Chapter 1 UNIX Introduction

UNIX History (1)



- Before Multics there was chaos, and afterwards, too
 - > Multics:
 - Multiplexed information and Computing Service
 - 1965 ~ 1969
 - Bell labs, GE, MIT
 - Ken Thompson, Dennis Ritchie



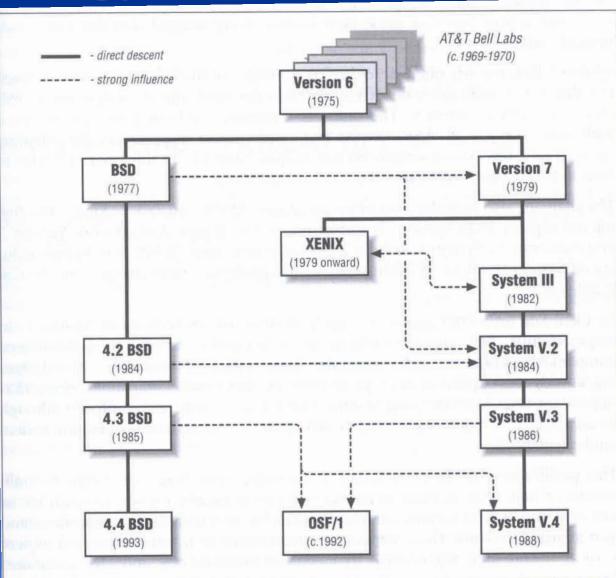
UNIX History (2)

- From Multics to something else
 - Ken Thompson first written a game called "Space Travel" on Multics on GE machine in 1969.
 - Implement "Space Travel" on PDP-7 again.
 - > Thompson began to design the shell, the editor
 - and the assembler on PDP-7.
 - In 1970, Brian Kernighan suggested the name "UNIX"



UNIX Genealogy

- AT&T
 - > Version 7~10
 - > System III ~ V
- UCB
 - > BSD
- IBM \ DEC \ HP
 - > OSF/1



UNIX versions

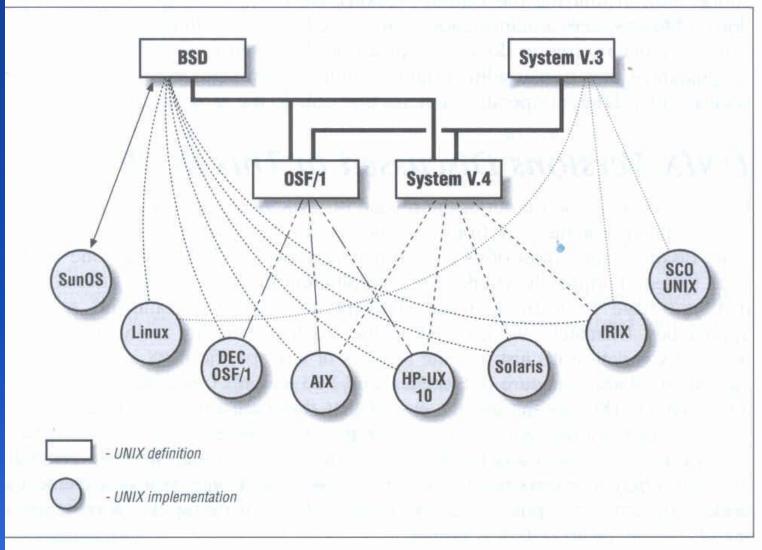


Figure 2: UNIX versions discussed in this book

Conventions

- Syntax of commands:
 - > Anything between "[" & "]" are optional.
 - > Anything followed by "..." can be repeated.
 - > {a | b} you should choose one of them.
 - > Example:
 - bork [-x] { on | off } filename ...

bork on /etc/hosts

bork -x /etc/hosts /etc/passwd

bork -x /etc/hosts

bork -h /etc/hosts

- Globing characters
 - "*" matches zero or more characters.
 - > "?" match one character.
 - "~" means home directory
 - "~user" means home directory of user

Man Pages (manual)

- man pages (manual)
 - Contain descriptions of
 - Individual command.
 - \$ man cp
 - Configuration File
 - \$ man rc.local
 - Library routines
 - \$ man strcpy

Man command

Command

> \$ man [-s section] *title*

\$ man [section] title (BSD)

\$ man printf

\$ man 3 printf

• \$ man -k exit

• \$ man 3 intro

(AT&T)

(bash printf command)

(C Standard printf func.)

