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Preface

The *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Commands Reference* provides complete and detailed reference information to help system and network administrators use the correct syntax for International Business Machines (IBM)[®] Distributed Computing Environment (DCE) administrative commands.

Audience

This reference is written for system and network administrators who have previously administered a UNIX environment.

Applicability

This document applies to the IBM DCE Version 2.2 offering and related updates. See your software license for details.

Purpose

The purpose of this reference is to assist system and network administrators with using the correct syntax for DCE administration commands.

Document Usage

This reference is organized into six chapters.

1. For DCE cross-component commands, “Chapter 1. DCE Commands” on page 1.
2. For DCE remote procedure call (RPC) commands, see “Chapter 2. Remote Procedure Call Commands” on page 363.
3. For DCE Cell Directory Service (CDS) commands, see “Chapter 3. Cell Directory Service Commands” on page 435.
4. For DCE Distributed Time Service (DTS) commands, see “Chapter 4. Distributed Time Service Commands” on page 543.
5. For DCE Security Service commands, see “Chapter 5. Security Service Files and Commands” on page 577.
6. For DCE Installation and Configuration commands, see “Chapter 6. IBM DCE 2.2 for AIX Configuration Commands” on page 669

Related Documents

For additional information about the Distributed Computing Environment, refer to the following documents:

1. *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Introduction to DCE*
2. *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Introduction*
3. *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Core Components*
4. *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Introduction and Style Guide*

5. *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Core Components*
6. *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Directory Services*
7. *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Reference*
8. *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: DFS Administration Guide and Reference*
9. *OSF DCE GDS Administration Guide and Reference*
10. *OSF DCE/File-Access Administration Guide and Reference*
11. *OSF DCE/File-Access User's Guide*
12. *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide*
13. *OSF DCE Testing Guide*
14. *OSF DCE/File-Access FVT User's Guide*
15. *Application Environment Specification/Distributed Computing*
16. *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Release Notes*

Typographic and Keying Conventions

This guide uses the following typographic conventions:

Bold **Bold** words or characters represent system elements that you must use literally, such as commands, options, and pathnames.

Italic *Italic* words or characters represent variable values that you must supply. *Italic* type is also used to introduce a new DCE term.

Constant width

Examples and information that the system displays appear in constant width typeface.

[] Brackets enclose optional items in format and syntax descriptions.

{ } Braces enclose a list from which you must choose an item in format and syntax descriptions.

| A vertical bar separates items in a list of choices.

< > Angle brackets enclose the name of a key on the keyboard.

... Horizontal ellipsis points indicate that you can repeat the preceding item one or more times.

dcelocal

The OSF variable *dcelocal* in this document equates to the AIX variable **/opt/dcelocal**.

dceshare

The OSF variable *dceshare* in this document equates to the AIX variable **/opt/dcelocal**.

This guide uses the following keying conventions:

<Ctrl- x> or **^ x**

The notation **<Ctrl- x>** or **^ x** followed by the name of a key indicates a control character sequence. For example, **<Ctrl-C>** means that you hold down the control key while pressing **<C>**.

<Return>

The notation **<Return>** refers to the key on your terminal or workstation that is labeled with the word Return or Enter, or with a left arrow.

Problem Reporting

If you have any problems with the software or documentation, please contact your software vendor's customer service department.

Chapter 1. DCE Commands

sams

Purpose

Builds DCE message system files

Synopsis

sams [-d *dest_dir*] [-f] [-g *gencat_command*] [-i *interface*] [-m] [-n *output_name*] [-o *output_files*] [-s *style*] [-t *table*] [-x] *input_file*

-d *dest_dir*

Specifies the directory in which files are to be created. The default is the current directory.

-f Turns off text-field filtering for the **<a|b>** construct (described later in this reference page).

-g *gencat_command*

Invokes the platform-specific **gencat** command specified by *gencat_command*. Enclose **gencat** command strings that contain spaces in single quotes. For example to invoke **gencat** when **sams** is invoked, use the **-g** option in the form: **-g 'gencat -m'**.

-i *interface*

Names the Interface Definition Language (IDL) *interface* that is to contain **const** declarations for all message numbers.

-m Generates one documentation file for each message. Each filename is named by the symbolic message code.

-n *output_name*

Specifies the base name of the output files.

-o *output_files*

Specifies which files to generate. The default is to generate all files.

-s *style*

Specifies the order in which documentation entries are to be generated. The order is indicated by one of the following letters:

a Alphabetic by message name.

n Numeric by message number.

t Alphabetic by message text.

-t *table*

Generates an in-core message table that includes only those messages that are in the specified *table*. The default is to include all messages.

-x Checks each message string that contains more than one **printf**-style argument specification to make sure that it follows the XPG4 convention of **%d\$**, where *d* is a digit. Note that message text should normally not have to use the XPG4 conventions because **sams** automatically inserts them when generating the catalog.

input_file

Specifies the message input file.

The **sams** utility reads the specified input file and creates a number of output files. The name **sams** stands for symbols and message strings, which is what the

program manipulates. The input file consists of keywords, numbers, and text. Whitespace, except in quoted strings, is used only to separate tokens. If the text is a simple word, it can be entered unquoted. Text that is a keyword or that spans multiple lines must be enclosed within quotes. Within such quoted text, leading and trailing newlines are ignored, and the usual C escapes (for example, `\t` for a tab) are accepted. In addition, spaces and tabs after a newline are ignored. If you need leading whitespace, use the two-character sequence `\n` followed by the spaces.

An unquoted `#` (number sign) introduces a comment. Everything from the `#` (number sign) to the end of the line is ignored.

Generated Output

A DCE message identifier is a 32-bit number that is divided into three parts: a technology, a component, and the message code. The message code is assigned by **sams** or specified in the input file.

The technology and component determine the names of all files generated by **sams**, including the message catalog. The `dce_msg_*(3dce)` routines know how to parse a message identifier and reconstruct the message catalog name and retrieve the desired text by using the code field.

For DCE and Distributed File System (DFS) source code, the technology will be **dce** or **dfs** and the component will be a three-letter name. For application code, the technology is part of the component, which is a number specified by OSF, but the name **dce** is always used for the technology.

The application writer chooses the component names for the application. Because the component names are encoded in the message numbers and in the message catalog names, it is important to use unique component names. To avoid conflicts, the application must not use component names that are used by the DCE components or by other DCE applications with which it may be installed. See `/usr/lib/nls/msg/$LANG/dce*.cat` for the names of all the DCE components.

Component names of commercial or production applications can be registered with OSF by sending e-mail to dce-registry@osf.org. This ensures that the application component names will not subsequently be used by DCE or by other registered DCE applications.

The **sams** utility creates a number of output files, as specified by the `-o` flag. This flag takes a set of letters, picked from the following table. The **component** (and **technology**) headers determine part of the filenames. This can be overridden by using the `-n` flag to specify the base name. Note that this does not replace the name under which the message catalog must be installed. For example, given **dce** as the technology and **XXX** as the component name, the following files would be created:

Letter	File	Description
c	dceXXX.cat	Catalog created by <code>gencat</code> ; the message file is assumed to have already been generated
d	dceXXXmsg.man	Subset of a UNIX style reference page
h	dceXXXmsg.h	Header file mapping codes to message numbers

Letter	File	Description
i	interface.idl	IDL file defining message identifier constants
m	dceXXX.msg	Message file for gencat program
p	dceXXXmsg.sml	Problem determination guide
s	dceXXXsvc.c	Serviceability table
S	dceXXXsvc.h	Serviceability header file
t	dceXXXmsg.c	Table mapping message numbers to short text; this is the in-core table of default message texts
u	dceXXXmac.h	Serviceability-use convenience macros
x	dceXXX.idx	Index file for building a problem determination book

Input format

The input file is divided into three parts; the second part is optional.

The first part of the input file specifies a set of headers in the following format:

header value

They must be chosen from the following set:

collection size *value*

The number of messages in each collection. The default value is 100.

component *comp*

The name of the component for which the messages are being generated. Component names must be three characters long.

component code *value*

The numeric value of the component, for application code.

default *flags*

The default flags that should be assigned to all messages that do not specify their own flags. The flags should be chosen from the following set:

incatalog

Put the message in the message catalog.

intable

Put the message in the in-core text table.

longtext

Message text is long, usually meaning it will not be returned as a status code, but instead used only as a message to be displayed to the user.

undocumented

Do not put this message in any generated documentation files.

obsolete

Reserve a number for this message but do not output any reference to it.

reserved

Same action as **obsolete**.

Each flag may be preceded by the word **not** or a ! (exclamation point) to reverse its meaning. This header is optional; the default value is **intable incatalog not undocumented not obsolete**.

technology *tech*

The name of the technology for which the messages are being generated. This header may be omitted; the default value is **dce**. Technology names must be three characters long.

value *start*

The low-order bits of the status code to be assigned to messages. This header may be omitted; the default value is 1.

table *varname*

The name of the in-core message table that is created. This header may be omitted; the default value is **XXX_msg_table** where **XXX** is the component name or just **msg_table** for application code.

A typical header might look like the following:

```
technology dce
component dts
table dts_msg_table
```

The optional second part of the input file is used to specify the DCE serviceability table and handle. It should appear in the following format:

```
serviceability table name handlehandle_name start
subcomponent_list
end
```

The **table** *name* field specifies the name of the subcomponent table, as described in the **service.idl** interface. The **handle** *handle_name* field specifies the name of the serviceability handle to be used with this component. (For more information, see the **dce_svc_register(3dce)** reference page.)

The *subcomponent_list* argument is a series of lines in the following format:

```
sub-component table_index
subcomp full_descr_id
```

where:

table_index

is the name of a **#define** (put in the serviceability header file) that will be used as the subscript into the table.

subcomp

is a single word (in quotes, if needed, so that it will not be mistaken for a **sams** keyword) that names the subcomponent and is used to group related messages.

full_descr_id

is the **code** for the message that contains the full description of the subcomponent.

For example:

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```
serviceability table dst_svc_table handle dts_svc_handle
start
  subcomponent dts_s_general "general" dts_i_svc_general
  subcomponent dts_s_provider "provider" dts_i_svc_provider
end
```

This indicates that there are two subcomponents.

Note that each subcomponent must have an entry somewhere in the third part of the file (described in the following section) that is a standard message code that contains the full text describing the subcomponent. For example:

```
## Messages for serviceability table
start !intable undocumented
code dts_i_svc_general
text "General administrative actions"
end

start !intable undocumented
code dts_i_svc_provider
text "Interactions with time-providers"
end
```

The third part of the input file is usually the largest part. It consists of a series of records where each record specifies one message. Each record is of the following form:

```
start [flags]
field_list
end
```

The *flags* are optional and are as previously described for the **default** header. If specified, they are used instead of the default value. A common mistake is to believe that they act as additions to the **default** flags specified in the first part of the file.

The *field_list* is a set of key-value pairs from the following list:

action *text*

The text describes the action that should be taken when this error occurs. The text appears in the generated documentation. This field is optional and ignored if the message is undocumented.

attributes *text*

The text describes the attributes for this message. If this field and the **sub-component** field described later in this section are both present, then a convenience macro will be generated that provides all of the arguments to the serviceability messaging routine. This is described in more detail later in this section.

code *name* [= *value*]

This is the symbolic name of the message. It is used to create a header file that has **#define** statements that map all symbolic message names to their numeric value. It also appears in the generated documentation. An optional value may be given when needed to ensure compatibility with older message versions. By default, values are assigned by a simple counter in the order in which messages appear in the file.

engineer *text*

This is used to specify the software engineer responsible for the code where this message could occur. This field is optional and is never output.

explanation *text*

This is a verbose description of the message; it can be blank if the message is not for an error condition. It appears in the documentation files and should provide additional information that can be used for fault isolation. This field is optional if the message is undocumented.

notes *text*

Optional notes for translators. This text, if it exists, appears as comments in the message file.

sub-component *table_index*

This field is used in conjunction with the **attributes** field. It specifies which subcomponent the message is assigned to. The *table_index* must be one of the indices that is specified in the serviceability table portion of the file.

tables (*name ...*)

If a single component is used for several executables, the message table can get unreasonably large, containing texts that will never be used. This keyword may be used to specify a space-separated list of tables for which the message is appropriate; the table to be generated is specified by the **-t** flag. If this keyword is not used or if the **-t** flag is not given, then the message will appear in the table. Otherwise, the message will appear in the table only if the table specified by the flag is also specified on this line.

text *text*

The message itself. It is stored in the in-core message table (unless the **not intable** flag is given) and in the message catalog. It is intended to be returned by **dce_error_inq_text()** and related routines (see the **dce_msg_intro(3dce)** reference page). Unless the **longtext** flag is given, the text must be shorter than the size of the **dce_error_string_t** typedef defined in **dce/dce_error.h**.

The text field is used as a **printf** -style format string and is generated in documentation. To support this dual-use, **sams** provides a **<a|b>** construct. When generating message strings to be used in a program, the **a** text is used; when generating documentation, the **b** text is used. The following is an example:

```
text "Function <%s|func> failed, status=<0x%8.8lx|code>"
```

If the text includes a space, you must enclose it in double quotes. Newlines are removed and whitespace is changed to one space. To write a single less-than sign, prefix it with a backslash.

Two typical message records might look like the following:

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```
start
code dts_s_ok
text "Successful completion"
notes "Ok, yes, etc."
explanation "Operation performed."
action "None required."
end
start
code dts_s_bad_timestring
text "Invalid time string"
explanation "The given string could not be parsed as a
valid time specification."
action "Correct input and try again."
end
```

In addition, the following constructs are accepted, but ignored. This is for compatibility with other systems that might need such fields.

```
administrator response text operator response text programmer response \
text severity text system response text user response text vendor name text
```

Many messages can also be assigned to a single subcomponent and used with a single set of attributes. This is the largest part of the serviceability work. If a message has both the **attributes** and **sub-component** fields specified, then a convenience macro will be generated that specifies the initial parameters to the **dce_svc_printf()** call.

The following is a sample message definition:

```
start
code dts_s_out_of_range
attributes "svc_c_sev_fatal | svc_c_action_exit_bad"
subcomponent dts_s_provider
text "illegal value %ld from %s provider"
explanation "Received illegal value from local time-provider."
action "Fix provider and restart server."
end
```

The following is an example of using the definition to generate a serviceability message:

```
dce_svc_printf(DTS_S_OUT_OF_RANGE_MSG, 123, "Sundial");
```

Allowing for Growth

It is good practice to group related messages together, but you should leave space to allow additional messages to be added later. The **sams** utility provides two ways to do this.

First, the message numbering can be explicitly set by using the following construct:

```
set value = number
```

Note that the number used in this construct specifies the code field as in the value header, and not the full message identifier, as can be assigned by giving a value in the **code** field.

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Second, messages can group into a collection, which is similar to an XPG4 message catalog set. To indicate the start of a collection, use the following construct:

```
start collection number
```

This is equivalent to using the first construct, except that the *number* is multiplied by the collection size. A common practice is to have at least one collection for each serviceability subcomponent.

Related Information

Functions: **dce_error_inq_text(3dce)**, **dce_svc_printf(3dce)**.

svcdumplog

Purpose

Prints contents of a binary serviceability log file

Synopsis

svcdumplog [-s *num_of_entries*] *log_file*

-s *num_of_entries*

Tells **svcdumplog** to skip the first *num_of_entries* log entries before printing, where *num_of_entries* is an integer.

Arguments

log_file

The log file to be printed.

Description

The **svcdumplog** program prints the contents of a binary log file.

DCE components log important information about their activities and state via the DCE serviceability interface. The log messages can be routed as desired via the **dcecp log** object. The messages can also be written in either binary or in text format. (Information about specifying message format can be found in the **svcroute(5dce)** reference page). When binary format has been specified, each log entry is written as a binary record of data defined (in **dce/svcllog.h**) as the contents of the serviceability **prolog** structure. The **svcdumplog** utility prints the contents of such a binary log file as readable text.

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Related Information

Commands: **log(8dce)**.

Functions: **dce_svc_log_get(3dce)**, **dce_svc_log_close(3dce)**, **dce_svc_log_open(3dce)**, **dce_svc_log_rewind(3dce)**.

Files: See **svcroute(5dce)** in the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Reference*.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide* .

dce_intro

Purpose

Introduction to the cross-component DCE administration tools

Description

The ***8dce** reference pages describe publicly accessible DCE administration commands that are general to DCE rather than specific to a particular component. These commands are as follows:

- account** Manages an account in the DCE Security Service
- acl** Manages DCE access control lists (ACLs)
- attrlist** Manipulates attribute lists
- aud** Manages the audit daemon on a DCE host
- audevents** Lists audit events on a DCE host
- audfilter** Manages event filters on a DCE host
- audtrail** Converts the audit trail into a readable format
- cds** Manages the CDS server daemon on any DCE host.
- cdsalias** Manipulates cellnames in the Cell Directory Service (CDS)
- cdscache** Manages a CDS cache
- cdsclient** Manages the CDS client daemon on any DCE host.
- cell** Operates on a DCE cell
- cellalias** Performs cell aliasing and connection tasks.
- clearinghouse** Manages a clearinghouse in CDS
- clock** Manages the clock on a local or remote host
- csrc** Builds a DCE character and code set registry on a host
- dceagtd** The DCE SNMP subagent
- dcecp** Administrative interface for DCE management tasks
- dced** The DCE host daemon
- directory** Manages a name service directory
- dts** Manages a Distributed Time Service (DTS) daemon

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- ems** Manages the Event Management Services (EMS) daemon on a DCE host
- emsconsumer**
Manages EMS consumers and their event filter groups.
- emsevent**
Manages EMS event types and event type schemas.
- emsfilter**
Manages EMS event filters on a DCE host.
- emslog**
Manages the EMS log file on the current host.
- emsd** Starts the DCE EMS daemon.
- endpoint**
Manages endpoint information in local maps
- getcellname**
Gets the primary name of the cell
- getip** Gets a host's IP address
- group** Manages a group in the DCE Security Service
- host** Manages host information in a DCE cell
- hostdata**
Manages a DCE host's principal name and cell affiliation information
- hostvar**
Manages host-specific variables on the local DCE host.
- keytab**
Manages server passwords on DCE hosts
- link** Manages a softlink in CDS
- log** Manages serviceability routing and debug routing
- name** Compares and expands DCE names
- object** Manages an object in the name service
- organization**
Manages an organization in the DCE Security Service
- principal**
Manages a principal in the DCE Security Service
- registry**
Manages a registry in the DCE Security Service
- rpcentry**
Manages a remote procedure call (RPC) name service entry
- rpcgroup**
Manages an RPC group entry in CDS
- rpcprofile**
Manages an RPC profile entry in CDS
- secval**
Manages the security validation service on a host
- server** Manages DCE application servers
- user** Manages user information in a DCE cell

utc Adds, compares, and converts Universal Time Coordinated (UTC) timestamps

uuid Generates and compares Universal Unique Identifiers (UUIDs)

xattrschema

Manages schema information for extended registry attributes (ERAs)

See each command's reference page for further information.

Errors

Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Related Information

Commands: **account(8dce)**, **acl(8dce)**, **attrlist(8dce)**, **aud(8dce)**, **audevents(8dce)**, **audfilter(8dce)**, **audtrail(8dce)**, **cds(8dce)**, **cdsalias(8dce)**, **cdscache(8dce)**, **cdsclient(8dce)**, **cell(8dce)**, **cellalias(8dce)**, **clearinghouse(8dce)**, **clock(8dce)**, **csrc(8dce)**, **dce_config(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **dced(8dce)**, **directory(8dce)**, **dts(8dce)**, **endpoint(8dce)**, **getcellname(8dce)**, **getip(8dce)**, **group(8dce)**, **host(8dce)**, **hostdata(8dce)**, **hostvar(8dce)**, **keytab(8dce)**, **link(8dce)**, **log(8dce)**, **name(8dce)**, **object(8dce)**, **organization(8dce)**, **principal(8dce)**, **registry(8dce)**, **rpcentry(8dce)**, **rpcgroup(8dce)**, **rpcprofile(8dce)**, **secval(8dce)**, **server(8dce)**, **user(8dce)**, **utc(8dce)**, **uuid(8dce)**, **xattrschema(8dce)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide*.

account

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages an account in the DCE Security Service

Synopsis

account catalog [*cell_name*] [-**simplename**]

account create *account_name_list* -**mypwd** *password* -**password** *password*
-**group** *group_name* -**organization** *organization_name* [-**attribute** *attribute_list* |
-**attribute** *value*]

account delete *account_name_list*

account generate *account_name*

account help [*operation* | -**verbose**]

account modify *account_name_list* [-**mypwd***password*] {-**changeattribute_list** |
-**attribute***value* }

account operations

account show *account_name_list* [-**policies** | -**all**]

Arguments

account_name

A list of one or more names of accounts to act on. Note that accounts are identified by principal names, so when you create an account you supply a principal name for the account name.

Supply the names as follows:

1. Fully qualified account names in the form */.../ cell_name/ account_name* or *!:/ account_name*
2. Cell-relative account names in the form *account_name*. These names refer to an account in the cell identified in the **_s(sec)** convenience variable, or if the **_s(sec)** convenience variable is not set, in the local host's default cell.

Do not mix fully qualified names and cell-relative names in a list. In addition, do not use the names of registry database objects that contain account information; in other words, do not use account names that begin with *!:/sec/account/*.

account_name_list

The name of a single account to act on. See *account_name_list* for the name format.

cell_name

The name of a specific cell (or *!:/* for the local cell) in which to catalog accounts.

operation

The name of the **account** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **account** object represents registry accounts. Although an account is associated with one principal, one group, and one organization, it is identified by the principal's primary name. Alias names are differentiated for principals, so one principal can have multiple accounts under different alias names.

When this command executes, it attempts to bind to the registry server identified in the **_s(sec)** variable. If that server cannot process the request or if the **_s(sec)** variable is not set, the command binds to either an available slave server or the master registry server, depending on the operation. Upon completion, the command sets the **_b(sec)** convenience variable to the name of the registry server it bound to.

Attributes

The **account** object supports the following two kinds of attributes:

1. Account attributes may or may not have default values. They assume a default value or a value set by administrators.
2. Policy attributes regulate such things as account and password lifetimes for all accounts associated with a particular registry. Policy attributes have registry wide default values. They always assume the most restrictive value whether it is the registry wide default value or a value set for an individual account.
3. Public Key attributes regulate the creation and modification of public key pairs used for public key authentication.

Account Attributes

acctvalid {yes | no}

A flag set to determine account validity. Its value is either **yes** or **no**. An account with an **acctvalid** attribute set to **no** is invalid and cannot be logged in to. The default is **yes**.

client {yes | no}

A flag set to indicate whether the account is for a principal that can act as a client. Its value is either **yes** or **no**. If you set this flag to **yes**, the principal is able to log in to the account and acquire tickets for authentication. The default is **yes**.

created *creators_name ISO_timestamp*

A list of two items. The first is the principal name of the creator of the account, the second is an ISO timestamp showing the time of creation. This attribute is set by the system at the time of account creation and cannot be specified or modified.

description

A text string (limited to the Portable Character Set) typically used to describe the use of the account. The default is the empty string ("").

dupkey {yes | no}

A flag set to determine whether tickets issued to the account's principal can have duplicate keys. Its value is either **yes** or **no**. The default is **no**.

In DCE this attribute is currently only advisory. However, Kerberos clients and servers make use of it when they interact with a DCE Security server.

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expdate *ISO_timestamp*

The date on which the account expires. To renew the account, change the date in this field. To specify the time, use an ISO-compliant time format such as *CCYY-MM-DD-hh:mm:ss* or the string **none**. The default is **none**.

forwardablekt {**yes** | **no**}

A flag set to determine whether a new ticket-granting ticket with a network address that differs from the present ticket-granting ticket's network address can be issued to the account's principal. The **proxiablekt** attribute performs the same function for service tickets. Its value is either **yes** or **no**. The default is **yes**.

In DCE this attribute is currently only advisory. However, Kerberos clients and servers make use of it when they interact with a DCE Security server.

goodsince *ISO_timestamp*

The date and time the account was last known to be in an uncompromised state. Any tickets granted before this date are invalid. The value is an ISO timestamp. When the account is initially created, the **goodsince** date is set to the current date. Control over this date is especially useful if you know that an account's password was compromised. Changing the password can prevent the unauthorized principal from accessing the system again using that password, but the changed password does not prevent the principal from accessing the system components for which tickets were obtained fraudulently before the password was changed. To eliminate the principal's access to the system, the tickets must be canceled.

The default is the time the account was created.

If you set the **goodsince** date to the date and time the compromised password was changed, all tickets issued before that time are no longer valid and unauthorized principal system access is eliminated.

group *group_name*

The name of the group associated with the account. The value is a single group name of an existing group in the registry. This attribute must be specified for the **account create** command; it does not have a default value.

If a group is deleted from the registry, all accounts associated with the group are also deleted.

home *directory_name*

The file system directory in which the principal is placed at login. The default is the *I* directory.

lastchange *principal_name ISO_timestamp*

A list of two items. The first is the principal name of the last modifier of the account; the second is an ISO timestamp showing the time of the last modification. This attribute is set by the system whenever the account is modified; it cannot be set or modified directly. The initial value consists of the principal name of the creator of the account and the time the account was created.

organization *organization_name*

The name of the organization associated with the account. The value is a single organization name of an existing organization in the registry. This attribute must be specified for the **account create** command; it does not have a default value.

If an organization is deleted from the registry, all accounts associated with the organization are deleted also.

password *password*

The password of the account. This attribute must be specified for the **account create** command; there is no default value. This attribute is not returned by an **account show** command.

postdatedtkt {yes | no}

A flag set to determine if tickets with a start time some time in the future can be issued to the account's principal. Its value is either **yes** or **no**. The default is **no**.

In DCE, this attribute is currently only advisory. However, Kerberos clients and servers make use of it when they interact with a DCE Security server.

proxiabletkt {yes | no}

A flag set to determine whether a new ticket with a different network address than the present ticket can be issued to the account's principal. The **forwardabletkt** attribute performs the same function for ticket-granting tickets. Its value is either **yes** or **no**. The default is **no**.

In DCE, this attribute is currently only advisory. However, Kerberos clients and servers make use of it when they interact with a DCE Security server.

pwdvalid {yes | no}

A flag set to determine whether the current password is valid. If this flag is set to **no**, the next time a principal logs in to the account, the system prompts the principal to change the password. (Note that this flag is separate from the **pwdexpdate** policy, which sets time limits on password validity.) Its value is either **yes** or **no**. The default is **yes**.

renewabletkt {yes | no}

A flag set to determine if the ticket-granting ticket issued to the account's principal can be renewed. If this flag is set to **yes**, the authentication service renews the ticket-granting ticket if its lifetime is valid. Its value is either **yes** or **no**. The default is **yes**.

In DCE this attribute is currently only advisory. However, Kerberos clients and servers make use of it when they interact with a DCE Security server.

server {yes | no}

A flag set to indicate whether the account is for a principal that can act as a server. Its value is either **yes** or **no**. This flag should be **yes** for any server that engages in authenticated communications. The default is **yes**.

shell *path_to_shell*

The path of the shell that is executed when a principal logs in. The legal value is any shell supported by the home cell. The default value is the empty string (`""`).

stdtgtauth {yes | no}

A flag set to determine whether service tickets issued to the account's principal use the standard DCE ticket-granting ticket authentication mechanism. Its value is either **yes** or **no**. The default is **yes**.

usertouser {yes | no}

For server principals, a flag set to determine whether the server must use user-to-user authentication. Its value is either **yes** (must use user-to-user authentication) or **no** (uses server-key-based authentication). The default is **no**.

Policy Attributes

maxktlfe *relative_time*

The maximum amount of time that a ticket can be valid. To specify the time, use the Distributed Time Service (DTS) relative time format (*[-]DD- hh: mm: ss*). When a client requests a ticket to a server, the lifetime granted to the ticket takes into account the **maxktlfe** set for both the server and the client. In other words, the lifetime cannot exceed the shorter of the server's or client's **maxktlfe**. If you do not specify a **maxktlfe** for an account, the **maxktlfe** defined as registry authorization policy is used.

maxktrenew *relative_time*

The amount of time before a principal's ticket-granting ticket expires and that principal must log in to the system again to reauthenticate and obtain another ticket-granting ticket. To specify the time, use the DTS relative time format (*[-]DD- hh: mm: ss*). The lifetime of the principal's service tickets can never exceed the lifetime of the principal's ticket-granting ticket. The shorter you make **maxktrenew**, the greater the security of the system. However, since principals must log in again to renew their ticket-granting ticket, the time specified needs to balance user convenience against the level of security required. If you do not specify this for an account, the **maxktrenew** lifetime defined as registry authorization policy is used.

This feature is not currently used by DCE; any use of this option is unsupported at the present time.

Public Key Attributes

pkgenprivkey { *integer* | **default** }

Updates the public key pair used by the security server for public key authentication. Used only with the **modify** operation and only for the principal named **krbtgt/ cellname**. The *integer* argument defines the bit length of the key modulus. It can be a value of **0** or a number from 256 through 1024 inclusive. A **0** indicates that no key pair will be generated. The default for *integer* is **0**.

The **default** argument indicates that the public key default for the key modulus should be used.

pkkeycipherusage *pk_attributes*

Generates or modifies information used to encrypt public key pairs. Used with the **create** and **modify** operations, this attribute allows you to generate new key pairs, update existing key pairs, and change the public key password. The *pk_attributes* listed below define the tasks to perform and supply the information needed to perform the tasks.

generatekey { *integer* | **default** }

Randomly generate a new public key pair to use for encryption. The randomly generated key pair will create a new pair if none exists for the account or update the existing pair. If you supply this attribute, you cannot supply the **publickeyfile** and **privatekeyfile** attributes. The *integer* argument defines the bit length of the key modulus. It can be a value of **0** or a number from 256 through 1024 inclusive. A **0** indicates that no key pair will be generated. The default for *integer* is **0**.

The **default** argument indicates that the public key default for the key modulus should be used.

oldpassphrase *string*

The current public key password used to verify your identity when

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creating or modifying public key attributes. To change only the password, supply this attribute and the **newpassphrase** attribute with no other public key attributes.

newpassphrase *string*

Use this attribute to supply a new password. To change the password, you must also supply the **oldpassphrase** attribute to verify your identity.

privatekeyfile *file_path*

Use the key stored in the file identified by the *file_path* option to create the private key part of a public key pair used for encryption. If you supply this attribute, you cannot supply the **generatekey** attribute.

publickeyfile *file_path*

Use the key stored in the file identified by *file_path* to create the public key part of a public key pair used for encryption. If you supply this attribute, you cannot supply the **generatekey** attribute.

pksignatureusage *pk_attributes*

Generates or modifies information used to generate digital signatures. Used with the **create** or **modify** operation, this attribute allows you to generate a new signed key pair, update an existing pair, and change the public key password. The *pk_attributes* define the tasks to perform and supply the information needed to perform the tasks. They are the same attributes as the ones described for the **pkkeycipherusage** attribute.

pkmechanism {*file* | *pkss*}

The public key mechanism to use for storing public key information.

The **file** argument indicates the public key information will be stored in a file that is given the account principal's UUID as a filename in the directory **opt/dcelocal/var/security/pk_file/uuid**.

The **pkss** argument indicates the public key information will be stored by the Private Key Storage Server.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about account attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

account catalog

Returns a list of the names of all accounts in the registry. The syntax is as follows:

```
account catalog [cell_name] [-simplename]
```

Options

-simplename

Returns a list of account names in the registry without prepending the name of the cell.

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The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all accounts in the local registry database. Use the *cell_name* argument to return a list of accounts in another cell's registry. By default, fully qualified names are returned in the form *cell_name/account_name*. Use the **-simplename** option to return the names without the cell name in the form *account_name*.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the principal named in the account.

Examples

```
dcecp> account catalog -simplename
nobody
root
daemon
uucp
bin
dce-ptgt
dce-rgy
krbtgt/goodco.com
cell_admin
hosts/pmin17/self
hosts/pmin17/cds-server
hosts/pmin17/gda
ward
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> account catalog
../goodco.com/nobody
../goodco.com/root
../goodco.com/daemon
../goodco.com/uucp
../goodco.com/bin
../goodco.com/dce-ptgt
../goodco.com/dce-rgy
../goodco.com/krbtgt/goodco.com
../goodco.com/cell_admin
../goodco.com/hosts/pmin17/self
../goodco.com/hosts/pmin17/cds-server
../goodco.com/hosts/pmin17/gda
../goodco.com/ward
dcecp>
```

account create

Creates a new account in the registry database. The syntax is as follows:

```
account create account_name_list -mypwd password -password
password -group group_name -organization
organization_name
[-attribute attribute_list | -attribute value]
```

Note: For security reasons, the **account create** command can only be implemented interactively in the **dcecp** shell or in a .tcl script. It cannot be implemented from the command line.

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using the **-attribute** option with an attribute list, you can

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specify individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in the **Attributes** section of this reference page.

-attribute *attribute_list*

Allows you to specify attributes by using an attribute list rather than using the *- attribute value* option. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

You must specify the **group**, **organization**, **password**, and **mypwd** `{{attribute value}...{attributevalue}}`

attributes on the command line.

-group *group_name*

The name of the group to associate with the account. See **Account Attributes** for the format of a group name.

-mypwd *password*

Your DCE privileged password. You must enter your privileged password to create an account. This check prevents a malicious user from using an existing privileged session to create unauthorized accounts. You must specify this option on the command line; it cannot be supplied in a script.

-organization *organization_name*

The name of the organization to associate with the account. See **Account Attributes** for the format of an organization name.

-password *password*

The DCE account password. See **Account Attributes** for the format of a password.

The **create** operation creates a new account. The *account_name_list* argument is a list of names of principals for which the accounts are to be created. This operation returns an empty string on success.

You must specify the **group**, **organization**, **password**, and **mypwd** attributes on the command line (either in an attribute list or with attribute options). The attributes specified are applied to all of the accounts created.

To protect the account password being entered, the **account create** command can be entered only from within **dcecp**. You cannot enter this command from the operating system prompt by using **dcecp** with the **-c** option.

Before you can create a new account, you must create a principal by using the **principal create** command. Then you must add the principal to an existing group and organization using the **group add** and **organization add** commands.

Privileges Required

You must have the following permissions:

1. **gmau** (**groups**, **mgmt_info**, **auth_info**, and **user_info**) permissions to the principal named in the account
2. **rtM** (**read**, **test**, **Member_list**) permissions to the organization named in the account
3. **tM** (**test**, **Member_list**) permissions to the group named in the account
4. **r** (**read**) permission on the registry policy object.

Examples

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```
dcecp> principal create John_Hunter
dcecp>
dcecp> group add users -member John_Hunter
dcecp>
dcecp> organization add users -member John_Hunter
dcecp>
dcecp> account create John_Hunter -group users -organization users \
> -mypwd my.secret.password -password change.me
dcecp>
```

account delete

Deletes existing accounts from the registry. The syntax is as follows:

```
account delete account_name_list
```

The **delete** operation deletes existing accounts from the registry. The argument is a list of names of accounts to be deleted. If the accounts do not exist, an error is generated. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **rmau** (**read**, **mgmt_info**, **auth_info**, **user_info**) permissions for the principal named in the account.

Examples

```
dcecp> account delete john_hunter
dcecp>
```

account generate

Randomly generates a password for a named account. The syntax is as follows:

```
account generate account_name
```

To run the **account generate** command, the **pwd_strength** server must be running, the principal identified by *account_name* must exist, and the **pwd_mgmt_binding** and **pwd_val_type** Extended Registry Attributes must be attached to that principal. Otherwise, an error is generated. The command returns a randomly generated password on success.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about the **pwd_strength** server.

After the password is generated, run the **account create** command to establish the account. Supply the randomly generated password as the account's password (using the **-password** option).

Privileges Required

You must have the **gmau** (**groups**, **mgmt_info**, **auth_info**, and **user_info**) permissions for the principal named in the account.

Examples

```
dcecp> account generate john_hunter
dcecp>
```

account help

Returns help information about the **account** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
account help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **account** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **account help** command returns brief information about each **account** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **account** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **account help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> account help
catalog          Returns the names of all accounts in the registry.
create           Creates an account in the registry.
delete           Deletes an account from the registry.
generate         Generates a random password for an account in the registry.
modify           Modifies an account in the registry.
show             Returns the attributes of an account.
help             Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations       Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

account modify

Changes attributes and policies of existing accounts. The syntax is as follows:

```
account modify account_name_list
[ -mypwd password] {-change attribute_list |
-attribute value}
```

Options

-attribute *value*

As an alternative to using the **-change** option with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in the **ATTRIBUTES** section of this reference page.

-change *attribute_list*

Allows you to modify attributes by using an attribute list rather than individual attribute options. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{attribute value}...{attribute
value}}
```

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-mypwd *password*

Lets you supply your privileged password when changing policy or administration data. You must enter your privileged password to change an account password; otherwise, the **-mypwd** option is optional. This check prevents a malicious user from using an existing privileged session to modify passwords of existing accounts.

The **modify** operation modifies account attributes. The **-add** and **-remove** options are not supported because the attributes created when the account is created cannot be deleted, nor can additional attributes be added. To change an account attribute, supply the new value in an attribute list or as an individual attribute option. The operation returns an empty string on success.

To protect any passwords being entered, you can execute the **account modify** command only from within the **dcecp** program; you cannot execute it from the operating system prompt using **dcecp** with the **-c** option.

Privileges Required

You must have **rm (read, mgmt_info)** permissions for the principal named in the account.

Examples

The following example changes the account's expiration date and login shell by specifying the **expdate** and **shell** attributes as individual attribute options.

```
dcecp> account modify John_Hunter -expdate 1998 -shell /bin/csh
dcecp>

dcecp> account show John_Hunter
{acctvalid yes}
{client yes}
{created ../../my_cell.goodco.com/cell_admin 1994-06-15-18:31:08.000+00:00I-----}
{description {}}
{dupkey no}
{expdate 1995-06-16-00:00:00.000+00:00I-----}
{forwardabletkt yes}
{goodsince 1994-06-15-18:31:05.000+00:00I-----}
{group users}
{home /}
{lastchange ../../my_cell.goodco.com/cell_admin \
1994-06-16-12:21:07.000+00:00I-----}
{organization users}
{postdatedtkt no}
{proxiabletkt no}
{pwdvalid yes}
{renewabletkt yes}
{server yes}
{shell /bin/csh}
{stdgtauth yes}
dcecp>
```

The following example generates a public key pair for John_Hunter.

```
dcecp> account modify John_Hunter -pkmechanism pkss \
> -generatekey 485 -newpassphrase pokey
dcecp>
```

account operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **account** object. The syntax is as follows:

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The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **account operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> account operations
catalog create delete generate modify show help operations
dcecp>
```

account show

Returns attribute information for the specified accounts. The syntax is as follows:

```
account show account_name_list [-policies | -all]
```

Options

-policies

Returns only account polices.

-all

Returns account attributes followed by account policies.

The **show** operation returns an attribute list describing the specified accounts. The argument is a list of names of accounts to be operated on. If more than one account is given, the attributes and policies are concatenated and a blank line inserted between accounts. The **-policies** option lets you return the policies of the account instead of the attributes. The **-all** option returns the attributes followed by the policies.

Attributes and policies are returned in lexical order. If the account has no policies, the operation displays the string **nopolicy**.

The policies that are actually in effect can be different from the account policies due to conflicts with registry wide policies. If this is the case, the **show** operation alters the attribute structure on output to include an **effective** tag and the effective value, much in the same way **organization show** does.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the principal named in the account.

Examples

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```
dcecp> account show John_Hunter
{acctvalid yes}
{client yes}
{created ../../my_cell.goodco.com/cell_admin 1994-06-15-18:31:08.000+00:00I-----}
{description {}}
{dupkey no}
{expdate 1995-06-16-00:00:00.000+00:00I-----}
{forwardabletkt yes}
{goodsince 1994-06-15-18:31:05.000+00:00I-----}
{group users}
{home /}
{lastchange ../../my_cell.goodco.com/cell_admin \
1994-06-16-12:21:07.000+00:00I-----}
{organization users}
{postdatedtkt no}
{proxiabletkt no}
{pwdvalid yes}
{renewabletkt yes}
{server yes}
{shell {}}
{stdtgtauth yes}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **group(8dce)**, **organization(8dce)**, **principal(8dce)**, **registry(8dce)**.

acl

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages DCE access control lists

Synopsis

acl check *acl_name_list* [-entry] [-type*manager_type_name*]

acl delete *acl_name_list* [-ic | -io | -entry][-type*manager_type_name*] [-local]

acl help [*operation* | -verbose]

Arguments

acl_name_list

A list of one or more objects whose ACLs are to be acted on. You can identify objects by using the object's fully qualified names, for example, **././hosts/gumby**.

Note: Use this syntax if CDS is available.

You can also use a list of string bindings with residual names appended. The residual name indicates whether the object is a principal, group, or organization by supplying its principal, group, or organization name. There are four possible formats you can use to specify a string binding.

Note: Use this syntax if CDS is not available.

In string syntax, you can use

```
{uuid@ prot_seq: net_addr residual_name}
```

Another allowable string syntax is

```
{uuid@ prot_seq: net_addr[ endpoint] residual_name}
```

In Tcl syntax, you can use

```
{uuid prot_seq net_addr residual_name}
```

Another allowable Tcl syntax is

```
{uuid prot_seq net_addr endpoint residual_name}
```

operation

The name of the **acl** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **acl** object represents an access control list (ACL), which may exist on any object such as a server, name service entry, container (directory), or file.

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ACLs consist of ACL entries. ACL entries are visible only as members of ACLs. There is no object that represents ACL entries, only the **acl** object representing an entire ACL. Most of the **acl** operations deal directly with the ACL. See **Data Structures** for a description of the syntax of ACLs and ACL entries. An ACL has one attribute, called **cell**, that represents the default cell of the ACL.

In most cases, the name of an object also specifies the name of the associated ACL to manipulate. However, some objects have more than one ACL, and some names can refer to more than one object. These ambiguities are resolved by using various options on the command line.

An object can have more than one ACL. For example, container objects—such as Cell Directory Service (CDS) directories and directories in the registry—have three ACLs: one ACL controls access to the container object itself, a second ACL specifies the default ACL on new objects added to the container (the Initial Object ACL), and a third ACL specifies the default ACL on new containers added to the container (the Initial Container ACL). By default, the **acl** commands operate on the ACL of the container object. Use the **-ic** option to operate on the Initial Container ACL. Use the **-io** option to operate on the Initial Object ACL. Simple objects (those that are not container objects) do not have Initial Container or Initial Object ACLs.

Some servers that have ACLs also store their network location information in a server entry in CDS. The server entry has the same name as the server itself and may also have an attached ACL. Use the **-entry** option to operate on the server entry ACL in CDS rather than the server's ACL.

All **dced** objects have ACLs. When the **dced** on the local machine is in partial service mode, you must use the **-local** option to access **dced** object ACLs. To access **dced** object ACLs, specify only the residual portion of the object name to the **acl** command. For example, use **hostdata**, not **././hosts/gumby/config/hostdata**.

Some DCE objects have more than one purpose. For instance, a registry object can represent a principal and it can also act as a directory (a container). An example is a principal name that identifies another cell (for instance, **././comp.com**) with which you want to establish authenticated operation. In this case, the cell maintains a principal name **././comp.com**. The registry object for this principal name is as follows:

```
././sec/principal/comp.com
```

Assume the cell also has a hierarchical (subordinate) cell named **././comp.com/test_cell**. The cell maintains another principal name **././comp.com/test_cell**. The registry object for this principal name is as follows:

```
././sec/principal/comp.com/test_cell
```

Consequently, the registry object **././sec/principal/friendly.company.com** also acts as a directory because it contains the hierarchical cell name **././sec/principal/friendly.company.com/test_cell**. The ACL Manager that operates on registry objects differs from the ACL Manager that operates on registry directories. For instance, the latter ACL Manager has an **i** (insert) permission bit that controls who can add new objects to the directory. Consequently, most **acl** commands provide a **-type** option that lets you specify the appropriate ACL

Manager when operating on registry objects that are also directories. You can list the ACL Managers available for registry objects by using the **acl show -managers** command.

ACL Entry Syntax

An ACL entry has the following syntax:

type[:key]:permissions

where:

type Identifies the role of the ACL entry.

key Identifies the specific principal or group to whom the entry applies. For an entry type of **extended**, *key* contains the ACL data.

permissions

The ACL permissions.

The syntax of an ACL entry is a list of two or three elements. The first element is the type, the optional second element is the key, and the last element is the set of permission bits. The permission bits are represented by a single character if the permission is granted and by a - (dash) if it is not. An ACL is a list of ACL entries. An example of an ACL is as follows:

```
{unauthenticated -r-----}
{user_obj crwx---}
{user britten crwx---}
{user mahler -rwx---}
{foreign_user /.../C=US/O=OSF/OU=dce/pro/bach crwxidt}
{group_obj -rwx---}
{group dds -rwx---}
{any_other -r-----},
{extended c417faf8-8340-11c9-ace3-08001e5559bb.a.b.c.a1.4.0a0b0c0d -rwx---}
```

On output the above syntax is used, with one addition. If masking produces ineffective bits in an ACL entry, the entry has two additional elements. The first is the identifier **effective**, and the second is the set of effective permissions. These elements are added only for those ACL entries that have ineffective bits, as seen in the following example:

```
{mask_obj -r-----}
{user_obj crwx---}
{user britten crwx--- effective -r-----}
```

On input, do not include the identifier **effective** or the effective permissions. You can enter permissions in any order, omitting the - (dash) for permissions not granted. For example, the above ACL could be entered as:

```
{mask_obj r}
{user_obj crwx}
{user britten wcrx}
```

Defined ACL Entry Types

user_obj

Permissions for the object's real or effective owner.

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group_obj

Permissions for the object's real or effective owning group.

other_obj

Permissions for others authenticated in the local cell who are not otherwise named by a more specific entry type.

user

Permissions for a specific authenticated principal user in the ACL's cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific principal.

group

Permissions for a specific group in the ACL's cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific group.

foreign_user

Permissions for a specific, authenticated user in a foreign cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific principal and the principal's cell.

foreign_group

Permissions for a specific group in a foreign cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific group and the group's cell.

foreign_other

Permissions for all authenticated principals in a specific foreign cell, unless those principals are specifically named in an ACL entry of type **foreign_user** or are members in a group named in an entry of type **foreign_group**. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific foreign cell.

any_other

Permissions for all authenticated principals unless those principals match a more specific entry in the ACL.

mask_obj

Permissions for the object mask that is applied to all entry types except **user_obj**, **other_obj**, and **unauthenticated**.

unauthenticated

Maximum permissions applied when the accessor does not pass authentication procedures. This entry is used for principals that have failed authentication due to bad keys, principals who are entirely outside of any authentication cell, and principals who choose not to use authenticated access. Permissions granted to an unauthenticated principal are masked with this entry, if it exists. If this entry does not exist, access to unauthenticated principals is always denied.

extended

A special entry that allows client applications running at earlier DCE versions to copy ACLs to and from ACL Managers running at the current DCE version without losing any data. The **extended** entry allows the application running at the lower version to obtain a printable form of the ACL. The **extended** ACL entry has the following form:

extended:*uuid. ndr. ndr. ndr. ndr. number_of_bytes. data*

where:

uuid Identifies the type extended ACL entry. (This UUID can identify one of the ACL entry types described here or an as-yet-undefined ACL entry type.)

ndr.ndr.ndr.ndr

Up to three network data representation (NDR) format labels (in hexadecimal format and separated by periods) that identify the encoding of data.

number_of_bytes

A decimal number that specifies the total number of bytes in *data*.

data

The ACL data in hexadecimal form. (Each byte of ACL data is two hexadecimal digits.) The ACL data includes all of the ACL entry specifications except the permissions (described later) that are entered separately. The data is not interpreted; it is assumed that the ACL Manager to which the data is being passed can understand that data.

user_obj_delegate

Delegated permissions for the object's real or effective owner.

group_obj_delegate

Delegated permissions for the object's real or effective group.

other_obj_delegate

Delegated permissions for others in the local cell who are not otherwise named by a more specific entry type.

user_delegate

Delegated permissions for a specific principal user in the ACL's cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific principal.

group_delegate

Delegated permissions for a specific group in the ACL's cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific group.

foreign_user_delegate

Delegated permissions for a specific, authenticated user in a foreign cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific principal and the principal's cell.

foreign_group_delegate

Delegated permissions for a specific, authenticated group in a foreign cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific group and the group's cell.

foreign_other_delegate

Delegated permissions for all authenticated principals in a specific foreign cell, unless those principals are specifically named in an ACL entry of type **foreign_user** or **foreign_user_delegate** or are members in a group named in an entry of type **foreign_group** or **foreign_group_delegate**. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific foreign cell.

any_other_delegate

Delegated permissions for all authenticated principals unless those principals match a more specific entry in the ACL.

Key

The *key* identifier (principal, group name, or cell) specifies the principal or group to which the ACL entry applies. For entries of entry type **extended**, *key* is the data passed from one ACL Manager to another. A *key* is required for the following types of ACL entries:

user Requires a principal name only.

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group Requires a group name only.

foreign_user

Requires a fully qualified cell name in addition to the principal name.

foreign_group

Requires a fully qualified cell name in addition to the group name.

foreign_other

Requires a fully qualified cell name.

foreign_user_delegate

Requires a fully qualified cell name, the principal name, and a key that identifies the principal and the principal's cell.

foreign_group_delegate

Requires a fully qualified cell name, the group name, and a key that identifies the group and the group's cell.

Permissions

The *permissions* argument specifies the set of permissions that defines the access rights conferred by the entry. Since each ACL Manager defines the permission tokens and meanings appropriate for the objects it controls, the actual tokens and their meanings vary. For example the Distributed File Service (DFS), the Directory Service, and the Security Service each implement a separate ACL Manager, and each can use a different set of tokens and permissions. Use the **permissions** operation to display the currently available tokens and their meanings. See the documentation for the DCE component you are using to obtain a more detailed description of its specific permissions.

Attributes

cell *default_cellname*

Represents the default cell of the ACL. Manipulation of this attribute is possible only through the **modify** and **show** operations.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about ACL attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

acl check

Returns the permissions granted by the ACL to the principal entering the command. The syntax is as follows:

```
acl check acl_name_list [-entry]
[-type manager_type_name]
```

Options

-entry Specifies that the command is to operate on the ACL of the namespace entry of the named object.

-type *manager_type_name*
Specifies that the command uses a particular ACL Manager. This option is needed only for objects that have more than one purpose, such as for principal names that also act as directories.

The **check** operation returns the permissions granted in the specified object's ACL to the principal that invoked the command. The argument is a list of names of object's whose ACLs are to be operated on. If you specify no options, the permissions from the ACL for the object named by the operation are returned.

Privileges Required

The permissions required are defined by the object's ACL Manager. Use the **permissions** operation to display the currently available tokens and their meanings. See the documentation for the DCE component you are using to obtain a more detailed description of its specific permissions.

Examples

```
dcecp> acl check {006f859c-ed3d-1d57-a383-0000c0239a70@ncacn_ip_tcp:130.105.5.45 \
> principal/aaa}
rwdtcia
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> acl check ./:/hosts
rwdtcia
dcecp>
```

acl delete

Deletes all ACL entries from the object, except the **user_obj** entry, if it exists. The syntax is as follows:

```
acl delete acl_name_list [-ic | -io
| -entry] [-type manager_type_name] [-local]
```

Options

-ic Specifies that the command is to operate on the Initial Container ACL of the named object.

-io Specifies that the command is to operate on the Initial Object ACL of the named object.

-entry Specifies that the command is to operate on the ACL of the namespace entry of the object.

-type *manager_type_name*
Specifies that the command uses a particular ACL Manager. This option is needed only for objects that have more than one purpose, such as for principal names that also act as directories.

-local Specifies that the command is to operate on the ACL of a **dced** object while the **dced** on the local machine is in partial service mode.

The **delete** operation removes all ACL entries from the object, except the **user_obj** entry, if it exists. Note that if you use **delete** on an object whose ACL does not

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contain a **user_obj** ACL entry (either because the object's ACL Managers do not support **user_obj** entries or because the ACL is empty), the command displays a "bad syntax" error.

The argument is a list of names of objects whose ACLs are to be operated on. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

The permissions required are defined by the object's ACL Manager. Use the **permissions** operation to display the currently available tokens and their meanings. See the documentation for the DCE component you are using to obtain a more detailed description of its specific permissions.

Examples

```
dcecp> acl delete {/./:/hosts/oddball/gumby /./:/pokey}
dcecp>
```

acl help

Returns help information about the **acl** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
acl help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **acl** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **acl help** command returns brief information about each **acl** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **acl** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **acl help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> acl help
check          Returns ACL permissions of invoker.
delete         Deletes all ACL entries except 'user_obj' if it exists.
modify         Adds, removes, or changes ACL entries and attributes.
permissions    Returns permissions associated with an object.
replace        Replaces entire ACL with new ACL entries and attributes.
show           Returns ACL entries or attributes on an object.
help           Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations     Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

acl modify

Changes attributes and entries of ACLs. The syntax is as follows:

```
acl modify acl_name_list [-ic | -io
| -entry] [-type manager_type_name]
```



```
[-cell new_cell_name] {-add acl_entry_list_with_permissions [-mask
{calc | nocalc}] |
-change acl_entry_list_with_permissions [-mask {calc
| nocalc}] |
-remove acl_entry_list_without_permissions | -purge [-local]
```

Options

-cell *new_cell_name*

Changes the value of the **cell** attribute by specifying the new default cell. It must be one value, not a list. The **-cell** option is always applied before the other options. Note that changing the default cell of an ACL that has **user** or **group** ACL entries, or their delegate counterparts, can be dangerous. The principal and groups mentioned in these ACL entries must be in the default cell. If the default cell changes, these ACL entries must change as well.

-add *acl_entry_list_with_permissions*

Adds the ACL entries to the ACL. The value of this option is a list of ACL entries with permissions filled in. You can use the **-mask** option to force or prevent mask recalculation.

-change *acl_entry_list_with_permissions*

Changes existing ACL entries in the ACL. The value of this option is a list of ACL entries with permissions filled in. The permissions are the new permissions placed on the specified ACL entries. The ACL entries must exist in the ACL or an error occurs. You can use the **-mask** option to force or prevent mask recalculation.

-remove *acl_entry_list_without_permissions*

Removes existing ACL entries from the ACL. The value of this option is a list of ACL entries with no permissions. The ACL entries must exist in the ACL or an error occurs.

-purge

Purges all masked permissions (before any other modifications are made), in all ACL entries except **user_obj**, **other_obj**, **mask_obj**, **user_obj_delegate**, **other_obj_delegate**, and **unauthenticated** if they exist. This option is useful only for ACLs that contain an entry of type **mask_obj**.

-mask {**calc** | **nocalc**}

If a **modify** operation causes a mask recalculation that unintentionally adds permissions to an existing ACL entry, the **modify** operation aborts with an error unless you specify the **-mask** option with a value of either **calc** or **nocalc**, or a unique abbreviation of one of these values.

Specifying **calc** creates or modifies the object's **mask_obj** type entry with permissions equal to the union of all entries other than type **user_obj**, **other_obj**, **mask_obj**, and **unauthenticated**. This creation or modification is done after all other modifications to the ACL are performed. The new mask is set even if it grants permissions previously masked out. It is recommended that you use this option only if not specifying it results in an error. If you specify the **calc** option for an ACL Manager that does not support the **mask_obj** entry type, an error is returned.

Specifying **nocalc** means that a new mask should not be calculated.

The **-mask** option can be used only if the **-add** or **-change** option is also used and only if the object's ACL Managers support the **mask_obj** ACL

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type. In addition, you cannot use the **-mask** option if you specify a **mask_obj** ACL entry in the command (by using the **-add** or **-change** options).

- ic** Specifies that the operation act on the Initial Container ACL of the named object.
- io** Specifies that the operation act on the Initial Object ACL of the named object.
- entry** Specifies that the operation act on the ACL of the namespace entry of the named object.
- local** Specifies that the operation act on the ACL of a **dced** object while the **dced** on the local machine is in partial service mode.
- type** *manager_type_name*
Specifies that the command uses a particular ACL Manager. This option is needed only for objects that have more than one purpose, such as for principal names that also act as directories. List available ACL managers using the **acl show -manager** command.

The **modify** operation changes one or more individual ACL entries. The argument is a list of names of ACLs to be modified. They are processed in the order they are entered. The specific operation to perform is described by using options.

Multiple actions can be specified on the command line; they are processed in a fixed order to guarantee proper processing of the ACLs. See [POSIX.6] for a description of this processing order. Either all the changes specified in the operation are made or none are. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

The permissions required are defined by the object's ACL Manager. Use the **permissions** operation to display the currently available tokens and their meanings. See the documentation for the DCE component you are using to obtain a more detailed description of its specific permissions.

Examples

```
dcecp> acl modify ./:/hosts -add {user mahler rwcia}
dcecp>
dcecp> acl modify ./:/hosts -change {user mahler rwdtcia}
dcecp>
dcecp> acl modify ./:/hosts -add {group dce rwdtcia} -remove {user mahler}
dcecp>
```

acl operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **acl** object. The syntax is as follows:

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The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **acl operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> acl operations
check delete modify permissions replace show help operations
dcecp>
```

acl permissions

Returns a list describing the permissions associated with an object. The syntax is as follows:

```
acl permissions acl_name_list [-ic |
-io | -entry] [-type manager_type_name]
[-local]
```

Options

- ic** Specifies that the command is to operate on the Initial Container ACL of the named object.
- io** Specifies that the command is to operate on the Initial Object ACL of the named object.
- entry** Specifies that the command is to operate on the ACL of the namespace entry of the named object.
- type** *manager_type_name*
Specifies that the command uses a particular ACL Manager. This option is needed only for objects that have more than one purpose, such as principal names that also act as directories. List available ACL managers using the **acl show -manager** command.
- local** Specifies that the command is to operate on the ACL of a **dced** object while the **dced** on the local machine is in partial service mode.

The **permissions** operation returns a list of the permissions associated with an object. For each permission, the operation shows the permission token and a description of the permission. The *manager_type_name* argument is a list of names of ACL Manager types whose permissions are to be returned. If more than one name is entered, the output is concatenated and a blank line inserted between each manager type.

Privileges Required

The permissions required are defined by the object's ACL Manager. Use the **permissions** operation to display the currently available tokens and their meanings. See the documentation for the DCE component you are using to obtain a more detailed description of its specific permissions.

Examples

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```
dcecp> acl permissions ./:/hosts
{r {read entry attributes}}
{w {update entry attributes}}
{d {delete entry}}
{t {test attribute values}}
{c {change ACL}}
{i {create new directory entries}}
{a {administer directory replication}}
dcecp>
```

acl replace

Replaces the entire ACL on the object specified by the argument with the supplied value. The syntax is as follows:

```
acl replace acl_name_list [-ic | -io
| -entry] [-type manager_type_name]
-acl acl_entry_list [-cell new_default_cellname] [-local]
```

Options

- ic** Specifies that the operation act on the Initial Container ACL of the named object.
- io** Specifies that the operation act on the Initial Object ACL of the named object.
- entry** Specifies that the operation act on the ACL of the namespace entry of the named object.
- type** *manager_type_name*
Specifies that the command use a particular ACL Manager. This option is needed only for objects that have more than one purpose, such as for principal names that also act as directories.
- acl** *acl_entry_list*
Specifies ACL entries and their new values.
- cell** *new_default_cellname*
Specifies a new default cell for all of the ACLs named in *acl_entry_list*. The **-cell** option is always applied before the other options.
- local** Specifies that the operation act on the ACL of a **dced** object while the **dced** on the local machine is in partial service mode.

The **replace** operation replaces the entire ACL on the object specified by the argument with the supplied value. The argument is a list of names of ACLs to be operated on. The syntax of the value of the **-acl** option is a list of ACL entries. The **-cell** option specifies the new default cell of the ACL. Its value is the name of one cell only (it is not a list). This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

The permissions required are defined by the object's ACL Manager. Use the **permissions** operation to display the currently available tokens and their meanings. See the documentation for the DCE component you are using to obtain a more detailed description of its specific permissions.

Examples

```
dcecp> acl replace /./hosts -acl {group dce rwdtcia}
dcecp>
```

acl show

Returns a list of the ACL entries for the specified object. The syntax is as follows:

```
acl show acl_name_list [-ic | -io
| -entry] [-type manager_type_name]
[-cell | -managers] [-local]
```

```
acl show [-ic | -io] [-type] [-cell | -managers]
[-local]
```

Options

- ic** Specifies that the command is to operate on the Initial Container ACL of the named object.
- io** Specifies that the command is to operate on the Initial Object ACL of the named object.
- entry** Specifies that the command is to operate on the ACL of the namespace entry of the named object.
- type** *manager_type_name*
Specifies that the command uses a particular ACL Manager. This option is needed only for objects that have more than one purpose, such as for principal names that also act as directories.
- cell** Returns the default cell name for the ACL.
- managers**
Returns a list of ACL Managers available for the named ACL.
- local** Specifies that the command is to operate on the ACL of a **dced** object while the **dced** on the local machine is in partial service mode.

The **show** operation returns a list of the ACL entries for the specified object. The argument is a list of names of objects whose ACLs are to be operated on. If more than one name is given, the output is concatenated and a blank line inserted between objects. If they exist, the **mask_obj** and **unauthenticated** ACL entries are displayed first.

Note that since UUIDs and not names are stored in ACLs, **dcecp** may not be able to determine the name associated with an ACL entry. In this case, the UUID is returned as the key instead of the name. The **dcecp** program may be unable to determine the name associated with an ACL entry if the default cell stored in the ACL is incorrect, or if the users and groups specified in the **user** and **group** entries are not registered in the default cell.

If a UUID replaces a name of a user and group, you can recover by adopting the orphaned UUID. To do this, create a new user or group using the UUID found in the ACL. The name of the new user or group is then available.

Privileges Required

The permissions required are defined by the object's ACL Manager. Use the **permissions** operation to display the currently available tokens and their meanings.

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See the documentation for the DCE component you are using to obtain a more detailed description of its specific permissions.

Examples

```
dcecp> acl show ./:/hosts
{unauthenticated r--t---}
{user cell_admin rwdtcia}
{user hosts/absolut/cds-server rwdtcia}
{user hosts/absolut/self rwdtcia}
{user root rwdtcia}
{group subsys/dce/cds-admin rwdtcia}
{group subsys/dce/cds-server rwdtcia}
{any_other r--t---}
dcecp>
```

Note: If you need to display the ACLs of a filename that is separated by a space character, ensure that you use the correct escape characters.

or

```
dcecp> acl show "/./:/sec/principal/file\\name
```

```
dcecp -c acl show "\"./:/sec/principal/file\\name\""
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **account(8dce)**, **group(8dce)**, **organization(8dce)**, **principal(8dce)**, **registry(8dce)**, **xattrschema(8dce)**.

attrlist

Purpose

A dcecp object that manipulates attribute lists

Synopsis

attrlist add *attrlist* **-member** *attrlist*

attrlist getvalues *attrlist* **-type** *typename*

attrlist help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

attrlist list *attrlist*

attrlist modify *attrlist* [**-add** *attribute_type* *attribute_values*] [**-change** *attribute_type* *attribute_values*] [**-remove** *attribute_type* *attribute_values*]

attrlist operations

attrlist remove *attrlist* **-member** *attrlist*

Arguments

attrlist A list of one or more **dcecp** elements. An *attrlist* can be a single character, but usually consists of at least one attribute type and its value, as shown in the following:

{CDS_Convergence medium}

operation

The name of the **attrlist** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **attrlist** object represents an attribute list as returned or accepted by many **dcecp** commands. Use this object to check or manipulate attribute lists so that they can be used by other commands, most commonly in scripts.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

attrlist add

Appends one attribute list to another. The syntax is as follows:

attrlist add *attrlist* **-member** *attrlist*

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The **add** operation returns an attribute list with the attributes specified as the value of the required **-member** option appended.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **attrlist add** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> attrlist add {{a b} {c d}} -member {{e f} {g h}}
{a b} {c d} {e f} {g h}
dcecp>
```

attrlist getvalues

Returns the values of the attributes named in an attribute list. The syntax is as follows:

```
attrlist getvalues attrlist -type typename
```

The **getvalues** operation returns the values of all attributes that are both named in the attribute list and of the type specified by the required **-type** option. The value can be a single type, but if the attribute appears more than once in the attribute list, the value of each instance is returned on a separate line.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **attrlist getvalues** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> attrlist getvalues {{a w x} {c y} {a z}} -type a
{w x}
z
dcecp>
```

This command can be used to filter the output of **show** operations. For example:

```
dcecp> attrlist getvalues [dir show ./:/hosts] -type CDS_UTS
1994-07-01-10:29:59.265-05:00I0.000/00-00-c0-f7-de-56
dcecp>
```

With abbreviations, the above command could be entered as follows:

```
dcecp> at g [dir show ./:/hosts] -t CDS_UTS
1994-07-01-10:29:59.265-05:00I0.000/00-00-c0-f7-de-56
dcecp>
```

attrlist help

Returns help information about the **attrlist** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
attrlist help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **attrlist** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **attrlist help** command returns brief information about each **attrlist** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **attrlist** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **attrlist help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> attrlist help
add           Adds attributes to a list.
getvalues     Returns the values of specified attributes.
list         Returns the attribute types present in a list.
modify       Modifies an attribute list.
remove       Removes attributes from a list.
help         Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations   Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

attrlist list

Returns a list of attribute type names from an attribute list. The syntax is as follows:

```
attrlist list attrlist
```

The **list** operation returns a list of all the attribute type names in the attribute list in the order that they appear in the list.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **attrlist list** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> attrlist list {{a b} {c d}}
a c
dcecp>
```

attrlist modify

Removes and changes attributes and their values in an attribute list. The syntax is as follows:

```
attrlist modify attrlist {[-add
attribute_type attribute_values]
[-change attribute_type attribute_values]
[-remove attribute_type attribute_values]}
```

The **modify** operation returns an attribute list with attributes modified as specified by the **-add**, **-remove** and **-change** options. New attributes can be added, or new values added to existing attributes with **-add**. Entire attributes or attribute values

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can be removed with **-remove**. The **-change** option removes all values from an existing attribute and replaces them with new values specified.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **attrlist modify** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> attrlist modify {{a b} {c d}} -add {{c e}}
{a b} {c d e}
dcecp>
dcecp> attrlist modify {{a b} {c d e}} -remove {{c e}}
{a b} {c d}
dcecp>
dcecp> attrlist modify {{a b} {c d e}} -change {{c f}}
{a b} {c f}
dcecp>
```

attrlist operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **attrlist** object. The syntax is as follows:

attrlist operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **attrlist operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> attrlist operations
add getvalues list modify remove help operations
dcecp>
```

attrlist remove

Removes attributes and their values from an attribute list. The syntax is as follows:

```
attrlist remove attrlist -member attrlist
```

The **remove** operation returns an attribute list after removing attribute types (and their values) specified as an argument to the required **-member** option.

This command removes entire attributes only; to remove specific values, use the **attrlist modify** command.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **attrlist remove** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> attrlist remove {{a b} {c d} {e f} {g h}} -member {e g}
{a b} {c d}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**

aud

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages the audit daemon on a DCE host

Synopsis

aud disable [*remote_audit_daemon_name*]

aud enable [*remote_audit_daemon_name*]

aud help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

aud modify [*remote_audit_daemon_name*] {**-changeattribute_list** | **-attributevalue** }

aud operations

aud rewind [*remote_audit_daemon_name*]

aud show [*remote_audit_daemon_name*] [**-attributes**]

aud stop [*remote_audit_daemon_name*]

Arguments

operation

The name of the **aud** operation for which to display help information.

remote_audit_daemon_name

By default, operations pertain to the local audit daemon. The *remote_audit_daemon_name* argument specifies the name or the binding of the remote audit daemon on which to operate. The name syntax is as follows:

/.../cellname/hosts/hostname/auditd

A remote audit daemon can also be specified with a string binding for the remote host on which the audit daemon is running. Use a string binding such as the following:

ncacn_ip_tcp:130.105.1.227 [*endpoint*]

Alternatively, you can specify the binding by using **dcecp** string syntax such as the following:

{**ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227 1234**}

Description

The **aud** object represents the audit daemon (called **auditd** in the reference implementation) on a host. The daemon creates audit trails on a single host. Using this command, you can enable or disable a daemon, change how a daemon acts when the file system storage for its audit trails is full, or rewind an audit trail file.

This command operates on the audit daemon named in the optional *remote_audit_daemon_name* argument. If the argument is not supplied, the command operates on the audit daemon named by the **_s(aud)** convenience variable. If the variable is not set, the command operates on the audit daemon on the local host.

Attributes

ststrategy {save | wrap}

The audit trail storage strategy of the daemon. This attribute defines what the daemon does if the audit trail storage is full. Its possible values are:

save If the specified trail size limit is reached (the default is 2 MB), **auditd** saves the current trail file to a new file (this file has the same name as the original trail file, with the date and time appended). Then, **auditd** deletes the contents of the original trail file and continues auditing from the beginning of this file. This is the default value for **ststrategy**.

wrap The daemon overwrites the old audit trails.

state {enabled | disabled}

Specifies whether the audit daemon is accepting audit log requests. The values are **enabled** or **disabled**. The default is **enabled**.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about audit attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

aud disable

Disables an audit daemon. The syntax is as follows:

```
aud disable [remote_audit_daemon_name]
```

The **disable** operation disables the audit record logging service of an audit daemon and changes its **state** attribute to **disabled**. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **c (control)** permission on the audit daemon's ACL, and you must be authenticated.

Examples

```
dcecp> aud disable
dcecp>
```

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aud enable

Enables an audit daemon. The syntax is as follows:

```
aud enable [remote_audit_daemon_name]
```

The **enable** operation enables the audit record logging service of an audit daemon and changes its **state** attribute to **enabled**. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **c (control)** permission on the audit daemon's ACL, and you must be authenticated.

Examples

```
dcecp> aud enable  
dcecp>
```

aud help

Returns help information about the **aud** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
aud help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **aud** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **aud help** command returns brief information about each **aud** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **aud** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **aud help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> aud help  
disable          Disables the audit daemon.  
enable           Enables the audit daemon.  
modify           Modifies the attributes of the audit daemon.  
rewind           Rewinds the specified audit trail file to the beginning.  
show             Returns the attributes of an audit daemon.  
stop             Stops the audit daemon.  
help             Prints a summary of command-line options.  
operations       Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.  
dcecp>
```

aud modify

Changes the values of audit attributes. The syntax is as follows:

```
aud modify [remote_audit_daemon_name] {-change
attribute_list | -attribute
value}
```

Options

-change *attribute_list*

Allows you to specify attributes using an attribute list.

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using the **-change** option with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attribute listed in the **Attributes** section of this reference page.

The **modify** operation allows modification of the audit daemon attributes. It accepts the **-change** option, which takes an attribute list as a value. The **aud modify** command also accepts the attribute options **-ststrategy** and **-state**. This operation returns an empty string upon success.

Privileges Required

You must have **c (control)** permission on the audit daemon's ACL, and you must be authenticated.

Examples

```
dcecp> aud modify -change {{ststrategy wrap} {state enabled}}
dcecp> aud modify -ststrategy wrap -state enabled
dcecp>
```

aud operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **aud** object. The syntax is as follows:

aud operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **aud operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> aud operations
disable enable modify rewind show stop help operations
dcecp>
```

aud rewind

Rewinds the central audit trail file to the beginning. The syntax is as follows:

```
aud rewind [remote_audit_daemon_name]
```

The **rewind** operation by default operates on the central trail file. This operation returns an empty string on success.

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Privileges Required

You must have **c (control)** permission on the audit daemon's ACL, and you must be authenticated.

Examples

```
dcecp> aud rewind
dcecp>
```

aud show

Returns the attribute list for the audit daemon. The syntax is as follows:

```
aud show [remote_audit_daemon_name] [-attributes]
```

Options

-attributes

Returns audit daemon attributes.

The **show** operation returns the attribute list for the audit daemon. The attributes are returned in lexical order. The **-attributes** option is provided for consistency with other **dcecp** commands. It does not change the function of the command.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission on the audit daemon, and you must be authenticated.

Examples

```
dcecp> aud show
{ststrategy wrap}
{state enabled}
dcecp>
```

aud stop

Stops the audit daemon. The syntax is as follows:

```
aud stop [remote_audit_daemon_name]
```

The **stop** operation stops the audit daemon process. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **c (control)** permission on the audit daemon, and you must be authenticated.

Examples

```
dcecp> aud stop
dcecp>
```


Related Information

Commands: **auditd(8sec)**, **audevent(8dce)**, **audfilter(8dce)**, **audtrail(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**.

Files: **aud_audit_events(5sec)**, **dts_audit_events(5sec)**, **sec_audit_events(5sec)**, **event_class(5sec)**.

audevents

Purpose

A dcecp object that lists audit events on a DCE host

Synopsis

audevents catalog

audevents help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

audevents operations

audevents query *event_id*

audevents show *event_class_list* | *all*

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Arguments

all All event classes.

event_class_list

The name of one or more recognized event classes. Legal event classes can be viewed with the **catalog** operation.

event_id

The event type expressed either as an integer or as a hexadecimal. If specified as a hexadecimal, the prefix 0x must be used.

operation

The name of the **audevents** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **audevents** object represents the event classes that are recognized by an audit daemon on a host. Each event class is defined in an event class configuration file, and the filename is the symbolic name of the event class.

This command operates only on the audit daemon on the local host.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

audevents catalog

Returns a list of the names of all event classes. The syntax is as follows:

audevents catalog

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all event classes. It takes no arguments. The order returned is arbitrary.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the event class directory, *dcelocal/etc/audit/ec*.

Examples

```
dcecp> audevents catalog
dce_audit_admin_modify
dce_audit_admin_query
dce_audit_filter_modify
dce_audit_filter_query
dce_dts_mgt_modify
dce_dts_mgt_query
dce_dts_synch
dce_dts_time_provider
dce_sec_authent
dce_sec_control
dce_sec_modify
dce_sec_query
dce_sec_server
dcecp>
```

audevents help

Returns help information about the **audevents** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
audevents help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **audevents** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **audevents help** command returns brief information about each **audevent** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **audevents** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **audevents help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> audevents help
catalog      Returns the list of event classes for an audit daemon.
show         Returns the contents of an event class.
help         Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations   Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

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audevents operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **audevents** object. The syntax is as follows:

audevents operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **audevents operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> audevents operations
catalog show help operations
dcecp>
```

audevents query

Returns the event name associated with the event number. The syntax is as follows:

```
audevents query event_id...
```

The **query** operation returns the event name associated with the event id. The argument is an event id written either as an integer or as a hexadecimal. If specified as a hexadecimal, the prefix **0x** must be used.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the event class directory, *dcelocal/etc/audit/ec*.

Examples

```
dcecp> audevents query 0x101
event_name associated with 0x101 is AS_Requested
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> audevents query 257
event_name associated with 257 is AS_Requested
dcecp>
```

audevents show

Returns the contents of an event class. The syntax is as follows:

```
audevents show event_class_list
```

The **show** operation returns the contents of an event class. The argument is a list of names of event classes. For each named event class, **audevents show** returns the event class name and the numbers of the events in the event class. (The numbers are 32-bit integers displayed in hexadecimal format.) If more than one event class is given in the argument, several lists of this format are output, concatenated as one list with a blank line between event classes.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the event class directory, *dcelocal/etc/audit/ec*.

Examples

```
dcecp> audevents show dce_audit_filter_query  
{dce_audit_filter_query 0x101 0x102}  
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> audevents show {dce_audit_filter_query dce_dts_time_provider}  
{dce_audit_filter_query 0x101 0x102}  
{dce_dts_time_provider 0x211 0x212}  
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **aud(8dce)**, **audfilter(8dce)**, **auditd(8sec)**, **audtrail(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**.

Files: **aud_audit_events(5sec)**, **dts_audit_events(5sec)**, **event_class(5sec)**, **sec_audit_events(5sec)**.

audfilter

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages the event filters on a DCE host

Synopsis

audfilter catalog

audfilter create *audit_filter_name_list* **-attribute***guide_name_list*

audfilter delete *audit_filter_name_list*

audfilter help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

audfilter modify *audit_filter_name_list* [**-add***guide_name_list*]
[**-remove***guide_name_list*]

audfilter operations

audfilter show *audit_filter_name_list*

Arguments

audit_filter_name_list

A list of one or more names of audit event filters. A filter name consists of a filter type and possibly a key, depending on the type.

The audit filter types are as follows:

Type **Key**

principal

The key is a *principal_name*.

foreign_principal

The key is a */../cellname/principal_name*.

group The key is a *group_name*.

foreign_group

The key is a */../cellname/group_name*.

cell The key is a *cellname*.

cell_overridable

The key is a *cellname*.

world This type has no key.

world_overridable

This type has no key.

Examples of audit filter names are **principal admin**, **group dce**, and **world**.

operation

The name of the **audfilter** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **audfilter** object represents audit event filters, which consist of a list of guides. Audit event filters are kept by the audit daemon and used to determine whether an auditable event should be logged. An audit filter name consists of a filter type and possibly a key (dependent on the type).

This command operates on the audit daemon named by the **_s(aud)** convenience variable. If the variable is not set, the command operates on the audit daemon on the local host.

Several **audfilter** operations add and remove guide data that is stored in a filter. A guide specifies which action to take when a particular audit condition occurs. A single filter can contain multiple guides, each specifying various actions for different conditions. A guide is identified by a list of the three elements that make up the guide: audit conditions, audit actions, and event classes. Essentially, a guide specifies what (event classes) to audit, when (audit conditions), and how (audit actions). Note that event classes are definable by the administrator.

Audit Conditions

The possible audit conditions are as follows:

success

Audits only if the event succeeded.

denial Audits only if the event failed due to access denials.

failure Audits only if the event failed due to other reasons.

pending

Outcome not yet determined.

Audit Actions

The possible audit actions are as follows:

alarm Sends the audit record to the system console.

all Logs the event and signal the alarm. If **all** is set, the **show** operation returns the action **all**, not **{log alarm all}**.

ems Sends the event to the Event Management Service

log Logs the audit record either in the audit trail file of the Audit daemon or in a user-specified audit trail file.

none Takes no audit action.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

audfilter catalog

Returns a list of names of all filters in the audit daemon. The syntax is as follows:

audfilter catalog

The **catalog** operation returns a list of names of all filters maintained by the audit daemon. It takes no arguments. The names are a list of a type and, if necessary, a key. They are returned in an arbitrary order.

Privileges Required

No special permissions are required to use the **catalog** operation.

Examples

```
dcecp> audfilter catalog
{principal melman}
{foreign_principal ../../cell_X/kevins}
{group dce}
world
dcecp>
```

audfilter create

Creates a new audit filter. The syntax is as follows:

```
audfilter create audit_filter_name_list -attribute guide_name_list
```

Options

-attribute *guide_name_list*

Specifies a list of one or more guides to be added to the specified audit event filters that are created. A guide name consists of three elements: an event class, an audit condition, and an audit action.

See **Data Structures** for more information about guide names.

The **create** operation creates a new audit filter. The argument is a list of names of audit filters to be created. Since a filter that has no guides is removed by the audit daemon during a clean-up (garbage collection) phase, this command requires an **-attribute** option whose value is a list of guides to be added to the specified audit filters on creation. All guides are added to all audit filters specified to be created. The operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the audit daemon, and you must be authenticated.

Examples

```
dcecp> audfilter create {principal melman} -attribute {dce_sec_query denial log}
dcecp>
```


audfilter delete

Deletes the filter including all filter guides. The syntax is as follows:

```
audfilter delete audit_filter_name_list
```

The **delete** operation deletes the filter, including all filter guides. The argument is a list of names of audit filters to be deleted. The operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the audit daemon, and you must be authenticated.

Examples

```
dcecp> audfilter delete {principal jones}
dcecp>
```

audfilter help

Returns help information about the **audfilter** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
audfilter help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **audfilter** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **audfilter help** command returns brief information about each **audfilter** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **audfilter** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **audfilter help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> audfilter help
catalog          Returns the list of filters for an audit daemon.
create          Creates a new filter with specified guides.
delete          Deletes a filter and its associated guides.
modify          Adds or removes one or more guides of a filter.
show            Returns a list of guides in a specified filter.
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations      Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
dcecp> audfilter help modify
-add            Adds guides to the specified filters.
-remove        Removes guides fromn the specified filters.
dcecp>
```

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audfilter modify

Adds or removes one or more guides of a filter. The syntax is as follows:

```
audfilter modify audit_filter_name_list
[-add guide_name_list]
[-remove guide_name_list]
```

Options

-add *guide_name_list*

Specifies a list of one or more guides to be added to the specified audit event filters that are to be modified. A guide name consists of three elements: an audit condition, an audit action, and an event class.

See **Data Structures** for more information about guide names.

-remove *guide_name_list*

Specifies a list of one or more guides to be removed from the specified audit event filters that are to be modified. A guide name consists of three elements: an audit condition, an audit action, and an event class.

See **Data Structures** for more information about guide names.

The **modify** operation adds or removes one or more guides of a filter. The argument is a list of names of audit filters to be modified. In addition, the specific operation to perform is described with one or more of the following options: **-add** and **-remove**. The argument to both options is a list of guides. If more than one guide is specified, all guides are operated on, but *not* atomically. If the last guide is removed from a filter, the filter is deleted at some point by the audit daemon.

Atomicity of multiple actions is not guaranteed.

Similarly, the effect of adding a guide that partially exists in the specified filter is to change the existing guides. These changes guarantee that the semantics of the removal/addition are maintained. The operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the audit daemon, and you must be authenticated.

Examples

```
dcecp> audfilter modify {principal jones} \  
-add {dce_dts_mgt_modify failure alarm} \  
-remove {dce_dts_mgt_query all log}  
dcecp>
```

audfilter operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **audfilter** object. The syntax is as follows:

audfilter operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **audfilter operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> audfilter operations  
catalog create delete modify show help operations  
dcecp>
```

audfilter show

Returns a list of guides in a specified filter. The syntax is as follows:

```
audfilter show audit_filter_name_list
```

The **show** operation returns a list of guides in a specified filter. The argument is a list of filter names (a filter type, and if needed, a key) to be shown. If more than one is entered, the output is concatenated and a blank line inserted between filters.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission on the audit daemon, and you must be authenticated.

Examples

```
dcecp> audfilter show {principal rousseau}  
{dce_dts_mgt_modify failure alarm}  
{dce_dts_mgt_query all log}  
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **aud(8dce)**, **audevents(8dce)**, **auditd(8sec)**, **audtrail(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**.

Files: **aud_audit_events(5sec)**, **dts_audit_events(5sec)**, **event_class(5sec)**, **sec_audit_events(5sec)**.

audtrail

Purpose

A dcecp object that converts the audit trail into a readable format

Synopsis

audtrail help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

audtrail operations

audtrail show *audit_trail_file_name_list* [**-tofilename**] [**-before** *date*] [**-after** *date*]
[**-event** *event_id*] [**-reverse**] [**-first**] [**-last**]

Arguments

audit_trail_file_name_list

A list of one or more names of audit trail files. The names can be either full path names or path names relative to the current working directory.

operation

The name of the **audtrail** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **audtrail** object represents an audit trail file. This command currently supports only one operation, which converts the audit trail into a human readable format.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

audtrail help

Returns help information about the **audtrail** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

audtrail help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **audtrail** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **audtrail help** command returns brief information about each **audtrail** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **audtrail** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **audtrail help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> audtrail help
show          Returns or files the contents of an audit trail file.
help         Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations    Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

audtrail operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **audtrail** object. The syntax is as follows:

audtrail operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **audtrail operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> audtrail operations
show help operations
dcecp>
```

audtrail show

Returns the audit trail in a readable format. The syntax is as follows:

```
audtrail show audit_trail_file_name_list [-to filename]
```

Options

-to *filename*

Specifies the name of the file in which to store the audit trail output.

-before *date*

Shows all of the event records recorded before the specified date.

-after *date*

Shows all of the event records recorded after the specified date.

-event *event_id*

Shows all of the event records that have the same event type. The event id can be specified either as an integer or as a hexadecimal. If specified as a hexadecimal, the prefix **0x** must be used.

-reverse

Shows all of the event records from the newest to the oldest date.

-first Extracts the first event record from the audit trail.

-last Extracts the last event record from the audit trail.

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The **show** operation returns the audit trail in a readable format. This command takes as an argument a list of names of audit trail files. If more than one name is given, the output of each audit trail is concatenated and a blank line inserted between audit trails. The **-to** option specifies a destination filename for the trail. If this option is not present, the trail is returned from the command. If the option is present, this operation returns an empty string.

Because audit trail files can grow quite large, using the **-to** switch is strongly recommended to avoid reading the entire trail into memory.

Note that when **dcecp** processes output, it sends the entire set of returned information to an internal buffer before displaying it. Therefore, when the output is directed to the screen, it can take a long time to appear.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission on the audit trail file on the local file system.

Examples

```
dcecp> audtrail show my_trail

--- Event Record number 1 ---
o Event Information:
  - Event Number:      0x307 /* 775 */
  - Event Name:        EVT_REWIND
  - Event Outcome:     success
o Server UUID:         00000000-0000-0000-0000-000000000000
o Client UUID          00000064-c914-21cf-a700-10005ab1418b
o Cell UUID            e4982482-c914-11cf-a7d0-10005ab1418b
o Number of groups:   8
  o Group UUID:        0000000c-c914-21cf-a701-10005ab1418b
  o Group UUID:        0000000c-c914-21cf-a701-10005ab1418b
  o Group UUID:        00000064-c914-21cf-9e01-10005ab1418b
  o Group UUID:        00000065-c914-21cf-9e01-10005ab1418b
  o Group UUID:        00000066-c914-21cf-9e01-10005ab1418b
  o Group UUID:        00000068-c914-21cf-9e01-10005ab1418b
  o Group UUID:        00000069-c914-21cf-9e01-10005ab1418b
  o Group UUID:        00000067-c914-21cf-9e01-10005ab1418b
o Date and Time recorded: 1996-08-15-17:21:49.659-05:00I-----
o Client Address:       ncacn_ip_tcp:129.35.100.97
--- End of Event record number 1 ---

--- Event Record number 2 ---
o Event Information:
  - Event Number:      0x308 /* 776 */
  - Event Name:        EVT_STOP
  - Event Outcome:     success
o Server UUID:         00000000-0000-0000-0000-000000000000
o Client UUID          00000066-c914-21cf-a700-10005ab1418b
o Cell UUID            e4982482-c914-11cf-a7d0-10005ab1418b
o Number of groups:   Nil
o Authorization Status: Authorized with a name
o Date and Time recorded: 1996-08-16-09:10:37.427-05:00I-----
o Client Address:       ncacn_ip_tcp:129.35.100.97 3865
--- End of Event record number 2 ---
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **aud(8dce)**, **audevents(8dce)**, **auditd(8sec)**, **audfilter(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**.

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Files: **aud_audit_events(5sec)**, **dts_audit_events(5sec)**, **event_class(5sec)**,
sec_audit_events(5sec).

cds

Purpose

A dcecp object that represents a Cell Directory Service server

Synopsis

cds disable *server_name*

cds help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

cds operations

cds show *server_name*

Arguments

operation

The name of the **cds** operation for which to display help information.

server_name

The name of one CDS server running somewhere in the local cell. Specify the server name in one of the following formats:

/.../ cell_name/hosts/dce_hostname/cds-server

././hosts/ dce_hostname/cds-server

Description

The **cds** object allows some low-level control over a CDS server in the local cell. Using it, you can disable a running server, which causes it to shut down gracefully. This command will also display a limited set of the attribute and counter information currently known to the specified server.

Attributes

Child_Update_Failures

The number of times the server failed to update a child replica.

Creation_Time

The date-time stamp representing when the current server started.

Crucial_Replicas

The number of crucial replicas known to the server.

Future_Skew_Time

The skew time allowed the server.

Known_Clearinghouses

The list of clearinghouses known to the server.

Read_Operations

The number of read operations processed by the server since it started.

Security_Failures

The number of times the CDS server had problems with the cell Security Service.

Skulks_Completed

The number of skulks completed by the server since it started.

Skulks_Initiated

The number of skulks initiated by the server since it started.

Times_Lookup_Paths_Broken

The number of times the lookup path was broken during a server operation.

Write_Operations

The number of write operations processed by the server since it started.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

cds disable

Disables the specified CDS server. The syntax is as follows:

cds disable *server_name*

The specified server must be running somewhere in the local cell, and you must have the privileges to access that machine. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **dwc (delete, write, create)** permissions on the namespace entry of the server.

Example

```
dcecp> cds disable ./:/hosts/blech/cds-server
dcecp>
```

cds help

Returns help information about the **cds** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

cds help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **cds** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **cds help** command returns brief information about each **cds** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name

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of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option to display detailed information about the **cds** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cds help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> cds help
disable          Disables the specified CDS server.
show            Returns attribute information about the named CDS server.
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations      Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

cds operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **cds** object. The syntax is as follows:

cds operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cds operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> cds operations
disable show help operations
dcecp>
```

cds show

Returns attribute information about the specified CDS server. The syntax is as follows:

```
cds show server_name
```

The attributes returned mostly represent counter information, which can be used to help isolate a problems with a CDS server. The order in which the attributes are returned is fixed within CDS.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permissions on the namespace entry of the server.

Examples

```
dcecp> cds show ./:/hosts/blech/cds-server
{Creation_Time 1995-10-11-10:06:31.434-04:00I-----}
{Future_Skew_Time 0}
{Read_Operations 141384}
{Write_Operations 3589}
{Skulks_Initiated 278}
{Skulks_Completed 278}
{Times_Lookup_Paths_Broken 0}
{Crucial_Replicas 0}
{Child_Update_Failures 0}
{Security_Failures 0}
{Known_Clearinghouses ../gumby1/blech_ch}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **cdsd(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **cdsclient(8dce)**.

cdsalias

Purpose

A dcecp object that lets you manipulate cell names in CDS

Synopsis

cdsalias catalog

cdsalias connect

cdsalias create *cellalias_name*

cdsalias delete *cellalias_name*

cdsalias help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

cdsalias operations

Arguments

cellalias_name

A single, fully qualified alias name of the cell in the following form:

/.../cellalias_name

operation

The name of the **cdsalias** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **cdsalias** object represents cell names as known by the Cell Directory Service (CDS). This object lets you manipulate alias and preferred names of DCE cells. Each cell has one preferred name. Cells may also have alias names. Currently this object affects only the CDS component. The security server and each host must also be informed of any new cell aliases.

This object can also be used to define a hierarchical relation between one cell and another by connecting the first cell's root directory namespace into the the second cell's namespace. When defining a hierarchical relationship, you must use the **account** command to establish a trust relationship between the cells.

To manipulate alias and preferred names, the **CDS_DirectoryVersion** attribute must be set to 4.0 or greater. See the **Attributes** section of the **directory** command for more information.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

cdsalias catalog

Returns a list of all defined cell aliases in CDS. The syntax is as follows:

cdsalias catalog

The **catalog** operation returns a list of all defined cell aliases in CDS. Each alias name is labeled either **alias** or **primary**, depending on which name is the current preferred name.

Privileges Required

Requires **r (read)** permission on the root directory of the cell.

Examples

```
dcecp> cdsalias catalog
{CDS_CellAliases
 {Alias ../../green.cell.osf.org}
 {Primary ../../blue.cell.osf.org}}
dcecp>
```

cdsalias connect

Establishes a hierarchical relationship between two cells. The syntax is as follows:

cdsalias connect

The **connect** operation creates a hierarchical relationship between two cells. It takes no argument. The current preferred name of the cell is used and the last relative distinguished name (RDN) is removed to identify the parent cell. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

Requires **a (auth_info)** permission on the the local cell's root directory. Also, the CDS server principal on the machine containing the master replica of the local cell's root directory needs **i (insert)** permission on the parent cell's root directory.

Examples

```
dcecp> cdsalias connect
dcecp>
```

cdsalias create

Creates a new alias cell name in CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
cdsalias create cellalias_name
```

The **create** operation creates a new alias cell name in CDS. The required argument is a single fully qualified alias name of the cell. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

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Requires a (**auth_info**) permission on the root directory of the cell.

Examples

```
dcecp> cdsalias create ../../green.cell.osf.org
dcecp>
```

cdsalias delete

Deletes an existing alias cell name from CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
cdsalias delete cellalias_name
```

The **delete** operation deletes an existing alias cell name from CDS. The required argument is a single fully qualified alias name of the cell. If the alias name does not exist, an error is returned. You cannot use this command to delete the preferred cell name. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

Requires a (**auth_info**) permission on the root directory of the cell.

Examples

```
dcecp> cdsalias delete ../../green.cell.osf.org
dcecp>
```

cdsalias help

Returns help information about the **cdsalias** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
cdsalias help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **cdsalias** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **cdsalias help** command returns brief information about each **cdsalias** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **cdsalias** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cdsalias help** command.

Examples

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```
dcecp> cdsalias help
catalog          Returns the aliases known by CDS for the named cell.
connect         Establishes a hierarchical relationship between two cells.
create          Creates the named cdsalias for the local cell.
delete          Deletes the existing cdsalias from the local cell.
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations       Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

cdsalias operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **cdsalias** object. The syntax is as follows:

cdsalias operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cdsalias operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> cdsalias operations
catalog connect create delete help operations
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **account(8dce)**, **cellalias(8dce)**, **directory(8dce)**, **hostdata(8dce)**.

cdscache

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages a local CDS cache

Synopsis

cdscache create *server_name* **-binding** *server_binding*

cdscache delete *server_name*

cdscache discard [*server_name*]

cdscache dump

cdscache help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

cdscache operations

cdscache show *server_name* {**-server** | **-clearinghouse** }

Arguments

operation

The name of the **cdscache** operation for which to display help information.

server_name

The simple name of the cached server machine. A simple name is not a cell-relative name or a fully qualified name (such as *./hosts/pelican*). Some examples of simple names are **pelican** and **hosts/pelican**.

Description

The **cdscache** object represents the Cell Directory Service (CDS) cache on the local node. The CDS cache contains information about servers and clearinghouses known to the local machine, and also contains user data about CDS entries that have been read. The **create** and **delete** operations apply only to the server information. The **show** and **dump** operations can display additional information.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

cdscache create

Creates knowledge of a server in the local client's cache. The syntax is as follows:

cdscache create *server_name* **-binding** *server_binding*

Options

-binding *server_binding*

The required **-binding** option lets you specify the binding information for a CDS server. This option takes a *server_binding* argument, which is the protocol sequence and network address of the server node. The string format is as follows:

protocol-sequence: network-address

The **dcecp** format is as follows:

{*protocol-sequence network-address*}

A *protocol-sequence* is a character string identifying the network protocols used to establish a relationship between a client and server. Protocol sequences have a specific format that depends on the network address that is supplied in the binding; for example **ncacn_ip_tcp** (for connection-based protocol) or **ncadg_ip_udp** (for datagram protocol). The *network-address* is a string representing the network address of the server node.

The **create** operation creates knowledge of a server in the local client's cache. The *server_name* argument is the simple name of a cached server. (An example of a simple name would be **pelican**, as opposed to a cell-relative name like **./:/hosts/pelican**.) This command is typically used to provide configuration information manually to a client that cannot configure itself automatically. Providing configuration information manually may be necessary, for instance, to provide the client with addressing information about a server across a WAN. Once the client knows about one server, it can find other servers through referrals. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w** (**write**) permission to the CDS client system, **./:/hosts/hostname/cds-clerk**.

Examples

The following command creates knowledge of the server **pelican** in the local client's cache:

```
dcecp> cdscache create pelican -binding ncacn_ip_tcp:16.20.15.25
dcecp>
```

cdscache delete

Removes knowledge of a server that you had specifically created from the local client's cache. The syntax is as follows:

cdscache delete *server_name*

The **delete** operation removes knowledge of a server that was specifically created from the local client's cache. The required *server_name* argument is the simple name of a cached server. (An example of a simple name would be **pelican**, as opposed to a cell-relative name like **./:/hosts/pelican**.) You can delete only servers that you have specifically created with the **cdscache create** command. This operation returns an empty string on success.

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Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the CDS client system, *./:/hosts/dce_hostname/cds-clerk*.

Examples

The following command removes knowledge of the server **gumby** from the client cache:

```
dcecp> cdscache delete gumby
dcecp>
```

cdscache discard

Discards the contents of the client cache. The syntax is as follows:

```
cdscache discard [server_name]
```

The **discard** operation discards information in the client cache on the host specified by *server_name*. If you do not specify *server_name*, the operation discards the information from the client cache on the local host. Only a single server name can be specified. This operation returns an empty string on success.

To perform the operation, **cdscache discard** does the following:

1. Brings down the client CDS.
2. Deletes a specific set of files.
3. Restarts the client CDS.

During the process, all cached information is discarded.

Privileges Required

You must have superuser (root) privileges on the CDS client system. No CDS permissions are required.

Examples

The following command discards the contents of the client cache on the local host:

```
dcecp> cdscache discard
dcecp>
```

cdscache dump

Displays the entire contents of the client cache. The syntax is as follows:

```
cdscache dump
```

The **dump** operation displays the contents of the client cache on the screen.

Privileges Required

You must have superuser (root) privileges on the CDS client system. No CDS permissions are required.

Examples

The following command displays the contents of the client cache on the screen (the output is not shown in the example):

```
dcecp> cdscache dump
dcecp>
```

cdscache help

Returns help information about the **cdscache** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
cdscache help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **cdscache** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **cdscache help** command returns brief information about each **cdscache** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **cdscache** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cdscache help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> cdscache help
create          Adds information about named server in local cds cache.
delete          Removes information about named server from local cds cache.
discard         Discards all cdsadv cache information on the specified host.
dump            Dumps all information from local cds cache.
show            Returns information stored in cds cache.
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations      Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

cdscache operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **cdscache** object. The syntax is as follows:

cdscache operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cdscache operations** command.

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Examples

```
dcecp> cdscache operations
create delete discard dump show help operations
dcecp>
```

cdscache show

Returns information about clearinghouses or servers stored in the cache. The syntax is as follows:

```
cdscache show server_name {-server | -clearinghouse}
```

Options

-clearinghouse

This option displays all the names and values of the attributes in the specified cached clearinghouse. The following are valid attributes:

Creation Time

Specifies the time at which this clearinghouse was added to the cache

Miscellaneous Operations

Specifies the number of operations other than read and write (that is, skulks, new epochs, and so on) performed by this client on the cached clearinghouse

Read Operations

Specifies the number of lookup operations of any sort performed by the client on the cached clearinghouse

Towers

Specifies the protocol sequence and network address of the server that maintains the cached clearinghouse

Write Operations

Specifies the number of write operations performed by this client on the cached clearinghouse

-server

This option displays address information of a server in the local client's cache. The following attributes are valid:

Name The directory cell name

Towers

The protocol sequence and network address of the server node

The **show** operation displays information about clearinghouses or servers stored in the cache. The required *server_name* argument is the simple name of a server or a CDS names of a clearinghouse for which you want to display information. You must use one of the **-clearinghouse** or **-server** options to select the information you want to display.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the CDS client.

Examples

The following command displays all attributes of the cached clearinghouse **./:claire_ch**:

```
dcecp> cdscache show ./:claire_ch -clearinghouse
{CH_Name ../../blue.cell.osf.org/claire_ch}
{Created 1994-10-07-11:41:23.131}
{Others 458}
{Reads 150221}
{Tower {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.4.158}}
{Tower {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.4.158}}
{Writes 162}
dcecp>
```

The following command displays all attributes of the cached server **drkstr**.

```
dcecp> cdscache show drkstr -server
{CH_Name ../../terrapin.cell.osf.org/drkstr_ch}
{Tower {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.5.16}}
{Tower {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.16}}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **clearinghouse(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **directory(8dce)**, **link(8dce)**, **object(8dce)**.

cdsclient

Purpose

A dcecp object that represents a Cell Directory Service client

Synopsis

cdsclient disable *client_name*

cdsclient help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

cdsclient operations

cdsclient show *client_name*

Description

The **cdsclient** object allows some low-level control over a CDS client in the local cell. Use it to disable a running client by shutting it down the client gracefully and to display a limited set of the attribute and counter information that is currently known to the client.

Arguments

client_name

The name of one CDS client running somewhere in the local cell. Specify the client name using one of the formats:

/.../ cell_name/hosts/dce_hostname/cds-clerk

/./hosts/ dce_hostname/cds-clerk

operation

The name of the **cdsclient** operation for which to display help information.

Attributes

Authentication_Failures

The number of authentication failures encountered by the client since it started.

Cache_Bypasses

The number of times the client bypassed the cache when looking for information.

Cache_Hits

The number of times the client used the cache when looking for information.

Creation_Time

The date-time stamp representing when the current client started.

Miscellaneous_Operations

The number of non-read, non-write operations processed by the client since it started.

Protocol_Errors

The number of protocol errors encountered by the client since it started.

Read_Operations

The number of read operations processed by the client since it started.

Write_Operations

The number of write operations processed by the client since it started.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

cdsclient disable

Disables the specified CDS client. The syntax is as follows:

```
cdsclient disable client_name
```

The specified client must be running somewhere in the local cell, and you must have the privileges to access that machine. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)**, **w (write)**, and **c (create)** permissions on the namespace entry of the clerk.

Example

```
dcecp> cdsclient disable ./:/hosts/blech/cds-clerk
dcecp>
```

cdsclient help

Returns help information about the **cdsclient** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
cdsclient help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options**-verbose**

Displays information about the **cdsclient** object.

Used without an argument or option, **cdsclient help** returns brief information about each **cdsclient** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option to display detailed information about the **cdsclient** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cdsclient help** command.

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Examples

```
dcecp> cdsclient help
disable          Disables the specified CDS client.
show            Returns attribute information about the named CDS client.
help           Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations      Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

cdsclient operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **cdsclient** object. The syntax is as follows:

cdsclient operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cdsclient operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> cdsclient operations
disable show help operations
dcecp>
```

cdsclient show

Returns attribute information about the specified CDS client. The syntax is as follows:

```
cdsclient show client_name
```

The attributes returned mostly represent counter information, which can be used to help isolate a problems with a CDS client. The order the attributes are returned is fixed within CDS.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permissions on the namespace entry.

Example

```
dcecp> cdsclient show ../hosts/blech/cds-server
{Creation_Time 1995-10-11-15:09:45.187-04:00I-----}
{Protocol_Errors 0}
{Authentication_Failures 0}
{Read_Operations 78935}
{Cache_Hits 55007}
{Cache_Bypasses 23726}
{Write_Operations 50}
{Miscellaneous_Operations 53}
dcecp>
```


Related Information

Commands: **cdsadv(8cds)**, **cds(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**.

cell

Purpose

A dcecp task object that operates on a DCE cell

Synopsis

cell backup [*cell_name*]

cell catalog [*cell_name*]

cell help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

cell operations

cell ping [*cell_name*] [**-clients**] [**-replicas**]

cell show [*cell_name*] [**-simplename**]

Arguments

cell_name

The name of a single cell to operate on. The name must be a fully qualified cell name such as either of the following:

/.../their_cell.goodco.com
/.:

operation

The name of the **cell** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **cell** task object represents a single DCE cell as a whole, including all machines, services, resources, principals, and so on. The optional *cell_name* argument is a single cell name (not a list of cell names). If omitted, the local cell (*/.*) is the default.

Attributes

secservers

Each value is the name of a security server in the cell.

cdsservers

Each value is the name of a machine running a Cell Directory Service (CDS) server in the cell. The name is the simple name found under */./hosts*.

dtsservers

Each value is the name of a Distributed Time Service (DTS) server in the cell.

hosts Each value is the name of a host in the cell, including machines mentioned previously as servers; for example, **hosts/machine1**.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

cell backup

Backs up the master security database and each clearinghouse with master replicas in the cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
cell backup [cell_name]
```

The **cell backup** command backs up the master security database and each clearinghouse with master replicas in the cell. It requires that **dc**ed be running on each of the server hosts. It takes no arguments or options.

Prepare a cell for regular backup operations by changing the access control lists (ACLs) on two of the **dc**ed objects on the local machine and setting up an extended registry attribute (ERA) that can specify a backup destination (typically a tape archive). Then add the new attribute to the principals for the master DCE Security Service registry database and all CDS clearinghouses with master replicas that you want to back up. To do this, follow these steps:

1. Modify ACLs on the local **hostdata** and **svrconf** objects to allow the **subsys/dce/dced-admin** group access by using the following **dcecp acl** operations:

```
dcecp> acl modify hostdata -add {group subsys/dce/dced-admin criI
dcecp> acl modify svrconf -add {group subsys/dce/dced-admin criI
dcecp> acl modify svrconf -add {group subsys/dce/dced-admin -d-rwx} -io
dcecp>
```

2. Create an ERA as a string that specifies a backup destination. Name the ERA **./sec/xattrschema/bckp_dest** and the type **printstring**. Select the ACL manager named **principal** and set its four permission bits to **r (read)**, **m (manage)**, **r (read)**, and **D (Delete)** as shown in the following command:

```
dcecp> xattrschema create ./sec/xattrschema/bckp_dest \
> -encoding printstring -aclmgr {principal r m r D}
dcecp>
```

3. Add the new ERA (**bckp_dest**) to the principal **dce-rgy** (the DCE Security Service registry database). Set the value to be the **tar** filename or the device that is the backup destination, as follows:

```
dcecp> principal modify dce-rgy -add {bckp_dest tarfilename_or_device}
dcecp>
```

4. Add the new ERA (**bckp_dest**) to the principal **./hosts/hostname/cds-server** (the CDS server). Set the value to be the **tar** filename or the device that is the backup destination, as follows:

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```
dcecp> principal modify ./hosts/ hostname/cds-server \  
> -add {bckp_dest tarfilename_or_device}  
dcecp>
```

Now, whenever you want to back up your registry database or CDS database, you can simply invoke a **cell backup** command.

You can back up another cell by including the cell name as an argument to the **cell backup** command. Note that you need the necessary permissions in the remote cell. (Refer to the **registry** object reference page for the required privileges.) This command returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

The **cell backup** command requires that the administrator be logged in as the local superuser (root). It also requires the user to be authenticated to the security service as the cell administrator.

Examples

```
dcecp> cell backup  
dcecp>
```

cell catalog

Lists the foreign cells that are known by the specified cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
cell catalog [cell_name]
```

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all cells currently registered in the specified cell. The list includes the name of the specified cell itself and of any registered foreign cells. If no *cell_name* is provided, the operation returns cells registered in the local cell.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the *./sec/principal* directory and **r (read)** permission to the specified cell principals.

Examples

```
dcecp> cell catalog ./:  
/.../gumby_cell  
/.../pokey_cell  
/.../barney_cell  
dcecp>
```

cell help

Returns help information about the **cell** task object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
cell help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **cell** task object.

Used without an argument or option, the **cell help** command returns brief information about each **cell** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **cell** task object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cell help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> cell help
backup          Backs up master security database and master clearinghouses.
catalog        Returns the names of the cells known to a cell.
ping           Shows the current server status of the cell.
show           Shows attributes describing the configuration of a cell.
help           Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations     Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

cell operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **cell** task object. The syntax is as follows:

cell operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cell operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> cell operations
backup catalog ping show help operations
dcecp>
```

cell ping

Performs quick checks to test whether a cell is running. The syntax is as follows:

```
cell ping [cell_name] [-clients]
[-replicas]
```

Options

-clients

This option causes the command to ping every machine in the cell. It does this by looping through **./hosts** and doing a **host ping** on each host name. In case of failure, it generates an error and returns a list of hosts that could not be contacted. On success, it returns **DCE clients available**.

-replicas

This option causes the command to ping the master security server, each

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security replica in the cell, all the CDS servers in the cell, and all the DTS servers in the cell. In case of failure, it generates an error and returns a list of servers that could not be contacted. On success, it returns **DCE servers available**.

The **ping** operation performs a quick check to test whether a cell is running.

If called with no option, it pings (using **server ping**) the master security server, the CDS server that currently holds the write copy of the the cell root directory (*/.:*), and all the DTS servers in the cell. In case of failure, it generates an error and returns a list of servers that could not be contacted. On success, it returns **DCE services available**.

The **-replicas** option causes the command to ping each security replica and CDS server as well as those mentioned above. In case of failure, it generates an error and returns a list of servers that could not be contacted. On success, it returns **DCE servers available**.

The **-clients** option causes the command to ping every machine in the cell. It does this by looping though *./hosts* and doing a **host ping** on the host name. In case of failure, it generates an error and returns a list of hosts that could not be contacted. On success, it returns **DCE clients available**.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the following directories: *./hosts*, *./hosts/hostname*, and *./subsys/dce/sec*.

Examples

The following command tests whether the core services master servers are available:

```
dcecp> cell ping ../../blue.cell.osf.org
DCE services available
dcecp>
```

The following command tests whether the core services and their replicas are available:

```
dcecp> cell ping -replicas
DCE servers available
dcecp>
```

The following command tests the presence of all DCE hosts in a cell:

```
dcecp> cell ping -clients
DCE clients available
dcecp>
```

cell show

Returns attributes describing the configuration of the specified cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
cell show [cell_name] [-simplename]
```

Options**-simplename**

Returns the cell information without prepending the cell name.

