, `zlogin(1)`, `zonename(1)`, `sys-unconfig(1M)`, `ufsdump(1M)`, `zoneadm(1M)`, `zonecfg(1M)`, `flash_archive(4)`, `attributes(5)`, `brands(5)`, `privileges(5)`, `zones(5)`

**Name** nfssec – overview of NFS security modes

**Description** The `mount_nfs(1M)` and `share_nfs(1M)` commands each provide a way to specify the security mode to be used on an NFS file system through the `sec=mode` option. *mode* can be `sys`, `dh`, `krb5`, `krb5i`, `krb5p`, or `none`. These security modes can also be added to the automount maps. Note that `mount_nfs(1M)` and `automount(1M)` do not support `sec=none` at this time. `mount_nfs(1M)` allows you to specify a single security mode; `share_nfs(1M)` allows you to specify multiple modes (or none). With multiple modes, an NFS client can choose any of the modes in the list.

The `sec=mode` option on the `share_nfs(1M)` command line establishes the security mode of NFS servers. If the NFS connection uses the NFS Version 3 protocol, the NFS clients must query the server for the appropriate *mode* to use. If the NFS connection uses the NFS Version 2 protocol, then the NFS client uses the default security mode, which is currently `sys`. NFS clients may force the use of a specific security mode by specifying the `sec=mode` option on the command line. However, if the file system on the server is not shared with that security mode, the client may be denied access.

If the NFS client wants to authenticate the NFS server using a particular (stronger) security mode, the client wants to specify the security mode to be used, even if the connection uses the NFS Version 3 protocol. This guarantees that an attacker masquerading as the server does not compromise the client.

The NFS security modes are described below. Of these, the `krb5`, `krb5i`, `krb5p` modes use the Kerberos V5 protocol for authenticating and protecting the shared filesystems. Before these can be used, the system must be configured to be part of a Kerberos realm. See [kerberos\(5\)](#).

<code>sys</code>	Use AUTH_SYS authentication. The user's UNIX user-id and group-ids are passed in the clear on the network, unauthenticated by the NFS server. This is the simplest security method and requires no additional administration. It is the default used by Solaris NFS Version 2 clients and Solaris NFS servers.
<code>dh</code>	Use a Diffie-Hellman public key system (AUTH_DES, which is referred to as AUTH_DH in <i>RFC 2695: Authentication Mechanisms for ONC RPC</i> ).
<code>krb5</code>	Use Kerberos V5 protocol to authenticate users before granting access to the shared filesystem.
<code>krb5i</code>	Use Kerberos V5 authentication with integrity checking (checksums) to verify that the data has not been tampered with.
<code>krb5p</code>	User Kerberos V5 authentication, integrity checksums, and privacy protection (encryption) on the shared filesystem. This provides the most secure filesystem sharing, as all traffic is encrypted. It should be noted that performance might suffer on some systems when

using krb5p, depending on the computational intensity of the encryption algorithm and the amount of data being transferred.

`none`

Use null authentication (`AUTH_NONE`). NFS clients using `AUTH_NONE` have no identity and are mapped to the anonymous user `nobody` by NFS servers. A client using a security mode other than the one with which a Solaris NFS server shares the file system has its security mode mapped to `AUTH_NONE`. In this case, if the file system is shared with `sec=none`, users from the client are mapped to the anonymous user. The NFS security mode `none` is supported by `share_nfs(1M)`, but not by `mount_nfs(1M)` or `automount(1M)`.

`sec=mode[:mode]. . .`

Sharing uses one or more of the specified security modes. The *mode* in the `sec=mode` option must be a node name supported on the client. If the `sec=` option is not specified, the default security mode used is `AUTH_SYS`. Multiple `sec=` options can be specified on the command line, although each mode can appear only once.

Each `sec=` option specifies modes that apply to any subsequent `window=`, `rw`, `ro`, `rw=`, `ro=` and `root=` options that are provided before another `sec=` option. Each additional `sec=` resets the security mode context, so that more `window=`, `rw`, `ro`, `rw=`, `ro=` and `root=` options can be supplied for additional modes.

### Examples **EXAMPLE 1** Sharing /var with Kerberos Authentication and Integrity Protection

The following example shares /var with Kerberos authentication and integrity protection:

```
share -F nfs -o sec=krb5i /var
```

### **EXAMPLE 2** Sharing /var with Kerberos Authentication and Privacy Protection

The following example shares /var with Kerberos authentication and privacy protection:

```
share -F nfs -o sec=krb5p /var
```

### **EXAMPLE 3** Sharing /var with Kerberos Authentication and Optionally Falling Back to AUTH\_SYS Authentication

The following example shares /var with Kerberos authentication and optionally falls back to `AUTH_SYS` authentication:

```
share -F nfs -o sec=krb5:sys /var
```



**EXAMPLE 4** Sharing /var with Kerberos Authentication Allowing read/write Operations for Kerberos Authenticated Users and Optionally Falling Back to AUTH\_SYS Authentication Allowing only Read Operations

The following example shares /var with Kerberos authentication allowing read/write operations for Kerberos authenticated users and optionally falls back to AUTH\_SYS authentication allowing only read operations:

```
share -F nfs -o sec=krb5,rw,sec=sys,ro /var
```

**Files** /etc/nfssec.conf NFS security service configuration file

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	system/file-system/nfs

**See Also** [automount\(1M\)](#), [kclient\(1M\)](#), [mount\\_nfs\(1M\)](#), [share\\_nfs\(1M\)](#), [rpc\\_clnt\\_auth\(3NSL\)](#), [secure\\_rpc\(3NSL\)](#), [nfssec.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [kerberos\(5\)](#)

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**Notes** /etc/nfssec.conf lists the NFS security services. Do not edit this file. It is not intended to be user-configurable. See [kclient\(1M\)](#).

**Name** openssl – OpenSSL cryptographic & Secure Sockets Layer toolkit

**Description** OpenSSL is a cryptography toolkit that implements the Secure Sockets Layer (SSLv2/v3) and Transport Layer Security (TLS v1) network protocols.

The following features are omitted from the binaries for issues including but not limited to patents, trademark, and US export restrictions: MDC2, RC3, RC5, IDEA, ECC, Dynamic Engine Loading, CSWIFT Engine, nCipher Engine, Atalla Engine, NURON Engine, UBSEC Engine, AEP Engine, Sureware Engine, and 4758\_CCA Engine.

A new PKCS#11 engine has been included with ENGINE name “pkcs11”. The engine was developed in Sun and is not integrated in the OpenSSL project.

The PKCS#11 engine is configured to use the Solaris Cryptographic Framework. See [cryptoadm\(1M\)](#) for configuration information.

The PKCS#11 engine can support the following set of mechanisms: CKM\_AES\_CBC, CKM\_AES\_ECB, CKM\_BLOWFISH\_CBC, CKM\_DES\_CBC, CKM\_DES\_ECB, CKM\_DES3\_CBC, CKM\_DES3\_ECB, CKM\_DSA, CKM\_MD5, CKM\_RC4, CKM\_RSA\_PKCS, CKM\_RSA\_X\_509, CKM\_SHA\_1, CKM\_SHA224, CKM\_SHA256, CKM\_SHA384, and CKM\_SHA512.

The set of mechanisms available depends on installed Crypto Framework providers. To see what mechanisms can be off loaded to the Cryptographic Framework through the PKCS#11 engine on a given machine, run the following command:

```
/usr/sfw/bin/openssl engine -vvv -t -c
```

Due to requirements of the PKCS#11 standard regarding [fork\(2\)](#) behavior, some applications that use the OpenSSL EVP interfaces and `fork()` with active crypto contexts might experience unexpected behavior.

To build an OpenSSL application, use the following `cc` command line options:

```
cc [ flag... ] file... -I/usr/sfw/include -lcrypto -lssl \
-L/usr/sfw/lib -R/usr/sfw/lib [ library... ]
```

Extensive additional documentation for OpenSSL modules is available in the `/usr/sfw/share/man` directory. This documentation can be viewed with [man\(1\)](#) by including `/usr/sfw/share/man` in the `MANPATH` environment variable. Running [catman\(1M\)](#) on the OpenSSL manual pages is not supported.

To view the license terms, attribution, and copyright for OpenSSL, see `/var/sadm/pkg/SUNWopensslr/install/copyright`.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	SUNWopensslr, SUNWopenssl
Interface Stability	External

**See Also** [cryptoadm\(1M\)](#), [libpkcs11\(3LIB\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

`/usr/share/man/man1openssl/openssl.1openssl, /usr/sfw/man/man3/engine.3,  
/usr/sfw/man/man3/evp.3`

**Name** pam\_authtok\_check – authentication and password management module

**Synopsis** pam\_authtok\_check.so.1

**Description** pam\_authtok\_check provides functionality to the Password Management stack. The implementation of `pam_sm_chauthtok()` performs a number of checks on the construction of the newly entered password. `pam_sm_chauthtok()` is invoked twice by the PAM framework, once with flags set to `PAM_PRELIM_CHECK`, and once with flags set to `PAM_UPDATE_AUTHTOK`. This module only performs its checks during the first invocation. This module expects the current authentication token in the `PAM_OLDAUTHTOK` item, the new (to be checked) password in the `PAM_AUTHTOK` item, and the login name in the `PAM_USER` item. The checks performed by this module are:

circular shift	The password should not be a circular shift of the login name. This check can be disabled in <code>/etc/default/passwd</code> .
complexity	The password should contain at least the minimum number of characters described by the parameters <code>MINALPHA</code> , <code>MINNONALPHA</code> , <code>MINDIGIT</code> , and <code>MINSPECIAL</code> . Note that <code>MINNONALPHA</code> describes the same character classes as <code>MINDIGIT</code> and <code>MINSPECIAL</code> combined; therefore the user cannot specify both <code>MINNONALPHA</code> and <code>MINSPECIAL</code> (or <code>MINDIGIT</code> ). The user must choose which of the two options to use. Furthermore, the <code>WHITESPACE</code> parameter determines whether white-space characters are allowed. If unspecified <code>MINALPHA</code> is 2, <code>MINNONALPHA</code> is 1 and <code>WHITESPACE</code> is yes
dictionary check	The password must not be based on a dictionary word. The list of words to be used for the site's dictionary can be specified with <code>DICTIONLIST</code> . It should contain a comma-separated list of filenames, one word per line. The database that is created from these files is stored in the directory named by <code>DICTIONDBDIR</code> (defaults to <code>/var/passwd</code> ). See <a href="#">mkpwdict(1M)</a> for information on pre-generating the database. If neither <code>DICTIONLIST</code> nor <code>DICTIONDBDIR</code> is specified, no dictionary check is made.
force_check	The <code>force_check</code> flag ensures that all callers for the service are bound by the configure password strength requirements.
length	The password length should not be less than the minimum specified in <code>/etc/default/passwd</code> .
maximum repeats	The password must not contain more consecutively repeating characters than specified by the <code>MAXREPEATS</code> value in <code>/etc/default/passwd</code> . If unspecified, no repeat character check is made.
server_policy	If the account authority for the user, as specified by <code>PAM_USER</code> , is not files or NIS, and if <code>server_policy</code> is specified, this module does not perform any password-strength checks. Instead, it leaves it to the account authority to validate the new password against its own set of rules.

- upper/lower case    The password must contain at least the minimum of upper- and lower-case letters specified by the MINUPPER and MINLOWER values in /etc/default/passwd. If unspecified, the defaults are 0.
- variation            The old and new passwords must differ by at least the MINDIFF value specified in /etc/default/passwd. If unspecified, the default is 3. For accounts in name services which support password history checking, if prior history is defined, the new password must not match the prior passwords.

The following option can be passed to the module:

debug                [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at the LOG\_DEBUG level

**Return Values**    If the password in PAM\_AUTHTOK passes all tests, PAM\_SUCCESS is returned. If any of the tests fail, PAM\_AUTHTOK\_ERR is returned.

**Files**             /etc/default/passwd            See [passwd\(1\)](#) for a description of the contents.

**Attributes**    See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also**    [passwd\(1\)](#), [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [mkpasswd\(1M\)](#), [pam\\_chauthtok\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [passwd\(4\)](#), [shadow\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#)

**Notes**        The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

The [pam\\_unix\(5\)](#) module is no longer supported. Similar functionality is provided by [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), and [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#).

**Name** pam\_authtok\_get – authentication and password management module

**Synopsis** pam\_authtok\_get.so.1

**Description** The pam\_authtok\_get service module provides password prompting functionality to the PAM stack. It implements `pam_sm_authenticate()` and `pam_sm_chauthtok()`, providing functionality to both the Authentication Stack and the Password Management Stack.

**Authentication Service** The implementation of `pam_sm_authenticate(3PAM)` prompts the user name if not set and then tries to get the authentication token from the pam handle. If the token is not set, it then prompts the user for a password and stores it in the PAM item PAM\_AUTHTOK. This module is meant to be the first module on an authentication stack where users are to authenticate using a keyboard.

**Password Management Service** Due to the nature of the PAM Password Management stack traversal mechanism, the `pam_sm_chauthtok(3PAM)` function is called twice. Once with the PAM\_PRELIM\_CHECK flag, and one with the PAM\_UPDATE\_AUTHTOK flag.

In the first (PRELIM) invocation, the implementation of `pam_sm_chauthtok(3PAM)` moves the contents of the PAM\_AUTHTOK (current authentication token) to PAM\_OLDAUTHTOK, and subsequently prompts the user for a new password. This new password is stored in PAM\_AUTHTOK.

If a previous module has set PAM\_OLDAUTHTOK prior to the invocation of `pam_authtok_get`, this module turns into a NO-OP and immediately returns PAM\_SUCCESS.

In the second (UPDATE) invocation, the user is prompted to Re-enter his password. The `pam_sm_chauthtok` implementation verifies this reentered password with the password stored in PAM\_AUTHTOK. If the passwords match, the module returns PAM\_SUCCESS.

The following option can be passed to the module:

debug     `syslog(3C)` debugging information at the LOG\_DEBUG level

**Errors** The authentication service returns the following error codes:

PAM\_SUCCESS     Successfully obtains authentication token

PAM\_SYSTEM\_ERR     Fails to retrieve username, username is NULL or empty

The password management service returns the following error codes:

PAM\_SUCCESS     Successfully obtains authentication token

PAM\_AUTHTOK\_ERR     Authentication token manipulation error

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

- See Also** [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#)
- Notes** The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.
- The [pam\\_unix\(5\)](#) module is no longer supported. Similar functionality is provided by [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), and [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#).

**Name** pam\_authtok\_store – password management module

**Synopsis** pam\_authtok\_store.so.1

**Description** pam\_authtok\_store provides functionality to the PAM password management stack. It provides one function: `pam_sm_chauthtok()`.

When invoked with flags set to `PAM_UPDATE_AUTHTOK`, this module updates the authentication token for the user specified by `PAM_USER`.

The authentication token `PAM_OLDAUTHTOK` can be used to authenticate the user against repositories that need updating (NIS, LDAP). After successful updates, the new authentication token stored in `PAM_AUTHTOK` is the user's valid password.

This module honors the `PAM_REPOSITORY` item, which, if set, specifies which repository is to be updated. If `PAM_REPOSITORY` is unset, it follows the [nsswitch.conf\(4\)](#).

The following option can be passed to the module:

- `debug` [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at the `LOG_DEBUG` level
- `server_policy` If the account authority for the user, as specified by `PAM_USER`, is a server, do not encrypt the authentication token before updating.

**Errors**

- `PAM_SUCCESS` Successfully obtains authentication token
- `PAM_SYSTEM_ERR` Fails to get username, service name, old password or new password, user name null or empty, or password null.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_chauthtok\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

The [pam\\_unix\(5\)](#) module is no longer supported. Similar functionality is provided by [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), and [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#).

If the `PAM_REPOSITORY item_type` is set and a service module does not recognize the type, the service module does not process any information, and returns `PAM_IGNORE`. If the `PAM_REPOSITORY item_type` is not set, a service module performs its default action.



**Name** pam\_deny – PAM authentication, account, session and password management PAM module to deny operations

**Synopsis** pam\_deny.so.1

**Description** The pam\_deny module implements all the PAM service module functions and returns the module type default failure return code for all calls.

The following options are interpreted:

debug     [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at the LOG\_AUTH|LOG\_DEBUG levels

**Errors** The following error codes are returned:

PAM_ACCT_EXPIRED	If pam_sm_acct_mgmt is called.
PAM_AUTH_ERR	If pam_sm_authenticate is called.
PAM_AUTHOK_ERR	If pam_sm_chauthtok is called.
PAM_CRED_ERR	If pam_sm_setcred is called.
PAM_SESSION_ERR	If pam_sm_open_session or pam_sm_close_session is called.

**Examples** **EXAMPLE 1** Disallowing ssh none authentication

```
sshd-none    auth      requisite  pam_deny.so.1
sshd-none    account   requisite  pam_deny.so.1
sshd-none    session   requisite  pam_deny.so.1
sshd-none    password  requisite  pam_deny.so.1
```

**EXAMPLE 2** Disallowing any service not explicitly defined

```
other        auth      requisite  pam_deny.so.1
other        account   requisite  pam_deny.so.1
other        session   requisite  pam_deny.so.1
other        password  requisite  pam_deny.so.1
```

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [su\(1M\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [nsswitch.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#), [privileges\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

The `pam_deny` module is intended to deny access to a specified service. The other service name may be used to deny access to services not explicitly specified.

<b>Name</b>	pam_dhkeys – authentication Diffie-Hellman keys management module												
<b>Synopsis</b>	pam_dhkeys.so.1												
<b>Description</b>	<p>The pam_dhkeys.so.1 service module provides functionality to two PAM services: Secure RPC authentication and Secure RPC authentication token management.</p> <p>Secure RPC authentication differs from regular unix authentication because NIS+ and other ONC RPCs use Secure RPC as the underlying security mechanism.</p> <p>The following options may be passed to the module:</p> <p>debug      <b>syslog(3C)</b> debugging information at LOG_DEBUG level</p> <p>nowarn      Turn off warning messages</p> <p>Authentication Services</p> <p>If the user has Diffie-Hellman keys, <code>pam_sm_authenticate()</code> establishes secret keys for the user specified by the PAM_USER (equivalent to running <b>keylogin(1)</b>), using the authentication token found in the PAM_AUTHTOK item. Not being able to establish the secret keys results in an authentication error if the NIS+ repository is used to authenticate the user and the NIS+ table permissions require secure RPC credentials to access the password field. If <code>pam_sm_setcred()</code> is called with PAM_ESTABLISH_CRED and the user's secure RPC credentials need to be established, these credentials are set. This is equivalent to running <b>keylogin(1)</b>.</p> <p>If the credentials could not be set and PAM_SILENT is not specified, a diagnostic message is displayed. If <code>pam_setcred()</code> is called with PAM_DELETE_CRED, the user's secure RPC credentials are unset. This is equivalent to running <b>keylogout(1)</b>.</p> <p>PAM_REINITIALIZE_CRED and PAM_REFRESH_CRED are not supported and return PAM_IGNORE.</p> <p>Authentication Token Management</p> <p>The <code>pam_sm_chauthtok()</code> implementation checks whether the old login password decrypts the users secret keys. If it doesn't this module prompts the user for an old Secure RPC password and stores it in a pam data item called SUNW_OLDRPCPASS. This data item can be used by the store module to effectively update the users secret keys.</p> <p><b>Errors</b></p> <p>The authentication service returns the following error codes:</p> <table> <tr> <td>PAM_SUCCESS</td><td>Credentials set successfully.</td></tr> <tr> <td>PAM_IGNORE</td><td>Credentials not needed to access the password repository.</td></tr> <tr> <td>PAM_USER_UNKNOWN</td><td>PAM_USER is not set, or the user is unknown.</td></tr> <tr> <td>PAM_AUTH_ERR</td><td>No secret keys were set. PAM_AUTHTOK is not set, no credentials are present or there is a wrong password.</td></tr> <tr> <td>PAM_BUF_ERR</td><td>Module ran out of memory.</td></tr> <tr> <td>PAM_SYSTEM_ERR</td><td>The NIS+ subsystem failed.</td></tr> </table> <p>The authentication token management returns the following error codes:</p>	PAM_SUCCESS	Credentials set successfully.	PAM_IGNORE	Credentials not needed to access the password repository.	PAM_USER_UNKNOWN	PAM_USER is not set, or the user is unknown.	PAM_AUTH_ERR	No secret keys were set. PAM_AUTHTOK is not set, no credentials are present or there is a wrong password.	PAM_BUF_ERR	Module ran out of memory.	PAM_SYSTEM_ERR	The NIS+ subsystem failed.
PAM_SUCCESS	Credentials set successfully.												
PAM_IGNORE	Credentials not needed to access the password repository.												
PAM_USER_UNKNOWN	PAM_USER is not set, or the user is unknown.												
PAM_AUTH_ERR	No secret keys were set. PAM_AUTHTOK is not set, no credentials are present or there is a wrong password.												
PAM_BUF_ERR	Module ran out of memory.												
PAM_SYSTEM_ERR	The NIS+ subsystem failed.												

- PAM\_SUCCESS            Old rpc password is set in SUNW\_OLDRPCPASS
- PAM\_USER\_UNKNOWN      User in PAM\_USER is unknown.
- PAM\_AUTHTOK\_ERR       User did not provide a password that decrypts the secret keys.
- PAM\_BUF\_ERR            Module ran out of memory.

**Attributes**    See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also**    [keylogin\(1\)](#), [keylogout\(1\)](#), [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_chauthtok\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_setcred\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_get\\_item\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_set\\_data\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_get\\_data\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#)

**Notes**       The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

The [pam\\_unix\(5\)](#) module is no longer supported. Similar functionality is provided by [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), and [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#).

**Name** pam\_dial\_auth – authentication management PAM module for dialups

**Synopsis** pam\_dial\_auth.so.1

**Description** The pam\_dial\_auth module implements [pam\\_sm\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#) which authenticates the user according to the [dialups\(4\)](#) and [d\\_passwd\(4\)](#) files configuration.

Authentication service modules must implement both `pam_sm_authenticate()` and `pam_sm_setcred()`. `pam_sm_setcred()` in this module always returns `PAM_IGNORE`.

The value of the `PAM_TTY` item is checked against entries in [dialups\(4\)](#). If there is a match, the user's shell is compared against entries in [d\\_passwd\(4\)](#). If there is a matching entry, the user is prompted for a password which is validated against the entry found.

The following option may be passed in to this service module:

`debug`     [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at `LOG_DEBUG` level.

**Errors** If [dialups\(4\)](#) is not present, `PAM_IGNORE` is returned. Upon successful completion of `pam_sm_authenticate()`, `PAM_SUCCESS` is returned. The following error codes are returned upon error:

- `PAM_AUTH_ERR`            Authentication failure.
- `PAM_SERVICE_ERR`        Error in the calling service, `PAM_TTY` is not set.
- `PAM_SYSTEM_ERR`        System error ([d\\_passwd\(4\)](#) is not present).
- `PAM_USER_UNKNOWN`      No account is present for *user*.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [d\\_passwd\(4\)](#), [dialups\(4\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

The [pam\\_unix\(5\)](#) module is no longer supported. Similar functionality is provided by [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), and [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#).

**Name** pam\_krb5 – authentication, account, session, and password management PAM modules for Kerberos V5

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/pam\_krb5.so.1

**Description** The Kerberos V5 service module for PAM provides functionality for all four PAM modules: authentication, account management, session management, and password management. The service module is a shared object that can be dynamically loaded to provide the necessary functionality upon demand. Its path is specified in the PAM configuration file.

**Kerberos Authentication Module** The Kerberos V5 authentication component provides functions to verify the identity of a user, `pam_sm_authenticate()`, and to manage the Kerberos credentials cache, `pam_sm_setcred()`.

`pam_sm_authenticate()` authenticates a user principal through the Kerberos authentication service. If the authentication request is successful, the authentication service sends a ticket-granting ticket (TGT) back to the service module, which then verifies that the TGT came from a valid Key Distribution Center (KDC) by attempting to get a service ticket for the local host service. For this to succeed, the local host's keytab file (`/etc/krb5/krb5.keytab`) must contain the entry for the local host service. For example, in the file `host/hostname.com@REALM`, `hostname.com` is the fully qualified local hostname and `REALM` is the default realm of the local host as defined in `/etc/krb5/krb5.conf`. If the host entry is not found in the keytab file, the authentication fails. Administrators may optionally disable this “strict” verification by setting “`verify_ap_req_nofail = false`” in `/etc/krb5/krb5.conf`. See [krb5.conf\(4\)](#) for more details on this option. This allows TGT verification to succeed in the absence of a keytab host principal entry.

`pam_sm_authenticate(3PAM)` may be passed the following flag:

**PAM\_DISALLOW\_NULL\_AUTHTOK**

This flag is ignored. The Kerberos authentication mechanism will not allow an empty password string by default.

`pam_sm_setcred()` creates and modifies the user's credential cache. This function initializes the user's credential cache, if it does not already exist, and stores the initial credentials for later use by Kerberized network applications. The following flags may be set in the flags field. They are best described by their effect on the user's credential cache.

**PAM\_ESTABLISH\_CRED**

Stores the initial credentials in the user's credential cache so that the user may access Kerberos network services. If a successful authentication pass was made, the new credentials are stored in the credential cache, overwriting any existing credentials that were previously stored. If an unsuccessful authentication pass was made, `PAM_CRED_UNAVAIL` is returned.

**PAM\_DELETE\_CRED**

This flag has no effect on the credential cache and always returns `PAM_SUCCESS`. The credential cache is not deleted because there is no accurate method to determine if the credentials are needed by another process. The credential cache may be deleted with the `kdestroy(1)` command.

**PAM\_REINITIALIZE\_CRED**

Deletes the user's existing credential cache, if it exists, and creates a new credential cache. The new credentials are stored in the new cache and the user's ticket lifetime and renewable life time values are reset.

**PAM\_REFRESH\_CRED**

Does not require a previous authentication pass, but if a successful one is made, the new credentials are stored in the credential cache. If a previous authentication pass was not made or was unsuccessful, an attempt to renew the existing credentials is made. Note that this function fails if the user's renewable ticket lifetime is expired.

The following options can be passed to the Kerberos V5 authentication module:

`debug` Provides `syslog(3C)` debugging information at `LOG_DEBUG` level.

`nowarn` Turns off warning messages.

**Kerberos V5 Account Management Module**

The Kerberos account management component provides a function to perform account management, `pam_sm_acct_mgmt()`. This function checks to see if the `pam_krb5` authentication module has noted that the user's password has not expired. The following options may be passed in to the Kerberos V5 account management module:

`debug` Provides `syslog(3C)` debugging information at `LOG_DEBUG` level

`nowarn` Turns off warning messages. Also, does not query KDC for impending password expiration information used to warn the user.

**Kerberos V5 Session Management Module**

The Kerberos V5 session management component provides functions to initiate `pam_sm_open_session()` and terminate `pam_sm_close_session()` Kerberos sessions. For Kerberos V5, both `pam_sm_open_session` and `pam_sm_close_session()` are null functions, returning `PAM_IGNORE`.

**Kerberos V5 Password Management Module**

The Kerberos V5 password management component provides a function to change passwords, `pam_sm_chauthtok()`, in the Key Distribution Center (KDC) database. The following flags may be passed to `pam_sm_chauthtok(3PAM)`:

**PAM\_CHANGE\_EXPIRED\_AUTHOK**

The password service should only update the user's Kerberos password if it is expired. Otherwise, this function returns `PAM_IGNORE`. The default behaviour is to always change the user's Kerberos password.

**PAM\_PRELIM\_CHECK**

This is a null function that always returns `PAM_IGNORE`.

**PAM\_UPDATE\_AUTHTOK**

This flag is necessary to change the user's Kerberos password. If this flag is not set, `pam_krb5` returns `PAM_SYSTEM_ERR`.

The following option can be passed to the Kerberos V5 password module:

`debug` Provides [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at `LOG_DEBUG` level.

**Errors** The following error codes are returned for `pam_sm_authenticate()`:

<code>PAM_AUTH_ERR</code>	Authentication failure
<code>PAM_BUF_ERR</code>	Memory buffer error.
<code>PAM_IGNORE</code>	The user is “root” and the root key exists in the default keytab.
<code>PAM_SUCCESS</code>	Successfully obtained Kerberos credentials .
<code>PAM_SYSTEM_ERR</code>	System error.
<code>PAM_USER_UNKNOWN</code>	An unknown Kerberos principal was requested.

The following error codes are returned for `pam_sm_setcred()`:

<code>PAM_AUTH_ERR</code>	Authentication failure.
<code>PAM_BUF_ERR</code>	Memory buffer error.
<code>PAM_IGNORE</code>	The user is “root” and the root key exists in the default keytab.
<code>PAM_SYSTEM_ERR</code>	System error.
<code>PAM_SUCCESS</code>	Successfully modified the Kerberos credential cache.

The following error codes are returned for `pam_sm_acct_mgmt()`:

<code>PAM_AUTH_ERR</code>	Authentication failure.
<code>PAM_IGNORE</code>	Kerberos service module <code>pam_sm_authenticate()</code> was never called, or the user is “root” and the root key exists in the default keytab.
<code>PAM_NEW_AUTHTOK_REQD</code>	Obtain new authentication token from the user.
<code>PAM_SERVICE_ERR</code>	Error in underlying service module.
<code>PAM_SUCCESS</code>	Kerberos principal account is valid.
<code>PAM_SYSTEM_ERR</code>	System error.
<code>PAM_USER_UNKNOWN</code>	An unknown Kerberos principal was requested.

The following error code is returned for `pam_sm_open_session()` and `pam_sm_close_session()`:



PAM\_IGNORE      These two functions are null functions in pam\_krb5:

The following error codes are returned for pam\_sm\_chauthtok():

PAM_AUTH_ERR	Authentication failure.
PAM_IGNORE	The user has not been authenticated by Kerberos service module pam_sm_authenticate(), or the user is “root” and the root key exists in the default keytab.
PAM_NEW_AUTHTOK_REQD	User's Kerberos password has expired.
PAM_SERVICE_ERR	Error in module. At least one input parameter is missing.
PAM_SYSTEM_ERR	System error.
PAM_USER_UNKNOWN	An unknown Kerberos principal was requested.
PAM_SUCCESS	Successfully changed the user's Kerberos password.

#### Examples **EXAMPLE 1** Authenticate Users Through Kerberos as First Choice

The following is an excerpt of a sample pam.conf configuration file that authenticates users through the Kerberos authentication service and authenticates through the Unix login only if the Kerberos authentication fails. This arrangement is helpful when a majority of the users are networked by means of Kerberos and when there are only a few non-Kerberos type user accounts, such as root. The service illustrated below is for dtlogin.

```
dtlogin auth requisite      pam_smartcard.so.1
dtlogin auth requisite      pam_authtok_get.so.1
dtlogin auth required       pam_dhkeys.so.1
dtlogin auth required       pam_unix_cred.so.1
dtlogin auth sufficient      pam_krb5.so.1
dtlogin auth required       pam_unix_auth.so.1
```

Note that these changes should not be made to the existing krlogin, krsh, and ktelnet service entries. Those services require Kerberos authentication, so using a seemingly sufficient control flag would not provide the necessary functionality for privacy and integrity. There should be no need to change those entries.

The following entries check for password expiration when dealing with Kerberos and Unix password aging policies:

```
other    account requisite      pam_roles.so.1
other    account required       pam_unix_account.so.1
other    account required       pam_krb5.so.1
```

The following entries would change the Kerberos password of the user and continue to change the Unix login password only if the Kerberos password change had failed:

**EXAMPLE 1** Authenticate Users Through Kerberos as First Choice *(Continued)*

```

other password required      pam_dhkeys.so.1
other password requisite     pam_authtok_get.so.1
other password requisite     pam_authtok_check.so.1
other password sufficient    pam_krb5.so.1
other password required      pam_authtok_store.so.1

```

When changing Kerberos based user's password, use `kpasswd(1)`. When changing a non-Kerberos user's password, it is recommended that the repository is specified (`-r`) with the `passwd(1)` command.

**EXAMPLE 2** Authenticate Users Through Kerberos Only

The following example allows authentication only to users that have Kerberos-based accounts.

```

dtlogin auth requisite      pam_smartcard.so.1
dtlogin auth requisite      pam_authtok_get.so.1
dtlogin auth required       pam_dhkeys.so.1
dtlogin auth required       pam_unix_cred.so.1
dtlogin auth binding        pam_krb5.so.1
dtlogin auth required       pam_unix_auth.so.1

```

Typically, you would have another service specified in the `pam.conf` file that would allow local users, such as database, web server, system administrator accounts, to log in to the host machine. For example, the service name “login” could be used for these users. Note that these users should not belong to any roles.

The rest of the module types look similar to that shown in the previous example:

```

other account requisite     pam_roles.so.1
other account required      pam_unix_account.so.1
other account required      pam_krb5.so.1

```

With binding specified in the following, it is important that non-Kerberos users specify the repository in which they reside using the `-r` option with the `passwd(1)` command. This configuration is also based on the assumptions that:

- Kerberos users maintain only their Kerberos passwords;
- changing their Unix password is not necessary, given that they are authenticated only through their Kerberos passwords when logging in.

```

other password required      pam_dhkeys.so.1
other password requisite     pam_authtok_get.so.1
other password requisite     pam_authtok_check.so.1
other password binding       pam_krb5.so.1
other password required      pam_authtok_store.so.1

```

### EXAMPLE 3 Authenticate Through Kerberos Optionally

This configuration is helpful when the majority of users are non-Kerberos users and would like to authenticate through Kerberos if they happened to exist in the Kerberos database. The effect of this is similar to users voluntarily executing `kinit(1)` after they have successfully logged in:

```
dtlogin auth requisite      pam_smartcard.so.1
dtlogin auth requisite      pam_authtok_get.so.1
dtlogin auth required       pam_dhkeys.so.1
dtlogin auth required       pam_unix_cred.so.1
dtlogin auth required       pam_unix_auth.so.1
dtlogin auth optional       pam_krb5.so.1
```

The rest of the configuration is as follows:

```
other  account requisite    pam_roles.so.1
other  account required     pam_unix_account.so.1
other  account required     pam_krb5.so.1

other  password required    pam_dhkeys.so.1
other  password requisite   pam_authtok_get.so.1
other  password requisite   pam_authtok_check.so.1
other  password required    pam_authtok_store.so.1
other  password optional    pam_krb5.so.1
```

Non-Kerberos users should specify their respective repositories by using the `-r` option when changing their password with the `passwd(1)` command.

**Attributes** See `attributes(5)` for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving

**See Also** `kdestroy(1)`, `kinit(1)`, `kpasswd(1)`, `passwd(1)`, `ktkt_warnd(1M)`, `libpam(3LIB)`, `pam(3PAM)`, `pam_sm(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_acct_mgmt(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_authenticate(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_chauthtok(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_close_session(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_open_session(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_setcred(3PAM)`, `syslog(3C)`, `pam.conf(4)`, `attributes(5)`, `kerberos(5)`, `krb5envvar(5)`, `pam_krb5_migrate(5)`

**Notes** The interfaces in `libpam(3LIB)` are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

On successful acquisition of initial credentials (ticket-granting ticket), `ktkt_warnd(1M)` will be notified, to alert the user when the initial credentials are about to expire.

**Name** pam\_krb5\_migrate – authentication PAM module for the KerberosV5 auto-migration of users feature

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/pam\_krb5\_migrate.so.1

**Description** The KerberosV5 auto-migrate service module for PAM provides functionality for the PAM authentication component. The service module helps in the automatic migration of PAM\_USER to the client's local Kerberos realm, using PAM\_AUTHTOK (the PAM authentication token associated with PAM\_USER) as the new Kerberos principal's password.

KerberosV5  
Auto-migrate  
Authentication Module

The KerberosV5 auto-migrate authentication component provides the `pam_sm_authenticate(3PAM)` function to migrate a user who does not have a corresponding krb5 principal account to the default Kerberos realm of the client.

`pam_sm_authenticate(3PAM)` uses a host-based client service principal, present in the local keytab (/etc/krb5/krb5.keytab) to authenticate to `kadmind(1M)` (defaults to the host/nodename.fqdn service principal), for the principal creation operation. Also, for successful creation of the krb5 user principal account, the host-based client service principal being used needs to be assigned the appropriate privilege on the master KDC's `kadm5.acl(4)` file. `kadmind(1M)` checks for the appropriate privilege and validates the user password using PAM by calling `pam_authenticate(3PAM)` and `pam_acct_mgmt(3PAM)` for the k5migrate service.

If migration of the user to the KerberosV5 infrastructure is successful, the module will inform users about it by means of a PAM\_TEXT\_INFO message, unless instructed otherwise by the presence of the quiet option.

The authentication component always returns PAM\_IGNORE and is meant to be stacked in pam.conf with a requirement that it be listed below pam\_authtok\_get(5) in the authentication stack. Also, if pam\_krb5\_migrate is used in the authentication stack of a particular service, it is mandatory that `pam_krb5(5)` be listed in the PAM account stack of that service for proper operation (see EXAMPLES).

**Options** The following options can be passed to the KerberosV5 auto-migrate authentication module:

debug	Provides <code>syslog(3C)</code> debugging information at LOG_DEBUG level.
client_service=<service name>	Name of the service used to authenticate to <code>kadmind(1M)</code> defaults to host. This means that the module uses host/<nodename.fqdn> as its client service principal name, KerberosV5 user principal creation operation or <service>/<nodename.fqdn> if this option is provided.
quiet	Do not explain KerberosV5 migration to the user.

