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Intro, intro – introduction to file formats

DESCRIPTION

This section outlines the formats of various files. The C structure declarations for the file formats are given where applicable. Usually, the headers containing these structure declarations can be found in the directories **/usr/include** or **/usr/include/sys**. For inclusion in C language programs, however, the syntax **#include <***filename.h***>** or **#include <sys/***filename.h***>** should be used.

Because the operating system now allows the existence of multiple file system types, there are several instances of multiple manual pages with the same name. These pages all display the name of the FSType to which they pertain in the form name_*fstype* at the top of the page. For example, **fs_ufs**(4)

Name	Description
acct(4)	per-process accounting file format
addresses(4)	See **aliases**(4)
admin(4)	installation defaults file
aliases(4)	addresses and aliases for sendmail
a.out(4)	Executable and Linking Format (ELF) files
ar(4)	archive file format
archives(4)	device header
asetenv(4)	ASET environment file
asetmasters(4)	ASET master files
audit_class(4)	audit class definitions
audit_control(4)	control information for system audit daemon
audit_data(4)	current information on audit daemon
audit_event(4)	audit event definition and class mapping
audit.log(4)	audit trail file
audit_user(4)	per-user auditing data file
bootparams(4)	boot parameter data base
cdtoc(4)	CD-ROM table of contents file
cklist.high(4)	See **asetmasters**(4)
cklist.low(4)	See **asetmasters**(4)
cklist.med(4)	See **asetmasters**(4)
clustertoc(4)	cluster table of contents description file
compver(4)	compatible versions file
copyright(4)	copyright information file

core(4)	core image file
default_fs(4)	specify the default file system type for local or remote file systems
depend(4)	software dependencies file
device_allocate(4)	device_allocate file
device.cfinfo(4)	devconfig configuration files
device_maps(4)	device_maps file
dfstab(4)	file containing commands for sharing resources across a network
dialups(4)	list of terminal devices requiring a dial-up password
dir(4)	See **dir_ufs**(4)
dirent(4)	file system independent directory entry
dir_ufs(4)	format of ufs directories
d_passwd(4)	dial-up password file
driver.conf(4)	driver configuration files
dumpdates(4)	See **ufsdump**(4)
eisa(4)	See **sysbus**(4)
environ(4)	user-preference variables files for AT&T FACE
ethers(4)	Ethernet address to hostname database or domain
fbtab(4)	See **logindevperm**(4)
fd(4)	file descriptor files
filehdr(4)	file header for common object files
format.dat(4)	disk drive configuration for the format command
forward(4)	See **aliases**(4)
fs(4)	See **default_fs**(4)
fspec(4)	format specification in text files
fstypes(4)	file that registers distributed file system packages
fs_ufs(4)	format of a ufs file system volume
group(4)	group file
holidays(4)	prime/nonprime table for the accounting system
hosts(4)	host name database
hosts.equiv(4)	trusted remote hosts and users
inetd.conf(4)	Internet servers database
init.d(4)	initialization and termination scripts for changing init states
inittab(4)	script for init

inode(4)	See **fs_ufs**(4)
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isa(4)	See **sysbus**(4)
issue(4)	issue identification file
keytables(4)	keyboard table descriptions for loadkeys and dump-keys
krb.conf(4)	Kerberos configuration file
krb.realms(4)	host to Kerberos realm translation file
limits(4)	header for implementation-specific constants
loadfont(4)	format of a font file used as input to the loadfont utility
logindevperm(4)	login-based device permissions
loginlog(4)	log of failed login attempts
magic(4)	file command's magic number file
mca(4)	See **sysbus**(4)
mnttab(4)	mounted file system table
netconfig(4)	network configuration database
netgroup(4)	list of network groups
netid(4)	netname database
netmasks(4)	network mask database
netrc(4)	file for ftp remote login data
networks(4)	network name database
nisfiles(4)	NIS+ database files and directory structure
note(4)	specify legal annotations
nscd.conf(4)	name service cache daemon configuration
nsswitch.conf(4)	configuration file for the name service switch
order(4)	package installation order description file
ott(4)	FACE object architecture information
packagetoc(4)	package table of contents description file
passwd(4)	password file
pathalias(4)	alias file for FACE
path_to_inst(4)	device instance number file
pci(4)	configuration files for PCI device drivers
pcmcia(4)	PCMCIA nexus driver
phones(4)	remote host phone number database
pkginfo(4)	package characteristics file

pkgmap(4)	package contents description file
platform(4)	directory of files specifying supported platforms
plot(4B)	graphics interface
pref(4)	See **environ**(4)
proc(4)	/proc, the process file system
profile(4)	setting up an environment for user at login time
protocols(4)	protocol name database
prototype(4)	package information file
pseudo(4)	configuration files for pseudo device drivers
publickey(4)	public key database
queuedefs(4)	queue description file for at, batch, and cron
remote(4)	remote host description file
resolv.conf(4)	configuration file for name server routines
rhosts(4)	See **hosts.equiv**(4)
rmmount.conf(4)	removable media mounter configuration file
rmtab(4)	remote mounted file system table
routing(4)	system support for packet network routing
rpc(4)	rpc program number data base
rpld.conf(4)	Remote Program Load (RPL) server configuration file
rt_dptbl(4)	real-time dispatcher parameter table
sbus(4)	configuration files for SBus device drivers
sccsfile(4)	format of an SCCS history file
scsi(4)	configuration files for SCSI target drivers
services(4)	Internet services and aliases
shadow(4)	shadow password file
sharetab(4)	shared file system table
shells(4)	shell database
space(4)	disk space requirement file
strftime(4)	language specific strings
sulog(4)	su command log file
sysbus(4)	configuration files for ISA, EISA, and MCA bus device drivers
syslog.conf(4)	configuration file for syslogd system log daemon
system(4)	system configuration information file
telnetrc(4)	file for telnet default options

term(4)	format of compiled term file
terminfo(4)	terminal capability database
timezone(4)	default timezone data base
TIMEZONE(4)	set default system time zone and locale
tnf_probes(4)	TNF kernel probes
ts_dptbl(4)	time-sharing dispatcher parameter table
ttydefs(4)	file contains terminal line settings information for ttymon
ttysrch(4)	directory search list for ttyname
tune.high(4)	See **asetmasters**(4)
tune.low(4)	See **asetmasters**(4)
tune.med(4)	See **asetmasters**(4)
ufsdump(4)	incremental dump format
uid_aliases(4)	See **asetmasters**(4)
unistd(4)	header for symbolic constants
updaters(4)	configuration file for NIS updating
utmp(4)	utmp and wtmp entry formats
utmpx(4)	utmpx and wtmpx entry formats
variables(4)	See **environ**(4)
vfstab(4)	table of file system defaults
vme(4)	configuration files for VMEbus device drivers
vold.conf(4)	Volume Management configuration file
wtmp(4)	See **utmp**(4)
wtmpx(4)	See **utmpx**(4)
ypfiles(4)	Network Information Service Version 2, formerly knows as YP