The **show** operation returns attributes describing the configuration of the specified cell. The returned attributes are as follows:

secservers

Each value is the name of a security server.

cdsservers

Each value is the name of a machine running a CDS server. The name is the simple name found under **./hosts**.

dtsservers

Each value is the name of a DTS server in the cell.

hosts Each value is the name of a host in the cell, including machines mentioned previously as servers; for example, **hosts/machine1**.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about attributes.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the following directories in the CDS namespace: **./hosts**, **./hosts/hostname**, and **./subsys/dce/sec/master**

Examples

```
dcecp> cell show ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org
{secservers
  ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/subsys/dce/sec/ice
  ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/subsys/dce/sec/fire}
{cdsservers
  ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/hosts/frick}
{dtsservers
  ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/hosts/frick
  ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/hosts/ice
  ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/hosts/ninja}
{hosts
  ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/hosts/frick
  ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/hosts/ice
  ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/hosts/ninja}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> dcecp> cell show -simplename
{secservers
  subsys/dce/sec/ice}
{cdsservers
  hosts/frick}
{dtsservers
  hosts/frick
  hosts/ice
  hosts/ninja}
{hosts
  hosts/frick
  hosts/ice
  hosts/ninja}
dcecp>
```

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Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dec0)**, **directory(8dce)**, **host(8dce)**, **server(8dce)**.

cellalias

Purpose

A dcecp task object that manages cell name aliases

Synopsis

cellalias catalog

cellalias create *cellalias_name* [-force]

cellalias help [*operation* | -verbose]

cellalias operations

Arguments

cellalias_name

A single fully qualified alias name for the cell alias in the form:

/.../cellalias_name

operation

The name of the **cellalias** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **cellalias** task object allows you to create and display alternative names for cells, known as cell aliases. You can create multiple aliases for a single cell, but only one per **cellalias** command.

When you create an alias, **cellalias** does the following:

1. Creates a new principal to represent the cell alias in the registry.
2. Performs a **registry verify** operation to ensure that all security replicas in the cell are up to date.
3. Creates the specified alias name in CDS using a **cdsalias** operation.
4. Performs a **directory synchronize** operation to ensure that all the CDS replicas are up to date.
5. Performs a **hostdata** operation on each host in the cell for which you are creating the alias.
6. Updates all **dced** objects and the **dcelocal/dce_cf.db** and **dcelocal/etc/security/pe_site** files to reflect the new alias name. (This action can take a long time to complete in a cell with many hosts.)

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

cellalias catalog

Returns a list of all cell alias names for the local cell. The syntax is as follows:

cellalias catalog

In the list of cell alias names, the cell's primary name (the name assigned when the cell principal was created) is listed first. The alias names are listed after the primary name.

Privilege Required

Requires **r (read)** permission on the root directory of the cell.

Examples

```
dcecp> cellalias catalog
/.../gumby
/.../pokey-alias
dcecp>
```

cellalias create

Creates a new alias for the local cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
cellalias create cell_alias_name [-force]
```

Options

-force Ignores errors encountered during execution.

The required *cell_alias_name* is a single fully qualified name. You must start **dced** in remote-update mode with the **-r** option before you use **cellalias create**. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privilege Required

Requires **a (auth_info)** permission on the root directory of the cell.

Examples

```
dcecp> cellalias create /.../green.cell.rainbow.com
dcecp>
```

cellalias help

Returns help information about the **cellalias** task object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
cellalias help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **cellalias** task object.

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Used without an argument or option, the **cellalias help** command returns brief information about each **cellalias** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option to display detailed information about the **cellalias** task object itself.

Privilege Required

No special privileges are required to use the **cellalias help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> cellalias help
catalog          Returns the cell alias names currently in use.
create           Creates a new alias name for the local cell.
help             Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations       Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

cellalias operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **cellalias** task object. The syntax is as follows:

cellalias operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cellalias operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> cellalias operations
catalog create help operations
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **account(8dce)**, **cdsalias(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **directory(8dce)**, **hostdata(8dce)**, **registry(8dce)**.

clearinghouse

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages a clearinghouse in CDS

Synopsis

clearinghouse catalog [*cell_name*] [-**simplename**]

clearinghouse create *clearinghouse_name_list*

clearinghouse delete *clearinghouse_name_list*

clearinghouse disable *clearinghouse_name_list*

clearinghouse help [*operation* | -**verbose**]

clearinghouse initiate *clearinghouse_name_list* -**checkpoint**

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clearinghouse repair *clearinghouse_name_list* -**timestamps**

clearinghouse show *clearinghouse_name_list* [-**schema** | -**all** | [-**counters**] | [-**attributes**]]

clearinghouse verify *clearinghouse_name_list*

Arguments

cell_name

The name of a single cell. The name must be a fully qualified cell name as shown in either of the following:

/.:

/.../their_cell.goodco.com

clearinghouse_name_list

A list of one or more names of clearinghouses you want to operate on. A clearinghouse can be specified in either of the following forms:

././ name_ch

/.../ cell_name/ name_ch

operation

The name of the **clearinghouse** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **clearinghouse** object represents Cell Directory Service (CDS) clearinghouses. Clearinghouses are databases located on CDS server machines that store data

(directories, objects, and links) in CDS. The server machines hold files that contain the actual clearinghouse data. Clearinghouses are also represented in the CDS namespace by an entry that contains information about the clearinghouse.

You must run the **create** operation on the server host where you want to create the new clearinghouse and the **delete**, **disable**, **initiate**, **repair**, and **verify** operations on the host where the clearinghouse to be operated on resides.

Attributes

The following are the CDS-defined attributes that may be present in CDS **clearinghouse** objects:

CDS_AllUpTo

Indicates the date and time the clearinghouse object has been updated to reflect the **CDS_CHDirectories** attribute.

CDS_CHDirectories

Specifies the full name and Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) of every directory that has a replica in this clearinghouse.

CDS_CHLastAddress

Specifies the current reported network address of the clearinghouse.

CDS_CHName

Specifies the full name of the clearinghouse.

CDS_CHState

Specifies the state of the clearinghouse. The state **on** indicates the clearinghouse is running and available.

CDS_CTS

Specifies the creation timestamp (CTS) of the clearinghouse.

CDS_DirectoryVersion

Specifies the current version of the directory in the clearinghouse in which the directory was created.

CDS_NSCellname

Specifies the name of the cell in which the clearinghouse resides.

CDS_ObjectUUID

Specifies the UUID of the clearinghouse. This read-only attribute is set by the system when the clearinghouse is created and cannot be modified by the user.

CDS_ReplicaVersion

Specifies the current version of the replica in which the directory was created. The default is **3.0**. If an upgrade has taken place, the value will upgrade to **4.0**.

CDS_UpgradeTo

A single-valued attribute used to control the upgrading of a clearinghouse from one version of CDS to another. By modifying this attribute, the process of upgrading a clearinghouse to a newer version of CDS may be initiated.

CDS_UTS

Specifies the DTS-style, read-only timestamp of the most recent update to an attribute of the clearinghouse. The value is set by the system.

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Counters

corruptions

Specifies the number of times that a clearinghouse generated a **data corruption** event.

disables

Specifies the number of times that the clearinghouse was disabled since it was last started.

enables

Specifies the number of times that a clearinghouse was enabled since it was last started, not including the initial startup.

failedupgrades

Specifies the number of times that upgrades failed when using the **CDS-UpgradeTo** attribute.

missingentries

Specifies the number of times the **clearinghouse entry missing** event was generated.

reads Specifies the number of read operations directed to this clearinghouse.

returnedrefs

Specifies the number of requests directed to this clearinghouse that resulted in the return of a partial answer instead of satisfying the client's entire request.

rootunreachables

Specifies the number of times the **root lost** event was generated by the clearinghouse.

skulkfailures

Specifies the number of times that a skulk of a directory, initiated from this clearinghouse, failed to complete (usually because one of the replicas in the replica set was unreachable).

writes Specifies the number of write operations directed to this clearinghouse.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about clearinghouse attributes and counters.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

clearinghouse catalog

Returns a list of the names of all clearinghouses in a cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
clearinghouse catalog [cell_name] [-simplename]
```

Option

-simplename

Returns a list of clearinghouse names in a cell without prepending the cellname.

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all clearinghouses in a cell. If you do not specify the optional *cell_name* argument, the cell name defaults to the local cell.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **clearinghouse catalog** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> clearinghouse catalog
/.../dcecp.cell.osf.org/frick_ch
dcecp>

dcecp> clearinghouse catalog -simplename
frick_ch
dcecp>
```

clearinghouse create

Creates a new clearinghouse on the local machine. The syntax is as follows:

```
clearinghouse create clearinghouse_name_list
```

The **create** operation creates a new clearinghouse on the local machine. The *clearinghouse_name_list* argument is a list of one or more names of the clearinghouses you want to create. Clearinghouses should be named only in the root directory (that is, *./*). This operation also stores a read-only replica of the root directory in the new clearinghouse. The process that creates the new clearinghouse initiates a skulk of the root directory, so all replicas of the root should be reachable when you enter the **clearinghouse create** command. To ensure this, perform an immediate skulk of *./* before invoking the command, using the **directory synchronize ./** command. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You need **w (write)** permission to the server on which you intend to create the clearinghouse, and **A (Admin)** permission to the cell root directory. The server principal (*./hosts/dce_hostname/cds-server*) needs **r (read)**, **w (write)**, and **A (Admin)** permission to the cell root directory.

Examples

The following command creates a clearinghouse named *./Boston_CH* on the local server system:

```
dcecp> clearinghouse create ./Boston_CH
dcecp>
```

clearinghouse delete

Deletes the specified clearinghouse from the local machine. The syntax is as follows:

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clearinghouse delete *clearinghouse_name_list*

The **delete** operation deletes the specified clearinghouse from the local server system. The *clearinghouse_name_list* argument is a list of one or more names of the clearinghouses you want to delete. Clearinghouses that contain master replicas of directories are not deleted (and also return errors). This command also automatically deletes all read-only replicas from the clearinghouse; however, you should delete all read-only replicas by hand (see **directory delete -replica**) before invoking this command since invoking many skulls causes the command to execute more slowly. This operation returns an empty string on success.

CDS does not permit you to delete a disabled (cleared) clearinghouse. Before you can do so, re-create the clearinghouse, using the **clearinghouse create** command.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** and **d (delete)** permission to the clearinghouse and **A (Admin)** permission to all directories that store replicas in the clearinghouse. The server principal (*./:/hosts/dce_hostname/cds-server*) must have **d (delete)** permission to the associated clearinghouse object entry and **A (Admin)** permission to all directories that store replicas in the clearinghouse.

Examples

The following command deletes a clearinghouse named *./:/Orion_CH* from the local server system:

```
dcecp> clearinghouse delete ./:/Orion_CH
dcecp>
```

clearinghouse disable

Removes knowledge of the specified clearinghouse from the local server's memory. The syntax is as follows:

clearinghouse disable *clearinghouse_name_list*

The **disable** operation removes knowledge of the specified clearinghouse from the local server's memory. The *clearinghouse_name_list* argument is a list of names of one or more clearinghouses you want to disable. Use this command when relocating a clearinghouse. This command removes the name of the prefix of the clearinghouse files from the */opt/dcelocal/var/directory/cds/cds_files* file and notifies the local CDS server that the clearinghouse is disabled. The clearinghouse entry is not removed from the namespace, nor are the datafiles associated with the clearinghouse removed. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the CDS server on which the clearinghouse resides.

Examples

The following command disables the clearinghouse *./:/Paris2_CH* so that it can be moved to another server:


```
dcecp> clearinghouse disable ./:/Paris2_CH
dcecp>
```

clearinghouse help

Returns help information about the **clearinghouse** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
clearinghouse help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **clearinghouse** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **clearinghouse help** command returns brief information about each **clearinghouse** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **clearinghouse** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **clearinghouse help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> clearinghouse help
catalog          Returns the names of all clearinghouses in a cell.
create           Creates the named clearinghouse.
delete           Deletes the named clearinghouse.
disable          Disables the named clearinghouse.
initiate         Initiates an action on the named CDS clearinghouse.
repair           Repairs an aspect of the named CDS clearinghouse.
show             Returns the attributes of a clearinghouse.
verify           Verifies the consistency of the clearinghouse.
help             Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations       Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

clearinghouse initiate

Initiates a defined action on the specified clearinghouse on the local machine.

Note: This command can be run only on a server machine.

The syntax is as follows:

```
clearinghouse initiate clearinghouse_name_list -checkpoint
```

Options

-checkpoint

Forces the clearinghouse to checkpoint to disk.

The **initiate** operation initiates a defined action on the specified clearinghouse. The required *clearinghouse_name_list* argument is a list of names of clearinghouses you want to initiate actions on. Currently, only a checkpoint action is available. This operation returns an empty string on success.

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Privileges Required

You need **w (write)** permission on the clearinghouse server and **A (admin)** permission on the cell root directory. The server principal (*/hosts/dce_hostname/cds-server*) needs **r (read)**, **w (write)**, and **A (Admin)** permission on the cell root directory.

Examples

The following command initiates a checkpoint operation on the clearinghouse named *./:oddball_ch* on the local system.

```
dcecp> clearinghouse initiate ./:oddball_ch -checkpoint
dcecp>
```

clearinghouse operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **clearinghouse** object. The syntax is as follows:

clearinghouse operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **clearinghouse operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> clearinghouse operations
catalog create delete disable initiate repair show
verify help operations
dcecp>
```

clearinghouse repair

Repairs a specific problem on a specified clearinghouse on the local machine. The syntax is as follows:

```
clearinghouse repair clearinghouse_name_list -timestamps
```

Options

-timestamps

Analyzes and repairs invalid timestamps found in a clearinghouse.

Use the **repair** operation to fix various problems that can occur in a clearinghouse. The required *clearinghouse_name_list* argument is a list of names of clearinghouses you want to initiate repair actions on. Currently, only invalid timestamps can be repaired. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

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You need **w** (**write**) permission to the clearinghouse server and **A** (**Admin**) permission to the cell root directory. The server principal (*/hosts/dce_hostname/cds-server*) needs **r** (**read**), **w** (**write**), and **A** (**Admin**) permission to the cell root directory.

Examples

The following command repairs invalid timestamps in a clearinghouse named *./blech_ch* on the local system.

```
dcecp> clearinghouse repair ./blech_ch -timestamps
dcecp>
```

clearinghouse show

Returns attribute and counter information associated with the specified clearinghouses on local or remote machines. The syntax is as follows:

```
clearinghouse show clearinghouse_name_list
[-schema | -all | [-counters] [-attributes]]
```

Options

-schema

Indicates whether attributes are single-valued or multivalued.

-all Returns the attributes and counters for the clearinghouse.

-attributes

Returns the attributes for the clearinghouse.

-counters

Returns the counters for the clearinghouse.

The **show** operation displays attribute and counter information associated with the clearinghouses specified by *clearinghouse_name_list*, which is a list of one or more names of the clearinghouses. If more than one clearinghouse is specified, the attributes of all the clearinghouses are concatenated into one list. The order of the returned attributes is the lexical order of the object identifiers (OIDs) of each attribute for each clearinghouse.

If you supply no options, **clearinghouse show** returns the attributes associated with the specified clearinghouse.

Privileges Required

You must have **r** (**read**) permission to the clearinghouse.

Examples

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```
dcecp> clearinghouse show ./:/drkstr_ch
{CDS_CTS 1994-06-18-20:16:22.150-05:00I0.000/00-00-c0-f7-de-56}
{CDS_UTS 1994-06-19-17:17:43.911-05:00I0.000/00-00-c0-f7-de-56}
{CDS_ObjectUUID 0066ccea-d978-1db3-8259-0000c0f7de56}
{CDS_AllUpTo 1994-07-01-21:30:18.948-05:00I0.000/00-00-c0-f7-de-56}
{CDS_DirectoryVersion 3.0}
{CDS_CHName /.../terrapin/drkstr_ch}
{CDS_CHLastAddress
 {Tower ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.5.16}
 {Tower ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.16}}
{CDS_CHState on}
{CDS_CHDirectories
 {{Dir_UUID 00146037-d97b-1db3-8259-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin}}
 {{Dir_UUID 0043797a-d991-1db3-8259-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin/subsys}}
 {{Dir_UUID 004faa42-d992-1db3-8259-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin/subsys/HP}}
 {{Dir_UUID 004fa65a-d993-1db3-8259-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin/subsys/HP/sample-apps}}
 {{Dir_UUID 004b1130-d994-1db3-8259-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin/subsys/dce}}
 {{Dir_UUID 00498a0e-d995-1db3-8259-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin/subsys/dce/sec}}
 {{Dir_UUID 003ed80c-d996-1db3-8259-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin/subsys/dce/dfs}}
 {{Dir_UUID 003d4d8e-d997-1db3-8259-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin/hosts}}
 {{Dir_UUID 003bc522-d998-1db3-8259-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin/hosts/drkstr}}
 {{Dir_UUID 0089ee8c-44e0-1dbe-929b-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin/help}}
 {{Dir_UUID 001c6cea-00fb-1dc5-929b-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin/test_1}}
 {{Dir_UUID 00440fe8-02a1-1dc5-929b-0000c0f7de56}
 {Dir_Name /.../terrapin/dirmod}}}}
{CDS_ReplicaVersion 3.0}
{CDS_NSCellname /.../terrapin}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> clearinghouse show ./:/Chicago1_CH -counters
{corruptions 0}
{disables 0}
{enables 1}
{failedupgrades 0}
{missingentries 0}
{reads 2336}
{returnedrefs 2}
{rootunreachables 0}
{skulkfailures 0}
{writes 68}
dcecp>
```

clearinghouse verify

Verifies the consistency of the specified clearinghouse on the local machine.

Note: This command can be run only on a server machine.
The syntax is as follows:

```
clearinghouse verify clearinghouse_name_list
```

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The **verify** operation verifies the consistency of the specified clearinghouse by checking internal attributes. The required *clearinghouse_name_list* argument is a list of one or more names of clearinghouses you want to verify.

The **clearinghouse verify** operation ensures that a clearinghouse is in a correct state by performing the following actions:

- Skulks directories if it is time to do so based on the value of the **CDS_Convergence** attribute.
- Upgrades directory replicas if a **CDS_UpgradeTo** attribute indicates to do so.
- Ensures that child and parent pointer information is correct. This involves ensuring that the set of replicas stored in the child pointer matches the set of replicas stored in the actual directory.
- Performs any needed IP address changes in the directories. Checks for primary cellname changes in the clearinghouse.
- Removes all old data (replica and attributes) based on the value of the **CDS_AllUpTo** attribute.

This command returns an empty string on success.

Note: You cannot use the **clearinghouse verify** command on a remote host. This command is valid for the local host only.

Privileges Required

You need **w (write)** permission to the clearinghouse server and **A (Admin)** permission to the cell root directory. The server principal (*/hosts/dce_hostname/cds-server*) needs **r (read)**, **w (write)**, and **A (Admin)** permission to the cell root directory.

Examples

The following command verifies the consistency of clearinghouses named *./gumby_ch* and *./pokey_ch*.

```
dcecp> clearinghouse verify { ./gumby_ch ./pokey_ch }
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **cdscache(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **directory(8dce)**, **link(8dce)**, **object(8dce)**.

clock

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages the clock on a local or remote host

Synopsis

clock compare [*dts_entity*] [-server *dts_entity*]

clock help [*operation* | -verbose]

clock operations

clock set [*dts_entity*] {-to *DTS_timestamp* [-abruptly | -epoch *epoch_number* | -bypass] -epoch *epoch_number* }

clock show [*dts_entity*] [-dtsd | -inetd | -dced]

clock synchronize [*dts_entity*] [[-abruptly] | [-dtsd] | -inetd | -dced]

Arguments

dts_entity

Identifies the **dtsd** server or clerk to act on.

With the **-server** option in the **compare** operation, *dts_entity* can identify a DTS time provider.

When used without the **-dced** or **-inetd** options, **dts_entity** can be either of the following:

1. The name of a **dtsd** server, which can be on a remote host, in the format:

/.../cellname/hosts/hostname/dts-entity

2. As string binding for the remote host on which the **dtsd** is running, such as:

ncacn_ip_tcp:130.105.1.227

Alternatively you can specify the binding in **dcecp** string format, such as:

{ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227}

When used with the **-dced** or **-inetd** options, *dts_entity* identifies the server by a simple host name in the form *hostname*.

operation

The name of the **clock** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **clock** object represents the clock on a system and the time that it tells. This object has commands to display and set the time. The time setting functionality is

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provided by DTS, unless you specify either the **-dced** or **-inetd** option. The optional argument to the **clock** command is the name of a DCE Version 1.1 **dtstd** running on some machine. Without an argument, the **_s(dts)** convenience variable is checked. If this variable is not set, the command operates on the clock on the local machine.

Note: Time must never be set backwards in the DCE environment. Backwards movement in the clock causes a server to be unable to determine event ordering, resulting in inconsistency in the server's database and corruption of the timestamps. For more information, see the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Core Components*

Use the **-epoch** option to change only the epoch number of the **dtstd**.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

clock compare

Returns the difference between the clocks on the local machine and a DTS server in the cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
clock compare [dts_entity] [-server dts_entity]
```

Options

-server *dts_entity*

Optionally names a specific DTS server against which to compare the host clock.

See **Arguments** for the format of the *dts_entity* argument.

The **compare** operation returns the difference between the clocks on the local machine and a DTS server in the cell. If a server is not specified, the command picks the last responding server returned by **dtstd catalog**. An optional argument compares a remote host's clock against a DTS server. An optional **-server** option compares the clock against a specific DTS server.

The DTS server that responds to this operation may be communicating directly with an external time provider. If so, the **provider** attribute returned by this operation will be set to **yes**.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission on *./:/hosts/ hostname/dts-entity* to execute the command.

Examples

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```
dcecp> clock compare
{server ../gumby/hosts/oddball/dts_entity}
{provider no}
{skew -0-00:00:00.020I-----}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> clock compare -server ../hosts/santafe/dts-entity
{server ../hosts/santafe/dts-entity}
{provider yes}
{skew -0-00:00:00.292I1.431}
dcecp>
```

clock help

Returns help information about the **clock** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
clock help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **clock** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **clock help** command returns brief information about each **clock** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **clock** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **clock help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> clock help
compare      Returns the difference between the local clock and a server.
set          Sets the system clock to the specified time.
show         Returns the current time as a DTS style timestamp.
synchronize  Synchronizes the local clock with the specified server.
help         Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations   Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

clock operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **clock** object. The syntax is as follows:

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The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **clock operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> clock operations
compare set show synchronize help operations
dcecp>
```

clock set

Sets the clock to the specified time. The syntax is as follows:

```
clock set [dts_entity] {-to
DTS_timestamp
[-abruptly -epoch epoch_number | -bypass] | -epoch epoch_number}
```

Options

-to *DTS_timestamp*

This option specifies a DTS timestamp as the time to which to set the clock. You can specify the time in the ISO-compliant time format, as follows:

```
CCYY- MM- DD- hh: mm: ss. fff
```

-abruptly

Specifies to set the clock abruptly rather than gradually adjust it to the computed time.

-bypass

Sets the system clock to the specified time without using DTS.

-epoch *epoch_number*

Specifies an *epoch_number* that matches the epochs of servers with which the local clock synchronizes.

The **set** operation sets the local clock to the specified time. An optional argument sets the clock on a remote host. The **-to** option specifies a DTS timestamp as the time to which to set the clock. If you do not specify the **-abruptly** option, DTS adjusts the clock gradually to the specified time. The **-abruptly** option changes to the specified time, without gradual adjustments. If you specify the **-abruptly** option, you must also specify the **-epoch** option to indicate a new epoch. You can also use the **-epoch** option without specifying a time to pull the specified *dts_entity* out of synchronization. The **-bypass** option causes DTS to be ignored and sets the system clock directly. This operation returns an empty string upon success.

Note: Time must never be set backwards in the DCE environment. Backwards movement in the clock causes a server to be unable to determine event ordering, resulting in inconsistency in the server's database and corruption of the timestamps. For more information, see the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Core Components*

Note that setting your system clock is a dangerous operation. If your machine is not synchronized with other machines in the cell, other DCE services, especially CDS, do not operate correctly.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the clock object (*./:/hosts/hostname/dts-entity*) if using DTS to set the time; otherwise no special privileges are required.

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Examples

```
dcecp> clock set -to 1994-07-15-16:27:28.000-04:00 -abruptly -epoch 1
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> clock set -epoch 5
dcecp>
```

clock show

Returns a DTS-style timestamp including the time differential factor (TDF). The syntax is as follows:

```
clock show [dts_entity] [-dtsd |
-inetd | -dced]
```

Options

-dced Use **dced** services instead of DTS to report the time.

-inetd Use **inetd** socket connections instead of DTS to report the time.

-dtsd Use DTS services to report the time.

The **show** operation returns a DTS-style timestamp with the TDF indicated. Use the *dts_entity* argument to specify a remote host on which to show the clock.

Two options let you specify that the time should be returned without using DTS services:

1. The **-dced** option specifies that **dced** services should be used instead of DTS services
2. The **-inetd** option specifies that **inetd** socket connections should be used instead of DTS

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission on the clock object (*./:/hosts/hostname/dts-entity*) if using DTS to show the time; otherwise no special privileges are required.

Examples

```
dcecp> clock show
1994-07-15-16:28:02.229+00:00I-----
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> clock show oddball -dced
1994-07-16-17:29:05.321+00:00I-----
dcecp>
```

clock synchronize

Causes **dtsd** to synchronize gradually with a server. The syntax is as follows:

```
clock synchronize [dts_entity] [[-abruptly]
[-dtsd] | -inetd | -dtsd]
```

Options

-abruptly

Causes the clock to be set abruptly rather than gradually adjusted to the computed time.

-dced Use **dced** services instead of DTS as the time source.

-inetd Use **inetd** socket connections instead of DTS as the time source.

-dtsd Use DTS services as the time source.

The **synchronize** operation causes the local **dtsd** to synchronize the local clock gradually with the cell time from DTS servers. The **-abruptly** option changes to the specified time immediately, without gradual adjustments.

By default, the time is retrieved from DTS. If the **-dced** option is specified, the time is retrieved from **dced** services. If the **-inetd** option is specified, the time is retrieved from **inetd** socket connections. The optional *dts_entry* argument synchronizes the clock on the named remote host. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w** (**write**) permission on the clock object (*./hosts/hostname/dts-entity*) if using DTS to synchronize the time; otherwise no special privileges are required.

Examples

```
dcecp> clock synchronize
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **dts(8dce)**, **dtsd(8dts)**, **utc(8dce)**.

csrc

Purpose

Builds a DCE character and code set registry on a host

Synopsis

```
csrc [-i source_filename] [-o destination_filename]
```

Arguments

-i *source_filename*

Reads code set values from the source file you specify rather than from the default code set registry source file `/var/dce/nls/csr/code_set_registry.txt`.

-o *destination_filename*

Places the generated code set registry file in the location you specify rather than in the default location `/var/dce/nls/csr/code_set_registry.db`.

Description

The code set registry compiler **csrc** creates a character and code set registry file from the information supplied in a character and code set registry source file.

A code set registry source file is composed of a series of code set records. Each record describes, in human-readable form, the mapping between an OSF-registered or (optionally) a user-defined unique code set value and the character string that a given operating system uses when referring to that code set (called the local code set name).

A code set registry file is the binary version of the source file; the DCE RPC routines for character and code set interoperability use the file to obtain a client's or a server's supported code sets and to translate between operating system-dependent names for code sets and the unique identifiers assigned to them. A code set registry file must exist on each host in an internationalized DCE cell (a DCE cell that supports applications that use the DCE RPC character and code set interoperability features).

Creating the Source File

Code set registry source files are created for input to **csrc** in the following two instances:

1. By DCE licensees, when they are porting DCE to a specific operating system platform and plan for their DCE product to support internationalized DCE applications. In this instance, DCE licensees modify a template code set registry source file supplied on the DCE source tape to contain, for each code set that their platform supports, the local code set names for those supported code sets. Licensees can also add to this file any vendor-specific, nonOSF registered code set names and values that their platform supports.
2. Although IBM does not recommend it, cell administrators can modify the code set registry, when they are configuring machines that are part of an internationalized DCE cell. In this instance, the cell administrator can add to each platform-specific source file any administrator-defined, non-OSF registered code set names and values.

Each code set record specifies one code set, and has the following form:

```
start
  field_list
end
```

where *field_list* consists of the following keyword-value or keyword-text pairs:

description *text*

A comment string that briefly describes the code set. The text field can contain multiple lines; use the backslash character (\) to continue the line. Use this field to give a detailed description of the code set and character set(s).

loc_name *text*

A maximum 32-byte string (31 character data bytes plus a terminating NULL) that contains the operating system-specific name of a code set or the keyword **NONE**. Use this field to specify the name that your site uses to refer to this code set and the code set converters associated with it. For example, on UNIX platforms, code set converters are usually implemented under the **iconv** scheme. Check the **iconv** converter directory to determine the code set names.

rgy_value *value*

A 32-bit hexadecimal value that uniquely identifies this code set. A registry value can be one that OSF has assigned or one that a DCE licensee or cell administrator has assigned. Cell administrator-defined values must be in the range 0xf5000000 through 0xfffffff. The administrator must ensure that assignments in this range are unique.

char_values *value[: value]*

One or more 16-bit hexadecimal values that uniquely identify each character set that this code set encodes. A character value can be one that OSF has assigned or one that a DCE licensee or a cell administrator has assigned. Use the : (colon) to separate multiple character set values.

max_bytes *value*

A 16-bit value that specifies the maximum number of bytes this code set uses to encode one character. The count should include any single-shift control characters, if used.

In the source file, braces ({ }) can be used as synonyms for the **start** and **end** keywords. Use one or more spaces or tabs to separate field names and values. An unquoted # (number sign) introduces a comment; in this case, the **csrc** utility ignores everything between the comment character and the end of the line.

If cell administrators modify the code set registry, for each modified registry they must replace the **NONE** keyword with the local code set names for any site-specific supported code sets.

The following is an excerpt from the OSF-supplied code set registry source file:

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```
start
description ISO 8859:1987; Latin Alphabet No. 1
loc_name NONE
rgy_value 0x00010001
char_values 0x0011
max_bytes 1
end
start
description ISO 8859-2:1987; Latin Alphabet No. 2
loc_name NONE
code_value 0x00010002
char_values 0x0012
max_bytes 1
end

start
description ISO 8859-3:1988; Latin Alphabet No. 3
loc_name NONE
code_value 0x00010003
char_values 0x0013
max_bytes 1
end

start
description ISO 8859-6:1987; Latin-Arabic Alphabet
loc_name NONE
code_value 0x00010006
char_values 0x0016
max_bytes 1
end

[...]

start
description ISO/IEC 10646-1:1993; UCS-2 Level 1
loc_name NONE
code_value 0x00010100
char_values 0x1000
max_bytes 2
end

[...]

start
description JIS eucJP:1993; Japanese EUC
loc_name NONE
code_value 0x00030010
char_values 0x0011:0x0080:0x0081:0x0082
max_bytes 3
end
```

Generating the Code Set Registry File

DCE licensees use **csrc** to create licensee-supplied code set registry files for their internationalized DCE product. Cell administrators of internationalized DCE cells can use the **csrc** utility to create site-specific code set registry files for each host in the cell. The cell administrator runs the **csrc** program on each host in the cell. In general, it should not be necessary for administrators to modify the registry.

When invoked with no options, **csrc** uses the default source file `/var/dce/nls/csr/code_set_registry.txt` and creates the default output file `/var/dce/nls/csr/code_set_registry.db`. Use the **-i** and **-o** options to redirect **csrc** to use a specific source file or generate a specific output file. The **csrc** utility also generates a log file named **CSRC_LOG** in the current directory.

Restrictions

You need **w** (**write**) permission to the `/var/dce/nls/csr` directory, which usually requires **root** privilege.

In the following example, the log file **CSRC_LOG** is created in the current working directory, **testi18n_app**:

```
csrc -i /test/i18n_app/code_set_registry.txt -o
code_set_registry.db
```

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

/var/dce/nls/csr/code_set_registry.txt

Default pathname for code set registry source file.

/var/dce/nls/csr/code_set_registry.db

Default pathname for code set registry object file

Related Information

Functions: **dce_cf_get_csrgy_filename(3dce)**,
dce_cs_loc_to_rgy(3rpc),**dce_cs_rgy_to_loc(3rpc)**,
rpc_rgy_get_codesets(3rpc).

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Core Components*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Reference*.

dceagtd

Purpose

The DCE SNMP subagent.

Synopsis

DCEAGTD [-h *hostname*] [-c *community*] [-d *debuglevel*] [-p *heartbeat_poll_interval*] [-l *bin_log_poll_interval*] [-?]

Options

-h *hostname*

This is the name of the host that sends requests. The default name is the name of the local host.

-c *community*

This option is used to specify the community name. The default community name is dcesnmp.

-d *debuglevel*

This option specifies the debug level. The valid values are 0–9. If you enter a value of 1–9, additional SNMPD debug information is displayed. If you enter a value of 0, the debug information is not displayed. However, the zero value does cause the time intervals to be shorten in order of magnitude. For example, **-d 0 -p 60**, changes the heartbeat poll interval to 60 seconds.

-p *heartbeat_poll_interval*

This option specifies the subagent heartbeat poll interval in minutes. The default time is 10 minutes. If you enter a value of 0 value, then all subagent heartbeat polling is disabled. However, you can change it by using the SNMP set function on the MIB variable, *aSubagtHeartbeatInterval*. For example, the following will change the DCE configured server status heartbeat poll interval to 2 hours:

```
snmpinfo -c dcesnmp -m set 1.3.22.1.7.1.3.3.0=120
```

This pollarization is used to determine how often to check the configured servers status for changes since the last check. Any changes in status will result in an SNMP trap being sent back to the SNMP manager.

-l *bin_log_poll_interval*

This option specifies the subagent BIN.LOG interval in minutes. The default is 10 minutes. A 0 value will disable all subagent BIN.LOG polling. However, this can be changed by using the SNMP set function on the MIB variable, *aSubagtBinLogInterval*. For example, the following will change the DCE subagent BIN.LOG poll interval to 24 hours.

```
snmpinfo -c dcesnmp -m set 1.3.22.1.7.1.3.4.0=1440
```

-? Shows the command syntax.

If you do not specify the parameters on the command line, then the DCE SNMP subagent uses the default values.

Description

This is the DCE SNMP subagent and is a daemon or server in the same sense as any of the other DCE daemon executables except that the subagent does not require DCE to be active or configured.

Note: Although DCE does not need to be configured, the subagent, itself, should be configured.

dcecp

Purpose

Administrative interface for DCE management tasks

Synopsis

dcecp [-s] [-local] [*script_name* | -c *command*]

-c *command*

A list containing one or more valid **dcecp** commands. For a description of the **dcecp** command format, see **Administration Objects**.

-s Turns off inheritance of the login context. The default is to inherit the current login context of the principal that invokes **dcecp**.

-local The **-local** option specifies that the **dcecp** session should operate on the local **dced** object while the **dced** object is in a partial-service state.

Arguments

script_name

Filename of a user-defined script containing **dcecp** commands.

Description

The DCE control program, **dcecp**, is the primary DCE administration interface, providing local and remote access to routine DCE administrative functions from any DCE Version 1.1 and later platform.

The DCE control program is built on a portable command language called the tool command language (Tcl). Tcl allows the use of variables, if statements, list processing functions, loop functions and many other features commonly found in command languages. The control program extends these features, providing a set of commands for manipulating specific DCE objects. The control program also includes task scripts to help administrators perform some routine DCE management functions. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Core Components* for information about the basic concepts and features of **dcecp**. All of Tcl is included in the **dcecp** language.

Invoking and Terminating dcecp

The DCE control program allows you to invoke **dcecp** commands in the following modes:

1. Interactive mode
2. Command-line mode

Interactive Mode

Activate interactive mode by entering the **dcecp** command without any arguments. At the **dcecp** prompt, enter a **dcecp** or Tcl command; **dcecp** executes the command, displays the result, and is ready to accept another command.

```
% dcecp
dcecp> directory list /.: -directories
./:/hosts /./:/subsys
dcecp>
```

Command-Line Mode

Activate command-line mode from the system prompt by using one of the following methods:

1. Enter the **dcecp** command with a filename of a script containing **dcecp** commands, other valid Tcl commands, or both, as follows:

```
% dcecp myown.Tcl
```

2. Enter the **dcecp** command with the **-c** option followed by a list containing one or more **dcecp** commands, as follows:

```
% dcecp -c directory create /./:/admin/printers
```

Enter multiple **dcecp** commands by separating them with a ; (semicolon) and enclosing the commands in "" (quotation marks). Remember to escape shell metacharacters (for example by enclosing them in quotation marks). Multiple commands must be on a single line, as follows:

```
% dcecp -c "directory create /./:/admin/printers; \
directory show /./:/admin/printers"
```

When you use the **-c** option, operation results return to the interpreter, not to the shell. If you enter multiple operations, the output of only the last operation is returned to the shell. This problem can be overcome by using the following ugly, but serviceable workaround:

```
% dcecp -c "puts [dir help]; puts [principal help]"
```

Terminate an interactive **dcecp** session by using the **exit** and **quit** commands. Use the following command syntax:

```
exit n    quit n
```

Use the *n* argument to specify the exit value returned to the shell. The following example terminates a session and returns an exit value of 56 to the shell:

```
exit 56
```

By default, **dcecp** returns **0** (zero) on success and **1** (one) if a command fails.

Startup Scripts

When you invoke **dcecp**, the following script files are executed in the order shown:

[info library]/init.tcl

Contains the standard Tcl initialization scripts with definitions for the **unknown** command and the **auto_load** facility.

\$dcecp_library/init.dcecp

Contains the initialization scripts implementing the **dcecp** commands and tasks. The implementation sets the Tcl variable **dcecp_library** to *dceshared/dcecp* by default.

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\$HOME/.dceprc

Contains user customizations.

Administration Objects

A **dcecp** command has the following syntax:

```
object operation [argument] [-option [opt_arg]] ...
```

where:

object Specifies the name of a **dcecp** administration object. Examples of administration objects are Cell Directory Service (CDS) directories, access control lists (ACLs), Distributed Time Service (DTS) servers, server control objects, and so on. Each administration object is briefly described below.

operation

Specifies the name of an action such as **create**, **show**, or **remove**, that is to be performed on an administration object. For complete descriptions of operations supported by each **dcecp** object, refer to individual object reference pages. Common operations are briefly described below.

argument

Specifies the name of one or more specific objects to operate on. Most, but not all, **dcecp** objects take an argument. Refer to the individual reference pages for descriptions of the arguments supported by various objects.

-option

Specifies a qualifier that controls the precise behavior of a **dcecp** command. Most, but not all, **dcecp** commands take options. Specify options by preceding the option name with a dash as in **-replica**. Some options take an argument, *opt_arg*, that can be a name or a value. The following command shows a **-clearinghouse** option and its argument, which is the name of a CDS clearinghouse:

```
directory create ../admin -clearinghouse ../boston_ch
```

The DCE control program supports the following **dcecp** administration objects. For complete descriptions of the administration objects, refer to the individual object reference pages.

account

Manages an account in the DCE Security Service registry.

acl Manages DCE ACLs.

attrlist

Manipulates attribute lists in scripts.

aud Manages the audit daemon on any DCE host.

audevents

Displays the audit event classes on any DCE host.

audfilter

Manages audit event filters on any DCE host.

audtrail

Displays audit trail files on the local host.

cds Manages the CDS server daemon on any DCE host.

- cdsalias**
Manages cell names known to CDS.
- cdscache**
Manages the CDS clerk cache on any DCE host.
- cdsclient**
Manages the CDS client daemon on any DCE host.
- cell** Performs cellwide tasks.
- cellalias**
Performs cell aliasing and connection tasks.
- clearinghouse**
Manages CDS clearinghouses on the local host.
- clock** Manages the clock on any DCE host.
- directory**
Manages directory entries in the CDS namespace.
- dts** Manages DTS on any host.
- ems** Manages the Event Management Services (EMS) daemon on a DCE host
- emsconsumer**
Manages EMS consumers and their event filter groups.
- emsevent**
Manages EMS event types and event type schemas.
- emsfilter**
Manages EMS event filters on a DCE host.
- emslog**
Manages the EMS log file on the current host.
- endpoint**
Displays remote endpoints, manages local endpoints.
- group** Manages DCE groups in the security service.
- host** Performs tasks involving a host in a DCE cell.
- hostdata**
Manages host-specific information on any DCE host.
- hostvar**
Manages host-specific variables on the local DCE host.
- keytab**
Manages server key tables on any DCE host.
- link** Manages softlinks in CDS.
- log** Manages routing for DCE serviceability messages.
- name** Manages CDS name translation.
- object** Manages object entries in CDS.
- organization**
Manages DCE organizations in the Security Service.
- principal**
Manages DCE principals in the Security Service.

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registry

Manages DCE security replicas and registry-wide information.

rpcentry

Manages a server entry in CDS.

rpcgroup

Manages a group entry in CDS.

rpcprofile

Manages a profile entry in CDS.

secval

Manages the security validation service on any DCE host.

server Manages DCE servers on any DCE host.

user Performs tasks involving individual user information.

utc Manipulates Universal Time Coordinated (UTC) timestamps.

uuid Manipulates (generates or compares) Universal Unique Identifiers (UUIDs).

xattrschema

Manages schemas for extended registry attributes (ERAs).

Common Operations

This section describes operations common to more than one object. Some operations presented here are implemented in all objects, some in only a few, and some only for specific types of objects such as containers (for instance, CDS directories).

add Adds an object to a container. It is implemented for all objects that represent containers. The argument is a list of names of containers. The required **-member** option is used to specify the name of the member to be added to the containers. Its value is a list of members to be added. If lists are specified for both the **-member** option and as the argument, then each member name is added to each container. For example, it is used to add a member to a remote procedure call (RPC) group and is used to add an element to an RPC profile. This operation returns an empty string on success.

catalog

Returns the names of all instances of an object. It usually takes no argument. In some cases, though, an argument specifying a scope, such as a cell name, is optional. For example, the **principal catalog** command returns a list of all principals in the registry. By default, full names are returned. Some objects support a **-simplename** option, which returns names in a shorter form (either relative or not fully qualified). The order of the returned list depends on the object.

create Creates a new instance of an object. It takes one argument, a list of names of instances to be created. This operation returns an empty string on success. Returns an error if the object already exists. For some objects this command takes a **-attribute** option or a set of attribute options to specify attributes on the new object.

delete Destroys an instance of the object. It takes one argument, a list of names of instances to be deleted. This operation returns an empty string on success. If the object does not exist, an error is returned.

help Returns help information on the object as described in the **Help** section. It

takes an argument, which may be an operation supported by the object or the **-verbose** option to return more information.

list Returns a list of the names of all the members of a container. This operation returns names only and not any other information about the members. It is implemented on all objects that represent containers. The argument is a list of names of containers for which to return members. The order of the returned list depends on the object. If more than one container name is given, all member names are returned in one list.

modify

This operation is used to modify attributes, policies, counters, or any other information in an object. Therefore, all attributes, policies, counters, and so forth must have unique names. This operation is not available to all objects. The argument is a list of names of objects to modify.

The specific modification to be made to an object is described by one or more of the **-add**, **-remove**, or **-change** options. If more than one is used, the entire **modify** operation is treated atomically in that either it all will work or none of it will. The order of the options does not matter. Each option can be used only once per command invocation. This operation returns an empty string on success.

-add Used to add an attribute to an object or merely to add values to an existing attribute. The value of this option is an attribute list.

-remove

Used to remove an entire attribute or merely some values from an attribute. The value of this option is an attribute list.

-change

Used to change one attribute value to another. The value of this option is an attribute list.

operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the object. It takes no arguments, and always returns a Tcl list suitable for use in a **foreach** statement. The operations in the list are in alphabetical order with the exception of **help** and **operations**, which are listed last. To return the elements fully sorted, use the following command:

```
lsort [object operations]
```

remove

Removes an object from a container. It is implemented for all objects that represent containers. The argument is a list of names of containers. The **remove** operation requires one option, **-member**, which is used to specify the name of the member to be removed from the container. The value is a list of names of members of the containers. If the value of this option and the argument to the command are both lists, then each listed member is removed from each specified container. If the members do not exist an error is returned. This operation returns an empty string on success.

rename

This operation changes the name of a specified object. The argument is a single name of an object to be renamed, that is, it cannot be a list. Takes a required **-to** option with a value of the new name. The value may not be a list. This operation returns an empty string on success.

show Returns information about an object instance. Objects can have various types of information such as attributes, counters, policies, and so on. The

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show operation is used to return any of this information. Options are passed to the command to specify what information is to be returned. Most of the options used for this purpose are in the plural form such as **-all**, **-attributes**, **-counters**, and **-members**.

Unlike the **list** operation, which returns information about the members of a container, the **show** operation looks only at the named object instance. If the object is a container, the **show** operation does **not** return information about the members, only the container itself.

This operation takes one argument which is a list of names of instances to be shown.

synchronize

Tells the instance to synchronize with any replicas of itself. In CDS terminology, this operations performs a skulk on a directory; in DTS, it causes a server to synchronize. This operation is implemented for all objects that support replication. The argument is a list of instance names to synchronize. If more than one instance name is given, each instance synchronizes with all of its replicas. Pairwise synchronization is not supported. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Miscellaneous Commands

The DCE control program includes a set of commands for miscellaneous operations.

dcecp_initInterp

Initializes a base Tcl interpreter with all the **dcecp** commands.

echo Displays the supplied string as output.

errtext

Takes a DCE status code as an argument and returns the text of the associated message as found in the message catalogs. The argument can be in decimal, octal (leading **0**), or hexadecimal (leading **0x**) notation.

login Creates a new login context, which persists until the end of the **dcecp** session or until destroyed by **logout**. The **login** comand also sets the **_c** convenience variable to the name of the cell logged in to and the **_u** convenience variable to the name of the principal that issued the **login** command. Convenience variables are discussed in a separate section of this reference page. Login contexts are stacked. Takes an account name as an argument. The password is prompted for and not echoed to the screen. Also takes the **-password** option to enter a password.

logout

Logs you out of the current login context as established with a previous **login** command. You can only log out of contexts that were created with the **dcecp login**. Trying to log out of an inherited context results in an error. Leaving **dcecp** logs out all contexts created in the session.

quit Exits from **dcecp**. A synonym of the Tcl built-in command **exit**.

resolve

Takes a partial string binding and returns a fully bound string binding. Takes a required **-interface** option and an optional **-object** option with an interface identifier as an argument to provide enough information for the mapping to occur.

shell Spawns a command shell for the user. The value of the **SHELL** environment variable is used to obtain the name of the shell to spawn.

When the command shell terminates, control is returned to **dcecp**. If the shell is called with arguments, they are passed to the shell and executed. Control is returned upon completion. Always returns an empty string, though an error exception is generated if the shell exits abnormally.

Command Processing

The DCE control program supports the Tcl built-in commands as well as its own commands. If a command name is unknown to **dcecp**, it is passed to the **unknown** procedure and **dcecp** evaluates it using the following algorithm:

1. If the command is found in a **dcecp** script file, **dcecp** executes the command.
2. If the command exists as an executable UNIX program, **dcecp** executes the command. Therefore, you can invoke any UNIX command from the **dcecp** prompt (for example, **ls -l**). Because you do not leave **dcecp**, you do not lose any context you have established.
3. If you have invoked the command at the top level of the **dcecp** shell and the command requests C-shell-like history substitution (such as **!!**, **! number** or **^ old new**), **dcecp** emulates the C shell's history substitution.
4. If you have invoked the command at the top level of the **dcecp** shell and the command is a unique abbreviation for another command, **dcecp** invokes the command.

Abbreviations

The **dcecp** command makes use of two mechanisms to allow all object names, operation names, and options to be abbreviated to the shortest unique string in interactive commands.

The first mechanism relies on the **unknown** command whose behavior is described in the **Command Processing** section of this reference page.

The second mechanism is built in to the individual **dcecp** commands themselves. This mechanism allows the operation name to be abbreviated to the shortest unique operation string supported by the object, and the option names to be abbreviated to the shortest unique string representing an option supported by an object and operation.

For example, consider the following **directory create** command:

```
directory create ../admin/printers/ascii -replica -clearinghouse ../SF0_CH
```

In the abbreviated form, the same command can be entered as follows:

```
dir cre ../admin/printers/ascii -r -c ../SF0_CH
```

Although abbreviating commands is a good way to save keystrokes in typing interactive commands, abbreviations are not recommended for use in scripts. New procedures in scripts can cause abbreviations to become ambiguous. Furthermore, abbreviations are not always portable. When scripts move to other machines, some definitions may be left behind so PAM scripts will not work correctly. Always spell out complete names in scripts.

Syntax

The **dcecp** commands have a default word order, which is *object operation*. This order facilitates adding new objects because new objects can simply be added along with their operations.

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You can configure **dcecp** to accept commands ordered as *operation object* by loading a script called **verb-object.dcecp**. Users who have access to the *operation object* order continue to have access to the **object operation** order. You can load the script for all users on a host by including the following line in the system's **init.dcecp** file:

```
source verb-object.dcecp
```

You can configure *operation object* for individual users by including the line in that user's **.dceprc** file.

Attribute Lists

Many commands need to specify attributes to operate upon. For example, the **modify** operation allows attributes to be changed and the **create** operation often allows attributes to be created along with the object. In all cases, you can use an attribute list to specify the attributes and their values. Doing so makes passing information from one command to another very easy. For example, an ACL copy operation could be written as follows:

```
# copy acl name1 to acl name2
# no error checking
proc acl_copy {name1 name2} {
    acl replace $name2 -acl [acl show $name1]
}
```

Attribute Options

While attribute lists are useful for writing scripts, they are often not user friendly. For those objects that have a fixed list of attributes (for instance, **principal** and **dts**, but not **object**), wherever an attribute list is allowed, options for each attribute that have the same name as the attribute are allowed followed by their values. For example, the following are equivalent:

```
principal create smith -attribute {{quota 5} {uid 123}}
```

```
principal create melman -quota 5 -uid 123
```

Lists of Lists

The DCE control program interpreter relies on list structures to parse command input and return command output. For instance, the following sample command removes the **user** ACL entry for the principal **melman** from an object called **./:foo**.

```
acl modify ./:foo -remove {user melman}
```

Because the **-remove** option uses a list structure to group attributes and values in the option argument, it can take a list of ACL entries as in the following example, which removes the **user** ACL entry for the principals **melman** and **salamone**:

```
acl modify ./:foo -remove {{user melman} {user salamone}}
```

Lists of one value that do not contain spaces do not require braces. The string syntax of an ACL entry allows the type and key to be separated by a : (colon), so the following are valid:

```
acl modify ./foo -remove user:melman
```

```
acl modify ./foo -remove {user:melman user:salamone}
```

If only one ACL entry given, that is, the **-remove** option's value has only one element (and that element does not contain spaces), then braces are not needed to delimit the list. The following are all valid, but all are examples with unnecessary braces:

```
acl modify ./foo -remove {{user melman}}
```

```
acl modify ./foo -remove {{{user melman}}}
```

```
acl modify ./foo -remove {user:melman}
```

```
acl modify ./foo -remove {{user:melman} {user:salamone}}
```

Convenience Variables

All **dcecp** commands set several variables on execution. The variables contain the name of the object operated on, the return value of the last command, the cell name of the last object operated on, and so on. To avoid unnecessary typing, you can substitute the value of these variables into the next command.

Convenience variables behave just like other variables in **dcecp**. Thus, you can trigger variable substitution by prepending a **\$** (dollar sign) before the name of the variable. Alternatively, you can trigger substitution by using **set**. The convenience variables can be set only by using the DCE control program.

The following variables are defined by **dcecp**:

- _b** Holds the name of the server bound to by the last command. This variable is actually a Tcl array where the indexes are used to identify the service. Currently there is only one index is defined: **sec**. Refer to the variable as **_b(sec)**.

The value specifies the name of a server in whatever manner the service finds useful. This value could be the name of an RPC server entry in the namespace, a string binding, or the name of a cell. This variable cannot be set by the user.
- _c** Holds the cell name of the current principal. The **login** command sets the cell name (**_c**) and principal name (**_u**) convenience variables at login (see the **login** command). This variable cannot be set by the user.
- _conf** This variable alters the behavior of most commands that operate on a CDS object. It indicates the confidence you have in the local CDS daemon to fulfill requests. The legal values are **low**, **medium**, and **high**.
- _e** Holds the last DCE error code encountered. This variable has meaning only if **dcecp** is able to determine what the error code is. The value **-1** (negative one) is used when an actual error code is unavailable. This variable cannot be set by the user.
- _h** Holds the hostname the current user is operating on. This variable cannot be set by the user.
- _local** Holds a flag that indicates the mode in which the **dcecp** session is operating. This variable is set to **true** if the **dcecp** session was started with the **-local** option.

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_n Holds a list of the names entered in the last command. These names are the names that the command operated on, typically entered as the third argument.

For example, the following command lists the simplenames of the directories in the `./.` directory:

```
dcecp> dir list ./ -simplename
hosts subsys absolut_ch cell-profile fs lan-profile
sec sec-v1
dcecp>
```

The `_n` variable then contains the following name:

```
dcecp> echo $_n
./.
```

The following command creates the `././x` and `././y` directories:

```
dcecp> dir create {././x ././y}
dcecp>
```

The `_n` variable then contains the following names:

```
dcecp> echo $_n
././x ././y
dcecp>
```

_o Holds the object used in the last operation. For example, if the last command was `dir show ./.`, then `_o` is **directory**. This variable cannot be set by the user.

_p Holds the parent of the object named in the `_n` variable. If the `_n` variable is a list, the `*L_p` variable is a list of the same length, where each element is the parent of the corresponding element in `_n`. If an object in `_n` has no parent, the value of `_p` is the empty string. This variable cannot be set by the user.

The following example creates the directories named `././gumby` and `././pokey`. When the command completes the `_n` variable contains the names **gumby** and **pokey**.

```
dcecp> dir create {././gumby ././pokey}
dcecp>
```

The `_p` variable contains the names of the parents of the **gumby** and **pokey** directories.

```
dcecp> echo $_p
./.
```

_r Holds the return value of the last executed command. This variable cannot be set by the user.

_s Holds the name of the server bound to by the last command. This variable is actually a Tcl array where the indexes are used to identify the service. The currently defined indexes are **sec**, **cds**, **dts**, and **aud**.

The value specifies the name of a server in whatever manner the service finds useful. This value could be the name of an RPC server entry in the namespace, a string binding, or the name of a cell. Users can set this variable by issuing the **set** command to select the server to use.

Each service treats the values of this variable (array) differently. For example, the Security Service uses this variable to select the registry to bind to for the next command, and as a default for the next registry operation. If bound to a read-only replica and an update is requested, **dcecp** tries to bind to the master registry to perform the change. CDS attempts to communicate only with the CDS server named by the variable. If the named CDS server cannot satisfy a request for any reason, the request fails. The auditing service and DTS uses its variable in a manner similar to the CDS server. To contact an audit daemon or DTS server on another host, set this variable to identify that server.

For information about an object's use of this variable, see the object's reference page or use the object's **help -verbose** operation.

_u Holds the current principal name. The **login** command sets the cell name (**_c**) and principal name (**_u**) convenience variables at login (see the **login** command). This variable cannot be set by the user.

Error Handling

All **dcecp** operations return either a list of some information or an empty string on success. If an error occurs, **dcecp** returns an error message. The DCE control program also provides a **catch** command to help scripts catch errors and invoke error handlers.

The DCE control program provides two global variables that store error information returned from commands. The **errorInfo** variable contains the stack-trace of the error messages. When errors occur, **dcecp** commands return one line error messages by default. If the variable **dcecp_verbose_errors** is set to **1**, then a stack trace as it would appear in **errorInfo** is output as well.

When a **dcecp** command argument is a list of objects, the command operates on multiple objects. These operations are usually performed iteratively. If an error occurs, the command aborts at the time of error, producing an exception. Some operations will have finished and others will not have. These operations are always performed in the order listed, and the error message should make it clear on which object the command failed.

Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Help

The DCE control program provides several kinds of help. All returned help strings are obtained from appropriate message catalogs.

To see which operations an object supports, use the **operations** command. An example follows:

```
dcecp> principal operations
catalog create delete modify rename show help operations
dcecp>
```

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This command provides simple help similar to usage messages found on many systems. Users unsure of an operation name or of whether an operation is supported by an object can use this command to find the answer. The output is a **dcecp** list that can be used by other **dcecp** commands.

To see other information about an object, use an object's **help** operation. All **dcecp** objects have a **help** operation that offers three kinds of information.

1. View brief information about an object's operations by using **help** without arguments or options. Operations are listed in alphabetical order with the **operations** and **help** operations listed last because all objects support these operations. An example is as follows:

```
dcecp> principal help
catalog          Returns all the names of principals in the registry.
create           Creates a DCE principal.
delete          Deletes a principal from the registry.
modify           Changes the information about a principal.
rename           Renames the specified principal.
show            Returns the attributes of a principal.
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations       Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

2. View brief information about the options an operation supports by using **help** with one argument—the name of the operation. This operation returns attribute options in alphabetical order. If no options are supported, an empty string is returned. An example follows:

```
dcecp> principal help create
-alias          Add principal named as an alias of specified uid.
-attribute      Attribute list to be assigned to the new principal.
-fullname       Fullname of the new principal.
-quota          Quota of the new principal.
-uid            User Identifier of the new principal.
-uuid           Orphaned UUID to be adopted by the specified principal.
dcecp>
```

3. View a short description of a **dcecp** object by using the **help** operation with the **-verbose** option. This operation returns text explaining what the object represents and how to use it. An example follows:

```
dcecp> principal help -verbose
This object allows manipulation of principal information stored
in the DCE registry. The argument is a list of either relative or
fully-qualified principal names. Specify fixed attributes using
attribute options or an attribute list. Specify any extended attributes
using an attribute list. Principal operations connect to a registry that
can service the request. Specify a particular registry by setting the
_s(sec) convenience variable to be a cell-relative or global replica
name, or the binding of the host where the replica exists. The
completed operation sets the _b(sec) convenience variable to the name
of the registry contacted.
dcecp>
```

Utility Library

The file **opt/dcelocal/dcecp/utility.dcp** contains Tcl functions useful for DCE administration. The functions, which can vary from release to release, are fully commented to document their use.

Reference Pages

Users can use the **dceman** command on [POSIX.2] systems to view the reference page for any **dcecp** object without exiting **dcecp**. This capability helps users avoid losing any context that has been established in the current **dcecp** session. For example, the user can get detailed help on the **principal** command by entering the following:

```
dcecp>
```

Command-Line Editing

You can edit a line before it is sent to **dcecp** by typing certain control characters and escape sequences. To enter a control character, hold down the **<Control>** key and press the appropriate character key. (Control characters are indicated in DCE documentation by the notation **<Ctrl- x>**, where *x* is the second key.) To enter an escape sequence, press **<Escape>** then press one or more character keys. (Escape sequences are indicated in DCE documentation by the notation **<ESC x>**, where *x* is the second key.) Escape sequences are case-sensitive; control characters are not.

You can enter an editing command anywhere on a line. In addition, you can enter **<Return>** anywhere on the line.

You can specify a number [*n*] as a repeat count. To enter a repeat count, press **<Escape>**, a number, and the command you want to execute.

For example, **<ESC 4><Ctrl-D>** deletes the next four characters on a line.

Use the following control characters and escape sequences for line editing:

Control Sequence

Action Performed

<Ctrl-A>	Move to the beginning of the line
<Ctrl-B>	Move left (backward) [<i>n</i>]
<Ctrl-D>	Delete the next character [<i>n</i>]
<Ctrl-E>	Move to the end of the line
<Ctrl-F>	Move right (forward) [<i>n</i>]
<Ctrl-G>	Ring the bell
<Ctrl-H>	Delete the character before the cursor [<i>n</i>]
<Ctrl-I>	Complete the filename (<Tab>)
<Ctrl-J>	Done with the line (<Return>)

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- <Ctrl-K>**
Kill to the end of the line (or column [*n*])
 - <Ctrl-L>**
Redisplay the line
 - <Ctrl-M>**
Done with the line (alternate **<Return>**)
 - <Ctrl-N>**
Get the next line from history [*n*]
 - <Ctrl-P>**
Get the previous line from history [*n*]
 - <Ctrl-R>**
Search backward (or forward if [*n*]) through history for the text; start the line if the text begins with an up arrow
 - <Ctrl-T>**
Transpose the characters
 - <Ctrl-V>**
Insert the next character even if it is an edit command
 - <Ctrl-W>**
Wipe to the mark
 - <Ctrl-X><Ctrl-X>**
Exchange the current location and mark
 - <Ctrl-Y>**
Yank back the last killed test
 - <Ctrl-[>**
Start an escape sequence (**<Escape>**)
 - <Ctrl-]>**
Move forward to the next character *c*
 - <Ctrl-?>**
Delete the character before the cursor [*n*]
- Escape Sequence**
- | | Action Performed |
|----------------------------------|--|
| <ESC><Ctrl-H> | Delete the previous word (<Backspace>) [<i>n</i>] |
| <ESC><Delete> | Delete the previous word (<Delete>) [<i>n</i>] |
| <ESC><Space> | Set the mark (<Space>); refer to the <Ctrl-X><Ctrl-X> and <Ctrl-Y> control characters |
| <ESC-.> | Get the last (or [<i>n</i>]th) word from the previous line |
| <ESC-?> | Show the possible completions |
| <ESC-<> | Move to the start of history |

<ESC->
Move to the end of history

<ESC-b>
Move backward one word [*n*]

<ESC-d>
Delete the word under the cursor [*n*]

<ESC-f>
Move forward one word [*n*]

<ESC-l>
Make the word lowercase [*n*]

<ESC-u>
Make the word uppercase [*n*]

<ESC-y>
Yank back the last killed text

<ESC-w>
Make area up to mark yankable

<ESC- *nn*>
Set repeat count to the number *nn*

The DCE control program also supports filename completion. For example, suppose the root directory has the following files in it: **vmunix**, **core**, **vmunix.old**.

If you type **rm /v** and then press **<Tab>**, **dcecp** finishes off as much of the name as possible by adding **vmunix**. If the name is not unique, the terminal alarm sounds. If you enter **<ESC-?>**, **dcecp** displays the two possible complete filenames: **vmunix** and **vmunix.old**. If you respond by entering a . (period) and by entering **<Tab>**, **dcecp** completes the filename for you.

Command History and Command-Line Recall

The DCE control program includes a history facility that stores previously entered commands. View the stored commands using the **history** command.

By default, the history facility stores the 20 most recent commands, but you can use a **history keep** command to change this as follows:

```
dcecp> history keep 50
dcecp>
```

Each stored command is numbered so you can recall it by using a ! (exclamation point) followed by the event number, as follows:

```
dcecp> !7
[execution of event 7]
dcecp>
```

Recall a specific command using an ! (exclamation point) followed by the first unique characters of a previously entered command, as follows:

```
dcecp> !dir
[execution of last event beginning with dir]
dcecp>
```

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You can also recall and revise the most recent command using the `^ old ^ new` syntax familiar to UNIX users, as follows:

```
dcecp> directory create ../admin/printers
[error message]
dcecp>
dcecp> ^vreate^ create
[command output]
dcecp>
```

Invocations

The following examples show some ways to issue **dcecp** commands:

1. Invoke **dcecp** for interactive use:

```
% dcecp
dcecp>
```

2. Invoke **dcecp** for a single command:

```
% dcecp -c clock show
1994-04-21-19:12:42.203+00:00I-----
%
```

3. Invoke **dcecp** and run a script:

```
% dcecp get_users.Tcl
%
```

Simple Object Commands

```
dcecp> acl show -ic /.:
{unauthenticated r--t---}
{group subsys/dce/cds-admin rwdtcia}
{group subsys/dce/cds-server rwdtcia}
{any_other r--t---}
dcecp>

% dcecp -c directory show /./subsys
{RPC_ClassVersion {01 00}}
{CDS_CTS 1995-10-11-14:06:47.884826100/08-00-09-85-b5-a6}
{CDS_UTS 1995-10-23-03:06:43.209673100/08-00-09-85-b5-a6}
{CDS_ObjectUUID 0c27c0ac-03d6-11cf-ad88-08000985b5a6}
{CDS_Replicas
  {{CH_UUID 03ccab5c-03d6-11cf-ad88-08000985b5a6}
   {CH_Name ../../gumby1/blech_ch}
   {Replica_Type Master}
   {Tower {ncadg_ip_udp 15.22.50.213}}
   {Tower {ncacn_ip_tcp 15.22.50.213}}}}
{CDS_AllUpTo 1995-10-23-13:06:43.560848100/08-00-09-85-b5-a6}
{CDS_Convergence medium}
{CDS_ParentPointer
  {{Parent_UUID 044a2a14-03d6-11cf-ad88-08000985b5a6}
   {Timeout
    {expiration 1994-04-19-16:39:58.049}
    {extension +1-00:00:00.000I0.000}}
   {myname ../../brain_cell.osf.org/subsys}}
{CDS_DirectoryVersion 3.0}
{CDS_ReplicaState on}
{CDS_ReplicaType Master}
{CDS_LastSkulk 1995-10-23-13:06:43.560848100/08-00-09-85-b5-a6}
{CDS_LastUpdate 1995-10-23-03:06:43.209673100/08-00-09-85-b5-a6}
{CDS_Epoch 0c3512fc-03d6-11cf-ad88-08000985b5a6}
{CDS_ReplicaVersion 3.0}
%
```

The foreach Loop

```
dcecp> foreach i [group list temps] {
    account modify $i temps research -expdate 6/30/95}
```

Related Information

Commands: [cds_intro\(8cds\)](#), [dce_intro\(8dce\)](#), [dts_intro\(8dts\)](#), [sec_intro\(8sec\)](#).

dced

Purpose

The DCE host daemon

Synopsis

```
dced [-h | -i ][-cfr] [-w route] [-b | -p | -s ][-e | prot_seq ] [-t n]
```

Options

- h** Prints **dced** usage and exits.
- i** Initializes **dced** databases and ACLs and exits. If the databases exist, this option displays an error. See the list of databases in the **FILES** section of this reference page.
- c** Starts **dced** so it does not require DCE privacy encryption for remote key table management. The default is to use DCE privacy encryption.
- f** Starts the **dced** process in the foreground. The default is for **dced** to run in the background.
- r** Starts **dced** in remote-update mode. This mode allows DCE cell administration tasks to be performed by an administrator on a remote machine.
- w route** Establishes the serviceability routing for **dced** 's messages.
- b** Starts **dced** in bootstrap mode with the endpoint mapper service and access control lists (ACLs). This mode means it may need to wait for other daemons such as **secd** and **cdsd** before it can perform its own initialization.
- p** Purges the existing machine context and removes the bindings file before starting.
- s** Starts **dced** without the security validation service.
- e** Starts **dced** without the endpoint mapper service. No protocol sequences are valid for this option.
- t n** Specifies the number of minutes (where *n* is the number of minutes) to wait between updates to the **pe_site** file. The allowed values are from **10** minutes to **1440** minutes. The default is **1440** minutes (one day).

Arguments

prot_seq

Starts **dced** by using the specified remote procedure call (RPC) protocol sequence string or strings. Possible values include **ncadg_ip_udp** (for a datagram protocol) and **ncacn_ip_tcp** (for a connection-based protocol). A complete list of the protocol sequences recognized can be found in **dce/ep.idl**.

Description

The DCE host daemon is a process that provides services for the local host, and is also the server used by remote applications to access these host services. The DCE host daemon services include the following:

endpoint mapper

The endpoint mapper service maintains a database called the *local endpoint map* which allows DCE clients to find servers, individual services provided by servers, and objects managed by services on the host. The endpoint mapper service maps interfaces, object Universal Unique Identifiers (UUIDs), and protocol sequence registrations to server ports (endpoints). Servers register their bindings with the local endpoint mapper, and the endpoint mapper service on each host uses the local endpoint map to locate a compatible server for clients that do not already know the endpoint of a compatible server.

Host data management

The host data management service maintains local files of host data that include (among others) the *host_name*, **cell_name**, **cell_aliases**, and **post_processors** files. The **post_processors** file contains program names matched with the other host data items (such as UUIDs). The **dced** process runs the program if the corresponding host data item is changed. There may also be host-specific data files.

Server management

The server management service maintains data that describes the startup configuration (**svrconf**) and execution state (**svrexec**) for each server. It also has the functionality to start or stop particular servers, and enable or disable specific services of servers.

Security validation

The security validation service acts as the client side of the security server by assuring applications that the DCE security daemon (**secd**) that the host is using is legitimate. In addition, this service logs into the local machine when **dced** is invoked and automatically updates the local machine principal's keys.

Key table management

The key table management service allows for remote maintenance of server's key tables (**keytab** files).

The DCE host daemon must be running before any other DCE-based servers are started. Each DCE host must run only a single **dced**, and it must run with root privileges since it typically listens on privileged or reserved network ports. Typically, **dced** starts each time a host boots. (A file called **/etc/rc.dce** is responsible for configuration issues such as deleting the endpoint map database and starting **dced**.)

By default, the DCE host daemon listens on one well-known port for each RPC protocol sequence (that is, each combination of an RPC protocol and a transport protocol) supported by the host on which it is running. A *prot_seq* argument lets you limit the protocol sequences on which **dced** listens.

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Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Options

The **dced** databases are as follows:

<code>dcelocal/var/dced/Ep.db</code>	<code>dcelocal/var/dced/cell_aliases</code>
<code>dcelocal/var/dced/Hostdata.db</code>	<code>dcelocal/var/dced/cell_name</code>
<code>dcelocal/var/dced/Svrconf.db</code>	<code>dcelocal/var/dced/host_name</code>
<code>dcelocal/var/dced/Srvrexec.db</code>	<code>dcelocal/var/dced/post_processes</code>
<code>dcelocal/var/dced/Keytab.db</code>	<code>dcelocal/bin/dcecf_postproc</code>
<code>dcelocal/var/dced/Acl.db</code>	<code>/krb5/v5srvtab</code>
<code>dcelocal/var/dced/Xattrschema.db</code>	<code>/etc/rc.dce</code>
<code>dcelocal/dce_cf.db</code>	

Related Information

Commands: **attribute(8dce)**, **endpoint(8dce)**, **hostdata(8dce)**, **secval(8dce)**, **keytab(8dce)**, **server(8dce)**,

Library calls: **dce_server*(3dce)**, **dced_*(3dce)**, **rpc_mgmt_ep*(3rpc)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide*.

directory

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages a name service directory

Synopsis

directory add *directory_name_list* **-member** *child_pointer_list* **-clearinghouse** *clearinghouse_name*

directory create *directory_name_list* **-attribute** *attribute_list* **[-single]** **[[[-replica] -clearinghouse** *clearinghouse_name*]

directory delete *directory_name_list* **[[-tree] | [-force] | -replica | -clearinghouse** *clearinghouse_name*]

directory help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

directory list *directory_name_list* **[-directories] [-objects] [-links] [-simplename | -fullname]**

directory merge *source_directory_name* **-into** *destination_directory_name* **[-clearinghouse** *clearinghouse_name*] **[-tree] [-nocheck]**

directory modify *directory_name_list* **{-add** *attribute_list* **| [-single] | -remove** *attribute_list* **| [-types] | -change** *attribute_list* **| -master** *clearinghouse_name* **| [-readonly** *clearinghouse_name_list* **| [-exclude** *clearinghouse_name_list* **}]**

directory operations

directory remove *directory_name_list* **-member** *child_pointer_list*

directory show *directory_name_list* **[-schema] [-member** *child_pointer_list* **| [-replica] | -clearinghouse** *clearinghouse_name*]

directory synchronize *directory_name_list*

Arguments

directory_name_list

A list of one or more directory names to be operated on.

operation

The name of the **directory** operation for which to display help information.

source_directory_name

The name of a single directory whose contents are to be copied into a destination directory using the **merge** operation.

Description

The **directory** object represents Cell Directory Service (CDS) directories. CDS directories are containers for other objects, links, and other directories (as well as

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clearinghouses). Any of these items that reside in a directory are called children of that directory. Directories also contain attributes that may be viewed or modified.

This object also represents CDS replicas. Replicas are read-only copies of directories stored in other clearinghouses. Several of the supported operations take options to indicate that the command is to operate on a specific replica.

If the **_s(cds)** convenience variable is set, it is treated as the name of a clearinghouse to contact for this operation. This is the only clearinghouse that will be contacted in an attempt to complete the operation. These commands do *not* set the value of this variable after completion. If a **-clearinghouse** option is used (as described in some commands below), it overrides the value of **_s(cds)**, but the command does not change the setting of **_s(cds)**.

Attributes

The following are the CDS-defined attributes for CDS **directory** objects:

CDS_AllUpTo

Indicates the date and time of the last successful skulk on the directory. All replicas of the directory are guaranteed to receive all updates whose timestamps are less than the value of this attribute. The value of this attribute is a read-only DTS-style timestamp that is set by the system.

CDS_Convergence

Specifies the degree of consistency among replicas. This attribute's value is defined as one of the following:

low CDS does not immediately propagate an update. The next skulk distributes all updates that occurred since the previous skulk. Skulks occur at least once every 24 hours.

medium

CDS attempts to immediately propagate an update to all replicas. If the attempt fails, the next scheduled skulk makes the replicas consistent. Skulks occur at least once every 12 hours.

high CDS attempts to immediately propagate an update to all replicas. If the attempt fails (for example, if one of the replicas is unavailable), a skulk is scheduled for within one hour. Skulks usually occur at least once every 12 hours. Use this setting temporarily and briefly, because it uses extensive system resources.

By default, every directory inherits the convergence setting of its parent at creation time. The default setting on the root directory is **medium**.

CDS_CTS

Specifies the creation timestamp (CTS) of the directory. The value of this attribute is a read-only DTS-style timestamp that is set by the system.

CDS_DirectoryVersion

Specifies the current version of the directory. The version is derived from the **CDS_DirectoryVersion** attribute of the clearinghouse in which the directory was created. Multiple directory versions are supported in a cell. This read-only attribute is set by the system.

CDS_Epoch

A Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) that identifies a particular instance of the directory. This read-only attribute is set by the system.

CDS_GDAPointers

A set-valued attribute that is present only in the root directory of a cell. This attribute contains location information about registered Global Directory Agents (GDAs) for that cell, similar to the **CDS_Replicas** attribute. It is created and only used by a GDA.

CDS_InCHName

Indicates whether a directory or any of its descendants can store clearinghouse names. If this value is **true**, the directory can store clearinghouse names. If it is **false**, the directory cannot store clearinghouse names. This read-only attribute is set by the system. As of DCE Release 1.1 and later, CDS creates this attribute on the cell root directory and gives it a value of **true**. The attribute will not appear in any other directory.

CDS_LastSkulk

Records the timestamp of the last skulk performed on this directory. This read-only attribute is set by the system.

CDS_LastUpdate

Records the timestamp of the most recent change to any attribute of a directory replica, or any change to an entry in the replica. This read-only attribute is set by the system.

CDS_ObjectUUID

Specifies the unique identifier of the directory. This read-only attribute is set by the system when the directory is created.

CDS_ParentPointer

Contains a pointer to this directory's parent in the namespace. This read-only attribute is set by the system.

CDS_Replicas

Specifies the address, UUID, and name of every clearinghouse in which a copy of this directory is located. This attribute also specifies whether the replica in a particular clearinghouse is a master or read-only replica. This read-only attribute is set by the system.

CDS_ReplicaState

Specifies whether a directory replica can be accessed. The state **on** indicates that the directory replica can be accessed. This read-only attribute is set by the system.

CDS_ReplicaType

Indicates whether a directory replica is a master or read-only replica. Possible values are **Master** and **ReadOnly**. This read-only attribute is set by the system.

CDS_ReplicaVersion

Specifies the version of a replica of the directory. The default is **3.0**. This read-only attribute is set by the system.

CDS_RingPointer

Specifies the UUID of a clearinghouse containing another replica of this directory. The **CDS_RingPointer** attribute appears on older directories, but not on DCE Release 1.1 and later directories. This read-only attribute is set by the system.

CDS_UpgradeTo

A single-valued attribute used to control the upgrading of a directory from one version of CDS to another. By modifying this attribute, the process of upgrading a directory to a newer version of CDS may be initiated. After this

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attribute is set, the background process in CDS notices it and tries to contact each replica. If CDA can contact the replica, the **CDS_DirectoryVersion** attribute is changed to the value of this attribute.

CDS_UTS

Specifies the timestamp of the most recent update to an attribute of the directory. The value of this attribute is a read-only DTS-style timestamp that is set by the system.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about directory attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

directory add

Creates a child pointer in the parent directory. The syntax is as follows:

```
directory add directory_name_list -member child_pointer_list -clearinghouse clearinghouse_name
```

Options

-member *child_pointer_list*

This required option names the child pointers to be added to parent directories in the clearinghouse named by the required **-clearinghouse** option.

-clearinghouse *clearinghouse_name*

This required option names the clearinghouse to which the child pointers are to be added.

The **add** operation creates a child pointer in the parent directory. The *directory_name_list* argument is a list of one or more names of parent directories to have child pointers added to them. The value of the required **-member** option is a list of names of child pointers to be added to each directory listed in the argument. Each child pointer name entered should contain only the last relative distinguished name (RDN) of the name. The child object must exist or the command returns an error. The full name of a clearinghouse that holds a replica of the child directory is given as the value to the required **-clearinghouse** option. This option may only have one value and is used for each value of the **-member** option. This operation returns an empty string on success. If a child pointer of the same name already exists, an error is returned.

This command is needed only to recreate a child pointer that was accidentally deleted, such as in a troubleshooting situation. Normally child pointers are created internally by CDS when creating directories with the **directory create** command.

Privileges Required

You must have **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory.

Examples

```
dcecp> directory add /.: -member foo -clearinghouse /.:/oddball_ch
dcecp>
```

directory create

Creates a new directory of the specified name. The syntax is as follows:

```
directory create directory_name_list
[-attribute attribute_list [-single]]
[[-replica] -clearinghouse clearinghouse_name]]
```

Options

-attribute *attribute_list*

Allows you to specify the **CDS_Convergence** attribute or the **CDS_UpgradeTo** attribute in an attribute list. The format is as follows:

```
{{attribute value}... {attribute value}}
```

See **Attributes** for descriptions of **CDS_Convergence** and **CDS_UpgradeTo** .

-single

Valid only with the **-attribute** option, this option specifies that attribute values are single-valued. Otherwise, attributes are multivalued.

-replica

This option specifies that the directory created is a replica of an existing directory. If you use the **-replica** option, you must specify a clearinghouse by using the **-clearinghouse** option.

-clearinghouse *clearinghouse_name*

Required with the **-replica** option; optional when the **-replica** option is not present. The **-clearinghouse** option names the clearinghouse to which the child pointers are to be added.

The **create** operation creates a new directory of the specified name. The *directory_name_list* argument is a list of names of directories to be created.

An optional **-attribute** option specifies a list of attributes to be included in each created directory. The attribute values are multivalued unless the **-single** option is specified, in which case all attributes are single-valued. The **-single** option is valid only if the **-attribute** option is specified.

The **-clearinghouse** option specifies one clearinghouse to create all the directories in. If this option is not specified, the new directories are created in the master clearinghouse as the parent directory. The **directory create** command also takes a **-replica** option, which indicates that a directory replica is created; when this option is used, the **-clearinghouse** option is required. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have the following permissions to create a directory: **r (read)** and **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory, and **w (write)** permission to the clearinghouse in which the master replica of the new directory is to be stored.

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In addition, the server principal (**hosts/hostname/cds-server**) must have **r (read)** and **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory.

Examples

```
dcecp> directory create ./sales
dcecp>
```

directory delete

Deletes a directory. The syntax is as follows:

```
directory delete directory_name_list [[-tree] [-force] |  
-replica -clearinghouse clearinghouse_name
```

Options

-tree Removes the directory and everything (all directories, objects, links, and clearinghouses) beneath it.

-replica

Specifies that the directory to delete is a replica of an existing directory. The **-clearinghouse** option is required if you use this option.

-force Allows the delete operation to proceed by deleting existing replicas.

-clearinghouse *clearinghouse_name*

Required with the **-replica** option, the **-clearinghouse** option names the single clearinghouse from which the replica is to be deleted.

The **delete** operation deletes a directory from the CDS name service. The *directory_name_list* argument is a list of names of directories to be deleted. If the directory is not empty, the command returns an error unless the **-tree** option is used. The **-tree** option, which takes no value, removes the directory and everything (all directories, objects, links, and clearinghouses) beneath it. The **-force** option also deletes replicas.

Used together, the **-replica** and **-clearinghouse** options let you delete a replica instead of a directory. The **-clearinghouse** option specifies the clearinghouse that contains the replica; only one value can be specified, not a list. This operation returns an empty string on success. If a specified directory does not exist, an error is generated.

The **-replica** and **-clearinghouse** options cannot be used with the **-tree** option.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the directory and **w (write)** permission to the clearinghouse that stores the master replica of the directory. The server principal (**hosts/hostname/cds-server**) needs **A (Admin)** permission to the parent directory or **d (delete)** permission to the child pointer that points to the directory you intend to delete.

Examples

```
dcecp> directory delete ./eng
dcecp>
```

The following command tries to delete a nonempty directory `./depts/phrenology` and gets an error. The second attempt uses the `-tree` option to delete the directory and all the directories and objects beneath it.

```
dcecp> dir delete ./depts/phrenology
Error: Directory must be empty to be deleted
dcecp>

dcecp> dir delete ./depts/phrenology -tree
dcecp>
```

directory help

Returns help information about the **directory** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
directory help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **directory** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **directory help** command returns brief information about each **directory** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option to display detailed information about the **directory** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **directory help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> directory help
add           Creates a child pointer in the specified directory.
create       Creates the named directory.
delete       Deletes the named directory.
list         Lists the descendants of a directory.
merge        Merges the contents of one directory into another.
modify       Adds, removes or changes attributes in the named directory.
remove       Removes a child pointer in the specified directory.
show         Returns the attributes of a directory.
synchronize Skulks the named directory.
help         Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations   Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

directory list

Returns a list of the names of all the descendants of a directory. The syntax is as follows:

```
directory list directory_name_list [-directories] [-objects] [-links]
[-simplename | -fullname]
```

Options

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-directories

Lists the names of all descendent directories.

-objects

Lists the names of all descendent objects.

-links Lists the names of all descendent softlinks.

-simplename

Returns just the RDN of the name.

-fullname

Returns the entire name.

The **list** operation returns a list of the names of all the descendents of a directory. Descendants can include all directories, objects, links, and clearinghouses. The *directory_name_list* argument is a list of names of directories to be operated on. This command returns only the names of descendents, so there is no way to tell the class of each name unless by convention (for instance, most clearinghouses end with **_ch**). Use the following options to specify the types of descendents to return: **-directories**, **-objects**, **-links**. The options take no values and can be used in combination. By default or if the **-fullname** option is specified, fullnames are returned. Use the **-simplename** option to return merely the last RDN of the name.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the directory named in the argument.

Examples

```
dcecp> dir list ../depts/administration -links
../ward_cell.osf.org/depts/administration/bump_server1
dcecp>
```

directory merge

Copies the contents of one directory into another directory. The syntax is as follows:

```
directory merge source_directory_name -into destination_directory_name
[-clearinghouse clearinghouse_name] [-tree] [-nocheck]
```

Options

-tree Copies the contents of child directories (as well as the child directories themselves) into the destination directory.

-into *destination_directory_name*

The argument to this required option specifies the name of the destination directory. The destination directory must exist.

-clearinghouse *clearinghouse_name*

Places the new objects (the resulting merged directory) in a clearinghouse other than that of the newly created destination directory.

-nocheck

Lets the **merge** operation proceed without first checking for object name collisions or access control list (ACL) problems. Use this option to save time when you are sure problems do not exist.

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The **merge** operation copies the contents of one directory into another. The argument is the name of the source directory. This command takes a required **-into** option to specify the destination directory, which must exist. For example, if **./a** has two child objects **./a/b** and **./a/c**, then **directory merge ./a -into ./x** would result (assuming no errors) in the creation of the following objects: **./x/b** and **./x/c**.

Normally only the immediate contents of the directory are merged. These contents include all objects, links, and directories, but not the contents of child directories. To merge these as well, use the **-tree** option.

By default, the new objects are placed in the destination directory's master clearinghouse, and all children (no matter how many levels down) are placed in the same clearinghouse. To place any newly created descendent directories in another clearinghouse, use the **-clearinghouse** option with a value. Only one clearinghouse can be specified for all directories involved in the merge operation. To specify more than one, use the **-clearinghouse** option after the merge has happened, or use separate commands.

This command first checks for any collisions or ACL problems before beginning to merge any objects. If problems are encountered, an error is generated after all objects are checked, and the names of all problem objects, links, or directories are returned in a list. The administrator should then address these problems and rerun the merge command. If the **-nocheck** option is specified, the check is not performed. This way time can be saved when trying a known nonproblematic merge. This is not an atomic operation and other changes to the involved objects can cause problems. This command should be issued when others are not modifying the involved directories. ACLs can be changed to ensure that no other principal has the modify permissions to the directories. If an error occurs during the actual merging process, it is generated and the operation aborts immediately.

The merge command actually re-creates the objects with the same writable attributes of the source objects. As a result, some read-only attributes will change between the source and destination. For example, the creation timestamp attribute (**CDS_CTS**) changes.

The resulting merged directory inherits its ACLs from the destination directory's Initial Container or Initial Object ACLs. Consequently, the ACLs of the destination objects are likely to differ from the ACLs of the source objects. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** to the source and destination directories and **i (insert)** permission to the destination directory.

Examples

The following command merges the directories but not the contents of the **./depts/phrenology** directory into the **./depts/radiology** directory:

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```
dcecp> dir list ../depts/phrenology -simple
applications services staff users
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> directory merge ../depts/phrenology -into ../depts/radiology
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> dir list ../depts/radiology -simple
applications services staff users
dcecp>
```

directory modify

Adds, removes, or changes a directory's attributes and their values. The syntax is as follows:

```
directory modify directory_name_list
{-add attribute_list [-single] | -remove attribute_list [-types] |
-change attribute_list | -master clearinghouse_name
[-readonly clearinghouse_name_list] [-exclude clearinghouse_name_list]}
```

Options

-add *attribute_list*

This option adds a value to a modifiable, set-valued attribute (including application-defined attributes) of a directory. If you enter a byte data type, you must enter an even number of digits. You can only enter pairs of hexadecimal values for user-defined attributes.

-single

Used with the **-add** option, this option specifies that the attributes to be added are to be single-valued. Normally, all user defined attributes are defined to be multivalued, even if only one value is specified. This option is not legal without the **-add** option.

-remove *attribute_list*

This option removes a value from a multivalued or single-valued attribute (including application-defined attributes) of a directory. If you do not specify a value, the command removes the entire attribute. This command can delete attributes created with the **-add** and **-change** options.

-types Used with the **-remove** option, this option specifies that the value of the **-remove** option is a list of attribute types. Use this option to remove the entire attribute, not just a value. This option is not legal without the **-remove** option.

-change *attribute_list*

This option changes the value of a modifiable, single-valued attribute of a directory. You can specify an application-defined attribute or the following attribute, which specifies the degree of consistency among replicas:

```
{CDS_Convergence value}
```

See **Attributes** for the format of **CDS_Convergence**.

-master *clearinghouse_name*

When changing the epoch of a directory, use the **-master** option to specify a new master clearinghouse for the directory.

-readonly *clearinghouse_name_list*

When changing the epoch of a directory, this option specifies which clearinghouses will hold a replica of the directory.

-exclude *clearinghouse_name_list*

When changing the epoch of a directory, the option specifies which clearinghouses will no longer be used as replicas for the directory.

The **modify** operation adds, removes, or changes a directory's attributes and their values. The argument is a list of one or more names of directories to be operated on. Attribute options are not supported; use one or more of the **-add**, **-remove**, or **-change** options, each of which takes an attribute list as an argument.

Use the **-remove** option to remove a value from an attribute. You can use the **-types** option along with the **-remove** option to remove an entire attribute or list of attributes.

Some attributes in CDS are multivalued. For instance, the **CDS_Replicas** attribute can specify the locations and names of several clearinghouses that maintain copies of a directory. The **-add** operation requires an indication of whether it will operate on single-valued or multivalued attributes. Multivalued attributes are the default case and are indicated by using no qualifying options. However, you can indicate the use of single-valued attributes by using the **-single** option.

To change the epoch of a directory, you must specify each clearinghouse that has a master or replica copy of the directory as either the new master (with the **-master** option), a readonly copy (with the **-readonly** option), or an excluded copy (with the **-exclude** option). Additional extra clearinghouses can also be specified.

Most attributes are usually managed by the client application. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about attributes. All modifications are made to each directory listed in the argument. An error in any one causes the command to abort immediately and generate an error. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the directory to add, remove, or change attributes.

Examples

The following command sets the **CDS_Convergence** attribute on the **./:/depts/radiology** directory to a value of low:

```
dcecp> directory modify ./:/depts/radiology -change {CDS_Convergence low}
dcecp>
```

To add the value **ontario** to the attribute **myname** of a directory named **./:/sales**, read the **cds_attributes** file to verify that the attribute shown in the following display exists:

OID	LABEL	SYNTAX
1.3.22.1.3.91	myname	char

Enter the following command to assign the value **ontario** to the attribute **myname**:

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```
dcecp> directory modify ./:/sales -add {myname ontario}
dcecp>
```

To remove the value **1** from the user-defined, set-valued attribute **dirregion** of a directory named **./:/sales**, follow these steps:

1. Read the **cds_attributes** file to verify that the attribute **dirregion** is listed, as shown in the following display:

OID	LABEL	SYNTAX
1.3.22.1.3.66	dirregion	small

2. Enter the following command to remove the value **1** from the attribute **dirregion**:

```
dcecp> directory modify ./:/sales -remove {dirregion 1}
dcecp>
```

3. To change the epoch of a directory with one master and two replicas, enter the following command:

```
dcecp> directory modify ./:/oddball -master ./:/gumby_ch \  
> -readonly ./:/pokey_ch -exclude ./:/goober_ch
dcecp>
```

directory operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **directory** object. The syntax is as follows:

directory operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **directory operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> directory operations
add create delete list merge modify remove show
synchronize help operations
dcecp>
```

directory remove

Deletes a child pointer from the directories specified. The syntax is as follows:

```
directory remove directory_name_list -member child_pointer_list
```

Options

-member *child_pointer_list*

This required option names the child pointers to be removed from each directory in the operation argument.

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The **remove** operation deletes a child pointer from the directories specified. The *directory_name_list* argument is a list of names of one or more directories to be operated on. The required **-member** option allows you to list the child pointers to be removed from each specified directory.

The *child_pointer_list* argument value of the required **-member** option is a list of one or more child pointers (specified as only one RDN each) to be removed from each directory in the argument.

This command is needed only to delete a child pointer that remains after the child directory is deleted. Normally child pointers are removed internally by CDS when deleting directories with the **directory delete** command. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the child pointer or **A (Admin)** permission to the parent directory.

Examples

The following command deletes the child pointer that accidentally remains after the *./sales/east* directory is deleted:

```
dcecp> directory remove ./sales -member east
dcecp>
```

directory show

Returns a list of attributes for the specified directories and, optionally, their specified contents. The syntax is as follows:

```
directory show directory_name_list [-schema]
[-member child_pointer_list | [-replica] -clearinghouse clearinghouse_name]
```

Options

-member *child_pointer_list*

The optional **-member** option takes one required value which is the last RDN of the child pointer in the directory specified by the optional argument. The returned list describes the child pointer information for the specified member stored in the specified directories. This option cannot be combined with the **-replica** or **-clearinghouse** option.

-replica *clearinghouse_name*

Specifies that the directory shown is a replica of an existing directory. If you use the **-replica** option, you must specify a clearinghouse with the **-clearinghouse** option.

-clearinghouse *clearinghouse_name*

Required with the **-replica** option, the **-clearinghouse** option names the clearinghouse in which the named replica exists.

-schema

This option returns whether an attribute is single or multivalued. This attribute is specific to a directory, meaning that the same attribute can be single-valued on one directory and multivalued on another. This option may not be used with other options.

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The **show** operation returns a list of attributes for the specified directories and, optionally, their specified contents. The *directory_name_list* argument is a list of names of directories to be operated on. When used without any options, this command returns the attributes associated with the named directories. If more than one directory is specified, then all the arguments are grouped together in one list. The order of the returned arguments is the lexical order of the object identifiers (OIDs) of each attribute for each directory.

You can request attributes of specific replicas in specific clearinghouses by using the **-replica** and **-clearinghouse** options. Alternatively, you can request attributes of child pointers by using the **-member** option.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the directories named in the argument list.

Examples

```
dcecp> directory show ./depts/radiology
{RPC_ClassVersion
 {01 00}}
{CDS_CTS 1994-07-08-17:01:03.115+00:00I0.000/00-00-c0-8a-df-56}
{CDS_UTS 1994-07-08-19:36:31.719+00:00I0.000/00-00-c0-8a-df-56}
{CDS_ObjectUUID 2df03af4-9a76-11cd-8f2b-0000c08adf56}
{CDS_Replicas
 {{CH_UUID b32648c6-928d-11cd-b4b5-0000c08adf56}
 {CH_Name ../../ward_cell.osf.org/pmin17_ch}
 {Replica_Type Master}
 {Tower ncacn_ip_tcp:130.105.1.227 []}
 {Tower ncadg_ip_udp:130.105.1.227 []}}}
{CDS_AllUpTo 1994-07-08-17:01:05.945+00:00I0.000/00-00-c0-8a-df-56}
{CDS_Convergence medium}
{CDS_ParentPointer
 {{Parent_UUID 8eeb369a-9a4b-11cd-8f2b-0000c08adf56}
 {Timeout
 {expiration 1994-07-09-17:13:31.959}
 {extension +1-00:00:00.000I0.000}}
 {myname ../../ward_cell.osf.org/depts/radiology}}}}
{CDS_DirectoryVersion 3.0}
{CDS_ReplicaState on}
{CDS_ReplicaType Master}
{CDS_LastSkulk 1994-07-08-17:01:05.945+00:00I0.000/00-00-c0-8a-df-56}
{CDS_LastUpdate 1994-07-08-19:36:31.719+00:00I0.000/00-00-c0-8a-df-56}
{CDS_RingPointer b32648c6-928d-11cd-b4b5-0000c08adf56}
{CDS_Epoch 2f617aa6-9a76-11cd-8f2b-0000c08adf56}
{CDS_ReplicaVersion 3.0}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> directory show ./:/depts/radiology -schema
{RPC_ClassVersion multi}
{CDS_CTS single}
{CDS_UTS single}
{CDS_ObjectUUID single}
{CDS_Replicas multi}
{CDS_AllUpTo single}
{CDS_Convergence single}
{CDS_ParentPointer multi}
{CDS_DirectoryVersion single}
{CDS_ReplicaState single}
{CDS_ReplicaType single}
{CDS_LastSkulk single}
{CDS_LastUpdate single}
{CDS_RingPointer single}
{CDS_Epoch single}
{CDS_ReplicaVersion single}
dcecp>
```

directory synchronize

Initiates an immediate skulk of the directories specified. The syntax is as follows:

```
directory synchronize directory_name_list
```

The **synchronize** operation initiates an immediate skulk of the directories specified. The *directory_name_list* argument is a list of names of one or more directories to be operated on. Skulks begin immediately in sequence. The command does not return until all skulks complete. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (Admin)**, **w (write)**, **i (insert)**, and **d (delete)** permission to the directory. The server principal (**hosts/ hostname/cds-server**) needs **A (Admin)**, **r (read)**, and **w (write)** permission to the directory.

Examples

The following command begins a skulk on the **./:/admin** directory:

```
dcecp> directory synchronize ./:/admin
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **clearinghouse(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **link(8dce)**, **object(8dce)**.

dts

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages a dtسد process

Synopsis

```
dts activate [dts_server] [-abruptly]  
dts catalog [cell_name] [-simplename] [-global]  
dts configure [dts_server] {-global | -notglobal }  
dts deactivate [dts_server]  
dts help [operation | -verbose ]  
dts modify [dts_server] -change {attribute_list | -attribute value }  
dts operations  
dts show [dts_server] [-all | [-attributes] | [-counters] ]  
dts stop [dts_server]  
dts synchronize [dts_server] [-abruptly]
```

Arguments

cell_name

The name of a single cell. This name allows access to DTS servers registered in a foreign cell. The name must be a fully qualified cell name as in either of the following:

/.:

/.../foreign_cellname

dts_server

Identifies the **dtسد** server to act on. Supply the name in one of the following forms:

1. As a fully qualified name, for example:

/.../cellname/hosts/dce_hostname/dts-entity

2. As a string binding for the remote host on which **dtسد** is running in standard string-binding syntax or in **dcecp** string syntax, for example:

ncacn_ip_tcp:130.105.1.227

{ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227}

operation

The name of the **dts** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **dts** object represents the **dtstd** (DTS daemon) process running on a host. The DTS process does not maintain stored data as some other objects do. Consequently, the **dts** object represents the information in and about a process rather than stored data.

These commands all affect the local **dtstd** entity by default. Use the **dts_server** argument to operate on a remote DCE **dtstd**. This argument is a single server entry or string binding representing a **dtstd** that will be contacted for the operation. If the **_s(dts)** convenience variable is set, it is treated as the name of a **dtstd** to contact for subsequent operations. If either method is used, the specified server is the only server contacted in an attempt to complete the operation. The argument on the command line takes precedence over the value of the **_s(dts)** convenience variable. These commands do not set the value of this variable after completion.

A number of attributes are associated with the **dts** object. All can be viewed with the **show** operation, and many can be changed with the **modify** operation. Attribute arguments can contain a maximum of 80 characters and are recalculated to a normalized date format. For example, if the input value is **0-0025:10:99.99999999**, the result is **1-01:11:39.990**.

Timestamps are specified in DTS and ISO formats. They can be specified in both absolute and relative time formats. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information.

Attributes

The **dts** object supports attributes and counters. Most attributes and counters pertain to **dtstd** processes in general. A subset of attributes and counters pertains only to **dtstd** processes that are enabled as DTS server entities. The format of all attributes of type *relative_time* is in DTS-style (**[-]DD-HH:MM:SS**).

General Attributes

autotdfchange {yes | no}

Specifies whether automatic changes to the time differential factor are enabled or disabled. The value is either **yes** or **no**. The value is determined by the operating system (that is, it cannot be changed with the **modify** operation).

clockadjrate

Specifies the rate at which the DTS server or clerk entity adjusts the node's clock during a synchronization. This attribute may not be set by a user, but is built in to **dtstd**.

clockresolution

Specifies the amount of time between system clock ticks. The value is determined by the operating system (that is, it cannot be changed with the **modify** operation).

globalservers *relative-time*

Specifies the set of global servers known by the node. The information returned for each server is as follows: the DCE name of the host followed by **/self**, the last time polled, the last observed time, the last observed skew, a binary value of whether the server was used in the last

synchronization, and the transport time. These subattributes are called respectively **name**, **timelastpolled**, **lastobstime**, **lastobsskew**, **inlastsync**, and **transport**.

globaltimeout *relative-time*

Specifies the amount of time the node waits for a response to a wide area network (WAN) synchronization request before sending another request or declaring a global server to be unavailable. The number of attempts made to reach the server is controlled by the **queryattempts** attribute. The default value is **0-00:00:15.000**, and the range of possible values is **0-00:00:00.000** to **0-00:10:00.000**.

localservers

Specifies the set of local servers known by the node. The information returned for each server is as follows: the principal name that the server is running as, the last time polled, the last observed time, the last observed skew, a binary value indicating whether the server was used in the last synchronization, and the transport time. These subattributes are called respectively **name**, **timelastpolled**, **lastobstime**, **lastobsskew**, **inlastsync**, and **transport**.

localtimeout *relative-time*

Specifies the amount of time the node waits for a response to a synchronization request before sending another request or declaring a server to be unavailable. The number of attempts made to reach the server is controlled by the **queryattempts** attribute. The default is **0-00:00:05.000**, and the range of possible values is **0-00:00:00.000** to **0-00:01:00.000**.

Note that this attribute controls only the initial contact with a time provider. During this initial contact, the time-provider itself determines the timeout value for actually reporting back times, allowing time providers attached to a slow source, like a modem, to request that **dtst** wait for a longer interval.

maxdriftrate

Specifies the worst-case drift rate of the node's clock, in nanoseconds per second, as determined by the manufacturer's specifications (that is, it cannot be changed with the **modify** operation).

maxinaccuracy *relative-time*

Specifies the inaccuracy limit for the node. When the node exceeds the maximum inaccuracy setting, it attempts to synchronize. The default is **0-00:00:00.100**, and the range of possible values is **0-00:00:00.0** to **10675199-02:48:05.478**. The maximum number of hours is **24**. A practical value is less than **60** seconds.

minservers *integer*

Specifies the minimum number of servers required for a synchronization. Settings of **1** or **2** for a DTS server may cause unreliable computed times. The default is **3** for a DTS server and **1** for a DTS clerk. The range of possible values is **1** to **10**.

nexttdfchange

Specifies the future time at which the time differential factor is automatically changed. The value is determined by the operating system (that is, it cannot be changed with the **modify** operation).

queryattempts *integer*

Specifies the number of attempts a node makes to contact a server before the node considers the server unavailable. The default is **3**, and the range of possible values is **1** to **10**.

status Specifies the state of the DTS entity. This is a read-only attribute and its possible values are as follows:

disabled

The DTS entity is disabled.

enabled

The DTS entity is enabled.

syncing

The DTS entity is synchronizing.

updating

The DTS entity is updating the time.

syncinterval *relative-time*

Specifies the interval a node must wait to synchronize. Also specifies synchronization frequency when a node reaches the value specified by the **maxinaccuracy** attribute. For clerks the default is **0-00:10:00.0**, and the range of possible values is **0-00:00:30.0** to **01-00:00:00.00**. For servers the default is **0-00:02:00.0**, and the range of possible values **0-00:00:30.0** to **01-00:00:00.00**.

tdf *relative-time*

Specifies the time differential factor (TDF), which is the amount of time the server varies from Greenwich mean time (GMT) or Universal Time Coordinated (UTC). The default is based on time zone information, with the range of possible values being **-13-00:00:00** to **13-00:00:00**. This may not be set by a user, but rather is obtained from various time zone information repositories (such as the **TZ** environment variable, kernel structures, and so on).

timerep

Specifies the internal timestamp format used by the node. This format is not related to the format used to display the current time to the user (see the **clock show** command). Currently DTS uses **V1.0.0** timestamps only. This attribute cannot be set by a user, but is built in to a **dtstd**.

tolerance *relative-time*

Specifies the maximum separation allowed between the local clock and the computed time before synchronizations become abrupt rather than gradual (monotonic). The default is **0-00:05:00.000**, and the range of possible values is **0-00:00:00.500** to **10675199-02:48:05.478**.

type Specifies whether the node is a DTS **server** or **clerk**.

version

Specifies the DTS software version installed on the node. This attribute cannot be changed with the **modify** operation.

DTS Server Attributes**actcourierrole**

Specifies a server's *acting* interaction with the set of global servers. The values are the same as for the **courierrole** attribute below. The difference between **actcourierrole** and **courierrole** is that even when the value of **courierrole** is **backup** there is no guarantee that the courier is acting as a courier unless **actcourierrole** also specifies **backup**. The **actcourierrole** attribute indicates the actual role of the server. The default is **courier**.

checkinterval

Specifies the amount of time between checks for faulty servers. Applicable

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only to servers that have external time-providers. The default is **0-01:30:00.00**, and the range of the possible values is **0-00:00:30.000** to **10675199-02:48:05.478**.

courierrole

Specifies a server's interaction with the set of global servers. Possible values are as follows:

backup

The local server becomes a courier if none are available on the local area network (LAN). This is the default.

courier

The local server synchronizes with the global set of servers.

noncourier

The local server does not synchronize with the global set of servers.

epoch Specifies the server's epoch number. The default is **0**, and the range of possible values is **0** to **255**. This value may not be changed with the **modify** command; use the **clock set** command with the **-epoch** option to change its value.

provider

Specifies whether the entity used an external time-provider at the last successful synchronization. This attribute applies to servers only and may not be set by a user. The value is either **yes** or **no**.

serverentry

Specifies a server's access control list (ACL) entry name. The default setting is the following recommended value: **hosts/dce_hostname/dts-entity**.

servergroup

Specifies the security group name for the time servers within the cell. The default is **subsys/dce/dts-servers**.

serverprincipal

Specifies a server's principal name for authentication purposes. The default setting is the following recommended value: **hosts/dce_hostname/self**.

uuid *uuid*

Specifies the entity's unique identifier, which is generated when the entity is created.

General Counters

abrupts

Specifies the number of times the node clock has been set non-monotonically (abruptly).

badlocalservers

Specifies the number of times a local server was contacted, but was not in the DTS security group.

badprotocols

Specifies the number of times the local node failed to process a received message containing an incompatible protocol version.

badtimereps

Specifies the number of times the local node failed to process a received message containing an incompatible timestamp format.

creationtime

Specifies the time at which the DTS entity was created and the counters were initialized.

disables

Specifies the number of times the DTS has been disabled.

enables

Specifies the number of times the DTS has been enabled.

nolocalintersections

Specifies the number of times the node's time interval failed to intersect with the computed interval of the servers.

nomemories

Specifies the number of times the node has been unable to allocate virtual memory.

providertimeouts

Specifies the number of times a **dtsd** server process initiated contact with a time-provider and did not receive the initial response within the interval specified by the **localtimeout** attribute.

syncs Specifies the number of times the node synchronized successfully.

syserrors

Specifies the number of times a DTS process detected a system error.

toofewservers

Specifies the number of times a node failed to synchronize because it could not contact the required minimum number of servers.

DTS Server Counters**badservers**

Specifies the number of times a non-local server was contacted, but was not in the DTS security group.

diffepochs

Specifies the number of times the node received time response messages from servers or clerks that had epoch numbers different from its own.

epochchanges

Specifies the number of times the server's epoch has changed.

noglobals

Specifies the number of times the courier server could not contact any global servers.

noresponses

Specifies the number of times the courier server could not contact a specific global server.

noserverintersections

Specifies the number of times a server has detected faulty servers (other than itself).

providerfailures

Specifies the number of times the external time-provider signaled a failure, or the node was unable to access the time-provider.

updates

Specifies the number of times a server has attempted to synchronize its clock.

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See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about DTS attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

dts activate

Changes a DTS entity from an inactive state to an active state. The syntax is as follows:

```
dts activate [dts_server] [-abruptly]
```

Options

-abruptly

Sets the clock abruptly rather than gradually adjust it to the computed time.

The **activate** operation changes a DTS entity from an inactive state to an active state. The **status** attribute is changed to **enabled**. This attribute tells the DTS entity to begin synchronizing. This operation takes an **-abruptly** option to determine whether the first clock adjustment due to synchronization is an abrupt or gradual one, and returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the DTS entity to execute the command.

Examples

The following example activates a **dtssd** on the local host:

```
dcecp> dts activate  
dcecp>
```

The following example activates a **dtssd** on a remote host named **cyclops**:

```
dcecp> dts activate ./:/hosts/cyclops/dts-entity  
dcecp>
```

dts catalog

Returns a list of the names of all DTS servers registered in the local cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
dts catalog [cell_name] [-simplename] [-global]
```

Options

-simplename

Returns a list of registered DTS servers without prepending the cell name.

-global

Returns a list of registered global DTS servers.

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all DTS servers registered in the default LAN profile (*././lan-profile*). Any DTS servers registered in the cell profile (*././cell-profile*) or in an additional LAN profile will also be returned. The additional LAN profile must exist at the root (*./.*) level of the CDS namespace. The operation takes an optional *cell_name* argument that can return the names of DTS servers registered in a foreign cell. By default, fully qualified names are returned in the following form:

```
././cell_name/hosts/dce_hostname/dts-entity
```

If the **-simplename** option is given, the cell name is not prepended to the DTS server names. The **-global** option returns only DTS servers that are operating as global servers. Names are returned in lexical order.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the cell root (*./.*) directory and to the LAN profile.

Examples

```
dcecp> dts catalog
././my_cell.goodcompany.com/hosts/frick/dts-entity
././my_cell.goodcompany.com/hosts/ice/dts-entity
././my_cell.goodcompany.com/hosts/ninja/dts-entity
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> dts catalog -simplename
hosts/frick/dts-entity
hosts/ice/dts-entity
hosts/ninja/dts-entity
dcecp>
```

dts configure

Configure the local **dtسد** as a local or global server. The syntax is as follows:

```
dts configure [dts_server] {-global | -notglobal}
```

Options

global Configures the system as a global server by adding the server's entry to the cell profile

notglobal

Configures the system as a local server by removing the server's entry from the cell profile

The **configure** operation sets the local **dtسد** to be a local or global server. You must specify either the **-global** or **-notglobal** option to indicate whether to configure the local **dtسد** as a global server. The difference is whether the server is listed in the *././cell-profile*. This command returns the string **global** or **notglobal** to indicate the current (new) state of the **dtسد**.

Privileges Required

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You must have **w (write)** permission on the DTS entity in order to execute the command.

Examples

The following example sets the local **dtsd** to be a global DTS server:

```
dcecp> dts configure -global
global
dcecp>
```

dts deactivate

Changes a DTS entity from an active state to an inactive state. The syntax is as follows:

```
dts deactivate [dts_server]
```

The **deactivate** operation changes a DTS entity from an active state to an inactive state. The **status** attribute is changed to **disabled**, which tells the DTS entity to stop synchronizing. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the DTS entity to execute the command.

Examples

```
dcecp> dts deactivate
dcecp>
```

dts help

Returns help information about the **dts** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
dts help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **dts** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **dts help** command returns brief information about each **dts** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **dts** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **dts help** command.

Examples

```

dcecp> dts help
activate      Activates a DTS entity.
catalog       Returns a list of DTS servers in the cell.
configure     Configures current dtسد as 'global' or 'notglobal'.
deactivate    Deactivates a DTS entity.
modify        Modifies attributes of the DTS entity.
show          Displays attributes or counter info of the named dtسد.
stop          Stops the current dtسد process.
synchronize   Synchronizes the local dtسد with DTS servers.
help          Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations    Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>

```

dts modify

Changes attributes of **dtسد** processes. The syntax is as follows:

```

dts modify [dts_server] {-change
attribute_list | -attribute
value}

```

Options

-change *attribute_list*

Allows you to modify attributes by using an attribute list rather than using individual attribute options. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```

{{attribute value}...{attribute
value}}

```

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using options with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in the **Attributes** section of this reference page.