This has the same effect as passing the PAM\_SILENT flag to `pam_sm_authenticate(3PAM)` and is useful where applications cannot handle PAM\_TEXT\_INFO messages.

If not set, the authentication component will issue a PAM\_TEXT\_INFO message after creation of the Kerberos V5 principal, indicating that it has done so.

`expire_pw`

Causes the creation of KerberosV5 user principals with password expiration set to now (current time).

**Examples**    **EXAMPLE 1**    Sample Entries from `pam.conf`

The following entries from `pam.conf(4)` demonstrate the use of the `pam_krb5_migrate.so.1` module:

login	auth requisite	pam_authtok_get.so.1
login	auth required	pam_dhkeys.so.1
login	auth required	pam_unix_cred.so.1
login	auth sufficient	pam_krb5.so.1
login	auth requisite	pam_unix_auth.so.1
login	auth optional	pam_krb5_migrate.so.1 expire_pw
login	auth required	pam_dial_auth.so.1
other	account requisite	pam_roles.so.1
other	account required	pam_krb5.so.1
other	account required	pam_unix_account.so.1

The `pam_krb5_migrate` module can generally be present on the authentication stack of any service where the application calls `pam_sm_authenticate(3PAM)` and an authentication token (in the preceding example, the authentication token would be the user's Unix password) is available for use as a Kerberos V5 password.

**EXAMPLE 2**    Sample Entries from `kadm5.acl`

The following entries from `kadm5.acl(4)` permit or deny privileges to the host client service principal:

```
host/*@ACME.COM U root
host/*@ACME.COM ui *
```

The preceding entries permit the `pam_krb5_migrate` add privilege to the host client service principal of any machine in the `ACME.COM` KerberosV5 realm, but denies the add privilege to all host service principals for addition of the root user account.

**EXAMPLE 3** Sample Entries in `pam.conf` of the Master KDC

The entries below enable `kadmind(1M)` on the master KDC to use the `k5migrate` PAM service in order to validate Unix user passwords for accounts that require migration to the Kerberos realm.

```
k5migrate      auth      required      pam_unix_auth.so.1
k5migrate      account   required      pam_unix_account.so.1
```

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attribute:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving

**See Also** [kadmind\(1M\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_acct\\_mgmt\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [kadm5.acl\(4\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_krb5\(5\)](#)

**Name** pam\_ldap – authentication and account management PAM module for LDAP

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/pam\_ldap.so.1

**Description** The pam\_ldap module implements [pam\\_sm\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#) and [pam\\_sm\\_acct\\_mgmt\(3PAM\)](#), the functions that provide functionality for the PAM authentication and account management stacks. The pam\_ldap module ties the authentication and account management functionality to the functionality of the supporting LDAP server. For authentication, pam\_ldap can authenticate the user directly to any LDAP directory server by using any supported authentication mechanism, such as DIGEST-MD5. However, the account management component of pam\_ldap will work only with the Sun Java System Directory Server. The server's user account management must be properly configured before it can be used by pam\_ldap. Refer to the *Sun Java System Directory Server Administration Guide* for information on how to configure user account management, including password and account lockout policy.

pam\_ldap must be used in conjunction with the modules that support the UNIX authentication, password, and account management, which are [pam\\_authok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), and [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#). pam\_ldap is designed to be stacked directly below these modules. If other modules are designed to be stacked in this manner, the modules can be stacked below the pam\_ldap module. The [Examples](#) section shows how the UNIX modules are stacked with pam\_ldap. When stacked together, the UNIX modules are used to control local accounts, such as root. pam\_ldap is used to control network accounts, that is, LDAP users. For the stacks to work, pam\_unix\_auth, pam\_unix\_account, and pam\_passwd\_auth must be configured with the binding control flag and the server\_policy option. This configuration allows local account override of a network account.

**LDAP Authentication Module** The LDAP authentication module verifies the identity of a user. The [pam\\_sm\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#) function uses the password entered by the user to attempt to authenticate to the LDAP server. If successful, the user is authenticated. See NOTES for information on password prompting.

The authentication method used is either defined in the client profile, or the authentication method is configured by using the [ldapclient\(1M\)](#) command. To determine the authentication method to use, this module first attempts to use the authentication method that is defined, for service pam\_ldap, for example, serviceAuthenticationMethod:pam\_ldap:sasl/DIGEST-MD5. If no authentication method is defined, pam\_ldap uses the default authentication method. If neither are set, the authentication fails. This module skips the configured authentication method if the authentication method is set to none.

The following options can be passed to the LDAP service module:

**debug**      [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at LOG\_DEBUG level.

**nowarn**     Turn off warning messages.

These options are case sensitive and must be used exactly as presented here.

**LDAP Account Management Module** The LDAP account management module validates the user's account. The `pam_sm_acct_mgmt(3PAM)` function authenticates to the LDAP server to verify that the user's password has not expired, or that the user's account has not been locked. In the event that there is no user authentication token (`PAM_AUTHTOK`) available, the `pam_sm_acct_mgmt(3PAM)` function attempts to retrieve the user's account status without authenticating to the LDAP server as the user logging in. This procedure will succeed only if the LDAP server is Sun Java System Directory server 5.2 patch 4 or newer. The following options can be passed to the LDAP service module:

`debug`      `syslog(3C)` debugging information at `LOG_DEBUG` level.

`nowarn`      Turn off warning messages.

These options are case sensitive, and the options must be used exactly as presented here.

**LDAP Password Management Module** LDAP password management is no longer supported by `pam_ldap`. Use `pam_authtok_store(5)` instead of `pam_ldap` for password change. `pam_authtok_store(5)` handles both the local and LDAP accounts and updates the passwords in all the repositories configured by `nsswitch.conf(4)`.

**Errors** The authentication service returns the following error codes:

<code>PAM_SUCCESS</code>	The authentication was successful.
<code>PAM_MAXTRIES</code>	The maximum number of authentication attempts was exceeded.
<code>PAM_AUTH_ERR</code>	The authentication failed.
<code>PAM_USER_UNKNOWN</code>	No account is present for the user.
<code>PAM_BUF_ERR</code>	A memory buffer error occurred.
<code>PAM_SYSTEM_ERR</code>	A system error occurred.
<code>PAM_IGNORE</code>	The user's account was inactivated.

The account management service returns the following error codes:

<code>PAM_SUCCESS</code>	The user was allowed access to the account.
<code>PAM_NEW_AUTHTOK_REQD</code>	A new authentication token is required.
<code>PAM_ACCT_EXPIRED</code>	The user account has expired.
<code>PAM_PERM_DENIED</code>	The user was denied access to the account at this time.
<code>PAM_USER_UNKNOWN</code>	No account is present for the user.
<code>PAM_BUF_ERROR</code>	A memory buffer error occurred.
<code>PAM_SYSTEM_ERR</code>	A system error occurred.



**Examples** EXAMPLE 1 Using pam\_ldap With Authentication

The following is a configuration for the login service when using pam\_ldap. The service name login can be substituted for any other authentication service such as dtlogin or su. Lines that begin with the # symbol are comments and are ignored.

```
# Authentication management for login service is stacked.
# If pam_unix_auth succeeds, pam_ldap is not invoked.
# The control flag "binding" provides a local overriding
# remote (LDAP) control. The "server_policy" option is used
# to tell pam_unix_auth.so.1 to ignore the LDAP users.
```

```
login    auth requisite  pam_authtok_get.so.1
login    auth required   pam_dhkeys.so.1
login    auth required   pam_unix_cred.so.1
login    auth binding    pam_unix_auth.so.1 server_policy
login    auth required   pam_ldap.so.1
```

## EXAMPLE 2 Using pam\_ldap With Account Management

The following is a configuration for account management when using pam\_ldap. Lines that begin with the # symbol are comments and are ignored.

```
# Account management for all services is stacked
# If pam_unix_account succeeds, pam_ldap is not invoked.
# The control flag "binding" provides a local overriding
# remote (LDAP) control. The "server_policy" option is used
# to tell pam_unix_account.so.1 to ignore the LDAP users.
```

```
other    account requisite  pam_roles.so.1
other    account binding    pam_unix_account.so.1 server_policy
other    account required   pam_ldap.so.1
```

## EXAMPLE 3 Using pam\_authtok\_store With Password Management For Both Local and LDAP Accounts

The following is a configuration for password management when using pam\_authtok\_store. Lines that begin with the # symbol are comments and are ignored.

```
# Password management (authentication)
# The control flag "binding" provides a local overriding
# remote (LDAP) control. The server_policy option is used
# to tell pam_passwd_auth.so.1 to ignore the LDAP users.
```

```
passwd  auth binding  pam_passwd_auth.so.1 server_policy
passwd  auth required pam_ldap.so.1
```

```
# Password management (updates)
# This updates passwords stored both in the local /etc
# files and in the LDAP directory. The "server_policy"
# option is used to tell pam_authtok_store to
```

**EXAMPLE 3** Using `pam_authtok_store` With Password Management For Both Local and LDAP Accounts (Continued)

```
# follow the LDAP server's policy when updating
# passwords stored in the LDAP directory

other password required pam_dhkeys.so.1
other password requisite pam_authtok_get.so.1
other password requisite pam_authtok_check.so.1
other password required pam_authtok_store.so.1 server_policy
```

**Files** `/var/ldap/ldap_client_file`  
`/var/ldap/ldap_client_cred` The LDAP configuration files of the client. Do not manually modify these files, as these files might not be human readable. Use [ldapclient\(1M\)](#) to update these files.

`/etc/pam.conf` PAM configuration file.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving
MT-Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [ldap\(1\)](#), [idsconfig\(1M\)](#), [ldap\\_cachemgr\(1M\)](#), [ldapclient\(1M\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_acct\\_mgmt\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_chauthtok\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_close\\_session\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_open\\_session\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_setcred\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

The previously supported `use_first_pass` and `try_first_pass` options are obsolete in this version, are no longer needed, can safely be removed from [pam.conf\(4\)](#), and are silently ignored. They might be removed in a future release. Password prompting must be provided for by stacking [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#) before `pam_ldap` in the auth and password module stacks and [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#) in the passwd service auth stack (as described in the **EXAMPLES** section). The previously supported password update function is replaced in this release by the previously recommended use of `pam_authtok_store` with the `server_policy` option (as described in the **EXAMPLES** section).

The functions: [pam\\_sm\\_setcred\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_chauthtok\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_open\\_session\(3PAM\)](#), and [pam\\_sm\\_close\\_session\(3PAM\)](#) do nothing and return `PAM_IGNORE` in `pam_ldap`.

**Name** pam\_list – PAM account management module for UNIX

**Synopsis** pam\_list.so.1

**Description** The pam\_list module implements [pam\\_sm\\_acct\\_mgmt\(3PAM\)](#), which provides functionality to the PAM account management stack. The module provides functions to validate that the user's account is valid on this host based on a list of users and/or netgroups in the given file. The users and netgroups are separated by newline character. Netgroups are specified with character '@' as prefix before name of netgroup in the list. The maximum line length is 1023 characters.

The username is the value of PAM\_USER. The host is the value of PAM\_RHOST or, if PAM\_RHOST is not set, the value of the localhost as returned by [gethostname\(3C\)](#) is used.

If neither of the allow, deny, or compat options are specified, the module will look for +/- entries in the local /etc/passwd file. If this style is used, [nsswitch.conf\(4\)](#) must not be configured with compat for the passwd database. If no relevant +/- entry exists for the user, pam\_list is not participating in result.

If compat option is specified then the module will look for +/- entries in the local /etc/passwd file. Other entries in this file will be counted as + entries. If no relevant entry exists for the user, pam\_list will deny the access.

The following options can be passed to the module:

allow=	The full pathname to a file of allowed users and/or netgroups. Only one of allow= or deny= can be specified.
compat	Activate compat mode.
deny=	The full pathname to a file of denied users and/or netgroups. Only one of deny= or allow= can be specified.
debug	Provide <a href="#">syslog(3C)</a> debugging information at the LOG_AUTH   LOG_DEBUG level.
user	The module should only perform netgroup matches on the username. This is the default option.
nouser	The username should not be used in the netgroup match.
host	Only the host should be used in netgroup matches.
nohost	The hostname should not be used in netgroup matches.
user_host_exact	The user and hostname must be in the same netgroup.

**Errors** The following error values are returned:

PAM_SERVICE_ERR	An invalid set of module options was given in the <a href="#">pam.conf(4)</a> for this module, or the user/netgroup file could not be opened.
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PAM_BUF_ERR	A memory buffer error occurred.
PAM_IGNORE	The module is ignored, as it is not participating in the result.
PAM_PERM_DENIED	The user is not on the allow list or is on the deny list.
PAM_SUCCESS	The account is valid for use at this time.
PAM_USER_UNKNOWN	No account is present for the user

**Examples**    **EXAMPLE 1**    Using pam\_list in default mode

/etc/pam.conf modification looks like:

```
other    account requisite    pam_roles.so.1
other    account required    pam_unix_account.so.1
other    account required    pam_list.so.1
```

In the case of default mode or compat mode, the important lines in /etc/passwd appear as follows:

```
+loginname - user is approved
-loginname - user is disapproved
+@netgroup - netgroup members are approved
-@netgroup - netgroup members are disapproved
```

**EXAMPLE 2**    Using pam\_list with allow file

/etc/pam.conf modification looks like:

```
other    account requisite    pam_roles.so.1
other    account required    pam_unix_account.so.1
other    account required    pam_list.so.1 allow=etc/user.allow
```

/etc/users.allow contains:

```
root
localloginname
remoteloginname
@netgroup
```

**Attributes**    See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Committed
MT-Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multithreaded application uses its own PAM handle.

**See Also** [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_acct\\_mgmt\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [nsswitch.conf\(4\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Name** pam\_passwd\_auth – authentication module for password

**Synopsis** pam\_passwd\_auth.so.1

**Description** pam\_passwd\_auth provides authentication functionality to the password service as implemented by [passwd\(1\)](#). It differs from the standard PAM authentication modules in its prompting behavior. It should be the first module on the password service authentication stack.

The name of the user whose password attributes are to be updated must be present in the PAM\_USER item. This can be accomplished due to a previous call to [pam\\_start\(3PAM\)](#), or explicitly set by [pam\\_set\\_item\(3PAM\)](#). Based on the current user-id and the repository that is to be updated, the module determines whether a password is necessary for a successful update of the password repository, and if so, which password is required.

The following options can be passed to the module:

- debug** [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at the LOG\_DEBUG level
- nowarn** Turn off warning messages
- server\_policy** If the account authority for the user, as specified by PAM\_USER, is a server, do not apply the Unix policy from the passwd entry in the name service switch.

**Errors** The following error codes are returned:

- PAM\_BUF\_ERR** Memory buffer error
- PAM\_IGNORE** Ignore module, not participating in result
- PAM\_SUCCESS** Successfully obtains authentication token
- PAM\_SYSTEM\_ERR** System error

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [passwd\(1\)](#), [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_start\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_set\\_item\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

This module relies on the value of the current real UID, this module is only safe for MT-applications that don't change UIDs during the call to [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#).

The [pam\\_unix\(5\)](#) module is no longer supported. Similar functionality is provided by [pam\\_authok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), and [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#).

**Name** pam\_projects – account management PAM module for projects

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/pam\_projects.so.1

**Description** This man page has been superseded by [pam\\_unix\\_cred\(5\)](#).

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Obsolete
MT-Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_cred\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The [pam\\_projects\(5\)](#) functionality has been replaced by [pam\\_unix\\_cred\(5\)](#), and is subject to being removed from future releases.



**Name** pam\_rhosts\_auth – authentication management PAM module using ruserok()

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/pam\_rhosts\_auth.so.1

**Description** The rhosts PAM module, /usr/lib/security/pam\_rhosts\_auth.so.1, authenticates a user via the rlogin authentication protocol. Only pam\_sm\_authenticate() is implemented within this module. pam\_sm\_authenticate() uses the [ruserok\(3SOCKET\)](#) library function to authenticate the rlogin or rsh user. pam\_sm\_setcred() is a null function.

/usr/lib/security/pam\_rhosts\_auth.so.1 is designed to be stacked on top of the /usr/lib/security/pam\_unix.so.1 module for both the rlogin and rsh services. This module is normally configured as *sufficient* so that subsequent authentication is performed only on failure of pam\_sm\_authenticate(). The following option may be passed in to this service module:

debug      [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at LOG\_DEBUG level.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [ruserok\(3SOCKET\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The interfaces in libpam() are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

**Name** pam\_roles – Solaris Roles account management module

**Synopsis** pam\_roles.so.1

**Description** The pam\_roles module implements [pam\\_sm\\_acct\\_mgmt\(3PAM\)](#). It provides functionality to verify that a user is authorized to assume a role. It also prevents direct logins to a role. The [user\\_attr\(4\)](#) database is used to determine which users can assume which roles.

The PAM items PAM\_USER and PAM\_AUSER, and PAM\_RHOST are used to determine the outcome of this module. PAM\_USER represents the new identity being verified. PAM\_AUSER, if set, represents the user asserting a new identity. If PAM\_AUSER is not set, the real user ID of the calling service implies that the user is asserting a new identity. Notice that root can never have roles.

This module is generally stacked above the [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#) module.

The following options are interpreted:

allow_remote	Allows a remote service to specify the user to enter as a role.
debug	Provides <a href="#">syslog(3C)</a> debugging information at the LOG_DEBUG level.

**Errors** The following values are returned:

PAM_IGNORE	If the type of the new user identity (PAM_USER) is “normal”. Or, if the type of the new user identity is “role” and the user asserting the new identity (PAM_AUSER) has the new identity name in its list of roles.
PAM_USER_UNKNOWN	No account is present for user.
PAM_PERM_DENIED	If the type of the new user identity (PAM_USER) is “role” and the user asserting the new identity (PAM_AUSER) does not have the new identity name in its list of roles.

**Examples** EXAMPLE 1 Using the pam\_roles.so.1 Module

The following are sample entries from [pam.conf\(4\)](#). These entries demonstrate the use of the pam\_roles.so.1 module:

```
cron account required pam_unix_account.so.1
#
other account requisite pam_roles.so.1
other account required pam_unix_account.so.1
#
```

The cron service does not invoke pam\_roles.so.1. Delayed jobs are independent of role assumption. All other services verify that roles cannot directly login. The “su” service (covered by the “other” service entry) verifies that if the new user is a role, the calling user is authorized for that role.

### EXAMPLE 2 Allowing Remote Roles

Remote roles should only be allowed from remote services that can be trusted to provide an accurate PAM\_AUSERname. This trust is a function of the protocol (such as sshd-hostbased).

The following is a sample entry for a [pam.conf\(4\)](#) file. It demonstrates the use of `pam_roles` configuration for remote roles for the `sshd-hostbased` service.

```
sshd-hostbased account requisite pam_roles.so.1 allow_remote
sshd-hostbased account required pam_unix_account
```

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [roles\(1\)](#), [sshd\(1M\)](#), [su\(1M\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_acct\\_mgmt\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_setcred\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_set\\_item\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_acct\\_mgmt\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [user\\_attr\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

This module should never be stacked alone. It never returns PAM\_SUCCESS, as it never makes a positive decision.

The `allow_remote` option should only be specified for services that are trusted to correctly identify the remote user (that is, `sshd-hostbased`).

PAM\_AUSER has replaced PAM\_RUSER whose definition is limited to the `rlogin/rsh` untrusted remote user name. See [pam\\_set\\_item\(3PAM\)](#).

**Name** pam\_sample – a sample PAM module

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/pam\_sample.so.1

**Description** The SAMPLE service module for PAM is divided into four components: authentication, account management, password management, and session management. The sample module is a shared object that is dynamically loaded to provide the necessary functionality.

**Sample Authentication Component** The SAMPLE authentication module provides functions to test the PAM framework functionality using the `pam_sm_authenticate(3PAM)` call. The SAMPLE module implementation of the `pam_sm_authenticate(3PAM)` function compares the user entered password with the password set in the `pam.conf(4)` file, or the string "test" if a default test password has not been set. The following options can be passed in to the SAMPLE Authentication module:

<code>debug</code>	Syslog debugging information at the LOG_DEBUG level.
<code>pass=newone</code>	Sets the password to be "newone".
<code>first_pass_good</code>	The first password is always good when used with the <code>use_first_pass</code> or <code>try_first_pass</code> option.
<code>first_pass_bad</code>	The first password is always bad when used with the <code>use_first_pass</code> or <code>try_first_pass</code> option.
<code>always_fail</code>	Always returns PAM_AUTH_ERR.
<code>always_succeed</code>	Always returns PAM_SUCCESS.
<code>always_ignore</code>	Always returns PAM_IGNORE.
<code>use_first_pass</code>	Use the user's initial password (entered when the user is authenticated to the first authentication module in the stack) to authenticate with the SAMPLE module. If the passwords do not match, or if this is the first authentication module in the stack, quit and do not prompt the user for a password. It is recommended that this option only be used if the SAMPLE authentication module is designated as <i>optional</i> in the <code>pam.conf</code> configuration file.
<code>try_first_pass</code>	Use the user's initial password (entered when the user is authenticated to the first authentication module in the stack) to authenticate with the SAMPLE module. If the passwords do not match, or if this is the first authentication module in the stack, prompt the user for a password.

The SAMPLE module `pam_sm_setcred(3PAM)` function always returns PAM\_SUCCESS.

**Sample Account Management Component** The SAMPLE Account Management Component implements a simple access control scheme that limits machine access to a list of authorized users. The list of authorized users is supplied

as option arguments to the entry for the SAMPLE account management PAM module in the `pam.conf` file. Note that the module always permits access to the root super user.

The option field syntax to limit access is shown below: `allow= name[,name]` `allow= name [allow=name]`

The example `pam.conf` show below permits only larry to login directly. `rlogin` is allowed only for don and larry. Once a user is logged in, the user can use `su` if the user are sam or eric.

login	account	require	pam_sample.so.1 allow=larry
dtlogin	account	require	pam_sample.so.1 allow=larry
rlogin	account	require	pam_sample.so.1 allow=don allow=larry
su	account	require	pam_sample.so.1 allow=sam,eric

The `debug` and `nowarn` options are also supported.

- Sample Password Management Component

The SAMPLE Password Management Component function ( `pam_sm_chauthtok(3PAM)`), always returns `PAM_SUCCESS`.
- Sample Session Management Component

The SAMPLE Session Management Component functions ( `pam_sm_open_session(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_close_session(3PAM)`) always return `PAM_SUCCESS`.
- Attributes

See `attributes(5)` for description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

- See Also

`pam(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_authenticate(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_chauthtok(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_close_session(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_open_session(3PAM)`, `pam_sm_setcred(3PAM)`, `libpam(3LIB)`, `pam.conf(4)`, `attributes(5)`
- Warnings

This module should never be used outside of a closed debug environment. The examples of the `use_first_pass` and `try_first_pass` options are obsolete for all other Solaris delivered PAM service modules
- Notes

The interfaces in `libpam()` are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

**Name** pam\_smartcard – PAM authentication module for Smart Card

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/pam\_smartcard.so

**Description** The Smart Card service module for PAM, /usr/lib/security/pam\_smartcard.so, provides functionality to obtain a user's information (such as user name and password) for a smart card. The pam\_smartcard.so module is a shared object that can be dynamically loaded to provide the necessary functionality upon demand. Its path is specified in the PAM configuration file pam.conf. See [pam.conf\(4\)](#).

**Smart Card Authentication Module** The Smart Card authentication component provides the [pam\\_sm\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#) function to verify the identity of a smart card user.

The `pam_sm_authenticate()` function collects as user input the PIN number. It passes this data back to its underlying layer, OCF, to perform PIN verification. If verification is successful, the module returns PAM\_SUCCESS, and passes the username and password from the smart card to PAM modules stacked below.pam\_smartcard.

The following options can be passed to the Smart Card service module:

- `debug`        [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at LOG\_DEBUG level.
- `nowarn`       Turn off warning messages.
- `verbose`      Turn on verbose authentication failure reporting to the user.

**Smart Card Module Configuration** The PAM smart card module (pam\_smartcard) can be configured in the PAM configuration file (/etc/pam.conf). For example, the following configuration on the desktop (Common Desktop Environment) forces a user to use a smart card for logging in.

The following are typical values set by 'smartcard -c enable', if the command is applied to the default configuration.

dtlogin	auth requisite	pam_smartcard.so.1
dtlogin	auth required	pam_authtok_get.so.1
dtlogin	auth required	pam_dhkeys.so.1
dtsession	auth requisite	pam_smartcard.so.1
dtsession	auth required	pam_authtok_get.so.1
dtsession	auth required	pam_dhkeys.so.1

**See Also** [smartcard\(1M\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_start\(3PAM\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The `pam_unix(5)` module is no longer supported. Similar functionality is provided by [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), and [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#).

**Name** pam\_tsol\_account – PAM account management module for Trusted Extensions

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/pam\_tsol\_account.so.1

**Description** The Solaris Trusted Extensions service module for PAM, /usr/lib/security/pam\_tsol\_account.so.1, checks account limitations that are related to labels. The pam\_tsol\_account.so.1 module is a shared object that can be dynamically loaded to provide the necessary functionality upon demand. Its path is specified in the PAM configuration file.

pam\_tsol\_account.so.1 contains a function to perform account management, pam\_sm\_acct\_mgmt(). The function checks for the allowed label range for the user. The allowable label range is set by the defaults in the [label\\_encodings\(4\)](#) file. These defaults can be overridden by entries in the [user\\_attr\(4\)](#) database.

By default, this module requires that remote hosts connecting to the global zone must have a CIPSO host type. To disable this policy, add the allow\_unlabeled keyword as an option to the entry in [pam.conf\(4\)](#), as in:

```
other account required    pam_tsol_account allow_unlabeled
```

**Options** The following options can be passed to the module:

allow_unlabeled	Allows remote connections from hosts with unlabeled template types.
debug	Provides debugging information at the LOG_DEBUG level. See <a href="#">syslog(3C)</a> .

**Return Values** The following values are returned:

PAM_SUCCESS	The account is valid for use at this time and label.
PAM_PERM_DENIED	The current process label is outside the user's label range, or the label information for the process is unavailable, or the remote host type is not valid.
Other values	Returns an error code that is consistent with typical PAM operations. For information on error-related return values, see the <a href="#">pam(3PAM)</a> man page.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Committed
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

**See Also** [keylogin\(1\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_acct\\_mgmt\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_start\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [label\\_encodings\(4\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [user\\_attr\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

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**Notes** The functionality described on this manual page is available only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.



**Name** pam\_unix\_account – PAM account management module for UNIX

**Synopsis** pam\_unix\_account.so.1

**Description** pam\_unix\_account module implements `pam_sm_acct_mgmt()`, which provides functionality to the PAM account management stack. The module provides functions to validate that the user's account is not locked or expired and that the user's password does not need to be changed. The module retrieves account information from the configured databases in `nsswitch.conf(4)`.

The following options can be passed to the module:

- `debug` [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at the LOG\_DEBUG level
- `nowarn` Turn off warning messages
- `server_policy` If the account authority for the user, as specified by PAM\_USER, is a server, do not apply the Unix policy from the passwd entry in the name service switch.

**Errors** The following values are returned:

- PAM\_UNIX\_ACCOUNT User account has expired
- PAM\_AUTHTOK\_EXPIRED Password expired and no longer usable
- PAM\_BUF\_ERR Memory buffer error
- PAM\_IGNORE Ignore module, not participating in result
- PAM\_NEW\_AUTHTOK\_REQD Obtain new authentication token from the user
- PAM\_PERM\_DENIED The account is locked or has been inactive for too long
- PAM\_SERVICE\_ERR Error in underlying service module
- PAM\_SUCCESS The account is valid for use at this time
- PAM\_USER\_UNKNOWN No account is present for the user

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [nsswitch.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

The `pam_unix(5)` module is no longer supported. Similar functionality is provided by [pam\\_authok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), and [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#).

**Name** pam\_unix\_auth – PAM authentication module for UNIX

**Synopsis** pam\_unix\_auth.so.1

**Description** The `pam_unix_auth` module implements `pam_sm_authenticate()`, which provides functionality to the PAM authentication stack. It provides functions to verify that the password contained in the PAM item `PAM_AUTHTOK` is the correct password for the user specified in the item `PAM_USER`. If `PAM_REPOSITORY` is specified, then user's password is fetched from that repository. Otherwise, the default `nsswitch.conf(4)` repository is searched for that user.

For accounts in the name services which support automatic account locking, the account may be configured to be automatically locked (see `user_attr(4)` and `policy.conf(4)`) after multiple failed login attempts. For accounts that are configured for automatic locking, if authentication failure is to be returned, the failed login counter is incremented upon each failure. If the number of successive failures equals or exceeds `RETRIES` as defined in `login(1)`, the account is locked and `PAM_MAXTRIES` is returned. Currently, only the “files” repository (see `passwd(4)` and `shadow(4)`) supports automatic account locking. A successful authentication by this module clears the failed login counter and reports the number of failed attempts since the last successful authentication.

Authentication service modules must implement both `pam_sm_authenticate()` and `pam_sm_setcred()`. To allow replacability of the authentication portion of UNIX authentication, `pam_sm_setcred()` in this module always returns `PAM_IGNORE`. This module should be stacked with `pam_unix_cred(5)` to ensure a successful return from `pam_setcred(3PAM)`.

The following options can be passed to the module:

`nowarn`

Turn off warning messages.

`server_policy`

If the account authority for the user, as specified by `PAM_USER`, is a server, do not apply the Unix policy from the `passwd` entry in the name service switch.

`noLock`

Regardless of the automatic account locking setting for the account, do not lock the account, increment or clear the failed login count. The `noLock` option allows for exempting account locking on a per service basis.

**Errors** The following error codes are returned from `pam_sm_authenticate()`:

`PAM_AUTH_ERR`

Authentication failure.

`PAM_BUF_ERR`

Memory buffer error.

- PAM\_IGNORE  
Ignores module, not participating in result.
- PAM\_MAXTRIES  
Maximum number of retries exceeded.
- PAM\_PERM\_DENIED  
Permission denied.
- PAM\_SUCCESS  
Successfully obtains authentication token.
- PAM\_SYSTEM\_ERR  
System error.
- PAM\_USER\_UNKNOWN  
No account present for user.

The following error codes are returned from `pam_sm_setcred()`:

- PAM\_IGNORE  
Ignores this module regardless of the control flag.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Committed
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [login\(1\)](#), [passwd\(1\)](#), [useradd\(1M\)](#), [usermod\(1M\)](#), [roleadd\(1M\)](#), [rolemod\(1M\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_setcred\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [passwd\(4\)](#), [policy.conf\(4\)](#), [nsswitch.conf\(4\)](#), [shadow\(4\)](#), [user\\_attr\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

The `pam_unix(5)` module is no longer supported. Similar functionality is provided by [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_setcred\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_cred\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#).

If the `PAM_REPOSITORY item_type` is set and a service module does not recognize the type, the service module does not process any information, and returns `PAM_IGNORE`. If the `PAM_REPOSITORY item_type` is not set, a service module performs its default action.

**Name** pam\_unix\_cred – PAM user credential authentication module for UNIX

**Synopsis** pam\_unix\_cred.so.1

**Description** The pam\_unix\_cred module implements [pam\\_sm\\_setcred\(3PAM\)](#). It provides functions that establish user credential information. It is a module separate from the [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#) module to allow replacement of the authentication functionality independently from the credential functionality.

The pam\_unix\_cred module must always be stacked along with whatever authentication module is used to ensure correct credential setting.

Authentication service modules must implement both `pam_sm_authenticate()` and `pam_sm_setcred()`.

`pam_sm_authenticate()` in this module always returns `PAM_IGNORE`.

`pam_sm_setcred()` initializes the user's project, privilege sets and initializes or updates the user's audit context if it hasn't already been initialized. The following flags may be set in the `flags` field:

`PAM_ESTABLISH_CRED`

`PAM_REFRESH_CRED`

`PAM_REINITIALIZE_CRED`

Initializes the user's project to the project specified in `PAM_RESOURCE`, or if `PAM_RESOURCE` is not specified, to the user's default project. Establishes the user's privilege sets.

If the audit context is not already initialized and auditing is configured, these flags cause the context to be initialized to that of the user specified in `PAM_AUSER` (if any) merged with the user specified in `PAM_USER` and host specified in `PAM_RHOST`. If `PAM_RHOST` is not specified, `PAM_TTY` specifies the local terminal name. Attributing audit to `PAM_AUSER` and merging `PAM_USER` is required for correctly attributing auditing when the system entry is performed by another user that can be identified as trustworthy.

If the audit context is already initialized, the `PAM_REINITIALIZE_CRED` flag merges the current audit context with that of the user specified in `PAM_USER`. `PAM_REINITIALIZE_CRED` is useful when a user is assuming a new identity, as with [su\(1M\)](#).

`PAM_DELETE_CRED`

This flag has no effect and always returns `PAM_SUCCESS`.

The following options are interpreted:

`debug` Provides [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at the `LOG_DEBUG` level.

`nowarn` Disables any warning messages.

**Errors** Upon successful completion of `pam_sm_setcred()`, `PAM_SUCCESS` is returned. The following error codes are returned upon error:

- `PAM_CRED_UNAVAIL` Underlying authentication service cannot retrieve user credentials
- `PAM_CRED_EXPIRED` User credentials have expired
- `PAM_USER_UNKNOWN` User is unknown to the authentication service
- `PAM_CRED_ERR` Failure in setting user credentials
- `PAM_BUF_ERR` Memory buffer error
- `PAM_SYSTEM_ERR` System error

The following values are returned from `pam_sm_authenticate()`:

- `PAM_IGNORE` Ignores this module regardless of the control flag

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [ssh\(1\)](#), [su\(1M\)](#), [settaskid\(2\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [getprojent\(3PROJECT\)](#), [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_set\\_item\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_sm\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [setproject\(3PROJECT\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [nsswitch.conf\(4\)](#), [project\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authtok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#), [privileges\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

If this module is replaced, the audit context and credential may not be correctly configured.

**Name** pam\_unix\_session – session management PAM module for UNIX

**Synopsis** pam\_unix\_session.so.1

**Description** The pam\_unix\_session module implements [pam\\_sm\\_open\\_session\(3PAM\)](#) and [pam\\_sm\\_close\\_session\(3PAM\)](#).

[pam\\_sm\\_open\\_session\(\)](#) updates the `/var/adm/lastlog` file with the information contained in the `PAM_USER`, `PAM_TTY`, and `PAM_RHOSTS` items. [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#) uses this account to determine the previous time the user logged in.

[pam\\_sm\\_close\\_session\(\)](#) is a null function.

The following options can be passed to the module:

`debug`     [syslog\(3C\)](#) debugging information at the `LOG_DEBUG` level

**Errors** Upon successful completion, `PAM_SUCCESS` is returned. The following error codes are returned upon error:

`PAM_SESSION_ERR`     Cannot make or remove the entry for the specified session (`PAM_TTY` is not present).

`PAM_USER_UNKNOWN`     No account is present for *user*.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Evolving
MT Level	MT-Safe with exceptions

**See Also** [pam\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_authenticate\(3PAM\)](#), [syslog\(3C\)](#), [libpam\(3LIB\)](#), [pam.conf\(4\)](#), [nsswitch.conf\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#),

**Notes** The interfaces in [libpam\(3LIB\)](#) are MT-Safe only if each thread within the multi-threaded application uses its own PAM handle.

The [pam\\_unix\(5\)](#) module is no longer supported. Similar functionality is provided by [pam\\_authok\\_check\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_get\(5\)](#), [pam\\_authok\\_store\(5\)](#), [pam\\_dhkeys\(5\)](#), [pam\\_passwd\\_auth\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_account\(5\)](#), [pam\\_unix\\_auth\(5\)](#), and [pam\\_unix\\_session\(5\)](#).

**Name** pkcs11\_kernel – PKCS#11 interface to Kernel Cryptographic Framework

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/pkcs11\_kernel.so  
/usr/lib/security/64/pkcs11\_kernel.so

**Description** The pkcs11\_kernel.so object implements the RSA Security Inc. PKCS#11 Cryptographic Token Interface (Cryptoki), v2.20, specification by using a private interface to communicate with the Kernel Cryptographic Framework.

Each unique hardware provider is represented by a PKCS#11 slot. In a system with no hardware Kernel Cryptographic Framework providers, this PKCS#11 library presents no slots.

The PKCS#11 mechanisms provided by this library is determined by the available hardware providers.

Application developers should link to libpkcs11.so rather than link directly to pkcs11\_kernel.so. See [libpkcs11\(3LIB\)](#).

All of the Standard PKCS#11 functions listed on [libpkcs11\(3LIB\)](#) are implemented except for the following:

C\_DecryptDigestUpdate  
C\_DecryptVerifyUpdate  
C\_DigestEncryptUpdate  
C\_GetOperationState  
C\_InitToken  
C\_InitPIN  
C\_SetOperationState  
C\_SignEncryptUpdate  
C\_WaitForSlotEvent

A call to these functions returns CKR\_FUNCTION\_NOT\_SUPPORTED.

Buffers cannot be greater than 2 megabytes. For example, C\_Encrypt() can be called with a 2 megabyte buffer of plaintext and a 2 megabyte buffer for the ciphertext.

The maximum number of object handles that can be returned by a call to C\_FindObjects() is 512.

The maximum amount of kernel memory that can be used for crypto operations is limited by the project.max-crypto-memory resource control. Allocations in the kernel for buffers and session-related structures are charged against this resource control.