(keyword search)

(section introduction)

Man pages organization

AT&T	BSD	Contents	
1	1	User-Level commands and applications	
2	2	System calls and kernel error code	
3	3	Library calls	
4	5	Standard file format	
5	7	Miscellaneous files and documents	
6	6	Games and demonstrations	
7	4	Device Drivers and network protocols	
1m	8	System administration commands	
9	9	Obscure kernel specs and interfaces	

UNIX Concepts - ID

- User ID, Group ID
 - > \$ id lwhsu
 - uid=13115(lwhsu) gid=300(gcs) groups=300(gcs),0(wheel),100(faculty),800(security),700(ta),888(wwwadm)
 - > \$ id 13115
 - uid=13115(lwhsu) gid=300(gcs) groups=300(gcs),0(wheel),100(faculty),800(security),700(ta),888(wwwadm)
- Super user
 - > root
 - uid=0(root) gid=0(wheel) groups=0(wheel), ...
- Other Important Users
 - daemon: Owner of many system processes
 - operator: System &
 - > bin: Binaries Commands and Source
 - nobody: Unprivileged user

UNIX Concepts - Files

File size

Last modify time (mtime)

• \$\s-I d rwx--x--x 12 lwhşu gcp 1024 Sep 23 16:47 public_html/ File type File access mode Inode count File user owner File group owner

Name

UNIX Concepts - File types

• File types

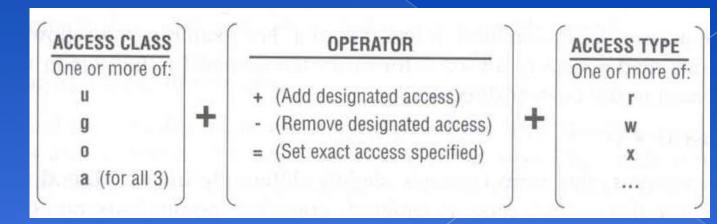
symbol	File types
ь	Block device file
С	Character device file
d	Directory
1	symbolic Link
S	Socket
p	named Pipe
-	Regular file

ofile command

- determine file type
 - \$ file .tcshrc → .tcshrc: ASCII text
 - ⇒ \$ file /bin → /bin: directory
 - \$ file /bin/sh → /bin/sh: ELF 64-bit LSB executable, x86-64, version 1 (FreeBSD), for FreeBSD 8.0 (800049), dynamically linked (uses shared libs), FreeBSD-style, stripped
- /usr/ports/sysutils/file

UNIX Concepts - File Access Mode

- rwx r-x r-x
- 421 421 421
 - user, group, other privileges
- chmod command
 - > % chmod access-string file
 - % chmod u+x test.sh
 - % chmod go-w .tcshrc
 - % chmod u+w,r-w hehe haha
 - % chmod –R 755 public_html/

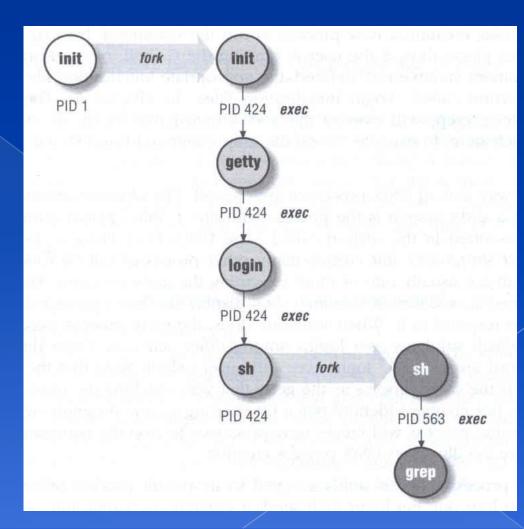


UNIX Concepts - File Protection

Command	Minimum Access Needed	
Command	On file itself	On directory file is in
cd /home/test		X
ls /home/test/*.c		r
ls -s /home/test/*.c		rx
cat runme	r	X
cat >> runme	W	X
run-binary	X	X
run-script	rx	x
rm rumme		WX

UNIX Concepts - Process

- Process: A working program
 - Foreground
 - Remain attached to the terminal
 - Background
 - Can not communicate with terminal
- Process Life Cycle
 - fork, exec



UNIX Concepts - Watching Process

- ps command
 - ps —aux, ps —auxww
 - USER, PID, %CPU, %MEM, VSZ RSS, TTY, STAT, START, TIME, COMMAND
 - D: in Disk
 - I: Idle
 - R: Running
 - S: Sleeping

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PID %CPU %MEM
USER
                         VSZ.
                                        STAT STARTED
                                                          TIME COMMAND
             0.0 0.0
                                        WLs
                                                       0:00.01 [swapper]
                           ()
                                             30Aug08
root
                                                       0:00.00 ps auxww
lwhsu
       83736 0.0 0.5
                             812
                                              2:30PM
                        1416
                                    p4
                                        R+
```

man ps...

UNIX Concepts - Kill Process

- kill command
 - > % **kill** –[signal_name] pid
 - % kill –[signal_number] pid
 - % kill —HUP 88192
 - % kill -1 88192
 - % kill —TERM 12345
 - % kill -15 12345
 - % kill –KILL 3456
 - % kill -9 3456

(hang up, reset)

(software termination)

(kill program at OS level)