The **modify** operation changes attributes of **dtسد** processes. It allows attributes to be changed with the **-change** option. Attribute options are also supported for all modifiable attributes. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the DTS entity to execute the command.

Examples

The following example sets the minimum number of servers needed for DTS operation to 5 for a remote **dtسد**. (Generally a DCE cell should have a minimum of three DTS servers.)

```

dcecp> dts modify ncacn_ip_tcp:130.105.1.227 -minservers 5
dcecp>

dcecp> dts modify ncacn_ip_tcp:130.105.1.227 -change {minservers 5}
dcecp>

```

dts operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **dts** object. The syntax is as follows:

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The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **dts operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> dts operations
activate catalog configure deactivate modify show stop
> synchronize help operations
dcecp>
```

dts show

Returns attribute information for the specified **dtssd** processes. The syntax is as follows:

```
dts show [dts_server] [-all |
-attributes] [-counters]]
```

Options

-attributes

Returns only the attributes for the local **dtssd** process.

-counters

Returns only the counters for the local **dtssd** process.

-all Return the attributes and counters for the local **dtssd** process.

The **show** operation shows attribute information for the specified **dtssd** processes. When called with the **-attributes** option, **dts show** returns an attribute list giving the values of the attributes listed above. If called with the **-counters** option counter information is returned. If called with the **-all** or with both the **-attributes** and **-counters** options, both attribute and counter information is returned. The default behavior (invoked by using no options) is the same as if the **-attributes** option was used. Attributes and counters are listed in the order they are returned by the server.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission on the DTS entity to execute the command.

Examples


```

dcecp> dts show
{checkinterval +0-01:30:00.000I-----}
{epoch 0}
{tolerance +0-00:10:00.000I-----}
{tdf -0-05:00:00.000I-----}
{maxinaccuracy +0-00:00:00.100I-----}
{minservers 2}
{queryattempts 3}
{localtimeout +0-00:00:05.000I-----}
{globaltimeout +0-00:00:15.000I-----}
{syncinterval +0-00:02:00.000I-----}
{type server}
{courierrole backup}
{actcourierrole courier}
{clockadjrate 10000000 nsec/sec}
{maxdriftrate 1000000 nsec/sec}
{clockresolution 10000000 nsec}
{version V1.0.1}
{timerep V1.0.0}
{provider no}
{autotdfchange no}
{nexttdfchange 1994-10-30-01:00:00.000-05:00I0.000}
{serverprincipal hosts/medusa/self}
{serverentry hosts/medusa/dts-entity}
{servergroup subsys/dce/dts-servers}
{status enabled}
{uuid 000013ed-000b-0000-b8ef-03a4fcdf00a4}
dcecp>

```

dts stop

Stops the **dttd** process. The syntax is as follows:

```
dts stop [dts_server]
```

The **stop** operation stops the **dttd** process. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the DTS entity to execute the command.

Examples

The following example stops the **dttd** process on remote host named **cyclops**:

```

dcecp> dts stop ./:/hosts/cyclops/dts-entity
dcecp>

```

dts synchronize

Causes **dttd** to synchronize with DTS servers. The syntax is as follows:

```
dts synchronize [dts_server] [-abruptly]
```

Options

-abruptly

Sets the clock abruptly rather than gradually adjust it to the computed time.

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The **synchronize** operation causes **dtst** to synchronize with DTS servers. The machine's clock is adjusted accordingly. By default, the clock is adjusted gradually. This command also takes the optional **-abruptly** option to set the clock abruptly. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the DTS entity to execute the command.

Examples

The following example causes the local **dtst** process to synchronize with other DTS servers in the cell:

```
dcecp> dts synchronize  
dcecp>
```

The following example causes the **dtst** process on a remote host named **cyclops** to synchronize immediately with other DTS servers in the cell:

```
dcecp> dts synchronize ././hosts/cyclops/dts-entity -abruptly  
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **clock(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)** **dtst(8dts)**, **utc(8dce)**.

ems

Purpose

A DCE object that manages the EMS daemon on a DCE host.

Synopsis

ems catalog

ems help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

ems operations

ems show [**-host** *dce_hostname*]

Arguments

operation

The name of one specific **ems** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **ems** object represents the EMS daemon (called **emsd**) on a host.

This command operates on the EMS daemon on the local host, unless the **—host** option is specified. The format of the host name accepted is either an entire DCE name (*./:/hosts/jurassic.austin.ibm.com*) or a host name with the domain name (*jurassic.austin.ibm.com*).

Attributes

eventlog_dir

Specifies the directory name used where the EMS daemon puts the event log.

queue_size

Specifies the queue size for the event queues.

Operations

ems catalog

Returns the list of all hosts that the EMS daemon is running on in the current cell. The syntax is as follows:

ems catalog

Options

none

Returns the list of all hosts that the EMS daemon is running on in the current cell.

Privileges Required

ems

No special privileges are needed to use the `ems catalog` command.

Examples

```
dcecp> ems catalog
./:/hosts/eagle.austin.ibm.com
./:/hosts/umesh.austin.ibm.com
dcecp>
```

ems help

Returns help information on the object. The syntax is as follows:

```
ems help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **ems** object.

The **ems help** command returns help information on the object. The help operation takes an argument, which may be an operation supported by the object or the **-verbose** switch to return more information.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **ems help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> ems help
catalog      Returns a list of all hosts that the EMS daemon is running on.
help         Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations   Returns the valid operations for command.
show         Returns the attributes for the EMS daemon.
dcecp>
```

ems operations

Returns a list of operations supported by the **ems** object. The syntax is as follows:

ems operations

The **ems operations** command returns a list of operations supported by the object. It takes no arguments, and always returns a TCL list suitable for use in a 'foreach' statement. The order of the elements is alphabetical with the exception that **help** and **operations** are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **ems operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> ems operations
catalog show help operations
dcecp>
```

ems show

Returns attribute information for the EMS daemon. The syntax is as follows:

```
ems show [-host dce_hostname]
```

Options

-host *dce_hostname*

Specifies the host where the EMS daemon is running. The format of the host name is either an entire DCE name or a host name with a domain name.

Note: The DCE host name is case-sensitive.

The **ems show** command returns the attribute list for the EMS daemon.

Privileges Required

You must have read (r) permission on

```
./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server
```

Examples

```
dcecp> ems show  
eventlog_dir /opt/dcelocal/dce/var/ems}  
{queue_size 5000}  
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **emsconsumer commands**, **emsevent commands**.

emsconsumer

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages EMS consumers and their event filter groups.

Synopsis

emsconsumer catalog [-host *dce_hostname*]

emsconsumer delete *consumer* {-uuid *uuid*} [-host *dce_hostname*]

emsconsumer help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

emsconsumer modify *consumer* {-uuid *uuid*} {-add | -delete} {filter *filtername*}
[-host *dce_hostname*]

emsconsumer operations

emsconsumer show *consumer* {-uuid *uuid*} [**-host** *dce_hostname*]

Arguments

consumer

A consumer name.

operation

The name of one specific **emsconsumer** operation (subcommand) that you want to see help information about.

Description

The emsconsumer object represents an EMS consumer. An EMS consumer registers with EMS to receive event data. It defines event filters to identify the events that should be forwarded to it.

This command operates on the EMS daemon on the local host, unless the **-host** option is specified. The format of the host name accepted is either an entire DCE name (*./:/hosts/jurassic.austin.ibm.com*) or a host name with the domain name (*jurassic.austin.ibm.com*).

Operations

emsconsumer catalog

Returns the list of registered consumers with EMS on a host. The syntax is as follows:

emsconsumer catalog [-host *dce_hostname*]

Options

-host *dce_hostname*

Specifies the host where the EMS Daemon is running. The format of the host name is either an entire DCE name or a host name with a domain name.

Note: The DCE host name is case-sensitive.

The **emsconsumer catalog** command returns the list of registered consumers with EMS on a host. The consumer names returned are in an arbitrary order.

Privileges Required

You must have read (r) permission on

./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server/consumers

Examples

```
dcecp> emsconsumer catalog
{consumer1 7e383761-f41f-11ce-9051-08005acd43c6 ./:/hosts/eagle.austin.ibm.com}
{consumer1 a4c7ff26-f449-11ce-a863-10005a4f3556 ./:/hosts/eagle.austin.ibm.com}
{consumer2 283cc40c-f447-11ce-9dd3-10005a4f3556 ./:/hosts/umesh.austin.ibm.com}
dcecp>
```

emsconsumer delete

Deletes a registered consumer from EMS on a host. The syntax is as follows:

emsconsumer delete *consumer* **{-uuid***uuid***}** **[-host** *dce_hostname***]**

Options**-host** *dce_hostname*

Specifies the host where the EMS Daemon is running. The format of the host name is either an entire DCE name or a host name with a domain name.

Note: The DCE host name is case-sensitive.

-uuid *uuid*

Specifies the unique universal identifier (UUID) that is assigned to the consumer.

The **emsconsumer delete** command deletes a registered consumer from EMS on a host. The argument is the name of the consumer to be deleted or, in case of duplicate consumers, a consumer name with its assigned uuid. The command returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have delete (d) permission on

./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server/consumers

Examples

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```
dcecp> emsconsumer delete consumer2
dcecp> emsconsumer delete consumer1 -uuid 7e383761-f41f-11ce-9051-08005acd43c6
```

emsconsumer help

Returns help information on the object. The syntax is as follows:

```
emsconsumer help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **emsconsumer** object.

The **emsconsumer help** command returns help information on the object. The help operation takes an argument, which may be an operation supported by the object or the **-verbose** switch to return more information.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **emsconsumer help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> emsconsumer help
catalog      Returns the list of registered consumers with EMS on a host.
delete       Deletes a registered consumer from EMS on a host.
modify       Modifies the event filter group associated with a consumer.
show         Returns the list of filter names in a consumer's
             filter group.
help         Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations   Returns the valid operations for command.
dcecp>
```

emsconsumer modify

Modifies the event filter group associated with the given consumer. The syntax is as follows:

```
emsconsumer modify consumer {-uuiduuid}{-
add | delete} {filter filtername} {-host dce_hostname}
```

Options

-add|-delete

Adds or deletes filternames from the consumer filter group.

filter *filtername*

Specifies the name of the consumer filter group.

-host *dce_hostname*

Specifies the host where the EMS daemon is running. The format of the host name is either an entire DCE name or a host name with a domain name.

Note: The DCE host name is case-sensitive.

-uuid *uuid*

Specifies the unique universal identifier (UUID) that is assigned to the consumer.

The **emsconsumer modify** command modifies the event filter group associated with the given consumer. Filters can be added or deleted from a consumer event filter group. Added filters are always placed at the end of the consumer event filter group. The command returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have write (w) permission on

./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server/consumers

Examples

```
dcecp> emsconsumer modify consumer2 -add {filter foo}
dcecp>
```

emsconsumer operations

Returns a list of operations supported by the **emsconsumer** object. The syntax is as follows:

emsconsumer operations

The **emsconsumer operations** command returns a list of operations supported by the object. It takes no arguments and always returns a TCL list suitable for use in a 'foreach' statement. The order of the elements is alphabetical with the exception that help and operations are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **emsconsumer operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> emsconsumer operations
catalog delete modify show help operations
dcecp>
```

emsconsumer show

Returns the list of filter names in a consumer filter group. The syntax is as follows:

```
emsconsumer show consumer {-uuid uuid } [-host dce_hostname ]
```

Options

-host *dce_hostname*

Specifies the host where the EMS Daemon is running. The format of the host name is either an entire DCE name or a host name with a domain name.

Note: The DCE host name is case-sensitive.

-uuid *uuid*

Specifies the unique universal identifier (UUID) that is assigned to the consumer.

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The **emsconsumer show** command returns the list of filter names in a consumers filter group. This command takes the consumer name as an argument.

Privileges Required

You must have read (r) permission on

./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server

Examples

```
dcecp> emsconsumer show consumer2  
{foo2 foo3 foo4 foo5}
```

Related Information

Commands: **emsfilter commands**.

emsevent

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages EMS event types and event type schemas.

Synopsis

emsevent catalog [-host *dce_hostname*]

emsevent delete *event_type* [-host *dce_hostname*]

emsevent help [*operation* | -verbose]

emsevent operations

emsevent show *event_type* [-host *dce_hostname*]

Arguments

event_type

Name of the event type.

operation

The name of one specific **emsevent** operation (subcommand) that you want to see help information about.

Description

The emsevent object represents the EMS event type, which is a class of events with the same format. This format of the event types are defined by event type schemas. An event type schema consists of a list of attribute name/type pairs that specify the data format of an event.

This command allows for the list of available event types to be displayed, and the event type schema for a particular event type. It operates on the EMS daemon on the local host, unless the **-host** option is specified. The format of the host name accepted is either an entire DCE name (*/./hosts/jurassic.austin.ibm.com*) or a host name with the domain name (*jurassic.austin.ibm.com*).

Operations

emsevent catalog

Returns the list of available event types. The syntax is as follows:

emsevent catalog [-host *dce_hostname*]

Options

-host *dce_hostname*

Specifies the host where the EMS Daemon is running. The format of the host name is either an entire DCE name or a host name with a domain name.

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Note: The DCE host name is case-sensitive.

The **emsevent catalog** command displays a list of the available event types.

Privileges Required

You must have read (r) permission on

./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server/event-types

Examples

```
dcecp> emsevent catalog
SVC
audit
```

emsevent delete

Deletes an event type from EMS on a host. The syntax is as follows:

emsevent delete *event_type_name* [-host *dce_hostname*]

Options

-host *dce_hostname*

Specifies the host where the EMS Daemon is running. The format of the host name is either an entire DCE name or a host name with a domain name.

Note: The DCE host name is case-sensitive.

The **emsevent delete** command deletes an event type. The argument is the name of the event type to be deleted. The command returns an empty string if successful.

Privileges Required

You must have delete (d) permission on

./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server/event-types

or

./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server/event-types/event_types_name

Examples

```
dcecp> emsevent delete EventType
dcecp>
```

emsevent help

Returns help information on the object. The syntax is as follows:

emsevent help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **emsevent** object.

The **emsevent help** command returns help information on the object. The help operation takes an argument, which may be an operation supported by the object or the **-verbose** switch to return more information.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **emsevent help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> emsevent help
catalog      Returns the list of available event types.
delete      Deletes an event type.
help        Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations   Returns the valid operations for command.
show        Returns the event type schema for a event type.
dcecp>
```

emsevent operations

Returns a list of operations supported by the **emsevent** object. The syntax is as follows:

emsevent operations

The **emsevent operations** command returns a list of operations supported by the object. It takes no arguments, and always returns a TCL list suitable for use in a 'foreach' statement. The order of the elements is alphabetical with the exception that **help** and **operations** are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **emsevent operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> emsevent operations
catalog delete show help operations
dcecp>
```

emsevent show

Returns the event type schema for a event type. The syntax is as follows:

```
emsevent show event_type [-host dce_hostname]
```

Options

-host *dce_hostname*

Specifies the host where the EMS daemon is running. The format of the host name is either an entire DCE name or a host name with a domain name.

Note: The DCE host name is case-sensitive.

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The **emsevent show** command returns the event type schema for a event type. A list of attribute name/type pairs is displayed.

Privileges Required

You must have read (r) permission on

./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server/event-types/event_type

Examples

```
dcecp> emsevent show SVC
{version ems_c_attr_ulong_int}
{t ems_c_attr_utc}
{argtypes ems_c_attr_char_string}
{table index ems_c_attr_ulong_int}
{attributes ems_c_attr_ulong_int}
{message index ems_c_attr_ulong_int}
{format ems_c_attr_char_string}
{file ems_c_attr_char_string}
{progrname ems_c_attr_char_string}
{line ems_c_attr_ulong_int}
{threadid ems_c_attr_ulong_int}
{component name ems_c_attr_char_string}
{sc_name ems_c_attr_char_string}
{attribute.debug ems_c_attr_ushort_int}
{attribute.severity ems_c_attr_ushort_int}
{attribute.actroute ems_c_attr_ulong_int}
```

Related Information

Commands: **emslog commands**.

emsfilter

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages EMS event filters on a DCE host.

Synopsis

emsfilter catalog [-host *dce_hostname*]

emsfilter delete *filtername* [-host *dce_hostname*]

emsfilter help [*operation* | -verbose]

emsfilter operations

emsfilter show *filtername* [-host *dce_hostname*]

Arguments

filtername

A filter name.

operation

The name of one specific **emsfilter** operation (subcommand) that you want to see help information about.

Description

The emsfilter object represents EMS event filters that are kept by the EMS daemon. The EMS event filters are applied by EMS to events received from suppliers to determine if the events are to be forwarded on to the consumers.

An EMS event filter is a collection of one or more filter expressions. Each filter expression consists of an attribute name, an attribute operator, and an attribute value.

This command operates on the EMS daemon on the local host, unless the **-host** option is specified. The format of the host name accepted is either an entire DCE name (*./:hosts/jurassic.austin.ibm.com*) or a host name with the domain name (*jurassic.austin.ibm.com*).

Operations

emsfilter catalog

Returns a list of names of all filters from EMS on a host. The syntax is as follows:

emsfilter catalog [-host *dce_hostname*]

Options

emsfilter

-host *dce_hostname*

Specifies the host where the EMS Daemon is running. The format of the host name is either an entire DCE name or a host name with a domain name.

Note: The DCE host name is case-sensitive.

The **emsfilter catalog** command returns a list of names of all filters from EMS on a host. The filter names returned are in alphabetical order and not in the order received by EMS.

Privileges Required

You must have read (r) permission on

./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server/filters

Examples

In the following example, there are two filters kept by the EMS daemon:

```
dcecp> emsfilter catalog
Filter1
Filter2
```

emsfilter delete

Deletes a filter and its associated filter expressions. The syntax is as follows:

```
emsfilter delete filtername [-host dce_hostname]
```

Options

-host *dce_hostname*

Specifies the host where the EMS Daemon is running. The format of the host name is either an entire DCE name or a host name with a domain name.

Note: The DCE host name is case-sensitive.

The **emsfilter delete** command deletes a filter and its associated filter expressions. The argument is a filtername to be deleted. If the filter to be deleted is currently being used by at least one consumer, it cannot be deleted and an error message is displayed. The command returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have delete (d) permission on

./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server/filters/filtername.

Examples

```
dcecp> emsfilter delete Filter1
dcecp>
```


emsfilter help

Returns help information on the object. The syntax is as follows:

```
emsfilter help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **emsfilter** object.

The **emsfilter help** command returns help information on the object. The help operation takes an argument, which may be an operation supported by the object or the **-verbose** switch to return more information.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **emsfilter help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> emsfilter help
catalog      Returns a list of names of all filters from EMS on a host.
delete       Deletes a filter and its associated filter expressions.
help         Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations   Returns the valid operations for command.
show        Returns a list of filter expressions in a specified filter.
dcecp>
```

emsfilter operations

Returns a list of operations supported by the **emsfilter** object. The syntax is as follows:

emsfilter operations

The **emsfilter operations** command returns a list of operations supported by the object. It takes no arguments, and always returns a TCL list suitable for use in a 'foreach' statement. The order of the elements is alphabetical with the exception that **help** and **operations** are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **emsevent operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> emsfilter operations
catalog delete show help operations
dcecp>
```

emsfilter show

Returns a list of filter expressions in a specified filter. The syntax is as follows:

```
emsfilter show filtername [-host dce_hostname]
```

Options

emsfilter

-host *dce_hostname*

Specifies the host where the EMS daemon is running. The format of the host name is either an entire DCE name or a host name with a domain name.

Note: The DCE host name is case-sensitive.

The **emsfilter show** command returns a list of filter expressions in a specified filter. The argument is a filter name to be shown.

Privileges Required

You must have read (r) permission on

./:/hosts/dce_hostname/ems-server/filters

Examples

```
dcecp> emsfilter show Filter2
{event_type == SVC}
{file == file.c}
```

Related Information

Commands: **emsconsumer commands**.

emslog

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages the EMS log files on the current host.

Synopsis

emslog help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

emslog operations

emslog show [**-dir** *directory*] [**-to** *file*]

Arguments

operation

The name of one specific **emslog** operation (subcommand) you want to see help information about.

directory

The name of the directory where the log file is stored.

file

The name of the file where the log is stored.

Description

The emslog object represents the EMS event log, which is used to store events in case of failures of the EMS daemon. The EMS daemon writes all events to the event log and deletes the event record once the event has been transmitted to all the consumers that were supposed to get the event.

The event log is kept in a file on the machine where EMS daemon is running. This command operates on the EMS daemon on the local host.

Operations

emslog help

Returns help information on the object. The syntax is as follows:

emslog help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **emslog** object.

The **emslog help** command returns help information on the object. The help operation takes an argument, which may be an operation supported by the object or the **-verbose** switch to return more information.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **emslog help** command.

emslog

Examples

```
dcecp> emslog help
help      Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations Returns the valid operations for command.
show      Returns a list of events in the event log file.
dcecp>
```

emslog operations

Returns a list of operations supported by the **emslog** object. The syntax is as follows:

emslog operations

The **emslog operations** command returns a list of operations supported by the object. It takes no arguments, and always returns a TCL list suitable for use in a 'foreach' statement. The order of the elements is alphabetical with the exception that **help** and **operations** are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **emslog operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> emslog operations
show help operations
dcecp>
```

emslog show

Returns a list of events in the event log file. The syntax is as follows:

```
emslog show [-dir directory ] [-to file]
```

Options

-dir *directory*

Specifies the directory where the log file is stored.

-to *file* Specifies the filename that the output is captured into.

The **emslog show** command returns a list of events in the event log file. If the **-dir** option is not specified, the default event log directory, `/opt/dcelocal/var/ems`, is assumed.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **emslog show** command.

Examples

```

dcecp> emslog show
--- Start of an EMS event record ---
Type: SVC:Event Id: 8d1b0b00-e9e7-11ce-8af3-10005a890435
Name Service: DCE /.../eagle_dce/hosts/hidalgod.austin.ibm.com
Description Name: EMS_Test_Producer
PID: 565 UID: 0 GID: 0
Severity: NOTICE
Arrival Time: 1995-09-08-14:06:32.970+00:00I-----
Printing 16 items
Item 1: [version] = ulong int 1
Item 2: [t] = 1995-09-08-14:06:32.970+00:00I-----
Item 3: [argtypes] = char string
Item 4: [table_index] = ulong int 0
Item 5: [attributes] = ulong int 64
Item 6: [message_index] = unlon int 389738500
Item 7: [format] = char string Test Supplier starting
Item 8: [file] = char string supplier.c
Item 9: [programe] char string EMS_Test_Producer
Item 10: [line] = ulong int 63
Item 11: [threadid] = ulong int 2
Item 12: [component_name] = char string sup
Item 13: [sc_name] = char string general
Item 14: [attribute.debug] = ushort int 0
Item 15: [attribute.severity] = ushort int 4
Item 16: [attribute.actroute] = ulong int 0
--- End of an EMS event record ---

```

Related Information

Commands: **ems commands**, **emsevent commands**.

emsd

Purpose

Starts the DCE Event Management Services Daemon.

Synopsis

```
emsd [-l log_directory] [-q queue_size] [-w svc_route...-w svc_route]
```

Options

- l *log_directory*
Specifies where the log file resides.
- q *queue_size*
Specifies the maximum number of events that are queued by EMS. The default size is 512. This value can also be set by setting the EMS_QUEUE_SIZE environment variable. Specifying the -q option overrides the environment variable setting.
- w *svc_route*
Specifies DCE serviceability routing instructions.

Description

The **emsd** command starts the Event Management Service (EMS) daemon. An EMS daemon must be running in the DCE cell before a consumer can receive events or a supplier can supply events. The EMS daemon runs under the local host machine principal identity (**host/dce_hostname/self**). A DCE Host daemon (**dced**) must be running on the local host when **emsd** is started. The **emsd** command also requires a CDS advertiser.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **emsd** command.

Examples

```
emsd -q 2048 -l /opt/dcelocal/var/ems emsd -w NOTICE:STDOUT:-  
-w NOTICE_VERBOSE:STDOUT-:-
```

Related Information

None.

endpoint

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages endpoint information in local RPC endpoint maps

Synopsis

```
endpoint create -interfaceinterface_id -bindingstring_binding_list  
[-objectobject_uuid_list] [-annotationannotation] [-noreplace]
```

```
endpoint delete -interfaceinterface_id -bindingstring_binding_list  
[-objectobject_uuid_list]
```

```
endpoint help [operation | -verbose ]
```

endpoint operations

```
endpoint show [host_address] [-uuid | -interfaceinterface_id | [-versionversions] |  
[-objectobject_uuid_list ]
```

Arguments

host_address

A string binding identifying the host whose endpoint map is to be returned. See **Data Structures** for the format of *host_address*.

operation

The name of the **endpoint** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **endpoint** object operates on remote procedure call (RPC) endpoint mappings on the local host. Endpoints contain an interface identifier and one or more string bindings; optionally, they contain object Universal Unique Identifiers (UUIDs) and an annotation.

Endpoint mappings are stored in the endpoint map maintained by the DCE daemon (**dced**) for DCE Version 1.1 hosts. DCE Version 1.0 uses the RPC daemon (**rpcd**) to maintain the endpoint map. The **server** object has some operations (for example, **disable** and **enable**) that affect endpoints maintained by **dced**. However, **server** object operations do not operate on endpoints maintained by DCE Version 1.0 hosts. The **endpoint** object affects all endpoint maps on the local host, whether maintained by **rpcd** or **dced**.

Since endpoints have no names, the arguments to these operations are not the name of an endpoint. Earlier versions of **rpcd** allowed remote access to endpoints, but this was a security problem. Only the **endpoint show** command allows access to endpoint maps on remote systems. The **server** object allows some remote operations on **dced** endpoint maps, which are free of the security problem, depending on how **dced** is configured.

Use the various **endpoint** operations to create, delete, and show RPC endpoint information in local host endpoint maps.

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interface_id

The interface identifier of an RPC interface. The interface identifier takes the following form:

interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version

The version numbers are optional, but if you omit a version number, the value defaults to 0. The UUID is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings. For example:

```
-interface ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,3.11
```

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax in the following form:

```
{interface-UUID major-version.minor-version}
```

For example:

```
-interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0}
```

string_binding_list

An RPC string binding that describes a server's location. The value has the form of an RPC string binding, without an object UUID. The binding information contains an RPC protocol, a network address, and (sometimes) an endpoint within [] (square brackets) as follows:

rpc-prot-seq: network-addr[endpoint]

For a well-known endpoint, include the endpoint in the string binding surrounded by brackets. You may need to use the \ (backslash) to escape the brackets as shown in the following example. Without the backslash, **dcecp** interprets the brackets as enclosing another command.

```
-binding ncadg_ip_udp:63.0.2.17\[5347\]
```

For a dynamic endpoint, omit the endpoint from the string binding. For example:

```
-b ncacn_ip_tcp:16.20.15.25
```

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax. For example:

```
-binding {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227 1072}
```

object_uuid

The UUID of an object. The UUID is a hexadecimal string. For example:

```
-object 3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989
```

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax. For example:

```
-object {3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989}
```


host_address

An RPC string binding that describes a host's location. The binding information contains an RPC protocol and the host's network address. Any specific host's network address can be obtained by using the **getip** command.

annotation

An informational text string that helps you to identify the purpose of the endpoint. Use single or double quotation marks around the annotation field of endpoints to include internal spaces in an annotation, for example:

-annotation "Bulletin Board Server, Version 1.3a"

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax. For example:

-annotation {Bulletin Board Server, Version 1.3a}

version

Specifies which interface version numbers to be returned with a **show** operation. Specify versions by using one of the following values for the **-version** option:

all The interface version is ignored.

exact Both the major and minor versions must match the specified versions.

compatible

The major version must match the specified version, and the minor version must be greater than or equal to the specified version.

major_only

The major version must match the specified version; the minor version is ignored.

upto The major version must be less than or equal to that specified. If the major versions are equal, the minor version must be less than or equal to that specified.

If the **-version** option is absent, the command shows **compatible** version numbers.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

endpoint create

Creates new endpoints in the local endpoint map database. The syntax is as follows:

```
endpoint create -interface interface_id -binding
string_binding_list
[-object object_uuid_list [-annotation annotation] [-noreplace]
```

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Options

-interface *interface_id*

This required option declares the interface identifier of a single RPC interface.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.

-binding *string_binding_list*

This required option declares a list of one or RPC string bindings.

See **Data Structures** for the format of a protocol sequence.

-object *object_uuid_list*

Declares the UUID of an object. Each **create** operation accepts a list of up to 32 object UUIDs.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the object UUID.

-annotation *annotation*

Defines an annotation string for the endpoint. The annotation string enables you to identify the purpose of the endpoint. The annotation can be any textual information, for example, an interface name associated with the interface identifier or a description of a service or resource associated with a group.

Use quotation marks around the annotation field of endpoints to include internal spaces in an annotation, or use **dcecp** syntax.

-noreplace

Use the **-noreplace** option when you want a host to run multiple instances of a server. Normally, when you add an interface-binding combination (a mapping) that already exists in an endpoint map, **dcecp** replaces the existing mapping with the new one. This behavior limits the number of server instances to one. Bypass this limitation by using the **-noreplace** option. Using this option can cause obsolete endpoints to accumulate in the endpoint map. Remove obsolete endpoints by using the **endpoint delete** command.

The **create** operation creates new endpoints in the endpoint map database on the local host. This command takes no arguments. It requires the **-interface** and **-binding** options, and accepts the **-object** and **-annotation** options. The value of the **-binding** and **-object** options can be a list, but the others must be a single value. If the mapping already exists, it is replaced unless the **-noreplace** option is included.

This command creates a cross product from the **-interface**, **-binding**, and **-object** options and adds each element in the cross product as a separate registration in the local endpoint map. If you supply no object UUIDs, the corresponding elements in the cross product contain a nil object UUID. For example, suppose that you have an interface (**if1**), three bindings (**b1**, **b2**, and **b3**), and four object UUIDs (**o1**, **o2**, **o3**, and **o4**). The resulting 12 elements in the cross product are as follows:

```
{if1,b1,o1} {if1,b1,o2} {if1,b1,o3} {if1,b1,o4}
{if1,b2,o1} {if1,b2,o2} {if1,b2,o3} {if1,b2,o4}
{if1,b3,o1} {if1,b3,o2} {if1,b3,o3} {if1,b3,o4}
```

An annotation string is part of each of these 12 elements, but is not shown for clarity.

This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **endpoint create** command.

Examples

The following command adds an endpoint to the local host's endpoint map. This example uses the \ (backslash) twice to escape the brackets. Without the two backslashes, **dcecp** interprets the brackets as enclosing another command.

```
dcecp> endpoint create -interface 458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56,1.0 \
> -binding ncacn_ip_tcp:130.105.1.227\[1067\]
dcecp>
```

The following example uses the **dcecp** string syntax to create an endpoint in the local host's endpoint map.

```
dcecp> endpoint create -interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0} \
> -binding {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227 1072} \
> -object {76030c42-98d5-11cd-88bc-0000c08adf56} \
> -annotation {Bulletin Board Server, Version 1.3a}
dcecp>
```

endpoint delete

Deletes the specified endpoints from the local endpoint map database. The syntax is as follows:

```
endpoint delete -interface interface_id -binding
string_binding_list
[-object object_uuid_list]
```

Options

-interface *interface_id*

This required option declares the interface identifier of a single RPC interface.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.

-binding *string_binding_list*

This required option declares a list of one or more string bindings.

See **Data Structures** for the format of a protocol sequence.

-object *object_uuid_list*

Declares the UUID of an object. Each **delete** operation accepts a list of up to 32 object UUIDs. The UUID is a hexadecimal string.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the object UUID.

The **delete** operation deletes the specified endpoints from the endpoint map database. This command takes no arguments. It requires the **-interface** and **-binding** options, and also accepts the **-object** option. The values of all but the **-interface** option may be lists. If the mappings do not exist, an error is generated.

This command creates a cross product from the **-interface**, **-binding**, and **-object** options and removes each element in the cross product from the local endpoint map. See the **endpoint create** command above for more details.

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This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **endpoint delete** command.

Examples

The following command removes an endpoint object from the local host's endpoint map. This example uses the \ (backslash) twice to escape the brackets. Without the two backslash, **dcecp** interprets the brackets as enclosing another command.

```
dcecp> endpoint delete -interface 458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56,1.0 \  
> -binding ncacn_ip_tcp:130.105.1.227\[1072\  
dcecp>
```

The following example uses the **dcecp** string syntax to delete an endpoint from the local host's endpoint map.

```
dcecp> endpoint delete -interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0} \  
> -binding {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227 1072}  
dcecp>
```

endpoint help

Returns help information about the **endpoint** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
endpoint help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **endpoint** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **endpoint help** command returns brief information about each **endpoint** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **endpoint** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **endpoint help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> endpoint help  
create          Creates RPC endpoints for the specified interface.  
delete          Deletes a set of RPC endpoints.  
show            Returns the RPC endpoints for a specified interface.  
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.  
operations      Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.  
dcecp>
```

endpoint operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **endpoint** object. The syntax is as follows:

endpoint operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **endpoint operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> endpoint operations
create delete show help operations
dcecp>
```

endpoint show

Returns a list of information about endpoints for the local host or a remote host. The syntax is as follows:

```
endpoint show [host_address] [-uuid |
  -interface interface_id [-version versions] [-object object_uuid_list]
```

Options

- uuid** Specifies that the UUID of the endpoint map is to be returned. It cannot be used with any other option.
- interface** *interface_id*
This option specifies the interface identifier of a single RPC interface for which you want to see the endpoint mapping information.
See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.
- version** *versions*
Specifies interface version numbers to be returned with the **show** operation.
See **Data Structures** for the exact behavior and format of the version values.
- object** *object_uuid_list*
Declares the UUID of an object. Each **show** operation accepts a list of up to 32 object UUIDs.
See **Data Structures** for the format of the object UUID.

The **show** operation returns a list of information about endpoints in the endpoint map of a local or remote host. With no options, it returns all the local endpoint mappings. The **-interface**, **-version**, and **-object** options can be used so that only those endpoint mappings matching the supplied values are returned. The **-object** option accepts a list as a value; the others do not. The optional *host_address* argument is the address of the remote host whose endpoint map is to be shown. If no argument is supplied, the local host's endpoint map is used.

See **Data Structures** for the format of a host address.

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If the **-uuid** option is specified, then the UUID of the specified host's endpoint map is to be returned, rather than any information about the endpoints themselves. Each endpoint map is given a UUID on creation. If you know the current UUID of an endpoint map, you can delete any other stale UUIDs that may be in the RPC entry. If you specify the **-uuid** option, you must not specify any other options.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **endpoint show** command.

Examples

The following example uses **dcecp** string syntax to specify an interface for which to return local endpoint map information:

```
dcecp> endpoint show -interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0}
{{object 76030c42-98d5-11cd-88bc-0000c08adf56}
 {interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0}}
 {binding {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227 1072}}
 {annotation {Bulletin Board Server, Version 1.3a}}}}
dcecp>
```

The following command returns the endpoint objects in the local endpoint map that contain the specified interface identifier. This interface supports two object UUIDs on two protocol sequences:

```
dcecp> endpoint show -interface 257df1c9-c6d3-11ca-8554-08002b1c8f1f,1.0
{{object a57104f4-dfd0-11ca-b428-08002b1c8a62}
 {interface {257df1c9-c6d3-11ca-8554-08002b1c8f1f 1.0}}
 {binding {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227 1040}}
 {annotation {cdsd [910]}}}

{{object a57104f4-dfd0-11ca-b428-08002b1c8a62}
 {interface {257df1c9-c6d3-11ca-8554-08002b1c8f1f 1.0}}
 {binding {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.1.227 1163}}
 {annotation {cdsd [910]}}}

{{object b32648c6-928d-11cd-b4b5-0000c08adf56}
 {interface {257df1c9-c6d3-11ca-8554-08002b1c8f1f 1.0}}
 {binding {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227 1042}}
 {annotation cds_clerkserver}}

{{object b32648c6-928d-11cd-b4b5-0000c08adf56}
 {interface {257df1c9-c6d3-11ca-8554-08002b1c8f1f 1.0}}
 {binding {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.1.227 1168}}
 {annotation cds_clerkserver}}
dcecp>
```

The following command returns the UUID of the endpoint map on the host with the specified network address:

```
dcecp> endpoint show ncadg_ip_udp:130.105.1.227 -uuid
7273c754-e51c-11cd-bc0e-0000c08de054
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **rpcentry(8dce)**, **rpcgroup(8dce)**, **rpcprofile(8dce)**, **server(8dce)**,

getcellname

Purpose

Gets the primary name of the cell

Synopsis

getcellname

Description

The **getcellname** command prints the primary name of the local cell to standard output. If the command fails, it prints an error message to standard error.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

dcelocal/dce_cf.db

The local DCE configuration database.

Related Information

Functions: **dce_cf_get_cell_name(3dce)**.

getip

Purpose

Gets a host's IP address

Synopsis

getip *host*

Arguments

host The *host* argument indicates the name of the machine whose IP address you want to obtain.

Description

The **getip** command prints the IP address of the machine indicated in the *host* argument. A machine may have more than one IP address associated with it; if so, **getip** prints one of the addresses. If the command fails, it returns a status of 1.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Related Information

Functions: **gethostbyname(3)**.

group

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages a group in the DCE Security Service

Synopsis

group add *group_name_list* **-member** *member_name_list*

group catalog [*cell_name*] [**-simplename**]

group create *group_name_list* {**-attribute** *extended_rgy_attr_list* | **-attribute** *value* }

group delete *group_name_list*

group help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

group list *group_name_list* [**-simplename**]

group modify *group_name_list* {**-add** *extended_rgy_attr_list* |
-remove *extended_rgy_attr_list* | [**-types**] | **-change** *extended_rgy_attr_list* |
-attribute *value* }

group operations

group remove *group_name_list* **-member** *member_name_list*

group rename *group_name* **-to** *new_group_name*

group show *group_name_list* [**-all** | **-xattrs**]

cell_name

The name of a cell to contact when processing the **catalog** operation. The name must be a fully qualified cell name, such as *l.:* or *l...l cell_name*.

group_name

The name of a registry group to act on. See *group_name_list* for the name format.

group_name_list

A list of one or more names of groups to act on. Supply the names as either of the following:

1. Fully qualified names in the form *l...l cell_name/ group_name* or *l.:/ group_name*.
2. Cell-relative names in the form *group_name*. These names refer to a group in the cell identified in the **_s(sec)** convenience variable, or if the **_s(sec)** convenience variable is not set, in the local host's default cell.

Do not mix fully qualified names and cell-relative names in a list. In addition, do not use the names of registry database objects that contain group information; in other words, do not use names that begin with *l.:/sec/group/*.

operation

The name of the **group** operation for which to display help information.

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The **group** object represents registry groups. Unless otherwise noted, all of the operations of this object take the names of the groups to act on as the argument. They must be group names, not the names of the database objects that contain registry information about groups (that is, the names must not begin with *./sec/group/*).

When this command executes, it attempts to bind to the registry server identified in the **_s(sec)** variable. If that server cannot process the request or if the **_s(sec)** variable is not set, the command binds to either an available slave server or the master registry server, depending on the operation. Upon completion the command sets the **_b(sec)** convenience variable to the name of the registry server to which it bound.

Attributes

alias {yes | no}

Used with the **create** and **modify** operations, the value of this attribute is either **yes** or **no**. Although each group can have only one primary name, it can have one or more alias names. All aliases refer to the same group, and therefore, carry the same Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) and group identifier (GID). While aliases refer to the same group, they are separate entries in the registry database. Therefore, the name supplied to the **group** command can refer to the group's primary name or alias name. The value of this attribute determines whether the name is a primary name (**alias no**) or an alias name (**alias yes**). The default is **no**.

gid *integer*

Used with the **create** operation to specify the Group Identifier. If this attribute is not present, then an identifier is assigned to the group automatically.

uuid *hexadecimal number*

Used with the **create** operation to adopt an orphaned UUID. Normally the UUID for a new group is generated by the registry. In cases where data exists tagged with the UUID of a group that has been deleted from the registry, this attribute can be used with the **create** operation to specify the old UUID for a new group. The UUID specified must be an orphan, that is, a UUID for which no name exists in the registry. An error occurs if you specify a name that is already defined in the registry. If this attribute is not present, a UUID is assigned to the group automatically.

fullname *string*

Used with the **create** and **modify** operations to specify the full name of the group to be added to the registry. The value is a string with spaces enclosed in quotation marks or braces. The *fullname* attribute defaults to a null string (that is, blank).

inprojlist {yes | no}

Used with the **create** and **modify** operations to include the group in the principal's project list. The value for this option is either **yes** or **no**. If it is **no**, then members of this group do not acquire the access rights of this group. The default is **yes**.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about group attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

group add

Adds members to a security group. The syntax is as follows:

```
group add group_name_list -member member_name_list
```

Options

-member *member_name_list*

A list of one or more names of principals to be added to each group in the argument. This option is required.

The **add** operation adds members to groups identified by *group_name_list*. The required *member_name_list* is a list of principal names to be added. The *member_name_list* can contain both local and fully qualified names. Use fully qualified names to add principals from foreign cells as members. If you are adding principals from a foreign cell, the Security Server (**secd**) must be running in the foreign cell.

If the principals named in *group_name_list* do not exist, the command returns an error. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **r** (**read**) and **M** (**Member_list**) permissions on the target group and **r** (**read**) and **g** (**groups**) permissions on the principal being added.

Examples

```
dcecp> principal create chopin  
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> group add users -member chopin  
dcecp>
```

group catalog

Returns a list of the names of all groups in the registry. The syntax is as follows:

```
group catalog [cell_name] [-simplename]
```

Options

-simplename

Returns a list of group names in the registry without prepending the cell name.

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all groups in the local registry database. Use the *cell_name* argument to return a list of groups in another cell's

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registry. By default, fully qualified names are returned in the form *cell_name/group_name*. Use the **-simplename** option to return the names without the cell name in the form *group_name*.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the *./sec/group* directory.

Examples

```
dcecp> group cat
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/nogroup
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/system
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/daemon
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/uucp
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/bin
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/kmem
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/mail
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/tty
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/none
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/tcb
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/acct-admin
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/dce/sec-admin
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/dce/cds-admin
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/dce/dts-admin
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/dce/cds-server
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/dce/dts-servers
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/users
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> group cat -simplename
nogroup
system
daemon
uucp
bin
kmem
mail
tty
none
tcb
acct-admin
subsys/dce/sec-admin
subsys/dce/cds-admin
subsys/dce/dts-admin
subsys/dce/cds-server
subsys/dce/dts-servers
subsys/dce/audit-admin
subsys/dce/dced-admin
dcecp>
```

group create

Creates a new group in the registry database. The syntax is as follows:

```
group create group_name_list {-attribute extended_rgy_attr_list |
-attribute value}
```

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using the **-attribute** option with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a - (hyphen) to any

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attributes listed in **Attributes** in this reference page. You cannot use this option to specify ERAs; it is only for the standard attributes described in **Attributes**.

-attribute *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to specify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than using the *- attribute value* option. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{extended_rgy_attr_list value}...{extended_rgy_attr_list value}
```

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information on ERAs.

The **create** operation creates a new group in the registry database. The argument is a list of names of groups to be created. Options are used to specify the attributes of the newly created group. All options are applied to all groups in the argument. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **i (insert)** permission to the directory in which the group is to be created.

Examples

```
dcecp> group create users4 -attribute {fullname "temporary users"}
dcecp>
```

group delete

Deletes groups from the registry. The syntax is as follows:

```
group delete group_name_list
```

The **delete** operation deletes groups from the registry. When a group is deleted, any accounts associated with the group are deleted as well. The argument is a list of names of groups to be deleted. If a named group does not exist, an error is generated. This operation returns an empty string on success.

This operation also deletes any accounts associated with groups that are deleted. To preserve accounts, add the desired principals to a different group by using the **group add -member** command. Modify the principals' accounts to point to the new group by using the **account modify** command. Then you can delete the group by using the **group delete** command.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the directory in which the target group exists. You must have **r (read)** and **D (Delete_object)** permission on the group to be deleted.

Examples

```
dcecp> group delete users4
dcecp>
```

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group help

Returns help information about the **group** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
group help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **group** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **group help** command returns brief information about each **group** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **group** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **group help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> group help
add           Adds a member to the named group.
catalog       Returns a list of all the names of groups in the registry.
create        Creates a group.
delete        Deletes a group.
list          Returns all of the members of a group.
modify        Changes the information about a group.
remove        Removes a specified member from the named group.
rename        Renames the specified group.
show          Returns the attributes of a group.
help          Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations    Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

group list

Returns a list of the names of all members of a group. The syntax is as follows:

```
group list group_name_list [-simplename]
```

Options

-simplename

Returns the list of group names in the registry without prepending the cell name.

The **list** operation returns a list of the names of all members of a group. The argument is a list of names of groups to be operated on. If more than one group is listed, the names are concatenated on output. By default, fully qualified names are returned in the form *cellname/ membername*. Use the **-simplename** option to return them without prepending the cell name to the member name. The members of each group are listed in lexical order.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the **./sec/group** directory.

Examples

```
dcecp> group list none
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/dce-ptgt
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/dce-rgy
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/krbtgt/my_cell.goodcompany.com
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/cell_admin
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/hosts/pmin17/self
dcecp>
```

group modify

Changes attributes of groups. The syntax is as follows:

```
group modify group_name_list
{-add extended_rgy_attr_list | -remove extended_rgy_attr_list [-types] |
-change extended_rgy_attr_list | -attribute value}
```

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using options with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a - (hyphen) to any attributes listed in the **Attributes** section of this reference page. You cannot use this option to specify ERAs; it is only for standard group attributes described in **Attributes**.

-add *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to modify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than using individual attribute options. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{extended_rgy_attr_list value}...{extended_rgy_attr_list value}}
```

-change *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to modify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than using individual attribute options. See the **-add** option for the attribute list format.

-remove *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to modify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than using individual attribute options such as **-alias**, **-inproplist**, and so on. See the **-add** option for the attribute list format.

Without the **-types** option, **-remove** deletes individual attribute instances attached to the group. In this case, *extended_rgy_attr_list* is a list of attribute-value pairs. With the **-types** option, **-remove** deletes attribute types (and all instances of that type) attached to the group. In this case, *extended_rgy_attr_list* is a list of attribute types.

-types Used with the **-remove** option to remove attribute types (and all instances of that type) attached to the group.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about ERAs.

The **modify** operation changes attributes of groups. The argument is a list of names of groups to be operated on. All modifications are applied to all groups

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named in the argument. Groups are modified in the order they are listed, and all modifications to an individual group are atomic. Modifications to multiple groups are not atomic. A failure for any one group in a list generates an error and aborts the rest of the operation. This operation returns an empty string on success.

The **-change** option can be used to modify the value of any standard attribute except for **gid** and **uuid**.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the group to be modified and **f (full_name)** permission to modify the group's full name and/or **m (mgmt_info)** permission to modify the group's management information.

Examples

```
dcecp> group modify users3 -change {fullname "General Nursing Staff"}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> group show users3
{alias no}
{gid 5212}
{uuid 0000145c-9363-21cd-a601-0000c08adf56}
{inprojlist no}
{fullname {General Nursing Staff}}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> group modify users3 -add {test_era 101}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp>group show users3 -all
{alias no}
{gid 5212}
{uuid 0000145c-9363-21cd-a601-0000c08adf56}
{inprojlist no}
{fullname {General Nursing Staff}}
{test_era 101}}
dcecp>
```

group operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **group** object. The syntax is as follows:

group operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **group operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> group operations
add catalog create delete list modify remove rename show
> help operations
dcecp>
```


group remove

Removes a member from a group. The syntax is as follows:

```
group remove group_name_list -member member_name_list
```

Options

-member *member_name_list*

A list of one or more names of principals to be removed from each group in the argument. This option is required.

The **remove** operation removes members from the groups identified by *group_name_list*. The required *member_name_list* is a list of principals to remove from the groups named in *group_name_list*. The *member_name_list* can contain both local and fully qualified names. Use fully qualified names to remove principals in foreign cells from the group.

When a member is removed from a group, any accounts associated with that principal and group are deleted. Remember that accounts are associated with a principal, a group, and an organization; therefore, any accounts whose principal name and group name match those given to this command are removed, but accounts for which only one name matches are untouched. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** and **M (Member_list)** permissions on the target groups and **r (read)** permission on the member to be removed.

Examples

```
dcecp> group remove users -member chopin
dcecp>
```

group rename

This operation changes the name of a specified group. The syntax is as follows:

```
group rename group_name -to new_group_name
```

Options

-to *new_group_name*

Specifies the new name of the group. This option is required.

See **Arguments** for a description of group names.

The **rename** operation changes the name of a specified group. The argument is a single name of a group to be renamed. The operation takes a required **-to** option with the value of the new name. The value may not be a list. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** and **n (name)** permissions to the specified groups.

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Examples

```
dcecp> group rename users4 -to users_temporary
dcecp>
```

group show

Returns registry information for the specified groups. The syntax is as follows:

```
group show group_name_list [-all |
-xattrs]
```

Options

-xattrs

Returns ERAs instead of the default attributes.

-all

Returns ERAs in addition to the default attributes.

The **show** operation returns an attribute list for the specified groups. The argument is a list of names of groups to be operated on. If more than one group is given, the attributes are concatenated. Use the **-xattrs** option to return ERAs instead of the standard attributes. Use **-all** to return both types of attributes.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the specified groups.

Examples

```
dcecp> group show users_temporary
{alias no}
{gid 5211}
{uuid 0000145b-9362-21cd-a601-0000c08adf56}
{inprojlist no}
{fullname {temporary users}}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **account(8dce)**, **organization(8dce)**, **principal(8dce)**, **registry(8dce)**, **xattrshcema(8dce)**.

host

Purpose

A dcecp task object that manages host information in a DCE cell

Synopsis

host catalog [*cell_name*] [-**simplename**]

host configure *dce_hostname* -**cell** *cell_name*
-**secmaster** *master_security_server_name* -**cds** *cds_server_name* -**password**
password [-**admin** *admin_principal*] {-**client** | -**server** }

host help [*operation* | -**verbose**]

host operations

host ping [*dce_hostname*]

host show [*dce_hostname*]

host start [*dce_hostname*]

host stop [*dce_hostname*] [-**force**]

host unconfigure *dce_hostname* [-**force**]

Note: The **host show**, **host start**, and **host stop** commands are not supported at this time.

Arguments

cell_name

The name of a single cell to operate on. The name must be a fully qualified cell name such as either of the following:

/.../their_cell.goodco.com

/.:

dce_hostname

The name of a single host to operate on. Some host commands accept both fully qualified names (as in */.../cellname/hosts/dce_hostname*) and cell relative names (as in **hosts/dce_hostname**), while others will accept only fully qualified names. See individual command descriptions in **Operations** for details.

operation

The name of the **host** operation for which to display help information.

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Description

The **host** task object represents DCE processes running on a machine in (or to be added to) a DCE cell. The **host** task object allows administrators to configure and start DCE on machines easily.

The **host** task object can configure and start the core DCE services on a client machine. The services include the DCE daemon (**dced**), the Cell Directory Service (CDS) client (**cdsadv**), the Distributed Time Service (DTS) daemon (**dtsd**), and the audit daemon (**auditd**). The argument to this command is the DCE name of a host to operate on. If an argument is omitted, the command operates on the local host, if possible. The behavior of commands operating locally may differ from the behavior of commands operating remotely, with more operations performed on the local host than may be possible remotely. See **Operations** for details.

Currently only a client can be configured using the **host** command.

Note: All operations of the **host** task object are not fully supported in this release.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

host catalog

Returns a list of names of hosts in the cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
host catalog [cell_name] [-simplename]
```

The **catalog** operation returns a list of names of hosts in the cell. By default, the names are fully qualified. Use the **-simplename** option to return cell-relative names. The optional *cell_name* argument specifies a cell to operate in.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the **./:/hosts** directory in CDS.

Examples

The following example lists the full names of all the DCE hosts that have entries in the CDS **./:/hosts** directory in the local cell:

```
dcecp> host catalog  
/.../my_cell.goodco.com/hosts/alpha  
/.../my_cell.goodco.com/hosts/beta  
/.../my_cell.goodco.com/hosts/gamma  
dcecp>
```

The following example lists the simple names of all the DCE hosts that have entries in the CDS **./:/hosts** directory in the local cell:

```
dcecp> host catalog -simplename
hosts/alpha
hosts/beta
hosts/gamma
dcecp>
```

host configure

Configures a single machine named by the argument into an existing DCE cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
host configure dce_hostname -cell cell_name -secmaster
master_security_server_name -cds cds_server_name -password password
[-admin admin_principal] {-client | -server}
```

Options

-cell *cell_name*

Specifies the name of the cell in which the host is to be configured. The format is */.../ cellname*.

-client Configures the host as a DCE client machine. The machine will be configured to run **dcled** (including the **secval** service), a DTS clerk (**dtstd**), **cdsadv**, and **auditd**.

-server

Configures the host as a DCE server machine. This option is currently not supported.

-secmaster *master_security_server_name*

Specifies the hostname of the security master server in the form *hostname*.

-cds *cds_server_name*

Specifies the hostname of any CDS server in the form *hostname*.

-password *password*

Specifies the password of the cell administrator.

-admin *admin_principal*

Optionally specifies the principal name of the cell administrator principal. It defaults to **cell_admin**.

The **configure** operation configures a single machine named by the *dce_hostname* argument into a DCE cell. The cell must already exist and must have a security and naming service operating. The DCE software must be installed on the machine. The *dce_hostname* argument is the name of the local host machine without the cell name prepended, as in the following:

```
hosts/ dce_hostname
```

This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **root** authority.

Examples

The following example configures host **hydra** in the cell */.../my_cell.goodco.com*:

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```
dcecp> host configure hosts/hydra -client \  
> -cell my_cell.goodco.com -password fstzk1 -secmaster scylla \  
> -cbs charybdis  
dcecp>
```

host help

Returns help information about the **host** task object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
host help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **host** task object.

Used without an argument or option, the **host help** command returns brief information about each **host** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **host** task object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **host help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> host help  
catalog          Returns a list of configured hosts in the cell.  
configure        Configures a host into the cell as a client or server.  
ping            Determines if DCE is responding on the specified host.  
show            Returns all DCE processes configured on the specified host.  
start           Starts DCE on the specified host.  
stop            Stops DCE on the specified host.  
unconfigure     Removes the host from the name and security databases.  
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.  
operations      Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.  
dcecp>
```

host operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **host** task object. The syntax is as follows:

host operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **host operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> host operations
catalog configure ping show start stop unconfigure help operations
dcecp>
```

host ping

Tests whether DCE processes are accessible from the network. The syntax is as follows:

```
host ping dce_hostname
```

The **ping** operation tests whether DCE processes are accessible from the network. It contacts the endpoint mapper (either **rpcd** or **dced**, whichever listens on port 135) on the specified host. The *dce_hostname* argument is the fully qualified name of the host to ping as in the following:

```
./:/hosts/ dce_hostname
```

The operation returns **1** if the host responds, **0** if it does not.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are required for the **host ping** command.

Examples

The following example pings host **hydra**:

```
dcecp> host ping ./:/hosts/hydra
1
dcecp>
```

host show

The **show** operation is not currently implemented.

Returns a list describing all processes that are configured to run on the specified host. The syntax is as follows:

```
host show [dce_hostname]
```

The **show** operation returns a list describing all processes that are configured to run on the specified host. The optional *dce_hostname* argument is the fully qualified or cell-relative name of a DCE host, such as **hosts/name** or **./:/hosts/name**. If not given, the local host is assumed. The returned list contains the following:

1. The server name as output by the **server catalog -simplename** command.
2. One of the tokens **running** or **notrunning**.
3. An optional server-specific comment such as **master** or **replica** for a security server and **clerk** or **server** for a DTS server.

If the DCE daemons on the specified host were not started by the **dcecp server** command, the output of this command will not be as expected.

Privileges Required

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You must have **r (read)** permission to the **config/svrconf** container object on the specified host.

Examples

```
dcecp> host show hosts/hydra
{dced running}
{cdsd running}
{cdsadv running}
{secd running master}
{auditd notrunning}
{dtsd running clerk}
dcecp>
```

host start

Starts all DCE processes on the specified host.

Note: This command is not supported at this time.

The syntax is as follows:

```
host start [dce_hostname]
```

The **start** operation starts all DCE processes on the specified host. This command depends on **dced** being running on the specified host; that is, it may not be used to start DCE on systems that use versions prior to Version 1.1. The processes that are started are all those listed in the server configuration data stored in the **dced** on the specified host with the **boot** or **explicit** values of the **starton** attribute. You can add servers to the server configuration data by using the **server create** command. The **host configure** command adds certain servers to the configuration data automatically.

The *dce_hostname* argument is the fully qualified or cell-relative name of the host to operate on, as in the following:

```
././hosts/ dce_hostname
```

```
hosts/ dce_hostname
```

Without the *dce_hostname* argument, **dced** is started on the local host first, which requires the appropriate local permissions (usually **root**). If a host name is specified, **dced** must be running on that host. Before starting any host, make sure that a security server and a CDS server are both running somewhere in the cell. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **x (execute)** permission to the **config/svrconf** container object on the specified host.

Examples

The following example starts all DCE processes on host **hydra**:

```
dcecp> host start hosts/hydra
dcecp>
```


host stop

Stops all DCE processes on the specified host.

Note: This command is not supported at this time.
The syntax is as follows:

```
host stop [dce_hostname] [-force]
```

Options

-force Optionally, specifies that any servers that fail to stop normally should be stopped using a **server stop -method hard** command.

The **stop** operation stops running DCE processes on the specified host. This command depends on **dced** being on the specified host, that is, it may not be used to stop DCE on systems that use versions prior to Version 1.1. The *dce_hostname* argument is the fully qualified or cell-relative name of the host to operate on, as in

```
./:/hosts/ dce_hostname.
```

```
hosts/ dce_hostname
```

Processes are stopped as follows:

1. All servers listed in the server execution data are stopped. Servers implementing DCE core services are stopped last, in the appropriate order. If servers were not started as **srvrexec** objects, they will not be stopped.
2. If any servers fail to stop, and the **-force** option was specified, those servers are stopped by the command **server stop -method hard**.

This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **s (stop)** permission on the **config/srvrexec** object for each server to be stopped.

Examples

The following example stops host **hydra**:

```
dcecp> host stop hosts/hydra
dcecp>
```

host unconfigure

Unconfigures a specified host from a cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
host unconfigure dce_hostname [-force]
```

Options

-force Optionally specifies that any errors that occur during an **unconfigure** operation are to be ignored and the **unconfigure** operation should continue.

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The **unconfigure** operation unconfigures a specified host from a cell. To unconfigure a cell, the operation deletes the following:

1. All objects, directories and links from **./hosts/** *dce_hostname* including the directory itself
2. All principal names beginning with **hosts/** *dce_hostname*, but not accounts with the same names

The **unconfigure** operation takes the fully qualified name of a host to unconfigure as an argument, as in the following:

```
/hosts/dce_hostname
```

This operation returns an empty string on success.

Note: Before running the **host unconfigure** *<host/dce_hostname>* command, you must manually remove all replicas of *<host/dce_hostname>* in other clearinghouses.

Privileges Required

You must have the appropriate permission to delete CDS objects and directories. You must also have the appropriate permission to delete principals from the registry. Refer to the appropriate reference page on each object for more details.

Examples

The following example unconfigures host **hydra** from the cell:

```
dcecp> host unconfigure hosts/hydra  
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **account(8dce)**, **aud(8dce)**, **directory(8dce)**, **dts(8dce)**, **registry(8dce)**, **server(8dce)**.

hostdata

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages a DCE host's cell affiliation information

Synopsis

hostdata catalog [*host_name_list*] [-**simplename**] [-**local**] [-**unauth**]

hostdata create *hostdata_name_list* {-**attribute***attribute_list* | -**attribute***value* }[-**binary**] [-**local**][-**entry**]

hostdata delete *hostdata_name_list* [-**entry**] [-**local**]

hostdata help [*operation* | -**verbose**]

hostdata modify *hostdata_name_list* {-**change***attribute_list* | -**attribute***value* }[-**binary**] [-**local**]

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hostdata show *hostdata_name_list* [-**ifname***residual_object_name* | [-**entry**] | [-**binary**]][-**local**] [-**unauth**]

Arguments

host_name_list

A list of one or more DCE host names specifying hosts for which to catalog servers. Host names can be in any of the following forms:

././hosts/hostname */.../ cell_name/hosts/hostname* **hosts/** *hostname*

For the **catalog** operation, the name can also be a single string binding representing the host with which to communicate. See *hostdata_name_list* for more information.

hostdata_name_list

A list of one or more names of host data items. Usually they are of the following form:

././hosts/hostname/config/hostdata/name

For the **show** operation, the name can also be a single string binding representing the host with which to communicate. For example:

{**ncacn_ip_tcp** 130.105.1.227}

A string binding is useful when the name service is not operating and cannot translate the other forms of host data item names. If you supply a single string binding, you must use the **-ifname** option to specify the host's residual name. The *host_data_name_list* argument can be either a simple name or a fully qualified path.

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Note: If the cell name is fully qualified and if the `+hostdata_name` is used, the `dce_hostname` field must be fully qualified, for example:
`dce_hostname.austin.ibm.com`.

operation

The name of the **hostdata** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **hostdata** object represents a **hostdata** entry stored by **dced** on a host that represents some data, usually a file. The data in the **hostdata** object is represented by the **hostdata/data** attribute of the **hostdata** entry. Remote manipulation of data in the **hostdata** object is accomplished by the **hostdata** command. The names of these **hostdata** objects are in the DCE namespace and are controlled by **dced**. Usually they are of the following form:

```
././hosts/dce_hostname/config/hostdata/name
```

However, a shorthand notation referring to the local machine consisting of just *name* can be used in some circumstances.

Attributes

uuid *hexadecimal number*

An internal identifier for the **hostdata** entry. Its value is a Universal Unique Identifier (UUID). If not specified on creation, one is generated by **dcecp**. This attribute cannot be modified after creation.

annotation *string*

A human-readable comment field limited to Portable Character Set (PCS) data. It cannot be modified after creation. This attribute defaults to a null string (that is, blank).

storage *string*

A PCS string that identifies the name of the data repository. In the current release of **dced**, it is a filename. It is required and cannot be modified after creation.

hostdata/data*string*

An attribute that represents the actual data. Its syntax is a list of strings. The data can be viewed and modified in two different modes, either as a string, or as binary data. By default the string mode is used, but some of the operations below accept a binary option to allow this attribute to be displayed or modified in binary form. When viewed as a string, each string in the list represents one line in the **hostdata** file.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about **hostdata** attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

hostdata catalog

Returns a list of the names of all **hostdata** objects on the specified host. The syntax is as follows:

```
hostdata catalog [host_name_list]
[-simplename] [-local] [-unauth]
```

Options

-simplename

Returns a list of **hostdata** entries without prepending the cell name and name of the **hostdata** container.

-local Specifies that the command should operate on the local **dced hostdata** object while the **dced** object is in a partial-service state.

-unauth

Specifies that the command should operate as if an unauthenticated user is running it. This option is useful for intercell access when the cell registries are not connected.

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all **hostdata** objects on the specified host, in arbitrary order. The optional *host_name_list* argument specifies objects on a foreign host. By default, fully qualified names are returned. Use the **-simplename** option to return objects names without the prepended cell name and **hostdata** container names.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the **hostdata** container on the host (*././hosts/dce_hostname/config/hostdata/hostdata_container*).

Examples

```
dcecp> hostdata catalog
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/dce_cf.db
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/cell_name
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/pe_site
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/cds_attributes
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/cds_globalnames
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/host_name
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/cell_aliases
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/post_processors
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/svc_routing
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/krb.conf
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/dfs-cache-info
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/cds.conf
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/passwd_override
././gumby1/hosts/fire/config/hostdata/group_override
dcecp>
```

hostdata create

Creates a **hostdata** configuration object. The syntax is as follows:

```
hostdata create
hostdata_name_list{-attribute
```

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```
attribute_list |  
-attribute value] [-binary] [-local] [-entry ]
```

Options

-attribute *attribute_list*

Allows you to specify attributes by using an attribute list rather than using the - *attribute value* option. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{attribute value}...{attribute value}}
```

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using the **-attribute** option with an attribute list, you can specify individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in **Attributes**.

-binary

Specifies that the value of the **data** attribute is in binary form.

-local Specifies that the command should operate on the local **dc**ed **hostdata** object while the **dc**ed object is in a partial-service state.

-entry Creates only **dc**ed configuration information (UUID), not the actual **hostdata commands** object. If the **-entry** option is specified it must also be used when issuing the **hostdata delete** command, otherwise an error will be returned.

The *hostdata_name_list* argument is a list of names of **hostdata** entries to be created. The **-attributes** option specifies configuration information for **dc**ed. The contents of the **hostdata** file can be specified via the *data* attribute. The value of the option is applied to all elements of the argument list. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w** (**write**) permission to the **hostdata** container on the host.

Examples

```
dcecp> hostdata create file1 -storage /tmp/file1 -data {{first line}}  
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> hostdata show file1  
{uuid 8484188a-eb85-11cd-91b1-080009251352}  
{annotation {}}  
{storage /tmp/file1}  
{hostdata/data {first line}}  
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> cat /tmp/file1  
first line  
dcecp>
```

hostdata delete

Deletes a **hostdata** entry and its data. The syntax is as follows:

```
hostdata delete hostdata_name_list [-entry] [-local]
```

Options

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- entry** Only the configuration information that **dc** keeps is deleted, not the actual hostdata.
- local** Specifies that the command should operate on the local **dc** hostdata object while the **dc** object is in a partial-service state.

The *hostdata_name_list* argument is a list of names of **hostdata** entries to be deleted in the order specified. If the **-entry** option is present, only the configuration information that **dc** keeps is deleted, not the actual hostdata. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the **hostdata** container on the host.

Examples

```
dcecp> hostdata delete file1
dcecp>
```

hostdata help

Returns help information about the **hostdata** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
hostdata help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **hostdata** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **hostdata help** command returns brief information about each **hostdata** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **hostdata** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **hostdata help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> hostdata help
catalog      Returns the list of hostdata object names.
create       Creates a new hostdata configuration object.
delete       Deletes a hostdata object and its associated data.
modify       Modifies the data of a hostdata object.
show         Returns the attributes of a hostdata object.
help         Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations   Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

hostdata modify

This operation is used to change attributes of a **hostdata** entry, including the **hostdata** itself. The syntax is as follows:

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```
hostdata modify hostdata_name_list {-change attribute_list |  
-attribute value}  
[-binary] [-local]
```

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using options with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in the **Attributes** section of this reference page.

In the current version of DCE, only the **data** attribute can be modified.

-**change** *attribute_list*

Allows you to modify attributes by using an attribute list rather than using individual attribute options. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{attribute value}...{attribute value}}
```

In the current version of DCE, only the **data** attribute can be modified.

-**binary**

Specifies that the value of the **data** attribute is in binary form.

-**local**

Specifies that the command should operate on the local **dcged hostdata** object while the **dcged** object is in a partial-service state.

The argument is a list of names of **hostdata** entries to be modified. If more than one is specified, all modifications specified are made to each **hostdata** entry listed. In the current DCE Version, only the *data* attribute can be modified and only by completely replacing it. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the **hostdata** container on the host.

Examples

```
dcecp> hostdata mod file1 -data {new first line}  
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> hostdata show file1  
{uuid cda3a184-eb85-11cd-91b1-080009251352}  
{annotation {}}  
{storage /tmp/file1}  
{hostdata/data {new first line}}  
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> cat /tmp/file1  
new first line  
dcecp>
```

hostdata operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **hostdata** object. The syntax is as follows:

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The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **hostdata operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> hostdata operations
catalog create delete modify show help operations
dcecp>
```

hostdata show

Returns an attribute list of the **hostdata** entries specified in the argument. The syntax is as follows:

```
hostdata show hostdata_name_list
[-ifname residual_object_name | [-entry] [-binary]] [-local] [-unauth]
```

Options

-ifname

Specifies the **dced** object for which to return the value.

-entry Only the configuration information that **dced** keeps is returned, not the actual **hostdata**.

-binary

Specifies to return the value of the **data** attribute in binary form.

-local Specifies that the command should operate on the local **dced hostdata** object while the **dced** object is in a partial-service state.

-unauth

Specifies that the command should operate as if an unauthenticated user is running it. This option is useful for intercell access when the cell registries are not connected.

The *hostdata_name_list* argument is a list of names of **hostdata** entries. If called with the **-entry** option, the **data** attribute is not returned. The **-binary** option can be specified to indicate that the value of the **data** attribute should be returned in binary form. If the argument is a list of entries, the output is concatenated into a single list in the order specified. The **-ifname** option is used to identify the specific **hostdata** entry to show, but only when the argument is a string binding representing a host, not the fully qualified **hostdata** name.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the **hostdata** container on the host (*././hosts/host_name/config/hostdata/hostdata_container*).

Examples

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```
dcecp> hostdata show ./:/hosts/mars/config/hostdata/cell_name
{uuid 00174f6c-6eca-1d6a-bf90-0000c09ce054}
{annotation {Name of cell}}
{storage cell_name}
{hostdata/data /.../my_cell}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> hostdata show ncacn_ip_tcp:15.122.24.148 -ifname cell_name
{uuid 00174f6c-6eca-1d6a-bf90-0000c09ce054}
{annotation {Name of cell}}
{storage cell_name}
{hostdata/data /.../my_cell}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **dced(8dce)**, **hostvar(8dce)**.

keytab

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages server passwords on DCE hosts

Synopsis

```
keytab add keytab_name_list -memberprincipal_name_list {-keyplain_key |  
-versionkey_version | -registry} | -random | -registry | [-versionkey_version]  
}[-ktnamesidual_keytab_name] [-noprivacy] [-local]
```

```
keytab catalog [dce_hostname] [-simplename] [-noprivacy] [-local]
```

```
keytab create keytab_name_list {-attributeattribute_list | -attributevalue  
}[-ktnamesidual_keytab_name] [-entry] [-noprivacy] [-local]
```

```
keytab delete keytab_name_list [-entry] [-noprivacy] [-local]
```

```
keytab help [operation | -verbose ]
```

```
keytab list keytab_name_list [-noprivacy] [-local]
```

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```
keytab remove keytab_name_list -memberprincipal_name_list  
[-versionkey_version] [-typekey_type] [-noprivacy] [-local]
```

```
keytab show keytab_name_list [-entry | -members] [-keys]  
[-ktnamesidual_keytab_name] [-noprivacy] [-local]
```

Arguments

dce_hostname

A list of one or more DCE host names specifying hosts for which to catalog key tables. Host names can be in any of the following forms:

```
././hosts/ dce_hostname/.../ cell_name/hosts/dce_hostnamehosts/ dce_hostname
```

The name can also be a single string binding representing the host with which to communicate. For example:

```
{ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227}
```

A string binding is useful when the name service is not operating and cannot translate the other forms of host names. If you supply a single string binding, you must use the **-ktnames** option to specify the object's residual name.

keytab_name_list

A list of one or more names of key tables to operate on. Key table names are similar to other **dced** objects with the following form:

```
./.../cell/hosts/dce_hostname/config/keytab/name
```

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For the **add**, **create**, and **show** operations, the name can also be a single string binding representing the key table to operate on. See *hostdata_name_list* for more information on string bindings.

operation

The name of the **keytab** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **keytab** object represents key tables (usually files) that store server keys (and key version numbers) on hosts. These key tables are manipulated remotely by using **dcad**. The keys are considered members of the key table container. The **keytab** names are in the form

```
./.../cell_name/hosts/dce_hostname/config/keytab/name
```

A key table has a set of keys. Each key contains a principal name, type, version, and value. The value can be created and changed, but is never shown on output. Removal of a key is based on the name, type, and version number. The **dccep** syntax of a key is a list of principal_name, type (**plain** or **des**), version (a nonnegative integer), and value. The value of a **des** key is 64 bits long and can be represented in **dccep** as Extended Registry Attributes (ERAs) of type **byte** (refer to the **xattrschema** object attributes for details). The value is valid on input, but is not displayed on output so that keys are not shown on the screen. For example:

```
melman des 1 key1      melman
plain 3 key2
```

Multiple keys for the same principal are displayed as separate keys. See the example in the **show** operation below.

Attributes

uuid *value*

A Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) that is the internal identifier for the key table's configuration information kept by **dcad**. If the UUID is not specified when the key table is created, one is generated automatically. This attribute cannot be modified after it is created.

annotation *string*

A human-readable comment field in Portable Character Set (PCS) format. This attribute cannot be modified after creation. It defaults to a null string (that is, blank).

storage *string*

The name of the key table (usually a filename). It is required and may not be modified after creation.

data *key_list*

The contents of the key table. Represented as a list of keys.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about keytab attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

keytab add

Adds members to a key table. The syntax is as follows:

```
keytab add keytab_name_list
-member principal_name_list
{-key plain_key -version key_version [-registry] |
-random -registry [-version key_version]}
[-kname residual_keytab_name] [-noprivacy] [-local]
```

Options

-member *principal_name_list*

List of principal names to be added to each key table in the argument.

-registry

Updates the principal's key in the registry as well as on the host. Required if the **-random** option is used.

-random

Generates a random **des** key. Cannot be used with the **-key** option.

-key *plain_key*

Specifies a key explicitly. Cannot be used with the **-random** option.

-version *key_version*

Specifies a version number for the key. Required if the **-registry** option is not used.

-kname *residual_keytab_name*

Specifies the **keytab** object to add members to. If you use this option, you must specify *keytab_name_list* as a string binding. See **Arguments** for more information about specifying a string binding for *keytab_name_list*.

-local Specifies that the **add** operation operates on local files only.

-noprivacy

Specifies that keytables are sent over the network unencrypted.

The **add** operation adds members to key tables. The argument is a list of names of key tables to which members should be added. The required **-member** option lists principal names to be added to each key table in the *keytab_name_list* argument. If the principals named do not exist, command will return an error. The operation adds each principal name and its key to the key table.

Use either the **-random** option to have **dcecp** generate a random **des** key or the **-key** option to specify a plain key explicitly. The same key (whether specified or randomly generated) is used for all principals being added to all key tables. The **-registry** option updates the principal's key in the key table and in the registry. The **-registry** option is required if **-random** is used. The **-version** option specifies the version number of the key. You must specify either **-registry** or **-version** or both on any **keytab add** command. The **-kname** option is used to identify the specific key

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table to operate on, but only when the argument is a string binding representing a key table, not the fully qualified key table name. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have a (**auth_info**) permission to the **keytab** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> keytab add ./:/hosts/medusa/config/keytab/radiology \  
> -member melman -random -registry  
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> keytab add ./:/hosts/medusa/config/keytab/radiology \  
> -member melman -key yrrebnesor  
dcecp>
```

keytab catalog

Returns a list of the names of all key tables on the specified host. The syntax is as follows:

```
keytab catalog [host_name_list]  
[-simplename] [-noprivacy] [-local]
```

Options

-simplename

Returns key table names without prepending the cell name.

-noprivacy

Specifies the key tables sent over the network are not encrypted.

-local Specifies that the **catalog** operation operates on local files only.

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all key tables on the host specified in the argument. The argument can be a list of one or more host names or a single string binding that identifies a host. If a host name is not specified, the current host is used. If the argument is a list, the output is concatenated. The return order is arbitrary.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the **keytab** object on the host.

Examples

```
dcecp> keytab catalog  
/.../pokey/hosts/jimbo/config/keytab/self  
dcecp>
```

keytab create

Creates a key table. The syntax is as follows:

```
keytab create keytab_name_list {-attribute attribute_list |
-attribute value}
[-ktname residual_keytab_name] [-entry] [-noprivacy]
[-local]
```

Options

-attribute *attribute_list*

Allows you to specify attributes by using an attribute list rather than using the *- attribute value* option. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{attribute value}...{attribute value}}
```

- attribute value

As an alternative to using the **-attribute** option with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in **Attributes**.

-ktname *residual_keytab_name*

Specifies the **keytab** object to create. If you use this option, you must specify *keytab_name_list* as a string binding. See **Arguments** for more information about specifying a string binding for *keytab_name_list*.

-local Specifies that the **create** operation operates on local files only.

-noprivacy

Specifies that key tables are sent over the network unencrypted.

The **create** operation creates a key table. The argument is a list of names of key tables to be created. The command takes an **-attribute** option to specify configuration information for **dced**. The **-ktname** option identifies the specific key table to operate on, but only when the argument is a string binding representing a key table, not the fully qualified key table name. Use the **data** attribute to specify the contents of the key tables named in *keytab_name_list*. The **data** attribute is a list of keys with associated principal names, key types, versions, and key values in the form

```
principal_name key_type version {key_value}
```

where:

principal_name

Is the required name of the server principal for which the keytab file is being created.

key_type

Is a required code that specifies whether the key is stored in plain text or in DES encrypted format:

1. **des** indicates DES encryption.
2. **plain** indicates plain text.

version

Is the key's required version number.

key_value

If the key type is **plain**, *key_value* is required. If the key type is **des**, *key_value* is optional; if one is not entered, a key value is randomly generated.

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This operation creates the key tables named in *keytab_name_list* and assigns all of them the values specified by the **data** attribute. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **i (insert)** permission to the **keytab** object on the host.

Examples

The following example creates two keys for user **vmr** and one key for **pwang** on host **medusa**. One of **vmr**'s keys is an automatically generated Data Encryption Standard (DES) key. Both **vmr**'s second key and **pwang**'s key are manually entered keys.

```
dcecp> keytab create ./:/hosts/medusa/config/keytab/radiology -attribute \  
> {{{storage /opt/dce/local/keys/radiology} {data {{vmr des 2} \  
> {vmr plain 3 key2} {pwang des 2 key3}}}}\  
dcecp>
```

keytab delete

Deletes a key table entry and its data. The syntax is as follows:

```
keytab delete keytab_name_list [-entry]  
[-noprivacy] [-local]
```

Options

-entry Specifies that only the configuration information that **dced** keeps is deleted, not the actual key table.

-noprivacy

Specifies that key tables are sent over the network unencrypted.

-local Specifies that the **delete** operation operates on local files only.

The **delete** operation deletes a key table entry and its data. The argument is a list of names of key table entries to be deleted in the order specified. If the **-entry** option is present, only the configuration information that **dced** keeps is deleted, not the actual key table. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the **keytab** object. If you are removing the key table, you must have **D (Delete_object)** permission to the **keytab** object as well.

Examples

```
dcecp> keytab delete ./:/hosts/medusa/config/keytab/radiology  
dcecp>
```

keytab help

Returns help information about the **keytab** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

keytab help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **keytab** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **keytab help** command returns brief information about each **keytab** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **keytab** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **keytab help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> keytab help
add           Adds keys into a key table.
catalog      Returns the list of key table names.
create       Creates a new key table entry and its keys.
delete       Deletes a key table and its associated data.
list         Lists all principals in a specified key table.
remove       Removes keys from a key table.
show         Returns the list of keys of a key table.
help         Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations   Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

keytab list

Returns a list of all the principals in the specified key table. The syntax is as follows:

```
keytab list keytab_name_list [-noprivacy]
[-local]
```

Options

-noprivacy

Specifies that key tables are sent over the network unencrypted.

-local Specifies that the **list** operation operates on local files only.

The **list** operation returns a list of all the principals in the specified key table. If the argument is a list of key table names, the output is concatenated and a blank line inserted between key tables.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the **keytab** object on the host.

Examples

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```
dcecp> keytab list ./:/hosts/medusa/config/keytab/self
/.../mycell/hosts/medusa/self
/.../mycell/hosts/medusa/cds-server
/.../mycell/hosts/medusa/cds-server
dcecp>
```

keytab operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **keytab** object. The syntax is as follows:

keytab operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **keytab operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> keytab operations
add catalog create delete list remove show help operations
dcecp>
```

keytab remove

Removes a member from a key table. The syntax is as follows:

```
keytab remove keytab_name_list -member principal_name_list
[-version key_version] [-type key_type] [-noprivacy] [-local]
```

Options

-member *principal_name_list*

Specifies a list of one or more principal names of members to be removed from the key table.

-version *key_version*

Specifies a version number for the key.

-type *key_type*

Specifies whether the key is a **des** (data encryption standard) key or a **plain** key.

-noprivacy

Specifies that key tables are sent over the network unencrypted.

-local Specifies that the **remove** operation operates on local files only.

The **remove** operation removes a member from a key table. The argument is a list of names of key tables from which to remove members. The value of the required **-member** option is a list of names of principals to be removed from the key tables listed in the argument. The two options **-version** and **-type** can be used to limit the keys removed. If either or both of these options is present, then only keys matching the values of these options are removed. The value of the **-version** option can be a list of version numbers. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **x (execute)** permission to the **keytab** object on the host.

Examples

The following example removes all **des** keys for principal **D_Britt**:

```
dcecp> keytab remove ./:/hosts/jimbo/config/keytab/self -member D_Britt -type des
dcecp>
```

keytab show

Returns an attribute list of the key table entries specified in the argument. The syntax is as follows:

```
keytab show keytab_name_list
[-entry | -members]
[-keys] [-ktname residual_keytab_name] [-noprivacy] [-local]
```

Options

-entry Returns only the configuration information that **dced** keeps, not the actual key table data.

-members Specifies that only the **data** attribute of each entry be returned.

-keys Returns the actual values of keys.

-noprivacy Specifies that key tables are sent over the network unencrypted.

-ktname *residual_keytab_name* Specifies the **keytab** object for which to list entries. If you use this option, you must specify *keytab_name_list* as a string binding. See **Arguments** for more information about specifying a string binding for *keytab_name_list*.

-local Specifies that the **show** operation operates on local files only.

The **show** operation returns an attribute list of the key tables specified in the argument. The argument is a list of names of key tables. If the operation is called without the **-entry** option, the **data** attribute is not returned. If the optional **-members** option is given, only the value of the **data** attribute is returned (a list of keys). Keys are not normally returned unless the **-keys** option is used. If the argument is a list, the output is concatenated and a blank line inserted between key tables. The **-ktname** option is used to identify the specific key table to operation on, but only when the argument is a string binding representing a key table, not the fully qualified key table name.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the **keytab** object on the host.

Examples

```
dcecp> keytab show ./:/hosts/medusa/config/keytab/radiology -members
{melman des 1}
{melman plain 3}
{pwang des 2}
dcecp>
```

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Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **dced(8dce)**, **xattrschema(8dce)**.

link

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages a soft link in CDS

Synopsis

link create *link_name_list* **{-to***target_name* **|** **[-timeout***expiration_time* **extension_time]** **| -attribute***attribute_list* **}**

link delete *link_name_list*

link help [*operation* **| -verbose**]

link modify *link_name_list* **[-add***attribute_list***] [-remove***attribute_list***] [-change***attribute_list***]**

link operations

link show *link_name_list* **[-schema]**

Arguments

link_name_list

A list of one or more names of CDS soft links.

operation

The name of the **link** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **link** object represents a Cell Directory Service (CDS) soft link. A soft link in CDS contains an attribute that has a name that is the same as the name of the object the soft link points to. The soft link contains several built-in attributes, but users are free to add their own attributes. Softlinks can point to objects, directories, and other soft links.

Attributes

The following CDS-defined attributes may be present in CDS **link** objects:

CDS_CTS

Specifies the creation timestamp (CTS) of the soft link. This is a read-only DTS-style time stamp, which is set by the system.

CDS_LinkTarget

Specifies the full name of the directory, object entry, or other soft link to which the soft link points.

CDS_LinkTimeout

Specifies a timeout value after which the soft link is either renewed or deleted. Its value is a list of two elements enclosed in braces, as follows:

{expiration_time extension_time}

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where:

expiration_time

Is a date and time after which CDS checks for the existence of the soft link's target and either extends or deletes the soft link. The value is specified in the format *yyyy- mm- dd- hh: mm: ss*; portions of it can be defaulted.

extension_time

Is a period of time by which to extend the soft link's expiration time (if the server has validated that the target still exists). The value is specified in the format *ddd- hh: mm: ss*; portions of it can be defaulted. The *extension_time* value is an optional value.

CDS_UTS

Specifies the timestamp of the most recent update to an attribute of the soft link. The value is a read-only DTS-style timestamp, which is set by the system.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about link attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

link create

Creates a new soft link entry in CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
link create link_name_list {-to target-name[-timeout expiration_time extension_time |  
-attribute attribute_list}
```

Options

-to *target-name*

Specifies a single name for the links to point to. If you do not use this option, you must specify the link target with the **-attribute** option.

-timeout *expiration_time* *extension_time*

Specifies the expiration time and extension period for all soft links named by the *link-name_list* argument. The option syntax is as follows:

```
{expiration_time extension_time}
```

See **Attributes** for more detailed information about **link** timeouts. If you omit the **-timeout** option, the link is permanent and must be explicitly deleted.

-attribute *attribute_list*

Allows you to specify attributes by using an attribute list. See **Attributes** for more detailed information about **link** attributes.

The **create** operation creates a new soft link entry in CDS. The required *link_name_list* argument is a list of one or more full CDS names of the soft links to be created. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **i (insert)** permission to the directory in which you intend to create the soft link.

Examples

The following command creates a permanent soft link named *././sales/tokyo/price-server* that points to an object entry named *././sales/east/price-server*. The expiration value indicates that CDS checks that the destination name *././sales/east/price-server* still exists on June 25, 1995, at 12:00 p.m. If the destination name still exists, the soft link remains in effect another 90 days. Thereafter, CDS will check that the destination name exists every 90 days.

```
dcecp> link create ././sales/tokyo/price-server -to \
> ././sales/east/price-server -timeout {1995-06-25-12:00:0090-00:00:00}
dcecp>
```

You can enter the same information as the above example by using the **-attributes** option, as follows:

```
dcecp> link create ././sales/tokyo/price-server -attribute \
> {{CDS_LinkTarget ././sales/east/price-server} {CDS_LinkTimeout \
> {expiration 1995-06-25-12:00:00} {extension 90-00:00:00}}}
dcecp>
```

link delete

Removes a link entry from CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
link delete link_name_list
```

The **delete** operation removes a link entry from CDS. This task is usually done through a client application. The required *link_name_list* argument is a list of one or more full CDS names of the link entry to be removed. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the link entry or **A (Admin)** permission to the directory that stores the link entry.

Examples

```
dcecp> link delete ././sales/tokyo/price-server
dcecp>
```

link help

Returns help information about the **link** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
link help [operation | -verbose]
```

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Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **link** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **link help** command returns brief information about each **link** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **link** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **link help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> link help
create          Creates the named link.
delete         Deletes the named link.
modify         Adds, removes or changes an attribute in the named link.
show           Returns the attributes of a link.
help           Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations     Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

link modify

Changes attributes in the specified soft links. The syntax is as follows:

```
link modify link_name_list {[-add attribute_list] [-remove
attribute_list]
[-change attribute_list]}
```

Options

-add *attribute_list*

Adds one or more new attributes to a soft link or adds values to existing attributes when values are not already present. Add an attribute type with no value by specifying an attribute type with no value.

-remove *attribute_list*

Removes an entire attribute or some attribute values from a soft link. If only the attribute type is specified after the option, the entire attribute is removed. If an attribute type and value are specified, only that value is removed. If an attribute or value is not present, an error is returned.

-change *attribute_list*

Changes one attribute value to another for a soft link. Each attribute in the list has its existing value replaced by the new value given in the attribute list. For multivalued attributes, all existing values are replaced by all the values listed for the attribute in the attribute list. If an attribute or value is not present, an error is returned.

The **modify** operation can be used to change two attributes of a soft link: **CDS_LinkTarget** and **CDS_LinkTimeout**. The argument is a list of names of soft links to be operated on. The operation takes the **-add**, **-remove**, and **-change** options to specify an attribute list to describe the changes. All the changes are performed on each soft link named in the argument. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the **link** object.

Examples

The following example sets the link expiration time to 1998 and the extension time to 10 days and 0 hours:

```
dcecp> link modify ./:/depts/emergency -change {
> {CDS_LinkTimeout {expiration 1998-01-20-12:00:00:00} {extension +10-0:0:0}}}
dcecp>
```

link operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **link** object. The syntax is as follows:

link operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **link operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> link operations
create delete modify show help operations
dcecp>
```

link show

Returns attribute information associated with specified link entries. The syntax is as follows:

```
link show link_name_list [-schema]
```

Options

-schema

This option returns whether an attribute is single or multivalued. The type of value is specific to a link, meaning that the same attribute can be single-valued on one link and multivalued on another.

The **show** operation displays attribute information associated with specified link entries. The required *link_name_list* argument is a list of one or more full CDS names of the soft links you want to show. If more than one link is shown, the attributes of all the soft links are concatenated into one list. The order of the returned attributes is the lexical order of the object identifiers (OIDs) of each attribute for each object.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the link entry.

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Examples

```
dcecp> link show ./:/depts/emergency
{CDS_CTS 1994-07-11-17:47:59.755+00:00I0.000/00-00-c0-8a-df-56}
{CDS_UTS 1994-07-11-17:52:44.698+00:00I0.000/00-00-c0-8a-df-56}
{CDS_LinkTarget ../my_cell.acme_health.org/depts/radiology}
{CDS_LinkTimeout
  {expiration 1995-07-11-00:00:00.000}
  {extension +10-10:00:00.000I-----}}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> link show ./:/gumby -schema
{CDS-CTS single}
{CDS-UTS single}
{CDS-LinkTarget single}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **clearinghouse(8dce)**, **directory(8dce)**, **object(8dce)**.

log

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages serviceability routing and debug routing

Synopsis

log help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

log list {*RPC_server_namespace_entry* | *string_binding_to_server* }[-**comp***component_name_list*]

log modify {*RPC_server_namespace_entry* | *string_binding_to_server* }-**change** {*routing_specifications* | *debug_routing_specifications* }

log operations

log show {*RPC_server_namespace_entry* | *string_binding_to_server* }[-**debug**]

Arguments

operation

The name of the **log** operation for which to display help information.

RPC_server_namespace_entry

Specifies the namespace entry of the target server. For example, */./hosts/dce_hostname/dts-entity* is the name of the DTS server.

string_binding_to_server

A remote procedure call (RPC) string binding that describes the target server's network location. The value has the form of an RPC string binding, without an object Universal Unique Identifier (UUID). The binding information contains an RPC protocol, a network address, and an endpoint within [] (brackets), in one of the two following forms:

rpc-prot-seq: network-addr[*endpoint*]

object_uuid@ rpc-prot-seq: network-addr[*endpoint*]

Description

The **log** object represents the current state of message routing for a given server. It supports routing for both production serviceability and debug serviceability messages. Debug routing may be removed from production environment servers while still being used by application servers.

The **log** commands work on both the local and remote servers. You can identify the target server by supplying either the server's entry in the namespace or a fully bound string binding. You can specify multiple target servers as a space-separated list. When specifying multiple servers, you can mix the namespace entry and string binding formats in the same list.

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

log help

Returns help information about the **log** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

log help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

Options

-verbose

Displays detailed information about the **log** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **log help** command returns brief information about each **log** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **log** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **log help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> log help
list           Returns serviceability components registered by a server.
modify        Changes serviceability routing specifications of a server.
show          Returns serviceability routing settings for a server.
help          Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations    Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

log list

Returns a list of serviceability components registered by the target servers. The syntax is as follows:

log list {*RPC_server_namespace_entry* | *string_binding_to_server*}
[-comp *component_name_list*]

Options

-comp *component_name_list*

A list of one or more DCE serviceability component names for which associated subcomponents should be returned.

If you specify more than one server, the returned lists for the second and subsequent servers are concatenated to the returned list for the first server.

The **-comp** option specifies a space-separated list of DCE serviceability component names. For each named component, the command returns a list of the associated subcomponents. For each subcomponent in the list, the command displays its name, its level, and its description. The order of the component names is arbitrary. If you specify more than one component name, the resulting subcomponent lists are concatenated.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **log list** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> log list ./:/hosts/goober/cds-server
svc cds dts rpc sec
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> log list ./:/hosts/goober/cds-server -comp dts
general 0 "General server administration"
events 0 "Events received and acted upon"
arith 0 "Math operations"
ctlmsgs 0 "Control messages received"
msgs 0 "Messages received"
states 0 "Server state transitions"
threads 0 "Thread interactions"
config 0 "Server/cell configuration"
sync 0 "Server sync interactions"
dcecp>
```

log modify

Sets message routing specifications for one or more specified servers. The syntax is as follows:

```
log modify {RPC_server_namespace_entry | string_binding_to_server}
-change {routing_specifications | debug_routing_specifications}
```

Options

-change

Specifies the routing specifications (production or debug) to change.

The **-change** option specifies the routing specifications you want to change. There is a fixed, well-known set of routing defaults. You can change these defaults, but you cannot add new routings or remove existing routings. Routing is always set on a per-server basis and is recorded in the **log** object for each server. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Serviceability, production, and debug messages can be written to any of the normal output destinations. You can specify routing for serviceability messages in any of the following ways:

1. Through the **dcecp log** object, if the server supports the remote serviceability interface
2. By the contents of the *dce-local-path/svc/routing* routing file
3. By the contents of an environment variable

For a complete discussion of the ways in which you can specify routings for serviceability and debug messages, refer to the **svcroute(5dce)** reference page.

Privileges Required

The privileges are determined by what the server allows for permissions.

Examples

```
dcecp> log modify ./:/tserver -change {{FATAL TEXTFILE /dev/console} \
{ERROR TEXTFILE /tmp/timop_errors.5.100} {NOTICE BINFILE /tmp/timop_log%1d}}
dcecp>
```

log operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **log** object. The syntax is as follows:

log operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **log operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> log operations
list modify show help operations
dcecp>
```

log show

Returns a list describing the current serviceability routing settings for a server. The syntax is as follows:

```
log show {RPC_server_namespace_entry | string_binding_to_server}
[-debug]
```

Options

-debug

Returns serviceability debug routing settings rather than serviceability production routing settings.

If you specify more than one server, the returned routings for the second and subsequent servers are concatenated to the returned routings for the first server. The order of the returned routing settings is arbitrary.

By default the operation returns production serviceability routing settings. Use the **-debug** option to return debug routing settings. Debug routing settings are not available on servers for which debugging has been turned off (production servers, for example).

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **log show** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> log show ../bigred/hosts/acme/cds-clerk
{ERROR STDERR -}
{FATAL FILE /dev/console}
{WARNING FILE /tmp/warnings.log}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

See **svcroute(5dce)** in the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Reference*

Files: **svcroute(5dce)**.

name

Purpose

A dcecp object that compares and expands DCE names

Synopsis

name compare *name name*

name expand *name*

name get *string_binding*

name help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

name operations

name parse *name*

Arguments

name The name of an object in the DCE namespace. Examples of names include principal names, names of security groups, names of Cell Directory Service (CDS) objects like directories, softlinks, child pointers and so on, names of remote procedure call (RPC) entries and RPC groups, and Distributed File Service (DFS) filenames.

operation

The name of the **name** operation for which to display help information.

string_binding

An RPC string binding (without the object UUID) that identifies the network location of the target name. It contains an RPC protocol and a network address in the form

rpc_prot_seq:network_addr

Description

The **name** object resolves, compares, and parses DCE names and string bindings.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

name compare

Compares two names. The syntax is as follows:

name compare *name name*

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The **compare** operation compares two names given as arguments and returns **1** if both syntactically refer to the same name. Otherwise, it returns **0**.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **name compare** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> name compare ./sales/east east
Error: Incomplete name
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> name compare ./sales/east ../org_cell/sales/east
1
dcecp>
```

name expand

Expands a simple DCE name to a global name. The syntax is as follows:

```
name expand name
```

The **expand** operation takes a single name as an argument and returns the canonical form of the name. This operation has the effect of converting *./* to *../cellname*.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **name expand** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> name expand ./sales
../org_cell/sales
dcecp>
```

name get

Returns a hostname given a full or partial string binding. The syntax is as follows:

```
name get string_binding
```

The **get** operation returns host name identified by a specified string binding. The *string_binding* argument is a single string binding; you cannot supply multiple bindings in one operation.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **name get** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> name get ncan_ip_tcp:15.21.248.170
hosts/goober
dcecp>
```

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name help

Returns help information about the **name** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
name help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **name** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **name help** operation returns brief information about each **name** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of the operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **name** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **name help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> name help
compare          Compares two names syntactically.
expand           Returns the canonical form of a name.
get              Gets host name from a partial or full string binding.
parse            Parses name into cell name and residual name.
help             Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations       Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

name operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **name** object. The syntax is as follows:

name operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **name operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> name operations
compare expand get parse help operations
dcecp>
```

name parse

Divides a name into a cell name and a residual name. The syntax is as follows:

```
name parse name
```

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The **parse** operation parses a name into a cell name and a residual name. The argument is a single DCE name. The operation returns a list of two elements: cell name and residual name. A name not beginning with a / (slash) is considered to be a name in the local cell.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **name parse** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> name parse hosts/goober  
/.../pokey hosts/goober  
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**

object

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages an object in the DCE Cell Directory Service (CDS)

Synopsis

object create *object_name_list* [-**attribute***attribute_list* [-**single**]]

object delete *object_name_list*

object help [*operation* | -**verbose**]

object modify *object_name_list* {-**add***attribute_list* | [-**single**] | -**remove***attribute_list* | [-**types**] | -**change***attribute_list* }

object operations

object show *object_name_list* [-**schema**]

Arguments

object_name_list

Examples of objects are remote procedure call (RPC) server entries, group entries, profile entries, and so on.

operation

The name of the **object** operation for which you want to see help information.

Description

An **object** object represents an entity in CDS that has a name and attributes. An object identifies a resource such as a host system, a printer, an application, or a file. Attributes consist of a type and one or more values. Every object is the child of a CDS directory.

Attributes

CDS_Class

Specifies the class to which an object belongs.

CDS_CTS

Specifies the creation timestamp of the CDS object. The value is a read-only DTS-style timestamp, which is set by the system.

CDS_ClassVersion

Contains the version number of the object's class, which allows applications to build in compatibility with entries created by earlier versions.

CDS_ObjectUUID

Specifies the unique identifier of the object. The read-only identifier is set by the system at creation time.

CDS_UTS

Specifies the timestamp of the most recent update to an attribute of the object. The value is a read-only DTS-style timestamp, which is set by the system.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about object attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

object create

Creates a new object entry in CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
object create object_name_list [-attribute attribute_list [-single]]
```

Options

-attribute *attribute_list*

Allows you to specify attributes by using an attribute list. See **Attributes** for more information about object attributes.

-single

Specifies that attribute values are single-valued. Otherwise, attributes are multivalued. Valid only with the **-attribute** option.

The **create** operation creates a new object entry in CDS. This task is usually done through a client application. The required *object_name_list* argument is a list of the full CDS names of the object entries to be created.

Optionally, you can use the **-attribute** option to associate one or more attributes (see **Attributes**) with each object being created. The attribute values are multivalued unless the **-single** option is specified, in which case all attributes are single-valued. The **-single** option is valid only if the **-attribute** option is specified. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory.

Examples

The following command creates an object entry named *./sales/east/floor1cp*. The object entry describes a color printer on the first floor of a company's eastern sales office.

```
dcecp> object create ./sales/east/floor1cp -attribute \  
> {{CDS_Class printer} {CDS_ClassVersion 1.0}}  
dcecp>
```

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object delete

Removes an object entry from CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
object delete object_name_list
```

The **delete** operation removes an object entry from CDS. The required *object_name_list* argument is a list of the full CDS names of the object entries to be deleted. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the object entry or **A (Admin)** permission to the directory that stores the object entry.

Examples

The following command deletes the object entry **././sales/east/floor1pr2**:

```
dcecp> object delete ././sales/east/floor1pr2  
dcecp>
```

object help

Returns help information about the **object** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
object help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **object** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **object help** command returns brief information about each **object** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **object** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **object help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> object help  
create          Creates the named object.  
delete          Deletes the named object.  
modify          Adds, removes or changes an attribute in the named object.  
show            Returns the attributes of an object.  
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.  
operations      Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.  
dcecp>
```

object modify

Adds or removes attributes or changes attribute values for object entries in CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
object modify object_name_list {-add attribute_list [-single] |
-remove attribute_list [-types] |
-change attribute_list}
```

Options

-add *attribute_list*

Adds one or more new attributes to an object entry.

-single

May be used with the **-add** option to specify that attributes to be added are single-valued.

-remove *attribute_list*

Eliminates one or more attribute values from an attribute type of an object entry. For instance, removing a value from an attribute with three values leaves the attribute with two values. The argument is an attribute list of the following form:

```
{{attribute value}...{ attribute value}}
```

Note: A value cannot be removed from a single-valued attribute. To totally remove either a single-valued attribute or a set-valued attribute, the **-types** option must be used.

To remove an attribute type as well as its values, use the **-types** option with the **-remove** option.

If an attribute is not present, an error is returned. Fixed CDS attribute types, such as the CDS creation timestamp (**CDS_CTS**), cannot be removed.

-types May be used with the **-remove** option to remove the attribute type as well as its values. Invalid without the **-remove** option.

-change *attribute_list*

Changes one attribute value to another for an object entry. The existing value of each attribute in *attribute_list* is replaced by the new value given. For multivalued attributes, all existing values are replaced by all the values listed for the attribute in the attribute list. If an attribute or value is not present, an error is returned.

The **modify** operation adds or removes attributes, or changes attribute values for object entries in CDS. This task is usually done through a client application. The required *object_name_list* argument is a list of the full CDS names of the object entries to be modified. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the object entry.

Examples

To add the **sales_record** attribute with a value of **region2** to an object entry named **./:Q1_records**, follow these steps:

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1. Read the **cds_attributes** file to check that the attribute **sales_record** is listed, as shown in the following display:

OID	LABEL	SYNTAX
1.3.22.1.3.66	sales_record	char

2. Enter the following command to assign the value **region2** to the attribute **sales_record** of an object entry named **./:Q1_records**.

```
dcecp> object modify ./:Q1_records -add {sales_record region2}
dcecp>
```

To remove the **RPC_CLASS** and **RPC_CLASS_VERSION** attributes:

```
dcecp> object modify ./:foo -remove {RPC_CLASS RPC_CLASS_VERSION} -types
dcecp>
```

object operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **object** object. The syntax is as follows:

object operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **object operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> object operations
create delete modify show help operations
dcecp>
```

object show

Returns attribute information associated with specified object entries. The syntax is as follows:

```
object show object_name_list [-schema]
```

Options

-schema

Indicates whether an attribute is single or multivalued. Note that the same attribute can be single-valued on one object and multivalued on another object.

The **show** operation displays attribute information associated with specified object entries. The required *object_name_list* argument is a list of the full CDS names of the object entries to be examined. If more than one object is shown, the attributes of all the objects are concatenated into one list. The order of the returned attributes is the lexical order of the object identifiers (OIDs) of each attribute for each object.

The **-schema** option indicates whether an attribute is single-valued or multivalued.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the object entry. If you specify a wildcard object entry name, you also need **r (read)** permission to the directory that stores the object entry.

Examples

```
dcecp> object show ././obj
{RPC_ClassVersion
 {0200}
 {0300}}
{RPC_Group 1234}
{CDS_CTS 1994-07-01-22:06:54.990-05:00I0.000/00-00-c0-f7-de-56}
{CDS_UTS 1994-07-01-22:07:37.248-05:00I0.000/00-00-c0-f7-de-56}
{CDS_Class 0200}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> object show ././obj -schema
{RPC_ClassVersion multi}
{RPC_Group multi}
{CDS_CTS single}
{CDS_UTS single}
{CDS_Class single}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **clearinghouse(8dce)**, **directory(8dce)**, **link(8dce)**,

organization

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages an organization in the DCE Security Service

Synopsis

organization add *organization_name_list* **-member** *member_name_list*

organization catalog [*cell_name*] **[-simplename]**

organization create *organization_name_list* **{-attribute** *extended_rgy_attr_list* | **-attribute** *value* }

organization delete *organization_name_list*

organization help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

organization list *organization_name_list* **[-simplename]**

organization modify *organization_name_list* **{-add** *extended_rgy_attr_list* | **-remove** *extended_rgy_attr_list* | **[-types]** | **-change** *extended_rgy_attr_list* | **-attribute** *value* }

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organization remove *organization_name_list* **-member** *member_name_list*

organization rename *organization_name* **-to** *new_organization_name*

organization show *organization_name_list* **[-all** | **[-policies]** | **[-xattrs]**]

Arguments

cell_name

The name of a cell to contact when processing the **catalog** operation. The name must be a fully qualified cell name, such as *l.:* or *l...l cell_name*

operation

The name of the **organization** operation for which to display help information.

organization_name

The name of a single organization to act on. See *organization_name_list* for the name format.

organization_name_list

A list of one or more names of organizations to act on. Supply the names as follows:

1. Fully qualified names in the form: *l...l cell_name* / *organization_name* or *l.:l organization_name*
2. Cell-relative names in the form *organization_name*. These names refer to an organization in the cell identified in the **_s(sec)** convenience variable, or if the **_s(sec)** convenience variable is not set, in the local host's default cell.

Do not mix fully qualified names and cell-relative names in a list. In addition, do not use the names of registry database objects that contain organization information; in other words, do not use names that begin with *./sec/org/*.

Description

The **organization** object represents registry organizations. Unless otherwise noted, all **organization** operations take the names of the organizations to act on as an argument.

When this command executes, it attempts to bind to the registry server identified in the **_s(sec)** variable. If that server cannot process the request or if the **_s(sec)** variable is not set, the command binds to either an available slave server or the master registry server, depending on the operation. Upon completion the command sets the **_b(sec)** convenience variable to the name of the registry server to which it bound.

Attributes

The **organization** object supports two kinds of attributes: organization and policy.

1. Organization attributes consist of the organization's name, Universal Unique Identifier (UUID), and organization identifier. Organization attributes may or may not have default values. They assume a default value or a value set by administrators.
2. Policy attributes regulate such things as account and password lifetimes for all accounts associated with a particular organization. If you do not set these attributes, they default to the value set for the registry as a whole with the **registry modify** command. Note that if a policy attribute value set for the registry as a whole is stricter than the value you set for an organization, the registry wide value is used.

Organization Attributes

orgid *integer*

Used with the **create** operation to specify the organization identifier for the organization. If this attribute is not set when an organization is created, an organization identifier is assigned automatically. Do not specify the **-orgid** attribute when creating two or more organizations with the same command. If you do, the second **create** operation will fail, since the organization identifier is already in use after the first is created. However, the **alias** and **orgid** attributes can be specified to create several aliases for an existing organization with one command.

uuid *hexadecimal number*

Used with the **create** operation to specify the organization's UUID, a unique internal identifier. Use the UUID attribute only to adopt an orphaned UUID. Normally the UUID for a new organization is generated by the registry. In cases where data exists tagged with a UUID of an organization that has been deleted from the registry, use the **create** operation to specify the old UUID for a new organization. The UUID specified *must* be an orphan, that is, a UUID for which no name exists in the registry. An error occurs if you specify a name that is already defined in the registry.

fullname *string*

Used with the **create** and **modify** operations to specify the organization's full name, a name used for information purposes only. The full name

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typically describes or expands a primary name to allow easy recognition by users. For example, an organization could have a primary name of **abc** and a full name of **Advanced Binary Corporation**. The value is a string. If it contains spaces, it is displayed in quotation marks, on entry, must be enclosed in quotation marks or braces. The *fullname* attribute defaults to the null string (that is, blank).

Policy Attributes

Since organization policy attributes do not exist on an organization unless explicitly defined, they have no default values. The organization policy attributes are as follows:

acctlife { *relative_time* | **unlimited**}

Defines the lifespan of accounts. Specify the time by using the Distributed Time Service (DTS) relative time format (*-]dd-hh:mm:ss*) or the string **unlimited**.

pwdalpha {**yes** | **no**}

Defines whether passwords can consist entirely of alphanumeric characters. Its value is either **yes** or **no**.

pwdexpire { *ISO_timestamp* | **none**}

Defines a date on which a password expires. Specify the date by using an ISO-compliant time format such as *CC- MM- DD- hh: mm: ss* or the string **none**, which specifies that the password not expire.

pwdlife { *relative_time* | **unlimited**}

Defines the lifespan of passwords. Specify the time by using the DTS-relative time format (*[-] DD- hh: mm: ss*) or the string **unlimited**.

pwdminlen *integer*

Defines the minimum number of characters in a password. Its value is a positive integer or the integer **0**, which means there is no minimum length.

pwdspaces {**yes** | **no**}

Defines whether or not passwords can consist entirely of spaces. Its value is either **yes** or **no**.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about organization and policy attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

organization add

Adds members to a security organization. The syntax is as follows:

```
organization add organization_name_list -member  
member_name_list
```

Options

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-member *member_name_list*

Specifies a list of one or more names of principals to be added to each organization in the argument.

The **add** operation adds members to an organization. The *organization_name_list* argument is a list of names of organizations to be added to. The *member_name_list* argument of the required **-member** option is a list of names of principals to be added to each organization in the argument. If the principals do not exist, the command returns an error. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** and **M (Member_list)** permissions on the target organization and **r (read)** permission on the principal being added.

Examples

```
dcecp> organization add managers -member W_White
dcecp>
```

organization catalog

Returns a list of the names of all organizations in the registry. The syntax is as follows:

```
organization catalog [cell_name] [-simplename]
```

Options

-simplename

Returns a list of organization names in the registry without prepending the cell name.

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all organizations in the local registry in lexical order. Use the *cell_name* argument to return a list of organizations in another cell's registry. By default, fully qualified names are returned in the form *cellname/organization_name*. Use the **-simplename** option to return them in the form *organization_name*.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the *./sec/org* directory.

Examples

```
dcecp> organization catalog
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/none
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/users
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/managers
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> organization catalog -simplename
none
users
managers
dcecp>
```

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organization create

Creates a new organization in the registry database. The syntax is as follows:

```
organization create organization_name_list {-attribute extended_rgy_attr_list |  
-attribute value}
```

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using the **-attribute** option with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in the **Attributes** section of this reference page. You cannot use this option to specify ERAs; it is only for the standard attributes described in **Attributes**.

-attribute *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to specify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than using the *- attribute value* option. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{extended_rgy_attr_list value}...{extended_rgy_attr_list value}
```

See the *OSF DCE Administration Guide* for more information on ERAs.