**Return Values** The return values of each of the implemented functions are defined and listed in the RSA PKCS#11 v2.20 specification. See <http://www.rsasecurity.com>.



**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Standard: PKCS#11 v2.20
MT-Level	MT-Safe with exceptions. See section 6.6.2 of RSA PKCS#11 v2.20

**See Also** [cryptoadm\(1M\)](#), [rctladm\(1M\)](#), [libpkcs11\(3LIB\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pkcs11\\_softtoken\(5\)](#)  
 RSA PKCS#11 v2.20 <http://www.rsasecurity.com>

**Notes** Applications that have an open session to a PKCS#11 slot make the corresponding hardware provider driver not unloadable. An administrator must close the applications that have an PKCS#11 session open to the hardware provider to make the driver unloadable.

**Name** pkcs11\_kms – RSA PKCS#11 provider for the Oracle Key Manager

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/pkcs11\_kms.so  
/usr/lib/security/64/pkcs11\_kms.so

**Description** The `pkcs11_kms.so` object implements the RSA Security Inc. PKCS#11 Cryptographic Token Interface (Cryptoki), v2.20, specification using the Oracle Key Manager (OKM) KMS agent protocol to talk to an Oracle Key Manager appliance (KMA). This provider implements the PKCS#11 specification and communicates to a remote OKM using the (private) KMS client protocol.

The following PKCS#11 mechanisms are supported in this provider: CKM\_AES\_KEY\_GEN, CKM\_AES\_CBC\_PAD, and CKM\_AES\_CBC.

The following PKCS#11 interfaces are supported by this provider:

C\_Initialize  
C\_Finalize  
C\_GetInfo  
C\_GetAttributeValue  
C\_SetAttributeValue  
C\_GetFunctionList  
C\_GetSlotList  
C\_GetSlotInfo  
C\_GetTokenInfo  
C\_GetMechanismList  
C\_GetMechanismInfo  
C\_InitToken  
C\_SetPIN  
C\_Login  
C\_Logout  
C\_FindObjectsInit/C\_FindObjects/C\_FindObjectsFinal  
C\_GenerateKey  
C\_EncryptInit/C\_Encrypt/C\_EncryptFinal  
C\_DecryptInit/C\_Decrypt/C\_DecryptFinal  
C\_DestroyObject  
C\_OpenSession  
C\_CloseSession  
C\_CloseAllSessions  
C\_GetSessionInfo  
C\_CreateObject  
C\_CopyObject  
C\_GetObjectSize  
C\_EncryptUpdate  
C\_DecryptUpdate

All other functions return CKR\_FUNCTION\_NOT\_SUPPORTED when called.

**Prerequisites** The `pkcs11_kms` provider can only be used on a system that has access to an OKM. The OKM administrator must configure a an agent ID for each user (or application) that is accessing the OKM. This is done through the OKM utilities that are part of the OKM administrative tools and are not bundled in Oracle Solaris.

Once the OKM administrator has configured the KMA for use and communicated the parameters to the client, that is, an Oracle Solaris user or application, the Oracle Solaris PKCS#11 KMS provider can be initialized for use.

Initializing the KMS provider is done through the use of the `kmscfg(1M)` utility. At a minimum, `kmscfg` requires the user to enter the name of a profile, the OKM Agent ID, the initial password used to secure the profile, and the IP address of the KMA in order to initialize the local provider configuration files for further use. See the `kmscfg(1M)` manual page for details.

Once `kmscfg` has been run and the local token namespace has been configured, the user can then initialize the token for use. Initializing the token is done using the `pktool(1)` command as follows:

```
$ pktool inittoken currlabel=KMS
```

The user has to supply the default SO (security officer) PIN before being able to initialize the KMS provider for use. The default SO PIN is whatever was used by the OKM administrator when initially setting up the OKM Agent. The user initializing the token must know this passphrase in order to initialize the provider.

Once the provider is initialized, the user PIN can be changed from the default values. Again, `pktool(1)` is used to change the PIN value.

Use the following command to change the local PIN:

```
$ pktool setpin token=KMS
```

The PIN provided for the `pktool setpin` operation or by calling `C_Login()` and `C_SetPIN()` functions can be any string of characters with a length between 1 and 256 and no embedded nulls.

### Accessing the Token

After a user initializes their token, they can begin using it with `pktool(1)`, `decrypt(1)`, `encrypt(1)`, or by writing PKCS11 applications and specifying the KMS token.

### Examples **EXAMPLE 1** Creating a Key on an Oracle Key Manager

The following command creates a key on an Oracle Key Manager:

```
$ pktool genkey token=KMS label=mykey1 keytype=aes keylen=256
```

**EXAMPLE 2** Encrypting a File Using a Key from an Oracle Key Manager

The following command encrypts a file using a key from an Oracle Key Manager:

```
$ encrypt -a aes -K mykey1 -T KMS -i input.txt -o output.enc
```

**EXAMPLE 3** Decrypting a File Using a Key from an Oracle Key Manager

The following command decrypts a file using a key from an Oracle Key Manager:

```
$ decrypt -a aes -K mykey1 -T KMS -i output.enc -o output.txt
```

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Availability	/system/library/security/crypto/pkcs11_kms
Interface Stability	Committed
MT-Level	MT-Safe with Exceptions. See below.
Standard	PKCS#11 v2.20

Exceptions to MT-Safe attribute are documented in section 6.6.2 of RSA PKCS#11 v2.20.

**See Also** [decrypt\(1\)](#), [encrypt\(1\)](#), [pktool\(1\)](#), [cryptoadm\(1M\)](#), [kmscfg\(1M\)](#), [libpkcs11\(3LIB\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

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**Notes** `pkcs11_kms.so` uses a private directory for holding configuration files and other data needed to initialize the connection to a KMA. The private directory is local to the host on which it was first created. By default, the KMS token directory space is in `/var/kms/$USERNAME`. The default KMS directory can be overridden by setting the `KMSTOKEN_DIR` environment variable prior to using the [kmscfg\(1M\)](#), [decrypt\(1\)](#), [encrypt\(1\)](#), and [pktool\(1\)](#) commands.

PKCS#11 clients require that Oracle Key Manager Software Version 2.4 be installed.

If PKCS#11 clients use the same Agent ID from multiple systems, that agent should be created without the One Time Passphrase flag set. This option is not be available in OKM clusters with some members running versions of the OKM software prior to 2.4. Refer to the *Oracle Key Manager (OKM) Administration Guide* for assistance in creating Agents.

OKM Agents must have a Default Key Group assigned prior to being used to create keys with a PKCS#11 client. If a Default Key Group is not assigned to the Agent, operations fail with a `CKR_PIN_INCORRECT` error. Refer to the *Oracle Key Manager (OKM) Administration Guide* for assistance in assigning key groups to agents.

**Name** pkcs11\_softtoken – Software RSA PKCS#11 softtoken

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/security/pkcs11\_softtoken.so  
 /usr/lib/security/64/pkcs11\_softtoken.so  
 /usr/lib/security/pkcs11\_softtoken\_extra.so  
 /usr/lib/security/64/pkcs11\_softtoken\_extra.so

**Description** The pkcs11\_softtoken.so object implements the RSA Security Inc. PKCS#11 Cryptographic Token Interface (Cryptoki), v2.20, specification in software. Persistent storage for token objects is provided by this PKCS#11 implementation.

The pkcs11\_softtoken.so object contains only implementations of symmetric key algorithms of up to 128-bit keylength. pkcs11\_softtoken\_extra.so, if available, might contain longer key lengths.

Application developers should link to libpkcs11.so rather than link directly to pkcs11\_softtoken.so. See [libpkcs11\(3LIB\)](#).

The following cryptographic algorithms are implemented: DES, 3DES, AES, Blowfish, RC4, MD5, SHA1, RSA, DSA, and DH.

All of the Standard PKCS#11 functions listed on [libpkcs11\(3LIB\)](#) are implemented except for the following:

C\_GetObjectSize  
 C\_InitPIN  
 C\_InitToken  
 C\_WaitForSlotEvent

A call to these functions returns CKR\_FUNCTION\_NOT\_SUPPORTED.

The following RSA PKCS#11 v2.20 mechanisms are supported:

CKM\_RSA\_PKCS\_KEY\_PAIR\_GEN  
 CKM\_RSA\_PKCS  
 CKM\_RSA\_X\_509

CKM\_DSA\_KEY\_PAIR\_GEN  
 CKM\_DSA  
 CKM\_DSA\_SHA1

CKM\_DH\_PKCS\_KEY\_PAIR\_GEN  
 CKM\_DH\_PKCS\_DERIVE

CKM\_DES\_KEY\_GEN  
 CKM\_DES\_ECB  
 CKM\_DES\_CBC  
 CKM\_DES\_CBC\_PAD

CKM\_DES3\_KEY\_GEN

CKM\_DES3\_ECB  
CKM\_DES3\_CBC  
CKM\_DES3\_CBC\_PAD

CKM\_AES\_KEY\_GEN  
CKM\_AES\_ECB  
CKM\_AES\_CBC  
CKM\_AES\_CBC\_PAD

CKM\_BLOWFISH\_KEY\_GEN  
CKM\_BLOWFISH\_CBC

CKM\_RC4\_KEY\_GEN  
CKM\_RC4

CKM\_MD5\_RSA\_PKCS  
CKM\_SHA1\_RSA\_PKCS  
CKM\_SHA256\_RSA\_PKCS  
CKM\_SHA384\_RSA\_PKCS  
CKM\_SHA512\_RSA\_PKCS

CKM\_MD5  
CKM\_SHA\_1  
CKM\_SHA256  
CKM\_SHA384  
CKM\_SHA512

CKM\_MD5\_HMAC  
CKM\_MD5\_HMAC\_GENERAL  
CKM\_SHA\_1\_HMAC  
CKM\_SHA\_1\_HMAC\_GENERAL  
CKM\_SHA256\_HMAC  
CKM\_SHA256\_HMAC\_GENERAL  
CKM\_SHA384\_HMAC  
CKM\_SHA384\_HMAC\_GENERAL

CKM\_MD5\_KEY\_DERIVATION  
CKM\_SHA1\_KEY\_DERIVATION  
CKM\_SHA256\_KEY\_DERIVATION  
CKM\_SHA384\_KEY\_DERIVATION  
CKM\_SHA512\_KEY\_DERIVATION

CKM\_SSL3\_PRE\_MASTER\_KEY\_GEN  
CKM\_SSL3\_MASTER\_KEY\_DERIVE  
CKM\_SSL3\_KEY\_AND\_MAC\_DERIVE  
CKM\_SSL3\_MASTER\_KEY\_DERIVE\_DH  
CKM\_TLS\_PRE\_MASTER\_KEY\_GEN  
CKM\_TLS\_MASTER\_KEY\_DERIVE

CKM\_TLS\_KEY\_AND\_MAC\_DERIVE  
 CKM\_TLS\_MASTER\_KEY\_DERIVE\_DH

Each of the following types of key objects has certain token-specific attributes that are set to true by default as a result of object creation, key/key pair generation, and key derivation.

Public key object	CKA_ENCRYPT, CKA_VERIFY, CKA_VERIFY_RECOVER
Private key object	CKA_DECRYPT, CKA_SIGN, CKA_SIGN_RECOVER, CKA_EXTRACTABLE
Secret key object	CKA_ENCRYPT, CKA_DECRYPT, CKA_SIGN, CKA_VERIFY, CKA_EXTRACTABLE

The following certificate objects are supported:

CKC_X_509	For CKC_X_509 certificate objects, the following attributes are supported: CKA_SUBJECT, CKA_VALUE, CKA_LABEL, CKA_ID, CKA_ISSUER, CKA_SERIAL_NUMBER, and CKA_CERTIFICATE_TYPE.
CKC_X_509_ATTR_CERT	For CKC_X_509_ATTR_CERT certificate objects, the following attributes are supported: CKA_OWNER, CKA_VALUE, CKA_LABEL, CKA_SERIAL_NUMBER, CKA_AC_ISSUER, CKA_ATTR_TYPES, and CKA_CERTIFICATE_TYPE.

The search operation of objects matching the template is performed at `C_FindObjectsInit`. The matched objects are cached for subsequent `C_FindObjects` operations.

The `pkcs11_softtoken.so` object provides a filesystem-based persistent token object store for storing token objects. The default location of the token object store is the user's home directory returned by `getpwuid_r()`. The user can override the default location by using the `${SOFTTOKEN_DIR}` environment variable.

If the token object store has never been initialized, the `C_Login()` function might return `CKR_OK` but the user will not be able to create, generate, derive or find any private token object and receives `CKR_PIN_EXPIRED`.

The user must use the `pktool(1)` `setpin` command with the default passphrase “changeme” as the old passphrase to change the passphrase of the object store. This action is needed to initialize and set the passphrase to a newly created token object store.

After logging into object store with the new passphrase that was set by the `pktool setpin` command, the user can create and store the private token object in this newly created object store. Until the token object store is initialized by `setpin`, the `C_Login()` function is allowed, but all attempts by the user to create, generate, derive or find any private token object fails with a `CKR_PIN_EXPIRED` error.

The PIN provided for `C_Login()` and `C_SetPIN()` functions can be any string of characters with lengths between 1 and 256 and no embedded nulls.

The default location of the token object store is in the user's home directory returned by `getpwuid_r()`. It is followed by `/.sunw/pkcs11_softtoken/`, and the default location is `~/.sunw/pkcs11_softtoken()`.

The user can override the default location by using the `${SOFTTOKEN_DIR}` environment variable. The location for the alternate token object store is `${SOFTTOKEN_DIR}/pkcs11_softtoken/`.

**Return Values** The return values for each of the implemented functions are defined and listed in the RSA PKCS#11 v2.20 specification. See <http://www.rsasecurity.com>

**Files** *user\_home\_directory/.sunw/pkcs11\_softtoken*      user's default token object store  
*\${SOFTTOKEN\_DIR}/pkcs11\_softtoken*                      alternate token object store

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Committed
MT-Level	MT-Safe with exceptions. See section 6.6.2 of RSA PKCS#11 v2.20.
Standard	PKCS#11 v2.20

**See Also** [pktool\(1\)](#), [cryptoadm\(1M\)](#), [libpkcs11\(3LIB\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [pkcs11\\_kernel\(5\)](#)  
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**Name** privileges – process privilege model

**Description** Solaris software implements a set of privileges that provide fine-grained control over the actions of processes. The possession of a certain privilege allows a process to perform a specific set of restricted operations.

The change to a primarily privilege-based security model in the Solaris operating system gives developers an opportunity to restrict processes to those privileged operations actually needed instead of all (super-user) or no privileges (non-zero UIDs). Additionally, a set of previously unrestricted operations now requires a privilege; these privileges are dubbed the “basic” privileges and are by default given to all processes.

Taken together, all defined privileges with the exception of the “basic” privileges compose the set of privileges that are traditionally associated with the root user. The “basic” privileges are “privileges” unprivileged processes were accustomed to having.

The defined privileges are:

**PRIV\_CONTRACT\_EVENT**

Allow a process to request reliable delivery of events to an event endpoint.

Allow a process to include events in the critical event set term of a template which could be generated in volume by the user.

**PRIV\_CONTRACT\_OBSERVER**

Allow a process to observe contract events generated by contracts created and owned by users other than the process's effective user ID.

Allow a process to open contract event endpoints belonging to contracts created and owned by users other than the process's effective user ID.

**PRIV\_CPC\_CPU**

Allow a process to access per-CPU hardware performance counters.

**PRIV\_DTRACE\_KERNEL**

Allow DTrace kernel-level tracing.

**PRIV\_DTRACE\_PROC**

Allow DTrace process-level tracing. Allow process-level tracing probes to be placed and enabled in processes to which the user has permissions.

**PRIV\_DTRACE\_USER**

Allow DTrace user-level tracing. Allow use of the syscall and profile DTrace providers to examine processes to which the user has permissions.

**PRIV\_FILE\_CHOWN**

Allow a process to change a file's owner user ID. Allow a process to change a file's group ID to one other than the process's effective group ID or one of the process's supplemental group IDs.

**PRIV\_FILE\_CHOWN\_SELF**

Allow a process to give away its files. A process with this privilege will run as if {\_POSIX\_CHOWN\_RESTRICTED} is not in effect.

**PRIV\_FILE\_DAC\_EXECUTE**

Allow a process to execute an executable file whose permission bits or ACL would otherwise disallow the process execute permission.

**PRIV\_FILE\_DAC\_READ**

Allow a process to read a file or directory whose permission bits or ACL would otherwise disallow the process read permission.

**PRIV\_FILE\_DAC\_SEARCH**

Allow a process to search a directory whose permission bits or ACL would not otherwise allow the process search permission.

**PRIV\_FILE\_DAC\_WRITE**

Allow a process to write a file or directory whose permission bits or ACL do not allow the process write permission. All privileges are required to write files owned by UID 0 in the absence of an effective UID of 0.

**PRIV\_FILE\_DOWNGRADE\_SL**

Allow a process to set the sensitivity label of a file or directory to a sensitivity label that does not dominate the existing sensitivity label.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

**PRIV\_FILE\_LINK\_ANY**

Allow a process to create hardlinks to files owned by a UID different from the process's effective UID.

**PRIV\_FILE\_OWNER**

Allow a process that is not the owner of a file to modify that file's access and modification times. Allow a process that is not the owner of a directory to modify that directory's access and modification times. Allow a process that is not the owner of a file or directory to remove or rename a file or directory whose parent directory has the "save text image after execution" (sticky) bit set. Allow a process that is not the owner of a file to mount a `namefs` upon that file. Allow a process that is not the owner of a file or directory to modify that file's or directory's permission bits or ACL.

**PRIV\_FILE\_SETID**

Allow a process to change the ownership of a file or write to a file without the set-user-ID and set-group-ID bits being cleared. Allow a process to set the set-group-ID bit on a file or directory whose group is not the process's effective group or one of the process's supplemental groups. Allow a process to set the set-user-ID bit on a file with different ownership in the presence of `PRIV_FILE_OWNER`. Additional restrictions apply when creating or modifying a `setuid 0` file.

**PRIV\_FILE\_UPGRADE\_SL**

Allow a process to set the sensitivity label of a file or directory to a sensitivity label that dominates the existing sensitivity label.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

**PRIV\_GRAPHICS\_ACCESS**

Allow a process to make privileged ioctls to graphics devices. Typically only an xserver process needs to have this privilege. A process with this privilege is also allowed to perform privileged graphics device mappings.

**PRIV\_GRAPHICS\_MAP**

Allow a process to perform privileged mappings through a graphics device.

**PRIV\_IPC\_DAC\_READ**

Allow a process to read a System V IPC Message Queue, Semaphore Set, or Shared Memory Segment whose permission bits would not otherwise allow the process read permission.

**PRIV\_IPC\_DAC\_WRITE**

Allow a process to write a System V IPC Message Queue, Semaphore Set, or Shared Memory Segment whose permission bits would not otherwise allow the process write permission.

**PRIV\_IPC\_OWNER**

Allow a process that is not the owner of a System V IPC Message Queue, Semaphore Set, or Shared Memory Segment to remove, change ownership of, or change permission bits of the Message Queue, Semaphore Set, or Shared Memory Segment.

**PRIV\_NET\_ACCESS**

Allow a process to open a TCP, UDP, SDP or SCTP network endpoint.

**PRIV\_NET\_BINDMLP**

Allow a process to bind to a port that is configured as a multi-level port (MLP) for the process's zone. This privilege applies to both shared address and zone-specific address MLPs. See `tnzonecfg(4)` from the Trusted Extensions manual pages for information on configuring MLP ports.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

**PRIV\_NET\_ICMPACCESS**

Allow a process to send and receive ICMP packets.

**PRIV\_NET\_MAC\_AWARE**

Allow a process to set the `NET_MAC_AWARE` process flag by using `setpflags(2)`. This privilege also allows a process to set the `SO_MAC_EXEMPT` socket option by using `setsockopt(3SOCKET)`. The `NET_MAC_AWARE` process flag and the `SO_MAC_EXEMPT` socket option both allow a local process to communicate with an unlabeled peer if the local process's label dominates the peer's default label, or if the local process runs in the global zone.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

**PRIV\_NET\_PRIVADDR**

Allow a process to bind to a privileged port number. The privilege port numbers are 1-1023 (the traditional UNIX privileged ports) as well as those ports marked as “udp/tcp\_extra\_priv\_ports” with the exception of the ports reserved for use by NFS.

**PRIV\_NET\_RAWACCESS**

Allow a process to have direct access to the network layer.

**PRIV\_PROC\_AUDIT**

Allow a process to generate audit records. Allow a process to get its own audit pre-selection information.

**PRIV\_PROC\_CHROOT**

Allow a process to change its root directory.

**PRIV\_PROC\_CLOCK\_HIGHRES**

Allow a process to use high resolution timers.

**PRIV\_PROC\_EXEC**

Allow a process to call `exec(2)`.

**PRIV\_PROC\_FORK**

Allow a process to call `fork(2)`, `fork1(2)`, or `vfork(2)`.

**PRIV\_PROC\_INFO**

Allow a process to examine the status of processes other than those to which it can send signals. Processes that cannot be examined cannot be seen in `/proc` and appear not to exist.

**PRIV\_PROC\_LOCK\_MEMORY**

Allow a process to lock pages in physical memory.

**PRIV\_PROC\_OWNER**

Allow a process to send signals to other processes and inspect and modify the process state in other processes, regardless of ownership. When modifying another process, additional restrictions apply: the effective privilege set of the attaching process must be a superset of the target process's effective, permitted, and inheritable sets; the limit set must be a superset of the target's limit set; if the target process has any UID set to 0 all privilege must be asserted unless the effective UID is 0. Allow a process to bind arbitrary processes to CPUs.

**PRIV\_PROC\_PRIOCNTL**

Allow a process to elevate its priority above its current level. Allow a process to change its scheduling class to any scheduling class, including the RT class.

**PRIV\_PROC\_SESSION**

Allow a process to send signals or trace processes outside its session.

**PRIV\_PROC\_SETID**

Allow a process to set its UIDs at will, assuming UID 0 requires all privileges to be asserted.

**PRIV\_PROC\_TASKID**

Allow a process to assign a new task ID to the calling process.

**PRIV\_PROC\_ZONE**

Allow a process to trace or send signals to processes in other zones. See [zones\(5\)](#).

**PRIV\_SYS\_ACCT**

Allow a process to enable and disable and manage accounting through [acct\(2\)](#).

**PRIV\_SYS\_ADMIN**

Allow a process to perform system administration tasks such as setting node and domain name and specifying [coreadm\(1M\)](#) and [nscd\(1M\)](#) settings

**PRIV\_SYS\_AUDIT**

Allow a process to start the (kernel) audit daemon. Allow a process to view and set audit state (audit user ID, audit terminal ID, audit sessions ID, audit pre-selection mask). Allow a process to turn off and on auditing. Allow a process to configure the audit parameters (cache and queue sizes, event to class mappings, and policy options).

**PRIV\_SYS\_CONFIG**

Allow a process to perform various system configuration tasks. Allow filesystem-specific administrative procedures, such as filesystem configuration ioctls, quota calls, creation and deletion of snapshots, and manipulating the PCFS bootsector.

**PRIV\_SYS\_DEVICES**

Allow a process to create device special files. Allow a process to successfully call a kernel module that calls the kernel [drv\\_priv\(9F\)](#) function to check for allowed access. Allow a process to open the real console device directly. Allow a process to open devices that have been exclusively opened.

**PRIV\_SYS\_IPC\_CONFIG**

Allow a process to increase the size of a System V IPC Message Queue buffer.

**PRIV\_SYS\_LINKDIR**

Allow a process to unlink and link directories.

**PRIV\_SYS\_MOUNT**

Allow a process to mount and unmount filesystems that would otherwise be restricted (that is, most filesystems except `namefs`). Allow a process to add and remove swap devices.

**PRIV\_SYS\_IP\_CONFIG**

Allow a process to configure a system's network interfaces and routes. Allow a process to configure network parameters for TCP/IP using `ndd`. Allow a process access to otherwise restricted TCP/IP information using `ndd`. Allow a process to configure IPsec. Allows a process to pop anchored STREAMS modules with matching `zoneid`.

**PRIV\_SYS\_NET\_CONFIG**

Allow a process to do all that `PRIV_SYS_IP_CONFIG` allows, plus the following: push the `rpcmod` STREAMS module, INSERT/REMOVE STREAMS modules on locations other than the top of the module stack, and configure data-links (NICs).

**PRIV\_SYS\_NFS**

Allow a process to provide NFS service: start NFS kernel threads, perform NFS locking operations, bind to NFS reserved ports: ports 2049 (nfs) and port 4045 (lockd).

**PRIV\_SYS\_RES\_CONFIG**

Allow a process to create and delete processor sets, assign CPUs to processor sets and override the PSET\_NOESCAPE property. Allow a process to change the operational status of CPUs in the system using `p_online(2)`. Allow a process to configure filesystem quotas. Allow a process to configure resource pools and bind processes to pools.

**PRIV\_SYS\_RESOURCE**

Allow a process to exceed the resource limits imposed on it by `setrlimit(2)` and `setrctl(2)`.

**PRIV\_SYS\_SUSER\_COMPAT**

Allow a process to successfully call a third party loadable module that calls the kernel `suser()` function to check for allowed access. This privilege exists only for third party loadable module compatibility and is not used by Solaris proper.

**PRIV\_SYS\_TIME**

Allow a process to manipulate system time using any of the appropriate system calls: `stime(2)`, `adjtime(2)`, and `ntp_adjtime(2)`.

**PRIV\_SYS\_TRANS\_LABEL**

Allow a process to translate labels that are not dominated by the process's sensitivity label to and from an external string form.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

**PRIV\_WIN\_COLORMAP**

Allow a process to override colormap restrictions.

Allow a process to install or remove colormaps.

Allow a process to retrieve colormap cell entries allocated by other processes.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

**PRIV\_WIN\_CONFIG**

Allow a process to configure or destroy resources that are permanently retained by the X server.

Allow a process to use SetScreenSaver to set the screen saver timeout value

Allow a process to use ChangeHosts to modify the display access control list.

Allow a process to use GrabServer.

Allow a process to use the SetCloseDownMode request that can retain window, pixmap, colormap, property, cursor, font, or graphic context resources.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

#### PRIV\_WIN\_DAC\_READ

Allow a process to read from a window resource that it does not own (has a different user ID).

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

#### PRIV\_WIN\_DAC\_WRITE

Allow a process to write to or create a window resource that it does not own (has a different user ID). A newly created window property is created with the window's user ID.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

#### PRIV\_WIN\_DEVICES

Allow a process to perform operations on window input devices.

Allow a process to get and set keyboard and pointer controls.

Allow a process to modify pointer button and key mappings.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

#### PRIV\_WIN\_DGA

Allow a process to use the direct graphics access (DGA) X protocol extensions. Direct process access to the frame buffer is still required. Thus the process must have MAC and DAC privileges that allow access to the frame buffer, or the frame buffer must be allocated to the process.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

#### PRIV\_WIN\_DOWNGRADE\_SL

Allow a process to set the sensitivity label of a window resource to a sensitivity label that does not dominate the existing sensitivity label.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

#### PRIV\_WIN\_FONTPATH

Allow a process to set a font path.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

#### PRIV\_WIN\_MAC\_READ

Allow a process to read from a window resource whose sensitivity label is not equal to the process sensitivity label.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

#### PRIV\_WIN\_MAC\_WRITE

Allow a process to create a window resource whose sensitivity label is not equal to the process sensitivity label. A newly created window property is created with the window's sensitivity label.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

#### PRIV\_WIN\_SELECTION

Allow a process to request inter-window data moves without the intervention of the selection confirmer.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

#### PRIV\_WIN\_UPGRADE\_SL

Allow a process to set the sensitivity label of a window resource to a sensitivity label that dominates the existing sensitivity label.

This privilege is interpreted only if the system is configured with Trusted Extensions.

Of the privileges listed above, the privileges `PRIV_FILE_LINK_ANY`, `PRIV_PROC_INFO`, `PRIV_PROC_SESSION`, `PRIV_NET_ACCESS`, `PRIV_PROC_FORK` and `PRIV_PROC_EXEC` are considered “basic” privileges. These are privileges that used to be always available to unprivileged processes. By default, processes still have the basic privileges.

The privileges `PRIV_PROC_SETID` and `PRIV_PROC_AUDIT` must be present in the Limit set (see below) of a process in order for set-uid root execs to be successful, that is, get an effective UID of 0 and additional privileges.

The privilege implementation in Solaris extends the process credential with four privilege sets:

I, the inheritable set	The privileges inherited on exec.
P, the permitted set	The maximum set of privileges for the process.
E, the effective set	The privileges currently in effect.
L, the limit set	The upper bound of the privileges a process and its offspring can obtain. Changes to L take effect on the next exec.

The sets I, P and E are typically identical to the basic set of privileges for unprivileged processes. The limit set is typically the full set of privileges.

Each process has a Privilege Awareness State (PAS) that can take the value PA (privilege-aware) and NPA (not-PA). PAS is a transitional mechanism that allows a choice between full compatibility with the old superuser model and completely ignoring the effective UID.

To facilitate the discussion, we introduce the notion of “observed effective set” (oE) and “observed permitted set” (oP) and the implementation sets iE and iP.

A process becomes privilege-aware either by manipulating the effective, permitted, or limit privilege sets through `setppriv(2)` or by using `setpflags(2)`. In all cases, oE and oP are invariant in the process of becoming privilege-aware. In the process of becoming privilege-aware, the following assignments take place:



```
iE = oE
iP = oP
```

When a process is privilege-aware, oE and oP are invariant under UID changes. When a process is not privilege-aware, oE and oP are observed as follows:

```
oE = euid == 0 ? L : iE
oP = (euid == 0 || ruid == 0 || suid == 0) ? L : iP
```

When a non-privilege-aware process has an effective UID of 0, it can exercise the privileges contained in its limit set, the upper bound of its privileges. If a non-privilege-aware process has any of the UIDs 0, it will appear to be capable of potentially exercising all privileges in L.

It is possible for a process to return to the non-privilege aware state using `setpflags()`. The kernel will always attempt this on `exec(2)`. This operation is permitted only if the following conditions are met:

- If any of the UIDs is equal to 0, P must be equal to L.
- If the effective UID is equal to 0, E must be equal to L.

When a process gives up privilege awareness, the following assignments take place:

```
if (euid == 0) iE = L & I
if (any uid == 0) iP = L & I
```

The privileges obtained when not having a UID of 0 are the inheritable set of the process restricted by the limit set.

Only privileges in the process's (observed) effective privilege set allow the process to perform restricted operations. A process can use any of the privilege manipulation functions to add or remove privileges from the privilege sets. Privileges can be removed always. Only privileges found in the permitted set can be added to the effective and inheritable set. The limit set cannot grow. The inheritable set can be larger than the permitted set.

When a process performs an `exec(2)`, the kernel will first try to relinquish privilege awareness before making the following privilege set modifications:

```
E' = P' = I' = L & I
L is unchanged
```

If a process has not manipulated its privileges, the privilege sets effectively remain the same, as E, P and I are already identical.

The limit set is enforced at `exec` time.

To run a non-privilege-aware application in a backward-compatible manner, a privilege-aware application should start the non-privilege-aware application with `I=basic`.

For most privileges, absence of the privilege simply results in a failure. In some instances, the absence of a privilege can cause system calls to behave differently. In other instances, the removal of a privilege can force a set-uid application to seriously malfunction. Privileges of this type are considered “unsafe”. When a process is lacking any of the unsafe privileges from its limit set, the system will not honor the set-uid bit of set-uid root applications. The following unsafe privileges have been identified: `proc_setid`, `sys_resource` and `proc_audit`.

**Privilege Escalation** In certain circumstances, a single privilege could lead to a process gaining one or more additional privileges that were not explicitly granted to that process. To prevent such an escalation of privileges, the security policy will require explicit permission for those additional privileges.

Common examples of escalation are those mechanisms that allow modification of system resources through “raw” interfaces; for example, changing kernel data structures through `/dev/kmem` or changing files through `/dev/dsk/*`. Escalation also occurs when a process controls processes with more privileges than the controlling process. A special case of this is manipulating or creating objects owned by UID 0 or trying to obtain UID 0 using `setuid(2)`. The special treatment of UID 0 is needed because the UID 0 owns all system configuration files and ordinary file protection mechanisms allow processes with UID 0 to modify the system configuration. With appropriate file modifications, a given process running with an effective UID of 0 can gain all privileges.

In situations where a process might obtain UID 0, the security policy requires additional privileges, up to the full set of privileges. Such restrictions could be relaxed or removed at such time as additional mechanisms for protection of system files became available. There are no such mechanisms in the current Solaris release.

The use of UID 0 processes should be limited as much as possible. They should be replaced with programs running under a different UID but with exactly the privileges they need.

Daemons that never need to exec subprocesses should remove the `PRIV_PROC_EXEC` privilege from their permitted and limit sets.

**Assigned Privileges and Safeguards** When privileges are assigned to a user, the system administrator could give that user more powers than intended. The administrator should consider whether safeguards are needed. For example, if the `PRIV_PROC_LOCK_MEMORY` privilege is given to a user, the administrator should consider setting the `project.max-locked-memory` resource control as well, to prevent that user from locking all memory.

**Privilege Debugging** When a system call fails with a permission error, it is not always immediately obvious what caused the problem. To debug such a problem, you can use a tool called *privilege debugging*. When privilege debugging is enabled for a process, the kernel reports missing privileges on the controlling terminal of the process. (Enable debugging for a process with the `-D` option of `ppriv(1)`.) Additionally, the administrator can enable system-wide privilege debugging by setting the `system(4)` variable `priv_debug` using:

```
set priv_debug = 1
```

On a running system, you can use [mdb\(1\)](#) to change this variable.

#### Privilege Administration

The Solaris Management Console (see [smc\(1M\)](#)) is the preferred method of modifying privileges for a command. Use [usermod\(1M\)](#) or [smrole\(1M\)](#) to assign privileges to or modify privileges for, respectively, a user or a role. Use [ppriv\(1\)](#) to enumerate the privileges supported on a system and [truss\(1\)](#) to determine which privileges a program requires.

**See Also** [mdb\(1\)](#), [ppriv\(1\)](#), [add\\_drv\(1M\)](#), [ifconfig\(1M\)](#), [lockd\(1M\)](#), [nfsd\(1M\)](#), [rem\\_drv\(1M\)](#), [update\\_drv\(1M\)](#), [Intro\(2\)](#), [access\(2\)](#), [acct\(2\)](#), [acl\(2\)](#), [adjtime\(2\)](#), [audit\(2\)](#), [auditon\(2\)](#), [auditsvc\(2\)](#), [chmod\(2\)](#), [chown\(2\)](#), [chroot\(2\)](#), [creat\(2\)](#), [exec\(2\)](#), [fcntl\(2\)](#), [fork\(2\)](#), [fpathconf\(2\)](#), [getacct\(2\)](#), [getpflags\(2\)](#), [getppriv\(2\)](#), [getsid\(2\)](#), [kill\(2\)](#), [link\(2\)](#), [memcntl\(2\)](#), [mknod\(2\)](#), [mount\(2\)](#), [msgctl\(2\)](#), [nice\(2\)](#), [ntp\\_adjtime\(2\)](#), [open\(2\)](#), [p\\_online\(2\)](#), [priocntl\(2\)](#), [priocntlset\(2\)](#), [processor\\_bind\(2\)](#), [pset\\_bind\(2\)](#), [pset\\_create\(2\)](#), [readlink\(2\)](#), [resolvepath\(2\)](#), [rmdir\(2\)](#), [semctl\(2\)](#), [setauid\(2\)](#), [setegid\(2\)](#), [seteuid\(2\)](#), [setgid\(2\)](#), [setgroups\(2\)](#), [setpflags\(2\)](#), [setppriv\(2\)](#), [setrctl\(2\)](#), [setregid\(2\)](#), [setreuid\(2\)](#), [setrlimit\(2\)](#), [settaskid\(2\)](#), [setuid\(2\)](#), [shmctl\(2\)](#), [shmget\(2\)](#), [shmop\(2\)](#), [sigsend\(2\)](#), [stat\(2\)](#), [statvfs\(2\)](#), [stime\(2\)](#), [swapctl\(2\)](#), [sysinfo\(2\)](#), [uadmin\(2\)](#), [ulimit\(2\)](#), [umount\(2\)](#), [unlink\(2\)](#), [utime\(2\)](#), [utimes\(2\)](#), [bind\(3SOCKET\)](#), [door\\_ucred\(3DOOR\)](#), [priv\\_addset\(3C\)](#), [priv\\_set\(3C\)](#), [priv\\_getbyname\(3C\)](#), [priv\\_getbynum\(3C\)](#), [priv\\_set\\_to\\_str\(3C\)](#), [priv\\_str\\_to\\_set\(3C\)](#), [socket\(3SOCKET\)](#), [t\\_bind\(3NSL\)](#), [timer\\_create\(3RT\)](#), [ucred\\_get\(3C\)](#), [exec\\_attr\(4\)](#), [proc\(4\)](#), [system\(4\)](#), [user\\_attr\(4\)](#), [ddi\\_cred\(9F\)](#), [drv\\_priv\(9F\)](#), [priv\\_getbyname\(9F\)](#), [priv\\_policy\(9F\)](#), [priv\\_policy\\_choice\(9F\)](#), [priv\\_policy\\_only\(9F\)](#)

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**Notes** Removal of any of the basic privileges from a process leaves it in a non-standards compliant state, may cause unexpected application failures, and should only be performed with full knowledge of the potential side effects.