The **create** operation creates a new organization. The *organization_name_list* argument is a list of names of organizations to be created. Options specify the attributes of the newly created organization. All options are applied to all organizations in the argument list. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **i (insert)** permission to the directory in which the organization is to be created.

Examples

```
dcecp> organization create temps -fullname "Temporary Employees"  
dcecp>  
dcecp> organization create temps -attribute {fullname "Temporary Employees"}  
dcecp>  
dcecp> org create dce -fullname {Dist Comp Env} -orgid 101  
dcecp>  
dcecp> org create dce -fullname {Dist Comp Env} \  
> -uuid c2aac790-dc6c-11cc-a6f8-080009251352  
dcecp>
```

organization delete

Deletes organizations from the registry. The syntax is as follows:

```
organization delete organization_name_list
```

The **delete** operation deletes organizations from the registry. The *organization_name_list* argument is a list of names of organizations to be deleted. If a named organization does not exist, an error is generated. This operation returns an empty string on success.

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This operation also deletes any accounts associated with organizations that are deleted. To preserve accounts, add desired principals to a different organization by using the **organization add -member** command. Modify the principals' accounts to point to the new organization by using the **account modify** command. Then you can delete the organization by using the **organization delete** command.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the directory in which the target organization exists. You must have **r (read)** and **D (Delete_object)** permissions on the organization to be deleted.

Examples

```
dcecp> organization delete temps
dcecp>
```

organization help

Returns help information about the **organization** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
organization help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **organization** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **organization help** command returns brief information about each **organization** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **organization** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **organization help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> organization help
add                Adds a member to the named organization.
catalog            Returns a list of all the names of organizations.
create             Creates an organization in the registry.
delete             Deletes an organization from the registry.
list               Returns a list of all the members of an organization.
modify             Changes the information about an organization.
remove             Removes a member from the named organization.
rename             Renames the specified organization.
show               Returns the attributes of an organization.
help               Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations         Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

organization list

Returns a list of the names of all members of an organization. The syntax is as follows:

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organization list *organization_name_list* [-simplename]

Options

-simplename

Returns a list of member names in the organization without prepending the cell name.

The **list** operation returns a list of the names of all members of an organization. The *organization_name_list* argument is a list of names of organizations. By default, fully qualified names are returned in the form *cellname/member_name*. If the **-simplename** option is given, the cell name is not prepended to the member names. Names are returned in lexical order.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the organization.

Examples

```
dcecp> organization list managers
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/W_Ward
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/L_Jones
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/S_Preska
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/S_Rohrer
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/J_Wanders
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/K_Parsons
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> organization list {managers users}
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/W_Ward
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/L_Jones
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/S_Preska
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/S_Rohrer
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/J_Wanders
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/W_Ross
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/J_Seurance
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/J_Hunter
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/B_Carr
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/E_Vliet
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/J_Egan
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/F_Willis
dcecp>
```

organization modify

Changes attributes and policies of organizations. The syntax is as follows:

```
organization modify organization_name_list
{-add extended_rgy_attr_list | -remove extended_rgy_attr_list [-types] |
-change extended_rgy_attr_list | -attribute
value}
```

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using options with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in the **Attributes** section of this reference page. You cannot use this option to specify ERAs; it is only for standard group attributes described in **Attributes**.

-add *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to modify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than individual attribute options. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{extended_rgy_attr_list value}...{extended_rgy_attr_list value}}
```

-change *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to modify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than individual attribute options. See the **-add** option for the attribute list format.

-remove *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to modify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than using individual attribute options such as **-fullname**, **-acctlife**, and so on. See the **-add** option for the attribute list format.

Without the **-types** option, **-remove** deletes individual attribute instances attached to the group. In this case, *extended_rgy_attr_list* is a list of attribute-value pairs. With the **-types** option, **-remove** deletes attribute types (and all instances of that type) attached to the group. In this case, *extended_rgy_attr_list* is a list of attribute types.

-types Used with the **-remove** option to remove attribute types (and all instances of that type) attached to the group.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about ERAs.

The **modify** operation changes attributes and policies of organizations. (To change registrywide policies, use the **registry** command.)

The *organization_name_list* argument is a list of names of organizations to be operated on. All modifications are applied to all organizations named in the argument. Organizations are modified in the order they are listed and all modifications to an individual organization are atomic. Modifications to multiple organizations are not atomic. A failure for any one organization generates an error to be generated and aborts the rest of the operation. This operation returns an empty string on success.

The **-change** option can modify the value of any attribute except for **orgid** and **uuid**.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission on the organization to be modified and **f (full_name)** permission to change the organization's fullname and/or **m (mgmt_info)** permission to change the organization's management information.

Examples

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```
dcecp> organization modify temps -acctlife 180-00:00:00 \  
> -pwdalpha yes -pwdlife 30-00:00:00 \  
> -pwdexpdate 1995-12-31-23:59:59 -pwdspaces yes  
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> organization modify temps -add {test_era 101}  
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> organization show temps -all  
{fullname {}}  
{orgid 12}  
{uuid 0000000c-03d5-21cf-9802-08000985b5a6}  
{test_era 101}  
{acctlife +180-00:00:00.000I-----}  
{pwdalpha yes}  
{pwdexpdate 1995-12-31-23:59:59.000+00:00I-----}  
{pwdlife +30-00:00:00.000I-----}  
{pwdminlen 0}  
{pwdspaces yes}  
dcecp>
```

organization operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **organization** object. The syntax is as follows:

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The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **organization operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> organization operations  
add catalog create delete list modify remove  
rename show help operations  
dcecp>
```

organization remove

Removes a member from an organization. The syntax is as follows:

```
organization remove organization_name_list -member member_name_list
```

Options

-member *member_name_list*

Specifies a list of one or more names of principals to be removed from each organization in the argument.

The **remove** operation removes members from an organization. The argument is a list of names of organizations from which to remove members. The value of the required **-member** option is a list of names of principals to remove from the organizations listed in the argument. When a member is removed from an organization, any accounts associated with that principal and group are deleted. Remember that accounts are associated with a principal, a group, and an

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organization; therefore, any accounts whose principal name and organization name match those given to this command are removed, but accounts for which only one name matches are untouched. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** and **M (Member_list)** permissions on the target organizations and **r (read)** permission on the member to be removed.

Examples

```
dcecp> organization remove managers -member J_Wanders
dcecp>

dcecp> organization add rigel -member W_White
dcecp> account modify W_White -organization rigel
dcecp> organization add rigel -member W_Ross
dcecp> account modify W_Ross -organization rigel
dcecp> account show W_Ross
{created ../../my_cell.goodcompany.com/cell_admin 1994-06-30-12:39:48.000+00:00I-----}
{description {}}
{dupkey no}
{expdate none}
{forwardabletkt yes}
{goodsince 1994-06-30-12:39:48.000+00:00I-----}
{group users}
{home /}
{lastchange ../../my_cell.goodcompany.com/cell_admin 1994-06-30-12:39:48.000+00:00I-----}
{organization rigel}
{postdatedtkt no}
{proxiababletkt no}
{pwdvalid yes}
{renewabletkt yes}
{server yes}
{shell {}}
{stdtgtauth yes}
dcecp>

dcecp> organization remove gemini -member W_Ross
dcecp>
```

organization rename

This operation changes the name of a specified organization. The syntax is as follows:

```
organization rename organization_name -to new_organization_name
```

Options

-to *new_organization_name*

Specifies the new name of the organization.

See **Arguments** for a description of organization names.

The **rename** operation changes the name of a specified organization. The *organization_name* argument is a single name of an organization to be renamed. The required **-to** option specifies the new name, which cannot be a list. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

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You must have **r (read)** and **n (name)** permission to the specified organizations.

Examples

```
dcecp> organization list rigel
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/H_Lewis
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/R_Mathews
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/K_Doe
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/W_Ross
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/W_Williams
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/D_White
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> organization rename rigel -to sirus
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> organization list rigel
Error: Registry object not found
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> organization list sirus
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/H_Lewis
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/R_Mathews
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/K_Doe
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/W_Ross
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/W_Williams
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/D_White
dcecp>
```

organization show

Returns registry information for the specified organizations. The syntax is as follows:

```
organization show organization_name_list [-all | [-policies] | [-xattrs]]
```

Options

-policies

Returns only the polices of the organization, with no other attributes.

-xattrs

Returns only the ERAs of the organization, with no other attributes.

-all Return the attributes followed by the policies and ERAs.

The **show** operation returns an attribute list describing the specified organizations. The *organization_name_list* argument is a list of names of organizations to be operated on. If more than one organization is given, the attributes are concatenated together.

Attributes are returned in the following order: *fullname*, **orgid**, **uuid**. Policies are returned in the following order: **acctlife**, **pwdalpha**, **pwdexpdate**, **pwdlife**, **pwdminlen**, and **pwdspaces**. If the organization does not have any policies, then **nopolicy** is returned.

The policy set for an organization and the policy set for the registry as a whole may differ. If this is the case, **show** displays both policies and tags the registry policy with the label *effective*. The actual policy in effect is the stricter of the two displayed policies, regardless of the effective label.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission on the specified organizations.

Examples

```
dcecp> organization show temps
{fullname {Temporary Employees}}
{orgid 103}
{uuid 00000067-9402-21cd-a602-0000c08adf56}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> organization show temps -policies
{acctlife +180-00:00:00.000I-----}
{pwdalpha yes}
{pwdexpdate 1995-12-31-23:59:59.000+00:00I-----}
{pwdlife +30-00:00:00.000I-----}
{pwdminlen 0}
{pwdspaces yes}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> organization show temps -policies
{acctlife 30 days}
{pwdalpha no}
{pwdexpdate none}
{pwdlife 4 effective 5 days}
{pwdminlen 6}
{pwdspaces no}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> organization show temps -all
{fullname {Temporary Employees}}
{orgid 103}
{uuid 00000067-9402-21cd-a602-0000c08adf56}
{acctlife +180-00:00:00.000I-----}
{pwdalpha yes}
{pwdexpdate 1995-12-31-23:59:59.000+00:00I-----}
{pwdlife +30-00:00:00.000I-----}
{pwdminlen 0}
{pwdspaces yes}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **account(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **group(8dce)**, **principal(8dce)**, **registry(8dce)**, **xattrschema(8dce)**.

principal

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages a principal in the DCE Security Service

Synopsis

principal catalog [*cell_name*] [-**simplename**]

principal create *principal_name_list* {-**attribute***extended_rgy_attr_list* |
-**attribute***value* }

principal delete *principal_name_list*

principal help [*operation* | -**verbose**]

principal modify *principal_name_list* {-**add***extended_rgy_attr_list* |
-**remove***extended_rgy_attr_list* | [-**types**] | -**change***extended_rgy_attr_list* |
-**attribute***value* }

principal operations

principal rename *principal_name* -**to***new_principal_name*

principal show *principal_name_list* [-**all** | -**xattrs**]

Arguments

cell_name

The name of a cell to contact when processing the **catalog** operation. The name must be a fully qualified cell name, such as */./* or */.../ cell_name*

operation

The name of the **principal** operation for which to display help information.

principal_name

The name of a principal to act on. See *principal_name_list* for the name format.

principal_name_list

A list of one or more names of principals to act on. Supply the names as follows:

1. Fully qualified principal names in the form

/.../ cell_name/ principal_name or
/./ principal_name

2. Cell-relative principal names in the form

principal_name

These names refer to a principal in the cell identified in the **_s(sec)** convenience variable, or if the **_s(sec)** convenience variable is not set, in the local host's default cell.

Do not mix fully qualified names and cell-relative names in a list. In addition, do not use the names of registry database objects that contain principal information; in other words, do not use names that begin with *./sec/principal*.

Description

The **principal** object represents registry principals. Unless otherwise noted, all of the operations of this object take the names of principals to act on as an argument. These must be principal names, not the names of the database objects that contain registry information about principals (that is, the names must not begin with *./sec/principal*).

When this command executes, it attempts to bind to the registry server identified in the **_s(sec)** variable. If that server cannot process the request or if the **_s(sec)** variable is not set, the command binds to either an available slave server or the master registry server, depending on the operation. Upon completion, the command sets the **_b(sec)** convenience variable to the name of the registry server it bound to.

Attributes

alias *value*

Used with the **create** and **modify** operations to specify whether the principal name is an alias. The value of this attribute is either **yes** (the name is an alias) or **no** (the name is not an alias). The default is **no**.

Each principal can have only one primary name, but may have one or more alias names. All of a principal's alias names refer to the same principal, and therefore share the same UUID and UNIX ID. While aliases refer to the same principal, they are separate entries in the registry database.

uid *value*

Used with the **create** operation only for cell principals, to specify the integer to use as user identifier, known as a Unix ID, for the cell principals. No two principals can have the same UNIX ID. However, aliases can share one.

If you do not enter this option for a cell principal, the next sequential UNIX number is supplied as a default by the registry. For all principals other than cell principals, the UNIX ID is extracted from information embedded in the principal's UUID and cannot be specified here. If this attribute is not supplied when a principal is created, one is supplied automatically.

uuid *hexadecimal number*

Used with the **create** operation to specify the internal identifier, known as a UUID, for the principal. No two principals can have the same UUID, so do not use this option when creating more than one principal with a single **create** command.

This option can also be used to adopt an orphaned UUID. Normally, the UUID for a new principal is generated by the registry. When data is tagged with a UUID of a principal that has been deleted from the registry, this option can be used on the **create** operation to specify the old UUID for a new principal. The UUID specified must be an orphan (a UUID for which no name exists in the registry). An error occurs if you specify a name or UUID that is already defined in the registry.

The **-alias** option cannot be used with this option. Both the **-fullname** and the **-quota** options can.

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fullname *string*

Used with the **create** and **modify** operations, to specify the full name of the principal. This name is used for information purposes only. It typically describes or expands a primary name to allow easy recognition by users. For example, a principal could have a primary name of **jsbach** and a full name of **Johann S. Bach**. The value is a string. If the string contains spaces, you must surround them with quotation marks or braces for entry. This option defaults to a null string (that is, blank).

quota { *quota* | **unlimited**}

Used with the **create** and **modify** operations to specify the principal's object creation quota, which is the total number of registry objects that can be created by the principal. It is either a nonnegative number or the string **unlimited**. A value of **0** prohibits the principal from creating any registry objects. Each time a principal creates a registry object, this value is decremented for that principal.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about principal attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

principal catalog

Returns a list of the names of all principals in the registry. The syntax is as follows:

```
principal catalog [cell_name] [-simplename]
```

Options

-simplename

Returns a list of principal names in the registry without prepending the cell name.

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all principals in the local registry in lexical order. Use the *cell_name* argument to return a list of principals in another cell's registry. By default, fully qualified names are returned in the form *cellname/principal_name*. Use the **-simplename** option to return them in the form *principal_name*.

Privileges Required

You must have **r** (**read**) permission to the **./:/sec/principal** directory.

Examples


```
dcecp> principal catalog
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/nobody
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/root
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/daemon
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/sys
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/bin
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/uucp
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/who
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/mail
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/tcb
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/dce-ptgt
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/dce-rgy
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/cell_admin
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/krbtgt/small_cell.goodcompany.com
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/hosts/pmin17/self
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/hosts/pmin17/cds-server
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/hosts/pmin17/gda
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/William_Ward
/.../small_cell.goodcompany.com/John_Hunter
dcecp>
```

principal create

Creates a new principal in the registry database. The syntax is as follows:

```
principal create principal_name_list
{-attribute extended_rgy_attr_list | -attribute value}
```

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using the **-attribute** option with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in **Attributes**. You cannot use this option to specify ERAs; it is only for the standard attributes described in **Attributes**.

-attribute *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to specify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than using the *- attribute value* option. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{extended_rgy_attr_list value}...{extended_rgy_attr_list value}}
```

The **create** operation creates a new principal in the registry database. The *principal_name_list* argument is a list of names of principals to be created. Options are used to specify the attributes of the newly created principal. All options are applied to all principals in the argument. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **i (insert)** permission to the directory in which the principal is to be created.

Examples

The following command creates an alias **postmaster** for the principal with UNIX ID **1234**:

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```
dcecp> principal create postmaster -uid 1234 -alias yes
dcecp>
```

principal delete

Deletes principals from the registry. The syntax is as follows:

```
principal delete principal_name_list
```

The **delete** operation deletes principals from the registry. When a principal is deleted, the principal's account is deleted as well. The *principal_name_list* argument is a list of names of principals to be deleted. Note that these names can be either a primary or alias names. In either case, an account associated with that name is deleted. If a named principal does not exist, an error is generated. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the directory in which the target principal exists. You must have **r (read)** and **D (Delete_object)** permissions on the principal to be deleted.

Examples

```
dcecp> principal delete ./William_Smith
dcecp>
```

principal help

Returns help information about the **principal** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
principal help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **principal** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **principal help** command returns brief information about each **principal** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **principal** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **principal help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> principal help
catalog          Returns all the names of principals in the registry.
create           Creates a DCE principal.
delete           Deletes a principal from the registry.
modify           Changes the information about a principal.
rename           Renames the specified principal.
show             Returns the attributes of a principal.
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations       Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

principal modify

Changes attributes of principals. The syntax is as follows:

```
principal modify principal_name_list
{-add extended_rgy_attr_list | -remove extended_rgy_attr_list [-types] |
-change extended_rgy_attr_list | -attribute value}
```

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using options with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in **Attributes**. You cannot use this option to specify ERAs; it is only for standard group attributes described in **Attributes**.

-add *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to modify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than using individual attribute options. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{extended_rgy_attr_list value}...{extended_rgy_attr_list value}}
```

-change *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to modify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than using individual attribute options. See the **-add** option for the attribute list format.

-remove *extended_rgy_attr_list*

Allows you to modify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than using individual attribute options such as **-alias**, **-fullname**, and so on. See the **-add** option for the attribute list format.

Without the **-types** option, **-remove** deletes individual attribute instances attached to the group. In this case, *extended_rgy_attr_list* is a list of attribute-value pairs. With the **-types** option, **-remove** deletes attribute types (and all instances of that type) attached to the group. In this case, *extended_rgy_attr_list* is a list of attribute types.

-types Used with the **-remove** option to remove attribute types (and all instances of that type) attached to the group.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about ERAs.

The **modify** operation changes attributes of principals. The *principal_name_list* argument is a list of names of principals to be operated on. All modifications are applied to all principals named in the argument. Principals are modified in the order they are listed, and all modifications to an individual principal are atomic.

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Modifications to multiple principals are not atomic. A failure for any one principal in a list generates an error and aborts the operation. This operation returns an empty string on success.

The **-change** option can be used to modify the value of any of the attributes except for **uid** and **uuid**. The value of the **-change** option is an attribute list describing the new values. The **-change** option also supports the following attribute options: **-alias**, **-quota**, and **-fullname**. Specify only ERA attributes by using the **-add** and **-remove** options.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the principal to be modified and **f (full name)** permission to change the principal's fullname and/or **m (mgmt_info)** permission to change the principal's management information.

Examples

```
dcecp> principal modify ./joe -fullname "Joe Long"
dcecp> principal show ./joe
{fullname {Joe Long}}
{uid 30014}
{uuid 0000753e-f51f-2e0e-b000-0000c08adf56}
{alias no}
{quota unlimited}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> principal modify joe -add {test_era 101}
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> principal show joe -all
{fullname {Joe Long}}
{uid 30014}
{uuid 0000753e-f51f-2e0e-b000-0000c08adf56}
{alias no}
{quota unlimited}
{test_era 101}
dcecp>
```

principal operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **principal** object. The syntax is as follows:

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The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **principal operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> principal operations
catalog create delete modify rename show help operations
dcecp>
```

principal rename

This operation changes the name of a specified principal. The syntax is as follows:

```
principal rename principal_name -to new_principal_name
```

Options

-to *new_principal_name*
Specifies the new name of the principal.

The **rename** operation changes the name of a specified principal. The argument is a single name of a principal to be renamed. The required **-to** option specifies the new name, which cannot be a list. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **r** (**read**) and **n** (**name**) permission to the registry object for the specified principal.

Examples

```
dcecp> principal rename K_Doe -to K_Smith
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> principal list K_Doe
Error: Registry object not found
dcecp>
```

principal show

Shows registry information for the specified principals. The syntax is as follows:

```
principal show principal_name_list [-all |  
-xattrs]
```

Options

-xattrs
Returns only the ERAs of the principal, with no other attributes.

-all Return the attributes followed by the ERAs.

The **show** operation returns an attribute list describing the specified principals. The *principal_name_list* argument is a list of names of principals to be operated on. If more than one principal is given, the attributes are concatenated and a blank line inserted between principals. There is one attribute in addition to *fullname*, **uid**, **uuid**, **alias**, and **quota**. It is called **groups** and its value is a list of the group names that the principal is a member of. Attributes are returned in the following order: *fullname*, **uid**, **uuid**, **alias**, and **quota**, followed by **groups**.

If called with the **-xattrs** option, then ERAs are returned instead of the above attributes. If called with **-all**, both are returned.

Privileges Required

You must have **r** (**read**) permission to the specified principals.

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Examples

```
dcecp> principal show /./joe
{fullname {Joe Long}}
{uid 30014}
{uuid 0000753e-f51f-2e0e-b000-0000c08adf56}
{alias no}
{quota unlimited}
{groups none gumby}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **account(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **group(8dce)**, **organization(8dce)**, **xattrschema(8dce)**, **registry(8dce)**.

registry

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages a registry in the DCE Security Service

Synopsis

registry catalog [*registry_replica_name*] [-**master**]

registry checkpoint *registry_replica_name* [-**at**hh:mm | -**cpi** {*num* | *num* | m | *num* | h }][**-now**]

registry connect *cell_name* -**group***local_group_name* -**org***local_org_name* -**mypwd***local_password* -**fgroup***foreign_group_name* -**forg***foreign_org_name* -**facct***foreign_account_name* -**facctpwd***foreign_account_password* [-**expdate**] [-**acctvalid**] [-**facctvalid**]

registry delete *registry_replica_name* [-**force**]

registry designate *registry_replica_name* [-**slave** | -**master** | [-**force**]]

registry destroy *registry_replica_name*

registry disable [*registry_replica_name*]

registry dump [*registry_replica_name*]

registry enable [*registry_replica_name*]

registry help [*operation* | -**verbose**]

registry modify [*registry_replica_name*] {-**change***attribute_list* | -**attribute***value* | -**key** }

registry operations

registry replace *registry_replica_name* -**address***new_string_binding*

registry show [*registry_replica_name*] [-**attributes** | -**policies** | -**master** | -**replica** | [-**verbose**]]

registry stop *registry_replica_name*

registry synchronize *registry_replica_name*

registry verify [*registry_replica_name*]

Arguments

cell_name

The name of a cell to contact when processing the **connect** operation. The name must be a fully qualified cell name, such as *l.:* or *l...l cell_name*.

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operation

The name of the **registry** operation for which to display help information.

registry_replica_name

The name of one registry replica to act on. The replica can be a master or a slave replica. The argument, which overrides a value in the **_s(sec)** convenience variable, can be one of the following:

1. A specific cell name to bind to any replica in the named cell, such as **/.:** or **/.:/gumby1**.
2. The global name of a replica to bind to that specific replica in that specific cell. such as **/.:/gumby1/subsys/dce/sec/oddball**.
3. The name of a replica as it appears on the replica list to bind to that replica in the local cell, such as **subsys/dce/sec/oddball**.
4. A string binding to a specific replica, such as **{ncadg_ip_udp 15.22.144.163}**.

This form is used primarily for debugging or if the Cell Directory Service (CDS) is not available.

For those operations for which *registry_replica_name* is optional, the value of **_s(sec)** is used if no argument is given. If the variable is not set, the default argument of **/.:** is assumed.

Description

The **registry** object represents a DCE Security Service registry. The registry is a replicated database: each instance of a registry server, **secd**, maintains a working copy of the database in virtual memory and on disk. One server, called the master replica, accepts updates and handles the subsequent propagation of changes to all other replicas. All other replicas are slave replicas, which accept only queries. Each cell has one master replica and may have numerous slave replicas.

Note that the **registry** command cannot add, delete, or modify information in the registry database, such as names and accounts. Use the appropriate **account**, **principal**, **group**, or **organization** command to modify registry database entries.

Two access control lists (ACLs) control access to **registry** operations. For operations dealing with replication, the **replist** object's ACL (usually **/.:/sec/replist**) controls access. For those that deal with registry attributes and policies, the **policy** object's ACL (usually **/.:/sec/policy**) controls access.

When this command executes, it attempts to bind to the registry server identified in the **_s(sec)** variable. If that server cannot process the request or if the **_s(sec)** variable is not set, the command binds to either an available slave server or the master registry server, depending on the operation. Upon completion, the command sets the **_b(sec)** convenience variable to the name of the registry server to which it bound.

Attributes

The **registry** object supports the following kinds of attributes:

1. **Registry attributes** —These modifiable attributes apply to principals, groups, organizations, and accounts. The initial values for some of these attributes must be specified when the master Security Server is configured.

2. **Registry-wide policy attributes** —These modifiable attributes apply to organizations and accounts. The registry-wide organization and account policy overrides the policy set for individual accounts only if the registry-wide policy is more restrictive.
3. **Synchronization attributes** —These read-only attributes are maintained by each replica about itself. They cannot be directly modified. These attributes have no default value, but are computed when the replica is configured.
4. **Replica-specific attributes** —These read-only attributes are kept by the master replica for each slave replica. They cannot be modified directly. These attributes have no default value, but are computed or assigned when the replica is configured.

Registry Attributes

defctlife *relative_time*

The default lifetime for tickets issued to principals in this cell's registry. Specify the time by using the Distributed Time Service (DTS) relative time format ([-] *DD- hh: mm: ss*). The default is

+0-10:00:00.000

hidepwd {**yes** | **no**}

Determines whether encrypted passwords are displayed. If this attribute is set to **yes**, an asterisk is displayed in place of the encrypted password in command output and files where passwords are displayed. The value is either **yes** or **no**. The default is **yes**.

maxuid *integer*

The highest number that can be supplied as a user identifier (**uid**) when principals are created. This maximum applies to both the system-generated and user-entered **uid** s. The value is an integer; the initial value depends on the configuration of your system.

mingid *integer*

The starting point for group identifiers (**gid** s) automatically generated when a group is created. You can explicitly enter a lower **gid** than this number; it applies only to automatically generated numbers. The value is an integer; the initial value depends on the configuration of your system.

minorgid *integer*

The starting point for organization identifiers (**orgid** s) automatically generated when an organization is created. This starting point applies only to automatically generated identifiers. You can manually specify an identifier lower than the **minorgid**. The value is an integer; the initial value depends on the configuration of your system.

mintklife *relative_time*

The minimum amount of time before the principal's ticket must be renewed. The value is an integer. This renewal is performed automatically with no intervention on the part of the user. The shorter this time is, the greater the security of the system. However, extremely frequent renewal can degrade system performance. Both system performance and the level of security required by the cell should be taken into consideration when selecting the value of this attribute. This is a registry-wide value only; it cannot be set for individual accounts. The default is

+0-00:05:00.000

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minuid *integer*

The starting point for **uid** s automatically generated when a principal is created. This starting point applies only to automatically generated identifiers. You can manually specify an identifier lower than the **minuid**. The value is an integer; the initial value depends on the configuration of your system.

version

The version of the security server software. The initial value depends on the configuration of your system.

Registry-wide Policy Attributes

acctlife { *relative_time* | **unlimited** }

This registry-wide organization policy defines the lifespan of accounts. Specify the time by using the DTS-relative time format (**[-]** *DD- hh: mm: ss*) or the string **unlimited** to define an unlimited lifespan for accounts. The default is **unlimited**.

maxctlife *relative_time*

This registry-wide account policy defines the maximum amount of time that a ticket can be valid. Specify the time by using the DTS-relative time format (**[-]** *DD- hh: mm: ss*). When a client requests a ticket to a server, the lifetime granted to the ticket takes into account the **maxctlife** set for both the server and the client. In other words, the lifetime cannot exceed the shorter of the server's or client's **maxctlife**. If you do not specify a **maxctlife** for an account, the **maxctlife** defined as registry authorization policy is used. The default is

+1-00:00:00.000

maxktrenew *relative_time*

This registry-wide account policy defines the amount of time before a principal's ticket-granting ticket expires and that principal must log in again to the system to reauthenticate and obtain another ticket-granting ticket. Specify the time by using the DTS-relative time format (**[-]** *DD- hh: mm: ss*). The lifetime of the principal's service tickets can never exceed the lifetime of the principal's ticket-granting ticket. The shorter you make ticket lifetimes, the greater the security of the system. However, since principals must log in again to renew their ticket-granting ticket, the time specified needs to balance user convenience against the level of security required. If you do not specify this attribute for an account, the **maxktrenew** lifetime defined as registry authorization policy is used. The default is

+28-00:00:00.000

This feature is not currently used by DCE; any use of this option is unsupported at the present time.

pwdalpha {**yes** | **no**}

This registry-wide organization policy defines whether passwords can consist entirely of alphanumeric characters. Its value is either **yes** or **no**. The default is **yes**.

pwdexpdate {*ISO-timestamp* | **none**}

This registry-wide organization policy defines a date on which a password expires. The date is entered as an internationalized date string or the string **none**, in which case there is no expiration date for the password. The default is **none**.

pwdlife {*relative_time* | **unlimited**}

This registry-wide organization policy defines the lifespan of passwords. Specify the time by using the DTS-relative time format (**[-]** *DD- hh: mm: ss*) or the string **unlimited**. The default is **unlimited**.

pwdminlen *integer*

This registry-wide organization policy defines the minimum number of characters in a password. Its value is a positive integer or the integer **0**, which means there is no minimum length. The default is **0**.

pwdspaces {**yes** | **no**}

This registry-wide organization policy defines whether passwords can consist entirely of spaces. Its value is either **yes** or **no**. The default is **no**.

Synchronization Attributes

name The name of the replica. It is in the form of a fully qualified CDS name.

type Indicates if the replica is a **master** or a **slave**.

cell The name of the cell that the replica is in. It is a fully qualified cell name.

uuid The Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) of the replica.

status The state of the replica. One of the following:

becomingmaster

The replica is in the process of becoming a master.

becomingslave

The replica is a master in the process of becoming a slave.

changingkey

The replica is in the process of having its master key changed.

closed

The replica is in the process of stopping.

copyingdb

The replica is in the process of initializing (copying its database to) another replica.

deleted

The replica is in the process of deleting itself.

disabled

The replica is unavailable for updates, but will accept queries.

dupmaster

Two masters have been found in the cell, and the replica is a duplicate of the real master.

enabled

The replica is available for use.

initializing

The replica is in the process of being initialized by the master replica or another up-to-date replica.

savingdb

The replica is in the process of saving its database to disk.

unavailable

The replica cannot be reached.

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uninitialized

The database is a stub database that has not been initialized by the master replica or another up-to-date replica.

unknown

The replica is not known to the master.

lastupdtype

The localized date and time that the master received the last replica's last update.

lastupdseq

The sequence number of the last update the replica received. A sequence number consists of two 32-bit integers separated by a dot (*high.low*). The high integer increments when the low integer wraps. An example of this attribute is {**lastupdseq 0.178**}.

addresses

A list of the network addresses of the replica. There can be more than one for connectionless and connection-oriented protocols.

masteraddr

The network address of the master replica as determined by the replica. The address is not necessarily correct. More than one address may exist for connectionless and connection-oriented protocols for example.

masterseqnum

The master sequence number, which is the sequence number of the event that made the replica the master as determined by the replica. The number is not necessarily correct. A sequence number consists of 32-bit integers separated by a dot (*high.low*). The high integer increments when the low integer wraps. An example of this attribute is {**masterseqnum 0.100**}.

masteruuid

The UUID of the master replica as determined by the replica. This UUID is not necessarily correct. The value is a UUID.

supportedversions

DCE registry version supported by the security service. The possible values at DCE Version 2.2 are **secd.dce.1.0.2** (DCE Version 1.3), at is **secd.dce.1.1** (DCE Version 2.1), and **secd.dce.1.2.2**. All versions may be supported (that is by a DCE Version 2.2 security server running in a cell with DCE version 1.3 or 1.1 replicas).

updseqqueue

A list of two update sequence numbers that are still in the propagation queue and have yet to be propagated. The first number is the base propagation sequence number (the last number known to have been received by all replicas). The second number is the sequence number of the last update made on the master. This attribute is present only in the master replica. The sequence numbers consist of two 32-bit integers separated by a dot (*high.low*). The high integer increments when the low integer wraps. An example of this attribute is {**updseqqueue {0.100 0.178}**}.

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name The name of the replica. It is in the form of a fully qualified CDS name.

uuid The UUID of the replica.

type Indicates if the replica is a **master** or a **slave**.

addresses

A list of the network addresses of the replica. More than one address may exist for connectionless and connection-oriented protocols.

propstatus

The status of the propagation. Possible values are as follows:

delete The replica is marked for deletion.

initmarked

The replica is marked for initialization.

initing The replica is in the process of initialization, that is, getting an up-to-date copy of the registry.

update

The replica is ready to receive propagation updates.

lastupdtype

The localized time of the last update sent to the replica. This information is meaningful only if **propstatus** is **update**.

lastupdseqsent

The sequence number of the last update sent to this replica. A sequence number consists of two 32-bit integers separated by a dot (*high.low*). The high integer increments when the low integer wraps. An example of this attribute is

```
{lastupdseqsent 0.175}
```

This information is meaningful only if **propstatus** is **update**.

numupdtogo

The number of outstanding updates. The value is an integer. This information is meaningful only if **propstatus** is **update**.

commstate

The state of the last communication with the replica.

lastcommstatus

The status message of the last communication with the replica.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about attributes, policies, and synchronizations.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

registry catalog

Returns a list of the names of the security servers running in the cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry catalog [registry_replica_name] [-master]
```

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-master

Returns only the master security server name.

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of the security servers (that is, each copy of the registry) running in the cell. This is also known as the replica list. The order of elements returned is arbitrary. The optional *registry_replica_name* argument can specify the name of one other cell or a single string binding. If you specify the **-master** option, the operation returns only the name of the master.

This operation sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the name of the replica to which it binds.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **registry catalog** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry catalog
/.../dcecp.cell.osf.org/subsys/dce/sec/snow
/.../dcecp.cell.osf.org/subsys/dce/sec/ice
dcecp>
```

registry checkpoint

Specifies when registry checkpoints should be performed. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry checkpoint registry_replica_name [-at hh:mm | -cpi {num |
numm | numh}]
[-now]
```

Options

-at *hh:mm*

Specifies the the hours and minutes of the day (in UTC time) to perform the checkpoint.

-cpi { *num* | *numm* | *numh* }

Specifies an interval at which to perform checkpoints.

-now

Specifies an immediate checkpoint. This is the default.

The **checkpoint** operation lets you set the times when the registry database should be saved to disk (checkpointed). You must supply the name of a replica for the operation to bind to.

If you use the **-at** option, the checkpoint is performed at the specified time. The time is in UTC format. For example, to specify 3:30 p.m., the entry is 15:30. The checkpoint interval then reverts to the default or to the interval specified by the **-cpi** option.

If you use the **-cpi** option, the checkpoint is performed at the interval you specify until you specify another interval. This option takes an argument that specifies the interval time as seconds, minutes, or hours:

1. To specify seconds, supply only a number. For example, **-cpi 101** specifies an interval of 101 seconds.
2. To specify minutes enter the number and **m**. For example, **-cpi 101m** specifies an interval of 101 minutes.

- To specify hours, enter the number and **h**. For example, **-cpi 101h** specifies an interval of 101 hours.

If you use the **-now** option, a checkpoint is performed immediately. The checkpoint interval then reverts to the default or to the interval specified by the **-cpi** option. This operation returns an empty string on success and sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the replica to which it binds.

Privileges Required

You must have **ad (auth_info, delete)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry checkpoint ../../gumby_cell/subsys/dce/sec/oddba11 -at 05:30
dcecp>
```

registry connect

Connects the local (that is, default) cell of the local host to the foreign cell specified by the argument. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry connect cell_name -group
local_group_name -org local_org_name -mypwd local_password -fgroup foreign_group_name
foreign_account_name -facctpwd foreign_account_password
[-expdate] [
-acctvalid] [-facctvalid]
```

Options

-group *local_group_name*
Specifies the group for the local account.

-org *local_org_name*
Specifies the organization for the local account.

-mypwd *local_password*
Specifies the password for the administrator in the local cell.

-fgroup *foreign_group_name*
Specifies the group for the foreign account.

-forg *foreign_org_name*
Specifies the organization for the foreign account.

-facct *foreign_account_name*
Specifies the name for the foreign account.

-facctpwd *foreign_account_password*
Specifies the password for the administrator in the foreign cell.

-expdate *account_expiration_date*
Sets an expiration date for both local and foreign accounts.

-acctvalid
Marks the local account as a valid account. A valid local account allows users from the foreign cell to log in to nodes in the local cell. The default is invalid.

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-facctvalid

Marks the foreign account as a valid account. A valid foreign account allows users from the local cell to log in to nodes in the foreign cell. The default is invalid.

The **connect** operation creates an account in the local cell for the specified foreign cell (*./local_cell//sec/principal/krbtgt/foreign_account*) and also creates an account in the foreign cell for the local cell (*./foreign_cell//sec/principal/krbtgt/local_account*). Both accounts have the same key. The argument must be the fully qualified name of a single cell. It cannot be a list or a string binding.

The **-group**, **-org**, **-mypwd**, and **-acctvalid** options supply the account information for the local cell. The **-fgroup**, **-forg**, **-facct**, **-facctpwd**, and **-facctvalid** options supply the account information for the foreign cell.

This operation creates the group and organization, specified as the values of the relevant options, if necessary, and puts the relevant principal in them, if necessary.

If the operation fails, it removes any organization, group, or both that it has created and removes the relevant principals. To protect the password being entered, the **registry connect** command can be entered only from within **dcecp**. You cannot enter it from the operating system prompt by using **dcecp** with the **-c** option.

If you do not use the **-acctvalid** and **-facctvalid** options, you must mark the accounts as valid (using the **dcecp account** command) before intercell access is allowed. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have a (**auth_info**) permission to the **replist** object and the permissions required to create principals, groups, organizations, and accounts in the local and foreign cells.

Examples

```
dcecp> getcellname
./../my_cell.com
dcecp>

dcecp> registry connect ./../your_cell.com -group none -org none \
> -mypwd -dce- -fgroup none -forg none -facct cell_admin \
> -facctpwd -dce-
dcecp>
```

registry delete

Deletes a registry replica from the cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry delete registry_replica_name
[-force]
```

Option

-force Used when the target replica is not available, the **-force** option removes the replica name from the master replica's replica list and propagates the deletion to other replicas that remain on the list.

The **registry delete** operation, when called with no options, performs an orderly deletion of a security replica specified as the *registry_replica_name* argument. To do so, the operation binds to the master replica. The master replica then performs the following tasks:

1. Marks the specified replica as deleted
2. Propagates this deletion to the other replicas on its replica list
3. Delivers the delete request to the specified replica
4. Removes the replica from its replica list

Note that the **dcecp** command returns before the deletion is complete because it simply tells the master to perform the delete procedure.

The **-force** option causes a more drastic deletion. It causes the master to first delete the specified replica from its replica list and then propagate the deletion to the replicas that remain on its list. Since this operation never communicates with the deleted replica, you should use **-force** only when the replica has died and cannot be restarted. If you use **-force** while the specified replica is still running, you should then use the **registry destroy** command to eliminate the deleted replica.

This operation returns an empty string on success and sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the master.

Note: Although the replica is deleted, its local configuration information remains in place on the host where the replica resided. You must clean up its configuration before you can configure another replica on that host. To do this, execute the **unconfig.dce -config_type localsec_rep** command on the host.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry delete ./:/subsys/dce/sec/ oddball
dcecp>
```

registry designate

Changes which replica is the master. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry designate registry_replica_name [-slave | -master [-force]]
```

Options

-slave Makes the specified replica a slave. The *registry_replica_name* argument must identify the master replica.

-master

Makes the specified replica the master. The *registry_replica_name* argument must identify a slave replica.

-force Forces *registry_replica_name* to become the master, even if other slave replicas are more up to date. Used only with the **-master** option.

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The preferred method of creating a new master is to use this command with no options in this form:

```
registry designate registry_replica_name
```

This command changes the slave replica named in *registry_replica_name* to the master by performing an orderly transition. To do so, it binds to the current master and instructs the master to:

1. Apply all updates to the replica named in *registry_replica_name*
2. Become a slave
3. Tell the replica named in *registry_replica_name* to become the master

The **-slave** or **-master** options can also be used to change the master to a slave and a slave to a master. However, using these options is not recommended because updates can be lost. You should use them only if you must because the master replica is irrevocably damaged and is unable to perform the steps in the orderly transition. To use these options, enter the command as shown in the following list:

1. To make the master a slave:

```
registry designate registry_replica_name -slave
```

The *registry_replica_name* is the name of the replica to make a slave.

2. To make a slave the master:

```
registry designate registry_replica_name -master
```

The *registry_replica_name* is the name of a slave to make a master. If a master exists, the command fails. Also, if there are more up-to-date slaves than the one specified by *registry_replica_name*, the command fails unless you specify **-force** to override this default action.

This operation returns the empty string on success and sets the **_b(sec)** variable as follows:

1. If called with the **-force** or **-master** option, it sets **_b(sec)** to the replica to which it binds.
2. If called with no options, it sets **_b(sec)** to the master.

Note: After using the dcecp **registry designate** command, be sure to do the following:

- Update **pe_site** files
- Update **/krb5/krb.conf**
- Refresh cds cache on all machines
- Refresh rpccp cache

```
rpccp show group /./sec -u  
rpccp show group /./sec-v1 -u
```

Privileges Required

You must have a (**auth_info**) permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry designate ../../my_cell/subsys/dce/sec/oddba11
dcecp>
```

registry destroy

Deletes a registry replica. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry destroy registry_replica_name
```

The **destroy** operation causes the replica named in *registry_replica_name* to delete its copy of the registry database and to stop running.

The preferred way to delete replicas is to use the **delete** operation. However, the **destroy** operation can be used if **delete** is unusable because the master is unreachable or the replica is not on the master's replica list.

This operation returns an empty string on success and sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the replica to which it binds.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry destroy ./:/subsys/dce/sec/oddba11
dcecp>
```

registry disable

Disables the master registry for updates. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry disable [registry_replica_name]
```

The **disable** operation disables the master registry for updates. Generally, use this mode for maintenance purposes. The *registry_replica_name* argument is a single name of a master registry to be disabled. If no argument is given, the operation uses the name in the **_s(sec)** convenience variable. If the **_s(sec)** variable is not set, the operation defaults to the master in the local cell.

This operation returns an empty string on success and sets **_b(sec)** to the name of the replica to which it binds.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (admin)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry disable ../../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/dce/sec/snow
dcecp>
```

registry dump

Returns the replica information for each replica in the cell. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry dump [registry_replica_name]
```

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The **dump** operation returns the replica information for each replica in the cell. Replicas are displayed with a blank line between them.

The **registry dump** command is the same as the following script:

```
foreach i [registry catalog] {
  lappend r [registry show $i -replica]
  append r
}
return r
```

This operation sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the last replica listed in the display.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (admin)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry dump
{name ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/subsys/dce/sec/snow}
{type master}
{cell ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org}
{uuid a1248a5e-e1e6-11cd-aa0c-0800092734a4}
{status enabled}
{lastupdttime 1994-10-13-14:44:48.000-04:00I-----}
{lastupdseq 0.271}
{addresses
 {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.5.121}
 {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.121}}
{masteraddrs
 {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.5.121}
 {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.121}}
{masterseqnum 0.100}
{masteruuid a1248a5e-e1e6-11cd-aa0c-0800092734a4}
{version secd.dce.1.1}
{updseqqueue {0.204 0.271}}
 {name ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/subsys/dce/sec/ice}
{type slave}
{cell ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org}
{uuid c772f46a-e1ec-11cd-9a16-0000c0239a70}
{status enabled}
{lastupdttime 1994-10-13-14:44:48.000-04:00I-----}
{lastupdseq 0.271}
{addresses
 {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.5.45}
 {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.5.45}
 {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.45}}
{masteraddrs
 {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.5.121}
 {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.121}}
{masterseqnum 0.100}
{masteruuid a1248a5e-e1e6-11cd-aa0c-0800092734a4}
{version secd.dce.1.1}
dcecp>
```

registry enable

Enables the master registry for updates. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry enable [registry_replica_name]
```

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The **enable** operation enables the master registry for updates. The *registry_replica_name* argument is a single name of a master registry to be enabled. If no argument is given, the operation uses the name in the **_s(sec)** convenience variable. If the **_s(sec)** variable is not set, the operation defaults to the master in the local cell.

This operation returns an empty string on success and sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the replica to which it binds.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (admin)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry enable ../../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/dce/sec/snow
dcecp>
```

registry help

Returns help information about the **registry** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **registry** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **registry help** command returns brief information about each **registry** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **registry** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **registry help** command.

Examples

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```
dcecp> registry help
catalog          Returns a list of all replicas running in the cell.
checkpoint      Resets registry checkpoint interval dynamically.
connect         Creates local and foreign cross-cell authenticated accounts.
delete          Deletes a replica and removes from master replica list.
designate        Changes which replica is the master.
destroy         Destroys the specified replica and its registry database.
disable         Disables the specified master registry for updates.
dump            Returns replica information for each replica in the cell.
enable          Enables the specified master registry for updates.
modify          Modifies the master registry or replica.
replace         Replaces replica information on master replica list.
show            Returns attributes of the registry and its replicas.
stop            Stops the specified security server process.
synchronize     Reinitializes replica with up-to-date copy of the registry.
verify          Returns a list of replicas not up-to-date with the master.
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations      Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

registry modify

Changes attributes of the registry. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry modify [registry_replica_name] {-change attribute_list |
-attribute value |
-key}
```

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using options with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in **ATTRIBUTES**.

-change *attribute_list*

Allows you to modify attributes by using an attribute list rather than using individual attribute options. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{attribute value}...{attribute value}}
```

The **-change** option cannot be used with the **-key** option.

-key Generates a new master key for the replicas listed as the argument. Cannot be used with the **-change** option.

The **modify** operation changes attributes of the registry. The *registry_replica_name* is required for the **-key** option but optional for all other options. If an argument is not supplied and the **_s(sec)** variable is not set, the operation defaults to master in the local cell. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Use the **-change** option to modify the value of any one of the attributes.

The operation also accepts the **-key** option to generate a new master key for a single replica named in the argument and to reencrypt that registry's account keys using the new master key. The new master key is randomly generated. Each replica (master and slaves) maintains its own master key, which is used to access the data in its copy of the database. If you use the **-key** option, you must specify *registry_replica_name*.

The **-change** option and the **-key** option cannot be used together.

This operation sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the replica to which it binds.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (admin)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry modify -version secd.dce.1.1
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> registry modify -change {deftktlife +0-08:00:00.000I-----}
dcecp>
```

registry operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **registry** object. The syntax is as follows:

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The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **registry operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry operations
catalog checkpoint connect delete designate destroy disable dump
enable modify replace show stop synchronize verify help operations
dcecp>
```

registry replace

Replaces the network address of a replica. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry replace registry_replica_name -address new_string_binding
```

Options

-address

The new address for the replica in RPC string-binding format (without the object UUID). The string binding contains an RPC protocol and a network address in the form:

```
rpc_prot_seq:network_addr
```

The **replace** operation replaces the network address of the specified replica. The new address is used by the master and other replicas to contact the replica. This operation binds to the master, sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the master, and returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

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You must have **m (mgmt_info)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry replace ./:/subsys/dce/sec/maria -address ncadg_ip_udp:15.22.4.93
dcecp>
```

registry show

Returns information about the registry and its replicas. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry show [registry_replica_name] [-attributes | -policies | -master |
-replica
[-verbose]]
```

Options

-attributes

Returns an attribute list of the registry-wide attributes.

-policies

Returns only the registry-wide policies.

-replica

Returns the synchronization information for the specified replica.

-master

Returns the synchronization information kept by the master keeps for each slave.

-verbose

Returns the synchronization information kept by the replica.

The **show** operation returns information about the registry and its replicas. An optional *registry_replica_name* argument specifies a single registry replica to contact. The operation returns a variety of different information based on the option given.

If called with no options or with the **-attributes** option, the operation returns an attribute list of all the registry-wide attributes.

If called with the **-policies** option, the operation returns an attribute list of all the registry-wide policies.

If called with the **-replica** option, the operation returns the propagation information that is kept by the replica specified.

If called with the **-master** option, the operation returns the propagation information that is kept by the master for each slave. Use the **-verbose** option to return the propagation information that is kept by the replica. If you specify this option and the optional *registry_replica_name*, *registry_replica_name* must specify the name of the master or the local cell name.

This operation sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the replica to which it binds.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (admin)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```

dcecp> registry show -attributes
{mingid 31000}
{minorgid 100}
{minuid 30000}
{maxuid 32767}
{version secd.dce.1.0.2}
dcecp>

dcecp> registry show -policies
{deftktlife +0-10:00:00.000I-----}
{mintktlife +0-00:05:00.000I-----}
{hidepwd yes}
dcecp>

dcecp> registry show ../../absolut_cell/subsys/dce/sec/ice -replica
{name ../../absolut_cell/subsys/dce/sec/ice}
{type slave}
{cell ../../absolut_cell}
{uuid 91259b6c-9415-11cd-a7b5-080009251352}
{status enabled}
{lastupdttime 1994-07-05-14:38:15.000-04:00I-----}
{lastupdseq 0.191}
{addresses
 {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.5.93}
 {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.93}}
{masteraddrs
 {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.5.93}
 {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.93}}
{masterseqnum 0.100}
{masteruuid 91259b6c-9415-11cd-a7b5-080009251352}
{supportedversions secd.dce.1.0.2}
{updseqqueue {0.187 0.191}}
dcecp>

dcecp> registry show ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/subsys/dce/sec/snow -master
{name ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/subsys/dce/sec/snow}
{uuid 91259b6c-9415-11cd-a7b5-080009251352}
{type master}
{addresses
 {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.5.93}
 {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.93}}

{name ../../dcecp.cell.osf.org/subsys/dce/sec/ice}
{uuid 91259b6c-9415-11cd-a7b5-080009251352}
{type slave}
{addresses
 {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.5.93}
 {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.93}}
{propstatus update}
{lastupdttime 1994-10-13-14:58:28.000-04:00I-----}
{lastupdseqsent 0.528}
{numupdtogo 0}
{commstate ok}
{lastcommstatus {successful completion}}
dcecp>

```

registry stop

Stops the specified security server process. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry stop registry_replica_name
```

The **stop** operation stops the security server specified in the argument. The *registry_replica_name* argument is required and must explicitly name one replica. (A

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cell name is not valid because more than one replica can operate in a cell.) This operation returns an empty string on success and sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the replica to which it binds.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (admin)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry stop ./:/subsys/dce/sec/snow
dcecp>
```

registry synchronize

Causes the specified replica to reinitialize itself with an up-to-date copy of the database. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry synchronize registry_replica_name
```

The **synchronize** operation reinitializes a slave replica with an up-to-date copy of the database. *registry_replica_name* is the name of the slave replica to operate on.

This operation binds to the master and tells the master to:

1. Mark the specified replica named in *registry_replica_name* for reinitialization.
2. Send a message to the replica informing it to reinitialize itself.
3. Gives the replica a list of other replicas with up-to-date copies of the registry.

The replica to be initialized then selects a replica from the list provided by the master and asks for a copy of the database. Note that the **dcecp** command returns before the synchronization is complete because it simply tells the master to perform the synchronize procedure.

Normally, you do not need to use the **registry synchronize** command because registries remain synchronized automatically. This operation returns an empty string on success.

This operation sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the master in the local cell.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (admin)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

```
dcecp> registry synchronize ./:/subsys/dce/sec/oddball
dcecp>
```

registry verify

Checks whether all registry replicas are up to date. The syntax is as follows:

```
registry verify [registry_replica_name]
```

Checks whether all registry replicas are up to date. If they are, it returns an empty string.

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This operation sets the **_b(sec)** variable to the last replica to which it binds.

Privileges Required

You must have a **a (auth_info)** permission to the **replist** object.

Examples

If the replicas are up to date, the command returns an empty string, as in the following:

```
dcecp> registry verify
dcecp>
```

If a replica is not up to date, the command returns the fully qualified replica name, as in the following:

```
dcecp> registry verify
/.../cell/subsys/dce/sec/oddball
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **group(8dce)**, **organization(8dce)**, **principal(8dce)**, **secd(8sec)**.

rpcentry

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages an RPC entry in the DCE Cell Directory Service

Synopsis

rpcentry create *entry_name_list*

rpcentry delete *entry_name_list*

rpcentry export *entry_name_list* [-**object***object_uuid_list*] [-**interface***interface_id*]
-**binding***string_binding_list*]

rpcentry help [*operation* | -**verbose**]

rpcentry import *entry_name_list* -**interface***interface_id* [-**object***object_uuid*]
[-**max***integer*] [-**noupdate**]

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rpcentry show *entry_name_list* -**interface***interface_id_list* [-**object***object_uuid_list*]
[-**noupdate**]

rpcentry unexport *entry_name_list* [-**object***object_uuid_list*] [-**interface***interface_id*]
[-**version***versions*]]

Arguments

entry_name_list

Specifies a list of one or more names of the target name service entry. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only cell-relative names.

operation

The name of the **rpcentry** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **rpcentry** object represents a remote procedure call (RPC) server entry in the cell name service. Use the **rpcentry** commands to create, modify, display, and delete name service entries.

interface_id

The interface identifier of an RPC interface. The interface identifier takes the following form:

interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version

The version numbers are optional, but if you omit a version number, the value defaults to **0**. The UUID is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings. For example:

-interface ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,3.11

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax in the following form:

{interface-UUID major-version.minor-version}

For example:

-interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0}

string_binding_list

An RPC string binding that describes a server's location. The value has the form of an RPC string binding, without an object UUID. The binding information contains an RPC protocol, a network address, and (sometimes) an endpoint within **[]** (square brackets) as follows:

rpc-prot-seq: network-addr[endpoint]

For a well-known endpoint, include the endpoint in the string binding surrounded by brackets. You may need to use the **** (backslash) to escape the brackets as shown in the following example. Otherwise **dcecp** interprets the brackets as enclosing another command.

-binding ncadg_ip_udp:63.0.2.17\[5347\]

For a dynamic endpoint, omit the endpoint from the string binding, for example:

-b ncacn_ip_tcp:16.20.15.25

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax. For example:

-binding {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227 1072}

object_uuid

The UUID of an object. The UUID is a hexadecimal string, for example:

-object 3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax. For example:

-object {3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989}

version

Specifies which interface version numbers should be returned by a **show** operation. Specify versions by using one of the following values for the **-version** option:

all The interface version is ignored.

exact Both the major and minor versions must match the specified versions.

compatible

The major version must match the specified version, and the minor version must be greater than or equal to the specified version.

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major_only

The major version must match the specified version; the minor version is ignored.

upto The major version must be less than or equal to that specified. If the major versions are equal, the minor version must be less than or equal to that specified.

If the **-version** option is absent, the command shows compatible version numbers.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

rpcentry create

Creates an empty entry in the name service. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcentry create entry_name_list
```

The **create** operation creates an empty entry in the name service. Since an empty entry is the same as an empty RPC group or RPC profile, calling **rpcentry create** is the same as calling **rpcgroup create** or **rpcprofile create**. The *entry_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC entries to be created. If the RPC entry already exists, an error message is returned. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

To create an **rpcentry**, you need **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory and both **r (read)** permission and **w (write)** permission to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) object entry (the target name service entry).

Examples

The following command adds an unspecialized entry to the name service database:

```
dcecp> rpcentry create ././LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2
dcecp>
```

rpcentry delete

Removes the specified entry from the name service. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcentry delete entry_name_list
```

The **delete** operation removes the specified entry from the name service. The *entry_name_list* argument is a list of one or more names of server entries to be deleted. This operation returns an empty string on success. If the entry does not exist, an error is returned.

Privileges Required

To delete an entry, you need **r (read)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target name service entry). You also need **d (delete)** permission to the CDS object entry or to the parent directory.

Examples

The following command removes the entry `./LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2` from the local cell of the name service database:

```
dcecp> rpcentry delete ./LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2
dcecp>
```

rpcentry export

Transfers information to the specified entry in the name service. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcentry export entry_name_list {[-object object_uuid_list]  
[-interface interface_id -binding string_binding_list}]
```

Options

-object *object_uuid_list*

Declares the UUID of an object. Accepts a list of up to 32 object UUIDs. The UUID is a hexadecimal string. See **Data Structures** for the format of the object UUID.

-interface *interface_id*

Declares the interface identifier of one RPC interface. If you specify an interface identifier, you must specify at least one **-binding** option.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.

-binding *string_binding_list*

Declares a list of one or more protocol sequences (RPC bindings). To use this option, you must also use the **-interface** option to specify an interface identifier.

See **Data Structures** for the format of a protocol sequence.

The **export** operation transfers information to the specified entry in the name service. The *entry_name_list* argument is a list of one or more names of server entries to be exported to. If an entry does not exist, it is created. Uses the **-interface**, **-binding**, and **-object** options to specify what to export. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

To export an entry, you need both **r (read)** permission and **w (write)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target name service entry). If the entry does not exist, you also need **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory.

Examples

The following example uses the **dcecp** string syntax to export an RPC entry to CDS:

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```
dcecp> rpcentry export ./subsys/applications/bbs_server \  
> -interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0} \  
> -binding {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227} \  
> -object {76030c42-98d5-11cd-88bc-0000c08adf56}  
dcecp>
```

rpcentry help

Returns help information about the **rpcentry** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcentry help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **rpcentry** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **rpcentry help** command returns brief information about each **rpcentry** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **rpcentry** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **rpcentry help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> rpcentry help  
create          Creates a list of empty RPC entries.  
delete          Deletes a list of RPC entries.  
export          Stores bindings in a list of RPC entries.  
import          Returns the bindings from a list of RPC entries.  
show            Returns the attributes of a list of RPC entries.  
unexport        Deletes bindings from a list of RPC entries.  
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.  
operations      Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.  
dcecp>
```

rpcentry import

Returns a string binding from the specified RPC entry. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcentry import entry_name_list -interface interface_id  
[-object object_uuid] [-max integer] [-noupdate]
```

Options

-interface *interface_id*

Declares the interface identifier of one RPC interface.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.

-object *object_uuid*

Declares the UUID of one object. The UUID is a hexadecimal string.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the object UUID.

-max *integer*

Specifies the maximum number of string bindings to return. A value greater than one returns a list containing up to the number of bindings specified by the value.

-noudate

Normally, name service data is cached locally on each machine in a cell. If a name service inquiry can be satisfied by data in the local CDS cache, this cached data is returned. However, locally cached copies of name service data might not include a recent CDS update. If the **-noudate** option is not specified, **dcecp** goes to a CDS server to retrieve the required data, updating the local CDS cache. Use the **-noudate** option to avoid taking the time to update the local cache when you have reason to believe that the local cache is up to date.

The **import** operation returns a string binding from the specified RPC entry. The *entry_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC entries (not a list of RPC entries) to import from. The order of returned bindings is arbitrary.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the specified CDS object entry (the starting name service entry) and to any CDS object entry in the resulting search path.

Examples

The following command imports a binding:

```
dcecp> rpcentry import ./LandS/anthro/Cal_host_3 \
> -interface {ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989 1.1} \
> -object 30dbeea0-fb6c-11c9-8eea-08002b0f4528
{ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227}
dcecp>
```

rpcentry operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **rpcentry** object. The syntax is as follows:

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The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **rpcentry operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> rpcentry operations
create delete export import show unexport help operations
dcecp>
```

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rpcentry show

Returns a list containing the binding information in the specified RPC entries. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcentry show entry_name_list -interface  
interface_id_list  
[-object object_uuid_list [-noupdate]
```

Options

-interface *interface_id_list*

Declares a list of one or more interface identifiers of RPC interfaces.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.

-object *object_uuid_list*

Declares the UUID of an object. Accepts a list of up to 32 object UUIDs. The UUID is a hexadecimal string.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the object UUID.

-noupdate

Normally, name service data is cached locally on each machine in a cell. If a name service inquiry can be satisfied by data in the local CDS cache, this cached data is returned. However, locally cached copies of name service data might not include a recent CDS update. If the **-noupdate** option is not specified, **dcecp** goes to a CDS server to retrieve the required data, updating the local CDS cache. Use the **-noupdate** option to avoid taking the time to update the local cache when you have reason to believe that the local cache is up to date.

The **show** operation returns a list containing the binding information in the specified RPC entry. The *entry_name_list* argument is a list of one or more names of RPC entries to return information about.

The returned list consists of two lists. Each item in the first list is also a list, the first two elements of which are the interface identifier (the UUID and then the version), and the remaining are string bindings in Tcl syntax. The second list is a list of object UUIDs exported by the server. The order of the data returned is arbitrary.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target name service entry).

Examples

The following command uses the **dcecp** string syntax to show a name service entry:

```
dcecp> rpcentry show ./subsys/applications/bbs_server  
{458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0  
  {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227}}  
{76030c42-98d5-11cd-88bc-0000c08adf56}  
dcecp>
```

The following command operates from the system prompt to show a name service entry:

```
% dcecp -c rpcentry show ./:/subsys/applications/bbs_server
{458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0
  {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227}}
{76030c42-98d5-11cd-88bc-0000c08adf56}
%
```

rpcentry unexport

Removes binding information from an entry in the name service. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcentry unexport entry_name_list {[-object object_uuid_list
[-interface interface_id [-version versions]]}
```

Options

-object *object_uuid_list*

Declares the UUID of an object. Accepts a list of up to 32 object UUIDs. The UUID is a hexadecimal string.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the object UUID.

-interface *interface_id*

Declares the interface identifier of an RPC interface. Only a single *interface_id* can be specified.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.

-version *versions*

Specifies interface version numbers to be returned with the **unexport** operation.

See **Data Structures** for the exact behavior and format of the version values.

The **unexport** operation removes binding information from an entry in the name service. The *entry_name_list* argument is a list of one or more entry names from which binding information is to be removed. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You need **d (delete)** permission on the parent directory and **r (read)** permission and **w (write)** permission on the CDS object entry (the target name service entry).

Examples

The following example uses the **dcecp** syntax to unexport the binding information for an interface. The third command entered (**rpcentry show**) shows the RPC entry after the unexport operation; the object UUID remains in the entry.

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```
dcecp> rpcentry show ./:/subsys/applications/bbs_server
{458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0
 {ncacn_ip_tcp 130.105.1.227}}
{76030c42-98d5-11cd-88bc-0000c08adf56}
dcecp>

dcecp> rpcentry unexport ./:/subsys/applications/bbs_server \
> -interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0}
dcecp>

dcecp> rpcentry show ./:/subsys/applications/bbs_server
{76030c42-98d5-11cd-88bc-0000c08adf56}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **endpoint(8dce)**, **rpcgroup(8dce)**, **rpcprofile(8dce)**.

rpcgroup

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages an RPC group entry in CDS

Synopsis

rpcgroup add *rpcgroup_name_list* **-member** *member_name_list*

rpcgroup create *rpcgroup_name_list*

rpcgroup delete *rpcgroup_name_list*

rpcgroup help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

rpcgroup import *rpcgroup_name_list* **-interface** *interface_id* [**-object** *object_uuid*]
[**-max** *integer*] [**-nouupdate**]

rpcgroup list *rpcgroup_name_list* [**-member** *member_name_list*] [**-nouupdate**]

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rpcgroup remove *rpcgroup_name_list* **-member** *member_name_list*

Arguments

operation

The name of the **rpcgroup** operation for which to display help information.

rpcgroup_name_list

Specifies a list of one or more names of the RPC groups to be operated on.

Description

The **rpcgroup** object represents a remote procedure call (RPC) group entry in the Cell Directory Service (CDS). Each RPC group is named in the DCE namespace; therefore, each operation takes as an argument a list of names of group entries to manipulate. An RPC group is a container that contains only the names of RPC server entries or the names of other RPC groups; it contains no other data.

interface_id

The interface identifier of an RPC interface. The interface identifier takes the following form:

interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version

The version numbers are optional. If you omit a version number, the default is **0**. The UUID is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings. For example:

-interface ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,3.11

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

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Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax. For example:

```
-interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0}
```

object_uuid

The UUID of an object. The UUID is a hexadecimal string, for example:

```
-object 3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989
```

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax. For example:

```
-object {3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989}
```

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

rpcgroup add

Adds a member to the specified group entry in CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcgroup add rpcgroup_name_list -member member_name_list
```

Options

-member *member_name_list*

This required option declares the name of a member to be added to the specified group entry. The *member_name_list* argument is a list of names of one or more members to be added to all of the specified groups. (The names need not exist when they are added.) All members are added to all groups.

The **add** operation adds a member to the specified group entry in CDS. The required *rpcgroup_name_list* argument is a list of one or more full CDS names of the groups to which you want to add members. This operation returns an empty string on success. If *member_name_list* contains the names of duplicate or existing members, the duplicates are ignored and no errors are generated.

Privileges Required

You need **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory. You also need both **r (read)** permission and **w (write)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target group entry).

Examples

The following command adds the member *./LandS/anthro/Cal_host_3* to the group *./LandS/anthro/Calendar_group* :

```
dcecp> rpcgroup add ./LandS/anthro/Calendar_group \  
> -member ./LandS/anthro/Cal_host_3  
dcecp>
```

rpcgroup create

Creates an empty RPC group entry in CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcgroup create rpcgroup_name_list
```

The **create** operation creates a new (empty) RPC group entry in CDS. Since an empty group is the same as an empty RPC entry or RPC profile, calling **rpcgroup create** is the same as calling **rpcentry create** or **rpcprofile create**. The *rpcgroup_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC groups to be created. The operation returns an empty string on success. If the RPC group already exists, an error is returned.

Privileges Required

You need **i** (**insert**) permission to the parent directory.

Examples

The following command creates a new group called **./:/LandS/anthro/Calendar_group**:

```
dcecp> rpcgroup create ./:/LandS/anthro/Calendar_group  
dcecp>
```

rpcgroup delete

Removes the specified group from CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcgroup delete rpcgroup_name_list
```

The **delete** operation removes the specified group entry from CDS. The *rpcgroup_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC group entries to be deleted. This operation returns an empty string on success. If the RPC group entry does not exist, an error is generated.

Privileges Required

You need **w** (**write**) permission to the CDS object entry (the target group entry).

Examples

The following command removes the group **./:/LandS/anthro/Calendar_group** from CDS.

```
dcecp> rpcgroup delete ./:/LandS/anthro/Calendar_group  
dcecp>
```

rpcgroup help

Returns help information about the **rpcgroup** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcgroup help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

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-verbose

Displays information about the **rpcgroup** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **rpcgroup help** command returns brief information about each **rpcgroup** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **rpcgroup** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **rpcgroup help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> rpcgroup help
add                Adds members to a list of RPC groups.
create             Creates a list of empty RPC groups.
delete            Deletes a list of RPC groups.
import            Returns the bindings from a list of RPC groups.
list              Returns the members of a list of RPC groups.
remove            Removes members from a list of RPC groups.
help              Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations         Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

rpcgroup import

Returns a string binding from the specified RPC group. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcgroup import rpcgroup_name_list -interface interface_id
[-object object_uuid] [-max integer] [-noupdate]
```

Options

-interface *interface_id*

Declares the interface identifier of one RPC interface.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.

-object *object_uuid*

Declares the UUID of one object. The UUID is a hexadecimal string.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the object UUID.

-max *integer*

Specifies the maximum number of string bindings to return. A value greater than one returns a list containing up to the number of bindings specified by the value.

-noupdate

Normally, name service data is cached locally on each machine in a cell. If a name service inquiry can be satisfied by data in the local CDS cache, this cached data is returned. However, locally cached copies of name service data might not include a recent CDS update. If the **-noupdate** option is not specified, **dcecp** goes to one or more CDS servers to retrieve the required data, updating the local CDS cache. Use the **-noupdate** option to avoid taking the time to update the local cache when you have reason to believe that the local cache is up to date.

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The **import** operation returns a string binding from the specified RPC group. The *rpcgroup_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC groups to import from. The operation uses the **-interface** and **-object** options to specify matching bindings. The operation also accepts the **-max** option to specify a number of string bindings to return. The order of bindings returned is arbitrary.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the specified CDS object entry (the starting name service entry) and to any CDS object entry in the resulting search path.

Examples

The following command imports a binding:

```
dcecp> rpcgroup import ./ortho_group \  
> -interface {ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989 1.1} \  
> -object 30dbeea0-fb6c-11c9-8eea-08002b0f4528  
{ncadg_ip_udp 15.22.48.25}  
{ncacn_ip_tcp 15.22.48.25}  
dcecp>
```

rpcgroup list

Returns a list of the names of all members of the specified group. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcgroup list rpcgroup_name_list [-member  
member_name_list] [-noupdate]
```

Options

-member *member_name_list*

Specifies a list of names of one or more members to be returned from all groups named in the *rpcgroup_name_list* argument. Use this option to check for specific member names. The *member_name_list* argument specifies a list of names of RPC entries, RPC groups, or RPC profiles; they are only references stored in the RPC group and do not have to exist outside of the group. All members specified are listed from all RPC groups specified in the argument.

-noupdate

Use **-noupdate** to avoid taking the time to update the local cache.

See **rpcgroup import** for more information.

The **list** operation returns a list of the names of all members of the specified group. The names returned are fully qualified and are returned in an arbitrary order. The *rpcgroup_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC groups whose members' names are to be returned.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target group entry).

Examples

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The following example lists all the members of the group **././subsys/applications/infobases**, in the order in which they were added to the group:

```
dcecp> rpcgroup list ././subsys/applications/infobases
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/applications/video_server
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/applications/bbs_server
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/applications/audio_server1
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/applications/audio_server2
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/applications/clipart_server
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/applications/photo_server1
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/applications/photo_server2
dcecp>
```

The following example uses the **-member** option to list a specific member of the group **././subsys/applications/infobases** :

```
dcecp> rpcgroup list ././subsys/applications/infobases \
> -member ././subsys/applications/bbs_server
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/applications/bbs_server
dcecp>
```

rpcgroup operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **rpcgroup** object. The syntax is as follows:

rpcgroup operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **rpcgroup operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> rpcgroup operations
add create delete import list remove help operations
dcecp>
```

rpcgroup remove

Removes one or more members from the specified group. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcgroup remove rpcgroup_name_list -member member_name_list
```

Options

-member *member_name_list*

This required option lets you specify a list of names of one or more members to be removed from all groups named in the *rpcgroup_name_list* argument. The *member_name_list* argument specifies a list of names of RPC entries, RPC groups, or RPC profiles; these are only references stored in the RPC group and need not exist outside of the group. All members specified are removed from all RPC groups specified in the argument.

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The **remove** operation removes one or more members from the specified group. The *rpcgroup_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC groups to have members removed from. The value of the required **-member** option is a list of names of RPC entries, RPC groups, or RPC profiles. If a specified member does not exist in an RPC group, an error is returned. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission and **w (write)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target group entry).

Examples

The following command removes the member *./:subsys/applications/video_server* from the RPC group *./:subsys/applications/infobases*:

```
dcecp> rpcgroup remove ./:subsys/applications/infobases \  
> -member ../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/applications/video_server  
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **endpoint(8dce)**, **rpcentry(8dce)**, **rpcprofile(8dce)**.

rpcprofile

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages an RPC profile entry in CDS

Synopsis

```
rpcprofile add profile_name_list -member member_name_list {  
-interface interface_id | -priority priority } | -annotation annotation | -default }
```

```
rpcprofile create profile_name_list
```

```
rpcprofile delete profile_name_list
```

```
rpcprofile help [operation | -verbose ]
```

```
rpcprofile import profile_name_list -interface interface_id -object object_uuid [  
-max integer] -nouupdate]
```

```
rpcprofile list profile_name_list [-member member_name_list] -nouupdate]
```

rpcprofile operations

```
rpcprofile remove profile_name_list {-default | -member member_name |  
-interface interface_id | -annotation annotation | -priority priority }
```

```
rpcprofile show profile_name_list {-default | [-member member_name] |  
[-interface interface_id] | [-version versions] | [-priority priority] |  
[-annotation annotation] | [-nouupdate] }
```

Arguments

operation

The name of the **rpcprofile** operation for which to display help information.

profile_name_list

Specifies a list of one or more names of the RPC profile entries to be operated on.

Description

The **rpcprofile** object represents a remote procedure call (RPC) profile entry in the Cell Directory Service (CDS). Each operation described below, except **help** and **operation**, takes as an argument a list of one or more names of RPC profiles to be operate on. An RPC profile consists of members (also known as elements in other DCE documentation). A member can be either RPC server entries, RPC groups, or other RPC profiles; therefore each member of a profile has a name in the DCE namespace. Each profile can also have one default member (called the default profile element).

A profile entry contains no attributes, but does contain information about each member that is not contained in the member itself. The information stored for each

member includes up to four fields of information consisting of interface and version, a member name, a priority (0 through 7), and an annotation. For example:

```
{d46113d0-a848-11cb-b863-08001e046aa5 2.0}
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/sec 0 rs_bind}
```

Various **rpcprofile** operations have options that correspond to the fields of information contained in profile members. Specifically, the options are **-interface**, **-member**, **-priority**, and **-annotation**.

interface_id

The interface identifier of an RPC interface. The interface identifier takes the following form:

```
interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version
```

The version numbers are optional, but if you omit a version number, the value defaults to **0**. The UUID is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings. For example:

```
-interface ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,3.11
```

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax in the following form:

```
{interface-UUID major-version.minor-version}
```

For example:

```
-interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0}
```

object_uuid

The UUID of an object. The UUID is a hexadecimal string, for example:

```
-object 3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989
```

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax. For example:

```
-object {3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989}
```

host_address

An RPC string binding that describes a host's location. The binding information contains an RPC protocol and the host's network address. Any specific host's network address can be obtained by using the **getip** command.

annotation

An informational text string that helps you to identify the purpose of the endpoint. Use single or double quotation marks around the annotation field of endpoints to include internal spaces in an annotation, for example:

```
-annotation "Bulletin Board Server, Version 1.3a"
```

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax. For example:

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-annotation {Bulletin Board Server, Version 1.3a}

version

Specifies which interface version numbers to return with a **show** operation. Specify versions by using one of the following values for the **-version** option:

all The interface version is ignored.

exact Both the major and minor versions must match the specified versions.

compatible

The major version must match the specified version, and the minor version must be greater than or equal to the specified version.

major_only

The major version must match the specified version; the minor version is ignored.

upto The major version must be less than or equal to that specified. If the major versions are equal, the minor version must be less than or equal to that specified.

If the **-version** option is absent, the command shows **compatible** version numbers.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

rpcprofile add

Adds a member to the specified profile entry in CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcprofile add profile_name_list -member member_name_list  
{-interface interface_id [-priority priority] [-annotation annotation] |  
-default}
```

Options

-member *member_name_list*

This required option declares the name of a member to be added to the specified profile entry. The *member_name_list* argument is a list of names of one or more members to be added to all of the specified profiles.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.

-interface *interface_id*

Required when the **-default** option is not used, this option declares the interface identifier of an RPC interface. The **add** operation operates on only one *interface_id*.

-priority *priority*

Defines a search priority for the new profile element. The priority value is in

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the range 0 to 7 with zero having the highest priority. By default, a nondefault element is assigned a priority value of zero.

-annotation *annotation*

Defines an annotation string for the profile element. You can include internal spaces in an annotation by enclosing the string in quotation marks.

-default

Performs the operation on the default profile member. When you use the **-default** option, all of the other options except **-member** are illegal.

The **add** operation adds a member to the specified profile entry in CDS. The *profile_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC profiles to have members added to. The value of the required **-member** option is a list of names which are references to an RPC entry, RPC group, or RPC profile (that is, they do not have to actually exist).

The operation accepts the **-interface**, **-priority**, and **-annotation** options with one value (not a list) each. All members are added to each profile identified in the argument list. It also accepts a **-default** option to indicate that the member being added is the default profile member. (If you specify the **-default** option, the only other option that can be supplied is **-member**.) This operation returns an empty string on success. If *member_name_list* contains the names of duplicate or existing members, the duplicates are ignored, and no errors are generated.

Privileges Required

You need **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory. You also need both **r (read)** permission and **w (write)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target profile entry).

Examples

The following command adds an element to the cell profile, *./:cell-profile*, in the local cell:

```
dcecp> rpcprofile add ./:cell-profile \  
> -member ./:Calendar_profile \  
> -interface ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1 \  
> -annotation RefersToCalendarGroups  
dcecp>
```

The following commands set up a user profile associated with the cell profile as its default element and add a user-specific element for the Calendar V1.1 interface:

```
dcecp> rpcprofile add ./:LandS/anthro/molly_o_profile -default ./:cell-profile  
dcecp>
```

```
dcecp> rpcprofile add ./:LandS/anthro/molly_o_profile \  
> -member {./:LandS/anthro/Calendar_group} \  
> -interface {ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989 1.1} \  
> -annotation {Calendar_Version 1.1_Interface}  
dcecp>
```

The added profile element contains the global name of the member (specified by using its cell-relative name, *./:LandS/anthro/Calendar_group*) and the RPC interface identifier for the Calendar Version 1.1 interface.

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rpcprofile create

Creates a new profile entry in CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcprofile create profile_name_list
```

The **create** operation creates a new (empty) profile entry in CDS. Since an empty profile is the same as an empty RPC entry or RPC group, calling **rpcprofile create** is the same as calling **rpcentry create** or **rpcgroup create**. The *profile_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC profiles to be created. This operation returns an empty string on success. If the RPC profile already exists, an error is returned.

Privileges Required

You need **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory. You also need both **r (read)** permission and **w (write)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target profile entry).

Examples

```
dcecp> rpcprofile create ./:/users/wards_profile  
dcecp>
```

rpcprofile delete

Deletes the specified profile from CDS. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcprofile delete profile_name_list
```

The **delete** operation deletes the specified profile from CDS. The *profile_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC profiles to be deleted. This operation returns an empty string on success. If the RPC profile does not exist, an error is generated.

Privileges Required

You need **w (write)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target profile entry).

Examples

The following command deletes the profile named **./:/LandS/anthro/molly_o_profile**:

```
dcecp> rpcprofile delete ./:/LandS/anthro/molly_o_profile  
dcecp>
```

rpcprofile help

Returns help information about the **rpcprofile** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcprofile help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **rpcprofile** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **rpcprofile help** command returns brief information about each **rpcprofile** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **rpcprofile** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **rpcprofile help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> rpcprofile help
add                Adds members to a list of RPC profiles.
create             Creates a list of empty RPC profiles.
delete            Deletes a list of RPC profiles.
import            Returns the bindings from a list of RPC profiles.
list              Returns the names of members of a list of RPC profiles.
remove           Removes members from a list of RPC profiles.
show             Returns the attributes of a list of RPC profiles.
help             Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations        Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

rpcprofile import

Returns a string binding from the specified RPC profile. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcprofile import profile_name_list -interface interface_id
[-object object_uuid] [-max integer] [-nouupdate]
```

Options

-interface *interface_id*

Declares the interface identifier of an RPC interface. The **import** operation allows you to specify only one *interface_id*, not a list.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.

-object *object_uuid_list*

Declares the UUID of an object. Each **import** operation accepts a list of up to 32 object UUIDs. The UUID is a hexadecimal string.

-max *integer*

Specifies the maximum number of string bindings to return. A value greater than 1 returns a list containing up to the number of bindings specified by the value.

-nouupdate

Normally, name service data is cached locally on each machine in a cell. If a name service inquiry can be satisfied by data in the local CDS cache, this cached data is returned. However, locally cached copies of name service data might not include a recent CDS update. If the **-nouupdate** option is not specified, **dcecp** goes to a CDS server to retrieve the required data, updating the local CDS cache. Use the **-nouupdate** option to avoid taking the time to update the local cache when you have reason to believe that the local cache is up to date.

The **import** operation returns a string binding from the specified RPC profile. The *profile_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC profiles to import from. Use

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the **-interface** and **-object** options to specify matching bindings. Each of these options takes only one value, not a list of values. The **import** operation also accepts the **-max** option to specify a number of string bindings to return. If the value is greater than 1, a list of as many matching bindings less than or equal to the value is returned. The order of bindings returned is arbitrary.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the specified CDS object entry (the starting name service entry) and to any CDS object entry in the resulting search path.

Examples

The following example imports a binding:

```
dcecp> rpcprofile import ./:cell-profile \  
> -interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0}  
{ncadg_ip_udp 15.22.48.25}  
{ncadg_ip_udp 15.22.50.213}  
{ncacn_ip_tcp 15.22.48.25}  
{ncacn_ip_tcp 15.22.50.213}  
dcecp>
```

rpcprofile list

Returns a list of the names of all members of the specified profile. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcprofile list profile_name_list [-member member_name_list] [-noupdate]
```

Options

-member *member_name_list*

Declares the names of members of the specified profile entry. The *member_name_list* argument is a list of names of one or more members to be listed.

-noupdate

Use this option to avoid taking the time to update the local cache. See **rpcprofile import** for more information.

The **list** operation returns a list of the names of all members of the specified profile. The names returned are fully qualified and are returned in an arbitrary order. The *profile_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC profiles whose members' names are to be returned. The members are concatenated on output into one list.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target profile entry).

Examples

The following command lists entries in the cell profile **./:cell-profile** in the local cell:

```
dcecp> rpcprofile list ./cell-profile
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/sec
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/sec-v1
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/sec
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/sec
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/lan-profile
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/fs
/.../my_cell.goodcompany.com/subsys/dce/dfs/bak
dcecp>
```

rpcprofile operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **rpcprofile** object. The syntax is as follows:

rpcprofile operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **rpcprofile operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> rpcprofile operations
add create delete import list remove show help operations
dcecp>
```

rpcprofile remove

Removes one or more members from the specified profile. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcprofile remove profile_name_list
{-default | -member member_name -interface interface_id |
-annotation annotation | -priority priority}
```

Options

-default

Performs the **remove** operation on the default profile element. When you use the **-default** option, all of the other options are illegal.

-member *member_name*

Required when the **-default** option is not used, this option lets you specify the name a member to be removed from all profiles named in the *profile_name_list* argument. The value of the **-member** option is a single name of an RPC entry, RPC group, or RPC profile; the name is only a reference stored in the RPC profile and need not exist outside of the profile. The specified member is removed from all RPC profiles specified in the argument.

-interface *interface_id*

Declares the interface identifier of an RPC interface. The **remove** operation allows you to specify only one *interface_id*.

-annotation *annotation*

Defines an annotation string for the profile element to be removed. You can

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include internal spaces in an annotation by enclosing the string in quotation marks (or by using other **dcecp** quoting mechanisms).

-priority *priority*

Defines a search priority for the profile element you want to see. The priority value is in the range 0 to 7, with 0 having the highest priority. By default, a nondefault element is assigned a priority value of 0.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.

The **remove** operation removes one member from the specified profiles. The *profile_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC profiles from which the member is to be removed. The member to be removed must match the values given in the following options: **-member**, **-interface**, and **-annotation**. These options are all single-valued; they are not lists. The matching member is removed from all RPC profiles specified in the argument. Also accepts a **-default** option, in which case the above options are illegal and the default profile member is removed. This operation returns an empty string on success. If the specified member does not exist in an RPC, profile an error is returned.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** and **w (write)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target profile entry).

Examples

The following example removes the member *./subsys/applications/infobases* with interface **{baf8c319-998f-11cd-ac7b-0000c08adf56 1.0}** from the RPC profile entry *./users/admin_profile*:

```
dcecp> rpcprofile remove ./users/admin_profile \  
> -member ./subsys/applications/infobases \  
> -interface {baf8c319-998f-11cd-ac7b-0000c08adf56 1.0}  
dcecp>
```

rpcprofile show

Returns a list of all members of one or more profiles. The syntax is as follows:

```
rpcprofile show profile_name_list  
{-default | [-member member_name] [-interface interface_id]  
[-version versions] [-priority priority] [-annotation annotation]  
[-noupdate]}
```

Options

-default

Performs the **show** operation on the default profile element. When you use the **-default** option, all of the other options are illegal.

-member *member_name*

Specifies one member name for which to return profile information.

See **Data Structures** for the format of the interface identifier.

-interface *interface_id*

Declares the interface identifier of an RPC interface. The **show** operation allows you to specify only one *interface_id*.

-version *versions*

Specifies interface version numbers to be returned. This option must be used with the **-interface** option.

See **Data Structures** for the exact behavior of the version values.

-priority *priority*

Defines a search priority for the profile element you want to see. The priority value is in the range 0 to 7, with 0 having the highest priority. By default, a nondefault element is assigned a priority value of 0.

-annotation *annotation*

Defines an annotation string for the profile element. You can include internal spaces in an annotation by enclosing the string in quotation marks (or by using other **dcecp** quoting mechanisms).

-noupdate

Use this option to avoid taking the time to update the local cache. See **rpcprofile import** for more information.

The **show** operation returns a list of all members of one or more profiles. The *profile_name_list* argument is a list of names of RPC profiles to have members of returned. An attribute list is returned for each member with all of the entered information. The list is in the following order: **interface**, **member**, **priority**, *annotation*. If any of the items is not given, they are not included in the output, that is, no place holder is included.

Only those members that match the values specified by the given options are returned. Each option may have only one value (that is, the value may not be a list). Also accepts a **-default** option, in which case the above options are ignored and the default profile member is returned.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target profile entry).

Examples

The following example uses no options to show all the members of a profile:

```
dcecp> rpcprofile show ./users/temp_profile
{{458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0} /.../cell.co.com/subsys/appls/infobases 0}
{{00000000-0000-0000-0000-000000000000 0.0} /.../cell.co.com/cell-profile 0}
{{baf8c319-998f-11cd-ac7b-0000c08adf56 1.0} /.../cell.co.com/subsys/appls/infobases 0}
dcecp>
```

The following example uses the **-interface** option to show a single member of a profile.

```
dcecp> rpcprofile show ./users/temp_profile \
> -interface {baf8c319-998f-11cd-ac7b-0000c08adf56 1.0}
{{baf8c319-998f-11cd-ac7b-0000c08adf56 1.0} /.../cell.co.com/subsys/appls/infobases 0}
```

Related Information

Commands: **endpoint(8dce)**, **rpcentry(8dce)**, **rpcgroup(8dce)**.

secval

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages the security validation service on a host

Synopsis

secval activate [*host_name_list*]

secval deactivate [*host_name_list*]

secval help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

secval operations

secval ping [*host_name_list*]

secval status [*host_name_list*]

secval update [*host_name_list*] [**-pesite***time_in_seconds*]

Arguments

host_name_list

A list of one or more names of host systems whose security validation systems you want to act on. If you do not specify this argument, the local host is assumed. The argument is optional and takes either of the following forms:

././hosts/dce_hostname

./.../cell_name/hosts/dce_hostname

operation

The name of the **secval** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **secval** object represents the security validation service running on a host, as part of the **dced** server. This service is responsible for maintaining the security credentials of the host machine.

Access to the commands is based on the access control list (ACL) of the security validation object for a host. This takes the form of *./.../cell_name/hosts/dce_hostname/config/secval*.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

secval activate

Activates a security validation service. The syntax is as follows:

```
secval activate [host_name_list]
```

The **activate** operation activates a security validation service. If the service is already activated, an error is returned. The optional *host_name_list* argument is a list of one or more names of host systems whose security validation systems you want to activate. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **x (execute)** permission to the security validation service object.

Examples

```
dcecp> secval activate  
dcecp>
```

secval deactivate

Deactivates a security validation service. The syntax is as follows:

```
secval deactivate [host_name_list]
```

The **deactivate** operation deactivates a security validation service. If it is already deactivated, an error is returned. The optional *host_name_list* argument is a list of one or more names of host systems whose security validation systems you want to deactivate. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **s (stop)** permission to the security validation service object.

Examples

```
dcecp> secval deactivate  
dcecp>
```

secval help

Returns help information about the **secval** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
secval help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **secval** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **secval help** command returns brief information about each **secval** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the

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name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **secval** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **secval help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> secval help
activate          Enables the secval service.
deactivate        Disables the secval service.
ping              Contacts the dced secval to validate the security service.
status            Returns 1 if secval is enabled, 0 if not.
update            Updates a component of the secval.
help              Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations        Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

secval operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **secval** object. The syntax is as follows:

secval operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **secval operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> secval operations
activate deactivate ping status update help operations
dcecp>
```

secval ping

Validates the credentials returned by a DCE security service. The syntax is as follows:

```
secval ping [host_name_list]
```

The **ping** operation validates the credentials returned by a security service. This operation is rarely invoked, but can be used to verify that **secdd** is trusted. The operation returns **1** if the credentials are valid, **0** if they are not. The optional *host_name_list* argument is a list of one or more names of host systems whose security validation systems you want to validate. If the argument is a list of host names, a list is returned with a **1** or a **0** for each server.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **secval ping** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> secval ping
1
dcecp>
```

secval status

Checks for an active secval. The syntax is as follows:

```
secval status [host_name_list]
```

The **status** operation returns **1** if the security validation service is activated, **0** if it is not. If the argument is a list, a list is returned, with a **0** or **1** for each server.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **secval status** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> secval status
1
dcecp>
```

secval update

Updates a component of the secval service. The syntax is as follows:

```
secval update [host_name_list] [-pesite time_in_seconds]
```

Options

-pesite

Sets the amount of time to wait between each pe_site Thread Maintenance update.

The **update** operation updates a component of the security validation service. Currently only updates to the pe_site Maintainer Thread are supported. Use the **-pesite** option to set the amount of time in seconds between each update. The update is performed after the time specified in *time_in_seconds* passes, if the **-pesite** option is not supplied, the update is performed immediately. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **x (execute)** permission to the security validation service object.

Examples

```
dcecp> secval update -pesite 300
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **dced(8dce)**

server

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages DCE application servers

Synopsis

```
server catalog [host_name_list] [-executing] [-simplename] [-local]  
server create server_name_list {-attributeattribute_list | -attributevalue }[-local]  
server delete server_name_list [-local]  
server disable server_name_list -interfaceinterface_id_list  
server enable server_name_list -interfaceinterface_id_list  
server help [operation | -verbose ]  
server modify server_name_list {-addextended_rgy_attr_list |  
-removeextended_rgy_attr_list | [-types] | -changeattribute_list }[-local]  
server operations  
server ping server_name_list [-timeouttimeout_method]  
server show server_name_list [-executing] [-local]  
server start server_name_list [-uuiduuid_list]  
server stop server_name_list [-methodmethod]
```

Arguments

host_name_list

A list of one or more DCE host names specifying hosts for which to catalog servers. Host names can be in any of the following forms:

```
/./hosts/ dce_hostname/.../ cell_name/hosts/dce_hostnamehosts/ dce_hostname
```

operation

The name of the **server** operation for which to display help information.

server_name_list

A list of one or more names of servers to act on. Server names have the form

```
/.../cell_name/hosts/dce_hostname/config/service/ name
```

where *service* is one of the following: **svrconf**, **svrexec**, or **server**. The first two replacements for *service* uniquely identify the correct service as either the configuration service or the execution service. The third is a simpler, but ambiguous term; however, the ambiguity can usually be resolved by context. For example, the **stop** operation applies only to a

svrexec object. In cases where it is still ambiguous, a **svrconf** object is assumed unless the **-executing** option is present.

Examples of server names are shown **Operations**.

Description

The **server** object refers to servers residing on a host. This one object can affect both the running daemons and the configuration information used by **dced** to start that daemon. The distinction is usually obvious by the definition of the operation or by the name given as an argument. When this is not the case, the ambiguity is resolved by a required option.

Almost all of these commands contact the **dced** on the target host to perform their operations. Exceptions are noted below.

Some commands operate on a single server while other commands operate on more than one server. See **Arguments** for a description of how to specify server names.

Server configuration objects may contain application-specific extended registry attributes (ERAs). Only the ERAs can be modified after creation; other attributes cannot.

interface_id

The interface identifier of an RPC interface. The interface identifier takes the following form:

interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version

The version numbers are optional, but if you omit one, the value defaults to **0**. The UUID is a hexadecimal string, and the version numbers are decimal strings. For example:

```
-interface ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,3.11
```

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

Alternatively, you can use **dcecp** string syntax in the following form:

```
{interface-UUID major-version.minor-version}
```

For example:

```
-interface {458ffcbe-98c1-11cd-bd93-0000c08adf56 1.0}
```

Attributes

arguments *string_list*

The command-line arguments passed to the program on startup. Its value is a list of strings. Cannot be modified after creation.

directory *directory_name*

The working directory that the server is started with. Cannot be modified after creation.

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gid *group_id*

The POSIX group identifier (**gid**) that the server is started with. May not be modified after creation.

keytabs *keytab_list*

A list of UUIDs of related keytab objects in which the server stores its keys. Cannot be modified after creation.

program *program_name*

The name of the server program to be run. Its value is a string. Cannot not be modified after creation.

prerequisites *uuid_list*

A list of UUIDs of other server configuration objects that represents servers that must be running before this one is started. In DCE Version 1.1, this information is not used to start the other servers; it is merely a note to the administrator. Future versions of **dcged** will probably take action based on this attribute. Cannot be modified after creation.

principals *principal_name_list*

A list of principal names that the server runs as. For example, **secd** runs as three different principals. A fully qualified name is always returned on output. On input a relative principal name represents a principal in the default cell of the **dcged**. Cannot be modified after creation.

services *attribute_list*

A list where each element is an attribute list of the following attributes:

annotation *string*

A human readable Portable Character Set (PCS) string describing the service. (This is not an internationalized string, for compatibility with DCE Version 1.0 endpoint map annotation strings.)

bindings *protocol_sequence_list*

A list of string bindings identifying the service.

flags *flag_name_list*

The value is a list of keywords to identify flags for the server. Currently only one is supported:

disabled

The mapping has been marked as disabled in the endpoint map.

ifname *interface_name*

The name of the interface of the service limited to PCS characters.

interface *interface_id*

The interface identifier (UUID and version) of the service.

entryname *service_name*

The name of the service (limited to PCS characters).

objects *object_uuid_list*

A list of object UUIDs the service supports.

executing { *uuid pid*}

A list of two elements, the UUID of the server instance and the pid (process ID) of the running server. This attribute is only present if the server is running. This attribute is multivalued, one value for each instance of the server.

starton *starting_condition_list*

This attribute identifies when a server should be started. The value is a list of one or more of the following, none of which can be modified after creation.

auto Start if **dced** receives a remote call that would be serviced by this server. Ignored for those servers that are repositories.

boot Start at system startup.

explicit

Start if **dced** receives a command to start the server (such as the **server start** command in **dcecp**).

failure Start if **dced** detects that the server exited with a nonsuccessful error code.

Specifying a null value to this attribute means the server will not be started. An example of a possible value is as follows:

```
{starton {boot explicit failure}}
```

uid *user_id*

The POSIX user identifier (**uid**) that the server is started with. Cannot not be modified after creation.

uuid *uuid*

The internal identifier of the object. It can be specified on creation, or automatically generated, but once created it cannot be modified.

Server configuration objects may also have ERAs attached to them. ERAs may be manipulated by the **modify** operation.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about server attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

server catalog

Returns a list of the names of all server configuration objects on a specified host. The syntax is as follows:

server catalog

```
[host_name_list] [-executing] [-simplename] [-local]
```

Options

-executing

Returns the name of all servers known by **dced** that are currently running on the specified host.

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-simplename

Returns names but removes the */.../ cellname/hosts/dce_hostname/config/service/* portion of the name.

-local Specifies that the command is to operate on the local **dced** object while the **dced** on the local machine is in partial service mode.

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all server configuration objects on a specified host. If called with the **-executing** option, it returns the name of all server execution objects (running servers) known by **dced** that are currently executing on the specified host. If called with no arguments, it returns information about the servers on the local host. The optional *host_name_list* argument is a list of host names. If more than one is specified then the information returned is concatenated. The order of information returned is arbitrary. Fully qualified names are returned by default; use the **-simplename** option to return the names without prepending the cell name and the name of the server container.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the applicable container (configuration or execution) object.

Examples

```
dcecp> server catalog /./hosts/foster
././hosts/foster/config/srvrconf/try_tserver
dcecp>
```

server create

Creates a server configuration object. The syntax is as follows:

```
server create server_name_list
{-attribute attribute_list | -attribute value}
[-local]
```

Options

-attribute *attribute_list*

Allows you to specify attributes by using an attribute list rather than using the *- attribute value* option. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{attribute value}...{attribute value}
```

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using the **-attribute** option with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in **Attributes**.

-local Specifies that the command is to operate on the local **dced** object while the **dced** on the local machine is in partial service mode.

The **create** operation creates a server configuration object. The *server_name_list* argument is a list of names of server configuration objects to be created. An **-attribute** option with an argument list as a value is required to define attributes for the server to be created; the operation also accepts individual *- attribute value*. It returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **i (insert)** permission to the configuration container object.

Examples

```
dcecp> server create ./:/hosts/foster/config/srvrconf/try_tserver \
> -arguments ./:/hosts/foster/test_server \
> -program tserver \
> -entryname ./:/hosts/foster/test_server \
> -services {{ifname {test server}}
> {annotation {dcecp server test program}}
> {interface {008bebed-c7c1-1ddc-9cb3-0000c0ba4944 1.0}}
> {bindings {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.50}}
> {objects 0073f23a-2e1a-1ddd-b73a-0000c0ba4944}
> {flags {}}
> {entryname ./:/hosts/foster/test_server}}
> -principals tserver \
> -starton {boot auto explicit failure} \
> -directory {/opt/tserver}
dcecp>
```

server delete

Deletes a server configuration object. The syntax is as follows:

```
server delete server_name_list [-local]
```

The **delete** operation deletes a server configuration object. The *server_name_list* argument is a list of names of server configuration objects to be deleted. This operation returns an empty string on success. An error is returned if any of the objects do not exist.

Options

-local Specifies that the command is to operate on the local **dced** object while the **dced** on the local machine is in partial service mode.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** and **r (read)** permissions to the server configuration object.

Examples

```
dcecp> server delete ./:/hosts/foster/config/srvrconf/try_tserver
dcecp>
```

server disable

Disables the specified server. The syntax is as follows:

```
server disable server_name_list -interface interface_id_list
```

Options

-interface *interface_id_list*

Specifies a list of one or more RPC interfaces to be disabled. The interface identifier can be in string syntax or **dcecp** syntax.

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See **Data Structures** for a description of string and **dcecp** syntaxes.

The **disable** operation disables the specified server. It communicates with **dced** and removes the endpoints for all interfaces registered by the server (except the **rpc_mgmt** interface) from the endpoint map. The *server_name_list* argument is a list of names of server execution objects. The operation requires the **-interface** option to specify a list of interfaces to be disabled. It returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the server execution object.

Examples

```
dcecp> server disable /./hosts/foster/config/srvrexec/try_tserver -interface {008bebed-c7c1-1ddc-9
dcecp>
```

server enable

Enables the specified server. The syntax is as follows:

```
server enable server_name_list -interface interface_id_list
```

Options

-interface *interface_id_list*

Specifies a list of one or more RPC interfaces to be enabled. The interface identifier can be in string syntax or **dcecp** syntax.

See **Data Structures** for a description of string and **dcecp** syntax.

The **enable** operation enables the specified server. It communicates with **dced** and enables any previously disabled endpoint mapping for all interfaces registered by the server in the endpoint map. The argument *server_name* is a list of names of server execution objects. This operation requires the **-interface** option to specify a list of interfaces to be enabled and returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the server execution object.

Examples

```
dcecp> server enable /./hosts/foster/config/srvrexec/try_tserver
dcecp>
```

server help

Returns help information about the **server** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
server help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **server** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **server help** command returns brief information about each **server** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **server** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **server help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> server help
catalog          Returns the list of srvrconf or srvrexec object names.
create           Creates a new server configuration (srvrconf) object.
delete           Deletes a server configuration (srvrconf) object.
disable          Disables interfaces of server execution (srvrexec) object.
enable           Enables interfaces of server execution (srvrexec) object.
modify           Modifies the srvrconf object's variable attributes.
ping            Pings a server to see if it is receiving requests.
show             Returns the attributes of a srvrconf or srvrexec object.
start            Starts the specified server.
stop             Stops the specified running server.
help             Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations       Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

server modify

Used to add or remove fixed attributes or ERAs and their values from the server configuration object. The syntax is as follows:

```
server modify server_name_list
{-add extended_rgy_attr_list | -remove extended_rgy_attr_list [-types] |
-change attribute_list} [-local]
```

Options

-add *extended_rgy_attr_list*
Allows you to add ERAs that may be defined for your environment. You can specify the attributes to be added as a list. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about ERAs.

-remove *extended_rgy_attr_list*
Allows you to remove ERAs that may be defined for your environment. You can specify the attributes to be removed as a list. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about ERAs.

-types Specifies that a list of attribute names instead of names and values was given as the value of the **-remove** option, indicating that the entire attribute should be removed and not just specified values.

-change *attribute_list*
Allows you to specify attributes by using an attribute list in the following format:

```
{{attribute value}...{attribute value}}
```

See **Attributes** for more information about server attributes.

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-local Specifies that the command is to operate on the local **dced** object while the **dced** on the local machine is in partial service mode.

The **modify** operation changes fixed attributes or adds or removes ERAs and their values from the server object. The *server_name_list* argument is a list of names of server objects to be modified. The operation accepts the **-change** option, which must have an attribute list as its value. Attribute options are not supported for this command. The name is always for a server configuration object; you may not modify a server execution object. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the server configuration object.

Examples

```
dcecp> server modify ./:/hosts/foster/config/srvrconf/try_tserver \  
> -add {data {second server list}}  
dcecp>
```

server operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **server** object. The syntax is as follows:

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The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **server operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> server operations  
catalog create delete disable enable modify ping show start stop  
> help operations  
dcecp>
```

server ping

Checks whether a server is receiving client requests. The syntax is as follows:

```
server ping server_name_list [-timeout timeout_method]
```

Options

-timeout *timeout_method*

Specifies the timeout method to use during communication with the server. Legal values are **min** (the default), **max** or **default**.

The **ping** operation queries a server to see whether it is receiving requests. This operation communicates directly with the server. The *server_name_list* argument is a list identifying the servers to ping.

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The **-timeout** option controls the communication timeout used in contacting the server being pinged. Use **min** for speed, **max** for accuracy, and **default** for a compromise between speed and accuracy.

This operation returns a list of values, one for each server specified in the argument, in the same order. The values are **1** if the server is listening for RPC requests, **0** if it is not.

Each argument can be in one of the following formats:

1. The name of a server entry in the namespace to be imported from. For example:

```
./.../brain_cell/hosts/wallis/srvrexec/event_server
```

2. A string binding with an object UUID specified. For example:

```
{00337ea9-d979-1dd8-923f-0000c08adf56 ncacn_ip_tcp 15.121.12.72}
```

3. A string binding with an endpoint specified. For example:

```
{ncacn_ip_tcp 15.121.12.72 1075}
```

4. An interface ID followed by a hostname, separated by commas. For example:

```
{4885772c-c6d3-11ca-84c6-08002bic8fif,oddba11}
```

5. An interface ID followed by an object UUID and a hostname, separated by commas. For example:

```
{4885772c-c6d3-11ca-84c6-08002bic8fif,  
019ee420-682d-1109-a607-08002bodea7a,  
oddba11}
```

Privileges Required

Often no special privileges are required, but this can vary depending on the individual server.

Examples

```
dcecp> server ping ./.../brain_cell/hosts/wallis/srvrexec/event_server  
1  
dcecp>
```

server show

Returns information about servers. The syntax is as follows:

```
server show server_name_list [-executing] [-local]
```

Options

-executing

Returns an attribute list for a running server rather than its associated configuration object.

-local Specifies that the command is to operate on the local **dced** object while the **dced** on the local machine is in partial service mode.

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The **show** operation returns a list of both the fixed attributes and ERAs for the server entries specified in the argument. The argument *server_name_list* is a list of names of server object entries. If the names are ambiguous, server configuration objects are assumed unless the **-executing** option is present. If the argument is a list the output is concatenated into a single list in the order specified.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the specified (configuration or execution) object.

Examples

```
dcecp> server show ./:/hosts/foster/config/srvrconf/try_tserver
{uid 003b24d2-a196-1df3-915f-0000c0ba4944}
{program tserver}
{arguments ./:/hosts/foster/test_server}
{prerequisites {}}
{keytabs {}}
{entryname ./:/hosts/foster/test_server}
{services
  {{ifname {test server}}
   {annotation {dcecp server test program}}
   {interface {008bebed-c7c1-1ddc-9cb3-0000c0ba4944 1.0}}
   {bindings {ncadg_ip_udp 130.105.5.50}}
   {objects 0073f23a-2e1a-1ddd-b73a-0000c0ba4944}
   {flags {}}
  {entryname ./:/hosts/foster/test_server}}}
{principals ../foster_cell/tserver}
{starton boot auto explicit failure}
{uid 0}
{gid 0}
{dir /opt/tserver}
dcecp>
```

server start

Contacts a **dced** process to start a server based on a server configuration object. The syntax is as follows:

```
server start server_name_list [-uid uid_list]
```

Options

-uid *uid_list*

A list of one or more UUIDs that identify the server to be started.

The **start** operation contacts a **dced** to start a server based on a server configuration object. The *server_name_list* argument is a list of names of server configuration objects. This operation returns the UUID of the started server on success. This is the UUID found in the **serverexec** object for the server.

Privileges Required

You must have **x (execute)** permission to the configuration object.

Examples

```
dcecp> server start ./:/hosts/foster/config/srvrconf/try_tserver
d90a0374-eb99-11cd-91b1-080009251352
dcecp>
```

server stop

Stops the specified running server processes. The syntax is as follows:

```
server stop server_name_list [-method method]
```

Options

-method *method*

Optionally specifies how **dced** should stop the server. The *method* must be one of the following:

rpc Use `rpc_mgmt_server_stop_listening`. This is the default.

soft Use a soft local mechanism, such as **SIGTERM**.

hard Use a hard local mechanism, such as **SIGKILL**.

error Use a state-preserving mechanism, such as **SIGABRT**.

The **stop** operation stops the specified running server processes. The *server_name_list* argument is a list of names of servers. This operation returns an empty string on success. It takes an optional **-method** option to specify how **dced** should stop the server.

The RPC runtime identifies servers not by name, but by interface, object UUID and endpoints. You should be aware that if you use the **rpc** method, the command cannot distinguish between two or more server instances binding *without* endpoints to the same interface and using the same object UUID. In this case, the command stops a randomly selected server, not necessarily the one named in *server_name_list*.

Privileges Required

You must have **s** (**stop**) permission on the execution object.