**Name** prof – profile within a function

**Synopsis** `#define MARK`  
`#include <prof.h>`  
  
`void MARK(name);`

**Description** MARK introduces a mark called *name* that is treated the same as a function entry point. Execution of the mark adds to a counter for that mark, and program-counter time spent is accounted to the immediately preceding mark or to the function if there are no preceding marks within the active function.

*name* may be any combination of letters, numbers, or underscores. Each *name* in a single compilation must be unique, but may be the same as any ordinary program symbol.

For marks to be effective, the symbol MARK must be defined before the header `prof.h` is included, either by a preprocessor directive as in the synopsis, or by a command line argument:

```
cc -p -DMARK work.c
```

If MARK is not defined, the `MARK(name)` statements may be left in the source files containing them and are ignored. `prof -g` must be used to get information on all labels.

**Examples** In this example, marks can be used to determine how much time is spent in each loop. Unless this example is compiled with MARK defined on the command line, the marks are ignored.

```
#include <prof.h>
work( )
{
    int i, j;
    . . .
    MARK(loop1);
    for (i = 0; i < 2000; i++) {
        . . .
    }
    MARK(loop2);
    for (j = 0; j < 2000; j++) {
        . . .
    }
}
```

**See Also** [profil\(2\)](#), [monitor\(3C\)](#)

**Name** rbac, RBAC – role-based access control

**Description** The addition of role-based access control (RBAC) to the Solaris operating environment gives developers the opportunity to deliver fine-grained security in new and modified applications. RBAC is an alternative to the all-or-nothing security model of traditional superuser-based systems. With RBAC, an administrator can assign privileged functions to specific user accounts (or special accounts called roles).

There are two ways to give applications privileges:

1. Administrators can assign special attributes such as `setUID` to application binaries (executable files).
2. Administrators can assign special attributes such as `setUID` to applications using execution profiles.

Special attribute assignment along with the theory behind RBAC is discussed in detail in “Role Based Access Control” chapter of the *System Administration Guide: Security Services*. This chapter describes what authorizations are and how to code for them.

**Authorizations** An authorization is a unique string that represents a user's right to perform some operation or class of operations. Authorization definitions are stored in a database called `auth_attr(4)`. For programming authorization checks, only the authorization name is significant.

Some typical values in an `auth_attr` database are shown below.

```
solaris.jobs.:::Cron and At Jobs::help=JobHeader.html
solaris.jobs.grant:::Delegate Cron & At \
Administration::help=JobsGrant.html
solaris.jobs.admin:::Manage All Jobs::help=AuthJobsAdmin.html
solaris.jobs.user:::Cron & At User::help=JobsUser.html
```

Authorization name strings ending with the `grant` suffix are special authorizations that give a user the ability to delegate authorizations with the same prefix and functional area to other users.

**Creating Authorization Checks** To check authorizations, use the `chkauthattr(3SECDB)` library function, which verifies whether or not a user has a given authorization. The synopsis is:

```
int chkauthattr(const char *authname, const char *username);
```

The `chkauthattr()` function checks the `policy.conf(4)`, `user_attr(4)`, and `prof_attr(4)` databases in order for a match to the given authorization.

If you are modifying existing code that tests for root UID, you should find the test in the code and replace it with the `chkauthattr()` function. A typical root UID check is shown in the first

code segment below. An authorization check replacing it is shown in the second code segment; it uses the `solaris.jobs.admin` authorization and a variable called `real_login` representing the user.

**EXAMPLE 1** Standard root check

```
ruid = getuid();

if ((eflag || lflag || rflag) && argc == 1) {
    if ((pwp = getpwnam(*argv)) == NULL)
        crabort(INVALIDUSER);

    if (ruid != 0) {
        if (pwp->pw_uid != ruid)
            crabort(NOTROOT);
        else
            pp = getuser(ruid);
    } else
        pp = *argv++;
} else {
```

**EXAMPLE 2** Authorization check

```
ruid = getuid();
if ((pwp = getpwuid(ruid)) == NULL)
    crabort(INVALIDUSER);

strcpy(real_login, pwp->pw_name);

if ((eflag || lflag || rflag) && argc == 1) {
    if ((pwp = getpwnam(*argv)) == NULL)
        crabort(INVALIDUSER);

    if (!chkauthattr("solaris.jobs.admin", real_login)) {
        if (pwp->pw_uid != ruid)
            crabort(NOTROOT);
        else
            pp = getuser(ruid);
    } else
        pp = *argv++;
} else {
```

For new applications, find an appropriate location for the test and use `chkauthattr()` as shown above. Typically the authorization check makes an access decision based on the identity of the calling user to determine if a privileged action (for example, a system call) should be taken on behalf of that user.

Applications that perform a test to restrict who can perform their security-relevant functionality are generally `setuid` to root. Programs that were written prior to RBAC and that are only available to the root user may not have such checks. In most cases, the kernel requires an effective user ID of root to override policy enforcement. Therefore, authorization checking is most useful in programs that are `setuid` to root.

For instance, if you want to write a program that allows authorized users to set the system date, the command must be run with an effective user ID of root. Typically, this means that the file modes for the file would be `-rwsr-xr-x` with root ownership.

Use caution, though, when making programs `setuid` to root. For example, the effective UID should be set to the real UID as early as possible in the program's initialization function. The effective UID can then be set back to root after the authorization check is performed and before the system call is made. On return from the system call, the effective UID should be set back to the real UID again to adhere to the principle of least privilege.

Another consideration is that `LD_LIBRARY` path is ignored for `setuid` programs (see SECURITY section in [ld.so.1\(1\)](#)) and that shell scripts must be modified to work properly when the effective and real UIDs are different. For example, the `-p` flag in Bourne shell is required to avoid resetting the effective UID back to the real UID.

Using an effective UID of root instead of the real UID requires extra care when writing shell scripts. For example, many shell scripts check to see if the user is root before executing their functionality. With RBAC, these shell scripts may be running with the effective UID of root and with a real UID of a user or role. Thus, the shell script should check `euid` instead of `uid`. For example,

```
WHO='id | cut -f1 -d" "'
if [ ! "$WHO" = "uid=0(root)" ]
then
    echo "$PROG: ERROR: you must be super-user to run this script."
    exit 1
fi
```

should be changed to

```
WHO='/usr/xpg4/bin/id -n -u'
if [ ! "$WHO" = "root" ]
then
    echo "$PROG: ERROR: you are not authorized to run this script."
    exit 1
fi
```

Authorizations can be explicitly checked in shell scripts by checking the output of the [auths\(1\)](#) utility. For example,

```
for auth in `auths | tr , " ` NOTFOUND
do
```

```
        [ "$auth" = "solaris.date" ] && break          # authorization found
done

if [ "$auth" != "solaris.date" ]
then
    echo >&2 "$PROG: ERROR: you are not authorized to set the date"
    exit 1
fi
```

**See Also** [ld.so.1\(1\)](#), [chkauthattr\(3SECDB\)](#), [auth\\_attr\(4\)](#), [policy.conf\(4\)](#), [prof\\_attr\(4\)](#), [user\\_attr\(4\)](#)

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**Name** regex – internationalized basic and extended regular expression matching

**Description** Regular Expressions (REs) provide a mechanism to select specific strings from a set of character strings. The Internationalized Regular Expressions described below differ from the Simple Regular Expressions described on the [regexp\(5\)](#) manual page in the following ways:

- both Basic and Extended Regular Expressions are supported
- the Internationalization features—character class, equivalence class, and multi-character collation—are supported.

The Basic Regular Expression (BRE) notation and construction rules described in the BASIC REGULAR EXPRESSIONS section apply to most utilities supporting regular expressions. Some utilities, instead, support the Extended Regular Expressions (ERE) described in the EXTENDED REGULAR EXPRESSIONS section; any exceptions for both cases are noted in the descriptions of the specific utilities using regular expressions. Both BREs and EREs are supported by the Regular Expression Matching interfaces [regcomp\(3C\)](#) and [regex\(3C\)](#).

### Basic Regular Expressions

BREs Matching a Single Character

A BRE ordinary character, a special character preceded by a backslash, or a period matches a single character. A bracket expression matches a single character or a single collating element. See RE Bracket Expression, below.

BRE Ordinary Characters

An ordinary character is a BRE that matches itself: any character in the supported character set, except for the BRE special characters listed in BRE Special Characters, below.

The interpretation of an ordinary character preceded by a backslash (\) is undefined, except for:

1. the characters ), (, {, and }
2. the digits 1 to 9 inclusive (see BREs Matching Multiple Characters, below)
3. a character inside a bracket expression.

BRE Special Characters

A BRE *special character* has special properties in certain contexts. Outside those contexts, or when preceded by a backslash, such a character will be a BRE that matches the special character itself. The BRE special characters and the contexts in which they have their special meaning are:

- . [ \     The period, left-bracket, and backslash are special except when used in a bracket expression (see RE Bracket Expression, below). An expression containing a [ that is not preceded by a backslash and is not part of a bracket expression produces undefined results.
- \*        The asterisk is special except when used:
  - in a bracket expression
  - as the first character of an entire BRE (after an initial ^, if any)

- as the first character of a subexpression (after an initial `^`, if any); see BREs Matching Multiple Characters, below.

`^` The circumflex is special when used:

- as an anchor (see BRE Expression Anchoring, below).
- as the first character of a bracket expression (see RE Bracket Expression, below).

`$` The dollar sign is special when used as an anchor.

**Periods in BREs** A period (`.`), when used outside a bracket expression, is a BRE that matches any character in the supported character set except NUL.

**RE Bracket Expression** A bracket expression (an expression enclosed in square brackets, `[ ]`) is an RE that matches a single collating element contained in the non-empty set of collating elements represented by the bracket expression.

The following rules and definitions apply to bracket expressions:

1. A *bracket expression* is either a matching list expression or a non-matching list expression. It consists of one or more expressions: collating elements, collating symbols, equivalence classes, character classes, or range expressions (see rule 7 below). Portable applications must not use range expressions, even though all implementations support them. The right-bracket (`]`) loses its special meaning and represents itself in a bracket expression if it occurs first in the list (after an initial circumflex (`^`), if any). Otherwise, it terminates the bracket expression, unless it appears in a collating symbol (such as `[.]`) or is the ending right-bracket for a collating symbol, equivalence class, or character class. The special characters:

`.`   `*`   `[`   `\`

(period, asterisk, left-bracket and backslash, respectively) lose their special meaning within a bracket expression.

The character sequences:

`[.`   `[=`   `[:`

(left-bracket followed by a period, equals-sign, or colon) are special inside a bracket expression and are used to delimit collating symbols, equivalence class expressions, and character class expressions. These symbols must be followed by a valid expression and the matching terminating sequence `.]`, `=]` or `:]`, as described in the following items.

2. A *matching list* expression specifies a list that matches any one of the expressions represented in the list. The first character in the list must not be the circumflex. For example, `[abc]` is an RE that matches any of the characters `a`, `b` or `c`.
3. A *non-matching list* expression begins with a circumflex (`^`), and specifies a list that matches any character or collating element except for the expressions represented in the list after the leading circumflex. For example, `[^abc]` is an RE that matches any character or

collating element except the characters a, b, or c. The circumflex will have this special meaning only when it occurs first in the list, immediately following the left-bracket.

4. A *collating symbol* is a collating element enclosed within bracket-period ([..]) delimiters. Multi-character collating elements must be represented as collating symbols when it is necessary to distinguish them from a list of the individual characters that make up the multi-character collating element. For example, if the string ch is a collating element in the current collation sequence with the associated collating symbol <ch>, the expression [[.ch.]] will be treated as an RE matching the character sequence ch, while [ch] will be treated as an RE matching c or h. Collating symbols will be recognized only inside bracket expressions. This implies that the RE [[.ch.]]\*c matches the first to fifth character in the string chchch. If the string is not a collating element in the current collating sequence definition, or if the collating element has no characters associated with it, the symbol will be treated as an invalid expression.
5. An *equivalence class expression* represents the set of collating elements belonging to an equivalence class. Only primary equivalence classes will be recognised. The class is expressed by enclosing any one of the collating elements in the equivalence class within bracket-equal ([=]) delimiters. For example, if a and b belong to the same equivalence class, then [[=a]=b], [[=]b] and [[=]b] will each be equivalent to [ab]. If the collating element does not belong to an equivalence class, the equivalence class expression will be treated as a *collating symbol*.
6. A *character class expression* represents the set of characters belonging to a character class, as defined in the LC\_CTYPE category in the current locale. All character classes specified in the current locale will be recognized. A character class expression is expressed as a character class name enclosed within bracket-colon ([:]) delimiters.

The following character class expressions are supported in all locales:

[ :alnum: ]	[ :cntrl: ]	[ :lower: ]	[ :space: ]
[ :alpha: ]	[ :digit: ]	[ :print: ]	[ :upper: ]
[ :blank: ]	[ :graph: ]	[ :punct: ]	[ :xdigit: ]

In addition, character class expressions of the form:

[ :name: ]

are recognized in those locales where the *name* keyword has been given a `charclass` definition in the LC\_CTYPE category.

7. A *range expression* represents the set of collating elements that fall between two elements in the current collation sequence, inclusively. It is expressed as the starting point and the ending point separated by a hyphen (-).

Range expressions must not be used in portable applications because their behavior is dependent on the collating sequence. Ranges will be treated according to the current collating sequence, and include such characters that fall within the range based on that collating sequence, regardless of character values. This, however, means that the interpretation will differ depending on collating sequence. If, for instance, one collating sequence defines `a` as a variant of `z`, while another defines it as a letter following `z`, then the expression `[-z]` is valid in the first language and invalid in the second.

In the following, all examples assume the collation sequence specified for the POSIX locale, unless another collation sequence is specifically defined.

The starting range point and the ending range point must be a collating element or collating symbol. An equivalence class expression used as a starting or ending point of a range expression produces unspecified results. An equivalence class can be used portably within a bracket expression, but only outside the range. For example, the unspecified expression `[[=e=]-f]` should be given as `[[=e=]e-f]`. The ending range point must collate equal to or higher than the starting range point; otherwise, the expression will be treated as invalid. The order used is the order in which the collating elements are specified in the current collation definition. One-to-many mappings (see [locale\(5\)](#)) will not be performed. For example, assuming that the character `eszet` is placed in the collation sequence after `r` and `s`, but before `t`, and that it maps to the sequence `ss` for collation purposes, then the expression `[r-s]` matches only `r` and `s`, but the expression `[s-t]` matches `s`, `beta`, or `t`.

The interpretation of range expressions where the ending range point is also the starting range point of a subsequent range expression (for instance `[a-m-o]`) is undefined.

The hyphen character will be treated as itself if it occurs first (after an initial `^`, if any) or last in the list, or as an ending range point in a range expression. As examples, the expressions `[-ac]` and `[ac-]` are equivalent and match any of the characters `a`, `c`, or `-`; `^[^ac]` and `^[ac-]` are equivalent and match any characters except `a`, `c`, or `-`; the expression `[%- -]` matches any of the characters between `%` and `-` inclusive; the expression `[- -@]` matches any of the characters between `-` and `@` inclusive; and the expression `[a- -@]` is invalid, because the letter `a` follows the symbol `-` in the POSIX locale. To use a hyphen as the starting range point, it must either come first in the bracket expression or be specified as a collating symbol, for example: `[[.-]-0]`, which matches either a right bracket or any character or collating element that collates between hyphen and `0`, inclusive.

If a bracket expression must specify both `-` and `]`, the `]` must be placed first (after the `^`, if any) and the `-` last within the bracket expression.

Note: Latin-1 characters such as `or` are not printable in some locales, for example, the `ja` locale.

#### BREs Matching Multiple Characters

The following rules can be used to construct BREs matching multiple characters from BREs matching a single character:

1. The concatenation of BREs matches the concatenation of the strings matched by each component of the BRE.

2. A *subexpression* can be defined within a BRE by enclosing it between the character pairs `\(` and `\)` . Such a subexpression matches whatever it would have matched without the `\(` and `\)`, except that anchoring within subexpressions is optional behavior; see BRE Expression Anchoring, below. Subexpressions can be arbitrarily nested.
3. The *back-reference* expression `\n` matches the same (possibly empty) string of characters as was matched by a subexpression enclosed between `\(` and `\)` preceding the `\n`. The character *n* must be a digit from 1 to 9 inclusive, *n*th subexpression (the one that begins with the *n*th `\(` and ends with the corresponding paired `\)` ). The expression is invalid if less than *n* subexpressions precede the `\n`. For example, the expression `^(\.*)\1$` matches a line consisting of two adjacent appearances of the same string, and the expression `\(a\)*\1` fails to match `a`. The limit of nine back-references to subexpressions in the RE is based on the use of a single digit identifier. This does not imply that only nine subexpressions are allowed in REs. The following is a valid BRE with ten subexpressions:

```
\(\(\(ab\)*c\)*d\)\(ef\)*\(\gh\)\{2\}\(ij\)*\(\kl\)*\(\mn\)*\(\op\)*\(\qr\)*
```

4. When a BRE matching a single character, a subexpression or a back-reference is followed by the special character asterisk (`*`), together with that asterisk it matches what zero or more consecutive occurrences of the BRE would match. For example, `[ab]*` and `[ab][ab]` are equivalent when matching the string `ab`.
5. When a BRE matching a single character, a subexpression, or a back-reference is followed by an *interval expression* of the format `\{m\}`, `\{m,\}` or `\{m,n\}`, together with that interval expression it matches what repeated consecutive occurrences of the BRE would match. The values of *m* and *n* will be decimal integers in the range  $0 \leq m \leq n \leq \{RE\_DUP\_MAX\}$ , where *m* specifies the exact or minimum number of occurrences and *n* specifies the maximum number of occurrences. The expression `\{m\}` matches exactly *m* occurrences of the preceding BRE, `\{m,\}` matches at least *m* occurrences and `\{m,n\}` matches any number of occurrences between *m* and *n*, inclusive.

For example, in the string `abababcccccd`, the BRE `c\{3\}` is matched by characters seven to nine, the BRE `\(ab\)\{4,\}` is not matched at all and the BRE `c\{1,3\}d` is matched by characters ten to thirteen.

The behavior of multiple adjacent duplication symbols ( `*` and intervals) produces undefined results.

BRE Precedence    The order of precedence is as shown in the following table:

BRE Precedence (from high to low)	
collation-related bracket symbols	<code>[ = ] [ : ] [ . ]</code>
escaped characters	<code>\&lt;special character&gt;</code>
bracket expression	<code>[ ]</code>
subexpressions/back-references	<code>\( \) \n</code>

single-character-BRE duplication	* \{m,n\}
concatenation	
anchoring	^ \$

**BRE Expression Anchoring** A BRE can be limited to matching strings that begin or end a line; this is called *anchoring*. The circumflex and dollar sign special characters will be considered BRE anchors in the following contexts:

1. A circumflex ( ^ ) is an anchor when used as the first character of an entire BRE. The implementation may treat circumflex as an anchor when used as the first character of a subexpression. The circumflex will anchor the expression to the beginning of a string; only sequences starting at the first character of a string will be matched by the BRE. For example, the BRE ^ab matches ab in the string abcdef , but fails to match in the string cdefab. A portable BRE must escape a leading circumflex in a subexpression to match a literal circumflex.
2. A dollar sign ( \$ ) is an anchor when used as the last character of an entire BRE. The implementation may treat a dollar sign as an anchor when used as the last character of a subexpression. The dollar sign will anchor the expression to the end of the string being matched; the dollar sign can be said to match the end-of-string following the last character.
3. A BRE anchored by both ^ and \$ matches only an entire string. For example, the BRE ^abcdef\$ matches strings consisting only of abcdef.
4. ^ and \$ are not special in subexpressions.

Note: The Solaris implementation does not support anchoring in BRE subexpressions.

**Extended Regular Expressions** The rules specified for BREs apply to Extended Regular Expressions (EREs) with the following exceptions:

- The characters |, +, and ? have special meaning, as defined below.
- The { and } characters, when used as the duplication operator, are not preceded by backslashes. The constructs \{ and \} simply match the characters { and }, respectively.
- The back reference operator is not supported.
- Anchoring (^\$) is supported in subexpressions.

**EREs Matching a Single Character** An ERE ordinary character, a special character preceded by a backslash, or a period matches a single character. A bracket expression matches a single character or a single collating element. An *ERE matching a single character* enclosed in parentheses matches the same as the ERE without parentheses would have matched.

**ERE Ordinary Characters** An *ordinary character* is an ERE that matches itself. An ordinary character is any character in the supported character set, except for the ERE special characters listed in ERE Special Characters below. The interpretation of an ordinary character preceded by a backslash ( \ ) is undefined.

ERE Special Characters	<p>An <i>ERE special character</i> has special properties in certain contexts. Outside those contexts, or when preceded by a backslash, such a character is an ERE that matches the special character itself. The extended regular expression special characters and the contexts in which they have their special meaning are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>. [ \ (    The period, left-bracket, backslash, and left-parenthesis are special except when used in a bracket expression (see RE Bracket Expression, above). Outside a bracket expression, a left-parenthesis immediately followed by a right-parenthesis produces undefined results.</li> <li>)        The right-parenthesis is special when matched with a preceding left-parenthesis, both outside a bracket expression.</li> <li>* + ? {    The asterisk, plus-sign, question-mark, and left-brace are special except when used in a bracket expression (see RE Bracket Expression, above). Any of the following uses produce undefined results: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ if these characters appear first in an ERE, or immediately following a vertical-line, circumflex or left-parenthesis</li> <li>▪ if a left-brace is not part of a valid interval expression.</li> </ul> </li> <li>         The vertical-line is special except when used in a bracket expression (see RE Bracket Expression, above). A vertical-line appearing first or last in an ERE, or immediately following a vertical-line or a left-parenthesis, or immediately preceding a right-parenthesis, produces undefined results.</li> <li>^        The circumflex is special when used: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ as an anchor (see ERE Expression Anchoring, below).</li> <li>▪ as the first character of a bracket expression (see RE Bracket Expression, above).</li> </ul> </li> <li>\$        The dollar sign is special when used as an anchor.</li> </ul>
Periods in EREs	A period (.), when used outside a bracket expression, is an ERE that matches any character in the supported character set except NUL.
ERE Bracket Expression	The rules for ERE Bracket Expressions are the same as for Basic Regular Expressions; see RE Bracket Expression, above).
EREs Matching Multiple Characters	<p>The following rules will be used to construct EREs matching multiple characters from EREs matching a single character:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A <i>concatenation of EREs</i> matches the concatenation of the character sequences matched by each component of the ERE. A concatenation of EREs enclosed in parentheses matches whatever the concatenation without the parentheses matches. For example, both the ERE <code>cd</code> and the ERE <code>( cd )</code> are matched by the third and fourth character of the string <code>abcdefabcdef</code>.</li> </ol>

- 2. When an ERE matching a single character or an ERE enclosed in parentheses is followed by the special character plus-sign (+), together with that plus-sign it matches what one or more consecutive occurrences of the ERE would match. For example, the ERE `b+(bc)` matches the fourth to seventh characters in the string `acabbbbcde`; `[ab] +` and `[ab] [ab]*` are equivalent.
- 3. When an ERE matching a single character or an ERE enclosed in parentheses is followed by the special character asterisk (\*), together with that asterisk it matches what zero or more consecutive occurrences of the ERE would match. For example, the ERE `b*c` matches the first character in the string `cabbbbcde`, and the ERE `b*cd` matches the third to seventh characters in the string `cabbbbcdebbbbbbcdbc`. And, `[ab]*` and `[ab] [ab]` are equivalent when matching the string `ab`.
- 4. When an ERE matching a single character or an ERE enclosed in parentheses is followed by the special character question-mark (?), together with that question-mark it matches what zero or one consecutive occurrences of the ERE would match. For example, the ERE `b?c` matches the second character in the string `acabbbbcde`.
- 5. When an ERE matching a single character or an ERE enclosed in parentheses is followed by an *interval expression* of the format `{m}`, `{m,}` or `{m,n}`, together with that interval expression it matches what repeated consecutive occurrences of the ERE would match. The values of *m* and *n* will be decimal integers in the range  $0 \leq m \leq n \leq \{RE\_DUP\_MAX\}$ , where *m* specifies the exact or minimum number of occurrences and *n* specifies the maximum number of occurrences. The expression `{m}` matches exactly *m* occurrences of the preceding ERE, `{m,}` matches at least *m* occurrences and `{m,n}` matches any number of occurrences between *m* and *n*, inclusive.

For example, in the string `abababcccccd` the ERE `c{3}` is matched by characters seven to nine and the ERE `(ab){2,}` is matched by characters one to six.

The behavior of multiple adjacent duplication symbols (+, \*, ? and intervals) produces undefined results.

**ERE Alternation** Two EREs separated by the special character vertical-line (|) match a string that is matched by either. For example, the ERE `a((bc)|d)` matches the string `abc` and the string `ad`. Single characters, or expressions matching single characters, separated by the vertical bar and enclosed in parentheses, will be treated as an ERE matching a single character.

**ERE Precedence** The order of precedence will be as shown in the following table:

ERE Precedence (from high to low)	
collation-related bracket symbols	[= =] [::] [. .]
escaped characters	\<special character>
bracket expression	[ ]



grouping	( )
single-character-ERE duplication	* + ? { <i>m,n</i> }
concatenation	
anchoring	^ \$
alternation	

For example, the ERE `abba | cde` matches either the string `abba` or the string `cde` (rather than the string `abbade` or `abbcde`, because concatenation has a higher order of precedence than alternation).

ERE Expression  
Anchoring

An ERE can be limited to matching strings that begin or end a line; this is called *anchoring*. The circumflex and dollar sign special characters are considered ERE anchors when used anywhere outside a bracket expression. This has the following effects:

1. A circumflex ( `^` ) outside a bracket expression anchors the expression or subexpression it begins to the beginning of a string; such an expression or subexpression can match only a sequence starting at the first character of a string. For example, the EREs `^ab` and `(^ab)` match `ab` in the string `abcdef`, but fail to match in the string `cdefab`, and the ERE `a^b` is valid, but can never match because the `a` prevents the expression `^b` from matching starting at the first character.
2. A dollar sign ( `$` ) outside a bracket expression anchors the expression or subexpression it ends to the end of a string; such an expression or subexpression can match only a sequence ending at the last character of a string. For example, the EREs `ef$` and `(ef$)` match `ef` in the string `abcdef`, but fail to match in the string `cdefab`, and the ERE `e$f` is valid, but can never match because the `f` prevents the expression `e$` from matching ending at the last character.

**See Also** [localedef\(1\)](#), [regcomp\(3C\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [environ\(5\)](#), [locale\(5\)](#), [regexp\(5\)](#)

**Name** `regex`, `compile`, `step`, `advance` – simple regular expression compile and match routines

**Synopsis**

```
#define INIT declarations
#define GETC(void) getc code
#define PEEKC(void) peekc code
#define UNGETC(void) ungetc code
#define RETURN(ptr) return code
#define ERROR(val) error code

extern char *loc1, *loc2, *locs;

#include <regex.h>

char *compile(char *instring, char *expbuf, const char *endfug, int eof);
int step(const char *string, const char *expbuf);
int advance(const char *string, const char *expbuf);
```

**Description** Regular Expressions (REs) provide a mechanism to select specific strings from a set of character strings. The Simple Regular Expressions described below differ from the Internationalized Regular Expressions described on the [regex\(5\)](#) manual page in the following ways:

- only Basic Regular Expressions are supported
- the Internationalization features—character class, equivalence class, and multi-character collation—are not supported.

The functions `step()`, `advance()`, and `compile()` are general purpose regular expression matching routines to be used in programs that perform regular expression matching. These functions are defined by the `<regex.h>` header.

The functions `step()` and `advance()` do pattern matching given a character string and a compiled regular expression as input.

The function `compile()` takes as input a regular expression as defined below and produces a compiled expression that can be used with `step()` or `advance()`.

**Basic Regular Expressions** A regular expression specifies a set of character strings. A member of this set of strings is said to be matched by the regular expression. Some characters have special meaning when used in a regular expression; other characters stand for themselves.

The following *one-character REs* match a *single* character:

- 1.1 An ordinary character ( *not* one of those discussed in 1.2 below) is a one-character RE that matches itself.
- 1.2 A backslash ( `\` ) followed by any special character is a one-character RE that matches the special character itself. The special characters are:

- a. `.`, `*`, `[`, and `\` (period, asterisk, left square bracket, and backslash, respectively), which are always special, *except* when they appear within square brackets (`[ ]`); see 1.4 below).
  - b. `^` (caret or circumflex), which is special at the *beginning* of an *entire* RE (see 4.1 and 4.3 below), or when it immediately follows the left of a pair of square brackets (`[ ]`) (see 1.4 below).
  - c. `$` (dollar sign), which is special at the end of an *entire* RE (see 4.2 below).
  - d. The character used to bound (that is, delimit) an entire RE, which is special for that RE (for example, see how slash (`/`) is used in the `g` command, below.)
- 1.3 A period (`.`) is a one-character RE that matches any character except new-line.
  - 1.4 A non-empty string of characters enclosed in square brackets (`[ ]`) is a one-character RE that matches *any one* character in that string. If, however, the first character of the string is a circumflex (`^`), the one-character RE matches any character *except* new-line and the remaining characters in the string. The `^` has this special meaning *only* if it occurs first in the string. The minus (`-`) may be used to indicate a range of consecutive characters; for example, `[0-9]` is equivalent to `[0123456789]`. The `-` loses this special meaning if it occurs first (after an initial `^`, if any) or last in the string. The right square bracket (`]`) does not terminate such a string when it is the first character within it (after an initial `^`, if any); for example, `[ ]a-f]` matches either a right square bracket (`]`) or one of the ASCII letters `a` through `f` inclusive. The four characters listed in 1.2.a above stand for themselves within such a string of characters.

The following rules may be used to construct REs from one-character REs:

- 2.1 A one-character RE is a RE that matches whatever the one-character RE matches.
- 2.2 A one-character RE followed by an asterisk (`*`) is a RE that matches `0` or more occurrences of the one-character RE. If there is any choice, the longest leftmost string that permits a match is chosen.
- 2.3 A one-character RE followed by `\{m\}`, `\{m,\}`, or `\{m,n\}` is a RE that matches a *range* of occurrences of the one-character RE. The values of *m* and *n* must be non-negative integers less than 256; `\{m\}` matches *exactly* *m* occurrences; `\{m,\}` matches *at least* *m* occurrences; `\{m,n\}` matches *any number* of occurrences *between* *m* and *n* inclusive. Whenever a choice exists, the RE matches as many occurrences as possible.
- 2.4 The concatenation of REs is a RE that matches the concatenation of the strings matched by each component of the RE.
- 2.5 A RE enclosed between the character sequences `\ (` and `\ )` is a RE that matches whatever the unadorned RE matches.

- 2.6 The expression `\ n` matches the same string of characters as was matched by an expression enclosed between `\ (` and `\ )` *earlier* in the same RE. Here *n* is a digit; the sub-expression specified is that beginning with the *n*-th occurrence of `\ (` counting from the left. For example, the expression `^ \ ( . * \ ) \ 1 $` matches a line consisting of two repeated appearances of the same string.

An RE may be constrained to match words.

- 3.1 `\ <` constrains a RE to match the beginning of a string or to follow a character that is not a digit, underscore, or letter. The first character matching the RE must be a digit, underscore, or letter.
- 3.2 `\ >` constrains a RE to match the end of a string or to precede a character that is not a digit, underscore, or letter.

An *entire RE* may be constrained to match only an initial segment or final segment of a line (or both).

- 4.1 A circumflex (^) at the beginning of an entire RE constrains that RE to match an *initial* segment of a line.
- 4.2 A dollar sign (\$) at the end of an entire RE constrains that RE to match a *final* segment of a line.
- 4.3 The construction `^entire RE $` constrains the entire RE to match the entire line.

The null RE (for example, `//` ) is equivalent to the last RE encountered.

Addressing with REs Addresses are constructed as follows:

1. The character `.` addresses the current line.
2. The character `$` addresses the last line of the buffer.
3. A decimal number *n* addresses the *n*-th line of the buffer.
4. `'x` addresses the line marked with the mark name character *x*, which must be an ASCII lower-case letter (a–z). Lines are marked with the `k` command described below.
5. A RE enclosed by slashes (/) addresses the first line found by searching *forward* from the line *following* the current line toward the end of the buffer and stopping at the first line containing a string matching the RE. If necessary, the search wraps around to the beginning of the buffer and continues up to and including the current line, so that the entire buffer is searched.
6. A RE enclosed in question marks (?) addresses the first line found by searching *backward* from the line *preceding* the current line toward the beginning of the buffer and stopping at the first line containing a string matching the RE. If necessary, the search wraps around to the end of the buffer and continues up to and including the current line.

7. An address followed by a plus sign (+) or a minus sign (–) followed by a decimal number specifies that address plus (respectively minus) the indicated number of lines. A shorthand for .+5 is .5.
8. If an address begins with + or –, the addition or subtraction is taken with respect to the current line; for example, –5 is understood to mean .–5.
9. If an address ends with + or –, then 1 is added to or subtracted from the address, respectively. As a consequence of this rule and of Rule 8, immediately above, the address – refers to the line preceding the current line. (To maintain compatibility with earlier versions of the editor, the character ^ in addresses is entirely equivalent to –.) Moreover, trailing + and – characters have a cumulative effect, so — refers to the current line less 2.
10. For convenience, a comma (,) stands for the address pair 1,\$, while a semicolon (;) stands for the pair .,\$.

**Characters With Special Meaning** Characters that have special meaning except when they appear within square brackets ([ ]) or are preceded by \ are: ., \*, [ , \ . Other special characters, such as \$ have special meaning in more restricted contexts.

The character ^ at the beginning of an expression permits a successful match only immediately after a newline, and the character \$ at the end of an expression requires a trailing newline.

Two characters have special meaning only when used within square brackets. The character – denotes a range, [ c–c ], unless it is just after the open bracket or before the closing bracket, [ –c ] or [ c– ] in which case it has no special meaning. When used within brackets, the character ^ has the meaning *complement of* if it immediately follows the open bracket (example: [ ^c ] ); elsewhere between brackets (example: [ c^ ] ) it stands for the ordinary character ^.

The special meaning of the \ operator can be escaped only by preceding it with another \ , for example \\ .

**Macros** Programs must have the following five macros declared before the #include <regexp.h> statement. These macros are used by the compile() routine. The macros GETC, PEEKC, and UNGETC operate on the regular expression given as input to compile().

GETC	This macro returns the value of the next character (byte) in the regular expression pattern. Successive calls to GETC should return successive characters of the regular expression.
PEEKC	This macro returns the next character (byte) in the regular expression. Immediately successive calls to PEEKC should return the same character, which should also be the next character returned by GETC.
UNGETC	This macro causes the argument c to be returned by the next call to GETC and PEEKC. No more than one character of pushback is ever needed and this

character is guaranteed to be the last character read by GETC. The return value of the macro UNGETC(*c*) is always ignored.

**RETURN(*ptr*)** This macro is used on normal exit of the `compile()` routine. The value of the argument *ptr* is a pointer to the character after the last character of the compiled regular expression. This is useful to programs which have memory allocation to manage.

**ERROR(*val*)** This macro is the abnormal return from the `compile()` routine. The argument *val* is an error number (see ERRORS below for meanings). This call should never return.

`compile()` The syntax of the `compile()` routine is as follows:

```
compile(instr, expbuf, endbuf, eof)
```

The first parameter, *instr*, is never used explicitly by the `compile()` routine but is useful for programs that pass down different pointers to input characters. It is sometimes used in the INIT declaration (see below). Programs which call functions to input characters or have characters in an external array can pass down a value of `(char *)0` for this parameter.

The next parameter, *expbuf*, is a character pointer. It points to the place where the compiled regular expression will be placed.

The parameter *endbuf* is one more than the highest address where the compiled regular expression may be placed. If the compiled expression cannot fit in `(endbuf-expbuf)` bytes, a call to `ERROR(50)` is made.

The parameter *eof* is the character which marks the end of the regular expression. This character is usually a `/`.

Each program that includes the `<regex.h>` header file must have a `#define` statement for INIT. It is used for dependent declarations and initializations. Most often it is used to set a register variable to point to the beginning of the regular expression so that this register variable can be used in the declarations for GETC, PEEKC, and UNGETC. Otherwise it can be used to declare external variables that might be used by GETC, PEEKC and UNGETC. (See EXAMPLES below.)

`step()`, `advance()` The first parameter to the `step()` and `advance()` functions is a pointer to a string of characters to be checked for a match. This string should be null terminated.

The second parameter, *expbuf*, is the compiled regular expression which was obtained by a call to the function `compile()`.

The function `step()` returns non-zero if some substring of *string* matches the regular expression in *expbuf* and 0 if there is no match. If there is a match, two external character pointers are set as a side effect to the call to `step()`. The variable `loc1` points to the first

character that matched the regular expression; the variable `loc2` points to the character after the last character that matches the regular expression. Thus if the regular expression matches the entire input string, `loc1` will point to the first character of *string* and `loc2` will point to the null at the end of *string*.

The function `advance()` returns non-zero if the initial substring of *string* matches the regular expression in *expbuf*. If there is a match, an external character pointer, `loc2`, is set as a side effect. The variable `loc2` points to the next character in *string* after the last character that matched.