Examples

```
dcecp> server stop ./:/hosts/foster/config/srvrexec/try_tserver
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **acl(8dce)**, **account(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **dced(8dce)**, **hostdata(8dce)**, **keytab(8dce)**.

user

Purpose

A dcecp task object that manipulates user information in a DCE cell

Synopsis

```
user create user_name_list -mypwd password -password password -group
group_name -organization organization_name [-force] {-attribute attribute_list |
-attribute value }
```

```
user delete user_name_list
```

```
user help [operation | -verbose ]
```

```
user operations
```

```
user show user_name_list
```

Arguments

operation

The name of the **user** operation for which to display help information.

user_name_list

A list of one or more names of principals to act on. Supply the names as follows:

1. Fully qualified principal names in the form

```
/.../ cell_name/ principal_name or
./:/ principal_name
```

2. Cell-relative principal names in the form

principal_name

These names refer to a principal in the cell identified in the **_s(sec)** convenience variable, or if the **_s(sec)** convenience variable is not set, in the local host's default cell.

Do not mix fully qualified names and cell-relative names in a list. In addition, do not use the names of registry database objects that contain principal information; in other words, do not use names that begin with **./:/sec/principal/**.

Description

The **user** task object represents all of the data associated with a DCE user. This consists of registry information and a Cell Directory Service (CDS) directory in the default implementation. The **user** task object allows administrators to easily create principals and accounts, delete principals and accounts, and view principal information.

When it creates a principal and account, the **user** task object adds a CDS directory named after the principal with the appropriate access control list (ACL). If necessary the **user** task object also adds the principal to a group and an organization, creating the group and organization if necessary. Only the principal and account attributes are considered attributes of the **user** task object, and are the only ones displayed by the **show** operation.

This object is implemented as a script to allow it to be manipulated and extended on a per-site basis. For example, administrators might want to add Global Directory Service (GDS) and Distributed File Service (DFS) information to the object. Other possible modifications include the following:

1. Changing the location of the CDS directory created for users, or remove it completely.
2. Changing the default ACLs placed on the various objects.
3. Setting certain attributes or policies on all newly created principals and accounts to match the site's policies.
4. Setting up site specific defaults for passwords (to be changed by the user later), groups, organizations, principal directories, and so on.
5. Supporting a **modify** operation.

Attributes

alias *value*

Used with the **create** operation. The value of this attribute must be **yes** or **no**. Each principal can have only one name, but may have one or more alias names. All these names refer to the same principal and, therefore, the same Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) and UNIX ID (uid). While aliases refer to the same principal, they are separate entries in the registry database. Therefore the name supplied to a **user** command can refer to either the primary name or an alias name of a principal. The value of this attribute determines whether the name is a primary name (**alias no**) or an alias name (**alias yes**). The default is **no**.

client {**yes** | **no**}

A flag set to indicate whether the account is for a principal that can act as a client. The value of this attribute must be **yes** or **no**. If you set it to **yes**, the principal is able to log in to the account and acquire tickets for authentication. The default is **yes**.

description

A text string (limited to the Portable Character Set or PCS) typically used to describe the use of the account. The default is the empty string ("").

dupkey {**yes** | **no**}

A flag set to determine if tickets issued to the account's principal can have duplicate keys. The value of this attribute must be **yes** or **no**. The default is **no**.

In DCE, this attribute is currently only advisory. However, Kerberos clients and servers will use of it when they interact with a DCE Security server.

expdate *ISO_timestamp*

The date on which the account expires. To renew the account, change the date in this field. Specify the time by using an ISO compliant time format such as *CCYY-MM-DD-hh:mm:ss* or the string **none**. The default is **none**.

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forwardabletkt {yes | no}

A flag set to determine whether a new ticket-granting ticket with a network address that differs from the present ticket-granting ticket network address can be issued to the account's principal. The **proxiabletkt** attribute performs the same function for service tickets. This attribute must have a value of **yes** or **no**. The default is **yes**.

In DCE, this attribute is currently only advisory. However, Kerberos clients and servers will use it when they interact with a DCE Security server.

fullname *string*

Used with the **create** operation, this attribute specifies the full name of the principal. It is for information purposes only. It typically describes or expands a primary name to allow easy recognition by users. For example, a principal could have a primary name of **jsbach** and a full name of **Johann S. Bach**. The value is a string. If it contains spaces, it is displayed in quotes, and on entry must be in quotations or braces (as per Tcl quoting rules). If not entered, the full name defaults to the null string (that is, blank).

force Force creation of the specified group or organization if they do not exist.

group *group_name*

The name of the group associated with the account. The value is a single group name of an existing group in the registry. This attribute must be specified for the **user create** command; it does not have a default value.

If a group is deleted from the registry, all accounts associated with the group are also deleted.

home *directory_name*

The file system directory in which the principal is placed in at login. The default is the */* directory.

organization *organization_name*

The name of the organization associated with the account. The value is a single organization name of an existing organization in the registry. This attribute must be specified for the **account create** command; it does not have a default value.

If an organization is deleted from the registry, all accounts associated with the organization are also deleted.

maxktlife *relative_time*

The maximum amount of time that a ticket can be valid. Specify the time by using the Distributed Time Service (DTS) relative time format (**[-]** *DD- hh: mm: ss*). When a client requests a ticket to a server, the lifetime granted to the ticket takes into account the **maxktlife** set for both the server and the client. In other words, the lifetime cannot exceed the shorter of the server's or client's **maxktlife**. If you do not specify a **maxktlife** for an account, the **maxktlife** defined as registry authorization policy is used.

maxktrenew *relative_time*

The amount of time before a principal's ticket-granting ticket expires and that principal must log in to the system again to reauthenticate and obtain another ticket-granting ticket. Specify the time by using the DTS-relative time format (**[-]** *DD- hh: mm: ss*). The lifetime of the principal's service tickets can never exceed the lifetime of the principal's ticket-granting ticket. The shorter you make **maxktrenew**, the greater the security of the system. However, since principals must log in again to renew their ticket-granting ticket, the time needs to balance user convenience against level of security required. If you do not specify this attribute for an account, the

maxtkrenew lifetime defined as registry authorization policy is used. This feature is not currently used by DCE; any use of this option is unsupported at the present time.

mypwd *password*

Lets you enter your password. You must enter your password to create an account. This check prevents a malicious user from using an existing privileged session to create unauthorized accounts.

password *password*

The password of the account. This attribute must be specified for the **user create** command; there is no default value. This attribute is not returned by a **user show** command.

postdatedtk {**yes** | **no**}

A flag set to determine whether tickets with a start time some time in the future can be issued to the account's principal. This attribute must have a value of **yes** or **no**. The default is **no**.

In DCE, this attribute is currently only advisory. However, Kerberos clients and servers will use it when they interact with a DCE Security server.

proxiabletk {**yes** | **no**}

A flag set to determine whether a new ticket with a different network address than the present ticket can be issued to the account's principal. The **forwardabletk** attribute performs the same function for ticket-granting tickets. This attribute must have a value of **yes** or **no**. The default is **no**.

In DCE, this attribute is currently only advisory. However, Kerberos clients and servers will use it when they interact with a DCE Security server.

pwdvalid {**yes** | **no**}

A flag set to determine whether the current password is valid. If this flag is set to **no**, the next time a principal logs in to the account, the system prompts the principal to change the password. (Note that this flag is separate from the **pwdexpdate** policy, which sets time limits on password validity.) This attribute must have a value of **yes** or **no**. The default is **yes**.

renewabletk {**yes** | **no**}

A flag set to determine if the ticket-granting ticket issued to the account's principal can be renewed. If this flag is set to **yes**, the authentication service renews the ticket-granting ticket if its lifetime is valid. This attribute must have a value of **yes** or **no**. The default is **yes**.

In DCE, this attribute is currently only advisory. However, Kerberos clients and servers will use it when they interact with a DCE Security server.

server {**yes** | **no**}

A flag set to indicate whether the account is for a principal that can act as a server. If the account is for a server that engages in authenticated communications, set this flag to **yes**. This attribute must have a value of **yes** or **no**. The default is **yes**.

shell *path_to_shell*

The path of the shell that is executed when a principal logs in. The legal value is any shell supported by the home cell. The default value is the empty string (`""`).

stdtgtauth {**yes** | **no**}

A flag set to determine whether service tickets issued to the account's

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principal use the standard DCE ticket-granting ticket authentication mechanism. This attribute must have a value of **yes** or **no**. The default is **yes**.

uid *value*

Used with the **create** operation, this specifies the UNIX ID (uid) for the principal. No two principals can have the same uid. However, aliases can share one uid. It is often called the Unix ID and is an integer. If this attribute is not supplied, a UID is assigned to principal automatically.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about principal and account attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

user create

Creates a principal name, an account, and a directory in CDS for one or more DCE users. The syntax is as follows:

```
user create user_name_list -mypwd password -password
password -group group_name -organization organization_name [-force]
{-attribute attribute_list | -attribute value}
```

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using the **-attribute** option with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in **Attributes**.

-attribute *attribute_list*

Allows you to specify attributes, including ERAs, by using an attribute list rather than using the **- attribute value** option. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{attribute value}...{attribute value}}
```

-force Forces creation of the specified group or organization if they do not exist.

-group *group_name*

The name of the group to associate with the account. See **Attributes** for the format of a group name.

-mypwd *password*

Your privileged password. You must enter your privileged password to create an account. This check prevents a malicious user from using an existing privileged session to create unauthorized accounts. You must specify this option on the command line; it cannot be supplied in a script.

-organization *organization_name*

The name of the organization to associate with the account. See **Attributes** for the format of an organization name.

-password *password*

The account password. See **Attributes** for the format of a password.

The **create** operation creates a principal name, account, and a directory in CDS for one or more DCE users. The *user_name_list* argument is the name of one or more principals to be added to the registry. This operation returns an empty string on success. If the operation encounters an error, it attempts to undo any interim operations that have completed.

This command creates one or more principals and accounts for them. If a principal or account already exists, an error is generated. Each principal is then added to the specified group and organization (since the principal has just been created, it cannot have been a member of any group or organization). If the group or organization does not exist, an error is generated unless the **-force** option is used. The operation creates a CDS directory called *./users/ principal_name* and adds an ACL entry to the default ACL so that the user has **rwtdci** permissions on the directory. These permissions allow all access except for deleting the directory and administering replication on the directory.

Attributes and policies for the newly created principal and account may be specified with the **-attributes** option and specifying an attribute list as the value, or with attribute options. This command attempts to add any unknown attributes as ERAs on the created principal object. Policies of the organization may not be specified, as they would probably affect more than the created user. The required group and organization names may be specified either as attributes in the **-attributes** option or via the **-group** and **-organization** options. The required **password** attribute may be provided as in the **account create** command, and the **-mypwd** option is also required.

Privileges Required

Because the **user create** command performs several operations, you need the permissions associated with each operation, as follows:

1. To create the principal name, you must have **i (insert)** permission to the directory in which the principal is to be created.
2. If the specified groups or organizations do not already exist and you use the **-force** option, you must have **i (insert)** permission to the directories in which the groups and organizations are to be created.
3. To create the account, you must have **m (mgmt_info)**, **a (auth_info)**, and **u (user_info)** permission to the principal named in the account, **r (read)** permission to the organization named in the account, **r (read)** permission to the group named in the account, and **r (read)** permission on the registry policy object.
4. To create the directory in CDS you must have the following permissions:
 - a. **r (read)** and **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory
 - b. **w (write)** permission to the clearinghouse in which the master replica of the new directory is to be stored.

Examples

The following example creates a principal named **K_Parsons** and adds him to a group named **users** and an organization named **users**:

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```
dcecp> user create K_Parsons -mypwd 3k1_JL2 -password change.me \  
> -group users -organization users  
dcecp> group list users  
/.../my_cell.goodco.com/W_Ross  
/.../my_cell.goodco.com/J_Seaverance  
/.../my_cell.goodco.com/J_Hunter  
/.../my_cell.goodco.com/B_Carr  
/.../my_cell.goodco.com/E_Vliet  
/.../my_cell.goodco.com/J_Egan  
/.../my_cell.goodco.com/F_Willis  
/.../my_cell.goodco.com/K_Parsons  
dcecp>  
  
dcecp> account show K_Parsons  
{acctvalid yes}  
{client yes}  
{created /.../my_cell.goodco.com/cell_admin 1994-07-27-13:02:51.000+00:00I-----}  
{description {}}  
{dupkey no}  
{expdate none}  
{forwardabletkt yes}  
{goodsince 1994-07-27-13:02:51.000+00:00I-----}  
{group users}  
{home /}  
{lastchange /.../my_cell.goodco.com/cell_admin 1994-07-27-13:02:51.000+00:00I-----}  
{organization users}  
{postdatedtkt no}  
{proxiabltkt no}  
{pwdvalid yes}  
{renewabletkt yes}  
{server yes}  
{shell {}}  
{stdtgtauth yes}  
dcecp>
```

user delete

Deletes DCE users. The syntax is as follows:

```
user delete user_name_list
```

The **delete** operation deletes the DCE users named in *user_name_list*. To delete a user, the operation proceeds as follows:

1. Deletes the principal from the registry, which also deletes the account and removes the principal from any groups and organizations.
2. Deletes the *./:users/ principal_name* directory and any contents.

This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

Because the **user delete** command performs several operations, you need the permissions associated with each operation:

1. You must have **d (delete)** permission to the directory in which the target principal exists. You must have **r (read)** and **D (Delete_object)** permission on the principal to be deleted.
2. You must have **r (read)** and **M (Member_list)** permission on the target groups and organizations and **r (read)** permission on the member to be removed.

3. To delete the account, you must have **r (read)**, **m (mgmt_info)**, **a (auth_info)**, and **u (user_info)** permissions for the principal named in the account.
4. To delete the directory in CDS, you must have **d (delete)** permission to the directory and **w (write)** permission to the clearinghouse that stores the master replica of the directory. The server principal needs **a (auth_info)** permission to the parent directory or **d (delete)** permission to the child pointer that points to the directory you intend to delete.

Examples

The following example deletes user **K_Parsons** from the cell:

```
dcecp> user delete K_Parsons
dcecp>
```

user help

Returns help information about the **user** task object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
user help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **user** task object.

Used without an argument or option, the **user help** command returns brief information about each **user** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **user** task object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **user help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> user help
create          Creates a DCE user.
delete         Deletes a DCE user.
show           Shows the attributes of a DCE user.
help           Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations     Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

user operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **user** task object. The syntax is as follows:

user operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

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No special privileges are needed to use the **user operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> user operations
create delete show help operations
dcecp>
```

user show

Returns the attributes of one or more DCE users. The syntax is as follows:

```
user show user_name_list
```

The **show** operation returns the attributes of the users named in *user_name_list*. The information returned includes principal attributes, account attributes, and policies. The information is returned as if the following commands were run in the following order:

```
principal show
account show -all
```

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the principal named in the account.

Examples

```
dcecp> user show K_Parsons
{fullname {}}
{uid 5129}
{uuid 00001409-a943-21cd-be00-0000c08adf56}
{alias no}
{quota unlimited}
{groups users}
{acctvalid yes}
{client yes}
{created ../../my_cell.goodco.com/cell_admin 1994-07-27-13:02:51.000+00:00I-----}
{description {}}
{dupkey no}
{expdate none}
{forwardabletkt yes}
{goodsince 1994-07-27-13:02:51.000+00:00I-----}
{group users}
{home /}
{lastchange ../../my_cell.goodco.com/cell_admin 1994-07-27-13:02:51.000+00:00I-----}
{organization users}
{postdatedtkt no}
{proxiabletkt no}
{pwdvalid yes}
{renewabletkt yes}
{server yes}
{shell {}}
{stdtgtauth yes}
nopolicy
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **account(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **directory(8dce)**, **group(8dce)**, **organization(8dce)**, **principal(8dce)**, **xattrschema(8dce)**.

utc

Purpose

A dcecp object that manipulates UTC timestamps

Synopsis

utc add *timestamp relative_timestamp*

utc compare *absolute_timestamp absolute_timestamp* [-noinaccuracy]

utc convert *absolute_timestamp* [-gmt]

utc help [*operation* | -verbose]

utc multiply *relative_timestamp* {*integer* | *floating_point_factor* }

utc operations

utc subtract *timestamp timestamp*

Arguments

absolute_timestamp

An International Organization for Standardization (ISO) compliant time format of the following form:

CCYY- MMDD- hh: mm: ss. fff[+ |-]hh: mmIsss. fff

The Time Differential Factor (TDF) component [+ |-]hh. mm, if present, indicates the offset from Universal Time Coordinated (UTC) time and implies local system time. The inaccuracy component Iss. fff, if present, specifies the duration of the time interval that contains the absolute time.

floating_point_factor

A floating-point number such as 53.234.

integer

A whole number such as 79.

operation

The name of the **utc** operation for which to display help information.

relative_timestamp

A Distributed Time Service (DTS) timestamp of the following form:

[-]DD- hh: mm: ss. fffIss. fff

Relative times often omit fractions of seconds (the leftmost .fff sequence) and generally lack an inaccuracy component (Iss.fff). For example, a relative time of 21 days, 8 hours, and 15 minutes is expressed as 21-08:15:00.

timestamp

A **utc** timestamp that can be a relative or absolute time. See the *relative_timestamp* and *absolute_timestamp* argument descriptions for the format of these timestamps.

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Description

The **utc** object lets you add, compare, and convert timestamps in DTS and ISO formats.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

utc add

Adds two timestamps. The syntax is as follows:

```
utc add timestamp relative_timestamp
```

The **add** operation returns the sum of two timestamps. The timestamps can be two relative times or an absolute time and a relative time.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **utc add** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> utc add 1994-10-18-13:21:50.419-04:00I----- +0-00:02:00.000I-----  
1994-10-18-13:23:50.419-04:00I-----  
dcecp>
```

utc compare

Compares two absolute timestamps indicating the temporal order. The syntax is as follows:

```
utc compare absolute_timestamp absolute_timestamp [-noinaccuracy]
```

Options

-noinaccuracy

Specifies to ignore inaccuracies in comparisons.

The **compare** operation compares two timestamps and returns **-1** if the first is earlier, **1** if the second is earlier, and **0** if the difference is indeterminate. Specify the **-noinaccuracy** option to ignore inaccuracies in comparisons; in this case a return of **0** indicates the times are the same.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **utc compare** command.

Examples


```
dcecp> utc compare 1994-10-18-13:22:32.816-04:00I----- \
> 1994-10-18-13:21:50.419-04:00I----- -noinaccuracy
1
dcecp>
```

utc convert

Converts a timestamp from UTC to local time. The syntax is as follows:

```
utc convert absolute_timestamp [-gmt]
```

Options

-gmt Specifies to return a Greenwich mean time (GMT) formatted timestamp.

The **convert** operation accepts a timestamp and returns another timestamp that expresses the same time in the local time zone. If called with the **-gmt** option it returns a Greenwich mean time (GMT) formatted timestamp.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **utc convert** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> utc convert 1994-10-18-13:22:32.816-00:00I-----
1994-10-18-09:22:32.816-04:00I-----
dcecp>
```

utc help

Returns help information about the **utc** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
utc help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **utc** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **utc help** command returns brief information about each **utc** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **utc** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **utc help** command.

Examples

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```
dcecp> utc help
add           Adds a relative and absolute, or two relative, timestamps.
compare      Compares two timestamps to determine which is earlier.
convert      Converts a timestamp into the local timezone or GMT.
multiply     Multiplies a relative timestamp by a number.
subtract     Returns the difference between two timestamps.
help         Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations   Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

utc multiply

Multiplies a relative time (a length of time) by an integer or floating-point factor. The syntax is as follows:

```
utc multiply relative_timestamp {integer | floating_point_factor}
```

The **multiply** operation accepts two arguments: a relative timestamp and an integer or floating-point factor. It multiplies the length of time (specified by the relative timestamp) by the integer or floating-point factor, returning the product as a relative timestamp.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **utc multiply** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> utc multiply +0-00:00:05.000I----- 3
+0-00:00:15.000I-----
dcecp>
```

utc operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **utc** object. The syntax is as follows:

```
utc operations
```

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **utc operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> utc operations
add compare convert multiply subtract help operations
dcecp>
```

utc subtract

Subtracts one timestamp from another, returning the difference as a relative timestamp. The syntax is as follows:

```
utc subtract timestamp timestamp
```

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The **subtract** operation returns the difference between two timestamps that express either an absolute time and a relative time, two relative times, or two absolute times. The return value is a relative timestamp.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **utc subtract** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> utc subtract 1994-10-18-13:22:32.816-00:00I----- +0-00:00:15.000I-----  
1994-10-18-13:22:17.816+00:00I-----  
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **clock(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **dts(8dce)**, **dtssd(8dts)**.

uuid

Purpose

A dcecp object that generates and compares UUIDs

Synopsis

uuid compare *uuid uuid*

uuid create

uuid help [*operation* | **-verbose**]

uuid operations

Arguments

uuid A UUID in the following form:

069d9fb6-943e-11cd-a35c-0000c08adf56

operation

The name of the **uuid** operation for which to display help information.

Description

The **uuid** object generates and compares Universal Unique Identifiers (UUIDs). UUIDs uniquely identify DCE entities such as principals, RPC entries, Cell Directory Service (CDS) replicas, and so on.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

uuid compare

Compares two UUIDs. The syntax is as follows:

uuid compare *uuid uuid*

The **compare** operation compares two UUIDs, returning **1** if they are equal or **0** if they are not. Because the **uuid compare** command handles the comparison of UUIDs in current and previous DCE formats, you should use it rather than **string compare**.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **uuid compare** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> uuid compare 03bb2688-943e-11cd-8bfd-0000c08adf56 \
> 069d9fb6-943e-11cd-a35c-0000c08adf56
0
dcecp>
```

uuid create

Returns a newly generated UUID. The syntax is as follows:

uuid create

The **create** operation returns a newly generated UUID. It takes no arguments.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **uuid create** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> uuid create
03bb2688-943e-11cd-8bfd-0000c08adf56
dcecp>
```

uuid help

Returns help information about the **uuid** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
uuid help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **uuid** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **uuid help** command returns brief information about each **uuid** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **uuid** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **uuid help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> uuid help
compare          Compares two UUIDs for equality.
create          Returns a newly generated UUID.
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations      Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

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uuid operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **uuid** object. The syntax is as follows:

uuid operations

The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **uuid operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> uuid operations  
compare create help operations  
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **endpoint(8dce)**.

xattrschema

Purpose

A dcecp object that manages schema information for extended registry attributes (ERAs)

Synopsis

```
xattrschema catalog schema_name [-simplename]
```

```
xattrschema create schema_entry_name_list {-attributeattribute_list |  
-attributevalue }
```

```
xattrschema delete schema_entry_name_list
```

```
xattrschema help [operation | -verbose ]
```

```
xattrschema modify schema_entry_name_list {-changeattribute_list |  
-attributevalue }
```

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```
xattrschema rename schema_entry_name -tonew_schema_entry_name
```

```
xattrschema show schema_entry_name_list
```

Arguments

operation

The name of the **xattrschema** operation for which to display help information.

schema_entry_name

The name of a single schema entry type.

schema_entry_name_list

A list of one or more schema entry types to act on.

schema_name

The name of the schema that defines the schema entry types named in *schema_entry_name_list*. Two schemas are currently supported:

```
/.../cell_name/sec/xattrschema
```

```
/.../cell_name/hosts/hostname/config/xattrschema
```

Description

The **xattrschema** object represents the schema information for an extended registry attribute (ERA). This command manipulates the schema type that defines ERAs. Schema types are identified by name. Other **dcecp** commands manipulate individual instances of ERAs. ERA instances are an attribute of a given schema type that has been attached to an object and assigned a value.

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You can attach ERAs to principal, group, and organization objects and to server configuration and server execution objects supported by **dced**.

ERA entry types for principal, group, and organization objects have the following default name:

```
././sec/xattrschema/schema_entry_name
```

ERA types for **dced** server objects have the following name:

```
././hosts/hostname/config/xattrschema/schema_entry_name
```

ERA types are defined to be attached to only those objects supported by specified ACL managers.

Attributes

aclmgr *description*

A set that lists the ACL managers that support the object types on which ERAs of this type can be created. For each ACL manager type, the permissions required for attribute operations are also specified. Each ACL manager is described with a list, in the following format:

```
{uuid queryset updateset testset deleteset}
```

where the first element is the Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) of the ACL manager, and the rest are the sets of permissions (concatenated permission strings as found in an ACL) required to perform each type of operation. The value of this attribute is actually a list of these lists. For example:

```
{8680f026-2642-11cd-9a43-080009251352 r w t D}  
{18dbdad2-23df-11cd-82d4-080009251352 r w t mD}
```

This attribute is modifiable after creation, but only in a limited way. New ACL managers can be added, but existing ones cannot be removed or changed. This attribute must be specified on creation.

annotation *string*

A comment field used to store information about the schema entry. It is a Portable Character Set (PCS) string. The default is an empty string (that is, blank).

applydefs {**yes** | **no**}

Indicates that if this ERA does not exist for a given object on an attribute query, the system-defined default value (if any) for this attribute will be returned. If set to **no**, an attribute query returns an attribute instance only if it exists on the object named in the query. The value of this attribute must be **yes** or **no**. The default is **no**. This attribute is only advisory in DCE Version 1.1. Future versions of DCE will support this functionality.

encoding *type*

The type of the ERA. This attribute cannot be modified after creation, and must be specified on creation. Legal values are one of the following:

any The value of the ERA can take on any encoding. This encoding type is only legal for the definition of an ERA in a schema entry. All instances of an ERA must have an encoding of some other value.

attrset

The value of the ERA is a list of attribute type UUIDs used to retrieve multiple related attributes by specifying a single attribute type on a query.

binding

The value of the ERA contains authentication, authorization, and binding information suitable for communicating with a DCE server. The syntax is a list of two elements.

The first element is a list of security information in which the first element is the authentication type, either **none** or **dce**, followed by information specific for each type. The type **none** has no further information. The type **dce** is followed by a principal name, a protection level (**default**, **none**, **connect**, **call**, **pkt**, **pktinteg**, or **pktprivacy**), an authentication service (**default**, **none**, or **secret**), and an authorization service (**none**, **name**, or **dce**). Examples of three security information lists are as follows:

```
{none}
{dce ./:/melman default default dce}
{dce ./:/melman pktprivacy secret dce}
```

The second element is a list of binding information, in which binding information can be string bindings or server entry names. Two examples of binding information are as follows:

```
{./:/hosts/hostname/dce-entity
 ./:/subsys/dce/sec/master}
{ncadg_ip_udp:130.105.96.3
 ncadg_ip_udp:130.105.96.6}
```

byte The value of the ERA is a string of bytes. The byte string is assumed to be **pickle** or is otherwise a self-describing type.

It is unlikely that attributes of this type will be entered manually. The format of output is hexadecimal bytes separated by spaces with 20 bytes per line. For example, the input attribute name **bindata** might produce the following output:

```
{bindata
{00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 0a 0b 0c 0d 0e 0f 10 11 12 13
22 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 2a 2b 2c 2d 2e 2f 12 11 12 13}}
```

The braces indicate that **bindata** has one value. On input all whitespace is compressed so that users can enter the data as bytes or words or any combination, whichever is more convenient. Therefore, a user could enter the following:

```
{bindata
{00010203 0405 06070809 0a0b 0c0d0e0f 10111213
22212223 2425 26272829 2a2b 2c2d2e2f 12111213}}
```

i18ndata

The value of the ERA is a string of bytes with a tag identifying the (IBM registered) codeset used to encode the data.

Although it is unlikely that administrators will enter attributes of this type manually, the DCE control program does support entering

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binary data via the following notations: `lddd` where `ddd` can be one, two, or three octal digits, and `\xhh` where `hh` can be any number of hexadecimal digits.

integer

The value of the ERA is a signed 32-bit integer.

printstring

The value of the ERA is a printable Interface Definition Language (IDL) character string using Portable Character Set (PCS).

stringarray

An array of PCS strings; represented as a Tcl list of strings.

uuid The value of the ERA is a UUID.

void The ERA has no value. It is simply a marker that is either present or absent.

intercell *value*

Specifies the action that should be taken by the privilege server when reading ERAs from a foreign cell. Possible values are as follows:

accept

Accepts ERAs from foreign cells. The only check applied is uniqueness if indicated by the **unique** attribute.

reject Discards ERAs from foreign cells.

evaluate

Invokes a trigger function to a server that would decide whether the ERA should be kept, discarded, or mapped to another value.

The default is **reject**.

This attribute is only advisory in DCE Version 1.1. Future versions of DCE will support this functionality.

multivalued {**yes** | **no**}

Indicates that ERAs of this type may be multivalued (that is, multiple instances of the same attribute type may be attached to a single registry object). The value of this attribute must be **yes** or **no**. This attribute is not modifiable after creation. The default is **no**.

reserved {**yes** | **no**}

If set, this schema entry may not be deleted through any interface by any user. The value of this attribute must be **yes** or **no**. The default is **no**.

scope *string*

Indicates the name of a security directory or object in the registry. If it is an object, instances of this ERA can be attached only to this object. If it is a directory, instances of this ERA can be attached only to descendants of this directory. The default is an empty string, which does not limit which objects ERAs may be attached to. For example, if this attribute is set to **principal/org/dce** only principals with a prefix of **org/dce** in the name may have this type of ERA. You cannot modify this attribute after it is created. The default is the empty string (that is, blank).

This attribute is only advisory in DCE Version 1.1. Future versions of DCE will support this functionality.

trigtype *type*

Identifies whether there is a trigger and if so what type it is. The possible

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values are: **none**, **query**, and **update**. If this attribute is anything other than **none**, then **trigbind** must be set. This attribute is not modifiable after creation. The default is **none**.

trigbind *binding*

Contains binding information for the server that will support the trigger operations. This field must be set if **trigtype** is not **none** or if **intercell** is set to **evaluate**. The value of this attribute is of the format described by the *binding* encoding type. The default is the empty string (that is, blank).

unique {**yes** | **no**}

Indicates that each instance of the ERA must have a unique value within the cell for a particular object type (for instance, principal). The value of this attribute must be **yes** or **no**. This attribute is not modifiable after creation. The default is **no**.

This attribute is only advisory in DCE Version 1.1. Future versions of DCE will support this functionality.

uuid *uuid*

The internal identifier of the ERA. The value is a UUID. This attribute is not modifiable after creation. If not specified on the **create** operation, a value is generated by the system.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about **xattrschema** attributes.

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Operations

xattrschema catalog

Returns a list of all the schema entry types defined in the specified schema. The syntax is as follows:

```
xattrschema catalog schema_name [-simplename]
```

Options

-simplename

Returns only the residual part of the schema name.

The **catalog** operation returns a list of the names of all the schema entry types defined in the named schema. Use the **-simplename** option to return only the residual part of the names, instead of the fully qualified names.

Privileges Required

You must have **r** (**read**) permission to the schema container object (**./sec/xattrschema** or **./hosts/hostname/config/xattrschema**).

Examples

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```
dcecp> xattrschema catalog /./sec/xattrschema
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/pre_auth_req
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/pwd_val_type
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/pwd_mgmt_binding
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/X500_DN
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/X500_DSA_Admin
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/disable_time_interval
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/max_invalid_attempts
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/passwd_override
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/test_any
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/test_void
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/test_printstring
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/test_printstring_array
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/test_integer
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/test_bytes
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/test_i18n_data
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/test_uuid
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/test_attr_set
/.../my_cell/sec/xattrschema/test_binding
dcecp>
```

xattrschema create

Creates a new schema entry type. The syntax is as follows:

```
xattrschema create schema_entry_name_list
{-attribute attribute_list | -attribute value}
```

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using the **-attribute** option with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in **Attributes**.

-attribute *attribute_list*

Allows you to specify attributes by using an attribute list rather than using the - *attribute value* option. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{attribute value}...{attribute value}}
```

The **create** operation creates a new schema entry for an ERA. The argument is a list of one or more names of schema entry types to be created. Attributes for the created schema entry types can be specified via attribute lists or attribute options. If the command argument contains more than one schema name, you cannot specify a UUID attribute. All attributes are applied to all entry types to be created. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **i** (**insert**) permission to the container object (*/./sec/xattrschema* or */./hosts/hostname/config/xattrschema*).

Examples

```
dcecp> xattrschema create /./sec/xattrschema/test_integer \
> -encoding integer -aclmgr {group r r r r}
dcecp>
```

xattrschema delete

Deletes a schema entry type. The syntax is as follows:

```
xattrschema delete schema_entry_name_list
```

The **delete** operation deletes a schema entry. The argument is a list of names of schema entry types to be deleted. This command also deletes all ERA instances of the schema entry. If the entry types do not exist, an error is generated. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the container object (*./:/sec/xattrschema* or *./:/hosts/hostname/config/xattrschema*).

Examples

```
dcecp> xattrschema delete ./:/sec/xattrschema/test_integer
dcecp>
```

xattrschema help

Returns help information about the **xattrschema** object and its operations. The syntax is as follows:

```
xattrschema help [operation | -verbose]
```

Options

-verbose

Displays information about the **xattrschema** object.

Used without an argument or option, the **xattrschema help** command returns brief information about each **xattrschema** operation. The optional *operation* argument is the name of an operation about which you want detailed information. Alternatively, you can use the **-verbose** option for more detailed information about the **xattrschema** object itself.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **xattrschema help** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> xattrschema help
catalog          Returns a list of all entries in a schema.
create           Creates a schema entry.
delete          Deletes a schema entry.
modify          Modifies an existing schema entry.
rename          Renames an existing schema entry.
show            Returns the attributes of a schema entry.
help            Prints a summary of command-line options.
operations       Returns a list of the valid operations for this command.
dcecp>
```

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xattrschema modify

This operation changes the attributes of a schema entry type. The syntax is as follows:

```
xattrschema modify schema_entry_name_list  
{-change attribute_list | -attribute value}
```

Options

- *attribute value*

As an alternative to using options with an attribute list, you can change individual attribute options by prepending a hyphen (-) to any attributes listed in **Attributes**.

-change *attribute_list*

Allows you to modify attributes by using an attribute list rather than using individual attribute options. The format of an attribute list is as follows:

```
{{attribute value}...{attribute value}}
```

See **Attributes** for descriptions of the attributes.

The **modify** operation changes attributes of schema entry types in the security service only. The argument is a list of names of schema entry types to be operated on. All modifications are applied to all schema entry types named in the argument. Schema entry types are modified in the order they are listed, and all modifications to an individual schema entry are atomic. Modifications to multiple schema entry types are not atomic. A failure for any one schema entry in a list generates an error and aborts the operation. This operation returns an empty string on success.

The **-change** option modifies attributes. Its value is an attribute list describing the new values for the specified attributes. The command supports attribute options as well.

Privileges Required

You must have **m (mgmt_info)** permission to the container object **./:/sec/xattrschema**.

Examples

```
dcecp> xattrschema modify ./:/sec/xattrschema/test_integer \  
> -aclmgr {organization r r r}  
dcecp>
```

xattrschema operations

Returns a list of the operations supported by the **xattrschema** object. The syntax is as follows:

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The list of available operations is in alphabetical order except for **help** and **operations**, which are listed last.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **xattrschema operations** command.

Examples

```
dcecp> xattrschema operations
catalog create delete modify rename show help operations
dcecp>
```

xattrschema rename

Changes the name of a specified schema entry type. The syntax is as follows:

```
xattrschema rename schema_entry_name -to new_schema_entry_name
```

Options

-to *new_schema_entry_name*

Specifies the new name. Specify the name in simple format, without the container-object portion (that is, without *./sec/xattrschema*).

The **rename** operation changes the name of a specified ERA in the security service only. The argument is a single name of an ERA to be renamed. The *new_schema_entry_name* argument to the required **-to** option specifies the new name; this argument cannot be a list. This operation returns an empty string on success.

Privileges Required

You must have **m (mgmt_info)** permission to the container object *./sec/xattrschema*.

Examples

```
dcecp> xattrschema rename ./sec/xattrschema/test_integer -to test_int
dcecp>
```

xattrschema show

Returns an attribute list describing the specified schema entry type. The syntax is as follows:

```
xattrschema show schema_entry_name_list
```

The **show** operation returns an attribute list describing the specified schema entry types. The argument is a list of names of schema entry types to be operated on. If more than one schema entry is given, the attributes are concatenated. Attributes are returned in arbitrary order.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the container object (*./sec/xattrschema* or *./hosts/hostname/config/xattrschema*).

Examples

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```
dcecp> xattrschema show ./:/sec/xattrschema/test_integer
{aclmgr {principal {{query r} {update r} {test r} {delete r}}}}
{annotation {test_integer: encoding type integer}}
{applydefs yes}
{encoding integer}
{intercell reject}
{multivalued yes}
{reserved no}
{scope {}}
{trigbind {none {}}}}
{trigtype none}
{unique no}
{uuid 5f439154-2af1-11cd-8ec3-080009353559}
dcecp>
```

Related Information

Commands: **account(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **group(8dce)**, **organization(8dce)**, **principal(8dce)**.

Chapter 2. Remote Procedure Call Commands

rpc_intro

Purpose

Introduction to the DCE RPC programmer commands

Description

The DCE remote procedure call (RPC) component provides the following programmer commands:

idl Invokes the Interface Definition Language (IDL) compiler to convert an interface definition, written in IDL, to output files. The output files include a header file, a server stub file, and a client stub file.

idl -spmi
Modifies the IDL compiler so that it automatically generates RPC instrumentation sensors in IDL stub files.

rpcprotseq
Determines the supported protocol sequences on a given host and prints them to standard output (stdout).

rpcresolve
Recursively resolves the elements of a namespace entry.

uuidgen
Creates a Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) string that you assign to an object to uniquely distinguish it from other objects.

See each command's reference page for further information.

IDL Base Data Types and IDL-to-C

The following table lists the IDL base data type specifiers. Where applicable, the table shows the size of the corresponding transmittable type and the type macro emitted by the IDL compiler for resulting declarations.

Note that you can use the **idl_** macros in the code you write for an application to ensure that your type declarations are consistent with those in the stubs, even when the application is ported to another platform. The **idl_** macros are especially useful when passing constant values to RPC calls. For maximum portability, all constants passed to RPC calls declared in your network interfaces should be cast to the appropriate type because the size of integer constants (like the size of the **int** data type) is unspecified in the C language.

The **idl_** macros are defined in **dce/idlbase.h**, which is included by header files that the IDL compiler generates.

Table 1. Base Data Type Specifiers—rpc_intro(1rpc)

	Specifier			Type Macro Emitted by idl
(sign)	(size) small short	(type) int int	Size 8 bits 16 bits	idl_small_int idl_short_int

Table 1. Base Data Type Specifiers—rpc_intro(1rpc) (continued)

	Specifier			
(sign)	(size)	(type)	Size	Type Macro Emitted by idl
	long	int	32 bits	idl_long_int
	hyper	int	64 bits	idl_hyper_int
unsigned	small	int	8 bits	idl_usmall_int
unsigned	short	int	16 bits	idl_ushort_int
unsigned	long	int	32 bits	idl_ulong_int
unsigned	hyper	int	64 bits	idl_uhyper_int
		float	32 bits	idl_short_float
		double	64 bits	idl_long_float
		char	8 bits	idl_char
		Boolean	8 bits	idl_boolean
		byte	8 bits	idl_byte
		void	—	idl_void_p_t
		handle_t	—	—

Related Information

Commands: **idl(1rpc)**, **uuidgen(1rpc)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide*.

idl

Purpose

Invokes the Interface Definition Language (IDL) compiler

Synopsis

idl *filename* [*options*]

Options

-client *file_type*

Determines which client files to generate. If you do not specify this argument, the compiler generates all client files. The file types are as follows:

none Does not generate client files.

stub Generates only a client stub file.

aux Generates only a client auxiliary file. A client auxiliary file is generated only if the interface contains any out-of-line or self-pointing types. For more information, see the caution notes in the **Description** section of this reference page.

all Generates client stub and client auxiliary files. This is the default and is the same as not specifying the **-client** argument.

-server *file_type*

Determines which server files to generate. If you do not specify this argument, the compiler generates all server files. The file types are as follows:

none Does not generate server files.

stub Generates only a server stub file.

aux Generates only a server auxiliary file. A server auxiliary file is generated only if the interface contains any out-of-line, self-pointing, or pipe types. For more information, see the caution notes in the **Description** section of this reference page.

all Generates server stub and server auxiliary files. This is the default and is the same as not specifying the **-server** argument.

-lang*language*

Specifies which language to use to generate header and intermediate stub files. The valid languages are as follows:

c Generates C files. This is the default and is the same as not specifying the **-lang** argument.

cxx Generates C++ files.

-no_cxxmgr

Causes the compiler to not overwrite the *manager class header* file. Use this argument if you implement application-specific C++ code in the manager class header file.

-cstub *filename*

Specifies a pathname for the client stub file. When you give a filename, do not give a file extension; the **idl** compiler appends **.c** to the C source file and **.o** to the object file. If you do not use the **-cstub** argument, the **idl** compiler appends **_cstub.c** to the C source file and **_cstub.o** to the object file. If the **-lang cxx** option is used, the source file has a **.Cxx** extension.

-sstub *filename*

Specifies a pathname for the server stub file. When you give a filename, do not give a file extension; the **idl** compiler appends **.c** to the C source file and **.o** to the object file. If you do not use the **-sstub** argument, the **idl** compiler appends **_sstub.c** to the C source file and **_sstub.o** to the object file. If the **-lang cxx** option is used, the source file has a **.Cxx** extension.

-caux *filename*

Specifies a pathname for the client auxiliary file. When you give a filename, do not give a file extension; the **idl** compiler appends **.c** to the C source file and **.o** to the object file. If you do not use the **-caux** argument, the **idl** compiler appends **_caux.c** to the C source file and **_caux.o** to the object file.

This option allows makefile compatibility with OSF DCE Release 1.0.2 and earlier releases. For more information, see the caution notes in the **Description** section of this reference page.

-saux *filename*

Specifies a pathname for the server auxiliary file. When you give a filename, do not give a file extension; the **idl** compiler appends **.c** to the C source file and **.o** to the object file. If you do not use the **-saux** argument, the **idl** compiler appends **_saux.c** to the C source file and **_saux.o** to the object file.

This option allows makefile compatibility with OSF DCE Release 1.0.2 and earlier releases. For more information, see the caution notes in the **Description** section of this reference page.

-header *header_file*

Allows you to specify a name for the generated header file. By default the compiler takes the basename of the IDL file and appends the **.h** extension to it.

-out *directory*

Places the output files in the directory you specify. By default the compiler places the output files in the current working directory.

-I *directory*

Specifies a directory name that contains imported interface definition files. You can specify more than one directory by specifying additional **-I directory** arguments on the command line. The compiler searches the directories in the order you list them. If a file is present in more than one directory, the compiler takes the first occurrence of the file. The default behavior of the compiler is to first search the current directory, then all directories you specify, then the system IDL directory. The directory you specify is also passed to the language preprocessors and compilers.

-no_def_idir

Specifies that the compiler search only the current directory for imported

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files. When you use this with **-ldirectory**, the compiler searches only the directories you list, not the current directory, and not the system IDL directory.

-no_mepv

Causes the compiler to not generate a manager entry point vector (EPV) in the server stub. Use this argument if the manager code and IDL file do not use the same operation names. If you specify this argument you must provide an EPV within the manager code that can be used when the interface is registered with the remote procedure call (RPC) server runtime. The name of the type that you construct an EPV with is *if_name_v major-version_ minor-version_epv_t* where *if_name* is the interface name. It is not necessary to use this argument if the operation names in the manager code and IDL file are the same. In this case, the compiler generates a manager EPV in the server stub by using the names of the operations in the IDL file. (For information on registering the server, see the **rpc_intro(3rpc)** and **rpc_server_register_if(3rpc)** reference pages. See also the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Core Components* .)

-cepv

Generates local routines in the client stub file (*filename_cstub.c*) and defines a client entry point vector (CEPV) of the name *if_name_v major-version_ minor-version_c_epv* where *if_name* is the interface name. The CEPV contains the addresses of the local routines. The client code must call the routines indirectly by using the addresses in the CEPV; otherwise, the stub routines in the client stub file must have the same names as the operations in the IDL file. (For information on registering the server, see the **rpc_intro(3rpc)** and **rpc_server_register_if(3rpc)** reference pages.) See also the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Core Components*.)

-cpp_cmd'c_preprocessor_command_line'

Allows you to specify a language preprocessor other than the default. The compiler invokes the preprocessor found in that command line. The output of the preprocessor is an expanded version of the input file(s) containing replacement text for any preprocessor directives (for example, the **#include** preprocessor directive).

-cpp_opt'command_options'

Specifies additional options to be passed to the language preprocessor. You can add options to the command line used to invoke the preprocessor independent of the **-cpp_cmd** argument. The IDL compiler concatenates the **-cpp_cmd**, **-cpp_opt**, **-D**, **-U**, and **-I** arguments and the source filename into a command used to invoke the preprocessor.

The compiler repeats this process for each Attribute Configuration File (ACF) and IDL file.

-no_cpp

Does not invoke the language preprocessor. Note that the preprocessor must be run on files that contain preprocessor directives (such as **#include**) in the interface definition.

-cc_cmd'command_line'

Invokes the language compiler options you specify in the *'command_line'* argument rather than the default compiler and compiler options.

-cc_opt *command_options*

Specifies additional options to be passed to the C or C++ compiler. You can add options to the command line used to invoke the compiler independent of the **-cc_cmd** argument. The IDL compiler concatenates the **-cc_cmd**, **-cc_opt**, and **-I** arguments and the source filename into a command that invokes the language compiler. This procedure is done for each generated stub or auxiliary file.

-Dname[= *definition*]

Defines a symbol name and an optional value to be passed to the language preprocessor. You can use this method of defining a symbol instead of using **#define** in the source code. You can use more than one **-Dname** argument on the command line. This argument has no effect if you use the **-no_cpp** argument.

-Uname

Removes (undefines) any initial definition of a symbol name as defined by **-Dname**. You can use this method to remove a symbol name instead of using **#undef** in the source code. You can use more than one **-Uname** argument on the command line. This argument has no effect if you use the **-no_cpp** argument. If you define and undefine a name on the same command line, undefining takes precedence.

-space_opt

Generates code for the marshalling and unmarshalling of data that is optimized for space, rather than speed.

-syntax_only

Checks only the syntax of the IDL file, but does not generate any output files.

-keep *file_types*

Specifies which files to retain. To produce the object modules, the IDL compiler first creates C or C++ source modules, then invokes the target compiler to produce object modules, and finally, deletes the source modules. If you do not use **-keep**, only the object modules are saved.

The file types are as follows:

none Does not save the source or the object modules. Does not invoke the language compiler.

c_source

Saves only the source modules. Does not invoke the language compiler.

object Saves only the object modules.

all Saves both the source and the object modules.

-bug n, -no_bug n

Retains (**-bug**) or does not retain (**-no_bug**) a specified bug from earlier IDL compiler versions. (This is an NCS compatibility argument and is not supported in IBM DCE 2.2.)

-stdin Takes the standard output of a previous utility as the input to the **idl** command. For example:

```
cat my_filename.idl | idl -stdin
```

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-version

Displays the current version of the IDL compiler.

-v Prints informational messages (verbose mode) on the screen while the compiler is running.

-no_warn

Suppresses compiler warning messages.

-confirm

Displays all the **idl** command arguments you chose, but does not compile the source IDL file. If you use this with the **-v** argument, informational messages about how the compiler behaves if you do not use **-confirm** are displayed but no corresponding actions are performed.

Description

The **idl** command invokes the Interface Definition Language (IDL) compiler to convert an interface definition, written in IDL, into output files. The possible output files include a header file, server stub file, client stub file, auxiliary files, and a manager class header file. The compiler constructs the names of the output files by keeping the basename of the interface definition source file but replacing the filename extension with the new extension (or suffix and extension) appropriate to the newly generated type of output file. For example, **math.idl** could produce **math_sstub.c** or **math_sstub.o** for the server stub.

The **idl** command accepts the following input:

1. An interface definition filename.
2. Arguments to indicate either special actions to be performed by the compiler, or special properties of the input or output files.

The IDL compiler searches through directories for any related Attribute Configuration File (ACF). For example, if you compile a file named **source.idl**, the compiler automatically searches for a file named **source.acf**. The compiler also searches for any imported IDL file (and its related ACF). The compiler searches for these files in the following order:

1. The current working directory. The compiler always searches this directory unless you specify the **-no_def_idir** and **-ldirectory** arguments together.
2. Any imported directory. The compiler searches each directory you are specifying in the **-ldirectory** argument.
3. The system IDL directory. The compiler automatically imports **nbased.idl**, which resides in the system IDL directory. The compiler always searches this directory unless you specify the **-no_def_idir** argument.
4. The directory specified in the source filename. If you explicitly specify a directory in the source IDL pathname, then that directory is searched for the corresponding ACF. For example, the following command causes the IDL compiler to look for **/path/pathname/my_source.acf** if **my_source.acf** is not found in the directories in 1 through 3 above:

```
idl /path/pathname/my_source.idl
```

Note that this directory is not searched for any imported IDL file or its corresponding ACF.

Restrictions

The following filenames are reserved by the IDL compiler. Naming an IDL file with one of these names may result in unexpected behavior.

iovector.idl	lbase.idl	nbase.idl	ncastat.idl
ndroid.idl	rpc.idl	rpcbase.idl	rpcpvt.idl
rpcsts.idl	rpctypes.idl	twr.idl	uuid.idl

CAUTION:

When the IDL compiler generates C code, it is ANSI C code. It also supports C compilers that are not fully ANSI compliant although a warning message may occur during compilation of the stubs by the C compiler. A C compiler that is not fully ANSI compliant may generate the following warning messages:

```
warning: & before array or function: ignored
warning: enumeration type clash, operator
=
```

CAUTION:

Makefiles created before OSF DCE Release 1.0.3 can produce a compiler warning if they reference `.caux.o` or `.saux.o` (auxiliary) files. You can use these Makefiles without alteration and avoid warnings by forcing IDL to generate empty aux files. In the C shell, set the `IDL_GEN_AUX_FILES` environment variable as follows:

```
setenv IDL_GEN_AUX_FILES 1
```

Examples

1. Invoke the IDL compiler to compile the interface definition file `test.idl` and keep the generated C source modules. Only server files are generated. The server stub default filename is overridden by creating a file named `test_ss.c` for the server stub module.

```
idl test.idl -keep c_source -client none -sstub test_ss.c
```

2. Invoke the IDL compiler to compile the interface definition file `test.idl`, but do not run the C preprocessor. The manager entry point vector is not defined in the generated server stub module. The IDL compiler searches the parent directory of the current directory for any IDL files that `test.idl` could import. The generated output files are located in the `output` subdirectory under the current directory.

```
idl test.idl -no_cpp -no_mepv -I.. -out./output
```

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Files

```
/lib/cpp
C preprocessor
```

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dcshared/bin/idl
Compiler

dcshared/include/dce
System IDL directory for imported files

dcshared/include/dce/nbase.idl
Predefined IDL types

dcshared/nls/msg/LANG/idl.cat
Compiler error messages

dcshared/share/include/file.ext
All *.idl* or *.h* files that are part of DCE RPC

Related Information

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Core Components*.

idl -spmi

Purpose

Modifies the Interface Definition Language (IDL) compiler so that it automatically generates RPC instrumentation sensors in IDL stub files.

Synopsis

```
idl -spmi[ option_string]
```

Options

- spmi** Specifies that one or more System Performance Monitor Interfaces (SPMI) instrumentation options (**c** and **s**) are to be included on the IDL command line.
- c** Specifies that SPMI instrumentation code is added to the client stub and that an SPMI header file is generated for the client stub. One or more of the record options (**e**, **m**, or **p**) must be specified along with the **c** option.
- s** Specifies that SPMI instrumentation code is added to the server stub and that an SPMI header file is generated for the server stub. One or more of the record options (**e**, **m**, or **p**) must be specified along with the **s** option.
 - e** Specifies to record the elapsed time of the entire remote procedure call. If you specify the **e** or **m** option, you can also use **q**.
 - m** Specifies to record the elapsed time for marshalling and unmarshalling. If you specify the **e** or **m** option, you can also use **q**.
 - q** Specifies to calculate the sums of squares of the elapsed times. The elapsed times are in nanoseconds.
 - p** Specifies to record the RPC counts by protocol type (**ncacn_ip_tcp** and **nacdg_ip_udp**) and by the total of both types.

Description

The **idl -spmi** command modifies the IDL compiler so that it automatically generates RPC instrumentation sensors in IDL stub files. The **spmi** API from the Performance Toolkit/6000 is used for the initial collection mechanism. After applications are compiled with the instrumented stubs, they are Dynamic Data Supplier (DDS) applications.

The **c** or **s** option must be included in the *option_string*. Both can be included. One or more of the record options (**e**, **m**, or **p**) must be included in the *option_string*. The sum of squares calculation option, **q**, can be used only if an elapsed time option (**e**, **m**, or both) is also included in the *option_string*.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **idl -spmi** command.

Examples

None

idl -spmi

Related Information

Commands: **idl**

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Core Components* for more information on when to use **idl -spmi**.

uuidgen

Purpose

Generates a Universal Unique Identifier (UUID)

Synopsis

uuidgen [*options*]

Options

- c** Allows you to supply an existing UUID that **uuidgen** then outputs in the format you specify. This option is especially useful in combination with the **-s** option for converting an existing UUID into a C structure.
You must specify the **-c** option at the end of the **uuidgen** command line; all options that follow **-c** are ignored.
- i**
Produces an Interface Definition Language (IDL) file template and includes the generated UUID string in the template.
- o filename**
Redirects the generated UUID string to the file you specify.
- s** Generates a UUID string as an initialized C structure.
- v**
Displays the version number of the UUID generator, but does not generate a UUID.
- h** Displays information about the **uuidgen** command arguments. The arguments **-h** and **-?** can be used interchangeably.
- ?** Displays information about the **uuidgen** command arguments. The arguments **-?** and **-h** can be used interchangeably.
- n number_of_uuid_strings**
Generates a specified number of UUID strings.
- t old_uuid**
Translates an old-style UUID into a new-style UUID.

Description

The **uuidgen** command creates a Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) string that you assign to an object to uniquely identify it. One such use is in the UUID interface attribute of an IDL interface definition. The format for representing a UUID string consists of eight hexadecimal digits followed by a dash, followed by three groups of four hexadecimal digits separated by dashes, followed by a dash and twelve hexadecimal digits, as shown in the following sample:

```
01234567-89ab-cdef-0123-456789abcdef
```

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Examples

1. Generate a UUID string with the following command:

```
uuidgen
```

This results in output like the following:

```
23c67e00-71b6-11c9-9dfc-08002b0ecef1
```

2. Generate a partial template, containing a generated UUID string, to be used to develop an interface definition, with the following command:

```
uuidgen -i
```

This results in output like the following:

```
[  
  uuid(828bf780-71b6-11c9-b5a8-08002b0ecef1),  
  version (1.0)  
]  
interface INTERFACENAME  
{  
  
}
```

3. Convert a UUID string from the old-style format to the new format with the following command:

```
uuidgen -t 34DC23469EAF.AB.A2.01.7C.5F.2C.ED.A3
```

This results in output like the following:

```
34dc2346-9eaf-0000-aba2-017c5f2ceda3
```

4. Generate four UUID strings with the following command:

```
uuidgen -n 4
```

This results in output like the following:

```
612c0b00-71b8-11c9-973a-08002b0ecef1  
612c0b01-71b8-11c9-973a-08002b0ecef1  
612c0b02-71b8-11c9-973a-08002b0ecef1  
612c0b03-71b8-11c9-973a-08002b0ecef1
```

5. Convert a UUID into a C structure with the following command:

```
uuidgen -s -c 1251ace6-93a1-11cd-95ad-0800097086e4
```

This results in output like the following:

```
= { /* 1251ace6-93a1-11cd-95ad-0800097086e4 */
0x1251ace6,
0x93a1,
0x11cd,
0x95,
0xad
{0x08, 0x00, 0x09, 0x70, 0x86, 0xe4}
};
```

Errors

A representative list of errors that might be returned is not shown here. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Problem Determination Guide* for complete descriptions of all error messages.

Files

dcshared/bin/uuidgen
Generator

dcshared/nls/msg/LANG/uuidgen.cat
Generator error messages

rpc_intro

Purpose

Introduction to RPC daemon and RPC control program commands

Description

The DCE remote procedure call (RPC) component provides two administrative facilities: the RPC daemon and the DCE RPC control program, **rpccp**.

Note:

These facilities are superseded by the DCE host daemon (**dcled**) and the DCE control program (**dcecp**) in OSF DCE Version 1.1.

The RPC daemon is a process that provides the endpoint map service, which maintains the local endpoint map for local RPC servers and looks up endpoints for RPC clients. An **endpoint** is the address of a specific instance of a server executing in a particular address space on a given system (a server instance). Each endpoint can be used on a system by only one server at a time.

An endpoint map is a database where servers register their binding information, including endpoints, for each of their RPC interfaces and the associated RPC objects. Each combination of binding information, interface identifier, and object Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) uses a distinct element in the local endpoint map. The **rpcd** command starts the RPC daemon.

The DCE RPC control program, **rpccp**, provides a set of commands for accessing the operations of the RPC Name Service Interface (NSI). For managing endpoint maps, the control program supports showing endpoint map elements and removing any set of map elements from the local endpoint map or from any remote endpoint map. The **rpccp** command starts the RPC control program.

Exit Values

The RPC control program reports DCE error messages on the command line. If the command executes successfully, the internal value returned is **0** (zero); otherwise, the value is **-1** (negative one).

Related Information

Commands: **rpcd(8rpc)**, **rpccp(8rpc)**, **dcled(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Core Components*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Reference*.

rpccp

Purpose

Starts the DCE remote procedure call (RPC) control program

Synopsis

rpccp [*rpccp-command*]

Arguments

rpccp-command

Specifies one of the following control program commands:

add element

Adds an element to a profile in a name service entry; if the specified entry does not exist, creates the entry.

add entry

Adds an entry to the name service database.

add mapping

Adds or replaces server address information in the local endpoint map.

add member

Adds a member to a group in a name service entry; if the specified entry does not exist, creates the entry.

exit Leaves the RPC control program.

export

Exports binding information for an interface identifier, object Universal Unique Identifiers (UUIDs), or both to a server entry; if the specified entry does not exist, creates the entry.

help Displays a list of commands or the possible options of a specified command.

import

Imports binding information and an object UUID from a server entry.

quit Leaves the RPC control program.

remove element

Removes selected elements from a profile.

remove entry

Removes an entry from the name service database.

remove group

Removes all group members and the group from the specified entry.

remove mapping

Removes specified elements from the local endpoint map or from the endpoint map of a specified remote host.

remove member

Removes a selected member from a group.

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remove profile

Removes all profile elements and the profile from the specified entry.

show entry

Shows the Name Service Interface (NSI) attributes of an entry.

show group

Shows the members of a group.

show mapping

Shows the elements of the local endpoint map.

show profile

Shows the elements of a profile.

show server

Shows the binding information, interface identifier, and object UUIDs in a server entry.

unexport

Removes binding information, interface identifiers, and object UUIDs from a server entry.

Description

Note:

With the exception of the **help** subcommand, this facility was superseded by the DCE control program (**dcecp**) in OSF DCE Version 1.1. This command may be fully replaced by the **dcecp** command in a future release of DCE, and may no longer be supported at that time.

The RPC control program, **rpccp**, provides a set of commands for managing name service use for RPC applications and for managing the endpoint map.

You can use control program commands from within the control program or from the system prompt. To use the control program commands from inside the control program, Start and enter the control program by using the **rpccp** command alone, without any argument. The control program then displays the control program prompt, **rpccp>**, as follows:

```
rpccp  
rpccp>
```

You can then enter any control program command, as in the following example:

```
rpccp> show entry /./LandS/anthro/pr_server_node3
```

Leave the control program and return to the system prompt by using the **exit** or **quit** command. If you enter invalid input, the control program displays the valid commands.

To use the control program commands from the system prompt, enter the **rpccp** command with an internal command of the control program as the first argument. You can do this either interactively or in a command procedure. For example, you can enter the **show entry** command as follows:

```
rpccp show entry ./LandS/anthro/pr_server_node3
```

Arguments and Options

Except for the **exit** and **quit** commands, **rpccp** commands have one or more options. Each option is identified by a - (dash) followed by a letter; for example, **-s**. Some options require arguments.

Commands that access NSI operations also require the name of a name service entry as an argument. The order of arguments and the entry-name option is arbitrary; for example, the following placements of arguments and options are equivalent:

```
rpccp> add element ./LandS/anthro/mis_node_2 \
-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.0

rpccp> add element -i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.0 \
./LandS/anthro/mis_node_2
```

Environmental Influences on Command Syntax

There are variations in the action of the control program, depending on whether commands are entered from the system prompt or from within the control program. For example, entering the annotation field of profile elements from the system prompt allows you to include internal spaces in an annotation.

Function	At System Prompt	Inside rpccp
Strings within quotation marks	Supported	Not required
Wildcard substitution	Supported	Unsupported

Note:

Some UNIX systems require that you place a \ (backslash) before string binding delimiters such as [] (brackets) or that you place the delimiters within ' ' or " " (single or double quotation marks) at the system prompt.

The following table describes the scope of the RPC control program commands.

Scope	Command
All entries	add entry remove entry show entry
Server entry	export import show server
Group	unexport add member remove group remove member
Profile	show group add element remove element remove profile show profile

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Scope	Command
Endpoint map	add mapping remove mapping show mapping

Environment Variables

The control program supports environment variables. Using environment variables facilitates interactive use of the control program.

To distinguish environment variables, **rpccp*(8rpc)** reference pages follow the convention of using all uppercase letters for examples of environment variables. Note that UNIX environment variables are case sensitive.

User-defined environment variables

You can set an environment variable to represent values to **rpccp**. Using an environment variable is helpful for specifying a long string such as the following:

1. A string representation of binding information (*binding string*)
2. A string representation of an object or interface UUID (string UUID)
3. An *interface identifier* (the interface UUID and version numbers)
4. The name of a name service entry

In the following example, the environment variable **JANE_CAL** represents an object UUID, while **./:/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2**, the target name service entry, is in the local cell:

```
JANE_CAL=47f40d10-e2e0-11c9-bb29-08002b0f4528
export JANE_CAL
rpccp
rpccp> export -o JANE_CAL ./:/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2
```

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NLSPATH

The environment variable **NLSPATH** must point to the location of **dcerpc.cat** and **dcedcs.cat**. Otherwise, any run-time status codes returned by the control program will be hexadecimal, rather than textual form. The value of this variable must include both the pathname of the directory where the **.cat** files reside and the string **%N**.

RPC_DEFAULT_ENTRY_SYNTAX

The **dce** name syntax is the only syntax currently supported by the DCE Cell Directory Service (CDS). However, NSI is independent of any specific name service and, in the future, may support name services that use other name syntaxes. When alternative name syntaxes are supported, you can override the standard default with a process-specific default by setting the **RPC_DEFAULT_ENTRY_SYNTAX** environment variable. When this variable is set for a process, the control program uses it to find out the default syntax for the process. You can override this default in any NSI command of the control program by using the **-s** option to specify an alternative entry syntax. Setting **RPC_DEFAULT_ENTRY_SYNTAX** requires specifying the integer 3 to indicate the **dce** syntax. To set

RPC_DEFAULT_ENTRY_SYNTAX, use the *name= value* command to define an environment variable. The following command specifies **dce** as the default name syntax in a login command file:

```
# .login command file
# setting dce as default name syntax,
RPC_DEFAULT_ENTRY_SYNTAX=3
```

RPC_DEFAULT_ENTRY

For the **import** command, you can use this environment variable to indicate the entry where the search operation starts. Usually, the starting entry is a profile.

The Name Service Interface

The remainder of this description contains information to help you use commands that call NSI to access name service entries.

DCE NSI is independent of any particular name service. CDS, however, is the only name service available for DCE Version 1.0 RPC applications. For more details on NSI, see the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Core Components*. For a description of CDS, see the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Core Components*.

Name Service Entries

To store information about RPC servers, interfaces, and objects, NSI defines the following name service entries:

server entry

Stores binding information, interface identifiers, and object UUIDs for an RPC server

group Corresponds to one or more RPC servers that offer a common RPC interface, type of RPC object, or both

profile

Defines search paths for looking in a name service database for a server that offers a particular RPC interface and object

Note that when NSI is used with CDS, the name service entries are CDS object entries

Structure of Entry Names

Each entry in a name service database is identified by a unique global name made up of a cell name and a cell-relative name.

A **cell** is a group of users, systems, and resources that share common DCE services. A cell configuration includes at least one cell directory server, one security server, and one time server. A cell's size can range from one system to thousands of systems. For information on cells, see the CDS portion of this book.

The following is an example of a global name:

```
../../../../C=US/O=uw/OU=MadCity/LandS/anthro/Stats_host_2
```

The parts of a global name are as follows:

1. cell name

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The cell name must use X.500 name syntax. The symbol */...* begins a cell name. The letters before each = (equal sign) are abbreviations for country (**C**), organization (**O**), and organization unit (**OU**). For example:

```
/.../C=US/O=uw/OU=MadCity
```

For entries in the local cell, the cell name can be represented by a */.* prefix, in place of the actual cell name, as in the following example:

```
././LandS/anthro/Stats_host_2
```

For NSI operations on entries in the local cell you can omit the cell name.

2. cell-relative name

Each name service entry requires a cell-relative name, which contains a directory pathname and a leaf name.

a. directory pathname

Follows the cell name and indicates the hierarchical relationship of the entry to the cell root.

The directory pathname is the middle portion of the global name. The cell name precedes the directory pathname, and the leaf name follows it, as follows:

```
cell-name + directory-pathname +  
leaf-name
```

The directory pathname contains the names of any subdirectories in the path; each subdirectory name begins with a */* (slash), as follows:

```
/sub-dir-a-name/ sub-dir-b-name/ sub-dir-c-name
```

Directory paths are created by name service administrators. If an appropriate directory path does not exist, ask your name service administrator to extend an existing path or create a new path. In a directory path, the name of a subdirectory should reflect its relationship to its parent directory (the directory that contains the subdirectory).

b. leaf name

Identifies the specific entry. The leaf name is the right-hand part of global name beginning with the rightmost slash.

In the following example, */.../C=US/O=uw/OU=MadCity* is the cell name, */LandS/anthro* is the directory pathname, and */Cal_host_4* is the leaf name:

```
/.../C=US/O=uw/OU=MadCity/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_4
```

If a name service entry is located at the cell root, the leaf name directly follows the cell name; for example, *././cell-profile* .

Note that when NSI is used with CDS, the cell-relative name is a CDS name.

Guidelines for Constructing Names of Name Service Entries

A global name includes both a cell name and a cell-relative name composed of a directory pathname and a leaf name. The cell name is assigned to a cell root at its creation. When you specify only a cell-relative name to an NSI command, the NSI automatically expands the name into a global name by inserting the local cell name.

When returning the name of a name service entry, a group member, or member in a profile element, NSI operations return global names.

The directory pathname and leaf name uniquely identify a name service entry. The leaf name should somehow describe the entry—by identifying its owner or its contents, for example. The remainder of this section contains guidelines for choosing leaf names. Note that directory pathnames and leaf names are case sensitive.

Naming a Server Entry

For a server entry that advertises an RPC interface or service offered by a server, the leaf name must distinguish the entry from the equivalent entries of other servers. When a single server instance runs on a host, you can ensure a unique name by combining the name of the service, interface (from the interface definition), or the system name for the server's host system.

For example, consider two servers, one offering a calendar service on host JULES and one on host VERNE.

The server on JULES uses the following leaf name:

calendar_JULES

The server on VERNE uses the following leaf name:

calendar_VERNE

For servers that perform tasks on or for a specific system, an alternative approach is to create server entries in a system-specific host directory within the name service database. Each host directory takes the name of the host to which it corresponds.

Because the directory name identifies the system, the leaf name of the server entry name need not include the host name, as in the following example:

././LandS/host_1/Process_control

To construct names for the server entries used by distinctive server instances on a single host, you can construct unique server entry names by combining the following information: the name of the server's service, interface, or object; the system name of the server's host system, and a reusable instance identifier, such as an integer.

For example, the following leaf names distinguish two instances of a calendar service on the JULES system:

calendar_JULES_01

calendar_JULES_02

Avoid automatically generating entry names for the server entries of server instances—for example, by using unique data such as a time stamp (**calendar_verne_15OCT91_21:25:32**) or process identifier (**calendar_jules_208004D6**). When a server incorporates such unique data into its server entry names, each server instance creates a separate server entry, causing

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many server entries. When a server instance stops running, it leaves an obsolete server entry that is not reused. The creation of a new entry whenever a server instance starts may impair performance.

A server can use multiple server entries to advertise different combinations of interfaces and objects. For example, a server can create a separate server entry for a specific object (and the associated interfaces). The name of such a server entry should correspond to a well-known name for the object. For example, consider a server that offers a horticulture bulletin board known to users as **horticulture_bb**. The server exports the **horticulture_bb** object, binding information, and the associated bulletin-board interface to a server entry whose leaf name identifies the object, as follows:

horticulture_bb

Note that an RPC server that uses RPC authentication can choose identical names for its principal name and its server entry. Use of identical names permits a client that calls the `rpc_binding_set_auth_info` routine to automatically determine a server's principal name (the client will assume the principal name to be the same as the server's entry name). If a server uses different principal and server entry names, users must explicitly supply the principal name. For an explanation of principal names, see the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide*.

Naming a Group

The leaf name of a group should indicate the interface, service, or object that determines membership in the group. For example, for a group whose members are selected because they advertise an interface named **Statistics**, the following is an effective leaf name:

Statistics

For a group whose members advertise laser-printer print queues as objects, the following is an effective leaf name:

laser-printer

Naming a Profile

The leaf name of a profile should indicate the profile users; for example, for a profile that serves the members of an accounting department, the following is an effective leaf name:

accounting_profile

Privileges Required

To use NSI commands to access entries in a CDS database, you need access control list (ACL) permissions. Depending on NSI operation, you need ACL permissions to the parent directory or the CDS object entry (the name service entry) or both. The ACL permissions are as follows:

1. To create an entry, you need **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory.
2. To read an entry, you need **r (read)** permission to the CDS object entry.
3. To write to an entry, you need **w (write)** permission to the CDS object entry.

4. To delete an entry, you need **d (delete)** permission either to the CDS object entry or to the parent directory.

Note that **write** permission does not imply **read** permission.

ACL permissions for NSI commands of the control program are described in the reference pages.

Notes

A **server entry** equates to an NSI binding attribute and, optionally, an object attribute; a **group** equates to an NSI group attribute; and a **profile** equates to an NSI profile attribute. Typically, each server's entries, groups, and profiles reside in distinct name service entries.

Examples

1. The following command starts the RPC control program:

```
rpccp
```

2. The following command, entered at the system prompt rather than in **rpccp**, removes the entry `./:/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2`:

```
rpccp remove entry
./:/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_add_element(8rpc)**, **rpccp_add_entry(8rpc)**, **rpccp_add_mapping(8rpc)**, **rpccp_add_member(8rpc)**, **rpccp_export(8rpc)**, **rpccp_import(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_element(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_entry(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_group(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_mapping(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_member(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_profile(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_entry(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_group(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_mapping(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_profile(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_server(8rpc)**, **rpccp_unexport(8rpc)**, **dcecp(8dce)**.

add element

Purpose

Adds an element to a profile in a name service entry

Synopsis

```
rpccp add element profile-entry-name -mmember {-d | -iif-id | -ppriority}  
][-aannotation] [-ssyntax]
```

Options

-m *member*

Defines a member name for the profile element to be added (required).

-d Performs the **add element** operation on the default profile element. With the **-d** option, the **-i** and **-p** options are ignored.

-i *if-id* Defines an interface identifier for the profile element to be added. Only one interface can be added in a single operation. An interface identifier is required, unless the default profile element is being added. With the **-d** option, the **-i** option is ignored.

The value has the following form:

```
interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version
```

The Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are a decimal string, for example:

```
-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,3.11
```

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

-p *priority*

Defines a search priority for the new profile element. The priority value is in the range 0 to 7, with zero having the highest priority. When a default element is added (with the **-d** option), the **-p** option is ignored. By default, a nondefault element is assigned a priority value of zero.

-a *annotation*

Defines an annotation string for the profile element.

Note that the shell supports quotation marks around the annotation field of profile elements, which allows you to include internal spaces in an annotation; the control program does not. To specify or refer to annotations from within the control program, limit each annotation to an unbroken alphanumeric string; for example, **CalendarGroup**. To refer to annotations from the system prompt, do not incorporate quotation marks into any annotation.

-s *syntax*

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

Arguments

profile-entry-name

Specifies the entry name of the target profile. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **add element** command adds an element to a profile in a name service entry. The name of the entry containing the profile and the entry name of the profile member in the new element are required. The entry of a profile may have been created previously (by either the **add entry** or **add element** command). But if the specified entry does not exist, the **add element** command tries to create the entry.

A profile element is a database record containing the following fields:

1. interface identifier

This is the primary search key. The interface identifier consists of the interface UUID and the interface version numbers.

2. member name

The entry name of one of the following kinds of name service entries:

- a. A server entry for a server offering the requested remote procedure call (RPC) interface and object
- b. A group corresponding to the requested RPC interface
- c. A profile

3. priority_value

The priority value (0 (zero) is the highest priority; 7 is the lowest) is designated by the creator of a profile element to help determine the order for using the element. NSI search operations select among like priority elements at random. For the **rpccp add element** command, the default is 0.

4. annotation string

The annotation string enables you to identify the purpose of the profile element. The annotation can be any textual information, for example, an interface name associated with the interface identifier or a description of a service or resource associated with a group. The annotation string is not a search key for the import or lookup operations.

Privileges Required

You need both **r (read)** permission and **w (write)** permission to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) object entry (the target profile entry). If the entry does not exist, you also need insert permission to the parent directory.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following command adds an element to the cell profile, **/cell-profile**, in the local cell:

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```
rpccp> add element -i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1 \  
-m ./Calendar_profile -a RefersToCalendarGroups ./cell-profile
```

2. The following commands start the control program, set up a user profile associated with the cell profile as its default element, and add a user-specific element for the Calendar Version 1.1 interface:

```
rpccp> add element ./LandS/anthro/molly_o_profile -d -m ./cell-profile  
rpccp> add element ./LandS/anthro/molly_o_profile \  
-m ./LandS/anthro/Calendar_group \  
-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1 \  
-a Calendar_Version 1.1_Interface
```

The added profile element contains the global name of the member (specified by `./LandS/anthro/Calendar_group`, its cell-relative name) and the RPC interface identifier for the Calendar Version 1.1 interface.

Related Information

Commands: `rpccp_remove_element(8rpc)`, `rpccp_remove_profile(8rpc)`, `rpccp_show_profile(8rpc)`

add entry

Purpose

Adds a name service entry to the name service database

Synopsis

```
rpccp add entry entry-name [-s syntax]
```

Options

-s *syntax*

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

Arguments

entry-name

Specifies the name of the target name service entry. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **add entry** command adds an unspecialized entry to the name service database. The name of the entry is required.

The new entry initially contains no Name Service Interface (NSI) attributes. This command creates a general name service entry for an application or user. The application or user can later use the **rpccp export**, **rpccp add element**, and **rpccp add member** commands to make the generic entry into a server entry, a group, or a profile (or a combination), as follows:

1. For a server entry, specify the new entry as the target entry for the **rpccp export** command.
2. For a group, specify the new entry as the target group for the **rpccp add member** command.
3. For a profile, specify the new entry as the target profile for the **rpccp add element** command.

The add entry command enables administrators to add entries for users who lack the required permissions. If you have the permissions required by the **rpccp add entry** command, you can also add an entry using an **rpccp export**, **rpccp add member**, or **rpccp add element** command; if the entry you specify does not exist, the command creates the entry.

Privileges Required

To add an entry, you need **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory and both **r (read)** permission and **w (write)** permission to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) object entry (the target name service entry).

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Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following command adds an unspecialized entry to the name service database:

```
rpccp> add entry ./LandS/anthro/Ca1_host_2
```

2. The following command operates from the system prompt to add an unspecialized entry to the name service database:

```
rpccp add entry ./LandS/anthro/Ca1_host_3
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_remove_entry(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_entry(8rpc)**.

add mapping

Purpose

Adds or replaces server address information in the local endpoint map

Synopsis

```
rpcpp add mapping -bstring-binding -iinterface-identifier [-aannotation-string]  
[-oobject-uuid] [-N]
```

Options

-b *string-binding*

Specifies a string representation of a binding over which the server can receive remote procedure calls. At least one binding is required.

The value has the form of an remote procedure call (RPC) string binding, without an object Universal Unique Identifier (UUID), as in the following example:

```
-b ncadg_ip_udp:63.0.2.17[5347]
```

Note that depending on your system, string binding delimiters such as [] (brackets) may need to be preceded by a \ (backslash) or placed within ' ' or " " (single or double quotation marks). Requirements vary from system to system, and you must conform to the usage rules of a system.

-i *interface-identifier*

Specifies an interface identifier to register with the local endpoint map. An interface identifier is required. Only one interface can be added (that is, registered) in a single operation. The interface identifier has the following form:

```
interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version
```

The UUID is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings, as in the following example:

```
-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1
```

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

-a *annotation-string*

Specifies a character string comment to be applied to each cross product element that is added to the local endpoint map. The string can be up to 64 characters long, including the NULL terminating character.

The string is used by applications for informational purposes only. The RPC runtime does not use this string to determine which server instance a client communicates with, or for enumerating endpoint map elements.

-o *object-uuid*

Defines an object UUID that further determines the endpoint map elements that are removed (optional). Each **add mapping** command accepts up to 32 **-o** options.

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The UUID is a hexadecimal string, as in the following example:

```
-o 3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989
```

-N Specifies that existing elements in the local host's endpoint map should *not* be replaced when the new information is added.

Description

The **add mapping** command adds to or replaces server address information in the local endpoint map.

Each element in the local endpoint map logically contains the following:

1. An interface ID, consisting of an interface UUID and versions (major and minor)
2. Binding information
3. An object UUID (optional)
4. An annotation string (optional)

This command should be used without the **-N** option when only a single instance of the server in question runs on the server's host. Do not use the **-N** option if no more than one server instance on the host ever offers the same interface UUID, object UUID, and protocol sequence.

When local endpoint map elements are not replaced, obsolete elements accumulate each time a server instance stops running without explicitly unregistering its endpoint map information. Periodically, the RPC daemon **rpcd** will identify these obsolete elements and remove them. However, during the interval between these removals, the presence of the obsolete elements increases the chance that clients will receive endpoints to nonexistent servers. The clients will then waste time trying to communicate with these servers before giving up and obtaining another endpoint.

Allowing **rpcd** to replace any existing local endpoint map elements (by not specifying **-N**) reduces the chance of this happening.

For example, suppose an existing element in the local endpoint map matches the interface UUID, binding information exclusive of the endpoint, and object UUID of an element this routine provides. The routine changes the endpoint map according to the elements' interface major and minor version numbers.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command adds a map element to the local endpoint map. The command adds the map element that contains the specified interface identifier, server address (specified as a string binding), and object UUIDs.

```
rpcpp add mapping -i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1 \  
-b ncadg_ip_udp:63.0.2.17[5347] -o 005077d8-8022-1acb-9375-10005a4f533a \  
-o 001bc29a-8041-1acb-b377-10005a4f533a -a 'Calendar version 1.1'
```

This command adds the following elements:

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interface ID

ec1eeb60-5943-1169-a309-08002b102989,1.1

string binding

ncadg_ip_udp:63.0.2.17[5347]

objects

005077d8-8022-1acb-9375-10005a4f533a 001bc29a-8041-1acb-b377-10005a4f533a

annotation

Calendar version 1.1

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_export(8rpc)**, **rpccpremove_mapping(8rpc)**,
rpccpshow_mapping(8rpc), **rpccpshow_server(8rpc)**

Subroutines: **rpc_ep_register(3rpc)**, **rpc_ep_register_no_replace(3rpc)**

add member

Purpose

Adds a member to a group in a name service entry

Synopsis

```
rpccp add member group-entry-name -m member [-s syntax]
```

Options

-m *member*

Declares the name of a member to be added to the specified group entry (required). You can add only one member at a time.

-s *syntax*

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

Arguments

group-entry-name

Specifies the name of the target group. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **add member** command adds a member to a group in a name service entry. The name of the entry containing the group and the name of the new group member are required. The entry of a group may have been created previously (by either the **add entry** or **add member** command). If the specified entry does not exist, the **add member** command tries to create the entry.

Privileges Required

You need both **r (read)** permission and **w (write)** permission to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) object entry (the target group entry). If the entry does not exist, you also need **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command adds the member `././LandS/anthro/Cal_host_3` to the group `././LandS/anthro/Calendar_group`:

```
rpccp> add member -m ././LandS/anthro/Cal_host_3 \  
././LandS/anthro/Calendar_group
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_remove_group(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_member(8rpc)**,
rpccp_show_group(8rpc).

exit

Purpose

Causes the DCE Remote Procedure Call control program (**rpccp**) to complete running.

Synopsis

```
rpccp exit
```

Description

Causes the DCE Remote Procedure Call control program (**rpccp**) to complete running and returns operation to the parent process.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **exit** command.

Examples

The following example shows how to leave the RPC control program (**rpccp**) and return to the parent process:

```
rpccp> exit
```

Related Information

Command: **quit**

export

Purpose

Exports binding information for interface identifiers or object UUIDs to a server entry

Synopsis

```
rpcpp export entry-name {[-iif-id] | [-oobject-uuid]}-bstring-binding [-ssyntax]
```

Options

-i *if-id* Declares the interface identifier of a remote procedure call (RPC) interface. The **export** command operates on only one **-i** option; if you enter more than one, the command ignores all but the last interface identifier. If you specify an interface identifier, you must specify at least one **-b** option. The **-i** and **-o** options can occur together or separately, but one of them is necessary.

The interface identifier takes the following form:

```
interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version
```

The version numbers are optional, but if you omit a version number, the value defaults to 0. The Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings, as in the following example:

```
-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,3.11
```

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

-o *object-uuid*

Declares the UUID of an object. Each **export** command accepts up to 32 **-o** options. The **-i** and **-o** options can occur together or separately, but one of them is necessary.

The UUID is a hexadecimal string, as in the following example:

```
-o 3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989
```

-b *string-binding*

Declares a string binding (optional). To use this option, you must also specify an interface identifier (using the **-i** option). Each command accepts up to 32 **-b** options.

The value has the form of an RPC string binding, without an object UUID. The binding information contains an RPC protocol sequence, a network address, and sometimes an endpoint within brackets, as follows:

```
rpc-prot-seq: network-addr[endpoint]
```

For a well-known endpoint, include the endpoint in the string binding, as in the following example:

```
-b ncadg_ip_udp:63.0.2.17[5347]
```

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For a dynamic endpoint, omit the endpoint from the string binding, for example:

```
-b ncacn_ip_tcp:16.20.15.25
```

Note that depending on your system, string binding delimiters such as [] (brackets) may need to be preceded by a \ (backslash) or placed within ' ' or " " (single or double quotation marks). Requirements vary from system to system, and you must conform to the usage rules of a system.

```
-s syntax
```

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

Arguments

```
entry-name
```

Specifies the name of the target name service entry. Usually, the target is a server entry. However, objects also can be exported (without an interface identifier or any binding information) to a group or a profile.

For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **export** command places binding information and an interface identifier, object UUIDs, or both into a server entry, or the command object UUIDs into a group's entry. The **export** command searches the name service database for the entry with the specified entry name. If the entry exists, the command uses it; otherwise, the command tries to create a new name service entry using the specified entry name.

Minimally, the command requires the name of the entry and either an identifier and binding string or an object.

If the specified entry does not exist, the **export** command tries to create the entry.

Privileges Required

You need both **r (read)** and **w (write)** permission to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) object entry (the target name service entry). If the entry does not exist, you also need **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following example shows a control program **export** command that is stored in a file for later execution from the system prompt. The command exports two objects and an interface with two string bindings to the server entry **./:LandS/anthro/Cal_host_3** in the local cell.

```
# file to export Calendar 1.1 at installation time
rpccp export \
-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1 \
-b ncacn_ip_tcp:16.20.15.25 \
-b ncadg_ip_udp:63.0.2.17 \
-o 30dbeea0-fb6c-11c9-8eea-08002b0f4528 \
-o 16977538-e257-11c9-8dc0-08002b0f4528 \
./:/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_3
```

- The following example shows the use of a user-defined environment variable as an interface identifier, to facilitate entering an export command interactively (in this case, from inside the control program). The two initial shell commands set up an environment variable **Calendar_1_1**, which represents the interface identifier of an RPC interface. The **rpccp** command then starts the control program, and the **export** command exports the Calendar interface and two string bindings to the server entry **./:/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2** in the local cell.

```
Calendar_1_1=ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1
export Calendar_1_1
rpccp
rpccp> export -i Calendar_1_1 -b ncacn_ip_tcp:16.20.15.25 \
-b ncadg_ip_udp:63.0.2.17 ./:/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2
```

- The following example shows the use of user-defined environment variables for object UUIDs to facilitate entering an export command interactively (in this case, from inside the control program). The initial shell commands set up the environment variables **LUKE_CAL** and **JOSH_CAL**, which represent personal calendars that are accessible as objects to an RPC server. The **rpccp** command then starts the control program, and the **export** command exports the two objects to the server's entry **./:/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2** in the local cell.

```
LUKE_CAL=30dbeea0-fb6c-11c9-8eea-08002b0f4528
export LUKE_CAL
JOSH_CAL=16977538-e257-11c9-8dc0-08002b0f4528
export JOSH_CAL
rpccp
rpccp> export -o LUKE_CAL -o JOSH_CAL ./:/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_import(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_server(8rpc)**,
rpccp_unexport(8rpc).

help

Purpose

Displays a list of commands or the options of a specified command

Synopsis

rpccp help [*rpccp-command*]

Arguments

rpccp-command

Specifies one of the following control commands:

add element

X

add entry

X

add member

X

exit X

export

X

import

X

quit X

remove element

X

remove entry

X

remove group

X

remove mapping

X

remove member

X

remove profile

X

show entry

X

show group

show mapping

X

show profile

X


```

show server
  X
unexport
  X

```

Description

The **help** command displays information about the **rpccp** command set or the options and arguments associated with a specific command.

Notes

This command may be replaced in future releases by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

Examples

1. The following command is entered at the system prompt to display the internal commands of the control program:

```
rpccp help
```

2. The following command displays the syntax of the **remove entry** command:

```
rpccp> help remove entry
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_add_element(8rpc)**, **rpccp_add_entry(8rpc)**, **rpccp_add_member(8rpc)**, **rpccp_export(8rpc)**, **rpccp_import(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_element(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_entry(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_group(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_mapping(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_member(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_profile(8rpc)**, **rpccp(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_entry(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_group(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_mapping(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_profile(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_server(8rpc)**, **rpccp_unexport(8rpc)**

import

Purpose

Imports binding information and an object UUID from a server entry

Synopsis

```
rpccp import starting-entry-name -iif-id [-vversions] [-e] [-n [integer] ]  
[-oobject-uuid] [-ssyntax] [-u]
```

Options

-i *if-id* Defines an interface identifier to be imported (required). You can import only one interface at a time.

The value has the following form:

```
interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version
```

The Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings, as in the following example:

```
-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1
```

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

-v *versions*

Indicates how a specified interface version is used (optional). If it is used without the **-i** option, the **-v** option is ignored. The possible combinations of versions for the **-v** option and their actions are as follows:

all The interface version is ignored.

exact Both the major and minor versions must match the specified versions.

compatible

The major version must match the specified version, and the minor version must be greater than or equal to the specified version.

major_only

The major version must match the specified version; the minor version is ignored.

upto The major version must be less than or equal to that specified. If the major versions are equal, the minor version must be less than or equal to that specified.

If the **-v** option is absent, the command shows compatible version numbers.

-e Shows the name of the entry where the binding is found (optional).

-n [*integer*]

Declares that the import operation is to continue until no more potential bindings are found (optional). Providing a numeric value to this option restricts the number of imported bindings. If you omit the number, only one binding is imported. If repeated, this operation may return the same binding. For example, **-n** imports all available bindings, and **-n 5** imports up to five bindings. Note that the imported bindings are displayed as string bindings.

-o *object-uuid*

Declares the UUID of an object to be imported (optional). Only one UUID can occur in a single operation.

If an object is specified, the import operation limits its search to server entries that contain both the specified interface identifier and object UUID when searching for a potential binding. Without the **-o** option, the import operation ignores object UUIDs.

The UUID is a hexadecimal string, as in the following example:

-o 3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989

-s *syntax*

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

-u Updates the local Cell Directory Service (CDS) cache copy of name service data (optional).

Name service data is cached locally on each machine in a cell. If an **rpccp** inquiry can be satisfied by data in the local CDS cache, this cached data is returned. Locally cached copies of name service data might not include a recent CDS update, however. If the required data is not available in the local CDS cache, **rpccp** goes to a CDS server(s) to retrieve the required data. **rpccp** then updates the local CDS cache.

Using the **-u** option bypasses the local cache, allowing **rpccp** to go directly to a CDS server for the inquiry. The local CDS caches is then updated by **rpccp**.

Arguments

starting-entry-name

Indicates the name of the server entry where the import operation starts. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **import** command imports binding information and a remote procedure call (RPC) object UUID for a specific RPC interface from a server entry. The name of the entry and the interface identifier are required. The entry name can refer to a server entry, a group, or a profile.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the specified CDS object entry (the starting name service entry) and to any CDS object entry in the resulting search path.

Options

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

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Examples

The following command imports an interface and object:

```
rpccp> import -i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1 \  
            -o 30dbeea0-fb6c-11c9-8eea-08002b0f4528 ../LandS/anthro/Cal_host_3
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_export(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_server(8rpc)**, **unexport(8rpc)**.

quit

Purpose

Causes the DCE Remote Procedure Call control program (**rpccp**) to complete running.

Synopsis

```
rpccp quit
```

Description

Causes the DCE Remote Procedure Call control program (**rpccp**) to complete running and returns operation to the parent process.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **quit** command.

Examples

The following example shows how to leave the RPC control program (**rpccp**) and return to the parent process:

```
rpccp> quit
```

Related Information

Command: **exit**

remove element

Purpose

Removes selected elements from a profile

Synopsis

```
rpccp remove element profile-entry-name {-d | -iif-id | -mmember | -aannotation }[-ssyntax]
```

Options

- d** Removes the default profile element. With the **-d** option, the **-a**, **-i**, and **-m** options are ignored.
- i if-id** Defines an interface identifier for the profile element to be removed for a member specified with the **-m** option. Only one interface and member pair can be removed in a single operation. If you supply multiple instances of the **-i** option, the command uses the final instance. The **-i** and **-m** options take precedence over the **-a** option; if the default profile element is specified with the **-d** option, however, the **-i** and **-m** options are ignored.

The interface identifier value has the following form:

```
interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version
```

The Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings, as in the following example:

```
-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1
```

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

-m member

Defines a member name for the profile element to be removed. This option is required if the interface identifier is specified. Only one interface and member can be removed in a single operation. If you supply multiple instances of the **-m** option, the command uses the final instance. The **-i** and **-m** options take precedence over the **-a** option; if the default profile element is specified with the **-d** option, however, the **-i** and **-m** options are ignored.

-a annotation

Removes all elements whose annotation fields match the specified *annotation*; in the presence of **-d** option or **-i** and **-m** options, the **-a** option is ignored.

Note that the shell supports the use of " " (quotation marks) around the annotation field of profile elements, which allows you to include internal spaces in an annotation; the control program does not. To specify or refer to annotations from within the control program, limit each annotation to an unbroken alphanumeric string; for example, **CalendarGroup**. To refer to annotations from the system prompt, do not incorporate quotation marks into any annotation.

-s syntax

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for

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this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

Arguments

profile-entry-name

Indicates the name of the target profile. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **remove element** command removes an element from a profile in the name service database. For a description of the fields in a profile element, see the **add element(8rpc)** reference page.

The **remove element** command requires the entry name of the profile. You must also specify either **-d**, or **-i** and **-m**, or **-a**.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** and **w (write)** permission to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) object entry (the target profile entry).

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following sequence of commands sets up an environment variable **Calendar_1_1**, which represents the interface identifier of a remote procedure call (RPC) interface, exports it, and removes an element from a profile:

```
Calendar_1_1=ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1
export Calendar_1_1
rpccp
rpccp> remove element -i Calendar_1_1 -m ./:/LandS/anthro/Calendar_group
\      ./:/LandS/anthro/molly_o_profile
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_add_element(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_profile(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_profile(8rpc)**.

remove entry

Purpose

Removes a name service entry from the name service database

Synopsis

```
rpccp remove entry entry-name [-ssyntax]
```

Options

-s *syntax*

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

Arguments

entry-name

Indicates the name of the target name service entry. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **remove entry** command removes an entry from the name service database. The name of the entry is required.

Privileges Required

You need **r** (**read**) permission to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) object entry (the target name service entry). You also need **d** (**delete**) permission to the CDS object entry or to the parent directory.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command removes the entry `./LandS/anthro/Ca1_host_2` from the local cell of the name service database:

```
rpccp> remove entry ./LandS/anthro/Ca1_host_2
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_add_entry(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_entry(8rpc)**.

remove group

Purpose

Removes all group members and the group from the specified name service entry

Synopsis

```
rpccp remove group group-entry-name [-s syntax]
```

Options

-s *syntax*

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

Arguments

group-entry-name

Indicates the name of the target group. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **remove group** command removes a group from the name service database. The group need not be empty. The entry name of the group is required.

Privilege Required

You need **w** (**write**) permission to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) object entry (the target group entry).

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command removes the group from the name service entry **./:/LandS/anthro/Calendar_group**:

```
rpccp> remove group ./:/LandS/anthro/Calendar_group
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_add_member(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_member(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_group(8rpc)**.

remove mapping

Purpose

Removes specified elements from the local endpoint map

Synopsis

rpccp remove mapping *-bstring-binding -iinterface-identifier [-oobject-uuid]*

Options

-b *string-binding*

Specifies a string representation of a binding over which the server can receive remote procedure calls. Each **remove mapping** command accepts up to 32 **-b** options. At least one binding is required.

The value has the form of a remote procedure call (RPC) string binding, without an object UUID, as in the following example:

-b *ncadg_ip_udp:63.0.2.17[5347]*

Note that, depending on your system, string binding delimiters such as [] (brackets) may need to be preceded by a \ (backslash) or placed within ' ' or " " (single or double quotation marks). Requirements vary from system to system, and you must conform to the usage rules of a system.

-i *interface-identifier*

Specifies an interface identifier to remove from the local endpoint map. An interface identifier is required. Only one interface can be removed in a single operation. The interface identifier has the following form:

interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version

The Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings, as in the following example:

-i *ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1*

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

-o *object-uuid*

Defines an object UUID that further determines the endpoint map elements that are removed (optional). Each **remove mapping** command accepts up to 32 **-o** options.

The UUID is a hexadecimal string, as in the following example:

-o *3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989*

Description

The **remove mapping** command removes server address information from the local endpoint map. Each element in the local endpoint map logically contains the following:

1. interface ID, consisting of an interface UUID and versions (major and minor)

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2. binding information
3. object UUID (optional)
4. annotation (optional)

This command requires one interface identifier (the **-i** option), at least one string binding (the **-b** option), and optionally, one or more object UUIDs (the **-o** option). Each instance of the command accepts from 1 to 32 **-b** options and from 0 to 32 **-o** options. The options work together to delimit the elements to be removed from the target endpoint map. The command removes any map element that contains the specified interface identifier, a specified string binding, and a specified object UUID (if any).

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command operates from the system prompt to remove a map element from the local endpoint map. The command removes only the map element that contains the specified interface identifier, server address (specified as a string binding), and object UUID.

```
rpccp remove mapping -i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1 \  
-b ncadg_ip_udp:16.20.16.64[3424] \  
-o 30dbeea0-fb6c-11c9-8eea-08002b0f4528
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_add_mapping(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_mapping(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_server(8rpc)**.

remove member

Purpose

Removes a specified member from a group

Synopsis

```
rpccp remove member group-entry-name -m member [-s syntax]
```

Options

-m *member*

Declares the entry name of the group member to be removed (required).

-s *syntax*

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

Arguments

group-entry-name

Indicates the name of the target group. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **remove member** command removes a specified member from a specified group.

Privileges Required

You need **r** (**read**) permission and **w** (**write**) permission to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) object entry (the target group entry).

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following commands each remove a member from a group:

```
rpccp> remove member -m ././LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2 \  
././LandS/anthro/Calendar_group
```

```
rpccp remove member -m ././LandS/anthro/Cal_host_3 \  
././LandS/anthro/Calendar_group
```

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Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_add_member(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_group(8rpc)**,
rpccp_show_group(8rpc)

remove profile

Purpose

Removes all profile elements and the profile from the specified name service entry

Synopsis

```
rpccp remove profile profile-entry-name [-s syntax]
```

Options

-s *syntax*

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

Arguments

profile-entry-name

Indicates the name of the target profile. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **remove profile** command removes a profile (and all of its elements) from the name service database. The entry name of the profile is required.

Privileges Required

You need **w** (**write**) permission to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) object entry (the target profile entry).

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command removes the profile `././LandS/anthro/molly_o_profile`:

```
rpccp> remove profile ././LandS/anthro/molly_o_profile
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_add_element(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_element(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_profile(8rpc)**.

rpcprotseqs

Purpose

Determines the supported protocol sequences on a given host, and prints them to **stdout**.

Synopsis

```
rpcprotseqs
```

Description

The **rpcprotseqs** command determines the supported protocol sequences on a given host by calling the **RPC** runtime function: **rpc_network_inq_protseqs()**, and looping through the resultant protocol sequence vector to print out the protocol sequence strings.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **rpcprotseqs** command.

Examples

```
rpcprotseqs
nacr_ip_tcp
ncadg_ip_udp
```

Related Information

Subroutines: **rpc_network_inq_protseqs**

rpcresolve

Purpose

Recursively resolves the elements of a namespace entry.

Synopsis

```
rpcresolve -d | -n entry [-s] [-p] [-l #]
```

Options

- d** Use the **RPC_DEFAULT_ENTRY** environment variable.
- l #** Levels to recursively descend.
- n entry**
Namespace entry to resolve.
- p** Profile entry information printed.
- s** Server entry information printed.

Description

This is a utility program that recursively resolves the elements of a namespace entry. Profile and Group entries have their elements or members printed out, and Server entries have their object UUIDs, interface id, and bindings printed out. Each time an element needs further resolution, the printout of the next resolved piece of information is indented, to make it easier to tell which pieces of information go with which entry.

Examples

```
$ rpcresolve -n ./NSTEST_DIR/profile
-P

(P) ./NSTEST_DIR/profile
(E) element      : /.../cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/profile1
    interface id: d5c89800-6dae-11c9-a1c1-08002b102989,0,0
    priority     : 0
    annotation   : IF1
(P) ./cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/profile1
(E) element      : /.../cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR:entry1
    interface id: d5c89800-6dae-11c9-a1c1-08002b102989,0,0
    priority     : 0
    annotation   : IF1
(S) /.../cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/entry1
(E) element      : /.../cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/profile2
    interface id: d5c89800-6dae-11c9-a1c1-08002b102989,0,0
    priority     : 1
    annotation   : IF1
(P) /.../cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/profile2
(E) element      : /.../cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/entry2
    interface id: d5c89800-6dae-11c9-a1c1-08002b102989,0,0
    priority     : 0
    annotation   : IF1
(S) /.../cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/entry2
(E) element      : /.../cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/profile3
    interface id: d5c89800-6dae-11c9-a1c1-08002b102989,1,1
```



```

priority : 0
annotation : IF11
(P) /.../ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/profile3
(E) element : /.../ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/entry3
    interface id: d5c89800-6dae-11c9-a1c1-08002b102989,1,1
    priority : 0
    annotation : IF11
(S) /.../ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/entry3
(E) element : /.../ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/profile4
    interface id: 00000000-0000-0000-0000-000000000000,0,0
    priority : 0
    annotation : IF30
(P) /.../ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/profile4
(E) element : /.../ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/entry4
    interface id: d5c89800-6dae-11c9-a1c1-08002b102989,3,0
    priority : 0
    annotation : IF30
(S) /.../ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/entry4

```

Resolve server entry information:

```

$ rprecresolve -n/./NSTEST_DIR/group
-s
(G) /./NSTEST_DIR/group
  (G) /./ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/group1
    (S) /./ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/entry1
      (O) fbe696e0-6dae-11c9-b093-08002b102989
      (O) 02d52fc0-6daf-11c9-b958-08002b102989
      (I) d5c89800-6dae-11c9-a1c1-08002b102989,0.0
        (B) ncadg_ip_udp:127.0.0.1[1234]
        (B) ncadg_ip_udp:16.20.16.54 1249
      (I) e9eb0340-6dae-11c9-823d-08002b102989,0.0
        (B) ncadg_ip_udp:127.0.0.1[1234]
    (S) /./ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/entry2
      (I) d5c89800-6dae-11c9-a1c1-08002b102989,0.0
        (B) ncadg_ip_udp:127.0.0.1[1234]
  (G) /./ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/group2
    (S) /./ Cathywang_cell/NSTEST_DIR/entry1
      (O) fbe696e0-6dae-11c9-b093-08002b102989
      (O) 02d52fc0-6daf-11c9-b958-08002b102989
      (I) d5c89800-6dae-11c9-a1c1-08002b102989,0.0
        (B) ncadg_ip_udp:127.0.0.1[1234]

```

Related Information

Commands: **rprec(8rpc)**, **dcecp(8dce)**

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Core Components* for more information on when to use **idl -spmi**.

show entry

Purpose

Shows the NSI attributes of a name service entry

Synopsis

```
rpccp show entry entry-name [-iif-id] [-ssyntax] [-u]
```

Options

-i if-id Selects a specified interface identifier (optional). Only elements containing that identifier are shown. The interface identifier value has the following form:

interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version

The Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings, for example:

-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

-s syntax

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

-u Updates the local Cell Directory Service (CDS) cache copy of name service data (optional). Name service data is cached locally on each machine in a cell. If an **rpccp** inquiry can be satisfied by data in the local CDS cache, this cached data is returned. Locally cached copies of name service data might not include a recent CDS update, however. If the required data is not available in the local CDS cache, **rpccp** goes to a CDS server(s) to retrieve the required data. **rpccp** then updates the local CDS cache.

Using the **-u** option bypasses the local cache, allowing **rpccp** to go directly to a CDS server for the inquiry. The local CDS cache is then updated by **rpccp**

Arguments

entry-name

Indicates the name of the target name service entry. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **show entry** command shows the Name Service Interface (NSI) attributes of a name service entry. The name of the entry is required.

Note that this operation shows all of the compatible bindings for a given interface.

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The **show entry** command shows the same list of string bindings as the import operation returns for the specified entry. This list includes all string bindings that refer to a major version that matches the specified version and a minor version that is equal to or greater than the specified version. The list may include string bindings exported for other versions of the interface that are upwardly compatible, rather than for this particular version of the interface.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target name service entry).

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following commands show the NSI attributes of name service entries:

```
rpccp show entry /./LandS/anthro/Cal_host_3
rpccp> show entry /./LandS/anthro/Calendar_group
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_add_entry(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_entry(8rpc)**.

show group

Purpose

Shows the members of a group

Synopsis

```
rpccp show group group-entry-name [-m member] [-r [integer] ] [-s syntax] [-u]
```

Options

-m *member*

Declares the name of a single group member.

-r [*integer*]

Indicates that the **show group** operation recurses. If any members of a group are also groups, their entries are shown. By default, the **-r** option causes the **show group** operation to recurse until all nested groups are expanded; for example, **-r** shows the members of the specified group and all nested groups.

You can limit recursion to one or more levels by specifying a decimal integer as part of the **-r** option. For example, **-r 1** shows the members of the specified group and, for members that are groups, the command also shows their members; then recursion stops.

Without the **-r** option, only the members of the specified group are shown.

-s *syntax*

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

-u

Updates the local Cell Directory Service (CDS) cache copy of name service data (optional).

Name service data is cached locally on each machine in a cell. If an **rpccp** inquiry can be satisfied by data in the local CDS cache, this cached data is returned. Locally cached copies of name service data might not include a recent CDS update, however. If the required data is not available in the local CDS cache, **rpccp** goes to a CDS server(s) to retrieve the required data. **rpccp** then updates the local CDS cache.

Using the **-u** option bypasses the local cache, allowing **rpccp** to go directly to a CDS server for the inquiry. **rpccp** then updates the local CDS cache.

Arguments

group-entry-name

Indicates the name of the target group. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **show group** command shows the members of a group in the name service database. The entry name of the group is required. Unless it is limited to a specific

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member (by the **-m** option), the **show group** command shows all members. The command shows only the members in the specified group; the **-r** option enables you to show members of nested groups.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target group entry). If you use the **-r** option, you also need **r (read)** permission to any nested groups.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following example shows all the members of a group, in the order in which they were added to the group:

```
rpccp> show group ./LandS/anthro/Calendar_group
```

2. The following command shows a specific member of a group:

```
rpccp show group -m ./LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2 \  
./LandS/anthro/Calendar_group
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_add_member(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_group(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_member(8rpc)**

show mapping

Purpose

Shows the elements of the local or a remote endpoint map

Synopsis

rpccp show mapping [*host-address*] [-*if-id* [-*vversions*]] [-*o object-uuid*]

Options

-i if-id Defines an interface identifier to be shown (optional). Only one interface can be shown in a single operation. If specified, only elements containing this interface identifier are shown. The **-i** option can be qualified by the **-v** option. The value has the following form:

interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version

The Universal Unique Identifier UUID is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings, as in the following example:

-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

-v versions

Indicates how a specified interface version is used (optional). If it is used without the **-i** option, the **-v** option is ignored. The possible combinations of versions for the **-v** option and their actions are as follows:

all The interface version is ignored.

exact Both the major and minor versions must match the specified versions.

compatible

The major version must match the specified version, and the minor version must be greater than or equal to the specified version.

major_only

The major version must match the specified version; the minor version is ignored.

upto The major version must be less than or equal to that specified. If the major versions are equal, the minor version must be less than or equal to that specified.

If the **-v** option is absent, the command shows compatible version numbers.

-o object-uuid

Defines an object to be shown (optional). Each **show mapping** command accepts up to 32 **-o** options. The UUID is a hexadecimal string, as in the following example:

-o 3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989

Arguments

host-address

The *host-address* argument is a string binding that indicates where to find the target endpoint map. When accessing the local endpoint map, you can specify which protocol sequence to use (optional), as in the following example:

ncadg_ip_udp:

When accessing a remote endpoint map, you must specify both a protocol sequence and a network address for the remote system (required), as in the following example:

ncadg_ip_udp:16.20.16.44

An endpoint is unnecessary in local or remote host addresses, and the **remove mapping** command ignores any endpoint specified as part of a host address.

Description

The **show mapping** command shows elements of an endpoint map. Each element corresponds to an object UUID, interface identifier, annotation, and binding information. The binding information contains a remote procedure call (RPC) protocol sequence, a network address, and an endpoint within square brackets, as follows:

```
rpc-prot-seq: network-addr[endpoint]
```

The endpoint map can be either the local endpoint map or the endpoint map of a specified remote host. If entered without a remote host address, the command accesses the local endpoint map. For the local endpoint map, a **show mapping** command without any options displays all the map elements. For a remote endpoint map, map elements are accessible only for protocol sequences that are supported on both your system and the remote system.

The options list a selected subset of map elements. The **-i** option selects a specific interface, and the **-v** option qualifies the **-i** option. The **-o** option selects a specific object. You can use from 0 to 32 **-o** options per command. The options work together to specify the subset of elements for the target protocol sequence(s).

Notes

Note that to ensure that you can remotely display all map elements from every remote endpoint map, run the RPC control program on a system that supports all of the protocol sequences available in your network environment.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following command shows the map elements in the local endpoint map that contain the specified interface identifier:

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```
rpccp> show mapping -i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1
```

2. The following command accesses the endpoint map of the remote host specified by the host address (**ncadg_ip_udp:16.20.16.44**) and displays the one map element that contains both the specified interface identifier and the specified object UUID:

```
rpccp show mapping -i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1 \  
-o 30dbeea0-fb6c-11c9-8eea-08002b0f4528 ncadg_ip_udp:16.20.16.44
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_remove_mapping(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_server(8rpc)**.

show profile

Purpose

Shows the elements of a profile

Synopsis

```
rpccp show profile profile-entry-name {-d | -aannotation | -iif-id | [-vversions] | -mmember }[-r [integer] ] [-ssyntax] [-u]
```

Options

-d Selects the default profile element. With the **-d** option, the **-a**, **-i**, and **-m** options are ignored.

Although that the **-a** option does operate with the **-d** option, you should not use them together.

-a annotation

Declares a single annotation field (optional). The **-a** option selects only elements containing the specified annotation. The option is case sensitive.

The **-a** option works alone or in combination with the **-i** or **-m** options or both; only elements containing all the specified values are displayed.

Note that the shell supports the use of " " (quotation marks) around the annotation field of profile elements, allowing you to include internal spaces in an annotation; the control program does not. To specify or refer to annotations from within the control program, limit each annotation to an unbroken alphanumeric string; for example, **CalendarGroup**. To refer to annotations from the system prompt, do not incorporate quotation marks into any annotation.

-i if-id Selects a specified interface identifier (optional). Only elements containing that interface identifier are shown. The interface identifier value has the following form:

```
interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version
```

The Universal Unique Identifier UUID is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings, for example:

```
-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1
```

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

The **-i** option works alone or in combination with the **-a** or **-m** options or both; only elements containing all the specified values are displayed. When the **-d** option is specified, the **-i** option is ignored.

-v versions

Indicates how a specified interface version is used (optional). If it is used without the **-i** option, the **-v** option is ignored. The possible combinations of versions for the **-v** option and their actions are as follows:

all The interface version is ignored.

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exact Both the major and minor versions must match the specified versions.

compatible

The major version must match the specified version, and the minor version must be greater than or equal to the specified version.

major_only

The major version must match the specified version; the minor version is ignored.

upto The major version must be less than or equal to that specified. If the major versions are equal, the minor version must be less than or equal to that specified.

If the **-v** option is absent, the command shows compatible version numbers.

-m member

Declares a single member name (optional). Only elements containing that member name are shown.

The **-m** option works alone or in combination with the **-a** or **-i** options or both; only elements containing all the specified values are displayed. When the **-d** option is specified, the **-m** option is ignored.

-r [integer]

Indicates that the **show profile** operation recurses. If the member of any element of a profile is also a profile, its elements are shown. By default, the **-r** option causes the show profile operation to recurse until all nested profiles are expanded; for example, **-r** shows the elements of the specified profile and of all nested profiles.

You can limit recursion to one or more levels by specifying a decimal integer as part of the **-r** option. For example, **-r 1** shows the elements of the specified profile and, for element members that are profiles, the command also shows their elements; then recursion stops.

Without the **-r** option, only the profile elements in the specified entry are shown.

-s syntax

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

-u

Updates the local Cell Directory Service (CDS) cache copy of name service data (optional). Name service data is cached locally on each machine in a cell. If an **rpccp** inquiry can be satisfied by data in the local CDS cache, this cached data is returned. Locally cached copies of name service data might not include a recent CDS update, however. If the required data is not available in the local CDS cache, **rpccp** goes to a CDS server(s) to retrieve the required data. **rpccp** then updates the local CDS cache.

Using the **-u** option bypasses the local cache, allowing **rpccp** to go directly to a CDS server for the The local CDS cache is then updated by **rpccp**.

Arguments

profile-entry-name

Indicates the name of the target profile. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **show profile** command shows the elements of a profile in the name service database. The entry name of the profile is required.

By default, all elements in the profile are shown. You can select a subset of the elements by specifying the **-a**, **-i**, or **-m** options. The **-r** option enables you to show nested profiles.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target profile entry). If you use the **-r** option, you also need **r (read)** permission to any nested profiles.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following command shows the cell profile **./:/cell-profile** in the local cell:

```
rpccp show profile ./:/cell-profile
```

2. This sequence sets up an environment variable **MOLLY_O_PROFILE**, which represents the user profile **./:/LandS/anthro/molly_o_profile**, exports it, and show the user profile associated with the **MOLLY_O_PROFILE** environment variable:

```
MOLLY_O_PROFILE=./:/LandS/anthro/molly_o_profile
export MOLLY_O_PROFILE
rpccp
rpccp> show profile MOLLY_O_PROFILE
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_add_element(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_element(8rpc)**, **rpccp_remove_profile(8rpc)**.

show server

Purpose

Shows binding information, interface identifiers, and object UUIDs in a server entry

Synopsis

```
rpccp show server server-entry-name [-i [if-id] ] [-o [object-uuid] ] [-ssyntax] [-u]
```

Options

-i [*if-id*]

Shows interface identifiers from binding information found in the entry (optional). Without the **-i** option, the command displays all interface identifiers.

To display a specific interface, supply its identifier as the value. The value has the following form:

interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version

The Universal Unique Identifier UUID is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings, for example:

-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

-o [*object-uuid*]

Shows object UUIDs found in the entry (optional). Without the **-o** option, the command displays all object UUIDs. To display a specific object UUID, supply its string representation as the value, as in the following example:

-o 3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989

-s *syntax*

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

-u

Updates the local Cell Directory Service (CDS) cache copy of name service data (optional). Name service data is cached locally on each machine in a cell. If an **rpccp** inquiry can be satisfied by data in the local CDS cache, this cached data is returned. Locally cached copies of name service data might not include a recent CDS update, however. If the required data is not available in the local CDS cache, **rpccp** goes to a CDS server(s) to retrieve the required data. **rpccp** then updates the local CDS cache.

Using the **-u** option bypasses the local cache, allowing **rpccp** to go directly to a CDS server for the inquiry. The local CDS cache is then updated by **rpccp**.

Arguments

server-entry-name

Indicates the name of the target server. For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **show server** command shows the remote procedure call (RPC) binding information, interface identifiers, and object UUIDs in a server entry. The entry name of the server entry is required.

This operation shows all of the potential bindings for an interface. By default, this command displays bindings for the specified version of the interface and for upwardly compatible versions of the interface.

Privileges Required

You need **r (read)** permission to the CDS object entry (the target server entry).

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following command shows a server entry in the local cell:

```
rpccp> show server ./LandS/anthro/Ca1_host_2
```

2. The following command displays a specific object and interface from a server entry in the local cell:

```
rpccp show server ./LandS/anthro/Ca1_host_2 \  
-o 16977538-e257-11c9-8dc0-08002b0f4528 \  
-i ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_export(8rpc)**, **rpccp_import(8rpc)**, **rpccp_unexport(8rpc)**.

unexport

Purpose

Removes binding information, interface identifiers, and object UUIDs from a server entry

Synopsis

```
rpccp unexport entry-name {[-iif-id [-vversions] ] | [-oobject-uuid] }[-ssyntax]
```

Options

-i *if-id* Defines an interface identifier to be unexported (optional). Only one interface can be unexported in a single operation. If specified, binding information for this interface is removed from the entry. The **-i** option can be qualified by the **-v** option. The value has the following form:

interface-uuid, major-version. minor-version

The Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) is a hexadecimal string and the version numbers are decimal strings, for example:

-i **ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1**

Leading zeros in version numbers are ignored.

-v *versions*

Indicates how a specified interface version is used (optional). If it is used without the **-i** option, the **-v** option is ignored. The possible combinations of versions for the **-v** option and their actions as follows:

all The interface version is ignored.

exact Both the major and minor versions must match the specified versions.

compatible

The major version must match the specified version, and the minor version must be greater than or equal to the specified version.

major_only

The major version must match the specified version; the minor version is ignored.

upto The major version must be less than or equal to that specified. If the major versions are equal, the minor version must be less than or equal to that specified.

If the **-v** option is absent, the command shows compatible version numbers.

-o *object-uuid*

Defines an object to be unexported (optional). Each **unexport** command accepts up to 32 **-o** options. The UUID is a hexadecimal string, for example:

-o 3c6b8f60-5945-11c9-a236-08002b102989

-s *syntax*

Indicates the name syntax of the entry name (optional). The only value for this option is the **dce** name syntax, which is the default name syntax. Until an alternative name syntax becomes available, specifying the **-s** option is unnecessary.

-u

Updates the local copy of name service data (optional). Name service data that is requested by applications is sometimes stored locally. If a local copy of name service data satisfies an NSI command, the RPC control program uses the local copy. Local copies of name service data are not automatically updated. Specify the **-u** option to display the current contents of an entry that has recently changed.

Arguments

entry-name

Indicates the name of the target name service entry. Usually, the target is a server entry. However, objects also can be exported (without an interface identifier or binding information) to a group or a profile.

For an entry in the local cell, you can omit the cell name and specify only the cell-relative name.

Description

The **unexport** command removes binding information and an interface identifier, object UUIDs, or both from a server entry, or it removes object UUIDs from a group's entry. The command requires the entry name and either the interface identifier or one or more object UUIDs.

By default, the **unexport** operation removes **compatible** interface versions.

Privileges Required

You need both **r** (**read**) and **w** (**write**) permission to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) object entry (the target name service entry).

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

This sequence of commands sets up an environment variable **Calendar_1_1**, which represents the interface identifier of a remote procedure call (RPC) interface, exports it, and removes (unexports) the Calendar Version 1.1 interface from the server entry **./:/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2** in the local cell:

```
Calendar_1_1=ec1eeb60-5943-11c9-a309-08002b102989,1.1
export Calendar_1_1
rpccp
rpccp> unexport -i Calendar_1_1 ./:/LandS/anthro/Cal_host_2
```

Related Information

Commands: **rpccp_export(8rpc)**, **rpccp_import(8rpc)**, **rpccp_show_server(8rpc)**

Chapter 3. Cell Directory Service Commands

cds_intro

Purpose

Introduction to CDS commands

Description

The DCE Cell Directory Service (CDS) provides the following management commands:

cdsbrowser

Starts the CDS browser utility. This utility is based on the OSF/Motif® graphical user interface. The browser can display an overall directory structure as well as show the contents of directories.

cdscp Starts the CDS control program. Use this command-line interface to manage the CDS components and the contents of your namespace.

Note: Most of the **cdscp** command functions are also available through the **dcecp** administrative tool. See “Chapter 1. DCE Commands” on page 1. The **cdscp** tool was available in previous versions of DCE and is provided in this version to ease migration. Be aware that **cdscp** may not be available in future releases of DCE. Tools and scripts that depend on **cdscp** need to be converted to use **dcecp** and Tool Command Language (TCL). For more information on TCL, see “Description” on page 449.

The following commands are typically started automatically by scripts that execute as part of normal system startup procedures. See the reference pages for these commands before using them.

cdsadv

Starts the advertisement and solicitation daemon on the local system and then starts clerks as needed by applications. Use this command only when troubleshooting, because it creates and automatically starts the CDS clerk whenever the host system is rebooted.

cdsd Starts the CDS server. Use this command only when troubleshooting, because it starts the CDS server process automatically whenever the host system is rebooted.

gdad Starts the Global Directory Agent (GDA) daemon. GDA enables intercell communication, serving as a connection to other cells through the global naming environment. GDA is typically started automatically by scripts that execute as part of normal system startup and shutdown procedures.

Related Information

Commands: **cdsadv(8cds)**, **cdsbrowser(8cds)**, **cdscp(8cds)**, **cdsd(8cds)**, **gdad(8cds)**, **dced(8dce)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

add directory

Purpose

Adds a value to a modifiable, set-valued attribute of a directory

Synopsis

cdscp add directory *directory-name attribute-name = attribute-value*

Arguments

directory-name

The full name of the directory.

attribute-name

The name of a particular attribute. Specify only one attribute at a time. See the **cds_attributes** file for the list of attributes that your application uses.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute. The value of an application-defined attribute is dependent on the type of attribute. See the **cds_attributes** file for the list of attributes and corresponding data types that your application uses. If you enter a byte data type, you must enter an even number of digits in length. You can enter only pairs of hexadecimal values for user-defined attributes.

Description

The **add directory** command adds a value to a modifiable, set-valued attribute (including application-defined attributes) of a directory. If the attribute does not exist, this command creates it. Usually, this task is performed through the client application. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about attributes.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the directory.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

To add the value **ontario** to the attribute **myname** of a directory named **././sales**, read the **cds_attributes** file to verify that the attribute exists, as shown in the following:

OID	LABEL	SYNTAX
1.3.22.1.3.91	myname	char

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Then enter the following command to assign the value **ontario** to the attribute **myname**:

```
cdscp add directory ./:/sales myname = ontario
```

Related Information

Commands: **remove_directory(8cds)**, **show_directory(8cds)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

add object

Purpose

Adds a value to a modifiable, set-valued attribute of an object entry

Synopsis

```
cdscp add object object-name attribute-name = attribute-value
```

Arguments

object-name

The full name of the object entry.

attribute-name

The name of a particular attribute. Specify only one attribute at a time. See the **cds_attributes** file for the list of attributes and corresponding data types that your application uses.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute. The value of an application-defined attribute is dependent on the type of attribute.

Description

The **add object** command adds a value to a modifiable, set-valued attribute (including application-defined attributes) of an object entry. If the attribute does not exist, this command creates it. Usually, this task is performed through the client application. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about attributes.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the object entry.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

To add the value **ps** to the attribute **printcap** of an object entry named **./:/subsys/deskprinter**, read the **cds_attributes** file to verify that the attribute exists, as shown in the following:

OID	LABEL	SYNTAX
1.3.22.1.3.70	printcap	char

Then enter the following command to assign the value **ps** to the attribute **printcap**:

```
cdscp> add object ./:/subsys/deskprinter printcap = ps
```

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Related Information

Commands: **create object(8cds)**, **delete object(8cds)**, **list object(8cds)**, **remove object(8cds)**, **set object(8cds)**, **show object(8cds)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

catraverse

Purpose

Traverses the clerk cache

Synopsis

```
catraverse [-m cacheid] [-n filename]
```

Options

-m *cacheid*

Specifies the shared memory ID (obtain with the **ipcs** AIX command).

-n *filename*

Specifies the clerk cache file name.

Description

The **catraverse** command traverses the clerk cache data. It is used for debugging purposes only.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **catraverse** command.

Examples

None.

Related Information

None.

cdsadv

Purpose

Starts the CDS client daemon

Synopsis

```
cdsadv [-c size] [-D] [-I] [-P] [-s] [-w route]
```

Options

- c *size* Specifies cache size in kilobytes. Changing cache sizes causes previously cached information to be discarded, including information about cached servers, so use of this option may necessitate defining a new cached server.
- D For debugging use only. Causes the **cdsadv** process to not fork.
- I Caches all advertisements, even from other cells on the same LAN. Normally, the advertiser only caches information within the advertiser' local cell.
- P Enables the proxy function. The proxy function allows one or more advertisers in your cell to advertise on behalf of CDS servers in your cell. The servers you may want to proxy on behalf of are those that normally cannot broadcast directly because they are located on a WAN or on a separate LAN segment that prevents broadcasting. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Core Components* for more information about the proxy function.
- s Causes the **cdsadv** process not to send or receive advertisements. This argument can be used for diagnostic work involving multiple servers on the same local area network to limit access to those servers identified with the **define cached server** command.
- w *route* Routes serviceability messages.

Description

The **cdsadv** command starts the Cell Directory Service (CDS) client daemon.

Privileges Required

You must log in as **superuser (root)**.

Notes

This command is ordinarily executed by a DCE configuration or startup script. You should use this command interactively only when the **cdsadv** process fails to start automatically after a reboot, or if you want to restart the **cdsadv** process after disabling it to perform a backup or to do diagnostic work on the host system.

Examples

To restart the **cdsadv** process, follow these steps:

1. Log in to the clerk system as **superuser (root)**.
2. Verify that the **dced** process is running.
3. Enter the following command to restart the **cdsadv** process:

```
cdsadv
```

Related Information

Commands: **gdad(8cds)**, **dced(8dce)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

cdsbrowser

Purpose

Starts the CDS browser utility on the local system

Synopsis

cdsbrowser

Description

The **cdsbrowser** command starts the Cell Directory Service (CDS) browser utility on the local system. This utility runs on workstations with windowing software based on the OSF/Motif® graphical user interface. Using a mouse to manipulate pull-down menus, you can view the directory structure of a namespace, view child directories of a particular directory, view the object entries and soft links in a directory, and set a filter to display only object entries of a particular class. (Similar functions are available within the CDS control program, **cdscp**, for users who do not have windowing software.) When you use the CDS browser, it sets the confidence level of clerk calls to **low**. This means that the information displayed is obtained from the local CDS client cache if available.

Related Information

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

cdsclerk

Purpose

Manages the interface between clients and the CDS server

Synopsis

```
cdsclerk [-D] [-n] [-w route]
```

Options

- D** For debugging use only. Causes the **cdsadv** clerk process not to fork.
- n** Runs the CDS clerk without the Advertiser. This configuration is also referred to as the “Slim Client” and reduces the amount of memory required for the CDS client. It does not support the full advertisement capability; therefore, some functionality is reduced. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Quick Beginnings* for more information.
- w route**
Routes serviceability messages.

Description

The **cdsclerk** command manages the interface between clients and the Cell Directory Service (CDS) server.

Privileges Required

You must log in as **superuser (root)**.

Notes

This command is used by the advertiser on the system on which the CDS clerk is running. You should use this command interactively only to do diagnostic work on the host system.

Examples

Before you start the **cdsclerk** process, you must make sure that other clerks are not running. To start the **cdsclerk** process, follow these steps:

1. Make sure that a CDS server is already running somewhere within the cell.
2. Log into the system as **superuser (root)**.
3. Log into DCE as the machine principal of the local host. Enter the principal name in the format **/hosts/hostname/self**, as shown in the following example for a host named **orion** whose password is **smith**:

```
dce_login hosts/orion/self smith
```

4. Enter the following command to see whether the **dcled** process is already running:

```
ps
```

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5. If the **dc**ed process appears on the list of active processes, proceed to step 6. If the **dc**ed process does not appear on the list of active processes, enter the following command to start the process:

```
dced
```

6. Enter the following command to start the **cdsadv** process:

```
cdsadv
```

7. Enter the following command with the appropriate arguments to start the **cdsclerk** process:

```
cdsclerk
```

Related Information

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

cdscp

Purpose

Starts the CDS control program

Synopsis

cdscp [*cdscp-command*]

Arguments

cdscp-command

Optionally specifies one of the following control commands:

add directory

Adds a value to a modifiable, set-valued attribute (including application-defined attributes) of a directory

add object

Adds a value to a modifiable, set-valued attribute (including application-defined attributes) of an object entry

clear cached server

Removes knowledge of a server that you had specifically defined from the local clerk's cache

clear clearinghouse

Removes knowledge of the specified clearinghouse from the server's memory

create child

Creates a child pointer at the master replica of the parent directory

create clearinghouse

Creates a clearinghouse on the local server system or makes an existing clearinghouse available

create directory

Creates a directory

create link

Creates a soft link and optionally specifies an expiration time and an extension time

create object

Creates a new object entry

create replica

Creates a replica of an existing directory in the specified clearinghouse

define cached server

Creates knowledge of a server in the local clerk's cache

delete child

Deletes a child pointer from the namespace

delete clearinghouse

Deletes the specified clearinghouse from the local server system

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delete directory

Deletes a directory

delete link

Deletes a soft link

delete object

Deletes an object entry

delete replica

Deletes a read-only replica of a directory from a clearinghouse

disable clerk

Stops the clerk on the local system

disable server

Stops the server on the local system

dump clerk cache

Displays the contents of the clerk cache

help Displays a list of the CDS control program commands

list child

Displays a list of all the child pointers whose names match the specified child name

list clearinghouse

Displays a list of all the clearinghouses whose names match the specified clearinghouse name

list directory

Displays a list of all the directories whose names match the specified directory name

list link

Displays a list of all the soft links whose names match the specified link name

list object

Displays a list of all the object entries (including clearinghouse object entries) whose names match the specified object entry name

remove directory

Removes a value from a set-valued or single-valued attribute (including application-defined attributes) of a directory

remove link

Removes a soft link's timeout value attribute

remove object

Removes a value from a set-valued or single-valued attribute (including application-defined attributes) of an object entry

set cdscp confidence

Sets the confidence level of clerk calls issued as a result of CDS control program commands

set cdscp preferred clearinghouse

Specifies a preferred clearinghouse to use for satisfying read requests that result from CDS control program commands

set directory

Changes the value of a modifiable, single-valued attribute of a directory

set directory to new epoch

Reconstructs a directory's replica set, allowing you to designate a new master replica or to exclude a replica

set directory to skulk

Starts the skulk of a directory immediately

set link

Changes the value of a modifiable, single-valued attribute of a soft link

set object

Changes the value of a modifiable, single-valued attribute of an object entry

show cached clearinghouse

Displays current information about the specified cached clearinghouse

show cached server

Displays address information of a server in the local clerk's cache

show cdscp confidence

Displays the current confidence level of clerk calls resulting from CDS control program commands

show cdscp preferred clearinghouse

Displays the preferred clearinghouse for satisfying read requests that result from CDS control program commands

show cell

Displays the information you need to create a cell entry in either DNS or GDS

show child

Displays attribute information about the specified child pointer

show clearinghouse

Displays attribute information about the specified clearinghouse

show clerk

Displays attribute information about the CDS clerk on the local system

show directory

Displays attribute information about the specified directory

show link

Displays attribute information about the specified soft link

show object

Displays attribute information about the specified object entry

show replica

Displays attribute information about the specified replica

show server

Displays attribute information about the server running on the local system

Description

Note:

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With the exception of the following subcommands, this command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command. This command may be fully replaced by the **dcecp** command in a future release of DCE, and may no longer be supported at that time.

```
disable clerk
disable server
help
set cdscp confidence
set directory to new epoch
show cdscp confidence
show cell
show clerk
show server
```

This control program has been superseded by **dcecp**. It has not been enabled to support multibyte characters. If you are working in a multibyte or double-byte character set (DBCS) environment, you must use **dcecp**. (You are working in a multibyte or DBCS environment if you are using an implementation of DCE that has been translated from English to a language that uses the multibyte or double-byte character set.)

The Cell Directory Service (CDS) control program, **cdscp**, is a command-line interface for managing CDS components and the contents of the namespace.

You can use the control program commands from within the control program or from the system prompt. To use the control program commands from inside the control program, start the control program by using the **cdscp** command without any argument. This enters the control program, which displays the control program prompt, **cdscp>**, as shown in the following:

```
cdscp
cdscp>
```

At this prompt, you can enter any control program command, for example:

```
cdscp> show server
```

Enter **do filename** at the control program prompt to read commands from the file *filename*.

To leave the control program and return to the system prompt, enter **quit**.

To use the control program commands from the system prompt, enter the **cdscp** command with an a control program command as the argument. The control program executes the command immediately, without displaying the control program prompt. For example, you can enter the **show server** command as follows:

```
cdscp show server
```

Elements of a CDS Command

All CDS control program commands must include a verb, an entity name, and all required arguments. Depending on the command, you can also specify optional arguments and attributes. A space must separate more than one attribute or argument. A space must precede and follow any use of = (equal sign).

Control Program Verbs

The following is a list of the definitions of verbs used in control program commands:

- add** Adds a value to a modifiable, set-valued attribute
- clear** Removes knowledge of a cached clearinghouse or cached server from memory
- create** Creates an entity
- define** Creates knowledge of a locally cached server
- delete** Deletes an entity
- disable**
Stops operation of a clerk or server
- dump** Displays the contents of a clerk cache
- list** Displays a list of specified entity names
- remove**
Removes a value from a set-valued or single-valued attribute
- set** Changes the value of a modifiable, single-valued attribute
- show** Displays attribute information

CDS Entities

Any individually manageable piece of CDS is called an entity. A set of commands exists for each entity. The following is a list of the entities and a description of what each entity represents:

Cached Clearinghouse

A cached clearinghouse is a clearinghouse that a clerk has discovered and cached. A clerk can learn about clearinghouses as a result of configuration information or advertisements received on a local area network (LAN), or during the process of finding a name.

Cached Server

A cached server is a server that a clerk has cached as a result of manual configuration through the control program.

Child A child pointer connects a parent and child directory in a hierarchical namespace. The child pointer is stored in the parent directory and has the same name as the child directory.

Clearinghouse

A clearinghouse is a database containing a collection of directory replicas at a particular server.

Clerk The clerk is the interface between client applications and servers.

Directory

A directory contains child, object, and link entries that are logically stored under one name (the directory name).

Link A soft link is a pointer providing an alternate name for an object entry, directory, or other soft link.

Object

An object entry represents a resource (for example, an application) that is named in the namespace.

Replica

A replica is a copy of a directory. Each copy, including the original or master, is referred to as a replica.

Server

A server handles lookup requests from clerks and maintains the contents of the clearinghouse or clearinghouses at its node.

CDS Entity Attributes

Every CDS entity has attributes, which are pieces or sets of data associated with that entity. Attributes can reflect or affect the operational behavior of an entity, record the number of times a particular event or problem occurred since the entity was last enabled, and uniquely distinguish an entity from any other entity. Some attributes have a single value; others contain a set of values.

CDS attributes are identified by ISO object identifiers (OIDs). Every CDS attribute name maps to an OID and a corresponding data type. Usually, client applications define the name of an attribute and its data type. Application programmers should never need to modify (except for the purpose of foreign language translation) the existing CDS labels associated with the unique OIDs in the **cds_attributes** file. However, programmers can obtain new OIDs from the appropriate allocation authority, create new attributes for their own object entries, and then append them to the existing list. The OID and data type of each attribute are stored in the file **/opt/dcelocal/etc/cds_attributes**. Descriptions of the CDS data types that applications can use are in the **cdsclerk.h** file.

All entities have **show** commands that you can use to display the names and values of specific attributes or all attributes. When you display an attribute that has more than one value, the **show** command lists each value for the attribute separately. When there are multiple values for an attribute, the command first lists the attribute name on a line ending with a colon, then the parts of the value.

For more information about CDS attributes, see the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

Editing CDS Control Program Commands

You can abbreviate commands, continue a command beyond one line, or redirect output to a file within the control program.

To abbreviate any command name, enter only the first four characters. You can abbreviate a command name to fewer than four characters as long as the abbreviated name remains unique among all command names in the control program. For example, the following commands are equivalent:

```
cdscp> show directory ../sales
cdscp> sh dir ../sales
```

To continue a long command line onto the next line, enter a space and then a \ (backslash) at the end of the first line, for example:

```
cdscp> set link ../sales CDS_LinkTimeout \
> (1991-12-31-12:00:00 090-00:00:00)
```

To add a comment, use the # (number sign). Everything following the first number sign on a line is ignored.

To redirect output to a file, most UNIX shell users can enter `> filename` at the shell prompt. To redirect output of error text to a file, most UNIX shell users can enter `>& filename` at the shell prompt. For example, the following command redirects the display produced by the **show directory** command to a new text file named **directory_names** :

```
cdscp show directory ./.* > directory_names
```

Using Wildcard Characters

When entering a name in **show** and **list** commands, you can use wildcard characters in the rightmost simple name (the name to the right of the last `/` (slash) in the full pathname). The `*` (asterisk) matches zero or more characters in a simple name. The `?` (question mark) matches exactly one character in a simple name.

When you use an asterisk or a question mark as a normal character in the rightmost simple name of a **show** or **list** command, precede it with a `\` (backslash). Otherwise, the character is interpreted as a wildcard.

You cannot use wildcard characters in **show clerk** and **show server** commands.

Privileges Required

CDS supports the following DCE permissions: **r** (**read**), **w** (**write**), **i** (**insert**), **d** (**delete**), **t** (**test**), **c** (**control**), and **A** (**Admin**). Each permission has a slightly different meaning, depending on the kind of CDS name with which it is associated. In general, the permissions are defined as follows:

read Allows a principal to look up a name and view the attribute values associated with it.

write Allows a principal to change the modifiable attributes associated with a name, except the name's access control list (ACL) entries.

insert For use with directory entries only. Allows a principal to create new names in a directory.

delete Allows a principal to delete a name from the namespace.

test Allows a principal to test whether an attribute of a name has a particular value without being able to actually see any of the values (that is, without having read permission to the name).

Test permission provides application programs a more efficient way to verify a CDS attribute value. Rather than reading an entire set of values, an application can test for the presence of a particular value.

control

Allows a principal to modify the ACL entries associated with a name. (Note that **read** permission is also necessary for modifying a CDS entry's ACLs; otherwise, **acl_edit** will not be able to bind to the entry.) Control permission is automatically granted to the creator of a CDS name.

Admin

For use with directory entries only. Allows a principal to issue CDS control program commands that control the replication of directories.

The creator of a name is automatically granted all permissions appropriate for the type of name created. For example, a principal creating an object entry is granted

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read, **write**, **delete**, **test**, and **control** permission to the object entry. A principal creating a directory is granted **read**, **write**, **insert**, **delete**, **test**, **control**, and **Admin** permission to the directory.

Examples

The following command starts the CDS control program:

```
cdscp  
cdscp>
```

The following command displays the attributes of the CDS clerk on the local system:

```
cdscp show clerk
```

Related Information

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

cdsd

Purpose

Starts the CDS server

Synopsis

```
cdsd [-a] [-D] [-l principal] [-v directory version] [-w route]
```

Options

- a** Creates a new namespace if there is not an existing namespace. This flag is meaningful only when the cell is first configured (that is, during the initial creation of the namespace).
- D** For debugging use only. Causes the **cdsd** process not to fork.
- l *principal***
Sets locksmith mode. Allows the specified *principal* to have full access to all information stored with this server.
- v *directory version***
Causes the **cdsd** to create new directories with the specified CDS directory version number. IBM supports versions 3.0 and 4.0.
- w *route***
Routes serviceability messages.

Description

The **cdsd** command starts the Cell Directory Service (CDS) server.

Privileges Required

You must log in as **superuser (root)**.

Notes

This command is ordinarily executed by a DCE configuration or startup script. You should use this command interactively only when a **cdsd** server fails to start automatically after a reboot, or if you want to restart a **cdsd** server after disabling it to perform a backup or to do diagnostic work on the host system.

Use the **-v 4.0** option when all CDS clearinghouses and directories in the cell are based on OSF DCE release 1.1 or later. This enables the use of features such as cell aliasing and CDS recognition of extended privilege attribute certificates on ACLs in namespace entries. If you are creating a new cell based on OSF DCE release 1.1 or later and you do not use the **-v 4.0** option, you must manually upgrade the **CDS_DirectoryVersion** attribute of the cell root directory to 4.0 to use the release 1.1 features in CDS. Refer to the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Core Components*.

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Examples

To restart a **cdsd** server, follow these steps:

1. Log in to the server system as **superuser (root)**.
2. Verify that the **dcad** and **cadsadv** processes are running.
3. Enter the following command to restart the CDS server:

```
cdsd
```

When the server process starts, it starts all clearinghouses on the system.

Related Information

Commands: **cadsadv(8cds)**, **dcad(8dce)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

cds_dbdump

Purpose

Dumps the CDS server database.

Synopsis

```
cds_dbdump{-c | -t} file_spec
```

```
cds_dbdump -c checkpoint_file
```

```
cds_dbdump -t transaction_log
```

Options

- c Specifies that the checkpoint file should be dumped.
- t Specifies that the transaction log file should be dumped.

Description

This utility is used to dump the server checkpoint and transaction log files

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cds_dbdump** command.

Examples

None.

Related Information

IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Core Components

cdsdel

Purpose

Deletes recursively the namespace of cells.

Synopsis

```
cdsdel [-C] [-d] [-o] [-l] [-r] [-R ] entity
```

Options

- C** Specifies a confidence level to use (low, medium, or high).
 - d** Specifies a directory.
 - o** Specifies an object.
 - l** Specifies a link.
 - r** Indicates recursive delete including the directory specified.
 - R** Indicates to delete entries recursively, not including the directory specified.
- entity* A valid namespace entity.

Description

Directory and target can be in */:* or */.../cellname* format. Directory and target can contain the wildcard characters * and ?. Only trailing wildcarding is allowed.

When specifying **-R** or **-r** with **cdsdel**, the entity must be a directory. Any combination of the **-c**, **-o**, or **-l** options with **-R** or **-r** will result in a user error.

A DCE cell must be running in order for **cdsdel** to function.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cdsdel** command.

Examples

The following example will delete object */:/foobar*.

```
-o /:/foobar
```

The following example will delete everything under */:/old_dir* as well as */:/old_dir* itself.

```
-r /:/old_dir
```

Related Information

Commands: **cdsli**

cdsd_diag

Purpose

Starts the CDS Diagnostic utility for the server running on the local system.

Synopsis

cdsd_diag

Description

The **cdsd_diag** command starts the CDS Diagnostic utility for the server running on the local system. A help subcommand describes the facilities available in the utility.

Privileges Required

You must have superuser (root) privileges on the local system.

Notes

To use this command you must have an extensive knowledge of DCE. The **cdsd_diag** command is intended to be used by service personnel for diagnostic purposes.

Examples

The following command starts the CDS Diagnostic utility on the local system:

```
# cdsd_diag
```

Related Information

None.

cdsli

Purpose

Lists recursively the namespace of cells.

Synopsis

```
cdsli [-c][-C] [-d] [-o] [-l] [-w] [-R | -r ]directory
```

Options

- c** Specifies a clearinghouse
- C** Specifies a confidence level to use (low, medium, or high).
- d** Specifies a directory.
- o** Specifies an object.
- l** Specifies a link.
- w** Specifies a long listing.
- R** Indicates to list entries recursively, not including the directory specified.
- r** Indicates to list entries recursively, including the directory specified.

directory

A valid namespace directory.

Description

Directory and target can be in */:* or */.../cellname* format. Directory and target can contain the wildcard characters * and ?. Only trailing wildcarding is allowed. See Examples.

Note: The user can leave the directory field blank and the enumeration will occur on the root directory.

A DCE cell must be running in order for cdsdel to function.

Privileges Required

No special privileges are needed to use the **cdsli** command.

Examples

```
cdsli -d /.:  
././hosts  
././subsys
```

```
cdsli -dR /.:  
./:/hosts  
./:/hosts/smith.austin.ibm.com  
./:/sysys  
./:/sysys/dce/dfs  
./:/sysys/dce/dfs/bak  
./:/sysys/dce/sec
```

```
cdsli -oR /./hosts  
./:/hosts  
./:/hosts/smith.austin.ibm.com/cds-clerk  
./:/hosts/smith.austin.ibm.com/cds-server  
./:/hosts/smith.austin.ibm.com/profile  
./:/hosts/smith.austin.ibm.com/self
```

```
cdsli -wodR  
o ./:/cell-profile  
o ./:/fs  
o ./:/lan-profile  
0 ./:/sec  
d ./:/hosts  
d ./:/sysys
```

Related Information

Commands: **cdsdel**

clear cached server

Purpose

Removes knowledge of a user-defined server from the local clerk's cache

Synopsis

```
cdscp clear cached server simplename
```

Arguments

simplename

The simple name given to the cached server when it is created.

Description

The **clear cached server** command removes knowledge of a server from the local clerk's cache. You can clear only those servers that you have created with the **define cached server** command.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the clerk.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command removes knowledge of the server **nr1** from the clerk cache:

```
cdscp> clear cached server nr1
```

Related Information

Commands: **define_cached_server(8cds)**, **dump_clerk_cache**, **show_cached_server(8cds)**.

clear clearinghouse

Purpose

Removes knowledge of a clearinghouse from the server's memory

Synopsis

```
cdscp clear clearinghouse clearinghouse-name
```

Arguments

clearinghouse-name
The full name of the clearinghouse.

Description

The **clear clearinghouse** command removes knowledge of the specified clearinghouse from the server's memory. The clearinghouse files are not deleted. This ensures that the clearinghouse is not automatically enabled on server restarts. If you issue a **list clearinghouse** command, the clearinghouse will still be listed.

Before you can delete a cleared clearinghouse, you must use the **create clearinghouse** command to recreate it. After recreating the clearinghouse, you can use the **delete clearinghouse** command to remove it.

This command is part of the process of relocating a clearinghouse. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information.

Note: Once a clearinghouse has been disabled, skulks can fail until the clearinghouse is enabled again.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the server on which the clearinghouse resides.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command clears the clearinghouse `./:/Paris2_CH` before moving it to another server:

```
cdscp clear clearinghouse ./:/Paris2_CH
```

Related Information

Commands: **create_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **delete_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **list_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **set_cdscp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **show_cdscp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **show_clearinghouse(8cds)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide.*

create child

Purpose

Creates a child pointer at the master replica of the parent directory

Synopsis

cdscp create child *child-name* **clearinghouse** *clearinghouse-name*

Arguments

child-name

The full name of the child pointer.

clearinghouse *clearinghouse-name*

The full name of a clearinghouse that contains a replica of the child directory.

Description

The **create child** command creates a child pointer at the master replica of the parent directory. When the Cell Directory Service (CDS) looks up a name in the namespace, it uses child pointers to locate directory replicas. Use the **set cdscp preferred clearinghouse** command before issuing this command to ensure that the request is directed to the master replica.

Privileges Required

You must have **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory.

Notes

Use the **create child** command only to recreate a child pointer that is accidentally deleted. This command is designed for troubleshooting only.

This command will fail if the associated directory does not exist. If the associated directory exists, this command will return successfully.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command creates the child pointer in the parent directory **./:/subsys**. It uses the replica located at the **./:/subsys/NY_CH** clearinghouse to fill in its replica set.

```
cdscp> create child ./:/subsys clearinghouse ./:/subsys/NY_CH
```

Related Information

Commands: **delete_child(8cds)**, **list_child(8cds)**, **show_child(8cds)**.

create clearinghouse

Purpose

Creates a clearinghouse or makes an existing clearinghouse available

Synopsis

```
cdscp create clearinghouse clearinghouse-name
```

Arguments

clearinghouse-name
The full name of the clearinghouse.

Description

The **create clearinghouse** command creates a clearinghouse on the local server system or makes an existing clearinghouse available. The server startup command usually creates a new clearinghouse when you configure a new Cell Directory Service (CDS) server. Occasionally, you may need to create a second clearinghouse on a particular server; for example, if you are temporarily relocating a clearinghouse on a different server. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about relocating a clearinghouse.

Clearinghouses should be named only in the root. When you enter the **create clearinghouse** command, CDS creates a read-only replica of the root directory and stores it in the new clearinghouse as the initial replica. Because the process that creates the new clearinghouse initiates a skulk of the root directory, all replicas of the root should be reachable when you enter the command.

Privileges Required

You need **w (write)** permission to the server on which you intend to create the clearinghouse and **A (Admin)** permission to the cell root directory. The server principal needs **r (read)**, **w (write)**, and **A (Admin)** permissions to the cell root directory.

Notes

This command is usually executed only by the network configuration procedure. To ensure that all replicas of the root are reachable, perform an immediate skulk of **./:** prior to issuing this command.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command creates a clearinghouse named **./:Boston_CH** on the local server system:

```
cdscp> create clearinghouse ./:Boston_CH
```


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Related Information

Commands: **clear_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **delete_clearinghouse(8cds)**,
list_clearinghouse(8cds), **set_cdscp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds)**,
show_cached_clearinghouse(8cds),
show_cdscp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds), **show_clearinghouse(8cds)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

create directory

Purpose

Creates a directory

Synopsis

```
cdscp create directory directory-name [clearinghouse clearinghouse-name]
```

Arguments

directory-name

The full name of the directory.

clearinghouse *clearinghouse-name*

The optional name of the clearinghouse in which to create the directory.

Description

The **create directory** command creates a directory with the name that you specify. If you do not specify a clearinghouse, the Cell Directory Service (CDS) creates the master replica of the directory in the same clearinghouse as the new directory's parent directory.

Privileges Required

In order to create a directory, you must have **r** (read) and **i** (**insert**) permission to the parent directory, and **w** (**write**) permission to the clearinghouse in which the master replica of the new directory is to be stored. In addition, the server principal must have **r** (**read**) and **i** (**insert**) permission to the parent directory.

Notes

To ensure that all replicas are consistent, perform an immediate skulk of the parent directory after issuing this command.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command creates a directory named **./:/sales**.

```
cdscp create directory ./:/sales
```

Related Information

Commands: **delete_directory(8cds)**, **list_directory(8cds)**, **set_directory(8cds)**, **set_directory_to_skulk(8cds)**, **show_directory(8cds)**.

create link

Purpose

Creates a soft link, optionally specifying expiration time and extension time

Synopsis

```
cdscp create link link-nameCDS_LinkTarget = target-name [CDS_LinkTimeout =  
(expiration-time extension-time)]
```

Arguments

link-name

The full name of the soft link.

CDS_LinkTarget = *target-name*

The full name of the entry to which the soft link points.

CDS_LinkTimeout = (*expiration-time extension-time*)

The *expiration-time* argument specifies a date and time after which CDS checks for existence of the soft link's target and either extends or deletes the soft link. The value is specified as follows:

yyyy- mm- dd- hh: mm: ss

You can abbreviate this value.

The *extension-time* argument specifies a period of time by which to extend the soft link's expiration time (if the server has validated that the target still exists). The value is specified as follows:

dd- hh: mm: ss

You can abbreviate this value.

Description

The **create link** command creates a soft link. If you specify the **CDS_LinkTimeout** attribute, you must specify an expiration time and an extension time. If you omit the **CDS_LinkTimeout** attribute, the soft link is permanent and must be explicitly deleted.

Privileges Required

You must have **i (insert)** permission to the directory in which you intend to create the soft link.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

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Examples

The following command creates a permanent soft link named **././sales/tokyo/price-server** that points to an object entry named **././sales/east/price-server**. The expiration value indicates that the Cell Directory Service (CDS) will check that the destination name **././sales/east/price-server** still exists on June 25, 1995, at 12:00 p.m. If the destination name still exists, the soft link remains in effect another 90 days. Thereafter, CDS will check that the destination name exists every 90 days.

```
cdscp> create link ././sales/tokyo/price-server \  
CDS_LinkTarget = ././sales/east/price-server \  
CDS_LinkTimeout = (1995-06-25-12:00:00 90-00:00:00)
```

Note: If you are entering the **cdscp create link** command directly from the AIX command line, remember to escape the () metacharacters by using the forward slash (/).

Related Information

Commands: **delete_link(8cds)**, **list_link(8cds)**, **set_link(8cds)**, **show_link(8cds)**.

create object

Purpose

Creates an object entry

Synopsis

```
cdscp create object object-name [CDS_Class = class-name] [CDS_ClassVersion  
= value]
```

Arguments

object-name

The full name of the object entry.

CDS_Class = *class-name*

The class of object entry being created. You can specify an application-defined class name. A class is specified as a simple name limited to 31 characters.

CDS_ClassVersion = *value*

The version of the class assigned to the object entry. Specify the value as *v.n*, where *v* defines the major release number and *n* specifies the minor version number. Specifying a class version is useful in that it allows the definition of a class to evolve as the application is revised.

Description

The **create object** command creates an object entry. This task is usually done through a client application.

Privileges Required

You must have **i (insert)** permission to the parent directory.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command creates an object entry named **./sales/east/floor1cp**. The object entry describes a color printer on the first floor of a company's eastern sales office.

```
cdscp> create object ./sales/east/floor1cp \  
      CDS_Class = printer CDS_ClassVersion = 1.0
```

Related Information

Commands: **delete_object(8cds)**, **list_object(8cds)**, **set_object(8cds)**, **show_object(8cds)**.

create replica

Purpose

Creates a replica of an existing directory in the specified clearinghouse

Synopsis

```
cdscp create replica directory-name clearinghouse clearinghouse-name
```

Arguments

directory-name

The full name of the directory.

clearinghouse *clearinghouse-name*

The full name of the clearinghouse in which you want to create the replica.

Description

The **create replica** command creates a replica of an existing directory in the specified clearinghouse.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (Admin)** permission to the directory you intend to replicate and **w (write)** permission to the clearinghouse that stores the new replica. The server principal needs **r (read)**, **w (write)**, and **A (Admin)** permission to the directory you intend to replicate.

Notes

This command is usually executed only by the network configuration procedure. To ensure that all replicas are consistent, perform an immediate skulk of the parent directory after issuing this command.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command creates a replica of the **./mfg** directory in the clearinghouse **./Paris_CH** :

```
cdscp create replica ./mfg clearinghouse ./Paris1_CH
```

Related Information

Commands: **delete_replica(8cds)**, **show_replica(8cds)**.

define cached server

Purpose

Creates knowledge of a server in the local clerk's cache

Synopsis

cdscp define cached server *name tower value*

Arguments

name A simple name for the cached server.

tower *value*

The protocol sequence and network address of the server node. The format is *protocol-sequence: network-address*. A *protocol-sequence* is a character string identifying the network protocols used to establish a relationship between a client and server. There are two choices of protocol sequence, depending on the network address that is supplied in the binding: **ncacn_ip_tcp** or **ncadg_ip_udp**. For the *network-address*, specify an Internet address using the common Internet address notation. For more information about this format, see the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Reference*.

Description

The **define cached server** command creates knowledge of a server in the local clerk's cache. This command is typically used to manually provide configuration information to a clerk that cannot automatically configure itself. This is required, for instance, to give the clerk addressing information about a server across a wide area network (WAN). Once the clerk knows about one server, it can find other servers through referrals. The server being added to the cache must be running and reachable when this command is issued.

Privileges Required

You must have **w** (**write**) permission to the clerk.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command creates knowledge of the server **nr1** in the local clerk's cache:

```
cdscp> define cached server nr1 tower ncacn_ip_tcp:16.20.15.25
```

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Related Information

Commands: **clear_cached_server(8cds)**, **dump_clerk_cache(8cds)**,
show_cached_server(8cds).

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Reference*.

delete child

Purpose

Deletes a child pointer from the namespace

Synopsis

```
cdscp delete child child-name
```

Arguments

child-name

The full name of the child pointer.

Description

The **delete child** command deletes a child pointer from the namespace.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the child pointer or **A (Admin)** permission to the parent directory.

Notes

Use the **delete child** command only when the directory to which the child pointer refers is deleted and the child pointer accidentally remains.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command deletes the child pointer that accidentally remains after the **./:/sales/east** directory is deleted:

```
cdscp> delete child ./:/sales/east
```

Related Information

Commands: **create_child(8cds)**, **list child(8cds)**, **show child(8cds)**.

delete clearinghouse

Purpose

Deletes the specified clearinghouse from the local server system

Synopsis

```
cdscp delete clearinghouse clearinghouse-name
```

Arguments

clearinghouse-name
The full name of the clearinghouse.

Description

The **delete clearinghouse** command deletes a clearinghouse from the local server system. The Cell Directory Service (CDS) does not permit you to delete a cleared clearinghouse. Before you can delete a cleared clearinghouse, you must recreate it using the **create clearinghouse** command.

The **delete clearinghouse** command automatically deletes all read-only replicas from a clearinghouse. CDS does not permit you to delete a clearinghouse that contains a master replica. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about handling master replicas when deleting a clearinghouse.

Permissions Required

You must have **w (write)** and **d (delete)** permission to the clearinghouse and **A (Admin)** permission to all directories that store replicas in the clearinghouse. The server principal needs **d (delete)** permission to the associated clearinghouse object entry and **A (Admin)** permission to all directories that store replicas in the clearinghouse.

Notes

It is recommended that you delete all replicas except the root before issuing this command.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command deletes a clearinghouse named `./:/sales/Orion_CH` from the local server system:

```
cdscp delete clearinghouse ./:/sales/Orion_CH
```

delete clearinghouse(8cds)

Related Information

Commands: **clear_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **create_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **list_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **set_cdscp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **show_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **show_cdscp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

delete directory

Purpose

Deletes a directory

Synopsis

```
cdscp delete directory directory-name
```

Arguments

directory-name
The full name of the directory.

Description

The **delete directory** command deletes a directory. The directory cannot contain any object entries, soft links, or child pointers. The master replica must be the only remaining replica in the cell. Use the **delete replica** command if you need to remove read-only replicas.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the directory and **w (write)** permission to the clearinghouse that stores the master replica of the directory. The server principal needs **A (Admin)** permission to the parent directory or **d (delete)** permission to the child pointer that points to the directory you intend to delete.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command deletes the directory **./eng** from the namespace:

```
cdscp> delete directory ./eng
```

Related Information

Commands: **create_directory(8cds)**, **delete_replica(8cds)**, **list_directory(8cds)**, **set_directory(8cds)**, **set_directory_to_skulk(8cds)**, **show_directory(8cds)**.

delete link

Purpose

Deletes a soft link

Synopsis

```
cdscp delete link link-name
```

Arguments

link-name
The full name of the soft link.

Description

The **delete link** command deletes a soft link.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the soft link, or **A (Admin)** permission to the directory that stores the soft link.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command deletes the soft link **././sales/asia**.

```
cdscp> delete link ././sales/asia
```

Related Information

Commands: **create_link(8cds)**, **list_link(8cds)**, **set_link(8cds)**, **show_link(8cds)**.

delete object

Purpose

Deletes an object entry

Synopsis

```
cdscp delete object object-name
```

Arguments

object-name

The full name of the object entry.

Description

The **delete object** command deletes an object entry. This task is usually performed through the client application, except under certain circumstances—for example, if the application is obsolete or no longer has access to the namespace.

Note: This command deletes the object entry in the namespace only. It does not delete the actual object that the name represents.

Privileges Required

You must have **d (delete)** permission to the object entry, or **A (Admin)** permission to the directory that stores the object entry.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command deletes the object entry **././sales/east/floor1pr2**:

```
cdscp delete object ././sales/east/floor1pr2
```

Related Information

Commands: **create_object(8cds)**, **list_object(8cds)**, **set_object(8cds)**, **show_object(8cds)**

delete replica

Purpose

Deletes a read-only replica of a directory from a clearinghouse

Synopsis

```
cdscp delete replica directory-name clearinghouse clearinghouse-name
```

Arguments

directory-name

The full name of the directory

clearinghouse *clearinghouse-name*

The full name of the clearinghouse

Description

The **delete replica** command deletes a read-only replica of a directory from a clearinghouse. Use the **delete directory** command to delete the master replica of the directory.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (Admin)** permission to the directory whose replica you want to delete and **w (write)** permission to the clearinghouse from which you are deleting the replica.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command deletes a read-only replica of the directory **./:/mfg** from the **./:/Paris1_CH** clearinghouse:

```
cdscp> delete replica ./:/mfg clearinghouse ./:/Paris1_CH
```

Related Information

Commands: **create_replica(8cds)**, **delete_directory(8cds)**, **show_replica(8cds)**.

disable clerk

Purpose

Stops the clerk on the local system

Synopsis

```
cdscp disable clerk
```

Description

The **disable clerk** command stops the clerk on the local system, causing all active communication with any server to be aborted and all client calls in progress to fail. The clerk cache is copied to disk.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the clerk.

Notes

If you are disabling a clerk on a system where a server is running, make sure you disable the server first.

This command may be replaced in future releases of DCE by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

Examples

The following command stops the clerk on the local server system:

```
cdscp> disable clerk
```

Related Information

Command: **show clerk(8c ds)**.

disable server

Purpose

Stops the server on the local system

Synopsis

```
cdscp disable server
```

Description

The **disable server** command stops the server on the local system. The server is disabled after all transactions in progress are completed.

Note: To be able to restart the server successfully, you must also stop and restart the advertiser first. Use the **disable clerk** command to stop the advertiser and the **start.dce** command to restart the advertiser and server together

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the server.

Notes

This command may be replaced in future DCE releases by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

Examples

The following command stops the server on the local system:

```
cdscp disable server
```

Related Information

Command: **show server(8cds)**.

dump clerk cache

Purpose

Displays the contents of the clerk cache

Synopsis

```
cdscp dump clerk cache
```

Description

The **dump clerk cache** command displays the contents of the clerk cache on the screen. Use this command when solving Cell Directory Service (CDS) problems.

Privileges Required

You must have **superuser (root)** privileges on the clerk system. No CDS permissions are required.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays the contents of the clerk cache on the screen:

```
cdscp> dump clerk cache
```

Related Information

Command: **show clerk**.

gdad

Purpose

Starts the GDA daemon

Synopsis

```
gdad [-b] [-d routing] [-D] [-r resolv.conf file] [-s named.ca file] [-u] [-w route] [-x]
[-l | (-h addr_LDAP_server -a authentication_DN -p
password_for_authentication_DN) | -h addr_LDAP_server]
```

Options

- b** This option disables the ability to use DNS as the global directory service.
- d *routing***
Sets the debug routing. This option is for debugging use only.
- D** This option is used for debugging only. It causes the `gdad` process not to fork.
- r **resolv.conf file****
This option may be used to specify the file name of the resolve configuration file. The default is `/etc/resolv.conf`.
- s **named.ca.file****
This option may be used to indicate the file name of the bind server named data file. The default is `/etc/named.data`.
- u** This option may be specified to prevents `gdad` from updating the GDA Parent Pointer on/.. This option is for debugging use only.
- w *route***
This option routes serviceability messages.
- x** This option disables the ability to use X.500 as the global directory service.
- l** This option disables the ability to use LDAP as the global directory service.
- h *addr_LDAP_server***
Address of the LDAP server in which DCE cell information is registered. The value `addr_LDAP_server` can be specified as:

host[:port] where host is the hostname running the LDAP server. Alternatively, the host can be specified as an IP address in dotted decimal format.

port is the port on which the LDAP server is listening; this is needed if the default port [389] is not used.

This option -h is required when -l is not present.
- a *authentication_DN***
The distinguished name (DN), specified in LDAP name syntax that will be authenticated for successive operations to use.
- p *password_for_authentication_DN***
The password that is used to authenticate the distinguished name (DN). This option is used with LDAP only.

gdad(8cds)

Description

The **gdad** command starts the Global Directory Agent (GDA) daemon. The GDA enables intercell communication, serving as a connection to other cells through the global naming environment. The default, **gdad**, starts all services, that is BIND, X.500, and LDAP.

Privileges Required

You must log in as **superuser (root)**.

Notes

This command is ordinarily executed by a DCE configuration or startup script. You should use this command interactively only when a **gdad** process fails to start automatically after a reboot, or if you want to restart the GDA daemon after disabling it to perform a backup or do diagnostic work on the host system.

Examples

To restart the GDA daemon process, follow these steps:

1. Log in to the system as **superuser (root)**.
2. Verify that the **dcad** and **cdsadv** processes are running.
3. Enter the following command to restart the **gdad** process:

```
gdad
```

To stop the GDA, enter the following command:

```
kill pid
```

where *pid* is the process identifier of the **gdad** process.

Related Information

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

ldap_addcell

Purpose

Registers DCE cell information in a server which supports LDAP.

Synopsis

```
ldap_addcell -h ldap_server -a authentication_DN -p password [-o object_class, object_class...][-d]
```

Options

- h** *ldap_server*
The name of the LDAP server targeted to hold the binding.
- a** *authentication_DN*
The distinguished name (DN), specified in LDAP name syntax that will be authenticated for successive operations to use.
- p** *password*
The password that is used to authenticate the distinguished name (DN).
- o** *object_class, object_class...*
Value or values of the attribute *object_class* for the entry (the registration) being created or modified. Note that if you are listing more than one *object_class* value, you must separate them with commas.

If no *object_class* value is specified, it is assumed that the object exists and an attempt is made to modify its *CDS_CELL* and *CDS_REPLICAS* attributes. If this attempt fails, another attempt is made with the addition of the *object_class* value of *dceCellInfo*.

Note: *dceCellInfo* is the recommended auxiliary *object_class* for the *CDS_CELL* and *CDS_REPLICAS* attributes.
- d** Deletes the DCE cell information attributes from the entry in the directory. It does not remove the entire directory entry.

Description

The **ldap_addcell** command registers DCE cell information in a server which supports LDAP. It returns a 0 on success and a 1 on error.

Privileges Required

You must log in as **superuser (root)** to run the **ldap_addcell** command.

Examples

The following **ldap_add** cell examples assume the following:

- bermuda.austin.ibm.com is the ldap server machine name
- gdatest is a user that has write access to the ldap server
- gdatest is also the password of the user gdatest
- an organizationalUnit is allowed to contain the auxiliary object *dceCellInfo*
- the ldap server does schema checking

ldap_addcell

Example 1 shows the normal creation of the cell bindings in the ldap server.

```
ldap_addcell -h bermuda.austin.ibm.com -a "cn=gdatest,ou=austin,o=ibm,c=us" \  
-p "gdatest" -o organizationalUnit,dceCellInfo
```

Example 2 shows the deletion of the CDS_CELL and CDS_REPLICAS attributes.

```
ldap_addcell -h bermuda.austin.ibm.com -a "cn=gdatest,ou=austin,o=ibm,c=us" \  
-p "gdatest" -d
```

Example 3 shows the changing of the CDS_CELL and CDS_REPLICAS attributes in an object that already exists.

```
ldap_addcell -h bermuda.austin.ibm.com -a "cn=gdatest,ou=austin,o=ibm,c=us" \  
-p "gdatest"
```

Environment variables used: Each parameter of the ldap_addcell command has a corresponding environment variable which is used when the corresponding parameter is not present on the ldap_addcell command invocation. The ldap_addcell parameters and the corresponding environment variable are as follows:

ldap_addcell parameter	environment variable
-h	LDAP_SERVER
-a	LDAP_AUTH_DN
-p	LDAP_AUTH_DN_PW
-o	LDAP_OBJECT_CLASS

If the cell entry is already registered, the CDS_CELL and CDS_REPLICAS attributes are replaced with new values for this cell.

list child

Purpose

Displays a list of all child pointers matching a specified child name

Synopsis

```
cdscp list child child-name [with attribute-name = attribute-value]
```

Arguments

child-name

The full name of a specific child pointer. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters.

with *attribute-name*

The name of a particular attribute.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute.

Description

The **list child** command displays a list of all the child pointers whose names match the specified child name. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters. You can use a **with attribute-name= attribute-value** clause to limit output only to child pointers whose attributes have values equal to the specified values. Spaces must precede and follow the = (equal sign).

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the directory that stores the child pointer. If you use a **with attribute-name= attribute-value** clause in the command, you also need **r (read)** or **t (test)** permission to the selected child pointers.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays a list of all the child pointers named in the **./sales** directory:

```
cdscp> list child ./sales/*
          LIST
          CHILD  /.../abc.com/sales
          AT    1991-10-15-15:56:00
Q1
Q2
Q3
Q4
```

list child(8cds)

Related Information

Commands: **create_child(8cds)**, **delete_child(8cds)**, **show_child(8cds)**.

list clearinghouse

Purpose

Displays a list of all clearinghouses matching a specified clearinghouse name

Synopsis

```
cdscp list clearinghouse clearinghouse-name [with attribute-name =  
attribute-value]
```

Arguments

clearinghouse-name

The full name of a specific clearinghouse. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters.

with *attribute-name*

The name of a particular attribute.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute.

Description

The **list clearinghouse** command displays a list of all the clearinghouses whose names match the specified name. The last simple name can contain wildcards. You can use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause to limit output only to clearinghouses whose attributes have values equal to the specified values. Spaces must precede and follow the = (equal sign).

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the directory that stores the associated clearinghouse object entry. If you use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause in the command, you also need **r (read)** or **t (test)** permission to the selected clearinghouses.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays a list of all the clearinghouses named in the root directory:

list clearinghouse(8cds)

```
cdscp> list clearinghouse /.//*
          LIST
          CLEARINGHOUSE /.../abc.com/*
          AT 1991-10-15-15:56:00
/.../abc.com/Munich_CH
/.../abc.com/Paris_CH
```

Related Information

Commands: **clear_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **create_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **delete_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **set_cdscp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **show_cdscp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **show_clearinghouse(8cds)**.

list directory

Purpose

Displays a list of all directories matching a specified directory name

Synopsis

```
cdscp list directory directory-name [with attribute-name = attribute-value]
```

Arguments

directory-name

The full name of a specific directory. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters.

with *attribute-name*

The name of a particular attribute.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute.

Description

The **list directory** command displays a list of all the directories whose names match the specified directory name. The last simple name can contain wildcards. You can use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause to limit output only to directories whose attributes have values equal to the specified values. Spaces must precede and follow the = (equal sign).

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the parent directory. If you use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause in the command, you also need **r (read)** or **t (test)** permission to the selected directories.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays the names of all the directories in the **./:sales** directory:

list directory(8cds)

```
cdscp> list directory ././sales/*
          LIST
          DIRECTORY  /.../abc.com/sales
          AT         1991-10-15-15:43:58

atlanta
austin
boston
chicago
ontario
ny
seattle
```

Related Information

Commands: **add_directory(8cds)**, **create_directory(8cds)**, **delete_directory(8cds)**, **remove_directory(8cds)**, **set_directory(8cds)**, **set_directory_to_skulk(8cds)**, **show_directory(8cds)**.

list link

Purpose

Displays a list of all soft links matching a specified link name

Synopsis

cdscp list link *link-name* [**with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value*]

Arguments

link-name

The full name of a specific soft link. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters.

with *attribute-name*

The name of a particular attribute.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute.

Description

The **list link** command displays a list of all the soft links whose names match the link name that you specify. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters. You can use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause to limit output only to soft links whose attributes have values equal to the specified values. Spaces must precede and follow the = (equal sign). This command does not list the name of the directory, object entry, or other soft link to which the soft link points.

Privileges Required

You must have **r** (**read**) permission to the directory that stores the soft link. If you use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause in the command, you also need **r** (**read**) or **t** (**test**) permission to the selected soft links.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays a list of all the soft links whose names begin with the letter **I** in the directory *./admin*:

list link(8cds)

```
cdscp> list link ../admin/1*
LIST
SOFTLINK  ../abc.com/admin
AT        1991-10-15-15:54:38

lnk01
lnk02
lnk03
lnk04
lnk05
lnk06
```

Related Information

Commands: **create link(8cds)**, **delete link(8cds)**, **remove link(8cds)**, **set link(8cds)**, **show link(8cds)**.

list object

Purpose

Lists the specified object entries matching a specified object entry name

Synopsis

```
cdscp list object object-name [with attribute-name = attribute-value]
```

Arguments

object-name

The full name of a specific object entry. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters.

with *attribute-name*

The name of a particular attribute.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute.

Description

The **list object** command displays a list of all the object entries (including clearinghouse object entries) whose names match the object entry name that you specify. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters. You can use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause to limit output only to object entries whose attributes have values equal to the specified values. Spaces must precede and follow the = (equal sign).

Privileges Required

You must have **r** (**read**) permission to the directory that stores the object entry. If you use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause in the command, you also need **r** (**read**) or **t** (**test**) permission to the selected object entries.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays a list of all the object entries named in the directory *./eng*:

list object(8cds)

```
cdscp> list object /./eng/*
LIST
OBJECT  /.../abc.com/eng
AT      1991-10-15-15:53:06

juno
test_stats
work_disk1
work_disk2
```

Related Information

Commands: **add_object(8cds)**, **create_object(8cds)**, **delete_object(8cds)**, **remove_object(8cds)**, **set_object(8cds)**, **show_object(8cds)**.

remove directory

Purpose

Removes a value from a set-valued or single-valued attribute of a directory

Synopsis

cdsdp remove directory *directory-name* *attribute-name* [= *attribute-value*]

Arguments

directory-name

The full name of the directory.

attribute-name

The name of a particular attribute. Specify only one attribute at a time. See the **cds_attributes** file for the list of attributes and corresponding data types that your application uses.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute. The value of an application-defined attribute is dependent on the type of attribute.

Description

The **remove directory** command removes a value from a set-valued or single-valued attribute (including application-defined attributes) of a directory. If the attribute is set-valued, one value at a time can be removed. When the last value is removed, the result is <empty set>. If you do not specify a value, the command removes the entire attribute. If you do not specify a value, the command removes the entire attribute. This command can delete attributes created by the **add directory** and **set directory** commands. Usually this task is performed through the client application. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about attributes.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the directory.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

To remove the value **1** from the user-defined, set-valued attribute **dirregion** of a directory named **./sales**, follow these steps:

1. Read the **cds_attributes** file to make sure that the attribute **dirregion** is listed, as shown in the following:

OID	LABEL	SYNTAX
1.3.22.1.3.66	dirregion	small

remove directory(8cds)

2. Enter the following command to remove the value 1 from the attribute **dirregion**:

```
cdscp> remove directory ./sales dirregion = 1
```

Related Information

Commands: **add_directory(8cds)**, **list_directory(8cds)**, **set_directory(8cds)**, **set_directory_to_skulk(8cds)**, **show_directory(8cds)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

remove link

Purpose

Removes a soft link's timeout value attribute

Synopsis

```
cdscp remove link link-name CDS_LinkTimeout
```

Arguments

link-name
The full name of the soft link.

Description

The **remove link** command removes a soft link's timeout value attribute, **CDS_LinkTimeout**, causing the soft link to become permanent.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the soft link.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command removes the timeout value attribute of a soft link named **./eng/link01**:

```
cdscp remove link ./eng/link01 CDS_LinkTimeout
```

Related Information

Commands: **create_link(8cds)**, **delete_link(8cds)**, **list_link(8cds)**, **set_link(8cds)**, **show_link(8cds)**.

remove object

Purpose

Removes a value from a set-valued or single-valued attribute of an object entry

Synopsis

```
cdscp remove object object-name attribute-name [= attribute-value ]
```

Arguments

object name

The full name of the object entry.

attribute-name

The name of a particular attribute. Specify only one attribute at a time. See the **cds_attributes** file for the list of attributes and corresponding data types that your application uses.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute. The value of an application-defined attribute is dependent on the type of attribute.

Description

The **remove object** command removes a value from a set-valued or single-valued attribute (including application-defined attributes) of an object entry. If the attribute is set-valued, one value at a time can be removed. When the last value is removed, the result is <empty set>. If you do not specify a value, the command removes the entire attribute. If you do not specify a value, the command removes the entire attribute. This command can delete attributes created by the **add object** and **set object** commands. Usually, this task is performed through the client application. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about attributes.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the object entry.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

To remove the value **ps** from the attribute **printcap** of an object entry named **./:/mlh/deskprinter**, follow these steps:

1. Read the **cds_attributes** file to check that the attribute **printcap** is listed, as shown in the following:

OID	LABEL	SYNTAX
1.3.22.1.3.50	printcap	char

remove object(8cds)

2. Enter the following command to remove the value **ps** from the attribute **printcap**:

```
cdscp> remove object ./:/mlh/deskprinter printcap = ps
```

Related Information

Commands: **add_object(8cds)**, **list_object(8cds)**, **set_object(8cds)**, **show_object(8cds)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

set cdsdp confidence

Purpose

Sets the confidence level of clerk calls

Synopsis

cdsdp set cdsdp confidence = *value*

Arguments

value Specifies one of the following confidence levels: **low**, **medium**, or **high**. A low confidence level means the clerk obtains information from caches or the most convenient server. A medium level means the clerk obtains information directly from a server. A high level means the clerk obtains information only at master replicas. The initial value is **medium**.

Description

The **set cdsdp confidence** command sets the confidence level of clerk calls issued as a result of Cell Directory Service (CDS) control program commands. You must use this command within **cdsdp**. Exiting from **cdsdp** removes the confidence level setting. You must reset the confidence level each time you enter **cdsdp**.

Notes

This command may be replaced in future DCE releases by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

Examples

The following command sets the confidence level of clerk calls to **high**:

```
cdsdp> set cdsdp confidence = high
```

Related Information

Commands: **show_cdsdp_confidence(8cde)**.

set cdsdp preferred clearinghouse

Purpose

Specifies a preferred clearinghouse to use for satisfying read requests

Synopsis

```
cdsdp set cdsdp preferred clearinghouse [clearinghouse-name]
```

Arguments

clearinghouse-name

The full name of the preferred clearinghouse. If you omit this argument, the command causes CDS to revert to the default, which is to use any clearinghouse.

Description

The **set cdsdp preferred clearinghouse** command specifies a preferred clearinghouse to use for satisfying read requests that result from Cell Directory Service (CDS) control program commands. You cannot specify a preferred clearinghouse for making modifications, because these requests always use the master replica. You must use this command within **cdsdp**. Exiting from **cdsdp** removes the preferred clearinghouse setting. You must reset the preferred clearinghouse each time you enter **cdsdp**.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command specifies **./:Paris_CH** as the preferred clearinghouse:

```
cdsdp> set cdsdp preferred clearinghouse ./:Paris_CH
```

Related Information

Commands: **show_cdsdp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds)**.

set directory

Purpose

Changes the value of a modifiable, single-valued attribute of a directory

Synopsis

cldscp set directory *directory-name attribute-name = attribute-value*

Arguments

directory-name

The full name of the directory.

attribute-name

The name of a particular attribute. Specify only one attribute at a time. See the **cds_attributes** file for the list of attributes and corresponding data types that your application uses.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute. The value of an application-defined attribute is dependent on the type of attribute.

Description

The **set directory** command changes the value of a modifiable, single-valued attribute of a directory. If the attribute does not exist, this command creates it. Usually, this task is performed through the client application. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about attributes. You can specify an application-defined attribute or the following attributes:

CDS_Convergence = value

Specifies the degree of consistency among replicas. By default, every directory inherits the convergence of its parent at creation time. The default setting on the root directory is **medium**. You can define one of the following for *value*:

low The Cell Directory Service (CDS) does not immediately propagate any updates. The next skulk distributes all updates that occurred since the previous skulk. Skulks occur at least once every 24 hours.

medium

CDS attempts to immediately propagate an update to all replicas. If the attempt fails, the software lets the next scheduled skulk make the replicas consistent. Skulks occur at least once every 12 hours.

high CDS attempts to immediately propagate an update to all replicas. If that attempt fails (for example, if one of the replicas is unavailable), a skulk is scheduled for within one hour. Background skulks occur at least once every 12 hours. Use this setting temporarily and briefly because it uses extensive system resources.

CDS_UpgradeTo = v. n

Controls the upgrading of a directory from one version of CDS to another. By modifying this attribute, you can initiate the upgrading of a directory to a

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higher version of CDS. Specify the value as *v. n*, where *v* indicates the major version number and *n* specifies the minor version number. There is no default.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the directory.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following sets a low convergence value on the **./:/mfg** directory:

```
cdscp> set directory ./:/mfg CDS_Convergence = low
```

2. The following commands upgrade the directory version on the **./:/host** directory:

```
dcecp> directory modify ./:/host -add {CDS_UpgradeTO 1.2} -single  
dcecp> directory synchronize ./:/host
```

Related Information

Commands: **create_directory(8cds)**, **delete_directory(8cds)**, **list_directory(8cds)**, **remove_directory(8cds)**, **set_directory_to_skulk(8cds)**, **show_directory(8cds)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

set directory to new epoch

Purpose

Reconstructs a directory's replica set

Synopsis

cdscp set directory *directory-name* **to new epoch master** *clearinghouse-name*
[**readonly** *clearinghouse-name*] [**exclude** *clearinghouse-name*]

Arguments

directory-name

The full name of the directory.

master *clearinghouse-name* ...

The full name of the clearinghouse in which an individual replica is located.
The first *clearinghouse-name* specifies where the master replica is stored.

readonly *clearinghouse-name* ...

Designates the replicas in the specified clearinghouses as read-only.

exclude *clearinghouse-name* ...

Excludes the replicas in the specified clearinghouses.

Description

The **set directory to new epoch** command reconstructs a directory's replica set, allowing you to designate a new master replica, designate a replica as read-only, or exclude a replica. You must list each existing replica and indicate whether an existing replica needs to be included in or excluded from the new replica set. You can include or exclude more than one replica. You can specify multiple clearinghouse names, separated by spaces.

When you set a new epoch on a directory, you must disable the clearinghouse containing the replica that is being excluded. To do this, use the **disable server** command (if the server has more than one clearinghouse, all its clearinghouses will be disabled). Note that all clearinghouses that are not excluded must be enabled and available before you issue the **disable server** command.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (Admin)** permission to the directory, and the server principal needs **r (read)**, **w (write)**, and **A (Admin)** permissions to the directory. When designating a new master replica, you also need **w (write)** permission to the clearinghouse that stores the new master replica, and the server principal needs **w (write)** permission to each clearinghouse where the replica type is changed to read-only.

Notes

This command may be replaced in future DCE releases by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

Examples

The following command sets a new epoch for the directory `./mfg`. The master replica is in the clearinghouse `./Paris1_CH`, and read-only replicas are in the clearinghouses `./Chicago1_CH`, `./Seattle_CH`, and `./NY1_CH`. The new replica set excludes the replica in the clearinghouse `./NY1_CH`.

```
cdscp> set directory ./mfg to new epoch master ./Paris1_CH \  
      readonly ./Chicago1_CH ./Seattle_CH exclude ./NY1_CH
```

Related Information

Commands: **set_directory_to_skulk(8cds)**, **show_directory(8cds)**, **show_replica(8cds)**.

set directory to skulk

Purpose

Starts the skulk of a directory immediately

Synopsis

```
cdscp set directory directory-name to skulk
```

Arguments

directory-name
The full name of the directory.

Description

The **set directory to skulk** command starts the skulk of a directory immediately. The Cell Directory Service (CDS) control program prompt **cdscp>** does not return until the skulk is complete. The amount of time for the skulk to complete is dependent on the location, number, and availability of replicas of the directory.

Privileges Required

You must have **A (Admin)**, **w (write)**, **i (insert)**, or **d (delete)** permission to the directory. The server principal needs **A (Admin)**, **r (read)**, and **w (write)** permission to the directory.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command initiates a skulk on the **./admin** directory:

```
cdscp set directory ./admin to skulk
```

Related Information

Commands: **add_directory(8cds)**, **create_directory(8cds)**, **delete_directory(8cds)**, **list_directory(8cds)**, **remove_directory(8cds)**, **set_directory_to_new_epoch(8cds)**, **show_directory(8cds)**.

set link

Purpose

Changes the value of a modifiable, single-valued attribute of a soft link

Synopsis

cdscp set link *link-name attribute-name = attribute-value*

Arguments

link-name

The full name of the soft link.

attribute-name

The name of the attribute to be modified. Specify only one attribute at a time. See **Description** for valid attribute names.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute.

Description

The **set link** command changes the value of a modifiable, single-valued attribute of a soft link. The following are valid attributes:

CDS_LinkTarget = *fullname*

Specifies the full name of the directory, object entry, or other soft link to which the soft link points.

CDS_LinkTimeout = (*expiration-time extension-time*)

Specifies a timeout value after which the soft link is either checked or deleted. The timeout value contains both an expiration time and an extension time. If a soft link expires and its target entry is deleted, the soft link is deleted. If the soft link still points to an existing entry, its life is extended by the expiration time. Specify *expiration-time* in the following format:

yyyy- mm- dd- hh: mm: ss

Specify *extension-time* in the following format:

ddd- hh: mm: ss

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the soft link.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

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Examples

The following command redirects a soft link named `./admin/work_disk` from its current destination name, `./admin/work_disk01`, to a new destination name, `./admin/work_disk03`:

```
cdscp> set link ./admin/work_disk CDS_LinkTarget = ./admin/work_disk03
```

Related Information

Commands: `create_link(8cds)`, `delete_link(8cds)`, `list_link(8cds)`, `show_link(8cds)`.

set object

Purpose

Changes the value of a modifiable, single-valued attribute of an object entry

Synopsis

```
cdscp set object object-name attribute-name = attribute-value
```

Arguments

object-name

The full name of the object entry.

attribute-name

The name of the attribute to be modified. Specify only one attribute at a time. See the **cds_attributes** file for the list of attributes and corresponding data types that your application uses.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute. The value of an application-defined attribute is dependent on the type of attribute.

Description

The **set object** command changes the value of a modifiable, single-valued attribute of an object entry. If the attribute does not exist, this command creates it. Usually, this task is performed through the client application. See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* for more information about attributes.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission to the object entry.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

To change the value of the **sales_record** attribute to **region2** of an object entry named **./:Q1_records**, follow these steps:

1. Read the **cds_attributes** file to make sure that the attribute **sales_record** is listed, as shown in the following display:

OID	LABEL	SYNTAX
1.3.22.1.3.66	sales_record	char

2. Enter the following command to assign the value **region2** to the attribute **sales_record** of an object entry named **./:Q1_records**:

```
cdscp> set object ./:Q1_records sales_record = region2
```

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Related Information

Commands: **add_object(8cds)**, **create_object(8cds)**, **delete_object(8cds)**, **list_object(8cds)**, **remove_object(8cds)**, **show_object(8cds)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

show cached clearinghouse

Purpose

Displays current information about the specified cached clearinghouse

Synopsis

cdscp show cached clearinghouse *clearinghouse-name*

Arguments

clearinghouse-name

A specific clearinghouse name. The name can contain wildcard characters.

Description

The **show cached clearinghouse** command displays all the names and values of the attributes in the specified cached clearinghouse. The following are valid attributes:

Creation Time

Specifies the time at which this clearinghouse was added to the cache.

Miscellaneous Operations

Specifies the number of operations other than read and write (that is, skulks, new epochs, and so on) performed by this clerk on the cached clearinghouse.

Read Operations

Specifies the number of lookup operations of any sort performed by the clerk on the cached clearinghouse.

Towers

Specifies the protocol sequence and Internet address of the server that maintains the cached clearinghouse.

Write Operations

Specifies the number of write operations performed by this clerk on the cached clearinghouse.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the clerk.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays all attributes of the cached clearinghouse **./:/Paris2_CH**:

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```
cdscp> show cached clearinghouse /./Paris2_CH
      SHOW
      CACHED CLEARINGHOUSE  /.../abc.com/Paris2_CH
      AT 1991-10-15-15:58:09
      Creation Time = 1991-10-01-17:03:32.32
      Read Operations = 412
      Write Operations = 618
      Miscellaneous Operations = 278
```

Related Information

Commands: **list_clearinghouse(8cds)**.

show cached server

Purpose

Displays address information of a server in the local clerk's cache

Synopsis

show cached server *name*

Arguments

name A simple name for the cached server. The name can contain wildcard characters.

Description

The **show cached server** command displays address information of a server in the local clerk's cache. The following list describes the valid attributes:

Name The directory cell name.

Towers

The protocol sequence and network address of the server node.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the clerk.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays all attributes of the cached server **emv**:

```
cdscp> show cached server emv*
      SHOW
  CACHED NAMESERVER  emv_udp
      AT  1991-10-15-15:56:56
      Name = ../../emv.abc.com
      Tower = ncadg_ip_udp:14.20.14.32
      Tower = ncacn_ip_tcp:14.20.14.32
      SHOW
  CACHED NAMESERVER  emv_tcp
      AT  1991-10-15-15:56:57
      Name = ../../emv.abc.com
      Tower = ncadg_ip_udp:14.20.14.32
      Tower = ncacn_ip_tcp:14.20.14.32
```

Related Information

Commands: **clear_cached_server(8cds)**, **define_cached_server(8cds)**.

show cdscp confidence

Purpose

Displays current confidence level of clerk calls

Synopsis

cdscp show cdscp confidence

Description

The **show cdscp confidence** command displays the current confidence level of clerk calls. A **low** confidence level means the clerk obtains information from caches or the most convenient server. A **medium** level means the clerk obtains information directly from a server. A **high** level means the clerk obtains information only at master replicas.

You must use this command within the Cell Directory Service (CDS) control program. Exiting from **cdscp** removes the confidence level setting. You must reset the confidence level each time you enter **cdscp**.

Notes

This command may be replaced in future DCE releases by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

Examples

The following command displays the current confidence level of clerk calls:

```
cdscp> show cdscp confidence
Confidence used is medium
```

Related Information

Commands: **set_cdscp_confidence(8cds)**.

show cdscp preferred clearinghouse

Purpose

Displays the preferred clearinghouse for satisfying read requests

Synopsis

```
cdscp show cdscp preferred clearinghouse
```

Description

The **show cdscp preferred clearinghouse** command displays the preferred clearinghouse for satisfying read requests that result from Cell Directory Service (CDS) control program commands. You can only read attribute values for entries stored in the specified clearinghouse.

You must use this command within **cdscp**. Exiting from **cdscp** removes the preferred clearinghouse setting. You must reset the preferred clearinghouse each time you enter **cdscp**.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays the current clearinghouse:

```
cdscp> show cdscp preferred clearinghouse
read attribute values from clearinghouse ../../abc.com/Paris_CH
```

Related Information

Commands: **set_cdscp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds)**.

show cell

Purpose

Displays the information you need to create a cell entry in either DNS or GDS

Synopsis

```
cdscp show cell cell-name [as type]
```

Arguments

cell-name

The global name of the cell.

as *type*

The global namespace in which you want to define the cell. Specify either **dns** or **gds**. The default is **gds**.

Description

The **show cell** command displays the information you need to create a cell entry in either the Domain Name System (DNS) or the Global Directory Service (GDS). DCE does not support cells registered simultaneously in GDS and DNS. If you want to define a cell in DNS, you can use this command to produce a preformatted set of resource records. You can then edit the appropriate DNS data file and copy the output directly into the file. In GDS, cell information is contained in two attributes: **CDS-Cell** and **CDS-Replica**. If you want to define a cell in GDS, you can use this command to obtain the data you need to supply when creating the **CDS-Cell** and **CDS-Replica** attributes. For details, see the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

Note: GDS is not provided in the IBM DCE for AIX product, but GDS provided by IBM DCE 1.0.3 or other products can be used.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the cell root directory.

Notes

This command may be replaced in future DCE releases by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

Examples

The following command displays the GDS-formatted output in the local cell:

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```
cdscp> show cell /.../abc.com as gds
      SHOW
      CELL /.../abc.com
      AT 1991-10-15-15:58:25
      Namespace Uuid = 2d2d50ad-8b1a-11ba-8983-08002b0f79aa
      Clearinghouse Uuid = 2ab024a8-8b1a-11ba-8983-08002b0f79aa
      Clearinghouse Name = /.../abc.com/NY_CH
      Replica Type = Master
      Tower 1 = ncadg_ip_udp:16.18.17.33
      Tower 2 = ncacn_ip_tcp:16.18.17.33

      Namespace Uuid = 2d2d50ad-8b1a-11ba-8983-08002b0f79aa
      Clearinghouse Uuid = 49757f28-8b1a-11ba-8983-08002b0f79aa
      Clearinghouse Name = /.../abc.com/Boston_CH
      Replica Type = Readonly
      Tower 1 = ncadg_ip_udp:16.18.17.33
      Tower 2 = ncacn_ip_tcp:16.18.17.33
```

Related Information

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide.*

show child

Purpose

Displays attribute information about the specified child pointer

Synopsis

cdscp show child *child-name* [*attribute-name*] [**with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value*]

Arguments

child-name

The full name of a specific child pointer. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters.

with *attribute-name*

The name of a particular attribute; see **Description** for valid attribute names.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute.

Description

The **show child** command displays the names and values of the attributes specified in *attribute-name*. You can use a combination of attributes in a single command. Use a space to separate multiple attributes. You can use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause to limit output only to child pointers whose attributes have values equal to the specified values. Spaces must precede and follow the = (equal sign).

If you do not supply any attributes, the command displays all attributes and their values. The following is a description of child pointer attributes:

CDS_CTS

Specifies the creation timestamp (CTS) of the specified child pointer.

CDS_ObjectUUID

Specifies the unique identifier of the directory to which the child pointer refers.

CDS_Replicas

Specifies the address, Unique Universal Identifier (UUID), and name of a set of clearinghouses where a copy of the child directory referenced by the child pointer is located. This attribute also specifies whether the directory in a particular clearinghouse is a master or read-only replica.

CDS_UTS

Specifies the timestamp of the most recent update to an attribute of the child pointer.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the child pointer. If you specify a wildcard child name, you also need read permission to the parent directory.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays all of the attributes and values of the child directory to which the child pointer **./:admin** refers:

```
cdscp> show child ./:admin
      SHOW
      CHILD  /.../abc.com/admin
      AT    1991-10-15-15:56:01
      CDS_CTS = 1991-10-15-19:55:52.000000003/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_UTS = 1991-10-15-19:55:52.000000006/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_ObjectUUID = 6b5362e8-8b1c-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      CDS_Replicas = :
      Clearinghouse's UUID = 2ab024a8-8b1a-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      Tower = ncadg_ip_udp:16.18.16.32
      Tower = ncacn_ip_tcp:16.18.16.32
      Replica type = master
      Clearinghouse's Name = /.../abc.com/Boston_CH
```

Related Information

Commands: **create_child(8cds)**, **delete_child(8cds)**, **list_child(8cds)**.

show clearinghouse

Purpose

Displays attribute information about the specified clearinghouse

Synopsis

```
cdscp show clearinghouse clearinghouse-name [attribute-name] [with  
attribute-name = attribute-value]
```

Arguments

clearinghouse-name

The full name of a specific clearinghouse. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters.

with *attribute-name*

The name of a particular attribute; see **Description** for valid attribute names.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute.

Description

The **show clearinghouse** command displays the names and values of the attributes specified in *attribute-name*. You can use a combination of attributes in any sequence in a single command. Use a space to separate multiple attributes. You can use a **with** *attribute-name = attribute-value* clause to limit output only to clearinghouses whose attributes have values equal to the specified values. Spaces must precede and follow the = (equal sign).

If you do not supply any attributes, the command displays all attributes and their values. The following list describes the clearinghouse attributes:

CDS_AllUpTo

Indicates the date and time the clearinghouse object has been updated to reflect the **CDS_CHDirectories** attribute.

CDS_CHDirectories

Specifies the full name and Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) of every directory that has a replica in this clearinghouse.

CDS_CHLastAddress

Specifies the current reported network address of the clearinghouse.

CDS_CHName

Specifies the full name of the clearinghouse.

CDS_CHState

Specifies the state of the clearinghouse. The state *on* indicates the clearinghouse is running and available.

CDS_NSCellname

Specifies the name of the cell in which the clearinghouse resides.

CDS_CTS

Specifies the creation timestamp (CTS) of the clearinghouse.

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CDS_DirectoryVersion

Specifies the directory version for new directories that are created in the clearinghouse.

CDS_ObjectUUID

Specifies the unique identifier of the clearinghouse.

CDS_ReplicaVersion

Specifies the current version of the replica in which the directory was created.

CDS_UTS

Specifies the timestamp of the most recent update to an attribute of the clearinghouse.

The following counters and their values are displayed only when you use this command to display all attributes and their values:

Data Corruption Count

Specifies the number of times that the *data corruption* event was generated.

Enables

Specifies the number of times that the clearinghouse was enabled since it was last started.

Read Accesses

Specifies the number of read operations directed to this clearinghouse.

References Returned

Specifies the number of requests directed to this clearinghouse that resulted in the return of a partial answer instead of satisfying the client's request.

Skulk Failures

Specifies the number of times that a skulk of a directory, initiated from this clearinghouse, failed to complete — usually because one of the replicas in the replica set was unreachable.

Entry Missing Count

Specifies the number of times the *clearinghouse entry missing* event was generated.

Root Not Reachable Count

Specifies the number of times the *root lost* event was generated.

Upgrades Failed Counts

Specifies the number of times that upgrades failed.

Write Accesses

Specifies the number of write operations directed to this clearinghouse.

Disables

Specifies the number of times that the clearinghouse was disabled since it was last started.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the clearinghouse. If you specify a wildcard clearinghouse name, you also need **r (read)** permission to the cell root directory.

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Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays the current values of the **CDS_UTS** and **CDS_ObjectUUID** attributes associated with the **././Chicago1_CH** clearinghouse:

```
cdscp> show clearinghouse ././Chicago1_CH CDS_UTS CDS_ObjectUUID
      SHOW
CLEARINGHOUSE  /.../abc.com/Chicago1_CH
              AT  1991-10-21-13:12:30
              CDS_UTS = 1991-10-21-13:04:04.000000009/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
CDS_ObjectUUID = 3706d70c-8b05-11ca-9002-08002b1c8f1f
```

Related Information

Commands: **clear_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **create_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **delete_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **list_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **set_cdscp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds)**, **show_cdscp_preferred_clearinghouse(8cds)**.

show clerk

Purpose

Displays attribute information about the CDS clerk on the local system

Synopsis

cdscp show clerk

Description

The **show clerk** command displays all the names and values of the clerk attributes on the local system. The clerk must be enabled when you use this command. The following are valid attributes:

Authentication Failures

Specifies the number of times a requesting principal failed authentication procedures.

Cache Bypasses

Specifies the number of requests to read attributes for which the clerk was specifically directed by the requesting application to bypass its own cache. Instead, a server is contacted to get the requested information. This attribute does not account for requests that the clerk is unable to satisfy from the cache or for requests to look up names or enumerate the contents of directories.

Cache Hits

Specifies the total number of read requests directed to this clerk that were satisfied entirely by the information contained in its own cache. This attribute accounts only for requests to read attribute values and does not include requests to look up names or enumerate the contents of directories.

Creation Time

Specifies the time when this entity was created.

Miscellaneous Operations

Specifies the number of operations other than read and write (that is, skulks, enumerating contents of directories, and so on) performed by this clerk.

Read Operations

Specifies the number of lookup operations performed by this clerk. This attribute accounts only for requests to read attributes and does not include requests to look up names or enumerate the contents of directories.

Write Operations

Specifies how many requests to modify data were processed by this clerk.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the clerk.

Notes

This command may be replaced in future DCE releases by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

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Examples

The following command displays the attributes of the clerk on the local system:

```
cdscp> show clerk
          SHOW
          CLERK
          AT   1991-10-15-15:56:50
          Creation Time = 1991-10-15-15:38:19.000000051-04:00I0.000000000
Authentication failures = 0
          Read Operations = 1068
          Cache Hits = 137
          Cache bypasses = 433
          Write operations = 1250
Miscellaneous operations = 590
```

Related Information

Commands: **disable_clerk(8cds)**.

show directory

Purpose

Displays attribute information about the specified directory

Synopsis

cdscp show directory *directory-name* [*attribute-name*] [**with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value*]

Arguments

directory-name

The full name of a specific directory. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters.

with *attribute-name*

The name of a particular attribute; see **Description** for valid attribute names.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute.

Description

The **show directory** command displays the names and values of the attributes specified in *attribute-name*. You can use a combination of attributes in any sequence in a single command. Use a space to separate multiple attributes. You can use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause to limit output only to directories whose attributes have values equal to the specified values. Spaces must precede and follow the = (equal sign). If you do not supply any attributes, the command displays all attributes and their values. In addition to the following directory attributes, application-specific attributes can exist for a directory:

CDS_AllUpTo

Indicates the date and time of the last successful skulk on the directory. All replicas of the directory are guaranteed to receive all updates whose timestamps are less than the value of this attribute.

CDS_Convergence

Specifies the degree of consistency among replicas. This attribute's value is defined as one of the following:

low CDS does not immediately propagate an update. The next skulk distributes all updates that occurred since the previous skulk. Skulks occur at least once every 24 hours.

medium

CDS attempts to immediately propagate an update to all replicas. If the attempt fails, the next scheduled skulk makes the replicas consistent. Skulks occur at least once every 12 hours.

high

CDS attempts to immediately propagate an update to all replicas. If the attempt fails (for example, if one of the replicas is unavailable), a skulk is scheduled for within one hour. Skulks usually occur at least once every 12 hours. Use this setting temporarily and briefly, because it uses extensive system resources.

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By default, every directory inherits the convergence setting of its parent at creation time. The default setting on the root directory is **medium**.

CDS_CTS

Specifies the creation timestamp (CTS) of the CDS directory.

CDS_DirectoryVersion

Specifies the minimum of all the values of the **CDS_ReplicaVersion** attribute on the directory replicas.

CDS_Epoch

A UUID that identifies a particular incarnation of the directory.

CDS_LastSkulk

Records the timestamp of the last skulk performed on this directory.

CDS_LastUpdate

Records the timestamp of the most recent change to any attribute of a directory replica, or any change to an entry in the replica.

CDS_ObjectUUID

Specifies the unique identifier of the directory.

CDS_ParentPointer

Contains a pointer to this directory's parent in the namespace.

CDS_Replicas

Specifies the address, UUID, and name of every clearinghouse where a copy of this directory is located. This attribute also specifies whether the replica in a particular clearinghouse is a master or read-only replica.

CDS_ReplicaState

Specifies whether a directory replica can be accessed.

CDS_ReplicaType

Indicates whether a directory replica is a master or read-only replica.

CDS_ReplicaVersion

Specifies the version of a replica of the directory.

CDS_RingPointer

Specifies the UUID of a clearinghouse containing another replica of this directory. This attribute is written by the system and is read-only to users. It will appear on older directories, but *not* on DCE 1.1 directories.

CDS_UpgradeTo

Controls the upgrading of a directory from one version of CDS to another. By modifying this attribute, you can initiate the upgrading of a directory to a new version of CDS.

CDS_UTS

Specifies the timestamp of the most recent update to an attribute of the directory.

RPC_ClassVersion

Specifies the RPC runtime software version that can be used to import on the directory.

Note: Since replicas of the directory can exist in multiple clearinghouses, some of the values displayed will be different depending on which clearinghouse the control program chooses to read the information from.

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For example, the value displayed for the **CDS_Replica Type** attribute reflects the replica type on the clearinghouse from which the information is being read.

Unless a **cdscp preferred clearinghouse** has been set (see the **set cdscp preferred clearinghouse** command), the control program randomly chooses the clearinghouse it uses to retrieve the information.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the directory. If you specify a wildcard directory name, you also need **r (read)** permission to the directory's parent directory.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays the current values of all the attributes associated with the **./:/admin** directory:

```
cdscp> show directory ./:/admin
      SHOW
      DIRECTORY /.../abc.com/admin
      AT 1991-10-15-15:43:59
      RPC_ClassVersion = 0100
      CDS_CTS = 1991-10-15-13:09:47.000000003/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_UTS = 1991-10-17-08:59:50.000000006/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_ObjectUUID = ba700c98-8b1a-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      CDS_Replicas = :
      Clearinghouse's UUID = 2ab024a8-8b1a-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      Tower = ncadg_ip_udp:16.20.16.32
      Tower = ncacn_ip_tcp:16.20.16.32
      Replica type = master
      Clearinghouse's Name = /.../abc.com/Paris_CH
      CDS_AllUpTo = 1991-10-17-08:51:18.000000032/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_Convergence = medium
      CDS_ParentPointer = :
      Parent's UUID = b773525c-8b1a-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      Timeout = :
      Expiration = 1991-10-16-19:43:50.516
      Extension = +1-00:00:00.000
      CDS_DirectoryVersion = 3.0
      CDS_ReplicaState = on
      CDS_ReplicaType = master
      CDS_LastSkulk = 1991-10-17-08:51:18.000000032/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_LastUpdate = 1991-10-21-13:04:02.000000044/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_RingPointer = 2ab024a8-8b1a-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      CDS_Epoch = bd8b2c50-8b1a-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      CDS_ReplicaVersion = 3.0
```

Related Information

Commands: **add_directory(8cds)**, **create_directory(8cds)**, **delete_directory(8cds)**, **list_directory(8cds)**, **remove_directory(8cds)**, **set_directory(8cds)**.

show link

Purpose

Displays attribute information about the specified soft link

Synopsis

cdscp show link *link-name* [*attribute-name*] [**with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value*]

Arguments

link-name

The full name of a specific soft link. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters.

with *attribute-name*

The name of a particular attribute; see **Description** for valid attribute names.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute.

Description

The **show link** command displays the names and values of the attributes specified in *attribute-name*. You can use a combination of attributes in any sequence in a single command. Use a space to separate multiple attributes. You can use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause to limit output only to soft links whose attributes have values equal to the specified values. Spaces must precede and follow the = (equal sign). If you do not supply any attributes, the command displays all attributes and their values. The following is a description of soft link attributes:

CDS_CTS

Specifies the creation timestamp (CTS) of this soft link.

CDS_LinkTarget

Specifies the full name of the directory, object entry, or other soft link to which the soft link points.

CDS_LinkTimeout

Specifies a timeout value after which the soft link is either checked or deleted.

CDS_UTS

Specifies the timestamp of the most recent update to an attribute of the soft link.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the soft link. If you specify a wildcard soft link name, you also need **read** permission to the directory that stores the soft link.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays the current values of all the attributes associated with the soft link `././sales/region1`.

```
cdscp> show link ././sales/region1
      SHOW
      SOFTLINK  /.../abc.com/sales/region1
      AT        1991-10-15-15:54:40
      CDS_CTS = 1991-10-15-19:54:35.00000003/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_UTS = 1991-10-15-19:54:35.00000006/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_LinkTarget = /.../abc.com/sales/service

      SHOW
      SOFTLINK  /.../abc.com/sales/region1
      AT        1991-10-15-15:54:41
      CDS_CTS = 1991-10-15-19:54:36.00000077/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_UTS = 1991-10-15-19:54:36.00000009/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_LinkTarget = /.../abc.com/sales/software
      CDS_LinkTimeout = :
      Expiration = 1991-10-15-00:00:00.0
      Extension = +1-00:00:00.000
```

Related Information

Commands: **create_link(8cds)**, **delete_link(8cds)**, **list_link(8cds)**, **remove_link(8cds)**, **set_link(8cds)**.

show object

Purpose

Displays attribute information about the specified object entry

Synopsis

cdscp object *object-name* [*attribute-name*] [**with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value*]

Arguments

object-name

The full name of a specific object entry. The last simple name can contain wildcard characters.

with *attribute-name*

The name of a particular attribute; see **Description** for valid attribute names.

attribute-value

The value of a particular attribute.

Description

The **show object** command displays the names and values of the attributes specified in *attribute-name*. You can use a combination of attributes in a single command. Use a space to separate multiple attributes. You can use a **with** *attribute-name* = *attribute-value* clause to limit output only to object entries whose attributes have values equal to the specified values. Spaces must precede and follow the = (equal sign). If you do not supply any attributes, the command displays all attributes and their values. In addition to the following attributes, any application-defined attributes that might exist will be included in the output of this command. The following is a description of object entry attributes:

CDS_Class

Specifies the class to which an object belongs.

CDS_ClassVersion

Contains the version number of the object's class. This allows applications to build in compatibility with entries created by earlier versions.

CDS_CTS

Specifies the creation timestamp (CTS) of this object entry.

CDS_ObjectUUID

Specifies a unique identifier for the object being referenced.

CDS_UTS

Specifies the timestamp of the most recent update to an attribute of the object entry.

When RPC object UUIDs are exported into a CDS object, they are stored by RPC into CDS as binary data. Because the UUID is binary, CDS does not display these UUIDs in standard UUID string representation when you view them using the CDS Control Program (**cdscp**). The following is an example:

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```
$ cdscp show object ./:/hosts/machine.austin.ibm.com/cds-server
SHOW
Object      /.../cellname/hosts/macjome.austin.ibm.com/cds-server
      AT      1993-05-26-14:40:26
RPC_ClassVersion = 00100
RPC_ObjectUUIDs = 40e5f2fab858ca11a04a08002b12a70d
      CDS_CTS = 1993-05-26-18:02:51.359737100/10-00-5a-a8-87-9d
      CDS_UTS = 1993-05-26-18:03:17.647149100/10-00-5a-a8-87-9d
      CDS_Class = RPC_Entry
CDS_ClassVersion = 1.0
      CDS_Towers = :
      Tower = nadg_ip_udp:129.35.69.7[]
      CDS_Towers = :
      Tower = nadg_ip_tcp:129.35.69.7[]
```

Notice that the `RPC_ObjectUUIDs` are in binary instead of standard UUID representation.

The RPC Control Program (**rpccp**) recognizes that this attribute is a UUID and displays it in standard UUID representation. An example follows:

```
$ rpccp show mapping -o faf2e540-58b8-11ca-a040a-08802b12a70d
```

mappings:

```
<object>      faf2e540-58b8-11ca-a040a-08802b12a70d
<interface id> 47b333318000.0d.00.01.dc.6c.00.00.00,0.0
<string binding> nadg_ip_tcp:129.35.69.7[4960]
<annotation>   cdsd [16232]

<object>      faf2e540-58b8-11ca-a040a-08802b12a70d
<interface id> 47b333318000.0d.00.01.dc.6c.00.00.00,0.0
<string binding> nadg_ip_udp:129.35.69.7[4824]
<annotation>   cdsd [16232]
```

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the object entry. If you specify a wildcard object entry name, you also need **r (read)** permission to the directory that stores the object entry.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dccep** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command lists all the attributes of the object entry **./:/sales/east/floor1cp**, and their values:

```
cdscp> show object ./:/sales/east/floor1cp
SHOW
OBJECT      /.../abc.com/sales/floor1cp
      AT      1991-10-15-15:53:07
CDS_CTS = 1991-10-15-19:53:03.00000003/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
CDS_UTS = 1991-10-15-19:53:03.00000006/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
```

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Related Information

Commands: **add_object(8cds)**, **create_object(8cds)**, **delete_object(8cds)**, **list_object(8cds)**, **remove_object(8cds)**, **set_object(8cds)**.

show replica

Purpose

Displays attribute information about the specified replica

Synopsis

```
cdscp show replica directory-name clearinghouse clearinghouse-name  
[attribute-name]
```

Arguments

directory-name

The full name of the directory

clearinghouse *clearinghouse-name*

The full name of the clearinghouse

attribute-name

The name of a particular attribute; see **Description** for valid attribute names.

Description

The **show replica** command displays the directory-specific attributes as well as the per-replica attributes of the specified directory. If you do not supply any attributes, the command displays all attributes and their values; any application-defined attributes that might exist will be included in the output of this command. You can enter one or more of the following attributes:

CDS_AllUpTo

Indicates the date and time of the last successful skulk on the directory. All replicas of the directory are guaranteed to have received all updates whose timestamps are less than the value of this attribute.

CDS_Convergence

Specifies the degree of consistency among replicas. This attribute's value is defined as one of the following:

low CDS does not immediately propagate an update. The next skulk distributes all updates that occurred since the previous skulk. Skulks occur at least once every 24 hours.

medium

CDS attempts to immediately propagate an update to all replicas. If the attempt fails, the next scheduled skulk makes the replicas consistent. Skulks occur at least once every 12 hours.

high CDS attempts to immediately propagate an update to all replicas. If the attempt fails (for example, if one of the replicas is unavailable), a skulk is scheduled for within one hour. Skulks usually occur at least once every 12 hours. Use this setting temporarily and briefly, because it uses extensive system resources.

By default, every directory inherits the convergence setting of its parent at creation time. The default setting on the root directory is **medium**.

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CDS_CTS

Specifies the creation timestamp (CTS) of the directory of which this replica is a copy.

CDS_DirectoryVersion

Specifies the minimum of all the values of the **CDS_ReplicaVersion** attribute on the directory replicas.

CDS_Epoch

A Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) that identifies a particular incarnation of the directory.

CDS_LastSkulk

Records the timestamp of the last skulk performed on this particular replica of a directory.

CDS_LastUpdate

Records the timestamp of the last update to any attribute of the replica, or any change to the contents of the replica, including object entries, child pointers, and soft links.

CDS_ObjectUUID

Specifies the unique identifier of the directory of which this replica is a copy.

CDS_ParentPointer

Contains a pointer to this directory's parent in the namespace.

CDS_Replicas

Specifies the address, UUID, and name of every clearinghouse where a replica of this directory is located. This attribute also specifies whether the replica in a particular clearinghouse is a master or read-only replica.

CDS_ReplicaState

Specifies the internal state of a replica. When you create or delete a replica, it goes through various states.

CDS_ReplicaType

Specifies the replica type of a directory.

CDS_ReplicaVersion

Specifies the replica version of a directory.

CDS_RingPointer

Specifies the UUID of a clearinghouse containing another replica of this directory. This attribute is written by the system and is read-only to users. It will appear on older directories, but *not* on DCE 1.1 directories.

CDS_UTS

Specifies the timestamp of the most recent update to an attribute of the directory.

RPC_ClassVersion

Specifies the RPC runtime software version that can be used to import on the directory.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the directory from which the replica is created.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command displays the current values of all the attributes of the replica of the `./eng` directory in the `./Chicago2_CH` clearinghouse:

```
cdscp> show replica ./eng clearinghouse ./Chicago2_CH
      SHOW
      REPLICAS
      REPLICAS
      AT      1991-10-15-15:55:29
      RPC_ClassVersion = 0100
      CDS_CTS = 1991-10-15-12:09:47.000000003/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_UTS = 1991-10-17-07:59:50.000000006/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_ObjectUUID = 5816da70-8b1c-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      CDS_Replicas = :
      Clearinghouse's UUID = 2ab024a8-8b1a-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      Tower = ncadg_ip_udp:16.20.16.32
      Tower = ncacn_ip_tcp:16.20.16.32
      Replica type = master
      Clearinghouse's Name = ././abc.com/Chicago1_CH
      CDS_Replicas = :
      Clearinghouse's UUID = 49757f28-8b1a-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      Tower = ncadg_ip_udp:16.20.16.32
      Tower = ncacn_ip_tcp:16.20.16.32
      Replica type = readonly
      Clearinghouse's Name = ././abc.com/Chicago2_CH
      CDS_AllUpTo = 1991-10-17-07:51:18.000000032/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_Convergence = medium
      CDS_ParentPointer = :
      Parent's UUID = 560f1ad0-8b1c-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      Timeout = :
      Expiration = 1991-10-15-19:55:18.711
      Extension = +1-00:00:00.000
      CDS_DirectoryVersion = 3.0
      CDS_ReplicaState = on
      CDS_ReplicaType = readonly
      CDS_LastSkulk = 1991-10-17-07:51:18.000000032/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_LastUpdate = 1991-10-21-12:04:02.000000044/08-00-2b-1c-8f-1f
      CDS_RingPointer = 2ab024a8-8b1a-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      CDS_Epoch = 58472144-8b1c-11ca-8981-08002b0f79aa
      CDS_ReplicaVersion = 3.0
```

Related Information

Commands: **create_replica(8cnds)**, **delete_replica(8cnds)**.

show server

Purpose

Displays attribute information about the server running on the local system

Synopsis

cdscp show server

Description

The **show server** command displays all the names and values from the attributes named in this entity. The server must be enabled when you use this command. The following are valid attribute names:

Child Update Failures

Specifies the number of times the server was unable to contact all the clearinghouses that store a replica of a particular child directory's parent directory and apply the child updates that have occurred since the last skulk. This counter is incremented by the **Cannot Update Child Pointer** event.

Creation Time

Specifies the time when the **cdscp** process was started.

Crucial Replicas

Specifies the number of times a user attempted (from this server) to remove a replica that is crucial to the connectivity of a directory hierarchy. The server background process prevents users from accidentally disconnecting lower-level directories from higher-level directories. When it detects an attempt to remove a crucial replica, it does not execute the command to do so. This counter is incremented by the **Crucial Replica** event.

Future Skew Time

Specifies the maximum amount of time that a timestamp on a new or modified entry can vary from local system time at the server system.

Known Clearinghouses

Specifies the clearinghouse or clearinghouses known to the server.

Read Operations

Specifies the number of read operations directed to this Cell Directory Service (CDS) server.

Security Failures

Specifies the number of times a server principal for this server was found to have inadequate permissions to perform a requested operation.

Skulks Completed

Specifies the number of skulks successfully completed by this CDS server.

Skulks Initiated

Specifies the number of skulks initiated by this CDS server.

Times Lookup Paths Broken

Specifies the number of broken connections between clearinghouses on this server and clearinghouses closer to the root. Incoming requests to this server that require a downward lookup in the directory hierarchy still

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succeed, but requests that require a lookup in directories closer to the root will fail. This counter is incremented by the **Broken Lookup Paths** event.

Write Operations

Specifies the number of write operations to this CDS server.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission to the server.

Notes

This command may be replaced in future releases by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

Examples

The following command displays the current values of all the attributes associated with the server running on the local system:

```
cdscp> show server
          SHOW
          SERVER
          AT 1991-10-15-15:56:47
    Creation Time = 1991-10-15-15:39:35.35
    Future Skew Time = 300
    Read Operations = 757
    Write Operations = 542
    Skulks Initiated = 219
    Skulks Completed = 219
    Times Lookup Paths Broken = 1
    Crucial Replicas = 0
    Child Update Failures = 1
    Security Failures = 0
    Known Clearinghouses = /.../abc.com/Boston_CH
                        = /.../abc.com/NY_CH
```

Related Information

Commands: **disable_server(8cds)**.

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dts_intro

Purpose

Introduction to the DCE DTS commands

Description

The DCE Distributed Time Service (DTS) provides the following facilities:

dtstd The DTS daemon

dtscp The DTS control program

dtsdate
The DTS local clock setting program

DTS is implemented in the **dtstd** process. Both clerks and servers use the same daemon. The behavior of **dtstd** is determined by **dtscp**.

The DTS control program allows you to synchronize, adjust, and maintain the system clocks in a distributed network. The **dtscp** commands are as follows:

advertise
Configures the DTS server as a global server.

change
Modifies the epoch and sets the local time to a new time.

create Establishes a DTS entity (a clerk or server).

delete Causes DTS to exit on the local node.

disable
Suspends a DTS entity.

enable
Starts a DTS entity.

exit Ends the **dtscp** management session and returns you to the system prompt.

help Invokes the **dtscp** help service.

quit Ends the **dtscp** management session and returns you to the system prompt.

set Modifies characteristics of a DTS entity.

show Displays characteristics of a DTS entity.

synchronize
Synchronizes the system clock with the time obtained from DTS servers in the network.

unadvertise
Removes the global server entry.

update
Gradually adjusts the system clock to a new time.

For more information on any of the **dtscp** commands, see the appropriate reference page.

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The **dtstd** command restarts the DTS daemon (clerk or server process). When the host system is rebooted, this command is automatically executed as part of the overall DCE configuration procedure.

Invocation of **dtstd** leaves it in an idle state. In order for it to assume an identity, it must be *created* with the **dtscp create** command.

After the DTS entity is created, it is still in a nonfunctioning state. To put it into operation, you must invoke **dtscp enable**, which causes an immediate synchronization to take place.

To bring down a DTS entity, you must first stop it with **dtscp disable** and then delete it with **dtscp delete**.

The **dtstdate** command sets the local clock of a system to be the same as the host *remote_host*, running a **dtstd** server.

Related Information

Commands: **advertise(8dts)**, **change(8dts)**, **create(8dts)**, **delete(8dts)**, **disable(8dts)**, **dtscp(8dts)**, **dtstd(8dts)**, **dtstdate(8dts)**, **enable(8dts)**, **exit(8dts)**, **help(8dts)**, **quit(8dts)**, **set(8dts)**, **show(8dts)**, **synchronize(8dts)**, **unadvertise(8dts)**, **update(8dts)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Commands Reference*.

advertise

Purpose

Configures the system as a global server

Synopsis

```
dtscp advertise
```

Description

The **dtscp advertise** command configures the system as a global server by adding the server's entry to the cell profile. It causes the Distributed Time Service (DTS) to forward the name and attributes of the server to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) by binding the server's protocol tower to the CDS object and adding an entry for the server in the cell profile. Once the server's entry is in the cell profile, it is configured as a global server, and servers outside of the local area network (LAN) can access it.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the access control list (ACL) associated with the DTS entity in order to execute the command.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

```
dtscp> advertise
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp(8dts)**.

change

Purpose

Alters the epoch number and time on the local node

Synopsis

dtscp change epoch *integer* [**time** *absolute-time*]

Arguments

epoch *integer*

Specifies the new epoch number, an integer from 0 to 255. This argument is required.

time *absolute-time*

Specifies a clock setting for the new epoch. If you do not supply this argument and a value, the server uses the current clock time with an unspecified inaccuracy and initiates a synchronization. This argument is optional.

Description

The **dtscp change** command sets the time and changes the epoch of the Distributed Time Service (DTS) server on which it is entered. Use this command to isolate a server from the rest of the servers in the network before changing the time.

Permissions Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the access control list (ACL) associated with the DTS entity in order to execute the command.

Notes

This command is valid only for servers. The new epoch number you specify must be different from the current epoch number.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following command changes the epoch number:

```
dtscp> change epoch 1
```

2. The following command changes the epoch number and time:

```
dtscp> change epoch 1 time 1990-11-30-10:58:00.000-05:00I0.000
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp(8dts)**.

create

Purpose

Creates the DCE DTS entity on the specified node

Synopsis

```
dtscp create type type
```

Arguments

type *type*

Specifies the type of DTS entity to be created on the specified node. Specify one of the following for *type*:

clerk The DTS entity is created as a clerk. (This is the default setting.)

server The DTS entity is created as a server.

Description

The **create** command creates a time server or time clerk entity on the system on which the command is entered.

After the Distributed Time Service (DTS) entity is created, it is still in a nonfunctioning state. To put it into operation, you must invoke **dtscp enable**, which causes an immediate synchronization to take place. For more information, see the **enable(8dts)** reference page.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the access control list (ACL) associated with the DTS entity in order to execute the command.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

```
dtscp> create type server
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp(8dts)**, **enable(8dts)**.

delete

Purpose

Deletes the DCE DTS entity

Synopsis

dtscp delete

Description

The **dtscp delete** command deletes the DCE Distributed Time Service (DTS) entity from the system on which the command is entered. When **delete** is executed, the DTS daemon process completes execution. To restart the DTS daemon, use the **start.dce** shell command.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the access control list (ACL) associated with the DTS entity in order to execute the command.

Notes

The DTS entity cannot be deleted until you enter the **disable** command, which causes the status attribute **state** to be set to **off**.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

```
dtscp> delete
```

Related Information

Commands: **disable(8dts)**, **dtscp(8dts)**, **dce_config(8dce)**.

disable

Purpose

Stops the DCE DTS entity on the local node

Synopsis

```
dtscp disable
```

Description

The **disable** command turns off the Distributed Time Service (DTS) entity on the system on which the command is entered. When the command is executed, the status attribute **state** is set to **off**.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the access control list (ACL) associated with the DTS entity in order to execute the command.

Notes

The DTS entity cannot be disabled until it is enabled with the **enable** command. You must enter the **disable** command before you can delete the entity with the **delete** command.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

```
dtscp> disable
```

Related Information

Commands: **delete(8dts)**, **dtscp(8dts)**, **enable(8dts)**.

dtscp

Purpose

Starts the DTS control program

Synopsis

dtscp

Description

Note:

With the exception of the following subcommands, this command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command. This command may be fully replaced by the **dcecp** command in a future release of DCE, and may no longer be supported at that time.

1. **exit**
2. **help**
3. **quit**

The ***(8dts)** reference pages describe the commands for the Distributed Time Service (DTS) control program, **dtscp**. The DTS control program is a command-line interface that enables you to synchronize, adjust, and maintain the system clocks in a distributed network. For a detailed explanation of system clock synchronization and management, see the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide* .

The DTS control program commands are as follows:

advertise

Configures the DTS server as a global server.

change

Modifies the epoch and sets the local time to a new time.

create Establishes a DTS entity (a clerk or server).

delete Causes DTS to exit on the local node.

disable

Suspends a DTS entity.

enable

Starts a DTS entity.

exit Ends the **dtscp** management session and returns you to the system prompt.

help Invokes the **dtscp** help service.

quit Ends the **dtscp** management session and returns you to the system prompt.

set Modifies characteristics of a DTS entity.

show Displays characteristics of a DTS entity.