When `advance()` encounters a `*` or `\{ \}` sequence in the regular expression, it will advance its pointer to the string to be matched as far as possible and will recursively call itself trying to match the rest of the string to the rest of the regular expression. As long as there is no match, `advance()` will back up along the string until it finds a match or reaches the point in the string that initially matched the `*` or `\{ \}`. It is sometimes desirable to stop this backing up before the initial point in the string is reached. If the external character pointer `locs` is equal to the point in the string at sometime during the backing up process, `advance()` will break out of the loop that backs up and will return zero.

The external variables `circf`, `sed`, and `nbra` are reserved.

### Examples **EXAMPLE 1** Using Regular Expression Macros and Calls

The following is an example of how the regular expression macros and calls might be defined by an application program:

```
#define INIT      register char *sp = instring;
#define GETC()    (*sp++)
#define PEEKC()   (*sp)
#define UNGETC(c) (--sp)
#define RETURN(c) return;
#define ERROR(c)  regerr()

#include <regexp.h>

. . .
    (void) compile(*argv, expbuf, &expbuf[ESIZE], '\0');
. . .
    if (step(linebuf, expbuf))
        succeed;
```

**Diagnostics** The function `compile()` uses the macro `RETURN` on success and the macro `ERROR` on failure (see above). The functions `step()` and `advance()` return non-zero on a successful match and zero if there is no match. Errors are:

- 11 range endpoint too large.
- 16 bad number.

- 25    \ *digit* out of range.
- 36    illegal or missing delimiter.
- 41    no remembered search string.
- 42    \ ( \ ) imbalance.
- 43    too many \ (.
- 44    more than 2 numbers given in \{ \}.
- 45    } expected after \.
- 46    first number exceeds second in \{ \}.
- 49    [ ] imbalance.
- 50    regular expression overflow.

**See Also**   [regex\(5\)](#)



**Name** resource\_controls – resource controls available through project database

**Description** The resource controls facility is configured through the project database. See [project\(4\)](#). You can set and modify resource controls through the following utilities:

- [prctl\(1\)](#)
- [projadd\(1M\)](#)
- [projmod\(1M\)](#)
- [rctladm\(1M\)](#)

In a program, you use [setrctl\(2\)](#) to set resource control values.

In addition to the preceding resource controls, there are resource pools, accessible through the [pooladm\(1M\)](#) and [poolcfg\(1M\)](#) utilities. In a program, resource pools can be manipulated through the [libpool\(3LIB\)](#) library.

The following resource controls are available:

`process.max-address-space`

Maximum amount of address space, as summed over segment sizes, that is available to this process, expressed as a number of bytes.

`process.max-core-size`

Maximum size of a core file created by this process, expressed as a number of bytes.

`process.max-cpu-time`

Maximum CPU time that is available to this process, expressed as a number of seconds.

`process.max-data-size`

Maximum heap memory available to this process, expressed as a number of bytes.

`process.max-file-descriptor`

Maximum file descriptor index available to this process, expressed as an integer.

`process.max-file-size`

Maximum file offset available for writing by this process, expressed as a number of bytes.

`process.max-msg-messages`

Maximum number of messages on a message queue (value copied from the resource control at `msgget()` time), expressed as an integer.

`process.max-msg-qbytes`

Maximum number of bytes of messages on a message queue (value copied from the resource control at `msgget()` time), expressed as a number of bytes.

`process.max-port-events`

Maximum allowable number of events per event port, expressed as an integer.

`process.max-sem-nsems`

Maximum number of semaphores allowed per semaphore set, expressed as an integer.

**process.max-sem-ops**

Maximum number of semaphore operations allowed per `semop` call (value copied from the resource control at `semget()` time). Expressed as an integer, specifying the number of operations.

**process.max-stack-size**

Maximum stack memory segment available to this process, expressed as a number of bytes.

**project.cpu-caps**

Maximum amount of CPU resources that a project can use. The unit used is the percentage of a single CPU that can be used by all user threads in a project. Expressed as an integer. The cap does not apply to threads running in real-time scheduling class. This resource control does not support the `syslog` action.

**project.max-contracts**

Maximum number of contracts allowed in a project, expressed as an integer.

**project.cpu-shares**

Number of CPU shares granted to a project for use with the fair share scheduler (see [FSS\(7\)](#)). The unit used is the number of shares (an integer). This resource control does not support the `syslog` action.

**project.max-crypto-memory**

Maximum amount of kernel memory that can be used for crypto operations. Allocations in the kernel for buffers and session-related structures are charged against this resource control.

**project.max-device-locked-memory**

Total amount of physical memory locked by device drivers, expressed as a number of bytes.

**project.max-locked-memory**

Total amount of physical memory locked by device drivers and user processes (including D/ISM), expressed as a number of bytes.

**project.max-lwps**

Maximum number of LWPs simultaneously available to a project, expressed as an integer.

**project.max-msg-ids**

Maximum number of message queue IDs allowed for a project, expressed as an integer.

**project.max-port-ids**

Maximum allowable number of event ports, expressed as an integer.

**project.max-sem-ids**

Maximum number of semaphore IDs allowed for a project, expressed as an integer.

**project.max-shm-ids**

Maximum number of shared memory IDs allowed for a project, expressed as an integer.

**project.max-shm-memory**

Total amount of shared memory allowed for a project, expressed as a number of bytes.

**project.max-tasks**

Maximum number of tasks allowable in a project, expressed as an integer.

**project.pool**

Binds a specified resource pool with a project.

**rcap.max-rss**

The total amount of physical memory, in bytes, that is available to processes in a project.

**task.max-cpu-time**

Maximum CPU time that is available to this task's processes, expressed as a number of seconds.

**task.max-lwps**

Maximum number of LWPs simultaneously available to this task's processes, expressed as an integer.

The following zone-wide resource controls are available:

**zone.cpu-cap**

Sets a limit on the amount of CPU time that can be used by a zone. The unit used is the percentage of a single CPU that can be used by all user threads in a zone. Expressed as an integer. When projects within the capped zone have their own caps, the minimum value takes precedence. This resource control does not support the `syslog` action.

**zone.cpu-shares**

Sets a limit on the number of fair share scheduler (FSS) CPU shares for a zone. CPU shares are first allocated to the zone, and then further subdivided among projects within the zone as specified in the `project.cpu-shares` entries. Expressed as an integer. This resource control does not support the `syslog` action.

**zone.max-locked-memory**

Total amount of physical locked memory available to a zone.

**zone.max-lwps**

Enhances resource isolation by preventing too many LWPs in one zone from affecting other zones. A zone's total LWPs can be further subdivided among projects within the zone within the zone by using `project.max-lwps` entries. Expressed as an integer.

**zone.max-msg-ids**

Maximum number of message queue IDs allowed for a zone, expressed as an integer.

**zone.max-sem-ids**

Maximum number of semaphore IDs allowed for a zone, expressed as an integer.

**zone.max-shm-ids**

Maximum number of shared memory IDs allowed for a zone, expressed as an integer.

**zone.max-shm-memory**

Total amount of shared memory allowed for a zone, expressed as a number of bytes.

`zone.max-swap`  
Total amount of swap that can be consumed by user process address space mappings and `tmpfs` mounts for this zone.

See [zones\(5\)](#).

Units Used in Resource Controls    Resource controls can be expressed as in units of size (bytes), time (seconds), or as a count (integer). These units use the strings specified below.

Category	Res Ctrl Type String	Modifier	Scale
-----	-----	-----	-----
Size	bytes	B	1
		KB	2^10
		MB	2^20
		GB	2^30
		TB	2^40
		PB	2^50
		EB	2^60
Time	seconds	s	1
		Ks	10^3
		Ms	10^6
		Gs	10^9
		Ts	10^12
		Ps	10^15
		Es	10^18
Count	integer	none	1
		K	10^3
		M	10^6
		G	10^9
		T	10^12
		P	10^15
		Es	10^18

Scaled values can be used with resource controls. The following example shows a scaled threshold value:

```
task.max-lwps=(priv,1K,deny)
```

In the project file, the value 1K is expanded to 1000:

```
task.max-lwps=(priv,1000,deny)
```

A second example uses a larger scaled value:

```
process.max-file-size=(priv,5G,deny)
```

In the project file, the value 5G is expanded to 5368709120:

```
process.max-file-size=(priv,5368709120,deny)
```

The preceding examples use the scaling factors specified in the table above.

Note that unit modifiers (for example, 5G) are accepted by the `prctl(1)`, `projadd(1M)`, and `projmod(1M)` commands. You cannot use unit modifiers in the project database itself.

#### Resource Control Values and Privilege Levels

A threshold value on a resource control constitutes a point at which local actions can be triggered or global actions, such as logging, can occur.

Each threshold value on a resource control must be associated with a privilege level. The privilege level must be one of the following three types:

##### `basic`

Can be modified by the owner of the calling process.

##### `privileged`

Can be modified by the current process (requiring `sys_resource` privilege) or by `prctl(1)` (requiring `proc_owner` privilege).

##### `system`

Fixed for the duration of the operating system instance.

A resource control is guaranteed to have one `system` value, which is defined by the system, or resource provider. The `system` value represents how much of the resource the current implementation of the operating system is capable of providing.

Any number of privileged values can be defined, and only one basic value is allowed. Operations that are performed without specifying a privilege value are assigned a basic privilege by default.

The privilege level for a resource control value is defined in the privilege field of the resource control block as `RCTL_BASIC`, `RCTL_PRIVILEGED`, or `RCTL_SYSTEM`. See `setrctl(2)` for more information. You can use the `prctl` command to modify values that are associated with basic and privileged levels.

In specifying the privilege level of `privileged`, you can use the abbreviation `priv`. For example:

```
task.max-lwps=(priv,1K,deny)
```

#### Global and Local Actions on Resource Control Values

There are two categories of actions on resource control values: global and local.

Global actions apply to resource control values for every resource control on the system. You can use `rctladm(1M)` to perform the following actions:

- Display the global state of active system resource controls.
- Set global logging actions.

You can disable or enable the global logging action on resource controls. You can set the `syslog` action to a specific degree by assigning a severity level, `syslog=level`. The possible settings for *level* are as follows:

- `debug`
- `info`
- `notice`
- `warning`
- `err`
- `crit`
- `alert`
- `emerg`

By default, there is no global logging of resource control violations.

Local actions are taken on a process that attempts to exceed the control value. For each threshold value that is placed on a resource control, you can associate one or more actions. There are three types of local actions: `none`, `deny`, and `signal=`. These three actions are used as follows:

#### `none`

No action is taken on resource requests for an amount that is greater than the threshold. This action is useful for monitoring resource usage without affecting the progress of applications. You can also enable a global message that displays when the resource control is exceeded, while, at the same time, the process exceeding the threshold is not affected.

#### `deny`

You can deny resource requests for an amount that is greater than the threshold. For example, a `task.max-lwps` resource control with action `deny` causes a `fork()` system call to fail if the new process would exceed the control value. See the [fork\(2\)](#).

#### `signal=`

You can enable a global signal message action when the resource control is exceeded. A signal is sent to the process when the threshold value is exceeded. Additional signals are not sent if the process consumes additional resources. Available signals are listed below.

Not all of the actions can be applied to every resource control. For example, a process cannot exceed the number of CPU shares assigned to the project of which it is a member. Therefore, a `deny` action is not allowed on the `project.cpu-shares` resource control.

Due to implementation restrictions, the global properties of each control can restrict the range of available actions that can be set on the threshold value. (See [rctladm\(1M\)](#).) A list of available signal actions is presented in the following list. For additional information about signals, see [signal\(3HEAD\)](#).

The following are the signals available to resource control values:

#### `SIGABRT`

Terminate the process.

**SIGHUP**

Send a hangup signal. Occurs when carrier drops on an open line. Signal sent to the process group that controls the terminal.

**SIGTERM**

Terminate the process. Termination signal sent by software.

**SIGKILL**

Terminate the process and kill the program.

**SIGSTOP**

Stop the process. Job control signal.

**SIGXRES**

Resource control limit exceeded. Generated by resource control facility.

**SIGXFSZ**

Terminate the process. File size limit exceeded. Available only to resource controls with the `RCTL_GLOBAL_FILE_SIZE` property (`process.max-file-size`). See [rctlblk\\_set\\_value\(3C\)](#).

**SIGXCPU**

Terminate the process. CPU time limit exceeded. Available only to resource controls with the `RCTL_GLOBAL_CPU_TIME` property (`process.max-cpu-time`). See [rctlblk\\_set\\_value\(3C\)](#).

**Resource Control Flags and Properties**

Each resource control on the system has a certain set of associated properties. This set of properties is defined as a set of flags, which are associated with all controlled instances of that resource. Global flags cannot be modified, but the flags can be retrieved by using either [rctladm\(1M\)](#) or the [setrctl\(2\)](#) system call.

Local flags define the default behavior and configuration for a specific threshold value of that resource control on a specific process or process collective. The local flags for one threshold value do not affect the behavior of other defined threshold values for the same resource control. However, the global flags affect the behavior for every value associated with a particular control. Local flags can be modified, within the constraints supplied by their corresponding global flags, by the `prctl` command or the `setrctl` system call. See [setrctl\(2\)](#).

For the complete list of local flags, global flags, and their definitions, see [rctlblk\\_set\\_value\(3C\)](#).

To determine system behavior when a threshold value for a particular resource control is reached, use `rctladm` to display the global flags for the resource control. For example, to display the values for `process.max-cpu-time`, enter:

```
$ rctladm process.max-cpu-time
process.max-cpu-time  syslog=off [ lowerable no-deny cpu-time inf seconds ]
```

The global flags indicate the following:

- lowerable  
Superuser privileges are not required to lower the privileged values for this control.
- no-deny  
Even when threshold values are exceeded, access to the resource is never denied.
- cpu-time  
SIGXCPU is available to be sent when threshold values of this resource are reached.
- seconds  
The time value for the resource control.

Use the `prctl` command to display local values and actions for the resource control. For example:

```
$ prctl -n process.max-cpu-time $$
process 353939: -ksh
NAME    PRIVILEGE  VALUE    FLAG    ACTION    RECIPIENT
process.max-cpu-time
privileged  18.4Es    inf    signal=XCPU    -
system      18.4Es    inf    none
```

The `max` (`RCTL_LOCAL_MAXIMAL`) flag is set for both threshold values, and the `inf` (`RCTL_GLOBAL_INFINITE`) flag is defined for this resource control. An `inf` value has an infinite quantity. The value is never enforced. Hence, as configured, both threshold quantities represent infinite values that are never exceeded.

**Resource Control Enforcement** More than one resource control can exist on a resource. A resource control can exist at each containment level in the process model. If resource controls are active on the same resource at different container levels, the smallest container's control is enforced first. Thus, action is taken on `process.max-cpu-time` before `task.max-cpu-time` if both controls are encountered simultaneously.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for a description of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	Committed

**See Also** [prctl\(1\)](#), [pooladm\(1M\)](#), [poolcfg\(1M\)](#), [projadd\(1M\)](#), [projmod\(1M\)](#), [rctldm\(1M\)](#), [setrctl\(2\)](#), [rctlblk\\_set\\_value\(3C\)](#), [libpool\(3LIB\)](#), [project\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [FSS\(7\)](#)

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**Name** sgml, solbook – Standard Generalized Markup Language

**Description** Standard Generalized Markup Language (SGML) is the ISO standard 8879:1986 that describes a syntax for marking up documents with tags that describe the purpose of the text rather than the appearance on the page. This form of markup facilitates document interchange between different platforms and applications. SGML allows the management of information as data objects rather than text on a page.

In an SGML document the main structural components are called **elements**. The organization and structure of a document and the meaning of elements are described in the Document Type Definition ( DTD ). Elements are the *tags* that identify the content. Element names may be descriptive of the content for ease of use. For example `<para>` for paragraphs. Elements can have **attributes** which are used to modify or refine the properties or characteristics of the element. Within the DTD a valid context for each element is defined and a framework is provided for the types of elements that constitute a compliant document.

Another component of the DTD is **entities**. Entities are a collection of characters that can be referenced as a unit. Entities are similar to constants in a programming language such as C. They can be defined and referenced. An entity can represent one character or symbol which does not appear on a standard keyboard, a word or group of words, or an entire separate sgml marked-up file. Entities allow reuse of standard text.

There is no single standard DTD , but the de facto standard for the computer industry is the DocBook DTD , developed and maintained by the Davenport Group. Within Sun, the SolBook DTD , which is a proper subset of DocBook DTD , is used when writing reference manual pages. The SolBook DTD contains a number of tags that are designed for the unique needs of the reference pages.

**SolBook Elements** Elements are defined with a hierarchical structure that gives a structure to the document. The following is a description of some of the elements from the SolBook DTD which are used for reference pages.

**DOCTYPE** The first line in an SGML file that identifies the location of the DTD that is used to define the document. The `<!DOCTYPE` string is what the SGML -aware [man\(1\)](#) command uses to identify that a file is formatted in SGML rather than [nroff\(1\)](#).

**RefEntry** The top layer element that contains a reference page is `<refentry>`. All of the text and other tags must be contained within this tag.

**RefMeta** The next tag in a reference page is `<refmeta>`, which is a container for several other tags. They are:

`<refentrytitle>` This is the title of the reference page. It is equivalent to the name of the reference page's file name, without the section number extension.

`<manvolnum>` This is the section number that the reference page resides in. The contents may be a text entity reference.

<code>&lt;refmiscinfo&gt;</code>	There are one or more <code>&lt;refmiscinfo&gt;</code> tags which contain <i>meta</i> information. Meta information is information about the reference page. The <code>&lt;refmiscinfo&gt;</code> tag has the <code>class</code> attribute. There are four classes that are routinely used. <table><tr><td><code>date</code></td><td>This is the date that the file was last modified. By consensus this date is changed only when the technical information on the page changes and not simply for an editorial change.</td></tr><tr><td><code>sectdesc</code></td><td>This is the section title of the reference page; for example User Commands. The value of this attribute may be a text entity reference.</td></tr><tr><td><code>software</code></td><td>This is the name of the software product that the topic discussed on the reference page belongs to. For example UNIX commands are part of the SunOS x.x release. The value of this attribute may be a text entity reference.</td></tr><tr><td><code>arch</code></td><td>This is the architectural platform limitation of the subject discussed on the reference page. If there are no limitations the value used is <code>generic</code>. Other values are <code>sparc</code> and <code>x86</code>.</td></tr><tr><td><code>copyright</code></td><td>This attribute contains the Sun Microsystems copyright. Any other copyrights that may pertain to the individual reference page file should be entered as separate <code>&lt;refmiscinfo&gt;</code> entries. The value of this attribute may be a text entity reference.</td></tr></table>	<code>date</code>	This is the date that the file was last modified. By consensus this date is changed only when the technical information on the page changes and not simply for an editorial change.	<code>sectdesc</code>	This is the section title of the reference page; for example User Commands. The value of this attribute may be a text entity reference.	<code>software</code>	This is the name of the software product that the topic discussed on the reference page belongs to. For example UNIX commands are part of the SunOS x.x release. The value of this attribute may be a text entity reference.	<code>arch</code>	This is the architectural platform limitation of the subject discussed on the reference page. If there are no limitations the value used is <code>generic</code> . Other values are <code>sparc</code> and <code>x86</code> .	<code>copyright</code>	This attribute contains the Sun Microsystems copyright. Any other copyrights that may pertain to the individual reference page file should be entered as separate <code>&lt;refmiscinfo&gt;</code> entries. The value of this attribute may be a text entity reference.
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should match the `<refentrytitle>`.

**RefSynopsisDiv** The SYNOPSIS line of the reference page is contained by this tag. There is a `<title>` that usually contains an entity reference. The text is the word SYNOPSIS. There are several tags within `<refsynopsisdiv>` that are designed specifically for the type of synopsis that is used in the different reference page sections. The three types are:

- `<cmdsynopsis>`      Used for commands and utilities pages.
- `<funcsynopsis>`      Used for programming interface pages.
- `<synopsis>`          Used for pages that do not fall into the other two categories.

**RefSect1** This tag is equivalent to the `.SH nroff` macro. It contains a `<title>` element that is the title of the reference page section. Section names are the standard names such as DESCRIPTION, OPTIONS, PARAMETERS, SEE ALSO, and others. The contents of the `<title>` may be a text entity reference.

**RefSect2** This tag is equivalent to the `.SS nroff` macro. It contains a `<title>` element that contains the text of the sub-section heading. `<refsect2>` tags may also be used within a `<refsynopsisdiv>` as a sub-section heading for the SYNOPSIS section.

**Block Elements** There are a number of block elements that are used for grouping text. This is a list of some of these elements.

- `<para>`                      This tag is used to contain a paragraph of text.
- `<variablelist>`            This tag is used to create two column lists. For example descriptions for command options, where the first column lists the option and the second column describes the option.
- `<orderedlist>`            An list of items in a specific order.
- `<itemizedlist>`           A list of items that are marked with a character such as a bullet or a dash.
- `<literallayout>`           Formatted program output as produced by a program or command. This tag is a container for lines set off from the main text in which line breaks, tabs, and leading white space are significant.
- `<programlisting>`        A segment of program code. Line breaks and leading white space are significant.
- `<table>`                    This tag contains the layout and content for tabular formatting of information. `<table>` has a required `<title>`.
- `<informaltable>`          This tag is the same as the `<table>` tag except the `<title>` is not required.

<code>&lt;example&gt;</code>	This tag contains examples of source code or usage of commands. It contains a required <code>&lt;title&gt;</code> .
<code>&lt;informalexample&gt;</code>	This tag is the same as the <code>&lt;example&gt;</code> tag except the <code>&lt;title&gt;</code> is not required.

**Inline Elements** The inline elements are used for tagging text.

<code>&lt;command&gt;</code>	An executable program or the entry a user makes to execute a command.
<code>&lt;function&gt;</code>	A subroutine in a program or external library.
<code>&lt;literal&gt;</code>	Contains any literal string.
<code>&lt;parameter&gt;</code>	An argument passed to a computer program by a function or routine.
<code>&lt;inlineequation&gt;</code>	An untitled mathematical equation occurring in-line.
<code>&lt;link&gt;</code>	A hypertext link to text within a book, in the case of the reference manual it is used to cross reference to another reference page.
<code>&lt;olink&gt;</code>	A hypertext link used to create cross references to books other than the reference manual.
<code>&lt;xref&gt;</code>	A cross reference to another part of the same reference page.

**See Also** [man\(1\)](#), [nroff\(1\)](#), [man\(5\)](#)

**Name** smartcard – overview of smart card features on Solaris

**Description** The smart card framework provides a mechanism to abstract the details of interacting with smart cards and smart card readers (called card terminals). The framework is based on the OpenCard Framework V1.1 (OCF) with Sun extensions to allow OCF to operate in a multi-user environment. The core OCF software protocol stack is implemented as a system service daemon. This implementation allows smart cards and card terminals to be shared cooperatively among many different clients on the system while providing access control to the smart card and card terminal resources on a per-UID basis.

An event dispatcher is provided to inform clients of events occurring on the card and at the card terminal, such as card insertion and card removal.

A high-level authentication mechanism is provided to allow clients to perform smart card-based authentications without requiring knowledge of specific card or reader authentication features.

A set of applet administration tools is provided for JavaCards that support downloading Java applets (although applet build tools are not provided).

Administration of the smart card framework is provided with the [smartcard\(1M\)](#) command line administration utility and the [smartcardguiadmin\(1\)](#) GUI administration tool.

Support the following card terminal is provided:

- Dallas iButton Serial Reader (see [ocf\\_ibutton\(7D\)](#))

Additional card terminals can be supported by implementing smart card terminal interfaces in a shared library.

Support for several smart cards is provided:

- Schlumberger Cyberflex Access JavaCard
- Schlumberger MicroPayflex
- Dallas Semiconductor Java iButton JavaCard

Each of the supported cards has a complete set of OCF card services that implement the necessary functionality for authentication and secure storage of data. For the two supported JavaCards, an authentication and secure data storage applet is provided that can be loaded into these cards with the supplied applet administration tools. See [smartcard\(1M\)](#).

A PAM smart card module is provided to allow PAM clients to use smart card-based authentication. See [pam\\_smartcard\(5\)](#)

CDE is able to use the PAM smart card module for `dtlogin` and `dtsession` authentication. CDE also uses the smart card framework event dispatcher to listen for events on the card terminal and provide corresponding visual feedback to the user.

**See Also** [ocfserv\(1M\)](#), [smartcard\(1M\)](#), [libsmartcard\(3LIB\)](#), [pam\\_start\(3PAM\)](#), [pam\\_smartcard\(5\)](#), [ocf\\_ibutton\(7D\)](#), [scmi2c\(7d\)](#)

<b>Name</b>	sma_snmp, netsnmp – SNMP v1, v2c, v3 agent, tools, and modules				
<b>Description</b>	The Systems Management Agent (SMA) agent and tools are based on the open source NetSNMP project, published at <a href="http://www.net-snmp.org">http://www.net-snmp.org</a> . The SNMP agent supports the v1, v2c and v3 protocols. Secure SNMP operations are provided through the use of USM and VACM. A set of tools that enable users to perform simple SNMP operations, monitor various variables, and perform configuration on the agent are available. Some value-added modules that provide monitoring information specific to Solaris platforms are also available.				
SNMP Agent	<p>The agent (see <a href="#">snmpd(1M)</a>) is capable of SNMP v3, v2c and v1 protocol operations. Details of the related RFCs can be found at <a href="http://www.ietf.org/html.charters/snmpv3-charter.html">http://www.ietf.org/html.charters/snmpv3-charter.html</a>. The agent supports these protocols over a variety of transports. Among these are TCP/UDP over IPv4/IPv6 and Unix domain sockets.</p> <p>The agent and its modules, including USM and VACM, can be configured by making changes to <code>/etc/sma/snmp/snmpd.conf</code>. See <a href="#">snmpd.conf(4)</a>.</p>				
USM	The User-based Security Model enables strong authentication of SNMP users as well as communication privacy, message integrity, and replay protection. SNMP users can be managed remotely through the use of SNMP operations. Details of USM can be found in RFC 3414. USM supports privacy of messages. Currently, DES encryption is supported on Solaris. In the future, more secure AES encryption might be added. The agent also provides the ability to manipulate user entries through local configuration files.				
VACM	The View-based Access Control Model enables access control to various parts of an SNMP MIB. Remote management of access control is possible through SNMP operations. Details of VACM can be found in RFC 3415. The agent provides the ability to manipulate access control entries through local configuration files.				
Subagent	The agent supports subagents through the AgentX protocol and MIBs, as defined in RFCs 2741 and 2742. This enables the master agent to delegate population of different portions of the MIB tree to subagents. AgentX messages can be interchanged over a variety of transports including Unix Domain Sockets, TCP and UDP. Note that it is a possible security risk to expose the master agent listening address through TCP/UDP. See section 9 of RFC 2741 for more details.				
Tools	<p>The following tools are available:</p> <table> <tr> <td><code>encode_keychange</code></td><td>Collects information to build a KeyChange encoding, per the textual convention given in RFC 2274, Section 5. Computes the value and prints it to stdout as a hex string.</td></tr> <tr> <td><code>fixproc</code></td><td>Fixes a process named "proc" by performing the specified action. The actions can be check, kill, restart, exist, or fix. The action is</td></tr> </table>	<code>encode_keychange</code>	Collects information to build a KeyChange encoding, per the textual convention given in RFC 2274, Section 5. Computes the value and prints it to stdout as a hex string.	<code>fixproc</code>	Fixes a process named "proc" by performing the specified action. The actions can be check, kill, restart, exist, or fix. The action is
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	specified on the command line or is read from a default database, which describes the default action to take for each process.
mib2c	A script that takes a MIB and converts it into C code. That C code can then be used as a template to implement your MIB.
net-snmp-config	Net-SNMP configuration options.
snmpbulkget	An SNMP application that uses the SNMP GETBULK request to efficiently query information on a network entity.
snmpbulkwalk	An SNMP application that uses the SNMP GETBULK request to efficiently query a network entity for a tree of information.
snmpconf	A configuration file setup command for agent.
snmpdelta	Monitors the specified integer valued OIDs, and report changes over time.
snmpdf	A networked version of the <a href="#">df(1M)</a> command.
snmpget	Invokes an SNMP GET request to query for information on a network entity.
snmpgetnext	An SNMP application that uses the SNMP GETNEXT request to query information on a network entity.
snmpinform	An SNMP application that uses the SNMP INFORM operation to send information to a network manager.
snmpnetstat	Symbolically displays the values of various network-related information retrieved from a remote system using the SNMP protocol.
snmpset	The SNMP SET request to set information on a network entity.
snmpstatus	An SNMP application that retrieves several important statistics from a network entity.
snmpstable	An SNMP application that repeatedly uses the SNMP GETNEXT or GETBULK requests to query for information on a network entity.
snmpstat	An SNMP application that can monitor and manage information on a network entity.
snmptranslate	An SNMP application that translates one or more SNMP object identifier values from their symbolic (textual) forms into their numerical forms (or vice-versa).
snmptrap	An SNMP application that uses the SNMP TRAP operation to send information to a network manager.



- `snmpusm` An SNMP application that can be used to do simple maintenance on an SNMP agent's User-based Security Module (USM) table.
- `snmpvacm` An SNMP application that can be used to do simple maintenance on View-based Access Control (VACM) table.
- `snmpwalk` An SNMP application that uses SNMP GETNEXT requests to query a network entity for a tree of information.

Some of these tools have common command line options which can be seen in the `snmpcmd` man page. Individual tools are described in their own man pages.

- Modules
- The modules listed below are available. These enable detailed monitoring operations to be performed through SNMP.
- Host Resources MIB

Defines a uniform set of objects useful for the management of host computers. Host computers are independent of the operating system, network services, or any software application.

The Host Resources MIB defines objects which are common across many computer system architectures. For reference, see RFC 2790 at <http://www.faqs.org/>.
- MIB II

efines the second version of the Management Information Base for use with network management protocols in TCP/IP-based internets. It provides a simple, system for managing these internets. For reference, see RFC 1213 at <http://www.ietf.org/>.
- Sun MIB

An extension of the MIB II, this MIB contains Solaris-specific attributes. Adds a table that lists all the currently running processes on the monitored host and certain performance details on that host.
- By default, the MIB files are located in `/etc/sma/snmp/mibs`.
- Module API Documentation

The module API documentation describes some of the Net-SNMP helper APIs as well as other APIs needed to develop SNMP modules. The default location is `/usr/sfw/doc/sma_snmp/html/modules.html`.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

ATTRIBUTE TYPE	ATTRIBUTE VALUE
Interface Stability	External

**See Also** [snmpstatus\(1\)](#), [snmpconf\(1M\)](#), [snmpd\(1M\)](#), [snmpdf\(1M\)](#), [snmpget\(1M\)](#), [snmpgetnext\(1M\)](#), [snmpnetstat\(1M\)](#), [snmpset\(1M\)](#), [snmptrap\(1M\)](#), [snmpusm\(1M\)](#), [snmpvacm\(1M\)](#), [snmpwalk\(1M\)](#), [snmp.conf\(4\)](#), [snmpd.conf\(4\)](#), [snmp\\_variables\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

See the section 1M man pages for each of the tools described under TOOLS, above.

**Name** smf – service management facility

**Description** The Solaris service management facility defines a programming model for providing persistently running applications called *services*. The facility also provides the infrastructure in which to run services. A service can represent a running application, the software state of a device, or a set of other services. Services are represented in the framework by *service instance* objects, which are children of service objects. Instance objects can inherit or override the configuration of the parent service object, which allows multiple service instances to share configuration information. All service and instance objects are contained in a *scope* that represents a collection of configuration information. The configuration of the local Solaris instance is called the “localhost” scope, and is the only currently supported scope.

Each service instance is named with a fault management resource identifier (FMRI) with the scheme “svc:”. For example, the `syslogd(1M)` daemon started at system startup is the default service instance named:

```
svc://localhost/system/system-log:default
svc:/system/system-log:default
system/system-log:default
```

In the above example, 'default' is the name of the instance and 'system/system-log' is the service name. Service names may comprise multiple components separated by slashes (/). All components, except the last, compose the *category* of the service. Site-specific services should be named with a category beginning with 'site'.

A service instance is either enabled or disabled. All services can be enabled or disabled with the `svcadm(1M)` command.

The list of managed service instances on a system can be displayed with the `svcs(1)` command.

**Dependencies** Service instances can have dependencies on a set of entities which can include services, instances, and files. Dependencies govern when the service is started and automatically stopped. When the dependencies of an enabled service are not satisfied, the service is kept in the offline state. When its dependencies are satisfied, the service is started. If the start is successful, the service is transitioned to the online state. Unlike services and instances, file dependencies are not evaluated dynamically as files are created or deleted. They are evaluated only one time.

Whether a dependency is satisfied is determined by its type:

<code>require_all</code>	Satisfied when all cited services are running (online or degraded), or when all indicated files are present.
<code>require_any</code>	Satisfied when one of the cited services is running (online or degraded), or when at least one of the indicated files is present.

- `optional_all` Satisfied if the cited services are running (online or degraded) or will not run without administrative action (disabled, maintenance, not present, or offline waiting for dependencies which will not start without administrative action).
- `exclude_all` Satisfied when all of the cited services are disabled, in the maintenance state, or when cited services or files are not present.

Once running (online or degraded), if a service cited by a `require_all`, `require_any`, or `optional_all` dependency is stopped or refreshed, the SMF considers why the service was stopped and the `restart_on` attribute of the dependency to decide whether to stop the service.

event	restart_on value			
	none	error	restart	refresh
stop due to error	no	yes	yes	yes
non-error stop	no	no	yes	yes
refresh	no	no	no	yes

A service is considered to have stopped due to an error if the service has encountered a hardware error or a software error such as a core dump. For `exclude_all` dependencies, the service is stopped if the cited service is started and the `restart_on` attribute is not none.

The dependencies on a service can be listed with `svcs(1)` or `svccfg(1M)`, and modified with `svccfg(1M)`.

**Restarters** Each service is managed by a restarters. The master restarters, `svc.startd(1M)` manages states for the entire set of service instances and their dependencies. The master restarters acts on behalf of its services and on delegated restarters that can provide specific execution environments for certain application classes. For instance, `inetd(1M)` is a delegated restarters that provides its service instances with an initial environment composed of a network connection as input and output file descriptors. Each instance delegated to `inetd(1M)` is in the online state. While the daemon of a particular instance might not be running, the instance is available to run.

As dependencies are satisfied when instances move to the online state, `svc.startd(1M)` invokes start methods of other instances or directs the delegated restarters to do so. These operations might overlap.

The current set of services and associated restarters can be examined using `svcs(1)`. A description of the common configuration used by all restarters is given in `smf_restarter(5)`.

**Methods** Each service or service instance must define a set of methods that start, stop, and, optionally, refresh the service. See `smf_method(5)` for a more complete description of the method conventions for `svc.startd(1M)` and similar `fork(2)-exec(2)` restarters.

Administrative methods, such as for the capture of legacy configuration information into the repository, are discussed on the [svccfg\(1M\)](#) manual page.

The methods for a service can be listed and modified using the [svccfg\(1M\)](#) command.

**States** Each service instance is always in a well-defined state based on its dependencies, the results of the execution of its methods, and its potential receipt of events from the contracts filesystem. The following states are defined:

UNINITIALIZED	This is the initial state for all service instances. Instances are moved to maintenance, offline, or a disabled state upon evaluation by <a href="#">svc.startd(1M)</a> or the appropriate restarter.
OFFLINE	The instance is enabled, but not yet running or available to run. If restarter execution of the service start method or the equivalent method is successful, the instance moves to the online state. Failures might lead to a degraded or maintenance state. Administrative action can lead to the uninitialized state.
ONLINE	The instance is enabled and running or is available to run. The specific nature of the online state is application-model specific and is defined by the restarter responsible for the service instance. Online is the expected operating state for a properly configured service with all dependencies satisfied. Failures of the instance can lead to a degraded or maintenance state. Failures of services on which the instance depends can lead to offline or degraded states.
DEGRADED	The instance is enabled and running or available to run. The instance, however, is functioning at a limited capacity in comparison to normal operation. Failures of the instance can lead to the maintenance state. Failures of services on which the instance depends can lead to offline or degraded states. Restoration of capacity should result in a transition to the online state.
MAINTENANCE	The instance is enabled, but not able to run. Administrative action is required to restore the instance to offline and subsequent states. The maintenance state might be a temporarily reached state if an administrative operation is underway.
DISABLED	The instance is disabled. Enabling the service results in a transition to the offline state and eventually to the online state with all dependencies satisfied.
LEGACY - RUN	This state represents a legacy instance that is not managed by the service management facility. Instances in this state have been started at some point, but might or might not be running. Instances can only be observed using the facility and are not transferred into other states.

States can also have transitions that result in a return to the originating state.

**Properties and Property Groups** The dependencies, methods, delegated restarter, and instance state mentioned above are represented as properties or property groups of the service or service instance. A service or service instance has an arbitrary number of property groups in which to store application data. Using property groups in this way allows the configuration of the application to derive the attributes that the repository provides for all data in the facility. The application can also use the appropriate subset of the [service\\_bundle\(4\)](#) DTD to represent its configuration data within the framework.

Property lookups are composed. If a property group-property combination is not found on the service instance, most commands and the high-level interfaces of [libscf\(3LIB\)](#) search for the same property group-property combination on the service that contains that instance. This feature allows common configuration among service instances to be shared. Composition can be viewed as an inheritance relationship between the service instance and its parent service.

Properties are protected from modification by unauthorized processes. See [smf\\_security\(5\)](#).