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synchronize

Synchronizes the system clock with the time obtained from DTS servers in the network.

unadvertise

Removes the global server entry.

update

Gradually adjusts the system clock to a new time.

For more information on any of the above **dtscp** commands, see the appropriate reference page.

You can use control program commands from within the control program or from the system prompt. To enter DTS commands from within the control program, first start the control program by entering the **dtscp** command. For example:

```
dtscp  
dtscp>
```

At this prompt you can enter any control program command. For example:

```
dtscp> show current time
```

To leave the control program and return to the system prompt, enter the **exit** command.

To enter DTS commands from the system prompt, interactively or in a command procedure, enter the **dtscp** command with an internal command of the control program as the first argument. The control program executes the command without displaying the control program prompt. For example, you can enter the **synchronize** command as follows:

dtscp synchronize

Some **dtscp** commands have optional arguments or attributes, and there may also be optional variables for the arguments and attributes. This is shown in the following diagram:

```
dtscp> update time 1990-08-03-05:45:28.000+01:00I00.500  
      /      /      /  
      Command [Argument] Variable  
      -----  
      [Attribute]
```

Abbreviations

You can enter as few as three characters for each DTS command or argument; DTS commands and arguments are unique for three characters or more. For example, rather than entering the command **enable set clock true**, you can enter the following abbreviated command:

```
dtscp> ena set clo tru
```

Attributes

The **dtscp set** and **show** commands have several attributes—pieces or sets of data—associated with them. The attribute groups are categorized as follows:

Characteristics

Set or show the entity's operation.

Counters

Show the number of occurrences of an event since the entity was enabled.

Status

Show the current state of the entity. (The DTS entity has four status attributes.)

Global Servers

Show the global servers known by this DTS entity.

Local Servers

Show the local servers known by this DTS entity.

Individual attributes within each of the previously listed groups are described in the **set(8dts)** and **show(8dts)** reference pages. The **show** command also allows you to specify attribute groups.

Time Stamps

All responses to commands contain a timestamp. The following is a typical DTS time display:

```
1993-03-16-14:29:47.52000-05:00I000.003
```

The timestamp uses the DTS format as explained in the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Core Components*. In this example, the year is 1993, the day is March 16, and the time is 14 hours, 29 minutes, and 47.52 seconds. A negative Time Differential Factor (TDF) of 5 hours and an inaccuracy of 3 milliseconds is included in the timestamp.

Note:

An inaccuracy value of **I----** indicates an infinite inaccuracy. This value appears in time displays before a node's initial synchronization, or after you enter the **change** command without specifying an inaccuracy value.

Related Information

Commands: **advertise(8dts)**, **change(8dts)**, **create(8dts)**, **delete(8dts)**, **disable(8dts)**, **enable(8dts)**, **exit(8dts)**, **help(8dts)**, **quit(8dts)**, **set(8dts)**, **show(8dts)**, **synchronize(8dts)**, **unadvertise(8dts)**, **update(8dts)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

dtSD

Purpose

Restarts the DTS daemon

Synopsis

dtSD [-d] [-w *serviceability*] [-s [-k **courier** | **noncourier**] [-g] [-o] [-c]

Options

- d Specifies debug mode. The command runs in the foreground.
- w *serviceability*
See the **svcroute(5dce)** reference page for the full description of the appropriate format for this entry. Only the three-field format is used, as follows:

severity: how: where

The following is an example:

```
FATAL:TEXTFILE:/dev/console
```

- s Runs **dtSD** as a server. Default is backup, courier, local server
- g Runs **dtSD** as a global server.
- k **courier** | **noncourier**
Runs **dtSD** as a courier or a noncourier.
- g Runs **dtSD** as a global server.
- o When enabling as a server, sets the clock immediately. Equivalent to the command **enable set clock true** in **dtSCP** or to the command **dcecp dts activate -abruptly**.
- c Runs **dtSD** as a clerk.

Description

The **dtSD** command invokes the Distributed Time Service (DTS) daemon (clerk or server process). This command is usually executed as part of the overall DCE startup script, **start.dce**.

You can enter the command manually under the following conditions:

1. If a DTS daemon fails to start automatically upon reboot
2. If you want to restart a daemon that you shut down to perform a backup or do diagnostic work

In normal rebooting, the **start.dce** script automatically provides arguments appropriate to the choice of configuration options.

The command line options shown here can also be provided to **dced** as part of the fixed configuration strings, if **dced** is configured to automatically start **dtSD**.

If **dtstd** is started with no options other than **-d** and **-w**, then the server must be started with the **dcecp dts** command. The following configures a local server:

```
dcecp> dts configure -notglobal
dcecp> dts activate
```

Privileges Required

DTS runs as the host machine principal, which is usually **root**. See the security reference pages for information about principals.

Notes

Use **dtstd** interactively only when troubleshooting; otherwise use the **start.dce** script. On some systems the superuser is associated with the machine principal.

Examples

To restart the daemon, follow these steps:

1. Log into the system as **superuser (root)**.
2. Use the **ps** command to make sure that **dced** and **cdsadv** are running. (The DCE daemon, **dced**, provides the endpoint mapping and security services, and **cdsadv** provides CDS.)
3. Enter the following command to restart the **dts** daemon as a clerk:

```
dtstd -c
```

Enter the following command to restart the **dts** daemon as a server:

```
dtstd -s
```

To restart the **dts** daemon as a global server, setting the clock on startup, use the following command:

```
dtstd -s -g -o
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp (8dts)**, **dtstd(8dts)**, **dcecp (8dce)**.

Files: **svcroute(5dce)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*.

dtssdate

Purpose

Sets a local clock from a remote DTS daemon server host

Synopsis

```
dtssdate [-q] [-s] [-u] remote_host [nsecs]
```

Options

- q Queries the difference in time between the local host and the remote host, but does not change the local clock. The returned result (2 if the time would have been reset, 1 if there was an error, and 0 otherwise) can be used by a script to determine what action to take.
- s Causes **dtssdate** to work silently, without showing the time.
- u Shows the time in Universal Time Coordinated (UTC) format, rather than in the current time zone.

Arguments

remote_host

The name or the IP address of a remote host that has a **dtssd** server.

nsecs An integer giving the number of seconds by which the remote and local host times can differ, without the local host's clock being reset. If *nsecs* is 0, or if it is not specified, it is treated as if it were extremely large, and no resetting occurs.

Description

The **dtssdate** command sets the local clock of a system to be the same as the host *remote_host*, running a **dtssd** server. The purpose of **dtssdate** is to ensure that clock skew is minimized at initial cell configuration or at host instantiation, because it is difficult to start DCE and its components if the skew is too great.

Clocks among all DCE components must be within five minutes of each other, to prevent failure of the Cell Directory Service (CDS) and of security. Some DCE components have even more stringent requirements. For instance, a Distributed File Service (DFS) file server cannot start if its local host differs from other DFS hosts by more than ten seconds.

The **dtssdate** command can be used for adjusting a clock backwards, before DCE is running on a host. Adjusting a clock backwards while DCE is running can cause many difficulties, because security and file system software generally require system time to increase monotonically.

Notes

The remote host must be running as a Distributed Time Service (DTS) server. This means that the **dtssd** on that system must have registered the DTS management interface, because **dtssdate** uses the management call to get the current time from that host.

For **dtssdate** to be able to set the clock, it must run as a privileged user (**root**).

Exit Values

If the **-q** argument is given, **dtssdate** returns 2 if the remote time and local time differ by more than *nsecs*, 1 if there was an error, and 0 otherwise.

If the **-q** argument is not given, **dtssdate** returns 1 if there was an error, and 0 otherwise.

Examples

1. To run **dtssdate** with only the host argument, enter the following command:

```
dtssdate remotehost
```

As a result, **dtssdate** prints out the time on **remotehost**.

2. In the following example, **dtssdate** indicates that local host's and remote host's times differ by more than 10 seconds, without showing the time:

```
dtssdate -s -q remotehost 10
1
```

3. In the following example, **dtssdate** resets the clock if it differs from the remote clock by more than 10 seconds. It does this work silently due to the **-s** option.

```
dtssdate -s remotehost 10
```

4. The following example shows a shell script that uses the return value of **dtssdate**:

```
dtssdate -s -q remhost 10
result = $?
if [ $result -eq 0 ] ; then
    echo "Time is within tolerance."
elif [ $result -eq 1 ] ; then
    echo "Could not contact remote host." >&2
else
    # result = 2
    if dtssdate remhost 10; then # it failed!
        echo "Could not set the clock." >&2
    fi
fi
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtssd(8dts)**.

enable

Purpose

Starts the DTS entity on the local node

Synopsis

```
dtscp enable set clock {true | false}
```

Arguments

set clock {true | false}

Specifies whether the clock is abruptly set (**true**) or gradually adjusted to the computed time (**false**, the default). This argument is optional.

Description

After the Distributed Time Service (DTS) entity is created with the **dtscp create** command, it is still in a nonfunctioning state. To put it into operation, you must invoke **dtscp enable**, which causes an immediate synchronization to take place. When the command is executed, the status attribute **state** is set to **on**.

In addition, you may use the **enable** command to activate a DTS entity that has previously been deactivated with the **disable** command. See the **disable(8dts)** reference page for more information.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the access control list (ACL) associated with the DTS entity in order to execute the command.

Notes

The DTS entity cannot be enabled until it is created with the **create** command; the DTS entity must be in the **off** state.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following command enables the entity and adjusts the clock gradually to the computed time following the first synchronization:

```
dtscp> enable
```

2. The following command enables the entity and abruptly sets the clock to the computed time following the first synchronization:

```
dtscp> enable set clock true
```

Related Information

Commands: **create (8dts)**, **disable (8dts)**, **dtscp(8dts)**.

exit

Purpose

Causes the DTS control program to complete execution

Synopsis

dtscp exit

Description

The **exit** command causes the Distributed Time Service (DTS) control program, **dtscp**, to complete execution and returns operation to the parent process.

Notes

This command may be replaced in future DCE releases by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

Examples

To leave **dtscp** and return to the parent process, enter the following:

```
dtscp> exit
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp(8dts)**, **quit(8dts)**.

help

Purpose

Displays help information for DTS control program commands

Synopsis

```
dtscp help [topic]
```

Arguments

topic Specifies the topic for which help information is to be displayed. The following are valid help topics:

1. **advertise**
2. **change**
3. **create**
4. **delete**
5. **disable**
6. **enable**
7. **set**
8. **show**
9. **synchronize**
10. **unadvertise**
11. **update**

Description

The **help** command displays information about **dtscp** commands.

Notes

This command may be replaced in future DCE releases by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

Examples

To display information about the **dtscp** command **unadvertise**, enter the following command:

```
dtscp help unadvertise
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp(8dts)**.

quit

Purpose

Causes the DTS control program to complete execution

Synopsis

dtscp quit

Description

The **quit** command causes the Distributed Time Service (DTS) control program, **dtscp**, to complete execution and returns operation to the parent process.

Notes

This command may be replaced in future DCE releases by the **dcecp** command, and may no longer be supported at that time.

Examples

To leave **dtscp** and return to the parent process, enter the following:

```
dtscp> quit
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp(8dts)**, **exit(8dts)**.

set

Purpose

Modifies characteristics for the DTS entity

Synopsis

dtscp set *characteristic*

Arguments

characteristic

The name and value of one or more characteristics to be modified. Valid values for characteristic are described in the following list. These values are described in more detail in the **Description** section.

Description

The **set** command modifies the characteristics you specify for the Distributed Time Service (DTS) entity.

Note: Time must never be set backwards in the DCE environment. Backwards movement in the clock causes a server to be unable to determine event ordering, resulting in inconsistency in the server's database and the corruption of the timestamps. For more information, see the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Core Components*.

The modifiable characteristics and their values are as follows:

check interval [*relative-time*]

Specifies the amount of time between checks for faulty servers. Applicable only for servers that have external time-providers.

Default: **0-01:30:00.000**

Value: **0-00:00:30.000 – 10675199-02:48:05.000**

courier role [*role*]

Specifies a server's interaction with the set of global servers.

Default: **backup courier**

The following values are valid:

backup courier

The local server becomes a courier if none are available on the local area network (LAN).

courier

The local server synchronizes with the global set of servers.

noncourier

The local server does not synchronize with the global set of servers.

error tolerance [*relative-time*]

Specifies the maximum separation allowed between the local clock and the computed time before synchronizations become abrupt rather than gradual (monotonic).

Default: **0-00:10:00.000**

Value: **0-00:00:00.500 – 10675199-02:48:05.000**

global set timeout [*relative-time*]

Specifies the amount of time the node waits for a response to a global synchronization request before sending another request or declaring a global server to be unavailable. The number of attempts made to reach the server is controlled by the **query attempts** characteristic.

Default: **0-00:00:15.000**

Value: **0-00:00:00.000 – 0-00:10:00.000**

local set timeout [*relative-time*]

Specifies the amount of time the node waits for a response to a local synchronization request before sending another request or declaring a server to be unavailable. The number of attempts made to reach the server is controlled by the **query attempts** characteristic.

Note that the **local set timeout** value controls only the initial contact with a time-provider. During this initial contact, the time-provider itself determines the timeout value for actually reporting back times. This allows a time-provider attached to a slow source like a modem to request that **dtsd** wait for a longer interval.

Default: **0-00:00:05.000**

Value: **0-00:00:00.000 – 0-00:01:00.000**

maximum inaccuracy [*relative-time*]

Specifies the inaccuracy limit for the node. When the node exceeds the maximum inaccuracy setting, it attempts to synchronize.

Default: **0-00:00:00.100**

Value: **0-00:00:00.000 – 10675199-02:48:05.000**

query attempts [*integer*]

Specifies the number of attempts that a node makes to contact a server before the node considers the server unavailable.

Default: **3**

Value: **1 –10**

server entry name [*name*]

Specifies a server's CDS entry name; *dce_hostname* represents the name of the system or node that is the server's client. The default setting is the recommended value.

Default: **./:/hosts/ dce_hostname/dts-entity**

server group name [*name*]

Specifies the name of the security group that DTS uses for authentication checks. DTS clerks and servers do not accept time values from DTS servers that are not included in this group.

server principal name [*dce_hostname*]

Specifies a server's principal name for authentication purposes; *hostname*

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represents the name of the system or node that is the server's client. The default setting is the recommended value.

Default: `./:/hosts/ dce_hostname/self`

servers required [*integer*]

Specifies the minimum number of servers required for a synchronization. Settings of 1 or 2 may cause unreliable computed times.

Default: **1** (clerks) **3** (servers)

Value: **1 –10**

synchronization hold down [*relative-time*]

Specifies the interval a node must wait to synchronize. Also specifies synchronization frequency when a node reaches the value specified by the **maximum inaccuracy** characteristic.

Clerks:

Default: **0-00:10:00.000**

Value: **0-00:00:30.000 – 01-00:00:00.000**

Servers:

Default: **0-00:02:00.000**

Value: **0-00:00:30.000 – 01-00:00:00.000**

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the access control list (ACL) associated with the DTS entity in order to execute the command.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

The following two commands are obsolete. Use the replacements shown.

set lan timeout

This command is the same as **set local set timeout** .

set wan timeout

This command is the same as **set global set timeout**.

Examples

1. The command in the following example sets the **check interval** characteristic to 30 seconds:

```
dtscp> set check interval 00-00:00:30.000
```

2. The following command sets the number of servers required before the entity can synchronize:

```
dtscp set servers required 4
```

3. The following command sets the courier role for a server:

```
dtscp> set courier role backup courier
```

4. The command in the following example sets the **error tolerance** characteristic to seven minutes:

```
dtscp> set error tolerance 0-00:07:00.000
```

5. The following command sets the **global set timeout** characteristic to 45 seconds:

```
dtscp set global set timeout 0-00:00:45.000
```

6. The following command sets the local **set timeout** characteristic to five seconds:

```
dtscp> set local set timeout 0-00:00:05.000
```

7. The following command sets the **maximum inaccuracy** characteristic to three milliseconds:

```
dtscp> set maximum inaccuracy 0-00:00:00.300
```

8. The following command sets the **server entry name** characteristic to **./:/hosts/orion/dts-entity**:

```
dtscp> set server entry name ./:/hosts/orion/dts-entity
```

9. The command in the following example sets the **server principal name** characteristic to **./:/hosts/vega/dts-entity**:

```
dtscp set server principal name  
./:/hosts/vega/dts-entity
```

10. The following command sets the **synchronization hold down** characteristic to 15 minutes:

```
dtscp> set synchronization hold down 0-00:15:00.000
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp(8dts)**, **show (8dts)**.

show

Purpose

Displays current information about the DTS entity

Synopsis

dtscp show *attribute-group attribute-name*

Arguments

attribute-group

The name of an attribute group to be displayed. The following values are valid:

1. **all**
2. **all characteristics**
3. **all counters**
4. **all status**
5. **global servers**
6. **local servers**

attribute-name

The name of a specific attribute from the **characteristics**, **counters**, or **status** groups. The attribute specifiers **global servers** and **local servers** do not contain any other attributes.

Description

The **show** command displays the names and values of the specified attributes or attribute groups. For attribute groups, if you do not supply a group name with the **all** argument, all characteristics and their values are displayed. The names of individual attributes, categorized by group, are listed in the following sections.

Note that the attributes displayed by the **show** command might differ depending upon whether you have requested information about a server or a clerk.

Characteristics

Characteristic arguments can contain a maximum of 80 characters and are recalculated to a normalized date format. For example:

Input value: **0-0025:10:99.99999999**

Result: **1-01:11:39.990**

acting courier role

Specifies whether a backup courier is currently functioning as a courier. If the role is **noncourier**, the node is not attempting to synchronize with global servers. This characteristic is shown only for servers.

Default: **noncourier**

Value: **courier** or **noncourier**

automatic tdf change

Specifies whether automatic changes to the time differential factor are enabled or disabled; the value is determined by the operating system.

Default: **true**

Value: **true/false**

check interval

Specifies the amount of time between checks for faulty servers. Applicable only to servers that have external time-providers. This characteristic is shown only for servers.

Default: **0-01:30:00.00**

Value: **0-00:00:30.000 – 10675199-02:48:05.478**

clock adjustment rate

Specifies the rate at which the DTS server or clerk entity adjusts the node's clock during a synchronization.

clock resolution

Specifies the amount of time between system clock ticks. The value is determined by the operating system.

courier role

Specifies a server's interaction with the set of global servers. This characteristic is shown only for servers.

Default: **noncourier**

Possible values are as follows:

backup courier

The local server becomes a courier if none are available on the local area network (LAN).

courier

The local server synchronizes with the global set of servers.

noncourier

The local server does not synchronize with the global set of servers.

DTS version

Specifies the DTS software version installed on the node.

epoch number

Specifies the server's epoch number. The **change** command modifies this characteristic. This characteristic is shown only for servers.

Default: **0**

Value: **0–255**

error tolerance

Specifies the maximum separation allowed between the local clock and the computed time before synchronizations become abrupt rather than gradual (monotonic).

Default: **0-00:10:00.000**

Value: **0-00:00:00.500 – 10675199-02:48:05.478**

global set timeout

Specifies the amount of time the node waits for a response to a wide area

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network (WAN) synchronization request before sending another request or declaring a global server to be unavailable. The number of attempts made to reach the server is controlled by the **query attempts** characteristic.

Default: **0-00:00:15.000**

Value: **0-00:00:00.000 – 0-00:10:00.000**

local set timeout

Specifies the amount of time the node waits for a response to a synchronization request before sending another request or declaring a server to be unavailable. The number of attempts made to reach the server is controlled by the **query attempts** characteristic.

Default: **0-00:00:05.000**

Value: **0-00:00:00.000 – 0-00:10:00.000**

local time differential factor

Specifies the Time Differential Factor (TDF), which is the amount of time the server varies from Greenwich mean time (GMT) or Universal Time Coordinated (UTC) time.

Default: **0-00:00:00.000**

Value: **-13-00:00:00 – 13-00:00:00**

maximum clock drift rate

Specifies the worst-case drift rate of the node's clock, in nanoseconds per second, as determined by the manufacturer's specifications.

maximum inaccuracy

Specifies the inaccuracy limit for the node. When the node exceeds the maximum inaccuracy setting, it attempts to synchronize.

Default: **0-00:00:00.100**

Value: **0-00:00:00.0 – 10675199-02:48:05.478**

next tdf change

Specifies the future time at which the time differential factor is automatically changed. The value is determined by the operating system.

query attempts

Specifies the number of attempts that a node makes to contact a server before the node considers the server unavailable.

Default: **3**

Value: **1–10**

server entry name

Specifies a server's ACL entry name; *hostname* represents the name of the system or node that is the server's client. The default setting is the recommended value. This characteristic is shown only for servers.

Default: **./:/hosts/ *hostname*/dts-entity**

server group name

Specifies the security group name for the time servers within the cell.

Default: **./:/subsys/dce/dts-servers**

server principal name

Specifies a server's principal name for authentication purposes; *hostname*

represents the name of the system or node that is the server's client. The default setting is the recommended value. This characteristic is shown only for servers.

Default: *./:/hosts/ hostname/self*

servers required

Specifies the minimum number of servers required for a synchronization. Settings of 1 or 2 may cause unreliable computed times.

Default: **3**

Value: **1–10**

synchronization hold down

Specifies the interval a node must wait to synchronize. Also specifies synchronization frequency when a node reaches the value specified by the **maximum inaccuracy** characteristic.

Clerks:

Default: **0-00:10:00.0**

Value: **0-00:00:30.0 – 01 00:00:00.00 Servers:**

Default: **0-00:02.00.0**

Value: **0-00:00:30.0 – 01 00:00:00.00**

time-provider present

Specifies whether or not the entity used an external time-provider at the last successful synchronization. This attribute applies to servers only.

time representation version

Specifies the timestamp format used by the node.

type Specifies whether the node is a DTS server or clerk. The **create** command modifies this characteristic.

Counters**clock settings**

Specifies the number of times the node clock has been set nonmonotonically (abruptly).

creation time

Specifies the time at which the DTS entity was created and the counters were initialized.

different epochs detected

Specifies the number of times the node received time response messages from servers or clerks that had epoch numbers different from its own. This counter is shown only for servers.

disable directives completed

Specifies the number of times the DTS has been disabled.

enable directives completed

Specifies the number of times the DTS has been enabled.

epoch changes completed

Specifies the number of times the server's epoch has changed.

insufficient resources detected

Specifies the number of times the node has been unable to allocate virtual memory.

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local servers not in group

Specifies the number of times that a local server was contacted, but it was not in the **dts** security group.

local times not intersecting

Specifies the number of times the node's time interval failed to intersect with the computed interval of the servers.

no global servers detected

Specifies the number of times the courier server could not contact any global servers. This counter is shown only for servers.

protocol mismatches detected

Specifies the number of times the local node failed to process a received message containing an incompatible protocol version.

servers not in group

Specifies the number of times that a nonlocal server was contacted, but it was not in the **dts** security group. This counter is shown only for servers.

servers not responding

Specifies the number of times the courier server could not contact a specific global server. This counter is shown only for servers.

servers times not intersecting

Specifies the number of times a server has detected faulty servers (other than itself). This counter is shown only for servers.

synchronizations completed

Specifies the number of times the node successfully synchronized.

system errors detected

Specifies the number of times a DTS operation detected a system error.

time-provider failures detected

Specifies the number of times the external time-provider signaled a failure or the node was unable to access the time-provider.

time-provider timeouts detected

Specifies the number of times a **dttd** server process initiated contact with a time-provider and did not receive the initial response within the interval specified by **local set timeout** (the default interval is 5 seconds). This counter is shown only for servers.

time representation version mismatches detected

Specifies the number of times the local node failed to process a received message containing an incompatible timestamp format.

too few servers detected

Specifies the number of times a node failed to synchronize because it could not contact the required minimum number of servers.

updates initiated

Specifies the number of times a server has attempted to update its clock. This counter is shown only for servers.

Status

current time

Specifies the current time on the node.

global servers

Specifies the set of global servers known by the node.

last synchronization

Specifies the computed time at the last attempted synchronization.

local servers

Specifies the set of local servers known by the node.

state Specifies the state of the DTS entity. Valid values are as follows:

off The DTS entity is disabled.

on The DTS entity is enabled.

synchronizing

The DTS entity is synchronizing.

updating

The DTS entity is updating the time.

uid Specifies the entity's unique identifier, which is generated when the entity is created. This attribute is shown only for servers.

Privileges Required

You must have **r (read)** permission on the access control list (ACL) associated with the DTS entity in order to execute the command.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following command displays the current time:

```
dtscp> show current time  
Current Time = 1990-11-30-12:11:41.718-05:00I0.359 EST
```

2. The following command displays all of the entity's characteristic attribute settings:

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```
dtscp> show all
Check Interval           = +0-01:30:00.000I-----
Epoch Number           = 0
Error Tolerance         = +0-00:10:00.000I-----
Local Time Differential Factor = -0-04:00:00.000I-----
Maximum Inaccuracy      = +0-00:00:00.100I-----
Servers Required        = 3
Query Attempts          = 3
Local Set Timeout       = +0-00:00:05.000I-----
Global Set Timeout      = +0-00:00:15.000I-----
Synchronization Hold Down = +0-00:02:00.000I-----
Type                    = Server
Courier Role            = NonCourier
Acting Courier Role     = NonCourier
Clock Adjustment Rate   = 40000000 nsec/sec
Maximum Clock Drift Rate = 10000000 nsec/sec
Clock Resolution        = 10000000 nsec
DTS Version             = V1.0.1
Time Representation Version = V1.0.0
Time Provider Present   = FALSE
Automatic TDF Change    = FALSE
Next TDF Change        = 1993-10-31-06:00:00.000+00:00I0.000
Server Principal Name   = hosts/system1/self
Server Entry Name       = hosts/system1/dts-entity
Server Group Name       = subsys/dce/dts-servers
```

3. The following command displays the current values of all characteristic attributes. It produces the same output as does the **show all** command.

```
dtscp> show all characteristics
```

4. The following command displays all of the local servers known to the entity:

```
dtscp show local servers
Known Servers
```

```
=====
Local /.../sisyphus.osf.org/hosts/system2/self
Last Time Polled      = 1993-10-15-21:01:46.124+00:00I0.809
Last Observed Time   = 1993-10-15-21:03:09.041+00:00I-----
Last Observed Skew   = +0-00:01:22.917I-----
Used in Last Synchronization = TRUE
Transport Type       = RPC

Local /.../sisyphus.osf.org/hosts/system3/self
Last Time Polled      = 1993-10-15-21:01:46.124+00:00I0.809
Last Observed Time   = 1993-10-15-21:01:46.143+00:00I0.817
Last Observed Skew   = +0-00:00:00.019I1.625
Used in Last Synchronization = TRUE
Transport Type       = RPC
```

5. The following displays the current values of all counter attributes:

```

dtscp> show all counters
Creation Time           = 1993-10-14-16:23:57.801+00:00I0.767
Local Times Not Intersecting = 0
Server Times Not Intersecting = 0
Different Epochs Detected = 0
Too Few Servers Detected  = 0
Time Provider Timeouts Detected = 1
Protocol Mismatches Detected = 0
Time Representation Mismatches Detected = 0
No Global Servers Detected = 0
Servers Not Responding    = 0
Clock Settings            = 0
Epoch Changes Completed  = 0
System Errors Detected    = 0
Synchronizations Completed = 865
Updates Initiated        = 0
Enable Directives Completed = 1
Disable Directives Completed = 0
Insufficient Resources Detected = 0
Time Provider Failures Detected = 0
Local server not in group = 0
Servers not in group      = 0

```

6. The following command displays the current values of all status attributes:

```

dtscp> show all status
UID                = 00004e34-5e1c-2c87-8500-08005a0d4582
Last Synchronization = 1993-10-15-21:05:43.023+00:00I-----
State              = 0n

```

7. The following command displays the current value of the courier role attribute:

```

dtscp show courier role
Courier Role          = NonCourier

```

8. The following command displays the server entry name for this server:

```

dtscp> show server entry name
Server Entry Name     = hosts/system1/dts-entity

```

9. The following command displays the current state of the DTS entity:

```

dtscp> show state
State                 = 0n

```

10. The following displays the current value of the check interval attribute:

```

dtscp> show check interval
Check Interval        = +0-01:30:00.000I-----

```

11. The following command displays the current value of the servers times not intersecting counter:

```

dtscp show servers times not intersecting
Server Times Not Intersecting = 0

```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp(8dts)**, **set(8dts)**.

synchronize

Purpose

Causes the DTS entity to synchronize the clock

Synopsis

```
dtscp synchronize set clock {true | false}
```

Arguments

set clock {true | false}

Specifies whether the clock is abruptly set (**true**) or gradually adjusted to the computed time (**false**, the default). This argument is optional.

Description

The **synchronize** command causes the Distributed Time Service (DTS) clerk or server to solicit time intervals from servers, compute the intersection of the time intervals, and adjust the system clock to the midpoint of the computed time interval. This command overrides the functions of the **synchronization hold down** characteristic.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the access control list (ACL) associated with the DTS entity in order to execute the command.

Notes

The **synchronize** command does not execute if the entity is already synchronizing or is disabled; the entity must be in the **on** state.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

1. The following command initiates a synchronization for the entity, followed by a gradual clock adjustment:

```
dtscp> synchronize
```

2. The following command initiates a synchronization for the entity, followed by an abrupt reset of the clock:

```
dtscp> synchronize set clock true
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp(8dts)**.

unadvertise

Purpose

Removes the global server entry from the cell profile

Synopsis

```
dtscp unadvertise
```

Description

The **unadvertise** command causes the Distributed Time Service (DTS) to remove the server's name from the cell profile and binding from the related Cell Directory Service (CDS) entry, deleting the server's global status.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the access control list (ACL) associated with the DTS entity in order to execute the command.

Notes

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

```
dtscp> unadvertise
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp(8dts)**.

update

Purpose

Gradually adjusts the clock on the local node to the specified time

Synopsis

```
dtscp update time absolute-time
```

Arguments

time *absolute-time*

Specifies the absolute time to which the clock is adjusted. This argument is required.

Description

The **update** command gradually adjusts the system clock to a new time, beginning at the time specified in the argument. The difference between the current clock value and the absolute time specified in the argument is used to adjust the clock.

Privileges Required

You must have **w (write)** permission on the access control list (ACL) associated with the Distributed Time Service (DTS) entity in order to execute the command.

Notes

The **update** command is valid only for servers. The combined time and inaccuracy value you specify must be contained within the interval formed by the current time and inaccuracy. That is, the new setting must be more accurate than the current time.

This command was replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command and may not be provided in future releases of DCE.

Examples

The following command updates the time for a server, with the clock being gradually adjusted to the specified time:

```
dtscp> update time 1993-12-30-11:24:00.000-05:00I0.000
```

Related Information

Commands: **dtscp(8dts)**.

Chapter 5. Security Service Files and Commands

sec_intro

Purpose

Introduction to the DCE Security Service administrative files

Description

The ***(5sec)** reference pages describe the DCE Security Service files for system administration. The reference pages are as follows:

aud_audit_events(5sec)

Describes the auditable events for the audit service.

dts_audit_events(5sec)

Describes the auditable events for the time services.

event_class(5sec)

Describes event class files. Each event class file contains the declaration of a single event class, a logical group of auditable events.

group_override(5sec)

Describes the *group_override* file, which contains entries that let you override group UNIX ID and member list entries in the registry database for a local machine.

passwd_override(5sec)

Describes the **passwd_override** file, which contains entries that let you override password, GECOS, home directory, and shell entries in the registry database for a local machine.

sec_audit_events (5sec)

Describes the auditable events for the security service.

v5srvtab(5sec)

Describes the **v5srvtab** file, which contains server machine passwords on the local machine.

Related Information

Files: **aud_audit_events(5sec)**, **dts_audit_events(5sec)**, **event_class(5sec)**, **passwd_override(5sec)**, **sec_audit_events(5sec)**, **v5srvtab(5sec)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Reference*.

aud_audit_events

Purpose

Auditable events for the audit services

Description

The DCE Security Service supports the auditing of audit service-significant events. Among these events are:

1. Administrative operations
These are subdivided into **modify** and **query** operations.
2. Filter operations
These are subdivided into **modify** and **query** operations.

Event class definitions, together with filters, control the auditing execution at these code points. Filters can be updated dynamically. Filter files are maintained by a per-host audit daemon, and are shared among all the audit clients on the same host. The DCE control program, **dcecp**, is used for maintaining the filters. (See the **dcecp(8dce)** reference page.) The **dcecp** command is executable by all users and system administrators. The ability to modify filters is controlled through audit daemon's access control list (ACL), which maintains the filters.

The audit service remote procedure call (RPC) interfaces include **audit_control** and **audit_filter** operations.

Administrative Operations

The **dce_audit_admin_modify** and **dce_audit_admin_query** event classes lump together the administrative operations that are performed on the audit daemon.

The **dce_audit_admin_modify** event class has the following events that modify the operation of the audit daemon:

EVT_MODIFY_STATE

Enables or disables the audit daemon for logging.

EVT_MODIFY_SSTRATEGY

Modifies storage strategy. This can be any of the following:

- Save** If the trail is full, it is backed up and renamed with a timestamp then writes on the original trail again.
- Wrap** If the trail is full, goes back to the beginning of the file, overwriting previously written records.

EVT_REWIND

Rewinds the audit daemon's central trail file.

EVT_STOP

Stops the audit daemon.

The following are the audit code points in the audit service interfaces. Each entry shows the event type, followed by the event number and event classes, and then any event-specific information.

aud_audit_events(5sec)

EVT_MODIFY_STATE (0x306, dce_audit_admin_modify)

Event-specific information: None.

EVT_MODIFY_SSTRATEGY (0x305, dce_audit_admin_modify)

Event-specific information: None.

EVT_REWIND (0x307, dce_audit_admin_modify)

Event-specific information: None.

EVT_STOP (0x308, dce_audit_admin_modify)

Event-specific information: None.

The **dce_audit_admin_query** event class has two events:

EVT_SHOW_SSTRATEGY

Shows the storage strategy.

EVT_SHOW_STATE

Shows the state of the audit daemon.

Following are the details of this event class:

EVT_SHOW_SSTRATEGY (0x309, dce_audit_admin_query)

Event-specific information: None.

EVT_SHOW_STATE (0x30a, dce_audit_admin_query)

Event-specific information: None.

Filter Operations

The **dce_audit_filter_modify** and **dce_audit_filter_query** event classes are the filter operations that the audit daemon handles.

The **dce_audit_filter_modify** event class has the following events:

EVT_ADD_FILTER

Adds a filter.

EVT_DELETE_FILTER

Removes all guides for a specific subject.

EVT_REMOVE_FILTER

Removes a specific guide for a specific subject.

Following are the details of this event class:

EVT_ADD_FILTER (0x303, dce_audit_filter_modify)

Event-specific information: None.

EVT_DELETE_FILTER (0x300, dce_audit_filter_modify)

Event-specific information: None.

EVT_REMOVE_FILTER (0x304, dce_audit_filter_modify)

Event-specific information: None.

The **dce_audit_filter_query** contains two events:

EVT_LIST_FILTER

Lists all subjects that have filters.

EVT_SHOW_FILTER

Shows all filters for a specific principal.

Following are the details of this event class.

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EVT_LIST_FILTER (0x302, dce_audit_filter_query)

Event-specific information: None.

EVT_SHOW_FILTER (0x301, dce_audit_filter_query)

Event-specific information:

aud_c_evt_info_long_int

esl_type aud_c_evt_info_char_string subject_name

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**.

Files: **event_class(5sec)**.

dts_audit_events

Purpose

Auditable events for the time services

Description

The DCE Security Service supports the auditing of security-significant events in the time server. Among these events are:

1. Time service processes
2. Clock readings
3. Global-set membership (in the cell service profile)
4. Time service attributes

Event class definitions, together with filters, control the auditing execution at these code points. Filters can be updated dynamically. Filter files are maintained by a per-host audit daemon, and are shared among all the audit clients on the same host. The DCE control program, **dcecp**, is used for maintaining the filters. (See the **dcecp(8dce)** reference page.) The **dcecp** command is executable by all users and system administrators. The ability to modify filters is controlled through audit daemon's access control list (ACL), which maintains the filters.

The time server remote procedure call (RPC) interfaces that manage the Distributed Time Service (DTS) and request and provide the time include **time_control**, **time_service**, **gbl_time_service**, and **time_provider**.

The following are the audit code points in these time service interfaces. Each entry shows the event type, followed by the event number and event classes, and then any event-specific information.

Control Interface (time_control) Operations

The **CreateCmd()** operation creates the time service as a server or a clerk. The caller must have write access to the management interface.

EVT_CREATE_CMD (0x200, dce_dts_mgt_modify)

Event-specific information:

signed32 servType

The **DeleteCmd()** operation deletes the time service entity from the system where the command is entered. This command stops the process. The caller must have write access to the management interface.

EVT_DELETE_CMD (0x201, dce_dts_mgt_modif)

Event-specific information: None.

The **EnableCmd()** operation starts the DTS entity on the local node. This command makes the server available to the network. The *clockSet* argument tells the time service whether or not to set the clock after the first synchronization. The caller must have write access to the management interface.

EVT_ENABLE_CMD (0x202, dce_dts_mgt_modify)

Event-specific information:

signed32 c1ockSet

The **DisableCmd** operation disables the time service by making it unavailable to the network. In the case of servers, it makes it unavailable to the RPC client trying to talk to it. For clerks, it stops synchronizing with servers. The caller must have write access to the management interface.

EVT_DISABLE_CMD (0x203, dce_dts_mgt_modify)

Event-specific information: None.

The **UpdateCmd()** operation gradually adjusts the clock on the local node to the specified time. The caller must have write access to the management interface.

EVT_UPDATE_CMD (0x204, dce_dts_synch)

Event-specific information:

```
utc_t  old_time
utc_t  new_time
```

The **ChangeCmd** operation changes the epoch number on the server and optionally sets the time to a new time. These values are passed in the argument *changeDir*. The caller must have write access to the management interface.

EVT_CHANGE_CMD (0x205, dce_dts_synch)

Event-specific information:

```
signed32 old_epoch
signed32 new_epoch
utc_t    old_time
utc_t    new_time
```

The **SynchronizeCmd()** operation causes the time service to synchronize immediately. If the argument *clockSet* is true, the clock is set to the new value after a synchronization. The caller must have write access to the management interface.

EVT_SYNCHRONIZE_CMD (0x206, dce_dts_synch)

Event-specific information:

```
signed32 setClock
```

The **AdvertiseCm()** operation adds (advertises) this time server node as a member of the global set in the cell service profile. The caller must have write access to the management interface.

EVT_ADVERTISE_CMD (0x207, dce_dts_mgt_modify)

Event-specific information: None.

The **UnadvertiseCmd()** operation removes (unadvertises) this time server node as a member of the set of global servers in the cell service profile. The caller must have write access to the management interface.

EVT_UNADVERTISE_CMD (0x208, dce_dts_mgt_modify)

Event-specific information: None.

The **SetDefaultCmd()** operation, when an attribute with no accompanying value is passed, sets an attribute to its default value. The attribute type is passed in the *setAttr* argument. The caller must have write access to the management interface.

EVT_SET_DEFAULT_CMD (0x209, dce_dts_mgt_modify)

Event-specific information:

```
byte useDefault
signed32 attribute
```

The **SetAttrCmd()** operation, when an attribute and an accompanying value is passed, sets an attribute to a value given. The attribute type is passed in the *setAttr*

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argument and the attribute value in the *AttrValue* argument. The caller must have write access to the management interface.

EVT_SET_ATTR_CMD (0x20A, dce_dts_mgt_modif)

Event-specific information:

signed32 attribute
signed32 attribute_type

The **ShowAttrCmd()** operation, when passed an attribute name, queries the time service for the attribute's value. The attribute value is passed back in the argument *attrValue*. The caller must have read access to the management interface.

EVT_SHOW_ATTR_CMD (0x20B, dce_dts_mgt_query)

Event-specific information:

signed32 attribute
signed32 attribute_type

The **ShowAllCharsCmd()** operation, when not passed a group name with the **all** value, queries the time service for the values of all the characteristic attributes and values. The caller must have read access to the management interface.

EVT_SHOW_ALL_CHARS_CMD (0x20C, dce_dts_mgt_query)

Event-specific information: None.

The **ShowAllStatusCmd()** operation, when passed the **all status** value, queries the time service for the values of all the status attributes. The caller must have read access to the management interface.

EVT_SHOW_ALL_STATUS_CMD (0x20D, dce_dts_mgt_query)

Event-specific information: None.

The **ShowAllCntsCmd()** operation, when passed the **all counters** value, queries the time service for the values of all the counters. The caller must have read access to the management interface.

EVT_SHOW_ALL_CNTRS_CMD (0x20E, dce_dts_mgt_query)

Event-specific information: None.

The **ShowLocServersCmd()** operation, when passed the **local servers** value, queries the time service for the servers in the local set. A variable conformant array is used to return the set of local servers available. The size of the array transmitted over RPC is determined at run-time. The caller must have read access to the management interface.

EVT_SHOW_LOC_SERVERS_CMD (0x20F, dce_dts_mgt_query)

Event-specific information: None.

The **ShowGblServersCmd()** operation, when passed the **global servers** value, queries the time service for the servers in the global set. A variable conformant array is used to return the set of global servers available. The caller must have read access to the management interface.

EVT_SHOW_GBL_SERVERS_CMD (0x210, dce_dts_mgt_query)

Event-specific information: None.

Time-Provider Interface (time_provider) Operations

Auditable events in the RPC-based Time-Provider Program (TPP) interfaces are defined here. These events are invoked by a time service daemon running as a server (in this case it makes an RPC client call to the TPP server).

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The **ContactProvider()** operation sends initial contact message to the TPP. The TPP server responds with a control message. This operation may cause modification of the time server's (not the provider's) clock and should be defined to be an auditable event in the time server. There is no access control in the provider for this operation, but the integrity of the messages is protected.

EVT_CONTACT_PROVIDER (0x211, dce_dts_time_provider)

Event-specific information: None.

The **ServerRequestProviderTime()** operation has the client send a request to the TPP for times. The TPP server responds with an array of time stamps obtained by querying the time-provider hardware that it polls. There is no access control in the time-provider for this operation, but the integrity of the message is protected.

EVT_REQUEST_PROVIDER_TIME (0x212, dce_dts_time_provider)

Event-specific information: None.

Related Information

Commands: **aud(8dce)**, **audfilter(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**, **advertise(8dts)**, **change(8dts)**, **create(8dts)**, **delete(8dts)**, **disable(8dts)**, **dts_intro(8dts)**, **dtsd(8dts)**, **enable(8dts)**, **exit(8dts)**, **help(8dts)**, **quit(8dts)**, **set(8dts)**, **show(8dts)**, **synchronize(8dts)**, **unadvertise(8dts)**, **update(8dts)**.

Files: **aud_audit_events(5sec)**, **event_class.5sec**, **sec_audit_events(5sec)**.

event_class

Purpose

Contains the declaration of an event class

Description

Audit events can be logically grouped into event classes. Event classes are defined in event class files. An event class file contains an event class number and a list of event numbers corresponding to audit events.

All event class files must be created in the *dcelocal/etc/audit/ec* directory.

The name of the event class file becomes the name of the event class. The recommended naming convention for event class files is as follows:

```
dce_server-name_class
```

In this format, *class* is a descriptive text that characterizes the event class.

Event class files must be write-protected by the local operating system (that is, only administrators should have write access to these files). Audit clients read these files to maintain an event table in their address space.

Optionally, an event class file can contain a *SEP line*. This line contains a list of prefixes of the event numbers in the file. The SEP line speeds up the scanning performed by the audit clients. Audit clients which do not have events with one of the prefixes listed will not scan the event list. If the SEP line is not provided in the file, audit clients will have to read the entire file to find out if the event class file contains any of their events.

Empty lines are ignored in the event class file. Comments are designated by a # (number sign) placed before the comment text.

The Event Class File Format

The format of an event class file is as follows:

```
ECN = event_class_number  
SEP = prefix_1 prefix_2 ...  
# comments start with a number sign  
event_number_1  
# another comment  
event_number_2 ...
```

Examples

The following is an example of an event class file for the event class **ec_local_authentication**:

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```
ECN = 0x00000001
SEP = 0x100
# AS_Request
0x00000100
# TGS_TicketReq
0x00000101
# TGS_RenewReq
0x00000102
# TGS_ValidateReq
0x00000103
```

Related Information

Files: **aud_audit_events(5sec)**, **dts_audit_events(5sec)**, **sec_audit_events(5sec)**

group_override

Purpose

Overrides group passwords, UNIX IDs, or member lists from the registry database.

Description

The *dcelocal/etc/group_override* administrative file lets you override the group UNIX ID and member list for a group in the network registry database. The **passwd_override** file serves a similar function for principals; see the **passwd_override(5sec)** reference page for more information.

Each host machine contains its own *group_override* file. Override entries contained in the file take effect transparently, but on the local machine only; they have no effect on the centralized registry. You may find *group_override* especially useful for overriding the default group definitions supplied with the registry if they do not match your local UNIX system's group definitions.

Note: The *group_override* file will not work on a slim client configuration because the slim client configuration does not run with all the necessary daemons to support *group_override*.

The group_override File Format

The format of a *group_override* entry is similar to entries in the UNIX group file. The format is as follows:

```
group_name: passwd: group_uid: members
```

In an override entry, *group_name* and *group_uid* are *keyfields*. You must enter one of them to identify the group to which the override applies. The keyfield is used to perform a lookup in the override file. The lookup is performed in order as the fields are specified in an entry: first by group name, then by group UNIX ID. If you specify both keyfields in an override entry, the *group_name* keyfield is used as the lookup key; the *group_uid* key field is used as an override.

Field Descriptions

The fields contained in a *group_override* file are described in the following:

group_name

A keyfield that contains the name that identifies the group to which the override applies.

passwd

The encrypted password. If you specify an override in this field, the password you enter is in effect for the local machine only.

You can also specify **OMIT** in the *passwd* field to disallow use of the **newgrp** command specifying this group on the local machine. The use of **OMIT** along with an option to the **passwd_export** command also omits this group from the group file created by **passwd_export**. (See the section **Using OMIT** for details.)

group_uid

A group UNIX ID. This field can function as a keyfield when the

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group_name keyfield is not entered, or as a field specifying an override when entered in conjunction with *group_name*. When used in an override entry, this field specifies the ID to be used for the group on the local machine.

members

This field specifies a comma-separated list of members of the group. The contents of this field overrides information in the registry when **passwd_export** creates an **/etc/group** file. Note that to specify a null membership, as opposed to indicating that no override is required (see **Leaving Fields Blank**), you must specify a * (asterisk) in this field.

Leaving Fields Blank

If you do not want to override an item, leave its field blank, being sure to use a : (colon) to separate blank fields. (You must enter one of the keyfields, however, to identify the group for which you are creating overrides.) You are required to enter the colons associated with any blank trailing fields. Note that to override a group with a null membership list, you must enter an asterisk in the *members* field.

Using OMIT

If you specify **OMIT** and run **passwd_export** with the **-x** option, the named group or set of groups will not appear in the **/ect/group** file produced by **passwd_export**.

On a system with AIX/DCE integrated security features, the **group_override** file can also be used to prevent local access by DCE users. This is done by specifying a *groupname* and **OMIT** as a password in a **group_override** entry. Then, any user who is a member of that group is denied local access. For example, the entry

```
temps:OMIT::
```

will prevent any DCE user that belongs to group temps from logging onto the local system. It does not matter whether temps is the user's primary group or an arbitrary group in the user's group set. Access denial by the **group_override** file is in effect only for integrated BOS functions (not DCE only functions like **dce_login**) and denial is only on a group name basis. To deny access based on **GID**, use the **passwd_override** file mechanism.

Examples

1. To override the group ID of group **kmem** and change it to **3** on the local machine, include the following the entry in the *group_override* file:

```
kmem::3:
```

2. To override the membership of group **system** so that it includes only the single account **root** on the local machine, include the following entry:

```
system:::root
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8sec)**, **rgy_edit(8sec)**, **passwd_export(8sec)**.

Files: **passwd_override(5sec)**.

passwd_override

Purpose

Registry database user override file

Description

The *dcelocal/etc/passwd_override* administrative file lets you override the password, GECOS, home directory, login shell, group membership, and principal UNIX ID information stored in the network registry database. The *group_override* file serves a similar function for groups; see the **group_override(5sec)** reference page for more information.

Each host machine contains its own **passwd_override** file. Override entries contained in the file take effect transparently, but on the local machine only; they have no effect on the centralized registry. You may find **passwd_override** especially useful for excluding users from logging into certain machines, establishing local root passwords, or tailoring local user environments.

Note: The **passwd_override** file will not work on a slim client configuration because the slim client configuration does not run with all the necessary daemons to support **passwd_override**.

The passwd_override File Format

The format of a **passwd_override** entry is similar to entries in the UNIX password file. The format is as follows:

```
principal_name: passwd: principal_uid: group_id: GECOS: home_dir:  
login_shell
```

In an override entry, *principal_name*, *principal_uid*, and *group_id* fields are *keyfields*. You must enter one of them to identify the principal or group to which the overrides apply. The keyfield is used to perform a lookup in the override file. The lookup is performed in order as the entries are specified in an override entry: first by principal name, then by principal UNIX ID, and finally by group UNIX ID. If you specify more than one keyfield in an override entry, the first keyfield specified is used as the lookup key; subsequent keyfields are used as overrides.

Field Descriptions

The fields contained in a **passwd_override** file entry are described in the following:

principal_name

A keyfield that contains a principal name identifying the account to which the overrides apply. Enter *principal_name* to apply the override only to the account for the principal's primary name and not to any accounts for the principal's aliases.

passwd

The encrypted password. If you specify an override in this field, the password you enter is in effect for this local machine only.

When you override a principal's password, only the principal's local credentials are obtained at login, not the principal's network credentials. Without network credentials, the principal cannot access the network

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registry and obtain the information normally provided at network login. Therefore, you must supply all this information in the **passwd_override** file entry. For overrides to passwords, you must enter all fields in the override entry, including all keyfields.

You can also specify **OMIT** in the *passwd* field to disallow login on the local machine. The use of **OMIT** in conjunction with an option to the **passwd_export** command also omits this principal from the password file created by **passwd_export**. (See the section **Using OMIT** for details.)

principal_uid

A UNIX user ID. This field can function as a keyfield (when the *principal_name* keyfield is not entered) or as an override field (when the *principal_name* keyfield is entered). Enter *principal_uid* and not *principal_name* when you want to apply the overrides to all of a principal's accounts, including any accounts for the principal's aliases. The *principal_uid* keyfield is especially useful for overrides to **root**. For example, if **root** has an alias of **virtuoso**, an override keyed by principal name applies only when **root** logs in as **root**. An override keyed by root's *principal_uid* applies when **root** logs in as **root**, as **virtuoso**, and under any other alias.

Enter *principal_uid* and *principal_name* to override the UNIX ID of the named principal.

group_id

A UNIX group ID. This field can function as a keyfield, when no other keyfields are entered, or as a field containing an override, when entered in conjunction with *principal_name* or *principal_uid*.

Enter *group_uid* and no other keyfield (*principal_name* or *principal_uid*) to apply the override to all members of the group identified by *group_uid*. In this instance the *group_uid* field functions as a keyfield, identifying the accounts to which to apply the overrides (that is, accounts whose principal is a member of the specified group).

Enter *group_uid* and *principal_name* to change the group of the principal identified by *principal_name* to the group identified by *group_uid*. The change applies only to the account for the principal's primary name, not to any accounts for the principal's aliases. Enter *group_uid* and *principal_uid* to apply the group override to all of the principal's accounts, including any for the principal's aliases. In these instances the *group_uid* field functions as a field supplying override information, not as a keyfield.

GECOS

The account's *GECOS* field. You can specify an override in this field. To keep it unchanged, leave it empty.

home_dir

The account's home directory. You can specify an override in this field. To keep it unchanged, leave it empty.

login_shell

The account's login shell. You can specify an override in this field. To keep it unchanged, leave it empty.

Leaving Fields Blank

If you do not want to override an item, leave its field blank, being sure to use a : (colon) to separate blank fields. (You must enter one of the keyfields; however, to

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identify the principal or group for which you are creating overrides.) You are required to enter the colons associated with any blank trailing fields.

Using OMIT

If you enter either the word **OMIT** or another invalid password string (such as * (asterisk) or **NO GOOD**) in the *passwd* field, the principal (or set of principals) will be unable to log into the local machine. If you specify **OMIT** and run **passwd_export** with the **-x** option, the named principal (or set of principals) will not appear in the */etc/passwd* file produced by **passwd_export**.

You should also be aware that, if you have omitted principals from the */etc/passwd* file, information about those principals will not be available to any programs that use the password file. For example, the **ls -l** and the **finger** commands both access the password file to obtain further information about a principals. If the principal is omitted, no password entry will exist and no information will be available. For this reason, you should use **OMIT** to omit principals from the */etc/passwd* file only if your user community is very large and either of the following conditions occur:

1. The **passwd** file is taking up too much space.
2. User-ID-to-name mapping is too slow (during **ls -l**, for example).

Examples

1. To prevent the principal with a UNIX ID of 52 from logging into the local machine, include the following entry in the **passwd_override** file:

```
:exclude:52:::
```

2. To prevent members of the group identified by a UNIX ID of 25 from logging into a node and to omit them from inclusion in the password file, put **OMIT** in the *passwd* field as follows:

```
:OMIT::25:::
```

Then run the **passwd_export** command with the **-x** option to omit these principals from the */etc/passwd* file, as follows:

```
dcelocal/etc/passwd_export  
-x
```

3. To change the password, home directory, and initial shell for user **mozart**'s account, include the following entry in the **passwd_override** file:

```
mozart:sq1Rc1Urrb1L6:678:893:Wolfgang A. Mozart:/aria/wolfgang:/bin/csh
```

4. To override the home directory for user **mozart**'s account, include the following entry in the **passwd_override** file:

```
mozart:::::/aria/wolfgang:
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8sec)**, **rgy_edit(8sec)**, **passwd_export(8sec)**.

Files: **group_override(5sec)**.

sec_audit_events

Purpose

Auditable events for the security services

Description

Code is in place for auditing security-significant events in the security server. Among these events are the following:

1. Attempts to invoke authentication server/ticket-granting server/privilege server (AS/TGS/PS) operations.
2. Deletion of security server objects, including the following:
 - a. access control lists (ACLs)
 - b. accounts
 - c. pgo items
 - d. registry properties
 - e. registry/organization policies
 - f. registry master key
3. Attempts to invoke an operation that modifies security server objects or updates an ACL.
4. Attempts to invoke operations that involve access control.
5. Failed client responses to the server's challenge, detected replays and invalid ticket requests.
6. The use of cryptographic keys in the remote procedure call (RPC) runtime.
7. Attempts to change the maintenance/operation states of the registry server.

Event class definitions, together with filters, control the auditing execution at these code points. Filters can be updated dynamically. Filter files are maintained by a per-host audit daemon, and are shared among all the audit clients on the same host. The DCE control program, **dcecp**, is used to maintain the filters. (See the **dcecp(8dce)** reference page.) The **dcecp** command is executable by all users and system administrators. The ability to modify filters is controlled through the audit daemon's ACL, which maintains the filters.

Security server RPC interfaces include **krb5rpc**, **rdaclif**, **rdaclifmp**, **rpriv**, **rs_acct**, **rs_query**, **rs_rpladmn**, **rs_update**, and **rsec_cert**. All the RPC interfaces are offered using the `rpc_c_authn_dce_secret` authentication service. The security server's RPC runtime uses **dce-rgy** as its authentication identity. Within the same process, the security server's UDP/IP interface provides Kerberos AS/TGS functions, with **krbtgt/cell_name** as its authentication identity.

The following are the audit code points in these security service interfaces. Each entry shows the event type, followed by the event number and event classes, and then any event-specific information.

Authentication Interface (krb5rpc) Operations

The `rsec_krb5rpc_sendto_kdc()` function is an RPC interface operation for accessing Kerberos AS/TGS services. Ticket-granting tickets and application tickets

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are requested and returned. There is no access control on this interface other than what is within the Kerberos ticket-granting mechanism itself; that is, the TGS request verification.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

AS_Request (0x101, dce_sec_authent)

Event-Specific Information

None

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

TGS_TicketReq (0x102, dce_sec_authent)

Event-Specific Information

None

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

TGS_RenewReq (0x103, dce_sec_authent)

Event-Specific Information

None

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

TGS_ValidateReq (0x104, dce_sec_authent)

Event-Specific Information

None

DACL Management Interface (rdaclif) Operations

The **rdacl_lookup()** operation retrieves an ACL of an object in the security server. Review of ACL associated with an object in security server is allowed if the caller has any access to the object.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

ACL_Lookup (0x105, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

char	*component_name
uuid_t	manager_type
sec_acl_type_t	acl_type

The **rdacl_replace()** operation replaces the ACL of an object in the security server. The client must have the **sec_acl_perm_owner** permission for the update to be carried out.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

ACL_Replace (0x106, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

char	*component_name
uuid_t	manager_type
sec_acl_type_t	acl_type
sec_acl_list_t	old_acl_list
sec_acl_list_t	new_acl_list

The **rdacl_get_access()** operation determines the caller's access to a specified object. This call is authorized if the caller has any access to the object.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

ACL_GetAccess (0x107, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

char	*component_name
uuid_t	manager_type
sec_acl_permset_t	net_rights

The `rdacl_test_access()` operation determines if the caller has the requested access. The return value of the call indicates whether the caller has the requested access to the object.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

ACL_TestAccess (0x108, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

char	*component_name
uuid_t	manager_type
sec_acl_permset_t	desired_permset

The `rdacl_get_manager_types()` operation lists the types (UUIDs) of ACLs protecting an object. The caller must have some permissions on the object for each of the manager types that is defined for the object. Otherwise, no manager type is returned.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

ACL_GetMgrTypes (0x10A, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

char	*component_name
sec_acl_type_t	acl_type

The `rdacl_get_referral()` operation obtains a referral to an ACL update site. This function is used when the current ACL site yields a **sec_acl_site_readonly** error. Some replication managers will require all updates for a given object to be directed to a given replica. Clients of the generic ACL interface may know they are dealing with an object that is replicated in this way. This function allows them to recover from this problem and rebind to the proper update site. The client is required to have execute access on the parent of the object named by *component_name*.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

ACL_GetReferral (0x10B, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

char	*component_name
uuid_t	manager_type
sec_acl_type_t	sec_acl_type

Privilege Server Interface (rpriv) Operations

The `rpriv_get_ptgt()` operation returns a privilege certificate to the ticket-granting service. The caller supplies the group set, and the privilege server seals the group set in the authorization portion of a privilege ticket-granting ticket (TGT), after first rejecting any groups that are not legitimately part of the caller credentials. A group will be rejected if the caller is not a member of the group, or the group is not allowed on project lists (the **proplist_ok** flag is not set).

There is no access control on this interface other than what was within the Kerberos ticket-granting mechanism itself; that is, the TGS request verification. This call may result in growth of potential access set. Note that this is a pre-DCE Version 1.1 routine.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

PRIV_GetPtgt (0x10C, dce_sec_authent, dce_sec_control)

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Event-Specific Information

```
char *string client_address
unsigned16 num_groups /* Number of local groups in PAC */
uid_t groups /* num_groups local groups in PAC */
```

Registry Server Account Interface (rs_acct) Operations

The `rs_acct_add()` operation adds an account with a specified login name. The caller needs **m**, **a**, and **u** (**mgmt_info**, **auth_info**, and **user_info**) permissions on the principal of the account that is to be added. The constituent principal, group, and organization (PGO) items for an account must be added before the account can be created. Also, the principal must have been added as a member of the specified group and organization.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

ACCT_Add (0x10D, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

```
char *login_name
sec_rgy_acct_key_t key_parts
```

The `rs_acct_delete()` operation deletes an account with a specified login name. The caller must have **m**, **a**, and **u** (**mgmt_info**, **auth_info**, and **user_info**) permissions on the principal of the account that is to be deleted.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

ACCT_Delete (0x10E, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

```
char *login_name
```

The `rs_acct_rename()` operation changes the account login name. The caller has to have the **m** (**mgmt_info**) permission on the account's principal to be renamed (**old_login_name.pname**).

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

ACCT_Rename (0x10F, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

```
char *old_login_name
char *new_login_name
```

The `rs_acct_lookup()` operation returns data for a specified account. The caller must have the **r** (**read**) permission according to the ACL of the account's principal in order to be viewed.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

ACCT_Lookup (0x110, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

```
char *login_name
```

The `rs_acct_replace()` operation replaces both the user and administrative information in the account record specified by the input login name. The administrative information contains limitations on the account's use and privileges. The user information contains such information as the account home directory and default shell. The administrative information can only be modified by a caller with the **a** (**auth_info**) privilege for the account's principal. The user information can be modified by a caller with the **u** (**user_info**) privileges for the account's principal.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)**ACCT_Replace (0x111, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)****Event-Specific Information**

char	*login_name
unsigned32	key_parts

The rs_acct_get_projlist() operation returns members of the project list for the specified account. This operation requires the caller to have the **r (read)** permission on the account principal for which the project list data is to be returned.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)**ACCT_GetProjlist (0x112, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)****Event-Specific Information**

char	*login_name
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Registry Miscellaneous Operation Interface (rs_misc) Operations

The rs_login_get_info() operation returns login information for the specified account. This information is extracted from the account's entry in the registry database. This operation requires the caller to have the **r (read)** permission on the account's principal from which the data is to be returned.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)**LOGIN_GetInfo (0x113, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)****Event-Specific Information**

char	*login_name
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Registry PGO Interface (rs_pgo) Operations

The rs_pgo_add() operation adds a PGO item to the registry database. This operation requires the caller to have the **i (insert)** permission on the parent directory in which the PGO item is to be created.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)**PGO_Add (0x114, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)****Event-Specific Information**

sec_rgy_domain_t	name_domain
char	*pgo_name

The rs_pgo_delete() operation deletes a PGO item from registry database. Any account depending on the deleted PGO item is also deleted. The deletion operation requires the caller to have **d (delete)** permission on the parent directory that contains the PGO item to be deleted and the **D (Delete_object)** permission on the PGO item itself.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)**PGO_Delete (0x115, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)****Event-Specific Information**

sec_rgy_domain_t	name_domain
char	*pgo_name

The rs_pgo_replace() operation replaces the data associated with a PGO item in the registry database. The caller needs to have the **m (mgmt_info)** permission on the PGO item, if **quota**, **flags**, or **unix_num** is being set. (Only a cell principal's **unix_num** is modifiable.) The caller needs to have the **f (full name)** permission to modify the full name of the PGO item.

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Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

PGO_Replace (0x116, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

sec_rgy_domain_t	name_domain
char	*pgo_name

The rs_pgo_rename() operation renames a PGO item in the registry database. The caller needs to have the **n (name)** permission on the old name of the PGO item, if performing a rename within a directory. In order to move a PGO item between directories, the caller needs to have the **n (name)** permission on the old name of the PGO item as well as the **d (delete)** permission on the old parent directory and the **i (insert)** permission on the new parent directory in which the PGO item is being added under the new name.

Event Type (Event Classes)

PGO_Rename (0x117, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

sec_rgy_domain_t	name_domain
char	*old_name
char	*new_name

The rs_pgo_get() operation returns the name and data for a PGO item. The desired item is identified by a query key, which can be a **name**, a **uuid**, a **unix_num**, or a **sequential-search** flag. The caller needs to have the **r (read)** permission on the PGO item to be viewed.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

PGO_Get (0x118, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

```
sec_rgy_domain_t  name_domain
rs_pgo_query_key_t key      /* The query key and one of the */
                        /* following depending on the */
                        /* query key specified: */
case (key == rs_pgo_query_name)
char *name          /* Name of the item being searched */
case (key == rs_pgo_query_id)
uuid_t id_key      /* uuid of the item being searched */
case (key == rs_pgo_query_unix_num)
unsigned32 unix_num /* unix_num of item being searched */
case (key == rs_pgo_query_nex)
char *scope        /* Scope of item being searched */
```

The rs_pgo_key_transfer() operation performs a specified key transfer between the **uuid**, **unix_num**, and **name** of a PGO item. The caller needs to have some permission on the PGO item for **id->name** and **unix_num->name** transfers.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

PGO_KeyTransfer (0x119, dce_sec_control)

Event-Specific Information

```
sec_rgy_domain_t name_domain
rs_pgo_query_key_t key      /* The query key */
                        /* One of the following, depending */
                        /* on the query key specified: */
case (key == rs_pgo_query_name)
char *name          /* Name of the item being searched */
case (key == rs_pgo_query_id)
uuid_t id_key      /* uuid of the item being searched */
case (key == rs_pgo_query_unix_num)
unsigned32 unix_num /* unix_num of item being searched */
unsigned32 requested_result_type
```

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The `rs_pgo_add_member()` operation adds a member to a group or an organization. The caller must have the **M (Member_list)** permission on the group or organization. Additionally, if this call is for adding a group member, the caller must have the **g (groups)** permission on the principal to be added.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

PGO_AddMember (0x11A, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

```
sec_rgy_domain_t name_domain
char *person_name /* Principal's name */
char *go_name /* Group or org's name */
```

The `rs_pgo_delete_member()` operation deletes a principal from a group or an organization in the registry database. The caller must have the **M (Member_list)** permission on the group or organization. Note that the caller does not need to have the **g (groups)** permission when deleting the principal from a group.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

PGO_DeleteMember (0x11B, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

```
sec_rgy_domain_t name_domain
char *person_name /* Principal's name */
char *go_name /* Group or org's name */
```

The `rs_pgo_is_member()` operation tests whether a specified principal is a member of a specified group or organization. The caller must have **t (test)** permission on the group or organization.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

PGO_IsMember (0x11C, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

```
sec_rgy_domain_t name_domain
char *person_name /* Principal's name */
char *go_name /* Group or org's name */
```

The `rs_pgo_get_members()` operation, if the specified domain is group or organization, lists the members of a specified group or organization. If the domain is principal, list the groups in which the principal is a member. The caller must have the **r (read)** permission on the principal, group, or organization.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

PGO_GetMembers (0x11D, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

```
sec_rgy_domain_t name_domain
char *go_name /* PGO's uuid */
```

Registry Policy Interface (rs_policy) Operations

The `rs_properties_get_info()` operation returns a list of registry properties. The caller must have the **r (read)** permission on the policy object from which the property information is to be returned.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

PROP_GetInfo (0x11E, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

None

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The `rs_properties_set_info()` operation sets the registry properties. The caller must have the **m (mgmt_info)** permission on the policy object for which the property information is to be set.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

PROP_SetInfo (0x11F, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

None

The `rs_policy_get_info()` operation returns the policy for a specified organization or the registry (if no organization name is specified). The caller must have the **r (read)** permission on the policy object or organization item from which the data is to be returned. Note that the `rs_policy_get_effective()` operation uses the same audit event (**POLICY_GetInfo**) as the `rs_policy_get_info()` operation.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

POLICY_GetInfo (0x120, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

`char *organization`

The `rs_policy_set_info()` operation sets the policy for a specified organization or the registry (if no organization name is specified). The caller must have the **m (mgmt_info)** permission on the policy object or organization item for which the data is to be set.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

POLICY_SetInfo (0x121, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

`char *organization`

The `rs_auth_policy_get_info()` operation returns the authentication policy for a specified account or the registry (if no account is specified). The caller must have the **r (read)** permission on the policy object or account's principal from which the data is to be returned.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

AUTHPOLICY_GetInfo (0x122, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_query)

Event-Specific Information

`char *account`

The `rs_auth_policy_get_effective()` operation returns the effective authentication policy for an account. If no account is specified, the authentication policy for the registry is returned. The caller must have **r (read)** permission on the policy object of the registry. If an account is specified, the caller must also have **r (read)** permission on the account's principal.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

No new event is defined for this operation. **AUTHPOLICY_GetInfo** is used here.

The `rs_auth_policy_set_info()` operation sets the authentication policy for an account or the registry (if no account is specified). The caller must have **a (auth_info)** permission on the account's principal or policy object of the registry.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

AUTHPOLICY_SetInfo (0x123, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

char *account

Registry Administration Interface Operations

The rs_rep_admin_stop() operation directs the registry server to stop servicing remote procedure calls. The caller must have **A (Admin)** permission on the registry policy object.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

REPADMIN_Stop (0x124, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_server)

Event-Specific Information

None

The rs_rep_admin_maint() operation directs the registry server into (checkpoint the database, close files, and so on) or out of maintenance state. The caller must have **A (Admin)** permission on the registry policy object.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

REPADMIN_Maint (0x125, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_server)

Event-Specific Information

boolean in_maintenance

The rs_rep_admin_mkey() operation directs the registry to change its master key and reencrypt account keys using the new master key. The caller must have **A (Admin)** permission on the registry policy object.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

REPADMIN_Mkey (0x126, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_server)

Event-Specific Information

None

The rs_rep_admin_destroy() operation directs the registry server replica to destroy its database and exit. The caller must have **A (Admin)** permission on the registry policy object.

Event Type (Event Classes)

REPADMIN_Destroy (0x127, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_server)

Event-Specific Information

None

The rs_rep_admin_init_replica() operation directs the registry server to (re)initialize the slave identified by *rep_id*. This is a master server only operation. The caller must have **A (Admin)** permission on the registry policy object.

Event Type (Event Classes)

REPADMIN_Init (0x128, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_server)

Event-Specific Information

char *rep_id_str

The rs_rep_admin_set_sw_rev() operation directs the registry server to change its software version. The caller must have **A (Admin)** permission on the registry policy object.

Event Type (Event Number, Event Classes)

REPADMIN_SetSwRev(0x013A, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_server)

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Event-Specific Information

```
unsigned32
sw_rev
```

Registry Server Attributes Manipulation Interface (rs_attr) Operations

The rs_attr_update() operation updates (writes/creates) an attribute. The caller must have, for each attribute defined in **attr_keys**, the **q (query_permset)** permission on the registry object specified.

Event Type (Event Classes)

ERA_Update (0x12B, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

```
char * component_name
unsigned32 int num_to_write
uuid in_attrs[num_to_write].attr_id
```

The rs_attr_delete() operation deletes a specified attribute(s). The caller must have **delete_permset** permission for each attribute specified.

Event Type (Event Classes)

ERA_Delete (0x12C, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

```
char * component_name
unsigned32 num_to_delete
uuid attrs[num_to_delete].attr_id
```

The rs_attr_lookup_by_id() operation performs a lookup of the attributes by attribute type ID. If the number of query attribute keys is 0, this operation will return all attributes that the caller is authorized to use. The caller must have, for each attribute specified, the **q (query_permset)** permission on the registry object specified.

Event Type (Event Classes)

ERA_LookupById (0x12E, dce_sec_control)

Event-Specific Information

```
char * component_name
unsigned32 int num_attr_keys
uuid attr_keys[num_attr_keys].attr_id
```

The rs_attr_lookup_no_expand() operation performs a lookup of the attributes by attribute type ID without expanding attribute sets to their constituent member attributes. If the number of query attribute keys is 0, this operation will return all attributes that the caller is authorized to use. The caller must have, for each attribute specified, **q (query_permset)** permission on the registry object specified.

Event Type (Event Classes)

ERA_LookupNoExpand (0x12F, dce_sec_control)

Event-Specific Information

```
char * component_name
unsigned32 int num_attr_keys
uuid attr_keys[num_attr_keys].attr_id
```

The rs_attr_lookup_by_name() operation performs a lookup of an attribute by name. The caller must have, for the attribute specified, **q (query_permset)** permission on the registry object specified.

Event Type (Event Classes)

ERA_LookupByName (0x130, dce_sec_control)

Event-Specific Information

```
char * component_name
char * attr_name
```

Registry Server Attributes Schema Manipulation Interface (rs_attr_schema) Operations

The rs_attr_schema_create_entry() operation creates a new schema entry. The caller must be authorized to add entries to the specified schema.

Event Type (Event Classes)

ERA_SchemaCreate (0x131, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

```
char * schema_name
char * schema_entry->attr_name
uuid schema_entry->attr_id
```

The rs_attr_schema_delete_entry() operation deletes a schema entry. The caller must be authorized to delete schema entries.

Event Type (Event Classes)

ERA_SchemaDelete (0x132, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

```
char * schema_name
uuid attr_id
```

The rs_attr_schema_update_entry() operation updates the modifiable fields of a schema entry. The caller needs to have **m (mgmt_info)** permissions on the schema entry that is to be modified.

Event Type (Event Classes)

ERA_SchemaUpdate (0x133, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_modify)

Event-Specific Information

```
char * schema_name
uuid schema_entry->attr_id
```

The rs_attr_schema_lookup_by_id() operation retrieves the schema entry identified by the attribute type **uuid**. The caller must have **r (read)** permissions on the schema entry specified.

Event Type (Event Classes)

ERA_SchemaLookupId (0x134, dce_sec_control)

Event-Specific Information

```
char * schema_name
uuid attr_id
```

The rs_attr_schema_lookup_by_name() operation retrieves the schema entry identified by the attribute name. The caller must have **r (read)** permissions on the schema entry specified.

Event Type (Event Classes)

ERA_SchemaLookupName (0x135, dce_sec_control)

Event-Specific Information

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```
char * schema_name
char * attr_name
```

Version 1.1 Privilege Server Manager Interface (rpriv_v1_1) Operations

The `rpriv_get_eptgt()` operation constructs and returns an extended privilege certificate to the `ticket_granting` service. The caller supplies the extended privilege attributes in the form of an encoded extended privilege attribute certificate (EPAC). The procedure by which the requested privilege attributes are verified depends on how the call is authenticated and whether the request is *local* (that is, is a request from a client in this privilege server's cell) or is *intercell* (that is, is from a foreign privilege service).

If the request is local, then the ticket to the privilege server is based on a Kerberos V5 TGT and the **requested_privs** consists of a single encoded EPAC. The privilege server decodes the **requested_privs** and verifies that the requested privileges are valid by performing the necessary database queries.

If the request is foreign, then the ticket to the privilege service is based on a DCE extended privilege TGT and the privilege server retrieves the EPAC seal from the DCE authorization data contained in the ticket, and uses it to verify that the requested privileges are valid.

Event Type (Event Classes)

PRIV_GetEptgt (0x136, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_authent)

Event-Specific Information

```
char * request_location /* "LOCAL" or "INTERCELL" */

if "LOCAL" request:
  uuid req_princ_id->uuid; /* requested local principal uuid */
  uuid req_group_id->uuid; /* requested local primary group uuid */
  unsigned short int num_groups /* number of valid local groups */
  uuid = groups[num_groups].uuid /* valid local groups' uuids */

if "INTERCELL" request:
  unsigned short int num_epacs /* number of epacs in delegation chain */
  uuid [num_epacs].pa.realm.uuid /* privilege attribute realm uuid */
  uuid [num_epacs].pa.principal.uuid /* privilege attribute principal uuid */
  uuid [num_epacs].pa.num_groups /* number of groups in privilege attribute */
  uuid [num_epacs].pa.groups[[[epac_set.num_epacs].pa.num_groups]].uuid
  /* uuids for groups in privilege attribute */
```

The `rpriv_become_delegate()` operation permits an intermediate server to become a delegate for its caller. The caller supplies extended privilege attributes in the form of an encoded EPAC. The privilege server verifies that the delegation token for this EPAC chain is correct and then creates a new chain from the existing one with the intermediary's EPAC as a new delegate.

Event Type (Event Classes)

PRIV_BecomeDelegate (0x138, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_authent)

Event-Specific Information

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```
uuid req_princ_id->uuid; /* requested local principal uuid */
uuid req_group_id->uuid; /* requested local primary group uuid */
unsigned short int num_groups /* number of valid local groups */
uuid = groups[num_groups].uuid /* valid local groups' uuids */
unsigned short int num_epacs /* number of epacs in delegation chain */
uuid [num_epacs].pa.realm.uuid /* privilege attribute realm uuid */
uuid [num_epacs].pa.principal.uuid /* privilege attribute principal uuid */
uuid [num_epacs].pa.num_groups /* number of groups in privilege attribute */
uuid [num_epacs].pa.groups[[epac_set.num_epacs].pa.num_groups].uuid
/* uuids for groups in privilege attribute */
```

The `rpriv_become_impersonator()` operation permits an intermediate server to become an impersonator for its caller. The caller supplies extended privilege attributes in the form of an encoded EPAC. The privilege server verifies that the delegation token for the initiator's EPAC is correct and also that the intermediary is allowed to impersonate the initiator.

Event Type (Event Classes)

PRIV_Becomelmpersonator (0x139, dce_sec_control, dce_sec_authent)

Event-Specific Information

```
uuid req_princ_id->uuid; /* requested local principal uuid */
uuid req_group_id->uuid; /* requested local primary group uuid */
unsigned short int num_groups /* number of valid local groups */
uuid = groups[num_groups].uuid /* valid local groups' uuids */
unsigned short int num_epacs /* number of epacs in delegation chain */
uuid [num_epacs].pa.realm.uuid /* privilege attribute realm uuid */
uuid [num_epacs].pa.principal.uuid /* privilege attribute principal uuid */
uuid [num_epacs].pa.num_groups /* number of groups in privilege attribute */
uuid [num_epacs].pa.groups[[epac_set.num_epacs].pa.num_groups].uuid
/* uuids for groups in privilege attribute */
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**.

Files: **dts_audit_events(5sec)**, **event_class.5sec**.

v5srvtab

Purpose

Server and machine keytab file

Description

The **/krb5/v5srvtab** file is a file on the local node created by the **rgy_edit** command, the **sec_create_db** command, or any application that makes **sec_key_mgmt()** calls. The file contains passwords for servers and machine accounts. To view or manipulate the contents of this file, use the **sec_key_mgmt** API, described in the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Core Components* and the **sec_key_mgmt_*(3sec)** reference pages. You can also view and manipulate the contents of this file using the **dcecp keytab create**, **keytab show**, and **keytab delete** commands.

Note: This file is read-writable only by the local root user.

Related Information

Commands: **rgy_edit(8sec)**.

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide—Core Components*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Reference*.

sec_intro

Purpose

Introduction to DCE Security Service administrative commands

Description

The ***(8sec)** reference pages describe the DCE Security Service commands for system administration. These commands are as follows:

acl_edit

Manages access control lists (ACLs) for DCE objects.

auditd Starts the DCE audit daemon.

dce_login

Validates a principal's identity and obtains a principal's network credentials.

dceunixd

Acts as an intermediary between AIX base operating system security commands and the DCE security services.

kdestroy

Destroys your login context and credentials.

kinit Obtains and caches a ticket granting ticket.

klist Lists cached tickets.

passwd_export

Updates local password and group files from DCE registry data.

passwd_import

Creates DCE registry entries based on password and group file entries.

pwd_strengthd

Sample password management server.

rgy_edit

Edits the registry database.

sec_admin

Administers the security server.

sec_create_db

Creates registry databases.

secd The security server daemon.

See each command's reference page for further information.

Related Information

Commands: **acl_edit(8sec)**, **auditd(8sec)**, , **dce_login(8sec)**, **dceunixd(8sec)**, **kdestroy(8sec)**, **kinit(8sec)**, **klist(8sec)**, **passwd_export(8sec)**, **passwd_import(8sec)**, **pwd_strengthd(8sec)**, **rgy_edit(8sec)**, **sec_admin(8sec)**, **sec_create_db(8sec)**, **sec_intro(8sec)**, **secd(8sec)**, .

Books: *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Guide*, *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2:*

Application Development Reference.

acl_edit

Purpose

Edits or lists an object's ACLs

Synopsis

```
acl_edit {[-e]pathname | [-addrstring_binding component_name ] }[-ic | -io ][-n | -c ][[command_line_subcommands] [-ngui] [-v]
```

Options

-e *pathname*

Specifies that the access control list (ACL) on the directory service entry is to be edited. You must specify the *pathname* argument if you use the **-e** option.

The **-e** option is especially useful in case of an ambiguous *pathname*. The *pathname* argument can be interpreted in two ways if it is the name of a leaf object in the directory service (that is, if it is not the name of a directory). It can be interpreted as the directory service entry itself, or as the object (whatever it is) referred to by that directory service entry. When such a *pathname* is specified, the **-e** option directs **acl_edit** to the ACL on the directory service entry. However, the **-e** option can always be used, provided only that *pathname* specifies a leaf object in the Directory Service.

-addr *string_binding component_name*

The **-addr** option lets you identify the object whose ACLs you want to edit by supplying the remote procedure call (RPC) binding handle of the ACL manager that controls access to the object (with the *string_binding* argument) and the relative pathname of the object (with the *component_name* argument). Because you have identified the RPC binding handle, you can specify only the object's relative pathname for *component_name*.

The most common way to identify the object whose ACLs you want to manipulate is through the *pathname* argument, described below. The **-addr** option is used primarily by applications that do not use the directory service, but do use the generic ACL manager. It can also be used if the directory service is unavailable.

-ic For container objects only, specifies that the object's Initial Container Creation ACL is to be edited. The Initial Container Creation ACL is applied by default to any containers created within the ACL'd container. If this option is specified and the object named in *pathname* is not a container, an error is returned.

-io For container objects only, specifies that the object's Initial Object Creation ACL is to be edited. The Initial Object Creation ACL is applied by default to any simple objects (that is, objects that are not containers) created within the ACL'd container. If this option is specified and the object is not a container, an error is returned.

-n Specifies that a new mask should not be calculated. This option is useful only for objects that support the **mask_obj** entry type and that are required to recalculate a new mask after they are modified.

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If a modify operation creates a mask that unintentionally adds permissions to an existing ACL entry, the modify causing the mask recalculation will abort with an error unless you specify either the **-c** or **-n** option.

- c** Creates or modifies the object's **mask_obj** type entry with permissions equal to the union of all entries other than type **user_obj**, **other_obj**, and **unauthenticated**. This creation or modification is done after all other modifications to the ACL are performed. The new mask is set even if it grants permissions previously masked out. It is recommended that you use this option only if not specifying it results in an error. This option is useful only for objects that support the **mask_obj** entry type and are required to recalculate a new mask after they are modified.

If a modify operation creates a mask that unintentionally adds permissions to an existing ACL entry, the modify causing the mask recalculation will abort with an error unless you specify either the **-c** or **-n** option.

If you specify the **-c** option for an ACL that does not support **mask_obj** entry type, **acl_edit** returns an error when it attempts to save the ACL, aborting all subcommands supplied on the command line.

- ngui** Specifies that a graphical user interface (GUI) should not be used even if a GUI is available. If your version of **acl_edit** supports a GUI and your terminal is capable of using it, invoking **acl_edit** without this option will bring up the GUI mode. Use the **-ngui** option to bring up command-line mode. However, if a GUI is not available, or the terminal is not capable of using the GUI, **acl_edit** comes up in command-line mode regardless of whether you supply this option or not.
- v** Runs in verbose mode.

Arguments

pathname

The full pathname of the object whose ACL is to be viewed or edited. If the object is in another cell, *pathname* must be fully qualified to include the cell identifier.

command_line_subcommands

The command-line subcommands, which act on the object specified by *pathname*, are entered as part of the command string that invokes **acl_edit**. Only one command-line subcommand can be specified per invocation. The commands follow. See the description of the equivalent interactive subcommand for a more detailed description of the command functions.

-m *acl_entry...*

Adds a new ACL entry or changes the permissions of an existing entry. You can enter multiple entries, separated by spaces.

-p

Purges all masked permissions (before any other modifications are made). This option is useful only for ACLs that contain an entry of type **mask_obj**. Use it to prevent unintentionally granting permissions to an existing entry when a new mask is calculated as a result of adding or modifying an ACL entry.

-d *acl_entry ...*

Deletes an existing entry from the ACL associated with the specified object. You can enter multiple entries, separated by spaces.

-s *acl_entry ...*

Replaces (substitutes) the ACL information associated with this

object with *acl_entry*. All existing entries are removed and replaced by the newly specified entries. If you specify the **-s** subcommand, you cannot specify the **-f** or **-k** subcommand. You can enter multiple entries, separated by spaces.

- f file** Assigns the ACL information contained in *file* to the object. All existing entries are removed and replaced by the entries in the file. If you specify the **-f** subcommand, you cannot specify the **-s** or **-k** subcommand.
- k** Removes all entries, except entries of type **user_obj** (if they are present). If you specify the **-k** subcommand, you cannot specify the **-f** or **-s** subcommand.
- l** Lists the entries in the object's ACL.

The command-line subcommands are evaluated in the following order:

1. **-p**
2. **-s** or **-f** or **-k**
3. **-d**
4. **-m**
5. **-l**

Description

Note:

With the exception of the following subcommands, this command is replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command. This command may be fully replaced by the **dcecp** command in a future release of DCE, and may no longer be supported at that time.

1. **abort**
2. **commit**
3. **exit**
4. **help**
5. **test access**

This control program has been superseded by **dcecp**. It has not been enabled to support multibyte characters. If you are working in a multibyte or double-byte character set (DBCS) environment, you must use **dcecp**. (You are working in a multibyte or DBCS environment if you are using an implementation of DCE that has been translated from English to a language that uses the multibyte or double-byte character set.)

The **acl_edit** command is a client program that, when invoked, binds to the specified object's access control list (ACL) manager (which is implemented in the object's server), and allows the user to manipulate the object's ACL through the standard DCE ACL interface. This is the **sec_acl_*(3sec)** interface documented in the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Application Development Reference*.

All **acl_edit** subcommands act on the object specified by *pathname* when you invoked **acl_edit**. You can invoke **acl_edit** in either command-line or interactive mode, as follows:

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1. To invoke **acl_edit** in command-line mode, enter the command, the object's pathname, options, and the command-line subcommand on the line that invokes **acl_edit**. Only one command-line subcommand can be entered per **acl_edit** invocation.
2. To invoke **acl_edit** in interactive mode, enter only **acl_edit**, the object's pathname, and options. The **acl_edit** prompt is then displayed. In this mode, you enter interactive subcommands that let you edit and view entries in the object's ACL and view help information about the **acl_edit** command itself.

Changes you make in command-line mode are saved when you enter the command. In interactive mode, you must explicitly save your changes. To do so, use the **commit** subcommand to save the changes without exiting **acl_edit** or the **exit** subcommand to save the changes and exit **acl_edit**. Use the **abort** subcommand to exit **acl_edit** and save none of the changes you have made.

Note: When you invoke **acl_edit** for a specific object's ACL, that ACL is not locked. This means that it is possible for multiple users to edit the ACL simultaneously, with each change overwriting the previous changes. For this reason, the number of users assigned rights to change a particular ACL should be tightly controlled and limited to one user if possible.

Interactive Subcommands

The following subcommands are available when **acl_edit** is invoked in interactive mode. All of the commands act on the ACL associated with the object specified by *pathname* when **acl_edit** was invoked.

? Displays the available **acl_edit** subcommands.

ab [ort]

Exits **acl_edit** without saving the changes to the object's ACL.

as [sign] filename

Applies the ACL entries in *filename* to the specified object. This subcommand removes existing entries and replaces them with the entries in the file.

c [ell] name

For ACL entry types of **user_obj**, **group_obj**, **other_obj**, and **group** sets the cell name to be assigned to the principal or group in place of the local cell name. This subcommand is used primarily to facilitate copying ACLs to different cells. The default cell name stays in place until you run the subcommand again to change it.

co [mmit]

For ACL entry types of **user_obj**, **group_obj**, **other_obj**, and **group** sets the cell name to be assigned to the principal or group in place of the local cell name.

d [elete] acl_entry

Deletes the specified ACL entry.

e [xit] Exits from **acl_edit**, saving any changes to the object's ACL.

g [et_access]

Displays the permissions granted in the specified object's ACL to the principal that invoked **acl_edit**.

h [elp] [command...]

Initiates the **help** facility. If you enter only the command **help**, **acl_edit**

displays a list of all commands and their functions. If you enter **help** and a command (or commands separated by a space), **acl_edit** displays help information on the specified commands. Entering **help sec_acl_entry** displays information about ACL entries.

k [ill_entries]

Removes all ACL entries except the **user_obj** entry if it exists.

l [ist] Lists the entries in the object's ACL.

m [odify] acl_entry [-n | -c]

Adds a new ACL entry or replaces an existing ACL entry. This command affects a single ACL entry. To add or replace all of an object's ACL entries, see the **su [bstitute]** subcommand.

For objects that support the **mask_obj** entry type and are required to calculate a new mask when their ACLs are modified, the **-n** option specifies that a new mask should *not be calculated*; the **-c** option specifies that the object's **mask_obj** entry should have permissions equal to the union of all entries other than **user_obj**, **other_obj**, and **unauthenticated**. The mask is calculated after the ACL is modified.

If you use the **-c** option, the new mask is set even if it grants permissions previously masked out. It is recommended that you use the **-c** option only if not specifying it results in an error. If the new mask unintentionally grants permissions to an existing entry, the modify operation causing the mask recalculation will abort with an error unless you specify either the **-c** or **-n** option.

p [ermissions]

Lists the available permission tokens and explanations.

pu [rge]

Purges all masked permissions. This option is useful only for ACLs that contain an entry of type **mask_obj**. Use it to prevent unintentionally granting permissions to an existing entry when a new mask is calculated as a result of adding or modifying an ACL entry.

su [bstitute] acl_entry ...

Replaces all ACL entries with the one or ones specified. This subcommand removes all existing entries and adds the ones specified by *acl_entry*. To replace only a single ACL entry, see the **m[odify]** subcommand.

t [est_access] [permissions ...]

Tests whether or not the permissions specified in the command are granted to the principal under whose DCE identity the **acl_edit** command was invoked. The option returns **Granted** if the permissions are granted or **Denied** if they are not. The **test_access** subcommand works only on Object ACLs, not on Initial Object ACLs or Initial Container ACLs. Thus, if you invoke **acl_edit** with the **-io** or **-ic** option and then run the **test_access** subcommand, the response you get is based on testing your access against the object ACL.

sec_acl_entry

Describes the syntax and semantics of ACL entry types.

ACL Entries

An ACL entry has the following syntax:

type[:key]:permissions

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where:

type Identifies the role of the ACL entry.

key Identifies the specific principal or group to whom the entry applies. For an entry type of **extended**, *key* contains the ACL data.

permissions

Specifies the ACL permissions.

A thorough description of each syntax component follows.

type Component

The *type* tag identifies the role of the ACL entry. Valid types are the following:

user_obj

Permissions for the object's real or effective user.

group_obj

Permissions for the object's real or effective group.

other_obj

Permissions for others in the local cell who are not otherwise named by a more specific entry type.

user Permissions for a specific principal user in the ACL's cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific principal.

group Permissions for a specific group in the ACL's cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific group.

foreign_user

Permissions for a specific, authenticated user in a foreign cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific principal and the principal's cell.

foreign_group

Permissions for a specific, authenticated group in a foreign cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific group and the group's cell.

foreign_other

Permissions for all authenticated principals in a specific foreign cell, unless those principals are specifically named in an ACL entry of type **foreign_user** or members in a group named in an entry of type **foreign_group**. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific foreign cell.

any_other

Permissions for all authenticated principals unless those principals match a more specific entry in the ACL. If the ACL refers to DCE LFS objects, this entry applies to all unauthenticated users.

mask_obj

Permissions for the object mask that is applied to all entry types except **user_obj**, **other_obj**, and **unauthenticated**.

unauthenticated

Maximum permissions applied when the accessor does not pass authentication procedures. This entry is used for principals that have failed authentication due to bad keys, principals who are entirely outside of any authentication cell, and principals who choose not to use authenticated

access. Permissions granted to an unauthenticated principal are masked with this entry, if it exists. If this entry does not exist, access to unauthenticated principals is always denied.

extended

A special entry that allows client applications running at earlier DCE versions to copy ACLs to and from ACL Managers running at the current DCE version without losing any data. The **extended** entry allows the application running at the lower version to obtain a printable form of the ACL. The **extended** ACL entry has the following form:

```
extended:uuid. ndr. ndr. ndr. number_of_byte. data:permissions
```

where:

uuid Identifies the type extended ACL entry. (This Universal Unique Identifier, or UUID, can identify one of the ACL entry types described here or an as-yet-undefined ACL entry type.)

ndr.ndr.ndr

Up to three Network Data Representation (NDR) format labels (in hexadecimal format and separated by periods) that identify the encoding of data.

number_of_bytes

A decimal number that specifies the total number of bytes in *data*.

data

The ACL data in hexadecimal form. (Each byte of ACL data is two hexadecimal digits.) The ACL data includes all of the ACL entry specifications except the permissions (described later) that are entered separately. The data is not interpreted; it is assumed that the ACL manager to which the data is being passed can understand that data.

user_obj_delegate

Delegated permissions for the real or effective user of the object.

group_obj_delegate

Delegated permissions for the real or effective group of the object.

other_obj_delegate

Delegated permissions for others in the local cell who are not otherwise named by a more specific entry type.

user_delegate

Delegated permissions for a specific principal user in the ACL's cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific principal.

group_delegate

Delegated permissions for a specific group in the ACL's cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific group.

foreign_user_delegate

Delegated permissions for a specific, authenticated user in a foreign cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific principal and the principal's cell.

foreign_group_delegate

Delegated permissions for a specific, authenticated group in a

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foreign cell. This type of ACL entry must include a key that identifies the specific group and the group's cell.

any_other_delegate

Delegated permissions for all authenticated principals unless those principals match a more specific entry in the ACL.

key Component

The *key* identifier (principal or group name) specifies the principal or group to which the ACL entry applies. For entries of entry type **extended**, *key* is the data passed from one ACL manager to another. A *key* is required for the following types of ACL entries:

user Requires a principal name only.

group Requires a group name only.

foreign_user

Requires a fully qualified cell name in addition to the principal name.

foreign_group

Requires a fully qualified cell name in addition to the group name.

foreign_other

Requires a fully qualified cell name.

permissions Component

The *permissions* argument specifies the set of permissions that defines the access rights conferred by the entry. Since each ACL manager defines the permission tokens and meanings appropriate for the objects it controls, the actual tokens and their meanings vary. For example, the Distributed File Service (DFS), the directory service, and the security registry service each implement a separate ACL manager, and each can use a different set of tokens and permissions. This means that file system objects, objects in the namespace, and registry objects could each use different permissions. Use the **p [permissions]** subcommand to display the currently available tokens and their meanings. See the documentation for the DCE component you are using to obtain a more detailed description of its specific permissions.

Examples

1. The following example uses the interactive interface to set permissions for the **unauthenticated** and **mask_obj** entry type:

```
sec_acl_edit> m mask_obj:rwX
sec_acl_edit> m unauthenticated:r
```

2. The following example uses the interactive interface to set permissions for the effective user, group, and others in the ACL's cell:

```
sec_acl_edit> m user_obj:crwx
sec_acl_edit> m group_obj:rwX
sec_acl_edit> m other_obj:rwX
```

3. The following example uses the command-line interface to invoke **acl_edit** and assign permissions for the file **progress_chart** to the authenticated user **mike** in the local cell:

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```
acl_edit ../../dresden.com/fs/walden/progress_chart -m user:mike:crwx
```

Note that because this entry will be filtered through the object mask (**mask_obj**), which specifies only **rwX** permissions, the actual permissions will be **rwX**, not **crwx**. The **l[ist]** subcommand will show those permissions as follows:

```
user:mike:crwx #effective -rwx---
```

4. The following example uses the interactive interface to set permissions for the authenticated foreign user named **burati** in the cell named **../../usc-cs.uscal.edu**:

```
sec_acl_edit> m foreign_user:../../usc-cs.uscal.edu/sailing/staff/burati:rwX
```

5. The following example uses the command-line interface to invoke **acl_edit** and set the Initial Container Creation permissions for the directory **walden**:

```
acl_edit ../../dresden.com/fs/walden -ic -m /user:walden:crwxid
```

Related Information

Commands: **acl(8dce)**.

auditd

Purpose

Starts the DCE audit daemon

Synopsis

```
auditd [-ttrail_file] [-a] [-ssize] [-wrap] [-wsvc_route] [-ddebug_level]
```

Options

- t** Specifies the path of the audit trail file used by **auditd**. The default path is *dcelocal/var/aud/adm/central_trail*. If an audit trail filename is specified instead of an absolute pathname, the file is created in the *dcelocal/var/aud/adm/* directory.
- a** Audits the audit daemon's control interface access.
- s size** Sets a warning threshold on the size of the audit trail file. The audit daemon displays a warning each time an audit record is appended to the audit trail after the threshold has been reached.
- wrap** Wraps the recording of audit events to the beginning of the audit trail file when its size limit is reached. The default action when the size limit has been reached is to stop auditing.
- w svc_route** Specifies where each level of serviceability messages are routed. The *svc_route* argument contains three fields, separated by colons: the level, a routing identifier, and a routing parameter, as follows:

severity: how: where

See **svcroute(5dce)** for possible values for these fields.

- d debug_level** Specifies debugging level of subcomponents. The *debug_level* argument contains four fields separated by colons, as follows:

component: flags: how: where

See **svcroute(5dce)** for possible values of these fields.

Description

The **auditd** command starts the audit daemon. The audit daemon must be run on the host before the audit clients. The audit daemon can only service audit clients that are on the host where it is running. Thus, an audit daemon must be installed and run on every host in the cell that has audit clients (audit clients include DCE servers and user-written application servers).

The audit daemon has two functions. It maintains the filter files which are shared by all audit clients running on the host. It also provides an audit record logging service to these clients.

The audit daemon runs under the local host's machine principal identity (**host/hostname/self**).

A DCE host daemon (**dced**) must be running on the local host when **auditd** is started. Typically, **dced** and **auditd** are started at boot time. The **auditd** process places itself in the background and sends messages indicating it is ready to service requests for updating or querying filters and logging audit records.

Privileges Required

You must be logged into a privileged account (**cell_admin** or a member of the **audit-admin** group) to run **auditd**.

Examples

1. The following command starts the audit daemon using the default audit trail file (*dcelocal/var/aud/adm/central_trail*):

```
auditd
```

2. The following command starts the audit daemon and specifies *dcelocal/var/aud/adm/my_trail_file* as the audit trail file:

```
auditd -t my_trail_file
```

3. The following command starts the audit daemon and specifies where each level of serviceability messages is to be routed:

```
auditd -w FATAL:FILE:/dev/console \  
-w NOTICE:FILE:/opt/dcelocal/var/audit/adm/svc_log
```

4. The following starts **auditd** and specifies the debugging level:

```
auditd -d 1,es1.9
```

Related Information

Commands: **aud(8dce)**, **audevents(8dce)**, **audfilter(8dce)**, **audtrail(8dce)**, **dcecp(8dce)**.

Files: **svcroute(5dce)**.

dce_login

Purpose

Note: The **dce_login** command also describes the **dce_login_noexec** command. Validates a principal's identity and obtains the principal's network credentials

Synopsis

```
dce_login [principal_name] [password] [-c] [-k[eyfile] filename][-r] [-e [xec]
cmd_string] [-n [ewpass] ]
```

Options

- c** Causes the principal's identity to be certified. If you do not specify **-c**, the principal's identity is validated only. (You must be system user **root** to use this option.)
- k [**eyfile**] *filename***
Validates the *principal_name* identity by using a password-derived key obtained from a keytable file identified by *file_name*.
- r** Refreshes and validates the current login ID.
- e[**xec**] *cmd_string***
Executes the command supplied as *cmd_string*.
- n [**ewpass**]]**
Indicates intent to update the password for this principal.

Arguments

principal_name

The name of the principal to log in as.

password

The password for *principal_name*.

Description

The **dce_login** command validates the principal identity and obtains the principal network credentials.

Note: If you are using DFS, you must **dce_login** after the DFS client is configured and running on your machine in order to have authenticated access to DFS objects. Any credentials acquired before DFS is running will not be recognized by DFS.

The **-exec** option runs the command specified by *cmd_string* after login. If *cmd_string* is specified without a full pathname, the path prefix is obtained by searching the directories according to the **PATH** variable. If this option is not specified, the **dce_login** command runs the shell specified in the **SHELL** environment variable.

The *principal_name* argument specifies the name of the DCE principal logging in. The *password* argument specifies the password of the principal. If you do not supply a principal name or a principal password, **dce_login** prompts for them,

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unless the **-r** option is specified. If the **-r** option is specified, a *principal_name* should not be specified. If you enter them both on the command line, you must specify the principal name first, followed by the password.

The **-keyfile** option causes the *principal_name* identity to be validated using a password-derived key obtained from the file **file_name**, (instead of using a password supplied as a command line option). The **file_name** must include full path name of the file together with the characters FILE: prepended to the path name, for example:

```
FILE:D:/opt/dcelocal/krb5/mykeyfile
```

and this file must have been created by the appropriate **rgy_edit**, **dcecp**, or **sec_key_mgmt_set_key** functions. When using this option, do not include a password as a command-line option. This option is incompatible with the **-c** option.

The **-r** option causes the network credentials for the currently logged in user to be refreshed, that is, the acquisition of a new Ticket Granting Ticket (TGT), currently associated with the process in which this command will be executed. When using this option, do not include *principal_name* as a command-line option.

The **-newpass** option indicates the desire to update the password for the named principal. **dce_login** will issue a prompt for the new password. If the option is specified,

1. Do *not* specify either the **[-system]**, **[-keyfile]**, or **[-newpass]** options
2. Do ensure that you include both *principal_name* and *password*.

The **dce_login_noexec** command does not run a new shell as does **dec_login**, but results in the creation of a new credentials file. **dce_login_noexec** returns the name of this file.

Note: If you are running DFS, do not use **dce_login_noexec**. The necessary information needed by DFS to recognize you as an authenticated DCE user is not established. You must **dce_login** after the DFS client is configured and running on your machine in order to have authenticated access to DFS objects. Any credentials acquired before DFS is running will not be recognized by DFS.

Note that if the clocks on the Security server and client machines are not synchronized to within two or three minutes of each other, you can receive a password validation error and be unable to log into DCE.

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Purpose

dcecred_XXXXXXXX

Contains the tickets issued to a DCE principal.

dcecred_XXXXXXXX.data

Contains fixed registry information pertaining to a DCE principal.

dcecred_XXXXXXXX.data.db

Contains the extended privilege attribute certificate (EPAC) pertaining to a DCE principal.

dcecred_XXXXXXXX.nc

Contains cached entries of global principal or group names parsed into cellnames and cell-relative principal or group names.

Synopsis

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Description

All ticket caches (also called credentials caches) reside in the directory *dcelocal/var/security/creds*. Each *dcelocal/var/security/creds/dcecred_XXXXXXXX* file stores the tickets issued to a particular DCE principal (*XXXXXXXX* is an eight-digit hexadecimal number). A **dcecred_XXXXXXXX** file is created by invoking **dce_login** (or **dce_login_noexec**), or by invoking an AIX command (such as **login** or **su**) that is integrated with the DCE security services. Only the user who invoked **dce_login** has read-write permission to the file. The environment variable **KRB5CCNAME** (which stands for "Kerberos version 5 credentials cache name") is set to **FILE:/opt/dcelocal/var/security/creds/dcecred_XXXXXXXX**.

The *dcelocal/var/security/creds/dcecred_ffffff* ticket cache is special. It stores the tickets for the local machine's principal, known in the DCE registry as **hosts/dce_hostname/self**.

Note: The DCE host name is case sensitive. The **root** user on a machine automatically inherits these credentials and so appears as DCE entity **self** until reauthenticating as a different DCE principal. A **root** user who has not reauthenticated will share the **dcecred_ffffff** ticket cache with other daemons using the machine's identity (for example, **dced** and **dtstd**) and must be careful not to inadvertently destroy the ticket cache (by issuing **kdestroy** or deleting the file, for example). If this special file is destroyed, it can be re-created by restarting **dced** with the **-p** option.

The *dcelocal/var/security/creds/dcecred_XXXXXXXX.data* files contain fixed principal data such as UID, GID, registry quota, and GECOS information. A **dcecred_XXXXXXXX.data.db** file contains a principal's extended privilege attribute certificate (EPAC). These files are created along with a **dcecred_XXXXXXXX** file during **dce_login**.

The *dcelocal/var/security/creds/dcecred_XXXXXXXX.nc* files are name caches that contain entries in which a global principal or group name has been parsed into

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a cellname and a cell-relative principal or group name. Each entry also contains a timestamp and can contain the UUIDs of the cell and principal or group. A **dcecred_XXXXXXXX.nc** name cache is created when a DCE principal makes a call to the **sec_id** API. On subsequent calls to the **sec_id** API, the cache is checked first for the requested information.

Related Information

Commands: **dce_login(8sec)**, **dce_login_noexec**.

dceunixd

Purpose

Acts as an intermediary between AIX base operating system security commands and the DCE security services. This daemon must be running on any machine in which integrated security operations are needed.

Synopsis

dceunixd -l *lifetime* -d *debug_level* -h -i *behavior* -n *numdaemons* -s

Options

-l *lifetime*

Specifies the lifetime, in minutes, of cached **passwd struct** and **group struct** entries. Valid lifetimes range from 2 to 120 minutes, inclusive. The default is two minutes.

-d *debug_level*

Runs the daemon in the foreground for debugging purposes. *debug_level* is a nonzero, single-digit value that determines the content of debugging output. Each level subsumes the levels below it:

- 1** Displays code flow and irrecoverable error conditions such as malloc errors.
- 2** Displays return statuses from DCE RPCs and internal routines.
- 3** Displays input and output arguments.
- 4** Displays socket buffer contents.

5 through 9

Currently undefined; displays the information of levels 1 through 4.

-h Displays usage.

-i *behavior*

Specifies behavior for intercell operations. Valid intercell behaviors are **0** and **1**.

1 Causes the **dceunixd** routines to check the home cell ERA, to bind to foreign cells to satisfy requests, and to allow intercell integrated security operations.

0 Disallows any intercell operations. **0** is the default value.

-n *numdaemons*

Specifies the number of daemons to be started. Valid numbers of daemons range from 1 to 5. The default is 1. A larger number of daemons will enhance the performance of the **dceunixd** daemon. The **-n** option is mutually exclusive with the **-d** option.

-s Specifies that you are running on a slim client configuration. You must specify this flag when you want to run integrated login on a slim client configuration.

Description

The **dceunixd** daemon is necessary to enable integration between AIX base operating system security and DCE security services. Without this daemon, no AIX BOS program (for example, **login**, **passwd**, or **id**) can access information in the DCE registry. Typically, **dceunixd** runs on any DCE client machine which requires integrated security operations, and is started after all DCE core daemons. **dceunixd** operates under the local machine's identity and so must be started after **dced** sets up the machine DCE context (that is, valid *dcelocal/var/security/creds/dcecred_ffffff* and *dcelocal/var/security/creds/dcecred_ffffff.data* files must exist).

Under normal circumstances, **dceunixd** is started with no flags and runs as a background process. If debugging is necessary, it can be stopped and restarted with the **-d** option. **dceunixd** must be started by the local root user who should have no explicitly established DCE context (that is, the **KRB5CCNAME** environment variable must not be set).

For intercell operations the **dceunixd** daemon must be started with the **-i** option set to **1** to enable the intercell integrated security services.

For a slim client configuration, the **dceunixd** daemon must be started with the **-s** option to allow execution.

Notes

UNIX limits the DCE username to eight bytes. Any DCE user with a cell-relative name longer than eight bytes cannot take advantage of AIX integration.

Related Information

Files:

dcelocal/var/security/creds.dcecred_ffffff

The credentials file that contains the local machine's context. **dceunixd** uses the identity defined in this credentials file.

dcelocal/var/security/adm.dceunixd/dceunixd.skt

The UNIX domain socket file used to communicate between **dceunixd** and AIX base operating system programs.

/usr/lib/security/DCE

A dynamically loadable module incorporated into AIX base operating system programs when access to the DCE security services is necessary. This file must be present on any machine which requires integrated security operations.

kdestroy

Purpose

Destroys a principal's login context and associated credentials

Synopsis

```
kdestroy [-c cache_name] [-f] [-e time]
```

Options

- c** *cache_name*
Specifies that the login context and associated credentials for *cache_name* should be destroyed instead of the default cache.
- f**
Forces the operation. It is necessary to specify this option if you want to destroy the machine principal's credentials.
- e** *time*
Deletes credentials expired before the relative time specified by the time string. The *time* format is *xwx dxh mxs*, where *x* = a number, *w* = weeks, *d* = days, *h* = hours, *m* = minutes and *s* = seconds. The default is hours. For example, **kdestroy -e 5m** deletes credentials that expired before 5 minutes in the past. The relative time is computed as now negative time, which is in the past.

Description

kdestroy destroys the principal login context and the principal credentials. Until the credentials are re-established, the principal and any processes created by the principal are limited to unauthenticated access.

Notes

If you accidentally destroy your machine credentials, you need to stop and then restart **dced** to obtain new machine credentials.

Files

dcelocal/var/security/creds/dcecred_XXXXXXXX
This is the form of a DCE credentials cache file. *XXXXXXXX* is a random hex number. Authenticating to DCE also sets the **KRB5CCNAME** environment variable equal to the string **FILE:/opt/dcelocal/var/security/creds/dcecred_XXXXXXXX**. If this environment variable is set when **kdestroy** is invoked (without the **-c** option), its setting determines the name of the credentials cache file destroyed. Note that even though **kdestroy** destroys the cache file, it does not unset the **KRB5CCNAME** environment variable.

Related Information

Commands: **kinit(8sec)**, **klist(8sec)**.

kinit

Purpose

granting ticket

Synopsis

```
kinit [-c cachename] [-f] [-l lifetime] [-p] [-r lifetime] [-v] [principal [password]]
```

Options

-c *cachename*

Specifies an alternative credentials cache, *cachename*, to be used in place of the default credentials cache. The **kinit** command overwrites the contents of the alternative cache with the current credentials.

The name of the default credentials cache may vary between systems. However, if the **KRB5CCNAME** environment variable is set, its value is used to name the default cache.