**Snapshots** Historical data about each instance in the repository is maintained by the service management facility. This data is made available as read-only snapshots for administrative inspection and rollback. The following set of snapshot types might be available:

- `initial` Initial configuration of the instance created by the administrator or produced during package installation.
- `last_import` Configuration as prescribed by the manifest of the service that is taken during [svccfg\(1M\)](#) import operation. This snapshot provides a baseline for determining property customization.
- `previous` Current configuration captured when an administrative undo operation is performed.
- `running` The running configuration of the instance.
- `start` Configuration captured during a successful transition to the online state.

The [svccfg\(1M\)](#) command can be used to interact with snapshots.

**Special Property Groups** Some property groups are marked as “non-persistent”. These groups are not backed up in snapshots and their content is cleared during system boot. Such groups generally hold an active program state which does not need to survive system restart.

**Configuration Repository** The current state of each service instance, as well as the properties associated with services and service instances, is stored in a system repository managed by [svc.configd\(1M\)](#). This repository is transactional and able to provide previous versions of properties and property groups associated with each service or service instance.

The repository for service management facility data is managed by [svc.configd\(1M\)](#).

#### Service Bundles, Manifests, and Profiles

The information associated with a service or service instance that is stored in the configuration repository can be exported as XML-based files. Such XML files, known as service bundles, are portable and suitable for backup purposes. Service bundles are classified as one of the following types:

- manifests**      Files that contain the complete set of properties associated with a specific set of services or service instances.
- profiles**        Files that contain a set of service instances and values for the enabled property on each instance.

Service bundles can be imported or exported from a repository using the [svccfg\(1M\)](#) command. See [service\\_bundle\(4\)](#) for a description of the service bundle file format with guidelines for authoring service bundles.

A *service archive* is an XML file that contains the description and persistent properties of every service in the repository, excluding transient properties such as service state. This service archive is basically a 'svccfg export' for every service which is not limited to named services.

#### Legacy Startup Scripts

Startup programs in the `/etc/rc?.d` directories are executed as part of the corresponding run-level milestone:

- `/etc/rcS.d`      milestone/single-user:default
- `/etc/rc2.d`      milestone/multi-user:default
- `/etc/rc3.d`      milestone/multi-user-server:default

Execution of each program is represented as a reduced-functionality service instance named by the program's path. These instances are held in a special legacy-run state.

These instances do not have an enabled property and, generally, cannot be manipulated with the [svcadm\(1M\)](#) command. No error diagnosis or restart is done for these programs.

**See Also** [svcs\(1\)](#), [inetd\(1M\)](#), [svcadm\(1M\)](#), [svccfg\(1M\)](#), [svc.configd\(1M\)](#), [svc.startd\(1M\)](#), [exec\(2\)](#), [fork\(2\)](#), [libscf\(3LIB\)](#), [strftime\(3C\)](#), [contract\(4\)](#), [service\\_bundle\(4\)](#), [user\\_attr\(4\)](#), [smf\\_bootstrap\(5\)](#), [smf\\_method\(5\)](#), [smf\\_restarter\(5\)](#), [smf\\_security\(5\)](#)

<b>Name</b>	smf_bootstrap – service management facility boot, packaging, and compatibility behavior
<b>Description</b>	The service management facility establishes conventions for delivering service manifests, incorporating service manifest changes, describing service configuration stability, using service configuration overrides, and the use of service profiles.
Manifest Loading at Boot	<p>The <code>svc:/system/manifest-import:default</code> service uses <a href="#">svccfg(1M)</a> to import certain manifest files from the <code>/var/svc/manifest</code> directory tree into the service configuration repository. The service imports files that it has not imported previously and those files which have changed since the last time they were imported by the service. When a manifest is imported by the service, a hash of the file that includes its contents is recorded in a property group of the <code>svc:/smf/manifest</code> service. The <code>manifest-import</code> service uses the hash to determine whether the file has changed. See <a href="#">svccfg(1M)</a> for information on the <code>svccfg import</code> behavior for services that already exist in the repository.</p>
Manifest Handling During Packaging Operations	<p>Service manifests within packages should be identified with the class <code>manifest</code>. Class action scripts that install and remove service manifests are included in the packaging subsystem. When <a href="#">pkgadd(1M)</a> is invoked, the service manifest is imported.</p> <p>When <a href="#">pkgrm(1M)</a> is invoked, instances in the manifest that are disabled are deleted. Instances in the manifest that are online or degraded are disabled first and then deleted. Any services in the manifest with no remaining instances are also deleted.</p> <p>If the <code>-R</code> option is supplied to <a href="#">pkgadd(1M)</a> or <a href="#">pkgrm(1M)</a>, the actions described in this section will be done when the system is next rebooted with that alternate root path.</p>
Stability Declarations	<p>Each service group and each property group delivered in a manifest should declare a stability level based on <a href="#">attributes(5)</a> definitions. With knowledge of the stability level, an application developer can determine the likelihood that feature development based on the existence or components of a service or object is likely to remain functional across a release boundary.</p> <p>In an <a href="#">smf(5)</a> context, the stability value also identifies the expected scope of the changes to properties within the property group across a release boundary for the service, which can include patches for that service. The following two sections discuss this in more detail.</p>
Property Overrides	<p>The <a href="#">service_bundle(4)</a> document type definition includes an override attribute that is applicable to each property in a service manifest. If set to <code>true</code>, the attribute instructs <a href="#">svccfg(1M)</a> and other manifest import tools to replace the current value of a property in the repository with the one from the manifest. If the override attribute is absent or present but set to <code>false</code>, the current value in the repository is preserved.</p> <p>Property groups declared as <code>Stable</code> do not contain override attributes on enclosed properties. Property groups declared as <code>Evolving</code> do so only to correct an erroneous setting. Property groups declared as <code>Unstable</code> can contain overrides on any property. The exception to this behavior is for the stability property itself, which can be modified to identify incipient change to the interface presented by the service.</p>



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- Property Group Deletion** The [service\\_bundle\(4\)](#) document type definition includes a delete attribute, applicable to each property group in a service manifest. If set to `true`, the delete attribute instructs [svccfg\(1M\)](#) and other manifest import tools to delete this property group from the repository. If the delete attribute is absent or present but set to `false`, the property group in the repository is preserved.
- Property groups declared as `Stable` or `Evolving` are not deleted. Property groups declared as `Unstable` can be deleted across any release boundary.
- Profile Application** The first time the existence of each of the three service profiles listed below is detected, [svc.startd\(1M\)](#) automatically applies the profile.
- ```
/var/svc/profile/generic.xml
/var/svc/profile/platform.xml
/var/svc/profile/site.xml
```
- The `svc:/smf/manifest` service is used in a similar fashion.
- Additional service profiles that characterize the activation of various groups of service instances might be present in `/var/svc/profile`. None of the `/var/svc/profile` profiles are automatically applied to the repository. A profile can be manually applied or re-applied using [svccfg\(1M\)](#).
- See Also** [pkgadd\(1M\)](#), [pkgrm\(1M\)](#), [svcadm\(1M\)](#), [svccfg\(1M\)](#), [svc.startd\(1M\)](#), [libscf\(3LIB\)](#), [service\\_bundle\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [smf\(5\)](#), [smf\\_security\(5\)](#)
- Notes** The present version of [smf\(5\)](#) does not support multiple repositories.

**Name** smf\_method – service management framework conventions for methods

**Description** The class of services managed by `svc.startd(1M)` in the service management framework, `smf(5)`, consists of applications that fit a simple `fork(2)-exec(2)` model. The `svc.startd(1M)` master daemon and other restarters support the `fork(2)-exec(2)` model, potentially with additional capabilities. The `svc.startd(1M)` daemon and other restarters require that the methods which activate, manipulate, or examine a service instance follow the conventions described in this manual page.

**Invocation form** The form of a method invocation is not dictated by convention. In some cases, a method invocation might consist of the direct invocation of the daemon or other binary executable that provides the service. For cases in which an executable script or other mediating executable is used, the convention recommends the form:

```
/path/to/method_executable abbr_method_name
```

The *abbr\_method\_name* used for the recommended form is a supported method such as `start` or `stop`. The set of methods supported by a restarter is given on the related restarter page. The `svc.startd(1M)` daemon supports `start`, `stop`, and `refresh` methods.

A restarter might define other kinds of methods beyond those referenced in this page. The conventions surrounding such extensions are defined by the restarter and might not be identical to those given here.

**Environment Variables** The restarter provides three environment variables to the method that determine the context in which the method is invoked.

**SMF\_FMRI** The service fault management resource identifier (FMRI) of the instance for which the method is invoked.

**SMF\_METHOD** The full method name of the method that is invoked

**SMF\_RESTARTER** The service FMRI of the restarter that invokes the method

These variables should be removed from the environment prior to the invocation of any persistent process by the method. A convenience shell function, `smf_clear_env`, is given for service authors who use Bourne-compatible shell scripting to compose service methods in the include file described below.

The method context may cause other environment variables to be set as described below.

**Method Definition** A method is defined minimally by three properties in a propertygroup of type `method`.

These properties are:

**exec** (*astring*) Method executable string.

**timeout\_seconds** (*count*) Number of seconds before method times out. See the `Timeouts` section for more detail.

type (*astring*)                      Method type. Currently always set to method.

A Method Context can be defined to further refine the execution environment of the method. See the Method Context section for more information.

Method Tokens    When defined in the exec string of the method by the restarter `svc.startd`, a set of tokens are parsed and expanded with appropriate value. Other restarters might not support method tokens. The delegated restarter for inet services, `inetd(1M)`, does not support the following method expansions.

|                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>%%</code>            | <code>%</code>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <code>%r</code>            | Name of the restarter, such as <code>svc.startd</code>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <code>%m</code>            | Name of the method, such as <code>start</code> or <code>stop</code>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <code>%s</code>            | Name of the service                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <code>%i</code>            | Name of the instance                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <code>%f</code>            | FMRI of the instance                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <code>%{prop[: , ]}</code> | Value(s) of a property. The prop might be a property FMRI, a property group name and a property name separated by a <code>/</code> , or a property name in the application property group. These values can be followed by a <code>,</code> (comma) or <code>:</code> (colon). If present, the separators are used to separate multiple values. If absent, a space is used. The following shell metacharacters encountered in string values are quoted with a <code>\</code> (backslash): |

`; & ( ) | ^ < > newline space tab \ " '`

An invalid expansion constitutes method failure.

Two explicit tokens can be used in the place of method commands.

|                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>:kill [-signal]</code> | Sends the specified signal, which is <code>SIGTERM</code> by default, to all processes in the primary instance contract. Always returns <code>SMF_EXIT_OK</code> . This token should be used to replace common <code>kill</code> invocations. |
| <code>:true</code>           | Always returns <code>SMF_EXIT_OK</code> . This token should be used for methods that are required by the restarter but which are unnecessary for the particular service implementation.                                                       |

Exiting and Exit Status    The required behavior of a start method is to delay exiting until the service instance is ready to answer requests or is otherwise functional.

The following exit status codes are defined in `<libscf.h>` and in the shell support file.

|                     |          |                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|---------------------|----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| SMF_EXIT_OK         | 0        | Method exited, performing its operation successfully.                                                                                                                           |
| SMF_EXIT_ERR_FATAL  | 95       | Method failed fatally and is unrecoverable without administrative intervention.                                                                                                 |
| SMF_EXIT_ERR_CONFIG | 96       | Unrecoverable configuration error. A common condition that returns this exit status is the absence of required configuration files for an enabled service instance.             |
| SMF_EXIT_ERR_NOSMF  | 99       | Method has been mistakenly invoked outside the <a href="#">smf(5)</a> facility. Services that depend on <a href="#">smf(5)</a> capabilities should exit with this status value. |
| SMF_EXIT_ERR_PERM   | 100      | Method requires a form of permission such as file access, privilege, authorization, or other credential that is not available when invoked.                                     |
| SMF_EXIT_ERR_OTHER  | non-zero | Any non-zero exit status from a method is treated as an unknown error. A series of unknown errors can be diagnosed as a fault by the restarter or on behalf of the restarter.   |

Use of a precise exit code allows the responsible restarter to categorize an error response as likely to be intermittent and worth pursuing restart or permanent and request administrative intervention.

**Timeouts** Each method can have an independent timeout, given in seconds. The choice of a particular timeout should be based on site expectations for detecting a method failure due to non-responsiveness. Sites with replicated filesystems or other failover resources can elect to lengthen method timeouts from the default. Sites with no remote resources can elect to shorten the timeouts. Method timeout is specified by the `timeout_seconds` property.

If you specify `0` `timeout_seconds` for a method, it declares to the restarter that there is no timeout for the service. This setting is not preferred, but is available for services that absolutely require it.

`-1` `timeout_seconds` is also accepted, but is a deprecated specification.

**Shell Programming Support** A set of environment variables that define the above exit status values is provided with convenience shell functions in the file `/lib/svc/share/smf_include.sh`. This file is a Bourne shell script suitable for inclusion via the source operator in any Bourne-compatible shell.

To assist in the composition of scripts that can serve as SMF methods as well as `/etc/init.d` scripts, the `smf_present()` shell function is provided. If the [smf\(5\)](#) facility is not available, `smf_present()` returns a non-zero exit status.

One possible structure for such a script follows:

```

if smf_present; then
    # Shell code to run application as managed service
    ....

    smf_clear_env
else
    # Shell code to run application as /etc/init.d script
    ....
fi

```

This example shows the use of both convenience functions that are provided.

**Method Context** The service management facility offers a common mechanism set the context in which the [fork\(2\)-exec\(2\)](#) model services execute.

The desired method context should be provided by the service developer. All service instances should run with the lowest level of privileges possible to limit potential security compromises.

A method context may contain the following properties:

|                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>use_profile</code>       | A boolean that specifies whether the profile should be used instead of the user, group, privileges, and <code>limit_privileges</code> properties.                                                                                                            |
| <code>environment</code>       | Environment variables to insert into the environment of the method, in the form of a number of <code>NAME=value</code> strings.                                                                                                                              |
| <code>profile</code>           | The name of an RBAC (role-based access control) profile which, along with the method executable, identifies an entry in <a href="#">exec_attr(4)</a> .                                                                                                       |
| <code>user</code>              | The user ID in numeric or text form.                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <code>group</code>             | The group ID in numeric or text form.                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <code>supp_groups</code>       | An optional string that specifies the supplemental group memberships by ID, in numeric or text form.                                                                                                                                                         |
| <code>privileges</code>        | An optional string specifying the privilege set as defined in <a href="#">privileges(5)</a> .                                                                                                                                                                |
| <code>limit_privileges</code>  | An optional string specifying the limit privilege set as defined in <a href="#">privileges(5)</a> .                                                                                                                                                          |
| <code>working_directory</code> | The home directory from which to launch the method.<br>: <code>home</code> can be used as a token to indicate the home directory of the user whose <code>uid</code> will be used to launch the method. If the property is unset, <code>:home</code> is used. |

|                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>corefile_pattern</code> | An optional string that specifies the corefile pattern to use for the service, as per <a href="#">coreadm(1M)</a> . Most restarters supply a default. Setting this property overrides local customizations to the global core pattern. |
| <code>project</code>          | The project ID in numeric or text form. <code>:default</code> can be used as a token to indicate a project identified by <a href="#">getdefaultproj(3PROJECT)</a> for the user whose uid is used to launch the method.                 |
| <code>resource_pool</code>    | The resource pool name on which to launch the method. <code>:default</code> can be used as a token to indicate the pool specified in the <a href="#">project(4)</a> entry given in the project attribute above.                        |

The method context can be set for the entire service instance by specifying a `method_context` property group for the service or instance. A method might override the instance method context by providing the method context properties on the method property group.

Invalid method context settings always lead to failure of the method, with the exception of invalid environment variables that issue warnings.

In addition to the context defined above, many [fork\(2\)-exec\(2\)](#) model restarters also use the following conventions when invoking executables as methods:

|                  |                                                                                                                       |
|------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Argument array   | The arguments in <code>argv[]</code> are set consistently with the result <code>/bin/sh -c</code> of the exec string. |
| File descriptors | File descriptor 0 is <code>/dev/null</code> . File descriptors 1 and 2 are recommended to be a per-service log file.  |

**Files** `/lib/svc/share/smf_include.sh`  
Definitions of exit status values.  
  
`/usr/include/libscf.h`  
Definitions of exit status codes.

**See Also** [coreadm\(1M\)](#), [inetd\(1M\)](#), [svccfg\(1M\)](#), [svc.startd\(1M\)](#), [exec\(2\)](#), [fork\(2\)](#), [getdefaultproj\(3PROJECT\)](#), [exec\\_attr\(4\)](#), [project\(4\)](#), [service\\_bundle\(4\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [privileges\(5\)](#), [rbac\(5\)](#), [smf\(5\)](#), [smf\\_bootstrap\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The present version of [smf\(5\)](#) does not support multiple repositories.

When a service is configured to be started as root but with privileges different from `limit_privileges`, the resulting process is privilege aware. This can be surprising to developers who expect `seteuid(<non-zero UID>)` to reduce privileges to basic or less.

**Name** smf\_restarter – service management facility conventions for restarters

**Description** All service instances in the service management facility must be managed by a restarter. This manual page describes configuration, functionality, and reporting characteristics that are common to all restarters in the framework. Characteristics specific to a particular restarter are described in the restarter's man page.

For each managed service, a restarter relies on retrieving properties on the service instance to determine configuration. The restarter manages a set of property groups to communicate the current disposition of a service with display tools such as [svcs\(1\)](#).

**Service Configuration** The common restarter configuration for all services is captured in the `general` property group. This group includes the following required and optional property settings.

|                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>enabled</code>         | This is a required property. If set, the restarter of an instance attempts to maintain availability of the service.                                                                                                           |
| <code>restarter</code>       | This is an optional property that allows the specification of an alternate restarter to manage the service instance. If the restarter property is empty or absent, the restarter defaults to <a href="#">svc.startd(1M)</a> . |
| <code>single_instance</code> | This is an optional property. When set, only one instance of the service is allowed to transition to an online or degraded status at any time.                                                                                |

**Service Reporting** All restarters report status using the `restarter` property group, which includes the following properties:

|                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>next_state</code>      | The current state and next state, if currently in transition, for instances stored in these properties. See <a href="#">smf(5)</a> for a description of the potential states.                                                                                                                                                      |
| <code>auxiliary_state</code> | An astring with no spaces that contains a precise term to describe the full restarter-specific state in combination with the restarter state property. The auxiliary state cannot always be set and is always cleared during transition out of any state. Each restarter must define the precise list of auxiliary states it uses. |
| <code>state_timestamp</code> | The time when the current state was reached.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <code>contract</code>        | The primary process contract ID, if any, under which the service instance is executing.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |

**See Also** [svcs\(1\)](#), [svc.startd\(1M\)](#), [service\\_bundle\(4\)](#), [smf\(5\)](#), [smf\\_method\(5\)](#)

**Name** smf\_security – service management facility security behavior

**Description** The configuration subsystem for the service management facility, [smf\(5\)](#), requires privilege to modify the configuration of a service. Privileges are granted to a user by associating the authorizations described below to the user through [user\\_attr\(4\)](#) and [prof\\_attr\(4\)](#). See [rbac\(5\)](#).

The following authorization is used to manipulate services and service instances.

`solaris.smf.modify`      Authorized to add, delete, or modify services, service instances, or their properties.

**Property Group Authorizations** The [smf\(5\)](#) configuration subsystem associates properties with each service and service instance. Related properties are grouped. Groups may represent an execution method, credential information, application data, or restarter state. The ability to create or modify property groups can cause [smf\(5\)](#) components to perform actions that may require operating system privilege. Accordingly, the framework requires appropriate authorization to manipulate property groups.

Each property group has a type corresponding to its purpose. The core property group types are method, dependency, application, and framework. Additional property group types can be introduced, provided they conform to the extended naming convention in [smf\(5\)](#). The following basic authorizations, however, apply only to the core property group types:

|                                             |                                                                                                |
|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>solaris.smf.modify.method</code>      | Authorized to change values or create, delete, or modify a property group of type method.      |
| <code>solaris.smf.modify.dependency</code>  | Authorized to change values or create, delete, or modify a property group of type dependency.  |
| <code>solaris.smf.modify.application</code> | Authorized to change values or create, delete, or modify a property group of type application. |
| <code>solaris.smf.modify.framework</code>   | Authorized to change values or create, delete, or modify a property group of type framework.   |
| <code>solaris.smf.modify</code>             | Authorized to add, delete, or modify services, service instances, or their properties.         |

Property group-specific authorization can be specified by properties contained in the property group.

|                                   |                                                                                                                           |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>modify_authorization</code> | Authorizations allow the addition, deletion, or modification of properties within the property group.                     |
| <code>value_authorization</code>  | Authorizations allow changing the values of any property of the property group except <code>modify_authorization</code> . |



The above authorization properties are only used if they have type `string`. If an instance property group does not have one of the properties, but the instance's service has a property group of the same name with the property, its values are used.

**Service Action Authorization** Certain actions on service instances may result in service interruption or deactivation. These actions require an authorization to ensure that any denial of service is a deliberate administrative action. Such actions include a request for execution of the refresh or restart methods, or placement of a service instance in the maintenance or other non-operational state. The following authorization allows such actions to be requested:

`solaris.smf.manage` Authorized to request restart, refresh, or other state modification of any service instance.

In addition, the `general/action_authorization` property can specify additional authorizations that permit service actions to be requested for that service instance. The `solaris.smf.manage` authorization is required to modify this property.

**Defined Rights Profiles** Two rights profiles are included that offer grouped authorizations for manipulating typical [smf\(5\)](#) operations.

**Service Management** A service manager can manipulate any service in the repository in any way. It corresponds to the `solaris.smf.manage` and `solaris.smf.modify` authorizations.

The service management profile is the minimum required to use the [pkgadd\(1M\)](#) or [pkgrm\(1M\)](#) commands to add or remove software packages that contain an inventory of services in its service manifest.

**Service Operator** A service operator has the ability to enable or disable any service instance on the system, as well as request that its restart or refresh method be executed. It corresponds to the `solaris.smf.manage` and `solaris.smf.modify.framework` authorizations.

Sites can define additional rights profiles customized to their needs.

**Remote Repository Modification** Remote repository servers may deny modification attempts due to additional privilege checks. See NOTES.

**See Also** [auths\(1\)](#), [profiles\(1\)](#), [pkgadd\(1M\)](#), [pkgrm\(1M\)](#), [prof\\_attr\(4\)](#), [user\\_attr\(4\)](#), [rbac\(5\)](#), [smf\(5\)](#)

**Notes** The present version of [smf\(5\)](#) does not support remote repositories.

When a service is configured to be started as root but with privileges different from `limit_privileges`, the resulting process is privilege aware. This can be surprising to developers who expect `seteuid(<non-zero UID>)` to reduce privileges to basic or less.

**Name** standards, ANSI, C, C++, ISO, POSIX, POSIX.1, POSIX.2, SUS, SUSv2, SUSv3, SVID, SVID3, XNS, XNS4, XNS5, XPG, XPG3, XPG4, XPG4v2 – standards and specifications supported by Solaris

**Description** Solaris 10 supports IEEE Std 1003.1 and IEEE Std 1003.2, commonly known as POSIX.1 and POSIX.2, respectively. The following table lists each version of these standards with a brief description and the SunOS or Solaris release that first conformed to it.

| POSIX Standard | Description                                                                         | Release     |
|----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| POSIX.1-1988   | system interfaces and headers                                                       | SunOS 4.1   |
| POSIX.1-1990   | POSIX.1-1988 update                                                                 | Solaris 2.0 |
| POSIX.1b-1993  | realtime extensions                                                                 | Solaris 2.4 |
| POSIX.1c-1996  | threads extensions                                                                  | Solaris 2.6 |
| POSIX.2-1992   | shell and utilities                                                                 | Solaris 2.5 |
| POSIX.2a-1992  | interactive shell and utilities                                                     | Solaris 2.5 |
| POSIX.1-2001   | POSIX.1-1990, POSIX.1b-1993, POSIX.1c-1996, POSIX.2-1992, and POSIX.2a-1992 updates | Solaris 10  |

Solaris 10 also supports the X/Open Common Applications Environment (CAE) Portability Guide Issue 3 (XPG3) and Issue 4 (XPG4); Single UNIX Specification (SUS, also known as XPG4v2); Single UNIX Specification, Version 2 (SUSv2); and Single UNIX Specification, Version 3 (SUSv3). Both XPG4 and SUS include Networking Services Issue 4 (XNS4). SUSv2 includes Networking Services Issue 5 (XNS5).

The following table lists each X/Open specification with a brief description and the SunOS or Solaris release that first conformed to it.

| X/Open CAE    |                                                                                                              |             |
|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Specification | Description                                                                                                  | Release     |
| XPG3          | superset of POSIX.1-1988 containing utilities from SVID3                                                     | SunOS 4.1   |
| XPG4          | superset of POSIX.1-1990, POSIX.2-1992, and POSIX.2a-1992 containing extensions to POSIX standards from XPG3 | Solaris 2.4 |
| SUS (XPG4v2)  | superset of XPG4 containing historical BSD interfaces widely used by common application packages             | Solaris 2.6 |
| XNS4          | sockets and XTI interfaces                                                                                   | Solaris 2.6 |

| X/Open CAE    |                                                                                                             |            |
|---------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Specification | Description                                                                                                 | Release    |
| SUSv2         | superset of SUS extended to support POSIX.1b-1993, POSIX.1c-1996, and ISO/IEC 9899 (C Standard) Amendment 1 | Solaris 7  |
| XNS5          | superset and LP64-clean derivative of XNS4.                                                                 | Solaris 7  |
| SUSv3         | same as POSIX.1–2001                                                                                        | Solaris 10 |

The XNS4 specification is safe for use only in ILP32 (32-bit) environments and should not be used for LP64 (64-bit) application environments. Use XNS5 or SUSv3, which have LP64-clean interfaces that are portable across ILP32 and LP64 environments. Solaris releases 7 through 10 support both the ILP32 and LP64 environments.

Solaris releases 7 through 10 have been branded to conform to The Open Group's UNIX 98 Product Standard. Solaris 10 has been branded to conform to The Open Group's UNIX 03 Product Standard.

Solaris releases 2.0 through 10 support the interfaces specified by the System V Interface Definition, Third Edition, Volumes 1 through 4 (SVID3). Note, however, that since the developers of this specification (UNIX Systems Laboratories) are no longer in business and since this specification defers to POSIX and X/Open CAE specifications, there is some disagreement about what is currently required for conformance to this specification.

When Oracle Solaris Studio 12.3 C Compiler is installed, Solaris releases 2.0 through 10 support the ANSI X3.159-1989 Programming Language - C and ISO/IEC 9899:1990 Programming Language - C (C) interfaces.

When Oracle Solaris Studio 12.3 C Compiler is installed, Solaris releases 7 through 10 support ISO/IEC 9899:1990 Amendment 1:1995: C Integrity.

When Oracle Solaris Studio 12.3 C Compiler is installed, Solaris 10 supports ISO/IEC 9899:1999 Programming Languages – C.

When Oracle Solaris Studio 12.3 C++ Compiler is installed, Solaris releases 2.5.1 through 10 support ISO/IEC 14882:1998 Programming Languages - C++. Unsupported features of that standard are described in the compiler README file.

**Utilities** If the behavior required by POSIX.2, POSIX.2a, XPG4, SUS, or SUSv2 conflicts with historical Solaris utility behavior, the original Solaris version of the utility is unchanged; a new version that is standard-conforming has been provided in `/usr/xpg4/bin`. If the behavior required by POSIX.1–2001 or SUSv3 conflicts with historical Solaris utility behavior, a new version that is standard-conforming has been provided in `/usr/xpg4/bin` or in `/usr/xpg6/bin`. If the behavior required by POSIX.1–2001 or SUSv3 conflicts with POSIX.2, POSIX.2a, SUS, or SUSv2, a new version that is SUSv3 standard-conforming has been provided in `/usr/xpg6/bin`.

An application that wants to use standard-conforming utilities must set the PATH ([sh\(1\)](#) or [ksh\(1\)](#)) or path ([csh\(1\)](#)) environment variable to specify the directories listed below in the order specified to get the appropriate utilities:

SVID3, XPG3

- 1. /usr/ccs/bin
- 2. /usr/bin
- 3. directory containing binaries for your compiler
- 4. other directories containing binaries needed by the application

POSIX.2, POSIX.2a, SUS, SUSv2, XPG4

- 1. /usr/xpg4/bin
- 2. /usr/ccs/bin
- 3. /usr/bin
- 4. directory containing binaries for your compiler
- 5. other directories containing binaries needed by the application

POSIX.1–2001, SUSv3

- 1. /usr/xpg6/bin
- 2. /usr/xpg4/bin
- 3. /usr/ccs/bin
- 4. /usr/bin
- 5. directory containing binaries for your compiler
- 6. other directories containing binaries needed by the application

When an application uses `execlp()` or `execvp()` (see [exec\(2\)](#)) to execute a shell file, or uses [system\(3C\)](#), the shell used to interpret the shell file depends on the standard to which the caller conforms:

| Standard                                                                          | Shell Used       |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| 1989 ANSI C, 1990 ISO C, 1999 ISO C, POSIX.1 (1990–2001), SUS, SUSv2, SUSv3, XPG4 | /usr/xpg4/bin/sh |
| POSIX.1 (1988), SVID3, XPG3, no standard specified                                | /usr/bin/sh      |

**Feature Test Macros** Feature test macros are used by applications to indicate additional sets of features that are desired beyond those specified by the C standard. If an application uses only those interfaces and headers defined by a particular standard (such as POSIX or X/Open CAE), then it need only define the appropriate feature test macro specified by that standard. If the application is using interfaces and headers not defined by that standard, then in addition to defining the appropriate standard feature test macro, it must also define `__EXTENSIONS__`. Defining `__EXTENSIONS__` provides the application with access to all interfaces and headers not in conflict with the specified standard. The application must define `__EXTENSIONS__` either on the compile command line or within the application source files.

### 1989 ANSI C, 1990 ISO C, 1999 ISO C

No feature test macros need to be defined to indicate that an application is a conforming C application.

### ANSI/ISO C++

ANSI/ISO C++ does not define any feature test macros. If the standard C++ announcement macro `__cplusplus` is predefined to value 199711 or greater, the compiler operates in a standard-conforming mode, indicating C++ standards conformance. The value 199711 indicates conformance to ISO/IEC 14882:1998, as required by that standard. (As noted above, conformance to the standard is incomplete.) A standard-conforming mode is not available with compilers prior to Sun WorkShop C++ 5.0.

C++ bindings are not defined for POSIX or X/Open CAE, so specifying feature test macros such as `_POSIX_SOURCE`, `_POSIX_C_SOURCE`, and `_XOPEN_SOURCE` can result in compilation errors due to conflicting requirements of standard C++ and those specifications.

### POSIX

Applications that are intended to be conforming POSIX.1 applications must define the feature test macros specified by the standard before including any headers. For the standards listed below, applications must define the feature test macros listed. Application writers must check the corresponding standards for other macros that can be queried to determine if desired options are supported by the implementation.

| POSIX Standard                                           | Feature Test Macros                                           |
|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| POSIX.1-1990                                             | <code>_POSIX_SOURCE</code>                                    |
| POSIX.1-1990 and POSIX.2-1992 C-Language Bindings Option | <code>_POSIX_SOURCE</code> and <code>_POSIX_C_SOURCE=2</code> |
| POSIX.1b-1993                                            | <code>_POSIX_C_SOURCE=199309L</code>                          |
| POSIX.1c-1996                                            | <code>_POSIX_C_SOURCE=199506L</code>                          |
| POSIX.1-2001                                             | <code>_POSIX_C_SOURCE=200112L</code>                          |

### SVID3

The SVID3 specification does not specify any feature test macros to indicate that an application is written to meet SVID3 requirements. The SVID3 specification was written before the C standard was completed.

### X/Open CAE

To build or compile an application that conforms to one of the X/Open CAE specifications, use the following guidelines. Applications need not set the POSIX feature test macros if they require both CAE and POSIX functionality.

|             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|             | XPG3                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | The application must define <code>_XOPEN_SOURCE</code> . If <code>_XOPEN_SOURCE</code> is defined with a value, the value must be less than 500.                                               |
|             | XPG4                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | The application must define <code>_XOPEN_SOURCE</code> and set <code>_XOPEN_VERSION=4</code> . If <code>_XOPEN_SOURCE</code> is defined with a value, the value must be less than 500.         |
|             | SUS (XPG4v2)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | The application must define <code>_XOPEN_SOURCE</code> and set <code>_XOPEN_SOURCE_EXTENDED=1</code> . If <code>_XOPEN_SOURCE</code> is defined with a value, the value must be less than 500. |
|             | SUSv2                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | The application must define <code>_XOPEN_SOURCE=500</code> .                                                                                                                                   |
|             | SUSv3                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | The application must define <code>_XOPEN_SOURCE=600</code> .                                                                                                                                   |
| Compilation | A POSIX.1 (1988–1996)-, XPG4-, SUS-, or SUSv2-conforming implementation must include an ANSI X3.159-1989 (ANSI C Language) standard-conforming compilation system and the <code>cc</code> and <code>c89</code> utilities. A POSIX.1–2001– or SUSv3–conforming implementation must include an ISO/IEC 99899:1999 (1999 ISO C Language) standard-conforming compilation system and the <code>c99</code> utility. Solaris 10 was tested with the <code>cc</code> , <code>c89</code> , and <code>c99</code> utilities and the compilation environment provided by Oracle Solaris Studio 12.3 C Compiler. |                                                                                                                                                                                                |

When `cc` is used to link applications, `/usr/lib/values-xpg4.o` must be specified on any link/load command line, unless the application is POSIX.1–2001– or SUSv3–conforming, in which case `/usr/lib/values-xpg6.o` must be specified on any link/load compile line. The preferred way to build applications, however, is described in the table below.

An XNS4- or XNS5-conforming application must include `-lXNS` on any link/load command line in addition to defining the feature test macros specified for SUS or SUSv2, respectively.

If the compiler supports the `redefine_extname` pragma feature (the Oracle Solaris Studio 12.3 C Compiler and the Oracle Solaris Studio 12.3 C++ Compiler define the macro `__PRAGMA_REDEFINE_EXTNAME` to indicate that it supports this feature), then the standard headers use `#pragma redefine_extname` directives to properly map function names onto library entry point names. This mapping provides full support for ISO C, POSIX, and X/Open namespace reservations.

If this pragma feature is not supported by the compiler, the headers use the `#define` directive to map internal function names onto appropriate library entry point names. In this instance, applications should avoid using the explicit 64-bit file offset symbols listed on the [lf64\(5\)](#) manual page, since these names are used by the implementation to name the alternative entry points.

When using Oracle Solaris Studio 12.3 C Compiler, applications conforming to the specifications listed above should be compiled using the utilities and flags indicated in the following table:

| Specification | Compiler/Flags | Feature Test Macros |
|---------------|----------------|---------------------|
| -----         |                |                     |

|                                                             |                   |                                               |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| 1989 ANSI C and 1990 ISO C                                  | c89               | none                                          |
| 1999 ISO C                                                  | c99               | none                                          |
| SVID3                                                       | cc -Xt -xc99=none | none                                          |
| POSIX.1-1990                                                | c89               | _POSIX_SOURCE                                 |
| POSIX.1-1990 and POSIX.2-1992<br>C-Language Bindings Option | c89               | _POSIX_SOURCE and<br>_POSIX_C_SOURCE=2        |
| POSIX.1b-1993                                               | c89               | _POSIX_C_SOURCE=199309L                       |
| POSIX.1c-1996                                               | c89               | _POSIX_C_SOURCE=199506L                       |
| POSIX.1-2001                                                | c99               | _POSIX_C_SOURCE=200112L                       |
| POSIX.1c-1996                                               | c89               | _POSIX_C_SOURCE=199506L                       |
| CAE XPG3                                                    | cc -Xa -xc99=none | _XOPEN_SOURCE                                 |
| CAE XPG4                                                    | c89               | _XOPEN_SOURCE and<br>_XOPEN_VERSION=4         |
| SUS (CAE XPG4v2)<br>(includes XNS4)                         | c89               | _XOPEN_SOURCE and<br>_XOPEN_SOURCE_EXTENDED=1 |
| SUSv2 (includes XNS5)                                       | c89               | _XOPEN_SOURCE=500                             |
| SUSv3                                                       | c99               | _XOPEN_SOURCE=600                             |

For platforms supporting the LP64 (64-bit) programming environment, SUSv2-conforming LP64 applications using XNS5 library calls should be built with command lines of the form:

```
c89 $(getconf XBS5_LP64_OFF64_CFLAGS) -D_XOPEN_SOURCE=500 \
    $(getconf XBS5_LP64_OFF64_LDFLAGS) foo.c -o foo \
    $(getconf XBS5_LP64_OFF64_LIBS) -lnet
```

Similar SUSv3-conforming LP64 applications should be built with command lines of the form:

```
c99 $(getconf POSIX_V6_LP64_OFF64_CFLAGS) -D_XOPEN_SOURCE=600 \
    $(getconf POSIX_V6_LP64_OFF64_LDFLAGS) foo.c -o foo \
    $(getconf POSIX_V6_LP64_OFF64_LIBS) -lnet
```

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```
c99 _XOPEN_SOURCE=600
```

**See Also** [csh\(1\)](#), [ksh\(1\)](#), [sh\(1\)](#), [exec\(2\)](#), [sysconf\(3C\)](#), [system\(3C\)](#), [environ\(5\)](#), [lf64\(5\)](#)



**Name** sticky – mark files for special treatment

**Description** The *sticky bit* (file mode bit `01000`, see [chmod\(2\)](#)) is used to indicate special treatment of certain files and directories. A directory for which the sticky bit is set restricts deletion of files it contains. A file in a sticky directory can only be removed or renamed by a user who has write permission on the directory, and either owns the file, owns the directory, has write permission on the file, or is a privileged user. Setting the sticky bit is useful for directories such as `/tmp`, which must be publicly writable but should deny users permission to arbitrarily delete or rename the files of others.

If the sticky bit is set on a regular file and no execute bits are set, the system's page cache will not be used to hold the file's data. This bit is normally set on swap files of diskless clients so that accesses to these files do not flush more valuable data from the system's cache. Moreover, by default such files are treated as swap files, whose inode modification times may not necessarily be correctly recorded on permanent storage.

Any user may create a sticky directory. See `chmod` for details about modifying file modes.

**See Also** [chmod\(1\)](#), [chmod\(2\)](#), [chown\(2\)](#), [mkdir\(2\)](#), [rename\(2\)](#), [unlink\(2\)](#)

**Bugs** The [mkdir\(2\)](#) function will not create a directory with the sticky bit set.

**Name** tecla, teclarc – User interface provided by the tecla library.

**Description** This man page describes the command-line editing features that are available to users of programs that read keyboard input via the tecla library. Users of the `tcsh` shell will find the default key bindings very familiar. Users of the `bash` shell will also find it quite familiar, but with a few minor differences, most notably in how forward and backward searches through the list of historical commands are performed. There are two major editing modes, one with emacs-like key bindings and another with vi-like key bindings. By default emacs mode is enabled, but `vi(1)` mode can alternatively be selected via the user's configuration file. This file can also be used to change the bindings of individual keys to suit the user's preferences. By default, tab completion is provided. If the application hasn't reconfigured this to complete other types of symbols, then tab completion completes file names.

**Key Sequence Notation** In the rest of this man page, and also in all tecla configuration files, key sequences are expressed as follows.

- `^A` or `C-a` This is a 'CONTROL-A', entered by pressing the CONTROL key at the same time as the 'A' key.
- `\E` or `M-` In key sequences, both of these notations can be entered either by pressing the ESCAPE key, then the following key, or by pressing the META key at the same time as the following key. Thus the key sequence `M-p` can be typed in two ways, by pressing the ESCAPE key, followed by pressing 'P', or by pressing the META key at the same time as 'P'.
- `up` This refers to the up-arrow key.
- `down` This refers to the down-arrow key.
- `left` This refers to the left-arrow key.
- `right` This refers to the right-arrow key.
- `a` This is just a normal 'A' key.

**The Tecla Configuration File** By default, tecla looks for a file called `.teclarc` in your home directory (ie. `~/ .teclarc`). If it finds this file, it reads it, interpreting each line as defining a new key binding or an editing configuration option. Since the emacs key-bindings are installed by default, if you want to use the non-default vi editing mode, the most important item to go in this file is the following line:

```
edit-mode vi
```

This will re-configure the default bindings for vi-mode. The complete set of arguments that this command accepts are:

- `vi` Install key bindings like those of the vi editor.
- `emacs` Install key bindings like those of the emacs editor. This is the default.

none      Use just the native line editing facilities provided by the terminal driver.

To prevent the terminal bell from being rung, such as when an unrecognized control-sequence is typed, place the following line in the configuration file:

```
nobeeep
```

An example of a key binding line in the configuration file is the following.

```
bind M-[2~ insert-mode
```

On many keyboards, the above key sequence is generated when one presses the insert key, so with this key binding, one can toggle between the emacs-mode insert and overwrite modes by hitting one key. One could also do it by typing out the above sequence of characters one by one. As explained above, the M- part of this sequence can be typed either by pressing the ESCAPE key before the following key, or by pressing the META key at the same time as the following key. Thus if you had set the above key binding, and the insert key on your keyboard didn't generate the above key sequence, you could still type it in either of the following 2 ways.

1. Hit the ESCAPE key momentarily, then press '[', then '2', then finally '~'.
2. Press the META key at the same time as pressing the '[' key, then press '2', then '~'.

If you set a key binding for a key sequence that is already bound to a function, the new binding overrides the old one. If in the new binding you omit the name of the new function to bind to the key sequence, the original binding becomes undefined.

Starting with versions of `libtecla` later than 1.3.3 it is now possible to bind key sequences that begin with a printable character. Previously key sequences were required to start with a CONTROL or META character.

Note that the special keywords "up", "down", "left", and "right" refer to the arrow keys, and are thus not treated as key sequences. So, for example, to rebind the up and down arrow keys to use the history search mechanism instead of the simple history recall method, you could place the following in your configuration file:

```
bind up history-search-backwards
bind down history-search-backwards
```

To unbind an existing binding, you can do this with the bind command by omitting to name any action to rebind the key sequence to. For example, by not specifying an action function, the following command unbinds the default beginning-of-line action from the ^A key sequence:

```
bind ^A
```

If you create a `~/.teclarc` configuration file, but it appears to have no effect on the program, check the documentation of the program to see if the author chose a different name for this file.

**Filename and Tilde Completion** With the default key bindings, pressing the TAB key (aka. `^I`) results in tecla attempting to complete the incomplete file name that precedes the cursor. Tecla searches backwards from the cursor, looking for the start of the file name, stopping when it hits either a space or the start of the line. If more than one file has the specified prefix, then tecla completes the file name up to the point at which the ambiguous matches start to differ, then lists the possible matches.

In addition to literally written file names, tecla can complete files that start with `~/` and `~user/` expressions and that contain `$envvar` expressions. In particular, if you hit TAB within an incomplete `~user,` expression, tecla will attempt to complete the username, listing any ambiguous matches.

The completion binding is implemented using the `cpl_complete_word()` function, which is also available separately to users of this library. See the [cpl\\_complete\\_word\(3TECLA\)](#) man page for more details.

**Filename Expansion** With the default key bindings, pressing `^X*` causes tecla to expand the file name that precedes the cursor, replacing `~/` and `~user/` expressions with the corresponding home directories, and replacing `$envvar` expressions with the value of the specified environment variable, then if there are any wildcards, replacing the so far expanded file name with a space-separated list of the files which match the wild cards.

The expansion binding is implemented using the `ef_expand_file()` function. See the [ef\\_expand\\_file\(3TECLA\)](#) man page for more details.

**Recalling Previously Typed Lines** Every time that a new line is entered by the user, it is appended to a list of historical input lines maintained within the `GetLine` resource object. You can traverse up and down this list using the up and down arrow keys. Alternatively, you can do the same with the `^P`, and `^N` keys, and in `vi` command mode you can alternatively use the `k` and `j` characters. Thus pressing up-arrow once, replaces the current input line with the previously entered line. Pressing up-arrow again, replaces this with the line that was entered before it, etc.. Having gone back one or more lines into the history list, one can return to newer lines by pressing down-arrow one or more times. If you do this sufficient times, you will return to the original line that you were entering when you first hit up-arrow.

Note that in `vi` mode, all of the history recall functions switch the library into command mode.

In `emacs` mode the `M-p` and `M-n` keys work just like the `^P` and `^N` keys, except that they skip all but those historical lines which share the prefix that precedes the cursor. In `vi` command mode the upper case `'K'` and `'J'` characters do the same thing, except that the string that they search for includes the character under the cursor as well as what precedes it.

Thus for example, suppose that you were in `emacs` mode, and you had just entered the following list of commands in the order shown:

```
ls ~/tecla/
cd ~/tecla
ls -l getline.c
emacs ~/tecla/getline.c
```

If you next typed:

```
ls
```

and then hit M-p, then rather than returning the previously typed emacs line, which doesn't start with "ls", tecla would recall the "ls -l getline.c" line. Pressing M-p again would recall the "ls ~/tecla/" line.

Note that if the string that you are searching for, contains any of the special characters, \*, ?, or '[', then it is interpreted as a pattern to be matched. Thus, continuing with the above example, after typing in the list of commands shown, if you then typed:

```
*tecla*
```

and hit M-p, then the "emacs ~/tecla/getline.c" line would be recalled first, since it contains the word tecla somewhere in the line. Similarly, hitting M-p again, would recall the "ls ~/tecla/" line, and hitting it once more would recall the "ls ~/tecla/" line. The pattern syntax is the same as that described for file name expansion, in the [ef\\_expand\\_file\(3TECLA\)](#).

**History Files** Authors of programs that use the tecla library have the option of saving historical command-lines in a file before exiting, and subsequently reading them back in from this file when the program is next started. There is no standard name for this file, since it makes sense for each application to use its own history file, so that commands from different applications don't get mixed up.

**International Character Sets** Since libtecla version 1.4.0, tecla has been 8-bit clean. This means that all 8-bit characters that are printable in the user's current locale are now displayed verbatim and included in the returned input line. Assuming that the calling program correctly contains a call like the following,

```
setlocale(LC_CTYPE, "");
```

then the current locale is determined by the first of the environment variables LC\_CTYPE, LC\_ALL, and LANG, that is found to contain a valid locale name. If none of these variables are defined, or the program neglects to call setlocale, then the default C locale is used, which is US 7-bit ASCII. On most unix-like platforms, you can get a list of valid locales by typing the command:

```
locale -a
```

at the shell prompt.

## Meta Keys and Locales

Beware that in most locales other than the default C locale, META characters become printable, and they are then no longer considered to match M-c style key bindings. This allows international characters to be entered with the compose key without unexpectedly triggering META key bindings. You can still invoke META bindings, since there are actually two ways to do this. For example the binding M-c can also be invoked by pressing the ESCAPE key momentarily, then pressing the c key, and this will work regardless of locale. Moreover, many modern terminal emulators, such as gnome's gnome-terminal's and KDE's konsole terminals, already generate escape pairs like this when you use the META key, rather than a real meta character, and other emulators usually have a way to request this behavior, so you can continue to use the META key on most systems.

For example, although xterm terminal emulators generate real 8-bit meta characters by default when you use the META key, they can be configured to output the equivalent escape pair by setting their `EightBitInput` X resource to False. You can either do this by placing a line like the following in your `~/.Xdefaults` file,

```
XTerm*EightBitInput: False
```

or by starting an xterm with an `-xrm '*EightBitInput: False'` command-line argument. In recent versions of xterm you can toggle this feature on and off with the 'Meta Sends Escape' option in the menu that is displayed when you press the left mouse button and the CONTROL key within an xterm window. In CDE, dtterms can be similarly coerced to generate escape pairs in place of meta characters, by setting the `Dtterm*KshMode` resource to True.

## Entering International Characters

If you don't have a keyboard that generates all of the international characters that you need, there is usually a compose key that will allow you to enter special characters, or a way to create one. For example, under X windows on unix-like systems, if your keyboard doesn't have a compose key, you can designate a redundant key to serve this purpose with the `xmodmap` command. For example, on many PC keyboards there is a microsoft-windows key, which is otherwise useless under Linux. On a laptop, for example, the `xev` program might report that pressing this key generates keycode 115. To turn this key into a COMPOSE key, do the following:

```
xmodmap -e 'keycode 115 = Multi_key'
```

Type this key followed by a " character to enter an 'I' with a umlaut over it.

### The Available Key Binding Functions

The following is a list of the editing functions provided by the tecla library. The names in the leftmost column of the list can be used in configuration files to specify which function a given key or combination of keys should invoke. They are also used in the next two sections to list the default key bindings in emacs and vi modes.

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| user-interrupt | Send a SIGINT signal to the parent process. |
| suspend        | Suspend the parent process.                 |

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| stop-output             | Pause terminal output.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| start-output            | Resume paused terminal output.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| literal-next            | Arrange for the next character to be treated as a normal character. This allows control characters to be entered.                                                                                                                                                      |
| cursor-right            | Move the cursor one character right.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| cursor-left             | Move the cursor one character left.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| insert-mode             | Toggle between insert mode and overwrite mode.                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| beginning-of-line       | Move the cursor to the beginning of the line.                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| end-of-line             | Move the cursor to the end of the line.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| delete-line             | Delete the contents of the current line.                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| kill-line               | Delete everything that follows the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| backward-kill-line      | Delete all characters between the cursor and the start of the line.                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| forward-word            | Move to the end of the word which follows the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| forward-to-word         | Move the cursor to the start of the word that follows the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| backward-word           | Move to the start of the word which precedes the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| goto-column             | Move the cursor to the 1-relative column in the line specified by any preceding digit-argument sequences (see Entering Repeat Counts below).                                                                                                                           |
| find-parenthesis        | If the cursor is currently over a parenthesis character, move it to the matching parenthesis character. If not over a parenthesis character move right to the next close parenthesis.                                                                                  |
| forward-delete-char     | Delete the character under the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| backward-delete-char    | Delete the character which precedes the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| list-or-eof             | This is intended for binding to ^D. When invoked when the cursor is within the line it displays all possible completions then redisplay the line unchanged. When invoked on an empty line, it signals end-of-input (EOF) to the caller of <code>gl_get_line()</code> . |
| del-char-or-list-or-eof | This is intended for binding to ^D. When invoked when the cursor is within the line it invokes forward-delete-char. When invoked at the end of the line it displays all possible                                                                                       |

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|                                      | completions then redisplay the line unchanged. When invoked on an empty line, it signals end-of-input (EOF) to the caller of <code>gl_get_line()</code> .                                                                      |
| <code>forward-delete-word</code>     | Delete the word which follows the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <code>backward-delete-word</code>    | Delete the word which precedes the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <code>upcase-word</code>             | Convert all of the characters of the word which follows the cursor, to upper case.                                                                                                                                             |
| <code>downcase-word</code>           | Convert all of the characters of the word which follows the cursor, to lower case.                                                                                                                                             |
| <code>capitalize-word</code>         | Capitalize the word which follows the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <code>change-case</code>             | If the next character is upper case, toggle it to lower case and vice versa.                                                                                                                                                   |
| <code>redisplay</code>               | Redisplay the line.                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <code>clear-screen</code>            | Clear the terminal, then redisplay the current line.                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <code>transpose-chars</code>         | Swap the character under the cursor with the character just before the cursor.                                                                                                                                                 |
| <code>set-mark</code>                | Set a mark at the position of the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <code>exchange-point-and-mark</code> | Move the cursor to the last mark that was set, and move the mark to where the cursor used to be.                                                                                                                               |
| <code>kill-region</code>             | Delete the characters that lie between the last mark that was set, and the cursor.                                                                                                                                             |
| <code>copy-region-as-kill</code>     | Copy the text between the mark and the cursor to the cut buffer, without deleting the original text.                                                                                                                           |
| <code>yank</code>                    | Insert the text that was last deleted, just before the current position of the cursor.                                                                                                                                         |
| <code>append-yank</code>             | Paste the current contents of the cut buffer, after the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                |
| <code>up-history</code>              | Recall the next oldest line that was entered. Note that in <code>vi</code> mode you are left in command mode.                                                                                                                  |
| <code>down-history</code>            | Recall the next most recent line that was entered. If no history recall session is currently active, the next line from a previous recall session is recalled. Note that in <code>vi</code> mode you are left in command mode. |
| <code>history-search-backward</code> | Recall the next oldest line who's prefix matches the string which currently precedes the cursor (in <code>vi</code> command-mode                                                                                               |



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|                                         | the character under the cursor is also included in the search string). Note that in <code>vi</code> mode you are left in command mode.                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <code>history-search-forward</code>     | Recall the next newest line who's prefix matches the string which currently precedes the cursor (in <code>vi</code> command-mode the character under the cursor is also included in the search string). Note that in <code>vi</code> mode you are left in command mode.                                                     |
| <code>history-re-search-backward</code> | Recall the next oldest line who's prefix matches that established by the last invocation of either <code>history-search-forward</code> or <code>history-search-backward</code> .                                                                                                                                            |
| <code>history-re-search-forward</code>  | Recall the next newest line who's prefix matches that established by the last invocation of either <code>history-search-forward</code> or <code>history-search-backward</code> .                                                                                                                                            |
| <code>complete-word</code>              | Attempt to complete the incomplete word which precedes the cursor. Unless the host program has customized word completion, file name completion is attempted. In <code>vi</code> command mode the character under the cursor is also included in the word being completed, and you are left in <code>vi</code> insert mode. |
| <code>expand-filename</code>            | Within the command line, expand wild cards, tilde expressions and dollar expressions in the file name which immediately precedes the cursor. In <code>vi</code> command mode the character under the cursor is also included in the file name being expanded, and you are left in <code>vi</code> insert mode.              |
| <code>list-glob</code>                  | List any file names which match the wild-card, tilde and dollar expressions in the file name which immediately precedes the cursor, then redraw the input line unchanged.                                                                                                                                                   |
| <code>list-history</code>               | Display the contents of the history list for the current history group. If a repeat count of <code>&gt; 1</code> is specified, only that many of the most recent lines are displayed. See the Entering Repeat Counts section.                                                                                               |
| <code>read-from-file</code>             | Temporarily switch to reading input from the file who's name precedes the cursor.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <code>read-init-files</code>            | Re-read <code>teclarc</code> configuration files.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <code>beginning-of-history</code>       | Move to the oldest line in the history list. Note that in <code>vi</code> mode you are left in command mode.                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <code>end-of-history</code>             | Move to the newest line in the history list (ie. the current line). Note that in <code>vi</code> mode this leaves you in command mode.                                                                                                                                                                                      |

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| digit-argument     | Enter a repeat count for the next key binding function. For details, see the Entering Repeat Counts section.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| newline            | Terminate and return the current contents of the line, after appending a newline character. The newline character is normally '\n', but will be the first character of the key sequence that invoked the newline action, if this happens to be a printable character. If the action was invoked by the '\n' newline character or the '\r' carriage return character, the line is appended to the history buffer. |
| repeat-history     | Return the line that is being edited, then arrange for the next most recent entry in the history buffer to be recalled when tecla is next called. Repeatedly invoking this action causes successive historical input lines to be re-executed. Note that this action is equivalent to the 'Operate' action in ksh.                                                                                                |
| ring-bell          | Ring the terminal bell, unless the bell has been silenced via the nobeep configuration option (see The Tecla Configuration File section).                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| forward-copy-char  | Copy the next character into the cut buffer (NB. use repeat counts to copy more than one).                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| backward-copy-char | Copy the previous character into the cut buffer.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| forward-copy-word  | Copy the next word into the cut buffer.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| backward-copy-word | Copy the previous word into the cut buffer.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| forward-find-char  | Move the cursor to the next occurrence of the next character that you type.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| backward-find-char | Move the cursor to the last occurrence of the next character that you type.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| forward-to-char    | Move the cursor to the character just before the next occurrence of the next character that the user types.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| backward-to-char   | Move the cursor to the character just after the last occurrence before the cursor of the next character that the user types.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| repeat-find-char   | Repeat the last backward-find-char, forward-find-char, backward-to-char or forward-to-char.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| invert-refind-char | Repeat the last backward-find-char, forward-find-char, backward-to-char, or forward-to-char in the opposite direction.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |

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| delete-to-column      | Delete the characters from the cursor up to the column that is specified by the repeat count.                                            |
| delete-to-parenthesis | Delete the characters from the cursor up to and including the matching parenthesis, or next close parenthesis.                           |
| forward-delete-find   | Delete the characters from the cursor up to and including the following occurrence of the next character typed.                          |
| backward-delete-find  | Delete the characters from the cursor up to and including the preceding occurrence of the next character typed.                          |
| forward-delete-to     | Delete the characters from the cursor up to, but not including, the following occurrence of the next character typed.                    |
| backward-delete-to    | Delete the characters from the cursor up to, but not including, the preceding occurrence of the next character typed.                    |
| delete-refind         | Repeat the last *-delete-find or *-delete-to action.                                                                                     |
| delete-invert-refind  | Repeat the last *-delete-find or *-delete-to action, in the opposite direction.                                                          |
| copy-to-column        | Copy the characters from the cursor up to the column that is specified by the repeat count, into the cut buffer.                         |
| copy-to-parenthesis   | Copy the characters from the cursor up to and including the matching parenthesis, or next close parenthesis, into the cut buffer.        |
| forward-copy-find     | Copy the characters from the cursor up to and including the following occurrence of the next character typed, into the cut buffer.       |
| backward-copy-find    | Copy the characters from the cursor up to and including the preceding occurrence of the next character typed, into the cut buffer.       |
| forward-copy-to       | Copy the characters from the cursor up to, but not including, the following occurrence of the next character typed, into the cut buffer. |
| backward-copy-to      | Copy the characters from the cursor up to, but not including, the preceding occurrence of the next character typed, into the cut buffer. |
| copy-refind           | Repeat the last *-copy-find or *-copy-to action.                                                                                         |

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| copy-invert-refind       | Repeat the last *-copy-find or *-copy-to action, in the opposite direction.                                                                 |
| vi-mode                  | Switch to vi mode from emacs mode.                                                                                                          |
| emacs-mode               | Switch to emacs mode from vi mode.                                                                                                          |
| vi-insert                | From vi command mode, switch to insert mode.                                                                                                |
| vi-overwrite             | From vi command mode, switch to overwrite mode.                                                                                             |
| vi-insert-at-bol         | From vi command mode, move the cursor to the start of the line and switch to insert mode.                                                   |
| vi-append-at-eol         | From vi command mode, move the cursor to the end of the line and switch to append mode.                                                     |
| vi-append                | From vi command mode, move the cursor one position right, and switch to insert mode.                                                        |
| vi-replace-char          | From vi command mode, replace the character under the cursor with the next character entered.                                               |
| vi-forward-change-char   | From vi command mode, delete the next character then enter insert mode.                                                                     |
| vi-backward-change-char  | From vi command mode, delete the preceding character then enter insert mode.                                                                |
| vi-forward-change-word   | From vi command mode, delete the next word then enter insert mode.                                                                          |
| vi-backward-change-word  | From vi command mode, delete the preceding word then enter insert mode.                                                                     |
| vi-change-rest-of-line   | From vi command mode, delete from the cursor to the end of the line, then enter insert mode.                                                |
| vi-change-line           | From vi command mode, delete the current line, then enter insert mode.                                                                      |
| vi-change-to-bol         | From vi command mode, delete all characters between the cursor and the beginning of the line, then enter insert mode.                       |
| vi-change-to-column      | From vi command mode, delete the characters from the cursor up to the column that is specified by the repeat count, then enter insert mode. |
| vi-change-to-parenthesis | Delete the characters from the cursor up to and including the matching parenthesis, or next close parenthesis, then enter vi insert mode.   |

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| vi-forward-change-find  | From vi command mode, delete the characters from the cursor up to and including the following occurrence of the next character typed, then enter insert mode.       |
| vi-backward-change-find | From vi command mode, delete the characters from the cursor up to and including the preceding occurrence of the next character typed, then enter insert mode.       |
| vi-forward-change-to    | From vi command mode, delete the characters from the cursor up to, but not including, the following occurrence of the next character typed, then enter insert mode. |
| vi-backward-change-to   | From vi command mode, delete the characters from the cursor up to, but not including, the preceding occurrence of the next character typed, then enter insert mode. |
| vi-change-refind        | Repeat the last vi- <i>*</i> -change-find or vi- <i>*</i> -change-to action.                                                                                        |
| vi-change-invert-refind | Repeat the last vi- <i>*</i> -change-find or vi- <i>*</i> -change-to action, in the opposite direction.                                                             |
| vi-undo                 | In vi mode, undo the last editing operation.                                                                                                                        |
| vi-repeat-change        | In vi command mode, repeat the last command that modified the line.                                                                                                 |

#### Default Key Bindings In emacs Mode

The following default key bindings, which can be overridden by the tecla configuration file, are designed to mimic most of the bindings of the unix tcsh shell, when it is in emacs editing mode.

This is the default editing mode of the tecla library.

Under UNIX the terminal driver sets a number of special keys for certain functions. The tecla library attempts to use the same key bindings to maintain consistency. The key sequences shown for the following 6 bindings are thus just examples of what they will probably be set to. If you have used the stty command to change these keys, then the default bindings should match.

|    |                |
|----|----------------|
| ^C | user-interrupt |
| ^\ | abort          |
| ^Z | suspend        |
| ^Q | start-output   |
| ^S | stop-output    |
| ^V | literal-next   |

The cursor keys are referred to by name, as follows. This is necessary because different types of terminals generate different key sequences when their cursor keys are pressed.

|       |              |
|-------|--------------|
| right | cursor-right |
| left  | cursor-left  |
| up    | up-history   |
| down  | down-history |

The remaining bindings don't depend on the terminal settings.

|      |                         |
|------|-------------------------|
| ^F   | cursor-right            |
| ^B   | cursor-left             |
| M-i  | insert-mode             |
| ^A   | beginning-of-line       |
| ^E   | end-of-line             |
| ^U   | delete-line             |
| ^K   | kill-line               |
| M-f  | forward-word            |
| M-b  | backward-word           |
| ^D   | del-char-or-list-or-eof |
| ^H   | backward-delete-char    |
| ^?   | backward-delete-char    |
| M-d  | forward-delete-word     |
| M-^H | backward-delete-word    |
| M-^? | backward-delete-word    |
| M-u  | upcase-word             |
| M-l  | downcase-word           |
| M-c  | capitalize-word         |
| ^R   | redisplay               |
| ^L   | clear-screen            |
| ^T   | transpose-chars         |
| ^@   | set-mark                |

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|                                |                            |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| <code>^X^X</code>              | exchange-point-and-mark    |
| <code>^W</code>                | kill-region                |
| <code>M-w</code>               | copy-region-as-kill        |
| <code>^Y</code>                | yank                       |
| <code>^P</code>                | up-history                 |
| <code>^N</code>                | down-history               |
| <code>M-p</code>               | history-search-backward    |
| <code>M-n</code>               | history-search-forward     |
| <code>^I</code>                | complete-word              |
| <code>^X*</code>               | expand-filename            |
| <code>^X^F</code>              | read-from-file             |
| <code>^X^R</code>              | read-init-files            |
| <code>^Xg</code>               | list-glob                  |
| <code>^Xh</code>               | list-history               |
| <code>M-&lt;</code>            | beginning-of-history       |
| <code>M-&gt;</code>            | end-of-history             |
| <code>\</code>                 | newline                    |
| <code>\r</code>                | newline                    |
| <code>M-o</code>               | repeat-history             |
| <code>M-^V</code>              | vi-mode                    |
| <code>M-0, M-1, ... M-9</code> | digit-argument (see below) |

Note that `^I` is what the TAB key generates, and that `^@` can be generated not only by pressing the CONTROL key and the @ key simultaneously, but also by pressing the CONTROL key and the space bar at the same time.

#### Default Key Bindings in vi Mode

The following default key bindings are designed to mimic the vi style of editing as closely as possible. This means that very few editing functions are provided in the initial character input mode, editing functions instead being provided by the vi command mode. The vi command mode is entered whenever the ESCAPE character is pressed, or whenever a key sequence that starts with a meta character is entered. In addition to mimicing vi, libtecla provides bindings for tab completion, wild-card expansion of file names, and historical line recall.

To learn how to tell the tecla library to use vi mode instead of the default emacs editing mode, see the earlier section entitled The Tecla Configuration File.

Under UNIX the terminal driver sets a number of special keys for certain functions. The tecla library attempts to use the same key bindings to maintain consistency, binding them both in input mode and in command mode. The key sequences shown for the following 6 bindings are thus just examples of what they will probably be set to. If you have used the `stty` command to change these keys, then the default bindings should match.

|                   |                |
|-------------------|----------------|
| <code>^C</code>   | user-interrupt |
| <code>^\</code>   | abort          |
| <code>^Z</code>   | suspend        |
| <code>^Q</code>   | start-output   |
| <code>^S</code>   | stop-output    |
| <code>^V</code>   | literal-next   |
| <code>M-^C</code> | user-interrupt |
| <code>M-^\</code> | abort          |
| <code>M-^Z</code> | suspend        |
| <code>M-^Q</code> | start-output   |
| <code>M-^S</code> | stop-output    |

Note that above, most of the bindings are defined twice, once as a raw control code like `^C` and then a second time as a META character like `M-^C`. The former is the binding for vi input mode, whereas the latter is the binding for vi command mode. Once in command mode all key sequences that the user types that they don't explicitly start with an ESCAPE or a META key, have their first key secretly converted to a META character before the key sequence is looked up in the key binding table. Thus, once in command mode, when you type the letter `i`, for example, the tecla library actually looks up the binding for `M-i`.

The cursor keys are referred to by name, as follows. This is necessary because different types of terminals generate different key sequences when their cursor keys are pressed.

|                    |              |
|--------------------|--------------|
| <code>right</code> | cursor-right |
| <code>left</code>  | cursor-left  |
| <code>up</code>    | up-history   |
| <code>down</code>  | down-history |



The cursor keys normally generate a key sequence that start with an ESCAPE character, so beware that using the arrow keys will put you into command mode (if you aren't already in command mode).

The following are the terminal-independent key bindings for vi input mode.

|                   |                      |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| <code>^D</code>   | list-or-eof          |
| <code>^G</code>   | list-glob            |
| <code>^H</code>   | backward-delete-char |
| <code>^I</code>   | complete-word        |
| <code>\r</code>   | newline              |
| <code>\</code>    | newline              |
| <code>^L</code>   | clear-screen         |
| <code>^N</code>   | down-history         |
| <code>^P</code>   | up-history           |
| <code>^R</code>   | redisplay            |
| <code>^U</code>   | backward-kill-line   |
| <code>^W</code>   | backward-delete-word |
| <code>^X*</code>  | expand-filename      |
| <code>^X^F</code> | read-from-file       |
| <code>^X^R</code> | read-init-files      |
| <code>^?</code>   | backward-delete-char |

The following are the key bindings that are defined in vi command mode, this being specified by them all starting with a META character. As mentioned above, once in command mode the initial meta character is optional. For example, you might enter command mode by typing ESCAPE, and then press 'H' twice to move the cursor two positions to the left. Both 'H' characters get quietly converted to M-h before being compared to the key binding table, the first one because ESCAPE followed by a character is always converted to the equivalent META character, and the second because command mode was already active.

|                   |                           |
|-------------------|---------------------------|
| <code>M-\</code>  | cursor-right (META-space) |
| <code>M-\$</code> | end-of-line               |
| <code>M-*</code>  | expand-filename           |
| <code>M-+</code>  | down-history              |

|         |                         |
|---------|-------------------------|
| M - -   | up-history              |
| M - <   | beginning-of-history    |
| M - >   | end-of-history          |
| M - ^   | beginning-of-line       |
| M -     | repeat-find-char        |
| M - ,   | invert-refind-char      |
| M -     | goto-column             |
| M - ~   | change-case             |
| M - .   | vi-repeat-change        |
| M - %   | find-parenthesis        |
| M - a   | vi-append               |
| M - A   | vi-append-at-eol        |
| M - b   | backward-word           |
| M - B   | backward-word           |
| M - C   | vi-change-rest-of-line  |
| M - cb  | vi-backward-change-word |
| M - cB  | vi-backward-change-word |
| M - cc  | vi-change-line          |
| M - ce  | vi-forward-change-word  |
| M - cE  | vi-forward-change-word  |
| M - cw  | vi-forward-change-word  |
| M - cW  | vi-forward-change-word  |
| M - cF  | vi-backward-change-find |
| M - cf  | vi-forward-change-find  |
| M - cT  | vi-backward-change-to   |
| M - ct  | vi-forward-change-to    |
| M - c ; | vi-change-refind        |
| M - c , | vi-change-invert-refind |
| M - ch  | vi-backward-change-char |

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|       |                                       |
|-------|---------------------------------------|
| M-c^H | vi-backward-change-char               |
| M-c^? | vi-backward-change-char               |
| M-cl  | vi-forward-change-char                |
| M-c\  | vi-forward-change-char (META-c-space) |
| M-c^  | vi-change-to-bol                      |
| M-c0  | vi-change-to-bol                      |
| M-c\$ | vi-change-rest-of-line                |
| M-c   | vi-change-to-column                   |
| M-c%  | vi-change-to-parenthesis              |
| M-dh  | backward-delete-char                  |
| M-d^H | backward-delete-char                  |
| M-d^? | backward-delete-char                  |
| M-dl  | forward-delete-char                   |
| M-d   | forward-delete-char (META-d-space)    |
| M-dd  | delete-line                           |
| M-db  | backward-delete-word                  |
| M-dB  | backward-delete-word                  |
| M-de  | forward-delete-word                   |
| M-dE  | forward-delete-word                   |
| M-dw  | forward-delete-word                   |
| M-dW  | forward-delete-word                   |
| M-dF  | backward-delete-find                  |
| M-df  | forward-delete-find                   |
| M-dT  | backward-delete-to                    |
| M-dt  | forward-delete-to                     |
| M-d;  | delete-refind                         |
| M-d,  | delete-invert-refind                  |
| M-d^  | backward-kill-line                    |
| M-d0  | backward-kill-line                    |

|       |                            |
|-------|----------------------------|
| M-d\$ | kill-line                  |
| M-D   | kill-line                  |
| M-d   | delete-to-column           |
| M-d%  | delete-to-parenthesis      |
| M-e   | forward-word               |
| M-E   | forward-word               |
| M-f   | forward-find-char          |
| M-F   | backward-find-char         |
| M- -  | up-history                 |
| M-h   | cursor-left                |
| M-H   | beginning-of-history       |
| M-i   | vi-insert                  |
| M-I   | vi-insert-at-bol           |
| M-j   | down-history               |
| M-J   | history-search-forward     |
| M-k   | up-history                 |
| M-K   | history-search-backward    |
| M-l   | cursor-right               |
| M-L   | end-of-history             |
| M-n   | history-re-search-forward  |
| M-N   | history-re-search-backward |
| M-p   | append-yank                |
| M-P   | yank                       |
| M-r   | vi-replace-char            |
| M-R   | vi-overwrite               |
| M-s   | vi-forward-change-char     |
| M-S   | vi-change-line             |
| M-t   | forward-to-char            |
| M-T   | backward-to-char           |

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|       |                                  |
|-------|----------------------------------|
| M-u   | vi-undo                          |
| M-w   | forward-to-word                  |
| M-W   | forward-to-word                  |
| M-x   | forward-delete-char              |
| M-X   | backward-delete-char             |
| M-yh  | backward-copy-char               |
| M-y^H | backward-copy-char               |
| M-y^? | backward-copy-char               |
| M-yl  | forward-copy-char                |
| M-y\  | forward-copy-char (META-y-space) |
| M-ye  | forward-copy-word                |
| M-yE  | forward-copy-word                |
| M-yw  | forward-copy-word                |
| M-yW  | forward-copy-word                |
| M-yb  | backward-copy-word               |
| M-yB  | backward-copy-word               |
| M-yf  | forward-copy-find                |
| M-yF  | backward-copy-find               |
| M-yt  | forward-copy-to                  |
| M-yT  | backward-copy-to                 |
| M-y;  | copy-refind                      |
| M-y,  | copy-invert-refind               |
| M-y^  | copy-to-bol                      |
| M-y0  | copy-to-bol                      |
| M-y\$ | copy-rest-of-line                |
| M-yy  | copy-line                        |
| M-Y   | copy-line                        |
| M-y   | copy-to-column                   |
| M-y%  | copy-to-parenthesis              |

|                   |                            |
|-------------------|----------------------------|
| M-^E              | emacs-mode                 |
| M-^H              | cursor-left                |
| M-^?              | cursor-left                |
| M-^L              | clear-screen               |
| M-^N              | down-history               |
| M-^P              | up-history                 |
| M-^R              | redisplay                  |
| M-^D              | list-or-eof                |
| M-^I              | complete-word              |
| M-\<br>r          | newline                    |
| M-\<br>           | newline                    |
| M-^X^R            | read-init-files            |
| M-^Xh             | list-history               |
| M-0, M-1, ... M-9 | digit-argument (see below) |

Note that ^I is what the TAB key generates.

Entering Repeat Counts Many of the key binding functions described previously, take an optional count, typed in before the target key sequence. This is interpreted as a repeat count by most bindings. A notable exception is the goto-column binding, which interprets the count as a column number.

By default you can specify this count argument by pressing the META key while typing in the numeric count. This relies on the digit-argument action being bound to 'META-0', 'META-1' etc. Once any one of these bindings has been activated, you can optionally take your finger off the META key to type in the rest of the number, since every numeric digit thereafter is treated as part of the number, unless it is preceded by the literal-next binding. As soon as a non-digit, or literal digit key is pressed the repeat count is terminated and either causes the just typed character to be added to the line that many times, or causes the next key binding function to be given that argument.

For example, in emacs mode, typing:

M-12a

causes the letter 'a' to be added to the line 12 times, whereas

M-4M-c

Capitalizes the next 4 words.

In vi command mode the meta modifier is automatically added to all characters typed in, so to enter a count in vi command-mode, just involves typing in the number, just as it does in the vi editor itself. So for example, in vi command mode, typing:

```
4w2x
```

moves the cursor four words to the right, then deletes two characters.

You can also bind digit-argument to other key sequences. If these end in a numeric digit, that digit gets appended to the current repeat count. If it doesn't end in a numeric digit, a new repeat count is started with a value of zero, and can be completed by typing in the number, after letting go of the key which triggered the digit-argument action.

**Files**    `/usr/lib/libtecla.so`            The tecla library  
          `/usr/include/libtecla.h`        The tecla header file  
          `~/.teclarc`                    The personal tecla customization file

**Attributes**    See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

| ATTRIBUTE TYPE      | ATTRIBUTE VALUE |
|---------------------|-----------------|
| Availability        | SUNWtecla       |
| Interface Stability | Evolving        |

**See Also**    [vi\(1\)](#), [cpl\\_complete\\_word\(3TECLA\)](#), [ef\\_expand\\_file\(3TECLA\)](#), [gl\\_get\\_line\(3TECLA\)](#), [gl\\_io\\_mode\(3TECLA\)](#), [libtecla\(3LIB\)](#), [pca\\_lookup\\_file\(3TECLA\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Name** term – conventional names for terminals

**Description** Terminal names are maintained as part of the shell environment in the environment variable TERM. See [sh\(1\)](#), [profile\(4\)](#), and [environ\(5\)](#). These names are used by certain commands (for example, tabs, tput, and vi) and certain functions (for example, see [curses\(3CURSES\)](#)).

Files under /usr/share/lib/terminfo are used to name terminals and describe their capabilities. These files are in the format described in [terminfo\(4\)](#). Entries in terminfo source files consist of a number of comma-separated fields. To print a description of a terminal *term*, use the command `infocmp -I term`. See [infocmp\(1M\)](#). White space after each comma is ignored. The first line of each terminal description in the terminfo database gives the names by which terminfo knows the terminal, separated by bar (|) characters. The first name given is the most common abbreviation for the terminal (this is the one to use to set the environment variable TERMINFO in \$HOME/.profile; see [profile\(4\)](#)), the last name given should be a long name fully identifying the terminal, and all others are understood as synonyms for the terminal name. All names but the last should contain no blanks and must be unique in the first 14 characters; the last name may contain blanks for readability.

Terminal names (except for the last, verbose entry) should be chosen using the following conventions. The particular piece of hardware making up the terminal should have a root name chosen, for example, for the AT&T 4425 terminal, at4425. This name should not contain hyphens, except that synonyms may be chosen that do not conflict with other names. Up to 8 characters, chosen from the set a through z and 0 through 9, make up a basic terminal name. Names should generally be based on original vendors rather than local distributors. A terminal acquired from one vendor should not have more than one distinct basic name. Terminal sub-models, operational modes that the hardware can be in, or user preferences should be indicated by appending a hyphen and an indicator of the mode. Thus, an AT&T 4425 terminal in 132 column mode is at4425-w. The following suffixes should be used where possible:

| Suffix | Meaning                              | Example    |
|--------|--------------------------------------|------------|
| -w     | Wide mode (more than 80 columns)     | att4425-w  |
| -am    | With auto. margins (usually default) | vt100-am   |
| -nam   | Without automatic margins            | vt100-nam  |
| -n     | Number of lines on the screen        | aaa-60     |
| -na    | No arrow keys (leave them in local)  | c100-na    |
| -np    | Number of pages of memory            | c100-4p    |
| -rv    | Reverse video                        | att4415-rv |



To avoid conflicts with the naming conventions used in describing the different modes of a terminal (for example, -w), it is recommended that a terminal's root name not contain hyphens. Further, it is good practice to make all terminal names used in the [terminfo\(4\)](#) database unique. Terminal entries that are present only for inclusion in other entries via the `use=` facilities should have a '+' in their name, as in `4415+n1`.

Here are some of the known terminal names: (For a complete list, enter the command `ls -C /usr/share/lib/terminfo/?` ).

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|                   |                                                    |
|-------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| 2621,hp2621       | Hewlett-Packard 2621 series                        |
| 2631              | Hewlett-Packard 2631 line printer                  |
| 2631-c            | Hewlett-Packard 2631 line printer, compressed mode |
| 2631-e            | Hewlett-Packard 2631 line printer, expanded mode   |
| 2640,hp2640       | Hewlett-Packard 2640 series                        |
| 2645,hp2645       | Hewlett-Packard 2645 series                        |
| 3270              | IBM Model 3270                                     |
| 33,tty33          | AT&T Teletype Model 33 KSR                         |
| 35,tty35          | AT&T Teletype Model 35 KSR                         |
| 37,tty37          | AT&T Teletype Model 37 KSR                         |
| 4000a             | Trendata 4000a                                     |
| 4014,tek4014      | TEKTRONIX 4014                                     |
| 40,tty40          | AT&T Teletype Dataspeed 40/2                       |
| 43,tty43          | AT&T Teletype Model 43 KSR                         |
| 4410,5410         | AT&T 4410/5410 in 80-column mode, version 2        |
| 4410-nfk,5410-nfk | AT&T 4410/5410 without function keys, version 1    |
| 4410-nsl,5410-nsl | AT&T 4410/5410 without pln defined                 |
| 4410-w,5410-w     | AT&T 4410/5410 in 132-column mode                  |
| 4410v1,5410v1     | AT&T 4410/5410 in 80-column mode, version 1        |
| 4410v1-w,5410v1-w | AT&T 4410/5410 in 132-column mode, version 1       |
| 4415,5420         | AT&T 4415/5420 in 80-column mode                   |
| 4415-nl,5420-nl   | AT&T 4415/5420 without changing labels             |
| 4415-rv,5420-rv   | AT&T 4415/5420 80 columns in reverse video         |

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|-----------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| 4415-rv-nl,5420-rv-nl | AT&T 4415/5420 reverse video without changing labels      |
| 4415-w,5420-w         | AT&T 4415/5420 in 132-column mode                         |
| 4415-w-nl,5420-w-nl   | AT&T 4415/5420 in 132-column mode without changing labels |
| 4415-w-rv,5420-w-rv   | AT&T 4415/5420 132 columns in reverse video               |
| 4418,5418             | AT&T 5418 in 80-column mode                               |
| 4418-w,5418-w         | AT&T 5418 in 132-column mode                              |
| 4420                  | AT&T Teletype Model 4420                                  |
| 4424                  | AT&T Teletype Model 4424                                  |
| 4424-2                | AT&T Teletype Model 4424 in display function group ii     |
| 4425,5425             | AT&T 4425/5425                                            |
| 4425-fk,5425-fk       | AT&T 4425/5425 without function keys                      |
| 4425-nl,5425-nl       | AT&T 4425/5425 without changing labels in 80-column mode  |
| 4425-w,5425-w         | AT&T 4425/5425 in 132-column mode                         |
| 4425-w-fk,5425-w-fk   | AT&T 4425/5425 without function keys in 132-column mode   |
| 4425-nl-w,5425-nl-w   | AT&T 4425/5425 without changing labels in 132-column mode |
| 4426                  | AT&T Teletype Model 4426S                                 |
| 450                   | DASI 450 (same as Diablo 1620)                            |
| 450-12                | DASI 450 in 12-pitch mode                                 |
| 500,att500            | AT&T-IS 500 terminal                                      |
| 510,510a              | AT&T 510/510a in 80-column mode                           |
| 513bct,att513         | AT&T 513 bct terminal                                     |
| 5320                  | AT&T 5320 hardcopy terminal                               |
| 5420_2                | AT&T 5420 model 2 in 80-column mode                       |
| 5420_2-w              | AT&T 5420 model 2 in 132-column mode                      |
| 5620,dmd              | AT&T 5620 terminal 88 columns                             |
| 5620-24,dmd-24        | AT&T Teletype Model DMD 5620 in a 24x80 layer             |
| 5620-34,dmd-34        | AT&T Teletype Model DMD 5620 in a 34x80 layer             |
| 610,610bct            | AT&T 610 bct terminal in 80-column mode                   |
| 610-w,610bct-w        | AT&T 610 bct terminal in 132-column mode                  |

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|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 630,630MTG          | AT&T 630 Multi-Tasking Graphics terminal                                                  |
| 7300,pc7300,unix_pc | AT&T UNIX PC Model 7300                                                                   |
| 735,ti              | Texas Instruments TI735 and TI725                                                         |
| 745                 | Texas Instruments TI745                                                                   |
| dumb                | generic name for terminals that lack reverse line-feed and other special escape sequences |
| hp                  | Hewlett-Packard (same as 2645)                                                            |
| lp                  | generic name for a line printer                                                           |
| pt505               | AT&T Personal Terminal 505 (22 lines)                                                     |
| pt505-24            | AT&T Personal Terminal 505 (24-line mode)                                                 |
| sync                | generic name for synchronous Teletype Model 4540-compatible terminals                     |

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Commands whose behavior depends on the type of terminal should accept arguments of the form `-Tterm` where *term* is one of the names given above; if no such argument is present, such commands should obtain the terminal type from the environment variable `TERM`, which, in turn, should contain *term*.

**Files** `/usr/share/lib/terminfo/??/*` compiled terminal description database

**See Also** [sh\(1\)](#), [stty\(1\)](#), [tabs\(1\)](#), [tput\(1\)](#), [vi\(1\)](#), [infocmp\(1M\)](#), [curses\(3CURSES\)](#), [profile\(4\)](#), [terminfo\(4\)](#), [environ\(5\)](#)

**Name** threads, pthreads – POSIX pthreads and Solaris threads concepts

**Synopsis**

```
POSIX cc -mt [ flag... ] file... [ -lrt library... ]
      #include <pthread.h>

Solaris cc -mt [ flag... ] file... [ library... ]
      #include <sched.h>
      #include <thread.h>
```

**Description** POSIX and Solaris threads each have their own implementation within `libc(3LIB)`. Both implementations are interoperable, their functionality similar, and can be used within the same application. Only POSIX threads are guaranteed to be fully portable to other POSIX-compliant environments. POSIX and Solaris threads require different source, include files and linking libraries. See SYNOPSIS.

**Similarities** Most of the POSIX and Solaris threading functions have counterparts with each other. POSIX function names, with the exception of the semaphore names, have a “pthread” prefix. Function names for similar POSIX and Solaris functions have similar endings. Typically, similar POSIX and Solaris functions have the same number and use of arguments.

- Differences** POSIX pthreads and Solaris threads differ in the following ways:
- POSIX threads are more portable.
  - POSIX threads establish characteristics for each thread according to configurable attribute objects.
  - POSIX pthreads implement thread cancellation.
  - POSIX pthreads enforce scheduling algorithms.
  - POSIX pthreads allow for clean-up handlers for `fork(2)` calls.
  - Solaris threads can be suspended and continued.
  - Solaris threads implement daemon threads, for whose demise the process does not wait.

**Function Comparison** The following table compares the POSIX pthreads and Solaris threads functions. When a comparable interface is not available either in POSIX pthreads or Solaris threads, a hyphen (–) appears in the column.

| Functions Related to Creation | POSIX               | Solaris      |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|--------------|
|                               | pthread_create()    | thr_create() |
|                               | pthread_attr_init() | –            |

|                                           |                                |                   |
|-------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
|                                           | pthread_attr_setdetachstate()  | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_getdetachstate()  | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_setinheritsched() | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_getinheritsched() | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_setschedparam()   | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_getschedparam()   | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_setschedpolicy()  | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_getschedpolicy()  | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_setscope()        | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_getscope()        | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_setstackaddr()    | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_getstackaddr()    | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_setstacksize()    | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_getstacksize()    | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_getguardsize()    | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_setguardsize()    | —                 |
|                                           | pthread_attr_destroy()         | —                 |
|                                           | —                              | thr_min_stack()   |
| Functions Related to Exit                 | POSIX                          | Solaris           |
|                                           | pthread_exit()                 | thr_exit()        |
|                                           | pthread_join()                 | thr_join()        |
|                                           | pthread_detach()               | —                 |
| Functions Related to Thread Specific Data | POSIX                          | Solaris           |
|                                           | pthread_key_create()           | thr_keycreate()   |
|                                           | pthread_setspecific()          | thr_setspecific() |
|                                           | pthread_getspecific()          | thr_getspecific() |
|                                           | pthread_key_delete()           | —                 |

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|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|----------------------|--|
| Functions Related to Signals      | POSIX                    |  | Solaris              |  |
|                                   | pthread_sigmask()        |  | thr_sigsetmask()     |  |
|                                   | pthread_kill()           |  | thr_kill()           |  |
| Functions Related to IDs          | POSIX                    |  | Solaris              |  |
|                                   | pthread_self()           |  | thr_self()           |  |
|                                   | pthread_equal()          |  | -                    |  |
|                                   | -                        |  | thr_main()           |  |
| Functions Related to Scheduling   | POSIX                    |  | Solaris              |  |
|                                   | -                        |  | thr_yield()          |  |
|                                   | -                        |  | thr_suspend()        |  |
|                                   | -                        |  | thr_continue()       |  |
|                                   | pthread_setconcurrency() |  | thr_setconcurrency() |  |
|                                   | pthread_getconcurrency() |  | thr_getconcurrency() |  |
|                                   | pthread_setschedparam()  |  | thr_setprio()        |  |
|                                   | pthread_getschedparam()  |  | thr_getprio()        |  |
| Functions Related to Cancellation | POSIX                    |  | Solaris              |  |
|                                   | pthread_cancel()         |  | -                    |  |
|                                   | pthread_setcancelstate() |  | -                    |  |
|                                   | pthread_setcanceltype()  |  | -                    |  |
|                                   | pthread_testcancel()     |  | -                    |  |
|                                   | pthread_cleanup_pop()    |  | -                    |  |
|                                   | pthread_cleanup_push()   |  | -                    |  |
| Functions Related to Mutexes      | POSIX                    |  | Solaris              |  |
|                                   | pthread_mutex_init()     |  | mutex_init()         |  |
|                                   | pthread_mutexattr_init() |  | -                    |  |

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|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| <code>pthread_mutexattr_setpshared()</code>     | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutexattr_getpshared()</code>     | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutexattr_setprotocol()</code>    | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutexattr_getprotocol()</code>    | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutexattr_setprioceiling()</code> | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutexattr_getprioceiling()</code> | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutexattr_settype()</code>        | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutexattr_gettype()</code>        | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutexattr_setrobust_np()</code>   | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutexattr_getrobust_np()</code>   | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutexattr_destroy()</code>        | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutex_setprioceiling()</code>     | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutex_getprioceiling()</code>     | —                            |
| <code>pthread_mutex_lock()</code>               | <code>mutex_lock()</code>    |
| <code>pthread_mutex_trylock()</code>            | <code>mutex_trylock()</code> |
| <code>pthread_mutex_unlock()</code>             | <code>mutex_unlock()</code>  |
| <code>pthread_mutex_destroy()</code>            | <code>mutex_destroy()</code> |

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Functions Related to  
Condition Variables

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| POSIX                                      | Solaris                       |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <code>pthread_cond_init()</code>           | <code>cond_init()</code>      |
| <code>pthread_condattr_init()</code>       | —                             |
| <code>pthread_condattr_setpshared()</code> | —                             |
| <code>pthread_condattr_getpshared()</code> | —                             |
| <code>pthread_condattr_destroy()</code>    | —                             |
| <code>pthread_cond_wait()</code>           | <code>cond_wait()</code>      |
| <code>pthread_cond_timedwait()</code>      | <code>cond_timedwait()</code> |
| <code>pthread_cond_signal()</code>         | <code>cond_signal()</code>    |
| <code>pthread_cond_broadcast()</code>      | <code>cond_broadcast()</code> |
| <code>pthread_cond_destroy()</code>        | <code>cond_destroy()</code>   |

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|--------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Functions Related to Reader/Writer Locking | POSIX                           | Solaris          |
|                                            | pthread_rwlock_init()           | rwlock_init()    |
|                                            | pthread_rwlock_rdlock()         | rw_rdlock()      |
|                                            | pthread_rwlock_tryrdlock()      | rw_tryrdlock()   |
|                                            | pthread_rwlock_wrlock()         | rw_wrlock()      |
|                                            | pthread_rwlock_trywrlock()      | rw_trywrlock()   |
|                                            | pthread_rwlock_unlock()         | rw_unlock()      |
|                                            | pthread_rwlock_destroy()        | rwlock_destroy() |
|                                            | pthread_rwlockattr_init()       | —                |
|                                            | pthread_rwlockattr_destroy()    | —                |
|                                            | pthread_rwlockattr_getpshared() | —                |
|                                            | pthread_rwlockattr_setpshared() | —                |
| Functions Related to Semaphores            | POSIX                           | Solaris          |
|                                            | sem_init()                      | sema_init()      |
|                                            | sem_open()                      | —                |
|                                            | sem_close()                     | —                |
|                                            | sem_wait()                      | sema_wait()      |
|                                            | sem_trywait()                   | sema_trywait()   |
|                                            | sem_post()                      | sema_post()      |
|                                            | sem_getvalue()                  | —                |
|                                            | sem_unlink()                    | —                |
|                                            | sem_destroy()                   | sema_destroy()   |
| Functions Related to fork() Clean Up       | POSIX                           | Solaris          |
|                                            | pthread_atfork()                | —                |
| Functions Related to Limits                | POSIX                           | Solaris          |
|                                            | pthread_once()                  | —                |



| Functions Related to Debugging | POSIX | Solaris          |
|--------------------------------|-------|------------------|
|                                | —     | thr_stksegment() |

Locking

**Synchronization** Multithreaded behavior is asynchronous, and therefore, optimized for concurrent and parallel processing. As threads, always from within the same process and sometimes from multiple processes, share global data with each other, they are not guaranteed exclusive access to the shared data at any point in time. Securing mutually exclusive access to shared data requires synchronization among the threads. Both POSIX and Solaris implement four synchronization mechanisms: mutexes, condition variables, reader/writer locking (*optimized frequent-read occasional-write mutex*), and semaphores.

Synchronizing multiple threads diminishes their concurrency. The coarser the grain of synchronization, that is, the larger the block of code that is locked, the lesser the concurrency.

**MT fork()** If a threads program calls `fork(2)`, it implicitly calls `fork1(2)`, which replicates only the calling thread. Should there be any outstanding mutexes throughout the process, the application should call `pthread_atfork(3C)` to wait for and acquire those mutexes prior to calling `fork()`.

Scheduling

**POSIX** Scheduling allocation size per thread is greater than one. POSIX supports the following three scheduling policies:

- SCHED\_OTHER** Timesharing (TS) scheduling policy. It is based on the timesharing scheduling class.
- SCHED\_FIFO** First-In-First-Out (FIFO) scheduling policy. Threads scheduled to this policy, if not pre-empted by a higher priority, will proceed until completion. Such threads are in real-time (RT) scheduling class. The calling process must have a effective user ID of 0.
- SCHED\_RR** Round-Robin scheduling policy. Threads scheduled to this policy, if not pre-empted by a higher priority, will execute for a time period determined by the system. Such threads are in real-time (RT) scheduling class and the calling process must have a effective user ID of 0.

**Solaris** Only scheduling policy supported is `SCHED_OTHER`, which is timesharing, based on the TS scheduling class.

**Errors** In a multithreaded application, `EINTR` can be returned from blocking system calls when another thread calls `forkall(2)`.

**Usage**

`-mt` compiler option    The `-mt` compiler option compiles and links for multithreaded code. It compiles source files with `-D_REENTRANT` and augments the set of support libraries properly.

**Attributes**    See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

| ATTRIBUTE TYPE | ATTRIBUTE VALUE      |
|----------------|----------------------|
| MT-Level       | MT-Safe, Fork 1-Safe |

**See Also**    [crle\(1\)](#), [fork\(2\)](#), [libpthread\(3LIB\)](#), [librt\(3LIB\)](#), [libthread\(3LIB\)](#), [pthread\\_atfork\(3C\)](#), [pthread\\_create\(3C\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#), [standards\(5\)](#)

*[Linker and Libraries Guide](#)*

**Name** trusted\_extensions – Solaris Trusted Extensions

**Description** Solaris Trusted Extensions software is a specific configuration of the Solaris Operating System (Solaris OS). Solaris Trusted Extensions (Trusted Extensions) provides labels for local objects and processes, for the desktop and windowing system, for zones and file systems, and for network communications. These labels are used to implement a Multilevel Security (MLS) policy that restricts the flow of information based on label relationships. In contrast to Discretionary Access Control (DAC) based on ownership, the MLS policy enforced by Trusted Extensions is an example of Mandatory Access Control (MAC).

By default, Trusted Extensions software is disabled. It is enabled and disabled (but not configured) by the [labeld\(1M\)](#) service, identified by the FMRI:

```
svc:/system/labeld:default
```

Refer to the Administrator's Guide listed below for the required configuration of Trusted Extensions software necessary before use. The system must be rebooted after enabling or disabling `labeld` to activate or deactivate Trusted Extensions software.

**See Also** [labeld\(1M\)](#), [label\\_encodings\(4\)](#), [labels\(5\)](#)

*[Trusted Extensions Administrator's Procedures](#)*

*[Trusted Extensions User's Guide](#)*

**Name** vgrindefs – vgrind's language definition data base

**Synopsis** /usr/lib/vgrindefs

**Description** vgrindefs contains all language definitions for [vgrind\(1\)](#). Capabilities in vgrindefs are of two types: Boolean capabilities which indicate that the language has some particular feature and string capabilities which give a regular expression or keyword list. Entries may continue onto multiple lines by giving a \ as the last character of a line. Lines starting with # are comments.

**Capabilities** The following table names and describes each capability.

| Name | Type | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|------|------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ab   | str  | Regular expression for the start of an alternate form comment                                                                                                                                                  |
| ae   | str  | Regular expression for the end of an alternate form comment                                                                                                                                                    |
| bb   | str  | Regular expression for the start of a block                                                                                                                                                                    |
| be   | str  | Regular expression for the end of a lexical block                                                                                                                                                              |
| cb   | str  | Regular expression for the start of a comment                                                                                                                                                                  |
| ce   | str  | Regular expression for the end of a comment                                                                                                                                                                    |
| id   | str  | String giving characters other than letters and digits that may legally occur in identifiers (default '_')                                                                                                     |
| kw   | str  | A list of keywords separated by spaces                                                                                                                                                                         |
| lb   | str  | Regular expression for the start of a character constant                                                                                                                                                       |
| le   | str  | Regular expression for the end of a character constant                                                                                                                                                         |
| oc   | bool | Present means upper and lower case are equivalent                                                                                                                                                              |
| pb   | str  | Regular expression for start of a procedure                                                                                                                                                                    |
| pl   | bool | Procedure definitions are constrained to the lexical level matched by the 'px' capability                                                                                                                      |
| px   | str  | A match for this regular expression indicates that procedure definitions may occur at the next lexical level. Useful for lisp-like languages in which procedure definitions occur as subexpressions of defuns. |
| sb   | str  | Regular expression for the start of a string                                                                                                                                                                   |
| se   | str  | Regular expression for the end of a string                                                                                                                                                                     |
| tc   | str  | Use the named entry as a continuation of this one                                                                                                                                                              |
| tl   | bool | Present means procedures are only defined at the top lexical level                                                                                                                                             |

**Regular Expressions** `vgrindefs` uses regular expressions similar to those of `ex(1)` and `lex(1)`. The characters '^', '\$', '.', and '\' are reserved characters and must be 'quoted' with a preceding \ if they are to be included as normal characters. The metasympols and their meanings are:

- \$ The end of a line
- ^ The beginning of a line
- \d A delimiter (space, tab, newline, start of line)
- \a Matches any string of symbols (like '.' in `lex`)
- \p Matches any identifier. In a procedure definition (the 'pb' capability) the string that matches this symbol is used as the procedure name.
- () Grouping
- | Alternation
- ? Last item is optional
- \e Preceding any string means that the string will not match an input string if the input string is preceded by an escape character (\). This is typically used for languages (like C) that can include the string delimiter in a string by escaping it.

Unlike other regular expressions in the system, these match words and not characters. Hence something like '(tramp|steamer)flies?' would match 'tramp', 'steamer', 'trampflies', or 'steamerflies'. Contrary to some forms of regular expressions, `vgrindef` alternation binds very tightly. Grouping parentheses are likely to be necessary in expressions involving alternation.

**Keyword List** The keyword list is just a list of keywords in the language separated by spaces. If the 'oc' boolean is specified, indicating that upper and lower case are equivalent, then all the keywords should be specified in lower case.

**Examples** **EXAMPLE 1** A sample program.

The following entry, which describes the C language, is typical of a language entry.

```
C|c|the C programming language:\
:pb=^d?*?d?p\d?(\a?) (\d|{):bb={:be=}:cb=/*:ce=/:sb=":se=e":\
:le=e':tl:\
:kw=asm auto break case char continue default do double else enum\
extern float for fortran goto if int long register return short\
sizeof static struct switch typedef union unsigned void while #define\
#else #endif #if #ifdef #ifndef #include #undef # define endif\
ifdef ifndef include undef defined:
```

Note that the first field is just the language name (and any variants of it). Thus the C language could be specified to `vgrind(1)` as 'c' or 'C'.

**Files** `/usr/lib/vgrindefs` file containing vgrind descriptions

**See Also** [ex\(1\)](#), [lex\(1\)](#), [troff\(1\)](#), [vgrind\(1\)](#)

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| <b>Name</b>                    | wbem – Web-Based Enterprise Management                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>Description</b>             | Web-Based Enterprise Management (WBEM) is a set of management and Internet-related technologies intended to unify the management of enterprise computing environments. Developed by the Distributed Management Task Force (DMTF), WBEM enables organizations to deliver an integrated set of standards-based management tools that support and promote World Wide Web technology. The DMTF has developed a set of standards that make up WBEM. This set of standards includes: |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Common Information Model (CIM) | CIM is an object-oriented data model that describes the overall management of information in an enterprise network environment. CIM consists of a CIM specification and a CIM schema:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|                                | CIM Specification                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Consists of the language and methodology that describes management data.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
|                                | CIM Schema                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Provides actual model descriptions of systems, applications, large area networks, and devices. The CIM Schema enables applications from different developers on different platforms to describe management data in a standard format. As a result, a variety of management applications can share this information. |
|                                | CIM Operations Over HyperText Transport Protocol (HTTP) 1.1 is a transport mechanism that maps CIM operations to HTTP to allow implementations of CIM to interoperate in an open, standardized manner.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|                                | CIM Operations Over HTTP 1.1 uses eXtensible Markup Language (XML), which is a markup language that represents management information in textual form.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|                                | In addition to the XML representation, CIM information is also represented textually by the managed object format (MOF). These MOF representations are typically stored as text files that developers compile into a CIM Object Manager.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| WBEM Tools and Services        | Tools and services that enable developers to create and Services management applications and instrumentation that manage heterogeneous computer environments include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Solaris WBEM Services</li><li>■ Solaris WBEM Software Development Kit (SDK)</li></ul>                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Solaris WBEM Services          | These services consist of a set of value-added Services components. These services make it easier for developers to create management applications that run in the Solaris operating environment. They also make the Solaris operating environment easier to manage. Solaris WBEM Services consists of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ CIM Object Manager, CIM Repository, and MOF Compiler</li></ul>                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |

- CIM and Solaris Schema, which is an extension schema of CIM. CIM and Solaris Schema is a collection of CIM classes that describe managed elements in the Solaris operating environment. These classes are available from the CIM Object Manager at start up.
- Solaris Providers, which are programs that communicate information between the Solaris operating environment and the CIM Object Manager (providers get and set dynamic information about managed elements, acting as an intermediary between the CIM Object Manager and the managed elements).

Solaris software providers have been developed for a variety of areas: users, roles, file systems, and network configuration, for example. A remote provider is also available to distribute agents away from the CIM Object Manager when required. Because of the incremental development capabilities of the WBEM instrumentation framework, developers can progressively and consistently add more providers for additional Solaris software services.

- SNMP Adapter for WBEM, which enables Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) management applications to access system management information that is provided by Solaris WBEM Services. Used with the Solstice Enterprise Agent (SEA) Master Agent [snmpdx\(1M\)](#), the SNMP Adapter for WBEM maps SNMP requests into equivalent WBEM Common Information Model (CIM) properties or instances.

The SNMP Adapter for WBEM also remaps the response from the CIM Object Manager into an SNMP response, which is returned to the management application.

A mapping file contains the corresponding Object Identifier (OID), class name, property name, and Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1) type for each object. Developers can create their own mapping files.

- SNMP Provider, which enables WBEM services to deliver SNMP information.

**Solaris WBEM SDK** The Solaris WBEM SDK is a set of application programming interfaces (APIs) that contain the components necessary to write management applications. These applications communicate with WBEM-enabled management devices by using XML and HTTP communication standards.

Solaris WBEM applications request information or services from the Common Information Model (CIM) Object Manager through the WBEM APIs. These APIs represent CIM objects as Java classes. The APIs are used to describe managed objects and to retrieve information about managed objects in a system environment. The advantage of modeling managed resources by using CIM is that those objects can be shared across any system that is CIM-compliant.

For more information on the Solaris WBEM SDK, see the *Solaris WBEM Developer's Guide*. The Solaris WBEM API documentation is available in Javadoc format with the Solaris OS installation at `/usr/sadm/lib/wbem/doc/index.html`.



**Compatibility of Solaris  
WBEM Services with  
Existing Protocols**

Adapters and converters enable Solaris WBEM Services of Solaris to work compatibly with existing protocols by mapping WBEM information to these protocols. One such protocol is Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP).

Legacy management applications can administer WBEM-enabled software in the Solaris operating environment. Developers can write agents or providers that convert information from these protocols to WBEM, and they can write adapters that convert WBEM information into these protocols.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

| ATTRIBUTE TYPE | ATTRIBUTE VALUE                                                     |
|----------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Availability   | SPARC and x86                                                       |
| Architecture   | SUNWwbapi, SUNWwbcor, SUNWwbcou,<br>SUNWwbdev, SUNWwbdoc, SUNWwbpro |
| CSI            | Enabled                                                             |

**See Also** [appletviewer\(1\)](#), [cimworkshop\(1M\)](#), [init.wbem\(1M\)](#), [mofcomp\(1M\)](#), [mofreg\(1M\)](#), [snmpdx\(1M\)](#), [wbemadmin\(1M\)](#), [wbemconfig\(1M\)](#), [wbemlogviewer\(1M\)](#), [attributes\(5\)](#)

**Name** zones – Solaris application containers

**Description** The zones facility in Solaris provides an isolated environment for running applications. Processes running in a zone are prevented from monitoring or interfering with other activity in the system. Access to other processes, network interfaces, file systems, devices, and inter-process communication facilities are restricted to prevent interaction between processes in different zones.

The privileges available within a zone are restricted to prevent operations with system-wide impact. See [privileges\(5\)](#).

You can configure and administer zones with the [zoneadm\(1M\)](#) and [zonectfg\(1M\)](#) utilities. You can specify the configuration details a zone, install file system contents including software packages into the zone, and manage the runtime state of the zone. You can use the [zlogin\(1\)](#) to run commands within an active zone. You can do this without logging in through a network-based login server such as [in.rlogind\(1M\)](#) or [sshd\(1M\)](#).

The autobooting of zones is enabled and disabled by the zones service, identified by the FMRI:

`svc:/system/zones:default`

See [zoneadm\(1M\)](#). Note that a zone has an autoboot property, which can be set to `true` (always autoboot). However, if the zones service is disabled, autoboot will not occur, regardless of the setting of the autoboot property for a given zone. See [zonectfg\(1M\)](#).

An alphanumeric name and numeric ID identify each active zone. Alphanumeric names are configured using the [zonectfg\(1M\)](#) utility. Numeric IDs are automatically assigned when the zone is booted. The [zonename\(1\)](#) utility reports the current zone name, and the [zoneadm\(1M\)](#) utility can be used to report the names and IDs of configured zones.

A zone can be in one of several states:

|            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| CONFIGURED | Indicates that the configuration for the zone has been completely specified and committed to stable storage.                                                                                                      |
| INCOMPLETE | Indicates that the zone is in the midst of being installed or uninstalled, or was interrupted in the midst of such a transition.                                                                                  |
| INSTALLED  | Indicates that the zone's configuration has been instantiated on the system: packages have been installed under the zone's root path.                                                                             |
| READY      | Indicates that the “virtual platform” for the zone has been established. For instance, file systems have been mounted, devices have been configured, but no processes associated with the zone have been started. |
| RUNNING    | Indicates that user processes associated with the zone application environment are running.                                                                                                                       |

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                             | <p><b>SHUTTING_DOWN</b></p> <p><b>DOWN</b> Indicates that the zone is being halted. The zone can become stuck in one of these states if it is unable to tear down the application environment state (such as mounted file systems) or if some portion of the virtual platform cannot be destroyed. Such cases require operator intervention.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Process Access Restrictions | Processes running inside a zone (aside from the global zone) have restricted access to other processes. Only processes in the same zone are visible through <code>/proc</code> (see <a href="#">proc(4)</a> ) or through system call interfaces that take process IDs such as <code>kill(2)</code> and <code>prioctl(2)</code> . Attempts to access processes that exist in other zones (including the global zone) fail with the same error code that would be issued if the specified process did not exist.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Privilege Restrictions      | Processes running within a non-global zone are restricted to a subset of privileges, in order to prevent one zone from being able to perform operations that might affect other zones. The set of privileges limits the capabilities of privileged users (such as the super-user or root user) within the zone. The list of privileges available within a zone can be displayed using the <a href="#">ppriv(1)</a> utility. For more information about privileges, see <a href="#">privileges(5)</a> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Device Restrictions         | <p>The set of devices available within a zone is restricted, to prevent a process in one zone from interfering with processes in other zones. For example, a process in a zone should not be able to modify kernel memory using <code>/dev/kmem</code>, or modify the contents of the root disk. Thus, by default, only a few pseudo devices considered safe for use within a zone are available. Additional devices can be made available within specific zones using the <a href="#">zonecfg(1M)</a> utility.</p> <p>The device and privilege restrictions have a number of effects on the utilities that can run in a non-global zone. For example, the <a href="#">eeprom(1M)</a>, <a href="#">prtdiag(1M)</a>, and <a href="#">prtconf(1M)</a> utilities do not work in a zone since they rely on devices that are not normally available.</p>   |
| Brands                      | A zone may be assigned a brand when it is initially created. A branded zone is one whose software does not match that software found in the global zone. The software may include Solaris software configured or laid out differently, or it may include non-Solaris software. The particular collection of software is called a “brand” (see <a href="#">brands(5)</a> ). Once installed, a zone's brand may not be changed unless the zone is first uninstalled.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| File Systems                | <p>Each zone has its own section of the file system hierarchy, rooted at a directory known as the zone root. Processes inside the zone can access only files within that part of the hierarchy, that is, files that are located beneath the zone root. This prevents processes in one zone from corrupting or examining file system data associated with another zone. The <a href="#">chroot(1M)</a> utility can be used within a zone, but can only restrict the process to a root path accessible within the zone.</p> <p>In order to preserve file system space, sections of the file system can be mounted into one or more zones using the read-only option of the <a href="#">lofs(7FS)</a> file system. This allows the same file system data to be shared in multiple zones, while preserving the security guarantees supplied by zones.</p> |

NFS and autofs mounts established within a zone are local to that zone; they cannot be accessed from other zones, including the global zone. The mounts are removed when the zone is halted or rebooted.

**Networking** A zone has its own port number space for TCP, UDP, and SCTP applications and typically one or more separate IP addresses (but some configurations of Trusted Extensions share IP address(es) between zones).

For the IP layer (IP routing, ARP, IPsec, IP Filter, and so on) a zone can either share the configuration and state with the global zone (a shared-IP zone), or have its distinct IP layer configuration and state (an exclusive-IP zone).

If a zone is to be connected to the same datalink, that is, be on the same IP subnet or subnets as the global zone, then it is appropriate for the zone to use the shared IP instance.

If a zone needs to be isolated at the IP layer on the network, for instance being connected to different VLANs or different LANs than the global zone and other non-global zones, then for isolation reasons the zone should have its exclusive IP.

A shared-IP zone is prevented from doing certain things towards the network (such as changing its IP address or sending spoofed IP or Ethernet packets), but an exclusive-IP zone has more or less the same capabilities towards the network as a separate host that is connected to the same network interface. In particular, the superuser in such a zone can change its IP address and spoof ARP packets.

The shared-IP zones are assigned one or more network interface names and IP addresses in [zonecfg\(1M\)](#). The network interface name(s) must also be configured in the global zone.

The exclusive-IP zones are assigned one or more network interface names in [zonecfg\(1M\)](#). The network interface names must be exclusively assigned to that zone, that is, it (or they) can not be assigned to some other running zone, nor can they be used by the global zone.

The full IP-level functionality in the form of DHCP client, IPsec and IP Filter, is available in exclusive-IP zones and not in shared-IP zones.

**Host Identifiers** A zone is capable of emulating a 32-bit host identifier, which can be configured via [zonecfg\(1M\)](#), for the purpose of system consolidation. If a zone emulates a host identifier, then commands such as [hostid\(1\)](#) and [sysdef\(1M\)](#) as well as C interfaces such as [sysinfo\(2\)](#) and [gethostid\(3C\)](#) that are executed within the context of the zone will display or return the zone's emulated host identifier rather than the host machine's identifier.

**Attributes** See [attributes\(5\)](#) for descriptions of the following attributes:

| ATTRIBUTE TYPE | ATTRIBUTE VALUE |
|----------------|-----------------|
| Availability   | SUNWcsu         |

**See Also** `hostid(1)`, `zlogin(1)`, `zonename(1)`, `in.rlogind(1M)`, `sshd(1M)`, `sysdef(1M)`, `zoneadm(1M)`, `zonecfg(1M)`, `kill(2)`, `priocntl(2)`, `sysinfo(2)`, `gethostid(3C)`, `getzoneid(3C)`, `ucred_get(3C)`, `proc(4)`, `attributes(5)`, `brands(5)`, `privileges(5)`, `crgetzoneid(9F)`