-f Requests the FORWARDABLE option. This option allows a ticket-granting ticket with a different network address than the present ticket-granting ticket to be issued to the principal. For forwardable tickets to be granted, the principal's account in the registry must specify that the principal can be granted forwardable tickets.

Note: This option is not implemented in DCE at this time.

-l *lifetime*

Specifies the lifetime of the ticket-granting ticket in hours. If this option is not specified, the default ticket lifetime (set by each site using the **rgy_edit** command) is used.

Note: Input to this flag must be ≥ 5 m. Registry policy can limit the lifetime interval specified with this flag.

-p Requests the PROXIABLE option. This option allows a ticket with a different network address than the present ticket to be issued to the principal. For proxiabile tickets to be granted, the principal's account in the registry must specify that the principal can be granted proxiabile tickets.

Note: This option is not implemented in DCE at this time.

-r *lifetime*

Requests the RENEWABLE option. This option allows the tickets issued to the principal to be renewed. For renewable tickets to be granted, the principal's account in the registry must specify that the principal can be granted renewable tickets. The lifetime of the ticket-granting ticket is specified in hours by *lifetime*.

Note: This option is not implemented in DCE at this time.

-v Specifies verbose mode.

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Arguments

principal

Specifies the name of the principal for whom the ticket-granting ticket should be obtained. If *principal* is omitted, the principal name from the existing cache is reused.

password

The password for the specified principal.

Description

The **kinit** command can be used to refresh the principal ticket-granting ticket. All tickets in the target cache file are replaced by a single refreshed ticket-granting ticket. When you invoke **kinit**, it prompts for your password. You must be authenticated as a DCE user to use this command to refresh your credentials.

Note: Do not use **kinit** to refresh credentials for a principal requiring third-party preauthentication (that is, the principal has a **pre_auth_req** extended registry attribute set at level 2). Use **dce_login -r** to refresh such credentials.

The ticket lifetime and renewable lifetime is set in the following format:

{num {interval}}...

where:

num is a number that specifies the number of the interval; *interval* is:

w	Weeks
d	Days
h	Hours
m	Minutes
s	Seconds

For example, to set the lifetime to 3 weeks, 5 days, and 10 hours, the entry would be as follows:

3w5d10h

Note: If you are using DFS, you must **dce_login** after the DFS client is configured and running on your machine in order to have authenticated access to DFS objects. Any credentials acquired before DFS is running will not be recognized by DFS.

Files

FILE:/opt/dcelocal/var/security/creds/dcecred_XXXXXXXX

This is the form of a DCE credentials cache file. XXXXXXXXX is a random hex number. Authenticating to DCE also sets the **KRB5CCNAME** environment variable equal to the string

FILE:/opt/dcelocal/var/security/creds/dcecred_XXXXXXXX. If this environment variable is set when the **kinit** command is invoked (without the **-c** option), its setting determines the name of the credentials cache file on which **kinit** operates.

/tmp/krb5cc_UID

This is the form of the cache file created when the **kinit** command is invoked in the absence of a DCE login context (that is, the **KRB5CCNAME** environment variable is unset) and with a principal name specified. UID is the UNIX ID of the local user who invoked **kinit**.

Related Information

Commands: **dce_login**, **dce_login_noexec**, **kdestroy(8sec)**, **klist(8sec)**.

Files: *dcelocal/var/security/creds/dccred_XXXXXXXX*

klist

Purpose

Lists cached tickets

Synopsis

klist [-c*cachename*] [-e] [-f]

Options

-c *cachename*

Specifies that the contents of the cache identified by *cachename* should be displayed instead of the contents of the default cache. The input to this flag must be in the form **FILE:***cachename*.

-e Includes expired tickets in the display. Without this option, only current tickets are displayed.

-f Displays option settings on the tickets. The options are as follows:

D	Postdatable
d	Postdated
F	Forwardable
f	Forwarded
I	Initial
i	Invalid
P	Proxiable
p	Proxy
R	Renewable

Description

The **klist** command lists the primary principal and tickets held in the default credentials cache (the cache indicated by the name **KRB5CCNAME** environment), or in the cache identified by *cachename* if the **-c** option is used.

Files

dcelocal/**var/security/creds/dcecred_XXXXXXXX**

If the **KRB5CCNAME** environment variable is not set, the name of the default credentials cache is in the form shown, where **XXXXXXXX** is a random hexadecimal number. If the **KRB5CCNAME** environment variable is set, its value is used to name the default cache.

Related Information

Commands: **kdestroy(8sec)**, **kinit(8sec)**.

passwd_export

Purpose

Creates local password and group files

Synopsis

```
passwd_export [-l] [-g group1, group2, ...][-u user1, user2, ...] [-f][-d dir_name] [-h]
[-m max_entries] [-n] [-s] [-v] [-x]
```

Options

- l** Specifies that operations are to be performed only on users in the local **/etc/passwd** file.
- g group1, group2, ...**
Specifies the groups on which to perform the operation. If this option is not specified, all groups are included.
- u user1, user2, ...**
Specifies the users (or principals) on which to perform the operation. If this option is not specified, all users (or principals) are included.
- f** Forces the update by overriding the **dce_export** attribute in the **/etc/security/user** file.
- d dir_name**
Specifies the name of the directory in which to store the password, group, and organization files created by **passwd_export**. If you do not enter a directory name, the files are stored in the **/etc** directory.
- h** Displays help information.
- m max_entries**
Specifies the maximum number of entries that can be stored in the local files.
- n** Ignores **passwd_override** and **group_override** file entries. Without this option, **passwd_export** applies the override entries from both files to the local password and group files it creates. Consult the **passwd_override(5sec)** and **group_override(5sec)** reference pages for further information.
- s** Sorts the local password and group file entries by UNIX number. If you do not specify this option, the entries are in order as they are retrieved from the registry.
- v** Runs in verbose mode.
- x** Omits users and groups with the specified *passwd OMIT* in their **passwd_override** and **group_override** file entries from the local password and group files created. Consult the **passwd_override(5sec)** and **group_override(5sec)** reference pages for further information.

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Description

The `dcshared/bin/passwd_export` command creates local password and group files from registry data. Use `passwd_export` to keep these local files consistent with the registry database.

If you do not specify the `-n` option, `passwd_export` reads override entries in the `passwd_override` and `group_override` files and modifies accordingly the local and group files it creates. See the `passwd_override(5sec)` and `group_override(5sec)` reference pages for further information.

When `passwd_export` runs, it makes backup copies of the current password and group files, if they exist. The files are named, respectively, `passwd.bak` and `group.bak`. The new files created by `passwd_export` are named `passwd` and `group`. By default, the backups are stored and the new files created in the `/etc` directory. You can override the default by supplying a directory name with the `-d` option.

The `dce_export` value must be set to TRUE on the local machine for each user and group to be downloaded. If this value is FALSE, the information is not downloaded unless the force option (`-f`) is specified. The `dce_export` attribute is located in the `/etc/security/user` and `/etc/security/group` files and is initialized to FALSE at installation time.

If the `-d` option is specified, a `passwd` and `group` file is created in the directory specified. The `passwd` file created contains encrypted passwords. The `passwd_export` command does not create or make additions or changes to the `/etc/security/passwd` or `/etc/security/group` files.

If the password property is set to HIDDEN in the registry, a warning is displayed and no action occurs unless the `-d` option is used. If the `-d` option is specified, the `passwd` and `group` files are created but an * (asterisk) is displayed in the password field of the `passwd` file.

If the principal name is greater than `L_cuserid` defined in the `stdio.h` header file, that user is not added to the local `passwd` files. A warning indicating the problem is displayed if the verbose option (`-v`) is specified.

The CIPHER and OMIT strings are changed to an * (asterisk) to be consistent with AIX. Both accomplish the same thing.

Note:

- UNIX limits the DCE username to eight bytes. Any DCE user with a cell-relative name longer than eight bytes cannot take advantage of AIX integration.
- The `passwd_export` command will not work on a slim client configuration because the slim client does not run with all the necessary daemons to support the command.

Running passwd_export

The `passwd_export` command is commonly run with an entry in `/usr/lib/crontab`. For example, to update the files every hour, the entry is as follows:

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```
0 * * * * dcshared/bin/passwd_export
```

In large network environments, it is a good idea to stagger the times at which **passwd_export** is run.

To download all users in the `/etc/passwd` file, enter:

```
passwd_export [-l] [-f]
```

The **-l** option specifies that the **passwd_export** command reads the `/etc/passwd` file to determine which users to download. The **-f** option is optional; it overrides the **dce_export = FALSE** entries for the default stanza or in each individual user's stanzas.

To protect some user entries in the `/etc/passwd` file, but download all other DCE users, enter:

```
passwd_export
```

This entry downloads all users in the DCE registry but honors the **dce_export = FALSE** entry.

To obtain specified users, enter:

```
passwd_export [-l] -u user1, user2, ... [-f]
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8sec)**, **rgy_edit(8sec)**.

Files: **passwd_override(5sec)**, **group_override(5sec)**, **group(5)**, **passwd(5)**.

passwd_import

Purpose

Creates registry database entries from group and password files

Synopsis

```
passwd_import [-c] -d path [-h] [-i] [-o org] [-p password] [-u username] [-v]
```

Options

- c** Runs in check mode: processes the command, showing all conflicts, but makes no requests for resolution.
- d *path*** Specifies the path of the directory containing the foreign password and group files to be imported.
- h** Displays help information.
- i** Ignores name conflicts. Names in the registry and the group and password files represent the same identity.
- o *org*** Specifies the name of an organization to be assigned to all imported entries. If the specified organization does not exist, it is created. The default organization is **none**.
- p *password*** Specifies the password for the account with whose privileges **passwd_import** runs.
- u *username*** Specifies the principal name of the account with whose privileges **passwd_import** will run. This account must have the privileges to access the registry and add principals, groups, accounts, and organizations, and to add members to groups and organizations. The principal name and password are used to obtain network authentication. If you do not supply them, **passwd_import** prompts for them, even if you have already performed a network login.
- v** Runs in verbose mode, generating a verbose transcript of **passwd_import** activity.

Description

The **passwd_import** command is a mechanism for creating registry database entries that are consistent with foreign password and group file entries. Use **passwd_import** to ensure consistency between DCE and foreign protection mechanisms when you do any of the following:

1. Attach DCE node(s) to an existing UNIX network
2. Attach UNIX node(s) to a DCE network
3. Connect DCE and UNIX networks

If the password and group file entries do not exist in the DCE registry, **passwd_import** creates them. If there are duplicate entries, **passwd_import** follows your directions on how to handle them.

Note: The **passwd_import** command will not work on a slim client configuration because the slim client does not run with all the necessary daemons to support the command.

The Process

The DCE registry database must exist and be running before you can use **passwd_import**. If you are simply adding a few DCE nodes to a foreign network, you can create a new, but empty, registry to meet this requirement.

As **passwd_import** processes, it performs the following steps:

1. It opens the group and password files and establishes a connection to the registry.
2. It compares the group file entries to groups in the registry. If there are no conflicts, it creates groups in the registry corresponding to the groups in the group file.
3. It compares the entries in the password file to principals in the registry. Again, if there are no conflicts, it does the following:
 - a. Creates principals in the registry corresponding to the entries in the password file.
 - b. Adds the newly created principals to the appropriate groups.
 - c. Creates accounts for the newly created principals.
4. It reexamines the group file and adds the principals as members of any additional groups it finds there.

The changes to the registry are made individually as each step is processed. If you do not specify the organization, the principals are added to the organization **none**.

Conflicts

During this process, **passwd_import** can find conflicts in name strings (for example, in the password file: **joe 102** ; in the registry database: **joe 555**) and in UNIX IDs (for example, in the password file: **joe 102** ; in DCE: **carmelita 102**). When **passwd_import** finds a conflict, it prompts for changes to make to the **/etc/passwd** and **/etc/group** entries. No changes are made to the registry entries. In other words, all conflicts are resolved in favor of the registry entry.

The **-i** option specifies that duplicate names are not in conflict but, in fact, represent the same identity. Therefore, when duplicate names arise, no action is necessary. If you do not use the **-i** option, **passwd_import** prompts for how to handle the name conflicts.

Resolving Conflicts

The **passwd_import** command prompts for instructions to resolve the conflicts it finds. You have the following choices:

1. You can create an alias to resolve a UNIX ID conflict. This action creates an alias for the registry object in conflict. The **passwd_import** command assigns this alias the same name as the conflicting entry in the **/etc/group** or **/etc/passwd** file. For example, if the entry **joe 555** exists in the registry and the entry **tim 555** exists in the **/etc/passwd** file, choosing this option creates the alias **tim** for **joe 555**.
2. You can generate a new UNIX ID automatically or enter a new one explicitly to resolve a UNIX ID conflict. For example, if there is a conflict

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between the entry **joe 555** in the registry and **tim 555** in the **/etc/passwd** file, you can generate a new UNIX ID for **tim**.

3. You can enter a new name to resolve a name conflict. For example if there is a conflict between the entry **joe 555** in the registry and **joe 383** in the **/etc/passwd** file, you can generate a new name for **joe 383**. This new name will then be added to the registry.

In addition, you are given the option of ignoring the conflict and skipping the entry.

Generally, you should run **passwd_import** with the **-c** option. Using the results of this run, you can determine how to handle the conflicts. If there are many conflicts, it may be more efficient to manually edit either the registry or the group and password files to resolve some of them before you run **passwd_import**.

Registry Database Entries

New registry entries created by **passwd_import** are assigned the following values:

For Principal and Group Entries:

alias/primary

If the **/etc/passwd** file contains two entries with the same UNIX number, **passwd_import** creates a primary name entry for the first occurrence of the UNIX number and alias entries for each subsequent occurrence.

fullname

A blank string; no full name is added for the entry.

membership list

For new groups only; all principals listed in the group file, and all principals with accounts in the password file with that group.

proplist_ok

Yes (for groups only).

For Account Entries:

Account expiration date

None.

Account_valid

False.

Client flag

True.

Duplicate certificate flag

False.

Forwardable certificate flag

True.

Gecos

Same as password file.

Good since date

Time of account creation.

Homedir

Same as password file.

Maximum certificate lifetime

Default to registry authentication policy.

Maximum certificate renewable

Default to registry authentication policy.

Passwd

Randomly generated. Note that you must modify or reset randomly generated passwords before user authentication is possible.

Passwd_dtm

Date and time **passwd_import** was run.

Passwd_valid

False.

Postdated certificate flag

False.

Proxiable certificate flag

False.

Renewable certificate flag

True.

Server flag

True.

Shell Same as password file.

TGT authentication flag

True.

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8sec)**, **rgy_edit(8sec)**, **sec_admin(8sec)**, **secd(8sec)**.

pwd_strengthd

Purpose

The sample password management server

Synopsis

```
pwd_strengthd [+/-all[_spaces]] [+/-alp[ha_num]] [-c[ache_size]] size  
[-d[bug]] [-m[in_len]] pwd_min_len [-t[imeout]] minutes [-v[erbose]]
```

Options

+all_spaces

Allows passwords to be all spaces. If this option is not set, the effective registry policy is used.

-all_spaces

Prevents passwords from being all spaces. If this option is not set, the effective registry policy is used.

+alp_num

Allows passwords to consist of only alphanumeric characters. If this option is not set, the effective registry policy is used.

-alp_num

Prevents passwords from consisting of only alphanumeric characters. If this option is not set, the effective registry policy is used.

-c_size *size*

Specifies the number of hash buckets in the password cache. The password cache is used to store generated passwords which are retrieved when the password is strength checked. The password cache is a hash table with a linked list for collisions. The size should be set to a reasonable value based on how large the cache will be on average. The default value if not specified is 100.

-debug

Runs **pwd_strengthd** in the foreground. Log messages are written to standard output.

-m *pwd_min_len*

Specifies the minimum length of a password. If this option is not set, the effective registry policy is used.

-t *minutes*

Specifies the time, in minutes, that generated passwords remain in the cache before they are deleted from memory. If this option is not specified, the default time is 30 minutes.

-verbose

Runs in verbose mode. More detailed messages are sent to the log file *dcelocal/var/security/[password_strength_server_name].log*. (Use of this option is recommended.)

Description

The **pwd_strengthd** command is a sample password management server. It exports the **rsec_pwd_mgmt** application programming interface.

The **pwd_strengthd** command generates passwords and strength-checks them. It enforces the security registry policy for password strength-checking. Administrators can override the security registry policy via the command-line options **+/-alp**, **+/-all**, and **-m**.

Administrators can subject principals to **password-strength** and **-generation** policies by attaching the following extended registry attributes (ERAs):

pwd_val_type

Specifies the password management policy the user must conform to when selecting passwords.

pwd_mgmt_binding

Specifies information required in order to connect to the password management server.

See the *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Core Components* for more information and examples.

Notes

You may want to enhance **pwd_strengthd** to support your site's policies for password strength and generation. If so, start with the example code located in **/opt/dcelocal/examples/pwdstren**, and read the **README** located in the same directory for instructions on how to modify and build your custom strength server.

Related Information

Commands: **passwd_export(8sec)**, **passwd_import(8sec)**.

rgy_edit

Purpose

Edits the registry database

Synopsis

```
rgy_edit [[[-a | -p | -g | -o] [-s name] [-up[date]] [-v [-f] [name | -un[ix__name]]  
[-nq]] | -l]
```

Options

The following options are available when **rgy_edit** is invoked. You can specify only one of the options **-a**, **-p**, **-g**, and **-o**. If you specify the **-l** option, you can specify no other options.

-a (default)

Edits or views accounts.

-p Edits or views principals.

-g Edits or views groups.

-o Edits or views organizations.

-s *name*

Binds to the registry site specified by *name*. The *name* argument is either the fully qualified name of the cell that contains the registry to which you want access, or the fully qualified name of a specific registry server.

-up[*date*]

Binds to a read-write registry site in the cell specified by the **-s** option.

-v Views the registry entry specified its *name* or *unix_name* arguments. If no entry is specified, all entries are viewed.

-f Displays in full the entry (or entries) selected by the **-v** option. The full entry includes all fields except the membership list and organization policy.

-nq Specifies that delete operations will not be queried. The default is to prompt the user for verification when a delete operation is requested.

-l Edits or views entries in local registry.

Description

Note:

With the exception of the following subcommands, this command is replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command. This command may be fully replaced by the **dcecp** command in a future release of DCE, and may no longer be supported at that time.

1. **defaults**
2. **delete**
3. **domain**
4. **exit**
5. **help**

6. **purge**
7. **quit**
8. **scope**
9. **view**

This control program has been superseded by **dcecp**. It has not been enabled to support multibyte characters. If you are working in a multibyte or double-byte character set (DBCS) environment, you must use **dcecp**. (You are working in a multibyte or DBCS environment if you are using an implementation of DCE that has been translated from English to a language that uses the multibyte or double-byte character set.)

The **rgy_edit** tool views and edits information in the registry database. You can invoke **rgy_edit** from any node.

You can edit and view principals, groups, organization, accounts, and policies in the network registry (the default) or perform a subset of those functions on the local registry (by using the **-l** option). Changes made by **rgy_edit** apply only to the registry. They do not apply to the local override file or the local password and group files, both of which can be edited manually. You can view and change only those registry objects to which you are granted the appropriate permissions.

Invoking rgy_edit

When you invoke **rgy_edit**, it displays the following prompt:

```
rgy_edit=>
```

You can enter any of the **rgy_edit** subcommands at this prompt; **rgy_edit** will prompt you for the required information. Alternatively, you can enter the subcommand followed by all the options required to perform a specific operation. The **rgy_edit** command may prompt you for any required information you do not enter.

Subcommands Syntax

In the **rgy_edit** subcommands that follow, use " " (empty double quotation marks) to indicate a null *fullname*, *password*, *misc*, *homedir*, or *shell*. Use double quotation marks to embed spaces or dashes in *fullname*, *misc*, and *homedir* if you specify the argument on the command line.

Principal, Group, and Organization Subcommands

```
v[iew] [name | -u
unix_number] [-f] [-m] [-po]
```

Views registry entries. Whether *name* applies to a principal, group, or organization depends on the domain in which you run **rgy_edit**. Use the **do [main]** subcommand (see **Miscellaneous Commands**) to change domains.

If you specify the **-u** *unix_number* option, **rgy_edit** displays all matching entries, including any aliases.

The **-f** option displays entries in full (all fields except the membership list and organization policy).

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If you are viewing groups or organizations, **-m** displays the membership list. For principals, **-m** lists all groups of which the principal is a member, including groups that cannot appear in a project list.

If you are viewing organizations, **-po** displays policy information. If you do not enter the **-po** option, **rgy_edit** shows only the organization's name and the UNIX number.

```
a[dd] [principal_name [unix_number] [-f
fullname] [-al] [-q quota]]
a[dd] [group_name [unix_number] [-f fullname
-nl]] [-al]
a[dd] [organization_name [unix_number] [-f
fullname]]
```

Creates a new name entry.

If you do not specify *principal_name*, *group_name*, or *organization_name*, the **add** subcommand prompts you for each field in the entry. If you are adding organizations, the command prompts you for policy information as well. If you specify only *principal_name*, *group_name*, or *organization_name* and no other arguments, the object's full name defaults to "" (that is, blank), the object's UNIX number is assigned automatically, and the object's creation quota defaults to unlimited.

For principals and groups, the **-al** option creates an alias entry. If *unix_number* is already assigned to a principal and you do not specify **-al**, an error occurs and you must either choose a different *unix_number* or specify **-al**. If you use **-al** to create an alias and *unix_number* is not already associated with a primary name, **rgy_edit** issues a warning but creates the alias. The **-q** option specifies the total number of registry objects that can be created by the principal.

The **-q** option specifies the principal's object creation quota, the total number of registry objects that can be created by the principal. If you do not specify this option, the object creation quota defaults to unlimited.

For groups, the **-nl** option indicates that the group is not to be included on project lists; omitting this option allows the group to appear on project lists.

Use quotation marks to embed spaces (or quotation marks) in a *fullname*. A single space between quotation marks indicates a null *fullname*.

```
c[hange] [principal_name [-n
name] [-f fullname] [-al | -pr] [-q quota]]
c[hange] [group_name [-n
name] [-f fullname] [-nl | -l]] [-al | -pr]
c[hange] [organization_name [-n
name] [-f fullname]]
```

Changes a principal, group, or organization.

Specify the entry to change with *principal_name*, *group_name*, or *organization_name*. If you do not specify a *principal_name*, *group_name*, or *organization_name*, the **change** subcommand prompts you for a name. If you do not specify any fields, the subcommand prompts you for each field in succession.

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To leave a field unchanged, press **<Return>** at the prompt. If you are changing organization entries in the interactive mode, the subcommand prompts you for policy information as well.

Use **-n** *name* and **-f** *fullname*, to specify a new primary name or full name, respectively.

For principals and groups, the **-al** option changes a primary name into an alias, and the **-pr** option changes an alias into a primary name. This change can be made only from the command line, not in the interactive mode.

The **-q** option specifies the total number of registry objects that can be created by the principal.

For group entries, the **-nl** option disallows the group from appearing in project lists, while the **-l** option allows the group to appear in project lists.

For organization entries, you can change policy information only in the interactive mode.

A single space between quotation marks indicates a null *fullname*.

Changes to a principal name are reflected in membership lists that contain the principal name. For example, if the principal **ludwig** is a member of the group **composers** and the principal name is changed to **louis**, the membership list for **composers** is automatically changed to include **louis** but not **ludwig**.

For reserved names, you can change only *fullname*.

```
m[ember] [group_name |
organization_name [-a member_list] [-r member_list]]
```

Edits the membership list for a group or organization.

If you do not specify a group or organization, the **member** subcommand prompts you for names to add or remove.

To add names or aliases to a membership list, use the **-a** option followed by the names (separated by commas). To delete names from a membership list, use the **-r** option followed by the names (separated by commas). If you do not include either the **-a** or **-r** option on the command line, **rgy_edit** prompts you for names to add or remove.

Adding a principal to a membership list permits creation of a login account for that principal with that group or organization.

Removing names from the membership list for a group or organization has the side effect of deleting the login account for removed member (and, of course, eliminating any permissions granted as a result of the membership the next time the member's ticket-granting ticket is renewed).

```
del [ete] pgo_name
```

Deletes a registry entry.

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If you delete a principal, **rgy_edit** deletes the principal's account. If you delete a group or organization, **rgy_edit** deletes any accounts associated with the group or organization. You cannot delete reserved names.

```
adopt uuid principal_name  
[-u unix_number] [-f fullname] [-q object_creation_quota]  
adopt uuid group_name [-u unix_number]  
[-f  
fullname] [-nl]  
adopt uuid organization_name  
[-u unix_number] [-f fullname]
```

Creates a principal, group, or organization for the specified Universal Unique Identifier (UUID).

The UUID must be an orphan (a UUID for which no name exists in any domain). The *uuid* is hexadecimal numbers in RPC string format.

An error occurs if you specify a name or UNIX number that is already defined within the same domain of the database.

A single space between quotation marks indicates a null *fullname*.

Account Subcommands

```
v[iew] [pname [gname  
[oname]]] [-f]
```

Displays login accounts.

Without the **-f** option, **view** displays only the user fields in each account entry. These fields include the following for each account:

1. Principal, group, and organization name
2. Encrypted password
3. Miscellaneous information
4. Home directory
5. Login shell

With **-f**, **view** displays the full entry, including the administrative fields as well as the user fields. Administrative information includes:

1. Who created the account
2. When the account was created
3. Who last changed the account
4. When the account was last changed
5. When the account expires
6. Whether the account is valid
7. Whether the account principal's password is valid
8. When the account principal's password was last changed

```
a[dd] [pname [-g gname -o oname  
-mp password {-rp | -pw password} [-m  
misc]  
[-h homedir] [-s shell] [-pnv | -pv] [-x account_exp |
```

```

none] [-anv
| -av]
[[-ena[ble] option | -dis[able] option]...] [-gs
date_and_time] [-mcr lifespan]
[-mcl lifespan]]]

```

Creates a login account.

If you enter the subcommand only or the subcommand and the optional *pname* (principal name) argument, **rgy_edit** prompts you for all information. If you enter the subcommand, the *pname* argument, and the *gname* (group name) argument or the the *pname*, *gname* and *oname* (organization name) arguments, you must also enter the **-mp**, and **-pw** or **-rp** options. All other options are optional.

The *pname* argument specifies the principal for whom the account should be created. The **-g** and **-o** options specify the account's group and organization. If the principal specified in *pname* is not already a member of the specified group and organization, **rgy_edit** automatically attempts to add the principal to the membership lists. If you do not have the appropriate permissions for the group and organization, the attempt will fail and the account will not be created.

The **-rp** option generates a random password for the account. The primary use of this option is to create passwords for accounts that will not be logged into (since the random password can never be supplied.) The **-pw** option is used to supply a password for the account on the command line.

If you use the **-rp** option or the **-pw** option, you must also use the **-mp** option to supply your password so your identity can be validated.

If you do not specify the **-rp** option or the **-pw** option, **rgy_edit** prompts for the account's password twice to ensure you did not make a typing mistake. Then it prompts for your password to verify your identity.

If the user's password management policy allows the selection of generated passwords, specifying * (asterisk) as the argument to the **-pw** option or at the account's password prompt automatically generates a plaintext password.

If the user's password management policy *requires* the selection of generated passwords, specifying the **-pw** option is an error; **rgy_edit** displays a generated password and then prompts for the password for confirmation. The format of *password* must adhere to the policy of the associated organization or the policy of the registry as a whole, whichever is more restrictive.

The information supplied with the **-m** option is used to create the GECOS field for the account in the */etc/passwd* file. If you run the **passwd_export** command, this entry contains the concatenation of the principal's full name and the information specified with the **-m** option. Use quotes to include spaces and hyphens.

The **-h** option specifies the pathname of the principal's home directory. The default *homedir* is */*. The **-s** option specifies the pathname of the principal's login shell. The default *shell* is a null string.

Use a single space between quotation marks to indicate a null *password*, *misc_info*, *homedir*, or *shell*.

The **-pnv** (password not valid) option specifies that the password has expired. Generally, users must change their passwords when the passwords expire.

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However, the policy to handle expired passwords and the mechanism by which users change their passwords are defined for each platform, usually through the login facility. The **-pv** option indicates the password is not expired (the default).

The **-x** option sets an expiration date for the account and the password of the account.

The default is **none**, meaning that the account and the password will never expire.

The **-anv** (account not valid) option specifies that the account is not currently valid for login. The **-av** option indicates the account is currently valid (the default).

The **-enable** and **-disable** options set or clear the following options:

1. The **c [lient]** option, if enabled, allows the principal to act as a client and log in, acquire tickets, and be authenticated. If you disable **client**, the principal cannot act as a client. The default is enabled.
2. The **s [erver]** option, if enabled, allows the principal to act as a server and engage in authenticated communication. If you disable **server**, the principal cannot act as a server that engages in authenticated communication. The default is enabled.
3. The **po [stdated]** option, if enabled, allows tickets with a start time some time in the future to be issued to the account's principal. The default is disabled.
4. The **f[orwardable]** option, if enabled, allows a new ticket-granting ticket with a network address that differs from the present ticket-granting ticket address to be issued to the account's principal. The default is enabled.
5. The **pr [oxiable]** option, if enabled, allows a new ticket with a different network address than the present ticket to be issued to the account's principal. The default is disabled.
6. The **T [GT_authentication]** option, if enabled, specifies that tickets issued to the account's principal can use the ticket-granting-ticket authentication mechanism. The default is enabled.
7. The **r [enewable]** option, if enabled, allows tickets issued to the principals ticket-granting ticket to be renewed for as long as its lifetime is valid. The default is enabled.
8. The **dup [_session_key]** option allows tickets issued to the account's principal to have duplicate keys. The default is disabled.

The **-gsd** (good since date) is the date and time the account was last known to be valid. When accounts are created, this date is set to the account creation time. If you change the good since date, any tickets issued before the changed date are invalid. Enter the date in the following format:

yy/ mm/ dd. hh: mm

The **-mcr** (maximum certificate renewable) option is the number of hours before a session with the principal's identity expires and the principal must log in again to reauthenticate. The default is 4 weeks.

The **-mcl** (maximum certificate lifetime) option is the number of hours before the Authentication Service must renew a principal's service certificates. This is handled automatically and requires no action on the part of the principal. The default is 1 day.

```

c[hange] [-p pname]
[-g gname] [-o oname] [-np pname] [-ng gname] [-no
oname]
[{-rp | -pw password} -mp password] [-m misc]
[-h homedir] [-s shell]
[-pnv | -pv] [-x account_exp | none]
[-anv | -av]
[[-ena[ble] option |
-dis[able] option] ...]
[-gs date_and_time] [-mcr lifespan] [-mcl lifespan]

```

Changes an account.

The **-p**, **-g**, and **-o** options identify the account to change. The **-np**, **-ng**, and **-no** options change the account's, principal, group, and organization, respectively.

All other options have the same meaning as described in the **add** command for accounts. Note that the **-rp** option can be used to change the random passwords of the reserved accounts created by **sec_create_db** when the registry database is created.

```

del [ete] -p pname [-g gname] [-o
oname]

```

Deletes the specified account.

Enter the **-p** option to delete the specified principal's account. Enter the **-g** or **-o** option to delete accounts associated with the specified group or organization. If you enter the **-g** or **-o** option, **rgy_edit** prompts individually for whether to delete each account associated with the group or organization.

```

ce[ll] cellname [-ul
unix_num] [-uf unix_num] [-gl gname] [-ol
oname]
[-gf gname] [-of oname] [-mp passwd]
[-fa name] [-fp passwd]
[-q quota] [-x account_expiration_date | none]

```

Creates a cross-cell authentication account in the local and foreign cells.

This account allows local principals to access objects in the foreign cell as authenticated users and vice versa. The administrator in the foreign cell must have also set up a standard account, whose ID and password the administrator of the foreign cell must supply to you. This foreign account must have a non-zero quota, because it will be used to create a principal and account necessary for cross-cell authentication. You must also invoke the cell subcommand authenticated as a DCE principal who has the privileges and quota necessary to allow creation of a principal and account in the local cell registry.

The *cellname* variable specifies the cell to which cross-cell authentication will be established. The *cellname* variable should be a DCE cellname in global format.

The **-ul** option specifies the UNIX number for the local cell's principal. The **-uf** option specifies the UNIX number for the foreign cell's principal. If you do not specify these UNIX numbers, they are generated automatically.

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The **-gl** and **-ol** options specify the local account's group and organization. The **-gf** and **-of** options specify the foreign account's group and organization.

The **-mp** option specifies the password of the person who invoked **rgy_edit**.

The **-fa** option specifies the name identifying the account in the foreign cell, and the **-fp** option specifies the account's password.

The **-q** option specifies the object creation quota for the new cell accounts.

The **-x** option specifies the account expiration date for both the local and foreign accounts. The default for this option is **none**.

Note that the object creation quota for the local account defaults to 0 (zero), meaning that principals in the foreign cell cannot create objects in the local cell. You can change this with the **change** subcommand.

Key Management Subcommands

The key management subcommands must be run in command-line mode.

```
cta [dd] -p principal_name [-pw password]  
[-a[uto]] [-r[egistry]] [-f  
keyfile]
```

Creates a password for a server or machine in the keytab file on the local node.

The **-p** option specifies the name of the server or machine principal for which you are creating a password.

The **-pw** option lets you supply the password on the command line. If you do not enter this option or the **-auto** option, **ctadd** prompts for the password.

The **-a** option generates the password randomly. If you use this option, you must also use the **-r** option. If you do not specify the **-auto** or the **-pw** option, you are prompted for a password.

The **-r** option updates the principal's password in the registry to match the string you enter (or automatically generate) for the password in the keytab file. Use it to ensure that the principal's password in the registry and the keytab file are in synch when you change a principal's password in the keytab file. To use this option, a password for the principal must exist in the default keytab file or the keytab file named by the **-f** option.

The **-f** option specifies the name of the server keytab file on the local node to which you are adding the password. If you do not specify a keytab filename, **/krb5/v5srvtab** is used. You must have the appropriate access rights to add entries in this or other keytab files.

```
kti [ist] [-p principal_name] [-f  
keyfile]
```

Displays principal names and password version numbers in the local keytab file.

The **-p** option specifies the name of the server or machine principal for which you are displaying passwords.

The **-f** option specifies the name of the server keytab file on the local node for which you want to display entries. If you do not specify a keytab filename, **/krb5/v5srvtab** is used.

ktd [elete] -p principal_name -v version_number [-f keyfile]

Deletes a sever or machine principal's password entry from a keytab file.

The **-p** option specifies the name of the server or machine principal for whom you are deleting a password entry.

The **-v** option specifies the version number of the password you want to delete. Version numbers are assigned to a principal's password whenever the principal's password is changed. This allows any servers or machines still using tickets granted under the old password to run without interruption until the ticket expires naturally.

The **-f** option specifies the name of the server keytab file on the local node from which you want to delete passwords. If you do not specify a keytab filename, **/krb5/v5srvtab** is used. Note that you must be root to delete entries in the default keytab file. You must have the appropriate access rights to delete entries in other keytab files.

Miscellaneous Commands

do [main] [p | g | o | a]

Changes or displays the type of registry information being viewed or edited.

You can specify **p** for principals, **g** for groups, **o** for organizations, or **a** for accounts. If you supply no argument, **rgy_edit** displays the current domain.

si[te] [[name]] [-u[pdate] | -q[query]]

Changes or displays the registry site being viewed or edited.

The *name* variable is the fully qualified name of the cell that contains the registry to which you want access. If you supply no argument, **rgy_edit** displays the current site.

The **-u** option indicates you want to edit the registry. The **-q** indicates that you want to only view the registry.

prop[erties]

Changes or displays registry properties.

This command prompts you for changes. Press **<Return>** to leave information unchanged.

po[licy] [organization_name] [-al lifespan | forever] [-pl passwd_lifespan | forever] [-px passwd_exp_date |

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none]
[-pm *passwd_min_length*] [-pa | -pna] [-ps | -pns]

Changes or displays registry standard policy or the policy for an organization. (Note that policies for an organization are set with the **change** command in the organization domain.)

This command prompts you for changes. Press <Return> to leave information unchanged.

Enter *organization_name* to display or change policy for that specific organization. If you do not enter *organization_name* the subcommand affects standard policy for the entire registry.

The **-al** option determines the account's lifespan, the period during which accounts are valid. After this period of time passes, the accounts become invalid and must be recreated. An account's lifespan is also controlled by the **add** and **change** subcommands **-x** option. If the two lifespans conflict, the shorter one is used. Enter the *lifespan* in the following in the following format:

weeksw daysd hoursh minutesm

For example, 4 weeks and 5 days is entered as **4w5d**.

If you enter only a number and no weeks, days, or hours designation, the designation defaults to hours. If you end the lifespan with an number and no weeks, days, or hours designation, the number with no designation defaults to seconds. For example, **12w30** is assumed to be 12 weeks thirty seconds.

The **-pl** option determines the password lifespan, the period of time before account's password expires. Generally, users must change their passwords when the passwords expire. However, the policy to handle expired passwords and the mechanism by which users change their passwords are defined for each platform, usually through the login facility.

Enter *passwd_lifespan* as a number indicating the number of days. If you define a password lifespan as **forever**, the password has an unlimited lifespan.

The **-px** option specifies the password expiration date in the following format:

yy/ mm/ dd/ hh. mm: ss

Generally, users must change their passwords when the passwords expire. However, the policy to handle expired passwords and the mechanism by which users change their passwords are defined for each platform, usually through the login facility.

If you define a password expiration date as **none**, the password has an unlimited lifespan.

The **-pm**, **-ps**, **-pns**, **-pa**, and **-pna** options all control the format of passwords as follows:

-pm Specifies the minimum length of passwords in characters. If you enter 0, no password minimum length is in effect.

-ps and -pns

Specify whether passwords can contain all spaces (**-ps**) or cannot be all spaces (**-pns**).

-pa and -pna

Specify whether passwords can consist of all alphanumeric characters (**-pn**) or must include some nonalphanumeric characters (**-pna**).

au[th_policy]

Changes and/or displays registry authentication policies.

This command prompts you for changes. Press **<Return>** to leave information unchanged.

def[aults]

Changes or displays the home directory, login shell, password valid option, account expiration date, and account valid option default values that **rgy_edit** uses.

This command first displays the current defaults. It then prompts you for whether or not you want to make changes. If you make changes, **defaults** immediately changes the defaults for the current session, and it saves the new defaults in **\$HOME /.rgy_rditrc**. The newly saved defaults are used until you change them.

h[elp] [command]

Displays usage information for **rgy_edit**. If you do not specify a particular command, **rgy_edit** lists the available commands.

q[uit]

Exit **rgy_edit**.

e[xit]

Exit **rgy_edit**.

l[ogin] [user_name]

Lets you log in to a local machine and assume a new local identity from within the **rgy_edit** session. The **rgy_edit** login command prompts for a principal name (if unspecified by **user_name**) and password.

sc[ope] [name]

Limits the scope of the information displayed by the **view** subcommand to the directory (specified by *name*) in the registry database.

Related Information

Commands: **sec_admin(8sec)**, **dcecp(8dce)**.

rmxcred

Purpose

Purges ticket caches whose tickets have all expired, according to the command line options provided. The default is to remove all caches whose ticket-granting tickets (TGTs) are expired as of the current time, except for those associated with the DCE daemons that perform their own periodic ticket refresh functions:

- **cdsd**
- **dced**
- **secd**

Synopsis

```
rmxcred [-h hours] [-d days] [-v] [-f] ]-p principal]
```

Options

-h *hours*

Specifies that **rmxcred** will purge only those ticket caches whose TGTs had expired by the specified number of hours ago. Can be used in conjunction with **-d** to specify a time using both days and hours.

-d *days*

Specifies that **rmxcred** will purge only those ticket caches whose TGTs had expired by the specified number of days ago. Can be used in conjunction with **-h** to specify a time using both days and hours.

-v

Specifies that **rmxcred** runs in verbose mode. This option prints out the global principal names associated with the caches that are removed.

-f

Specifies a force option. This flag causes any ticket cache meeting the expiration criteria to be removed, even caches for the DCE daemons **cdsd**, **dced**, and **secd**.

-p *principal*

Specifies that **rmxcred** removes only those expired ticket caches that are associated with the specified principal. This includes principals associated with the aforementioned DCE daemons. You can specify a shortcut of **X** for principals in the form **hosts/any/X**. The shortcut is useful for removing machine context or CDS server credentials.

Description

The **rmxcred** command purges ticket caches whose entire ticket sets have expired; that is, a cache is removed if its TGT has expired. This command will not remove individual tickets from caches that happen to contain both expired and unexpired tickets. The removals are subject to certain other criteria controlled by the command-line options and default behavior.

Only ticket cache files located in the credentials directory (*dcelocal/var/security/creds*) are eligible for removal. By default, all expired ticket caches whose TGTs are currently expired are purged, except for those caches that represent three DCE clients:

- **hosts/dce_hostname/self**

- **hosts/dce_hostname/cds-server**
- **dce-rgy**

This default protection is offered so that there is no chance of causing serious DCE daemon refresh problems in `cdsd`, `dced`, and `secd` in cases where these daemons may be having temporary problems refreshing their TGTs. This protection is also useful for maintaining evidence needed for system debug and analysis when daemons have ticket refresh problems.

You can control the expiration criteria by using the **-d** option, the **-h** option, or both. When set, ticket caches meeting all other criteria are purged only if the TGT in that cache has been expired for at least the specified amount of time.

The invoker of this command must have an effective UID of 0.

Finally, the **rmxcred** command purges cache files that represent failed login attempts. These are files that do not have companion **.data** files.

Related Information

Files:

dcecred_XXXXXXXX

A ticket cache (XXXXXXXX represents 8 hexadecimal digits).

sec_admin

Purpose

Registry replica administration tool

Synopsis

```
sec_admin [-u[sage] | -v[ersion] | [-s[ite] name] [-nq]]
```

Options

-u[sage]

Causes command line options to be displayed.

-v[ersion]

Causes the OSF DCE version number, upon which this product is based, to be displayed.

-s[ite] *name name*

Causes **sec_admin** to bind to the replica specified by the *name* argument. If the option is not supplied, **sec_admin** binds randomly to any replica in the local cell. The *name* argument can be one of the following:

1. A specific cell_name (or */.*: for the local cell), to bind to any replica in the named cell.
2. The global name of a replica, to bind to that specific replica in that specific cell.
3. The name of a replica as it appears on the replica list, to bind to that replica in the local cell.
4. A string binding to a specific replica. An example of a string binding is **ncadg_ip_udp:15.22.144.163**. This form is used primarily for debugging or if the Cell Directory Service (CDS) is not available.

-nq

Turns off queries initiated by certain **sec_admin** subcommands before they perform a specified operation. For example, the **delrep** subcommand deletes a registry replica; before the deletion, **sec_admin** prompts for verification. If you invoke **sec_admin** with the **-nq** option, the deletion is performed without prompting.

Description

Note:

With the exception of the following subcommand, this command is replaced at DCE Version 1.1 by the **dcecp** command. This command may be fully replaced by the **dcecp** command in a future release of DCE, and may no longer be supported at that time.

1. **monitor**

This control program has been superseded by **dcecp**. It has not been enabled to support multibyte characters. If you are working in a multibyte or double-byte character set (DBCS) environment, you must use **dcecp**. (You are working in a multibyte or DBCS environment if you are using an implementation of DCE that has been translated from English to a language that uses the multibyte or double-byte character set.)

The registry database is replicated: each instance of a registry server, **secd**, maintains a working copy of the database in virtual memory and on disk. One server, called the master replica, accepts updates and handles the subsequent propagation of changes to all other replicas. All other replicas are slave replicas, which accept only queries. Each cell has one master replica and numerous slave replicas.

Using the **sec_admin** command, you can:

1. View a list of replicas.
2. Delete a replica.
3. Reinitialize a replica.
4. Stop a replica.
5. Put the master replica into and out of the maintenance state.
6. Generate a new master key used to encrypt principal keys.
7. Turn the master registry into a slave registry and a slave registry into the master registry.

Note that **sec_admin** cannot add, delete, or modify information in the database, such as names and accounts. Use **rgy_edit** to modify registry database entries.

The Default Replica and Default Cell

Most **sec_admin** commands are directed to a default replica. When **sec_admin** is invoked, it automatically binds to a replica in the local cell. This replica becomes the default replica.

Identifying the Default Replica and the Default Cell

Use the **site** subcommand to change the default replica and, optionally, the default cell. When you use the **site** subcommand, you can supply the name of a specific replica, or you can simply supply the name of a cell. If you supply a cell name, **sec_admin** binds to a replica in that cell randomly. If you supply a specific replica name, **sec_admin** binds to that replica.

Specifically, you can supply any of the following names to the **site** subcommand:

1. A cell name. If you enter a cell name, the named cell becomes the default cell. The **sec_admin** command randomly chooses a replica to bind to in the named cell, and that replica becomes the default replica.
2. The global name given to the replica when it was created. A global name identifies a specific replica in a specific cell. That cell becomes the default cell and that replica the default replica.
3. The replica's name as it appears on the replica list (a list maintained by each security server containing the network addresses of each replica in the local cell). That replica becomes the default replica and the cell in which the replica exists becomes the default cell.
4. The network address of the host on which the replica is running. The replica on that host becomes the default replica, and the cell in which the host exists becomes the default cell.

Naming the Default Replica

As an example, assume that the following is true of a replica named **subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_250_2**:

1. It exists in the local cell **/../dresden.com**.

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2. It has a global name of `/.../dresden.com/subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_250_2`.
3. It is named **subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_250_2** on the replica list.
4. It runs on a host whose **ip** network address is **15.22.144.248**.

This replica can be identified to the **site** subcommand in any of the following ways:

/.../dresden.com/subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_250_2

The replica's full global name.

subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_250_2

The replica's cell-relative name on the replica list.

ncadg_ip_udp:15.22.144.248

The network address of the host on which the replica runs.

Naming the Default Cell

When a default replica is identified specifically, its cell becomes the default cell. In the example in the previous section, the default cell is **/.../dresden.com**.

You can specify simply a cell name to the **site** subcommand. When this is done, any replica in that cell is selected as the default replica.

For example, assume that the following are replicas in the cell **/.../bayreuth.com**:

```
/.../bayreuth.com/subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_300_1  
/.../bayreuth.com/subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_300_2
```

If you enter **site /.../bayreuth.com**, then **/.../bayreuth.com** becomes the default cell and one of the following becomes the default replica:

```
/.../bayreuth.com/subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_300_1  
/.../bayreuth.com/subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_300_2
```

Automatic Binding to the Master

Some of the **sec_admin** subcommands can act only on the master registry and thus require binding to the master registry. If you execute a subcommand that acts only on the master and the master is not the default replica, **sec_admin** attempts to bind to the master replica in the current default cell automatically. If this attempt is successful, **sec_admin** displays a warning message informing you that the default replica has been changed to the master registry. The master registry will then remain the default replica until you change it with the **site** subcommand. If the attempt to bind is not successful, **sec_admin** displays an error message, and the subcommand fails.

Invoking sec_admin

When you invoke **sec_admin**, it displays the current default replica's full global name and the cell in which the replica exists. Then it displays the **sec_admin>** prompt.

```
sec_admin  
  Default replica: /.../dresden.com/subsys/dce/sec/music  
  Default cell: /.../dresden.com  
sec_admin>
```

At the **sec_admin>** prompt, you can enter any of the **sec_admin** subcommands.

Note: You must be authenticated to the DCE to invoke **sec_admin**.

Subcommands

The subcommand descriptions that follow use *default_replica* to indicate the default replica and *other_replica* to indicate a replica other than the default. The *other_replica* argument must identify a replica in the default cell. It is specified by its name on the cell's replica list (that is, by its cell-relative name). Use the **lrep** subcommand to view the default cell's replica list.

become [-master] [-slave]

The **-master** option makes the current default replica (which must be a slave) the master replica.

The **-slave** option makes the current default replica (which must be the master) a slave replica.

This method of changing to master or slave can cause updates to be lost. The **change_master** subcommand is the preferred means of designating a different master replica. However, you may find the **become -master** command useful if the master server is irrevocably damaged and you are unable to use **change_master**.

change_master -to *other_replica*

Makes the replica specified by *other_replica* the master replica. To perform this operation, *other_replica* must be a slave, and the current default replica must be the master. If the current default replica is not the master, **sec_admin** attempts to bind to the master. If the change operation is successful, the current master does the following:

1. Applies all updates to *other_replica*.
2. Becomes a slave.
3. Tells *other_replica* to become the master.

delr [ep] *other_replica* [-force]

Deletes the registry replica identified by *other_replica*. To perform this operation, the current default replica must be the master. If it is not, **sec_admin** attempts to bind to the master. If the delete operation is successful, the master does the following:

1. Marks *other_replica* as deleted.
2. Propagates the deletion to all replicas on its replica list.
3. Delivers the delete request to *other_replica*.
4. Removes *other_replica* from its replica list.

The **-force** option causes a more drastic deletion. It causes the master to first delete *other_replica* from its replica list and then to propagate the deletion to the replicas that remain on its list. Since this operation never communicates with the deleted replica, you should use **-force** only when the replica has died irrecoverably. If you use **-force** while *other_replica* is still running, you should then use the **destroy** subcommand to eliminate the deleted replica.

h [elp] [*command*]

Lists the **sec_admin** subcommands and shows their allowed abbreviations. If *command* is specified, displays help for the specified command. The **-all** option shows all the information.

info [-full]

Displays status information about the default replica. The **info** subcommand

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contacts the default replica to obtain the appropriate information. If this information is not available, **info** prints the replica name and a message stating that the information is not available.

Without the **-full** option, **info** displays the following:

1. The default replica's name and the name of the cell in which the replica exists.
2. Whether the replica is a master or a slave.
3. The date and time the replica was last updated and the update sequence number.
4. An indication of the replica's state, as follows:

Bad State

The state of the replica prohibits the requested operation.

Uninitialized

The database is a stub database that has not been initialized by the master replica or another up-to-date replica

Initializing

The replica is in the process of being initialized by the master replica or another up-to-date replica

In Service

The replica is available for queries and propagation updates if it is a slave replica or queries and updates if it is the master replica

Copying Database

The replica is in the process of initializing (copying its database to) another replica

Saving Database

The replica is in the process of saving its database to disk.

In Maintenance

The replica is unavailable for updates but will accept queries

Changing Master Key

The replica is in the process of having its master key changed

Becoming Master

The replica is in the process of becoming the master replica (applicable to slave replicas only)

Becoming Slave

The master replica is in the process of becoming a slave replica (applicable to the master replicas only)

Closed

The replica is in the process of stopping

Deleted

The replica is in the process of deleting itself

Duplicate Master

The replica is a duplicate master and should be deleted

The master replica is available for queries when it is in the **In Service**, **Copying Database**, **In Maintenance**, **Changing Master Key**, and **Becoming Slave** states. It is available for updates only when it is in the **In Service** state.

A slave replica is available for queries when it is in the **In Service**, **Copying Database**, **Changing Master Key**, and **Becoming Master** states. It accepts updates from the master replica only when it is in the **In Service** state. It accepts a request from the master replica to initialize only when it is in the **Uninitialized** or **In Service** state.

The **-full** option displays all the above information and the following information as well:

1. The default replica's unique identifier.
2. The replica's network addresses.
3. The unique identifier of the cell's master replica.
4. The network addresses of the cell's master replica.
5. The master sequence number, which is the sequence number of the event that made the replica the master.
6. If the replica is the master, the update sequence numbers that are still in the propagation queue and have yet to be propagated.

initr [ep] *other_replica*

Reinitializes a replica by copying an up-to-date database to *other_replica*. The master replica initiates and guides the operation. If the operation is successful, the following actions take place:

1. The master replica does the following:
 - a. Marks *other_replica* for reinitialization.
 - b. Tells *other_replica* to reinitialize itself.
 - c. Gives *other_replica* a list of replicas with up-to-date databases.
2. The *other_replica* picks a replica from the list and asks that replica to initialize it (that is, to copy its database to *other_replica*).

To perform this operation, *other_replica* must be a slave, and the current default replica must be the master. If the current default replica is not the master, **sec_admin** attempts to bind to the master.

This subcommand is generally not used under normal conditions.

lr [ep] [-s[tate]] [-u[uid]] [-a[addr]] [-p[rop]] [-al[l]]

Lists the replicas on the default replica's replica list.

If you enter no options, the display includes the replica name and whether or not it is the master replica. In addition if the master replica's list is being displayed, slave replicas marked for deletion are noted. With options, the display includes this information and the information described in the following paragraphs.

The **-state** option shows each replica's current state, the date and time the replica was last updated, and the update sequence number. To obtain this information, **lrep** contacts each replica. If this information is not available from the replica, **lrep** prints the replica name and a message stating the information is not available.

The **-addr** option shows each replica's network addresses. The **-uid** option shows each replica's unique identifier. The **-prop** option shows the following:

1. The date and time of the last update the master sent to each slave replica.
2. The sequence number of the last update to each slave replica.

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3. The number of updates not yet applied to each slave replica.
4. The status of the master replica's last communication with each slave replica.
5. The propagation state of each slave replica. This state, illustrates how the master replica views the slave replica, can be any of the following:

Bad State

The state of the replica prohibits the requested operation.

Marked for Initialization

The replica has been marked for deletion by the master replica.

Initialized

The replica has been marked for initialization by the master replica.

Initializing

The replica is in the process of being initialized by the master replica.

Ready for Updates

The replica has been initialized by the master replica and is now available for propagation updates from the master replica.

Marked for Deletion

The replica has been marked for deletion by the master replica.

This information is obtained from the master replica; the slave replicas are not contacted for this information.

The **-prop** option is valid only for the master.

For slave replicas, the **-all** option shows all the information above except that displayed by the **-prop** option. For the master replica, the **-all** option shows all the information.

mas [ter_key]

Generates a new master key for the default replica and reencrypts account keys using the new key. The new master key is randomly generated. Each replica (master and slaves) maintains its own master key used to access the data in its copy of the database.

monitor [-r m]

Periodically lists the registry replicas stored in the current default replica's replica list. The list includes each replica's current state, the date and time the replica was last updated and the update sequence number.

The **monitor** subcommand contacts each replica to obtain the information it displays. If this information is not available from the replica, **monitor** prints the replica name and a message stating the information is not available.

The **-r** option causes the replicas to be listed at intervals you specify. The *m* argument is a number of minutes between intervals. The default is 15 minutes.

destroy default_replica

Destroys the current default replica. To perform this operation, the current default replica and the default replica you name as *default_replica* must be the same. This is to confirm your desire to perform the deletion.

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If the operation is successful, the default replica deletes its copy of the registry database and stops running. This subcommand does not delete *default_replica* from the replica lists. Use the **delrep -force** subcommand to delete the replica from the other replica lists.

The preferred way to delete replicas is to use the **delrep** subcommand. However, the **destroy** subcommand can be used if **delrep** is unusable because the master is unreachable or the replica is not on the master's replica list.

site [*name* [-u[*pdate*]]]

Sets or displays the default cell and the default replica.

The *name* argument identifies the replica to set as the default replica and, as a consequence, the default cell. It can be one of the following:

1. A specific *cell_name* (or */.*: for the local cell) to make any replica in the named cell the default.
2. The global name of a replica to make the specified replica in the specified cell the default.
3. The name of a replica as it appears on the replica list to make the named replica (which exists in the default cell) the default replica.
4. A string binding to a specific replica. An example of a string binding is **ncadg_ip_udp:15.22.144.163**. This form is used primarily for debugging or if CDS is not available.

The **-u** option specifies that **sec_admin** should find the master replica. Normally you specify the name of a cell for *name* in conjunction with the **-u** option. In this case **sec_admin** finds the master replica in that cell. If you use a replica name for *name*, **sec_admin** queries the named replica to find the master replica in the named replica's cell.

If you supply no arguments, **sec_admin** displays the current default replica and default cell.

stop Stops the security server (**secd**) associated with the default replica.

sta [*te*] -maintenance | -service

Puts the master replica into maintenance state or takes it out of maintenance state. This subcommand is useful for performing backups of the registry database.

If the current default replica is not the master, **sec_admin** attempts to bind to the master.

The **-maintenance** flag causes the master replica to save its database to disk and refuse any updates.

The **-service** flag causes the master replica to return to its normal "in service" state and start accepting updates.

e [*xit*] or q [*ui t*]

Ends the **sec_admin** session.

Examples

1. The following example invokes **sec_admin** and uses the **lrep** subcommand to list replicas on the replica list and their states:

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```
/opt/dcelocal/bin/sec_admin
Default replica: \
  ../dresden.com/subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_250_2
Default cell: ../dresden.com
sec_admin> lrep -st
Replicas in cell ../dresden.com
(master) subsys/dce/sec/master
  state: in service
  Last update received at: 1993/11/16.12:46:59
  Last update's seqno: 0.3bc
subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_250_2
  state: in service
  Last update received at: 1993/11/16.12:46:59
  Last update's seqno: 0.3bc
subsys/dce/sec/rs_server_250_3
  state: in service
  Last update received at: 1993/11/16.12:46:59
  Last update's seqno: 0.3bc
```

2. The following example sets the default replica to the master in the local cell:

```
sec_admin> site /.: -u
Default replica: ../dresden.com/subsys/dce/sec/master
Default cell: ../dresden.com
```

Related Information

Commands: **rgy_edit(8sec)**, **dtscp(8dts)**.

sec_create_db

Purpose

Registry database creation utility

Synopsis

```
sec_create_db -h[elp] {-master | -slave} -my[name] my_server_name [-cr[eator] creator_name] [-cu[nix_id] creator_unix_id] -g[roup_low_id] g_unix_id [-k[eyseed] keyseed] [-ma[x_unix_id] max_unix_id] [-o[rg_low_unix_id] o_unix_id] [-pa[ssword] default_password] [-p[erson_low_unix_id] p_unix_id] [-u[uid] cell_uuid] [-v[erbose]]
```

Options

The following options can be used with **sec_create_db**. If you specify the **-slave** option, you can specify only the **-my[name]**, **-k[eyseed]**, and **-v[erbose]** options.

-h[elp]

Returns help information for available options.

{-master | -slave}

Specifies whether the database for the master replica should be created (**-master**) or a database for a slave replica should be created (**-slave**). All other **sec_create_db** options can be used with the **-master** option. Only the **-myname**, **-keyseed**, and **-verbose** options can be used with the **-slave** option.

-my[name]

Specifies the name that will be used by the Directory Service to locate the machine on which the cell's Security Server is running.

-cr[eator]

Specifies the principal name of the initial privileged user of the registry database (known as the registry creator).

-cu[nix_id]

Specifies the UNIX ID of the initial privileged user of the registry database. If you do not enter the UNIX ID, it is assigned dynamically.

-g[roup_low_unix_id]

Specifies the starting point for UNIX IDs automatically generated by the Security Service when groups are added with the **rgy_edit** command.

k[eyseed]

Specifies a character string used to seed the random key generator in order to create the master key for the database you are creating. It should be string that cannot be easily guessed. The master key is used to encrypt all account passwords. Each instance of a replica (master or slave) has its own master key. You can change the master key using the **sec_admin** command.

-ma[x_unix_id]

Specifies the highest UNIX ID that can be assigned to a principal, group, or organization.

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-o[rg_low_unix_id]

Specifies the starting point for UNIX IDs automatically generated by the Security Service when organizations are added with the **rgy_edit** command.

-pa[ssword]

The default password assigned to the accounts created by **sec_create_db**, including the account for the registry creator. If you do not specify a default password, **-dce-** is used. (Note that the **hosts /local_host/self none none**, **krbtgt /cell_name none none**, and **nobody none none** accounts are not assigned the default password, but instead a randomly generated password.)

-p[erson_low_unix_id]

Specifies the starting point for UNIX IDs automatically generated by the Security Service when principals are added with the **rgy_edit** command.

-u[uid]

Specifies the cell's UUID. If you do not enter this UUID, it is assigned dynamically.

-v[erbose]

Specifies that **sec_create_db** runs in verbose mode and displays all activity.

Description

The **sec_create_db** tool creates new master and slave databases in *dcelocal/var/security/rgy_data* on the machine from which **sec_create_db** is run. Normally, these databases are created only once by the system configuration tool, **dce_config**. However, you can use **sec_create_db** if you need to re-create the master or a slave database from scratch. You must be root to invoke **sec_create_db**.

The **sec_create_db -master** option creates the master database on the machine on which it is run. This database is initialized with names and accounts, some of them reserved. You must use the **rgy_edit** command to populate the database with objects and accounts.

When the master registry database is created, default ACL entries for registry objects are also created. These entries give the most privileged permission set to the principal named in the **-cr[erator]** option. If the principal is not one of the reserved names and accounts, **sec_create_db** adds it as a new principal and adds an account for that new principal. If the **-cr** option is not used, root is the creator.

The **sec_create_db -slave** option creates a slave database on the machine on which it is run. This command creates a stub database on the local node in *dcelocal/var/security/rgy_data* and adds the newly created replica to the master's replica list. The master then marks the replica to be initialized when a Security Server is started on the slave's node.

The **sec_create_db** command also creates a registry configuration file, named *dcelocal/etc/security/pe_site*, that contains the network address of the machine on which the database is created. This file supplies the binding address of the **secd** master server if the Naming Service is not available.

Files

/dcelocal/etc/security/pe_site

The file containing the network address of the machine on which the security database is created.

/dcelocal/var/security/rgy_data

The directory in which the registry database files are stored.

Related Information

Commands: **secd(8sec)**, **sec_admin(8sec)**

secd

Purpose

The DCE security server

Synopsis

```
secd [-b[ootstrap]] [-lockpw] [-locksm pname] [-rem[ote]] [-cpi time]  
[-restore_master] [-v[erbose]] [-d [ebug]] [-t [hread] count]
```

Options

-locksm[ith]

Restarts the master security server in locksmith mode. Use this mode if you cannot access the registry as the principal with full registry access, because that principal's account has been inadvertently deleted or its password lost.

-lockpw

Prompt for a new locksmith password when running in locksmith mode. This option allows you to specify a new password for the locksmith account when the old one is unknown.

-rem[ote]

Allows the locksmith principal to log in remotely. If this option is not used, the principal must log in from the local machine on which **secd** will be started.

-bo[otstrap]

Always waits only one minute between tries to export binding information to the Cell Directory Service (CDS) during DCE configuration. If you do not specify this option, during initialization **secd** sleeps for 1 minute if CDS is not available when it tries to export binding information. If the export fails a second time, it sleeps for 2 minutes before it tries again. If it still fails, it sleeps for 4, 8, and 16 minutes between retries. Then, sleep time stays at 16 minutes until the binding export succeeds.

-cpi *time*

The checkpoint interval for the master registry database. This is the interval in seconds at which the master will read its database to disk. The default is one hour.

-restore_master

Marks all slave replicas for initialization during the master restart. Use this option only to recover from a catastrophic failure of the master security server (for example, if the database is corrupted and then restored from a backup tape).

-v[erbose]

Runs in verbose mode.

-d[ebug]

This option causes **secd** to run in the foreground and is normally used in conjunction with the **-verbose** option.

-t[hreads] *count*

Specifies the number of listener-threads created to service **secd** client requests. If this option is not specified, a default of 5 listener-threads are created. The count used must be between the range of 5 and 15, inclusive.

The **-threads** option provides a tuning mechanism for increasing the number of requests **secd** can have pending at any instance. Since a 64K stack pool is reserved per listener-thread, the amount of RAM on the server machine should be taken into consideration when this option is specified.

All options start the security server on the local node.

Arguments

pname

The name of the locksmith principal. If no registry account exists for this principal, the security server creates one.

Description

The **secd** daemon is the security server. It manages all access to the registry database. You must have **root** privileges to invoke **secd**.

The security server can be replicated, so that several copies of the registry database exist on a network, each managed by a **secd** process. Only one security server, the master replica, can perform database update operations (such as adding an account). Other servers, the slave replicas, can perform only lookup operations (such as validating a login attempt).

A DCE host daemon (**dcled**) must be running on the local node when **secd** is started. Typically, **dcled** and **secd** are started at boot time. The **secd** server places itself in the background when it is ready to service requests.

Locksmith Mode

The **secd -locksmith** option starts **secd** in locksmith mode. The **-locksmith** option can be used only with the master replica. In locksmith mode, the principal name you specify to **secd** with *pname* becomes the locksmith principal. As the locksmith principal, you can repair malicious or accidental changes that prevent you from logging in with full registry access privileges.

If no account exists for *pname*, **secd** establishes one and prompts you for the account's password. (Use this password when you log into the account as the locksmith principal.) If an account for *pname* exists, **secd** changes the account and policy information as described in the tables that follow. The first shows locksmith account changes; server; the second shows registry policy changes. These changes ensure that even if account or registry policy was tampered with, you will now be able to log into the locksmith account.

In locksmith mode, all principals with valid accounts can log in and operate on the registry with normal access checking. The locksmith principal, however, is granted special access to the registry: no access checking is performed for the authenticated locksmith principal. This means that, as the locksmith principal, you can operate on the registry with full access.

If the security server finds	It changes
Password-Valid flag is set to no	Password-Valid flag to yes
Account Expiration date is set to less than the current time plus one hour	Account Expiration date to the current time plus one hour
Client flag is set to no	Client flag to yes

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If the security server finds	It changes
Account-Valid flag is set to no	Account-Valid flag to yes
Good Since date is set to greater than the current time	Good Since date to the current time
Password Expiration date is set to less than current time plus one hour	Password Expiration date to the current time plus one hour

If the security server finds	It changes
Account Lifespan is set to less than the difference between the locksmith account creation date and the current time plus one hour	Account Lifespan to the current time plus one hour minus the locksmith account creation date
Password Expiration date is set to greater than the time the password was last changed but less than the current time plus one hour	Password Expiration date to the current time plus one hour

Use the **-lockpw** option if the locksmith account exists but you do not know its password. This option causes **secd** to prompt for a new locksmith password and replace the existing password with the one entered.

Use the **-remote** option to allow the locksmith principal to log in from a remote machine.

The **secd** process normally runs in the background. When you start **secd** in locksmith mode, it runs in the foreground so that you can answer prompts.

Examples

All of the commands shown in the following examples must be run by **root**.

1. Start a security server after you create the database with **sec_create_db** as follows:

```
dcelocal/bin/secd
```

2. Start the security server in locksmith mode and allow the **master_admin** principal to log in on a remote machine with the following command:

```
dcelocal/bin/secd  
-locksmith master_admin -remote
```

Related Information

Commands: **dcecp(8dce)**, **dced(8dce)**.

Chapter 6. IBM DCE 2.2 for AIX Configuration Commands

This chapter contains the DCE configuration commands. The commands described are:

config.dce

Configures the DCE components.

start.dce

Starts the DCE daemons configured on the local machine.

stop.dce

Displays the DCE and DFS components configured on the local machine.

chpesite

Updates the contents of the **/opt/dcelocal/etc/security/pe_site** file.

clean_up.dce

Cleans the DCE databases, sockets, and cache files, creates backup log files, and removes DCE-generated core files.

mkreg.dce

Adds information about a DCE cell into the domain namespace.

mkdcweb

Configures DCE Administration, DFS Web Secure, or both into a Netscape FastTrack 2.01 or Enterprise 2.01 web server.

rmdcweb

Unconfigures DCE Administration, DFS Web Secure, or both from a Netscape FastTrack 2.01 or Enterprise 2.01 web server.

rmreg.dce

Removes information about a DCE cell from the domain namespace.

unconfig.dce

Removes configuration of the DCE components.

Note: For information about support of user-supplied configuration commands, see *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Quick Beginnings*.

config.dce

Purpose

Configures the DCE components.

Synopsis

```
config.dce [--admin_pwd password] [--autostart {yes|no}] [--cds_server cds_server]
[--cell_admin cell_admin_id] [--cell_name cell_name] [--clr_house server_id]
[--config_type {full | local | admin}] [--courier_role {courier | noncourier | backup}]
[--dce_hostname dce_hostname] [--group_rsp_path filename] [--host_id machine
identifier] [--lan_profile profile] [--ldap_server LDAP server] [--max_unix_id
max_UNIX_id] [--min_group_id min_group_id] [--min_org_id min_org_id]
[--min_princ_id min_principal_id] [--no_pesite_update {yes/no}] [--pesite_update_time
pesite update interval][--protocol {tcp udp}] [--proxy] [--pwdstr_arg command line
args] [--pwdstr_cmd server name] [--pwdstr_principal password strength principal_id]
[--pwdstr_protect_level protection_level] [--rsp_file filename] [--sec_master
master_security_server] [--sec_server_name security_server_name] [--sync_clocks]
[--time_server server_id] [usage] [-?] [help] [operations] components
```

Note: The command can recognize unique abbreviated option strings. For example, **-adm** is recognized as **-admin_pwd**. Ensure that the abbreviated strings are unique, **-min** would not be recognized because there are three options (**-min_group_id**, **-min_org_id**, and **-min_principal_id**) that begin with that string. **-min_g**, **-min_o**, and **-min_p**, however, would be recognized because they are unique.

Configuring Clients

To Admin Configure a Client:

```
config.dce --config_type admin --host_id machine identifier
[--dce_hostname dce_hostname] [--cell_admin cell_admin_id] [--lan_profile
profile] cds_cl | sec_cl
```

To Local Configure a Client:

```
config.dce --config_type local [--cell_name cell_name] [--dce_hostname
dce_hostname] [--sec_master security_server] [--cds_server cds_server]
client_components
```

To Full Configure a Client:

```
config.dce --config_type full [--cell_name cell_name] [--dce_hostname
dce_hostname] [--cell_admin cell_admin_id] [--sec_master security_server]
[--cds_server cds_server] [--lan_profile profile] client_components
```

To Configure a Slim Client:

```
config.dce [--config_type {full | local}] [--cell_name cell_name]
[--dce_hostname dce_hostname] [--sec_master master_security_server]
[--cds_server cds_server] slim_cl
```

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To Configure a Master Security Server:

```
config.dce --cell_name cell_name [--cell_admin cell_admin_id]
[--admin_pwd password] [--verify_pwd password] [--min_princ_id
min_principal_id] [--min_group_id min_group_id] [--min_org_id min_org_id]
[--max_unix_id max_UNIX_id] sec_srv
```

To Configure a Security Replica:

config.dce [-sec_server_name *security_server*] [-cell_name *cell_name*]
 [-cell_admin *cell_admin_id*] [-sec_master *master_security_server*]
 [-cds_server *cds_server*] sec_rep

Note: The **config.dce** command replicates the `./subsys/dce/sec` directory when it configures a secondary CDS server. During the configuration of a Security Replica, entries are created in this directory but they might not be immediately propagated to the CDS secondary servers. Because these entries are referenced during subsequent pieces of the Security Replica configuration, failures can occur. To prevent this type of failure, stop all **cdsd** daemons that are running on secondary CDS servers before configuring a Security Replica into the cell. After the successful configuration of the security replica, restart the **cdsd** daemons.

To Configure an Initial Cell Directory Service (CDS) Server:

config.dce [-cell_name *cell_name*] [-cell_admin *cell_admin_id*]
 [-sec_master *security_server*] cds_srv

To Configure an Additional CDS Server:

config.dce [-cell_name *cell_name*] [-cell_admin *cell_admin_id*]
 [-sec_master *security_server*] [-cds_server *cds_server*] [-lan_profile *profile*]
 cds_second

To Configure a DTS Server:

config.dce [-courier_role {courier | noncourier | backup}] [-cell_name
cell_name] [-cell_admin *cell_admin_id*] [-sec_master *security_server*]
 [-cds_server *cds_server*] [-lan_profile *profile*] dts_local | dts_global

To Configure a Global Directory Agent:

config.dce [-cell_name *cell_name*] [-cell_admin *cell_admin_id*]
 [-sec_master *security_server*] [-cds_server *cds_server*] [-lan_profile *profile*]
 gda_srv

Options

-admin_pwd *password*

Specifies the cell administrator password. Caution should be used with this option because of the security risk it poses by making this password accessible to others.

-autostart {yes|no}

Specifies that the configured components should be started at machine boot. (An **rc.dce** entry is placed in `/etc/inittab`.)

-cds_server *cds_server*

Specifies the TCP/IP hostname or the TCP/IP address of a CDS server. If the local machine is separated from all CDS servers by a router or a gateway that does not pass broadcast packets, a CDS server must be specified using the **-cds_server** option or CDS cannot be configured. This option should be used for all components except **rpc**, the initial **sec_srv**, **snmp_srv**, and the initial **cds_srv**.

-cell_admin *cell_admin_id*

Specifies the name of the cell administrator account. When configuring the master Security server (the **sec_srv** component), the **config.dce** command gives this account privileges throughout the cell. Otherwise, the account named must have sufficient privilege to perform configuration tasks within the cell. If the **-cell_admin** option is not specified, the account **cell_admin**

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will be assumed. The value for **cell_admin** is used by all components except **rpc**, **snmp_srv**, **audit**, and **dce_unixd**.

-cell_name *cell_name*

Specifies the name of the DCE cell into which the machine should be configured. If the **-cell_name** option is not specified, the **config.dce** command uses the cell name in the file **/etc/dce/dce_cf.db**. A value for *cell_name* is required by all components except **snmp**. The value can either be in the form of **/.../cellname** or *cellname*.

-clr_house *server id*

Specifies an additional CDS server clearinghouse name.

-config_type {**full** | **local** | **admin**}

Allows the cell administrator to split configuration by specifying **admin**, **local**, or **full** configuration of clients within the DCE cell. The **-config_type** option has three available **config_types**:

admin Indicates the admin portion of client configuration. This updates the namespace and security registry with information about the new client.

The admin piece of configuring a client requires the cell administrator to run the **config.dce** command from a machine within the existing cell. It should not be run from the new client machine. The cell administrator does not need root user authority to run the admin portion of configuration.

Note: When **config.dce** is called with **-config_type admin**, the **-host_id** option is also required. The **-host_id** option can be in the form of a TCP/IP address or host name (with or without the domain). The **-dce_hostname** flag is optional. If both flags are used and the machine identifier (**-host_id**) is in the form of a TCP/IP host name, **host** is called to get the IP address.

local Indicates the local portion of client configuration. This creates necessary files on the local machine and starts the daemons for the new client.

If the admin piece of **config.dce** has not yet been run, the local piece will fail when trying to contact the cell. In addition the user must have root authority on the machine, and does not need to have any authority in the DCE cell.

Note: When **config.dce** is called with **-config_type local**, the **-dce_hostname dce_hostname** option should be used with the same name that the cell administrator specified during the admin configuration. If the option is not used, the **dce_hostname** will be presumed to be the same as the name of the machine (including the domain, as returned from a call to the **host** command). If the name is not the same as the **dce_hostname** the cell administrator used when setting up the client, the configuration will fail.

full Indicates full configuration. This is the default. Full configuration includes both **admin** and **local** configuration steps. The DCE cell administrator must have root authority on the local machine being configured into the cell. If the **-config_type** option is not used, a full configuration will be assumed.

–courier_role {courier | noncourier | backup}

Specifies the interaction the server should have with the global servers in the cell when configuring a DTS server (**dts_local** or **dts_global** components). The **–courier_role** option must have one of the following values:

courier

The local server synchronizes with the global set of servers.

noncourier

The local server does not synchronize with the global set of servers.

backup

The local server becomes a courier if none are available on the local area network (LAN). This is the default.

–dce_hostname *dce_hostname*

Specifies the identifying name within the cell of the machine being configured. This can be the same as the TCP/IP hostname, but does not have to be. If the **–dce_hostname** is not used, the *dce_hostname* will default to the long TCP/IP hostname (hostname.domain) of the local machine. When **config.dce** is called with **–config_type** local, the **–dce_hostname** *dce_hostname* option should also be used with the same *dce_hostname* used by the cell administrator when **config.dce** was called with **–config_type** admin to configure the client machine. Otherwise, the configuration will fail. If the cell administrator does not use the **–dce_hostname** flag for the admin portion of configuration, the client is not required to use it either.

–host_id *machine identifier*

Specifies the TCP/IP hostname or the TCP/IP address of the client machine being admin configured. When **config.dce** is called with **–config_type** admin, the **–host_id** option must also be used. Admin configuration can be used for a machine whose TCP/IP address is not yet registered with a nameserver. In that situation, use the **–dce_hostname** *dce_hostname* option with the **–host_id** *IP_address* option.

Note: The **–host_id** option can be used only with the **–config_type** admin option.

–group_rsp_path *filename*

Specifies a directory path to use when searching for included response files.

–lan_profile *profile*

Specifies the name of the LAN profile this machine should use. If the profile does not yet exist, it is created. The default is **./lan_profile**.

–ldap_server *LDAP server*

Specifies the TCP/IP host name or the TCP/IP address of an LDAP server.

–max_unix_id *max_UNIX_id*

Specifies the highest UNIX ID that can be assigned to principals, groups, or organizations by the Security service. The default is 2,147,483,647.

–min_group_id *min_group_id*

Specifies the starting point (minimum UNIX ID) for UNIX IDs automatically generated by the Security service when groups are added. The default is 100.

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- min_org_id** *min_org_id*
Specifies the starting point for UNIX IDs automatically generated by the Security service when organizations are added. The default is 100.
- min_princ_id** *min_principal_id*
Specifies the starting point (minimum UNIX ID) for UNIX IDs automatically generated by the Security service when principals are added. The default is 100.
- no_pesite_update** {**yes**|**no**}
Specifies that DCED will not update the `pe_site` file automatically.
- pesite_update_time** *pe_site update interval*
Specifies the amount of time, in minutes, that DCED will wait between updates to the `pe_site` file.
- protocol** {**tcp** **udp**}
Specifies which communication protocols to support. Valid values are: **tcp** and **udp**. If you will configure any DFS components, you must use **udp** or **udp** and **tcp**.
- proxy**
Specifies that the CDS client is to act as a CDS proxy.
- pwdstr_arg** *command line args*
Specifies one or more command line arguments to be passed to the password strength server. If more than one argument is passed, double-quotation marks should be used.
- pwdstr_cmd** *server name*
Specifies the name of the password strength server daemon. The default name is **pwd_strengthd**. When creating password-strength servers, it is important to remember that the server daemon should have sufficient owner and group permissions to perform its tasks. For example, if the password-strength server requires read access to `/etc/security`, then the user ID it runs under may need to belong to the security group.
- pwdstr_principal** *password strength principal id*
Specifies a principal ID for the password-strength server to run under. For a DCE principal ID, the password-strength server will use the credentials of the principal.
- pwdstr_protect_level** *protection level*
Specifies the protection level for the password-strength server. Valid values are:
 - pktprivacy**
(highest level of encryption, contains cdmf)
 - cdmf** (lowest level of encryption, contains pktinteg)
 - pktinteg**
no encryptionEncryption protection levels are selected as installation options. It is not valid to select **pktprivacy** if only the **cdmf** package is installed.
- rsp_file** *filename*
Specifies the full path name of a response file.
- sec_master** *master_security_server*
Specifies the host ID of the Master Security server. You can use the TCP/IP host name or the TCP/IP address of the master Security server for this

option. If the server is not specified, an attempt will be made to locate the master Security server using the Cell Directory Services (CDS). If the master Security server cannot be located, it must be specified using the **-sec_master** option or security cannot be configured. The **-sec_master** option is also needed when configuring a Security replica.

-sec_server_name *security_server*

Specifies the name to be given to the Security Server. The default name **dce_hostname** will be used if a Security Server is configured without specifying a name with the **-sec_server_name** option. Each Security Server must have a unique name within the cell. Using the default name helps ensure this uniqueness.

-sync_clocks

Specifies that this machine clock should be synchronized with the clock on a time server already in the cell.

-time_server *server_id*

Specifies the TCP/IP hostname or the TCP/IP address of a time server that can be used to synchronize clocks. If not specified, an attempt will be made to locate the DTS server using the Cell Directory Services (CDS). If a DTS server cannot be located, a DTS server must be specified using the **-time_server** option or the clocks cannot be synchronized.

usage Displays a help message.

-? Displays a help message.

help Displays a brief description for the passed arguments.

operations

Lists all the options and the components.

components

Specifies the components to be stopped.

The **Client Components** are:

all_cl All clients (**cds_cl**, **dts_cl**, **rpc**, and **sec_cl**).

client Same as **all_cl**.

cds_cl

CDS client.

dts_cl DTS client. This component and **dts_local** and **dts_global** are mutually exclusive.

rpc RPC daemon.

sec_cl

Security client.

slim_cl

Slim client.

dce_unixd

Integrated login.

The **Server Components** are:

audit Audit daemon.

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cds_second

Secondary CDS server. This component and **cds_srv** are mutually exclusive.

cds_srv

Initial CDS server for the cell. This component and **cds_second** are mutually exclusive.

core_srv

Single-machine cell components This is equivalent to including **cds_srv**, **sec_srv**, **cds_cl**, **sec_cl**, and **rpc**.

dts_global

DTS global server. This component and **dts_local** and **dts_cl** are mutually exclusive.

dts_local

DTS local server. This component and **dts_global** and **dts_cl** are mutually exclusive.

ems_srv

Event Management server.

gda

Global Directory Agent.

pw_strength_srv

Password-Strength server.

sec_srv

Security server.

sec_rep

Security replica.

snmp_srv

SNMP Subagent.

Description

The **config.dce** command configures and starts the specified DCE components. This command also configures and starts any prerequisite client components. The **config.dce** command configures only the core DCE components. Use the **config.dfs** command to configure DFS components.

Note: If you configure the DCE cell using an X.500 style name and you are running DFS, you will not be able to access the local cell DFS file space unless GDS is also configured.

You can configure a machine into a cell in two ways:

full configuration

used by the cell administrator (as root user) to complete all the configuration steps within the cell (updating the CDS namespace and the security registry) and on the local machine (creating files and starting daemons). Full configuration is specified with the **-config_type full** option. Full configuration is the default. If **-config_type** is not specified, a full configuration is performed.

split configuration

breaks the configuration tasks into two distinct segments, admin and local. Admin configuration is used by the cell administrator from a machine currently configured in the cell. The administrator uses split configuration to

update the CDS namespace and the security registry with necessary information about the client. Local configuration allows the root user of the new client to create files that are local to the system and to start the DCE client daemons. Split configuration is specified with the **-config_type admin** and **-config_type local** options.

Full configuration must be used for all servers. It can also be used for clients. Usually, the cell administrator does not have root user access for all the machines that are going to be configured into the cell as client machines. In this situation, split configuration is the option to use.

The admin portion must be run before the local portion can be run successfully. When **config.dce** is called with **-config_type admin**, the **-host_id** option is also needed to identify the machine to be configured as a client. The **-host_id** option can be in the form of a TCP/IP address or a TCP/IP hostname with or without the domain. The **-dce_hostname** flag is optional if the cell administrator wishes to specify the dce_hostname of the client machine. If the **-host_id IP_address** option is used without the **-dce_hostname** option, the dce_hostname will be presumed to be the same as the TCP/IP host name of the machine (including the domain as returned from a call to the **host** command).

A cell administrator might want to configure new clients into a cell before actually having the client machines available or before the host name and IP address are registered in the name server. The **config.dce -config_type admin** command, using the **-host_id IP_address -dce_hostname hostname** options will allow the namespace and security registry information to be updated without any calls to the nameserver for a machine not yet registered.

When **config.dce** is called with **-config_type local**, it is important that the client use the same dce_hostname used during the admin configuration. If the dce_hostname is not the same, the configuration will fail. (If the cell administrator did not use the **-dce_hostname** option, it is not necessary to use it for the local configuration.) If the cell name is not provided, a call to **getcellname** will determine if the local machine is already part of a cell. If it is, the assumption is made that additional client components are to be configured on this machine (for example, to add a CDS client to a machine with only a security client). If a cell name is not provided and the host is not already part of a cell, the configuration will fail.

When configuring the master Security server (the sec_srv component), **config.dce** will prompt you for the password to be assigned to the initial accounts it creates in the registry database, including that of the cell administrator. When configuring most other components, this command will prompt you for the password of the cell administrator account so it can perform configuration tasks that require DCE authentication. If the environment variable cell_admin_pw is set, **config.dce** uses its value for the cell administrator password without prompting you. This feature can be useful when you automate configuration tasks, but you should use it sparingly because of the security risk it poses by making this password accessible to others. Change the cell administrator password after the tasks are completed and the cell_admin_pw value is unset in order to limit the security risk. If a requested component is already configured, the **config.dce** command reports this and continues configuring other components. After the command has completed running, the configured components are listed on the screen. If a requested component is already partially configured, use the **unconfig.dce** command to clean it up before using the **config.dce** command to configure that component. To

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reconfigure a component with different parameters, use the **unconfig.dce** command to remove the existing configuration before running the **config.dce** command to set up the new configuration.

If a machine has a component configured, and additional components are to be configured, you do not have to respecify values for the **-cell_name**, **-sec_master**, **-cds_server**, and **-lan_profile** options. For example, if you have already configured the Security client on a machine, by specifying the name of the cell (**-cell_name**) and the Master Security server (**-sec_master**), you do not need to specify values for **-cell_name** and **-sec_master** again when you configure other DCE components on that machine.

Before configuring a machine into a cell, ensure that the machine clock is within five minutes of the cell master Security server clock. If the machine clock is skewed more than five minutes, the **config.dce** command may report authentication errors, and the configuration may fail. The **-sync_clocks** and the **-time_server server_id** options can be used to synchronize the machine clock to the specified time server.

The **-dce_hostname** option is used to specify the `dce_hostname` for a machine configured into a cell. The `dce_hostname` is completely independent of the TCP/IP host name of the machine. If the **-dce_hostname** option is not specified, the `dce_hostname` will default to the TCP/IP host name (including the domain; for example, **jas.austin.ibm.com**). The default clearinghouse for any `cds_second` servers will be `{dce_hostname}_ch`. A Security Server name will also default to the `dce_hostname` if the **-sec_server_name** option is not used. The recommended usage is to accept the default name.

Only one security server (either a Master Security server or a Security Replica) can run on a machine. The `sec_srv` component is used for the master Security server and `sec_rep` is used for the Security replica. The **config.dce** command will ensure that the security client (**dced**) and the CDS client (**cds_cl**, **cdsadv**, and **cdsclerk**) are running on the machine before starting the security daemon (**secd**). When configuring a Security Replica, the **-sec_master** option can be used to locate the Master Security server.

The **config.dce** command deliberately replicates the `./subsys/dce/sec` directory when it configures a secondary CDS server. During the configuration of a Security Replica, entries are created in this directory but they might not be propagated immediately to the CDS secondary servers. Since these entries are referenced during subsequent pieces of the Security Replica configuration, failures can occur. To prevent this type of failure, stop all **cdsd** daemons that are running on secondary CDS servers before configuring a Security Replica into the cell. After the successful configuration of the Security Replica, restart the **cdsd** daemons.

Examples

When configuring a DCE cell, first configure and start the Master Security server:

```
config.dce-cell_name/.../comp.sci.cell.uw.edu sec_srv
```

This command establishes the cell name as `./.../comp.sci.cell.uw.edu`, the name specified with the **-cell_name** option.

It creates the Master Security server using the default name (`cell_admin`) for the cell administrator account. It also configures and starts the RPC daemon and a Security client on the same machine as the Master Security server.

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To avoid UNIX ID conflicts when you merge your current `/etc/passwd` and `/etc/group` files into your new DCE registry, use the `-min_princ_id`, `-min_group_id`, `-min_org_id`, and `-max_unix_id` options to specify the starting point and maximum values for UNIX IDs assigned to principals, groups, and organizations when configuring the Master Security server. The `-dce_hostname` option is used to designate the `dce_hostname` of the machine.

```
config.dce -cell_name/.../comp.sci.cell.uw.edu -min_princ_id\  
2000 -min_group_id 2000 -min_org_id 2000 -max_unix_id\  
45000 dce_hostname csadmin sec_srv
```

After configuring and starting the Master Security server on a machine with the TCP/IP short hostname of `deptchair`, configure and start the initial CDS:

```
config.dce -cell_name/.../comp.sce.cell.uw.edu -sec_master\  
deptchair cds_srv
```

Because no `-cell_admin` option was specified, this command assumes that the name of the cell administrator account is `cell_admin`. This command also configures and starts the RPC daemon, a Security client, and a CDS client on the same machine as the initial CDS server.

To run the initial Security and CDS servers on the same machine, the previous examples can be combined into one command:

```
config.dce -cell_name/.../comp.sci.cell.uw.edu -dce_hostname\  
csadmin sec_srv cds_srv
```

To configure another machine as a DTS global courier server (in a different LAN than the initial CDS server), which is a client to all other DCE services, enter the following:

```
config.dce -cell_name/.../comp.sci.cell.uw.edu -dce_hostname\  
timemachine -courier_role courier -sec_master deptchair -cds_server deptchair\  
-lan_profile/./lan-prof-2 dts_global cds_cl
```

The `-lan_profile` option was used to specify a user-defined LAN profile rather than the default profile.

To specify the admin portion of configuration for a new client in the `comp.sci.cell.uw.edu` cell (requires cell administrator's password only) enter:

```
config.dce -config_type admin -host_id 129.35.6.1 a11_c1
```

If the TCP/IP hostname of the machine identified with the `-host_id` flag is `jas.austin.ibm.com`, the `dce_hostname` will default to `jas.austin.ibm.com`. If the lookup at the nameserver fails, the `dce_hostname` will be `129.35.6.1`.

```
config.dce -config_type admin -host_id chc cds_cl
```

The `dce_hostname` will default to `chc.austin.ibm.com`.

```
config.dce -config_type adm -host_id\  
pal401.pals.austin.ibm.com -dce_hostname mikep a11_c1
```

The `dce_hostname` is `mikep`. Note that it has no relationship to the TCP/IP host name. Admin configuration updates the CDS namespace and security registry with information about the new client being configured. The local configuration must subsequently be completed on the client machine.

To specify the local configuration for a new client (requires root authority only) enter:

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```
config.dce -config_type local\  
-cell_name/.../comp.sci.cell.uw.edu -sec_master deptchair\  
[-cgs_server deptchair] all_cl
```

The dce_hostname of this client is **jas.austin.ibm.com**, the same as its TCP/IP host name.

```
config.dce -config_type local -cell_name/.../comp.sci.cell.uw.edu\  
cgs_cl
```

If local configuration is done on an existing security client, it is not necessary to use the **-sec_master** or **-cgs_server** options.

```
config.dce -config_type local -cell_name/.../comp.sci.cell.uw.edu\  
-sec_master deptchair -dce_hostname mikep all_cl
```

The dce_hostname entered is the same one the cell administrator used during admin configuration.

Local configuration must be run after the admin configuration has been completed. To specify full configuration of a client into an existing cell (requires root authority and cell administrator password).

```
config.dce [-config_type full]\  
-cell_name/.../comp.sci.cell.uw.edu [-dce_hostname mjs]\  
-sec_master deptchair [-cgs_server deptchair] _cl
```

The dce_hostname if the **dce_hostname** option is not used and client TCP/IP address is determined by **config.dce** by a call to **hostname**.

Related Information

Commands: **unconfig.dce**.

start.dce

Purpose

Starts the DCE components configured on the local machine.

Synopsis

start.dce [all] [usage] [-?] [help] [operations] components

Options

all Starts the configured DCE and DFS components on the local machine.

usage Displays a help message.

-? Displays a help message.

help Displays a brief description for the passed arguments.

operations

Lists all the options and the components.

components

Specifies the components to be stopped.

The **Client Components** are:

all_cl All clients (**cds_cl**, **dts_cl**, **rpc**, and **sec_cl**)

client Same as **all_cl**

cds_cl

CDS clerk

dts_cl DTS client

rpc RPC daemon (rpcd)

sec_cl

Security client

slim_cl

Slim client

dce_unixd

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The **Server Components** are:

all_srv

All servers (**cds_second**, **cds_srv**, **dts_global**, **dts_local**, **gda**, **sec_srv**, **ems_srv**, **pw_strength_srv**, **sec_rep**, **snmp_srv**)

core All DCE components

core_srv

All core servers (**rpc**, **dced**, **sec_srv**, **cds_cl**, **cds_srv**)

audit Audit daemon

cds_second

Additional CDS servers

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cds_srv	Initial CDS server for the cell
dts_global	DTS global server
dts_local	DTS local server
ems_srv	Event Management server
gda	Global Directory Agent
pw_strength_srv	Password Strength server
sec_srv	Security server
sec_rep	Security replica
snmp_srv	SNMP Subagent

Description

The **start.dce** command starts the currently configured component daemons on the local machine.

To start both DFS and DCE components, use **start.dce all**. Otherwise, the **start.dce** command starts only the DCE components that are configured. To display configured components use the **show.cfg** command.

Related Information

Commands: **stop.dce**.

stop.dce

Purpose

Stops the DCE components configured on the local machine.

Synopsis

stop.dce [all] [usage] [-?] [help] [operations] components

Options

all Stops the DCE and DFS components configured on the local machine.

usage Displays a help message.

-? Displays a help message.

help Displays a brief description for the passed arguments.

operations

Lists all the options and the components.

components

Specifies the components to be stopped.

The **Client Components** are:

all_cl All clients (**cds_cl**, **dts_cl**, **rpc**, and **sec_cl**)

client Same as **all_cl**

cds_cl

CDS clerk

dts_cl DTS client

rpc RPC daemon

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Security client

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Slim client

dce_unixd

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The **Server Components** are:

all_srv

All servers (**cds_second**, **cds_srv**, **dts_global**, **dts_local**, **gda**, **sec_srv**, **ems_srv**, **pw_strength_srv**, **sec_rep**, **snmp_srv**)

core All DCE components

core_srv

All core servers (**rpc**, **dced**, **sec_srv**, **cds_cl**, **cds_srv**)

audit Audit daemon

cds_second

Additional CDS servers

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cds_srv	Initial CDS server for the cell
dts_global	DTS global server
dts_local	DTS local server
ems_srv	Event Management server
gda	Global Directory Agent
pw_strength_srv	Password-Strength server
sec_srv	Security server
sec_rep	Security replica
snmp_srv	SNMP Subagent

Description

The **stop.dce** command stops the currently configured component daemons on the local machine.

To stop both DFS and DCE components, use **stop.dce all**. Otherwise, the **stop.dce** command stops only the DCE components that are configured. To display configured components, use the **show.cfg** command.

Related Information

Commands: **start.dce**.

show.cfg

Purpose

Displays the DCE and DFS components configured on the local machine.

Synopsis

```
show.cfg [all] [dce][dfs] [usage] [-?] [help] [operations]
```

Options

- all** Lists both the DCE and DFS components configured on the local machine.
- dce** Displays the configured DCE components. This option is the default.
- dfs** Displays the configured DFS components.
- usage** Displays a help message.
- ?** Displays a help message.
- help** Displays a brief description for the passed arguments.
- operations**
Lists all the options and the components.

Description

The **show.cfg** command displays the currently configured components on the local machine and returns information about the configuration state and the running state.

Possible configuration states are:

Configured

The component is fully configured.

Partial

The component is only partially configured. A previous configuration or unconfiguration attempt failed.

Possible running states are:

Running

The component or daemon is running, has been initialized, and is ready for normal operation.

Not Running

The component or daemon is not running.

Not Available

The component or daemon is running but not listening.

Unknown

The state is unknown. DCE/DFS daemons are started or stopped using their fully qualified paths. **Unknown** is displayed when the fully qualified daemon is not found, but the daemon is found with either no path or a different path.

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To list both DFS and DCE components, use **show.cfg all**. Otherwise, the **show.cfg** command lists only the DCE components that are configured.

Related Information

Commands: **config.dce**, **unconfig.dce**.

chpesite

Purpose

Updates the contents of the `/opt/dcelocal/etc/security/pe_site` file.

Synopsis

chpesite [-v]

Options

-v Run in verbose mode, which allows **rpccp** messages to be displayed. Without this option, messages are suppressed.

Description

The **chpesite** command updates the contents of the `/opt/dcelocal/etc/security/pe_site` file. The `pe_site` file tells the location of security servers and what protocols they support. The `pe_site` file is created when a security client is configured.

Using **chpesite** updates the `pe_site` file by gathering information on other machines in the cell. If security replicas exist on the other machines, the **chpesite** command adds the appropriate entries for each replica to the `pe_site` file.

The **chpesite** command uses **rpccp** to gather the information needed for the `pe_site` file. Normally, **rpccp** messages are suppressed. Use the **-v** option to display these messages.

Note: The **cdsadv** daemon must be running to use the **chpesite** command. If **cdsadv** is not running, the **rpccp** calls in **chpesite** will fail. (When **chpesite** fails, use the **-v** option to view error messages.)

Use the **chpesite** command in the following situations:

- After configuring or unconfiguring a security replica in the cell, update the `pe_site` files on all other machines in the cell. This allows each machine in the cell to recognize the addition or removal of the security server, enabling better performance.

Note: Wait 5 to 10 minutes after configuring or unconfiguring the security replica before running **chpesite** on any machine in the cell. because of an **rpccp** timing window.

- Run **chpesite** as a cron job, once a day, on every machine in the cell. This resynchronizes all machines in the cell and keeps the cell up to date.

Files

`/opt/dcelocal/etc/security/pe_site`

Contains information about the location of security servers and the protocols supported by each security server. The `pe_site` file is created when a security client is configured.

chpesite

Related Information

Commands: **config.dce**, **unconfig.dce**.

For more information about configuring DCE, see *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Quick Beginnings* and *IBM DCE for AIX, Version 2.2: Administration Guide—Introduction*.

clean_up.dce

Purpose

Cleans the DCE databases, sockets, and cache files, creates backup log files, and removes DCE-generated core files.

Synopsis

```
clean_up.dce [-core] [-truncate_log] [usage] [-?] [help] [operations]
```

Options

-core Specifies that DCE-generated core files are to be removed.

-truncate_log

Specifies that backup DCE-generated log files should be created.

usage Displays a help message.

-? Displays a help message.

help Displays a brief description for the passed arguments.

operations

Lists all the options and the components.

Description

The **clean_up.dce** command cleans DCE databases, sockets, and cache files, creates backup log files, and removes DCE-generated core files. If DCE problems are encountered, the **clean_up.dce** command can be used to remove possibly corrupted files. All of the files that are removed will be recreated.

Without any options, the **clean.dce** command removes DCE databases, cache files, and socket files.

With the **-core** option, the **clean.dce** command removes core files.

When the **-truncate_log** option is used, backup files for the DCE serviceability log files are created in **/opt/dce/local/var/svc**.

Related Information

None.

mkreg.dce

Purpose

Adds information about a DCE cell into the domain namespace.

Synopsis

```
mkreg.dce [-input_file input_file] [-named_data_file named_data_file] [usage] [-?] [help] [operations]
```

Options

-input_file *input_file*

Specifies the name of a file containing information about the cell you want to register.

-named_data_file *named_data_file*

Specifies the name of the file that contains data for the name daemon, **named**, when registering a DNS-style cell name. The default is **/etc/named.data**.

usage Displays a help message.

-? Displays a help message.

help Displays a brief description for the passed arguments.

operations

Lists all the options and the components.

Description

The **mkreg.dce** command enters information about your DCE cell into the database maintained by your domain name server (the **named** daemon).

This command cannot be used to register X.500-style cell names.

If the name server machine is a member of the DCE cell you want to register, **mkreg.dce** will update the **named** data file you specify with the **-named_data_file** option. If the name daemon (**named**) is running, **mkreg.dce** will refresh **named**.

If the name server machine is not part of the DCE cell you want to register or is not configured with DCE at all, do one of the following:

- Generate the **mkreg.dce** input for the name server. On a machine that is part of the DCE cell you want to register, run the following two commands:

```
cdscp show cell /.:as dns>input.file
cdscp show clearinghouse/.:^*>>input.file
```

Take the resulting file to your domain name server and run **mkreg.dce**, using the **-input_file** option to specify the name of the input file.

- Generate the **mkreg.dce** output to add to the named data file on the name server.

It is necessary to create a temporary data file on a machine within the cell, with the information to append to the permanent data file on the name server. To do this, run the following two commands to create the file and add the relevant cell data to it:

```
>output.file  
mkreg.dce -named_data_file output.file
```

Take the resulting output.file to your domain name server, add the contents of this file to the **named** data file, and refresh the **named** daemon.

Note: When configuring with a DCE hostname, be sure to add the DCE host name and the proper IP address of the machine associated with the DCE host name to the list of host names. Remember that the DCE host name is case sensitive.

For example, if you configure a cell with the cell name **./:/hulacell.austin.ibm.com** on the machine named **mustang1** and set the DCE host name to be **hula.austin.ibm.com**, the following entry needs to be added to the **named.data** file on the DNS name server so that the machine name, or in this case the DCE host name, can be resolved to a TCP/IP address.

```
cdsaix1.austin.ibm.com IN A 129.35.66.4  
mustang1.austin.ibm.com IN A 129.35.69.52  
hula.austin.ibm.com IN A 129.35.69.52
```

Examples

To register a cell when the name server is configured as a CDS client of the cell, enter:

```
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```

To register a cell when the information about the cell and its CDS clearinghouse is contained in the file **/tmp/cell.info**, enter:

```
mkreg.dce-input_file/tmp/cell.info
```

Related Information

Commands: **rmreg.dce**.

mkdcweb

Purpose

Configures DCE Administration, DFS Web Secure, or both into a Netscape FastTrack 2.01 or Enterprise 2.01 web server.

Synopsis

```
mkdcweb [-n netscape_dir] -s netscape_id [-i userid] [-u on | off] [-t all | secure | admin] [-v] | -?
```

Options

- n *netscape_dir***
Identifies the Netscape server root directory. The default is **/usr/ns-home**.
- s *netscape_id***
Identifies the Netscape server identifier to configure.
- i *userid***
Identifies the operating system user ID under which the Netscape server will run. The Netscape server cannot run with the AIX userid of **nobody**.
- u on | off**
Specifies to allow unauthenticated DFS access. Unauthenticated DFS access is not allowed if Netscape runs as **root**. The default is **off**.
- t all | secure | admin**
Specifies which component to configure. The default is **all**.
- v(erbose)**
Specifies to prompt for any values not supplied.
- ?** Displays a help message.

Description

The **mkdcweb** command configures DCE Administration, DFS Web Secure, or both, into a Netscape FastTrack 2.01 or Enterprise 2.01 web server. Configuring DCE Administration also configures DFS Web Secure into the web server.

Examples

To configure both DCE Administration and DFS Web Secure into the **bullrun** web server with a Netscape root directory of **/usr/netscape**, enter:

```
mkdcweb -n /usr/netscape -s bullrun
```

Note: The web server **userid** specified in the Netscape web server configuration file, **magnus.conf**, will not be changed. The **-t** option wasn't supplied since configuring all components is the default.

To configure DCE Administration into the **antietam** web server with a **userid** of **burnside** at the Netscape root directory of **/user/ns-home**, enter:

```
mkdcweb -s antietam -i burnside -t admin
```

Note: The **-n** option wasn't specified because the Netscape root directory of `/usr/ns-home` is the default.

To configure DFS Web Secure only into the **gettysburg** web server with a Netscape root directory of `/usr/ns-home` with unauthenticated DFS access turned on, enter:

```
mkdceweb -s gettysburg -u on -t secure
```

Note: The web server userid specified in the Netscape web server configuration file, **magnus.conf**, will not be changed. Also the **-n** option wasn't specified because the Netscape root directory of `/usr/ns-home` is the default.

Related Information

Commands: **rmdceweb**.

rmdceweb

Purpose

Unconfigures DCE Administration, DFS Web Secure, or both from a Netscape FastTrack 2.01 or Enterprise 2.01 web server.

Synopsis

```
rmdceweb [-n netscape_dir] -s netscape_id [-t all | secure | admin] [-c] [-v] | -?
```

Options

- n** *netscape_dir*
Identifies the Netscape server root directory. The default is **/usr/ns-home**.
- s** *netscape_id*
Identifies the Netscape server identifier to unconfigure.
- t** **all** | **secure** | **admin**
Specifies which component to unconfigure. The default is **all**.
- c(lean)**
Specifies to remove archived configuration data files.
- v(erbose)**
Specifies to prompt for any values not supplied.
- ?** Displays a help message.

Description

The **rmdceweb** command is used to unconfigure DCE Administration, DFS Web Secure, or both, from a Netscape FastTrack 2.01 or Enterprise 2.01 web server. You must unconfigure DFS Web Secure before uninstalling it. Unconfiguring DFS Web Secure also unconfigures DCE Administration, if it was configured. Unconfiguration returns the Netscape servers to a non-DFS and a non-DCE state by removing DFS Web Secure or DCE Administration information or both.

Examples

To unconfigure both DCE Administration and DFS Web Secure from the **bullrun** web server with a Netscape root directory of **/usr/netscape**, enter:

```
rmdceweb -n /usr/netscape -s bullrun
```

To unconfigure DFS Web Secure only from the **gettysburg** web server, enter:

```
rmdceweb -s gettysburg -t secure
```

Related Information

Commands: **mkdceweb**.

rmreg.dce

Purpose

Removes information about a DCE cell from the domain namespace.

Synopsis

```
rmreg.dce [-dns_cell_name dns_cell_name] [-named_data_file named_data_file]  
[usage] [-?] [help] [operations]
```

Options

-named_data_file *named_data_file*

Specifies the name of the file on the domain name server that contains the data for the **named** daemon. The default is **/etc/named.data**.

-dns_cell_name *dns_cell_name*

Specifies the cell name to be unregistered. If no **-dns_cell_name** option is specified, the **rmreg.dce** command uses the cell name in the **/etc/dce/dce_cf.db** file.

usage Displays a help message.

-? Displays a help message.

help Displays a brief description for the passed arguments.

operations

Lists all the options and the components.

Description

The **rmreg.dce** command removes entries from the database maintained by your domain name server (the **named** daemon) that were added by the **mkreg.dce** command.

This command cannot be used to unregister X.500-style cell names.

This command must be run on the nameserver with which the cell is registered. Use the **-named_data_file** option to specify the name of the data file used by the name daemon (**named**). The cell information is removed from the specified file. In addition, **named** is refreshed if it is already running.

If the nameserver machine is not part of the DCE cell, the **-dns_cell_name** option must be used.

Examples

To unregister a cell named **/.../comp.sci.cell**, enter:

```
rmreg.dce -dns_cell_name /.../comp.sci.cell
```

Related Information

Commands: **mkreg.dce**.

unconfig.dce

Purpose

Removes configuration of the DCE components.

Synopsis

```
unconfig.dce [-admin_pwd password] [-cell_admin cell_admin id] [-config_type {full | local | admin}] [-dce_hostname dce_hostname] [-dependents] [-force] [-group_rsp_path filename] [-host_id machine identifier] [-pwdstr_principal password strength principal id] [-rsp_file filename] [all] [usage] [-?] [help] [operations] components
```

To Remove Admin Configuration:

```
unconfig.dce -config_type admin -dce_hostname dce_hostname [-cell_admin cell_admin id] [-dce_hostname dce_hostname] [-dependents] [-force] [-pwdstr_principal password strength principal id] components
```

To Remove Local Configuration:

```
unconfig.dce -config_type local [-dependents] [-force] [-pwdstr_principal password strength principal id] components
```

To Remove Full Configuration:

```
unconfig.dce -config_type full [-cell_admin cell_admin id] [-dependents] [-force] [-pwdstr_principal password strength principal id] components
```

Options

-admin_pwd *password*

Specifies the cell administrator password. Caution should be used with this option because of the security risk it poses by making this password accessible to others.

-cell_admin *cell_admin id*

Specifies the name of the cell administrator account. If the **-cell_admin** option is not specified, the account `cell_admin` will be assumed.

-config_type {full | local | admin}

Used to specify what type of unconfiguration is to be done. The **-config_type** option has three available unconfig_types:

admin

Specifies that the admin portion of unconfiguration will be completed for the `dce_host` indicated by the **-dce_hostname** flag. This cleans up the CDS namespace and security registry. The user must have cell administrator authority within the cell.

local Specifies that the local portion of unconfiguration will be completed for the local machine. This stops the daemons and removes the appropriate files. The user must have root authority on the local machine.

Local unconfiguration must be selected when unconfiguring a CDS server whose clearinghouse contains a master replica of a directory.

full

Specifies full unconfiguration on the local machine. This is the default unconfig_type. When fully unconfiguring the local host, the user must be the DCE cell administrator and have root authority on

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the local machine. Full unconfiguration is the equivalent of admin unconfiguration and local unconfiguration combined. If the **-config_type** option is not used, a full unconfiguration will be used.

-dce_hostname *dce_hostname*

Used with the **-config_type** option to identify the dce_host to unconfigure. Use **-dce_hostname** only when doing the admin portion of unconfiguration.

-dependents

Unconfigures dependent components. Specifies that any components that depend on those listed on the command line should also be unconfigured. For example, on a machine with **sec_cl**, **cds_cl**, and **rpc**, **unconfig.dcedependents sec_cl** will also unconfigure the **cds_cl**.

-force Forces unconfiguration of components named on the command line, even if other components depend on their presence. Use this option in clean-up situations. Use this option with extreme caution because the cell can be put into an unstable state.

-host_id *machine identifier*

Specifies the TCP/IP hostname or the TCP/IP address of the client machine being admin unconfigured. When **unconfig.dce** is called with **-config_type admin**, the **-host_id** option must also be used. Admin unconfiguration can be used for a machine whose TCP/IP address is not yet registered with a nameserver. In that situation, use the **-dce_hostname dce_hostname** option with the **-host_id IP_address** option.

Note: The **-host_id** option can be used only with the **-config_type admin** option.

-pwdstr_principal *password strength principal id*

Specifies a principal ID for the password-strength server. Because more than one password-strength server can be configured, the principal ID is used to identify a specific server.

all Unconfigures all configured components on the local machine.

-rsp_file *filename*

Specifies the full path name of a response file.

usage Displays a help message.

-? Displays a help message.

help Displays a brief description for the passed arguments.

operations

Lists all the options and the components.

components

Specifies the components to be unconfigured.

The **Client Components** are:

all_cl All clients (**cds_cl**, **dts_cl**, **rpc**, and **sec_cl**).

client Same as **all_cl**.

cds_cl

CDS client.

dts_cl DTS client. This component and **dts_local** and **dts_global** are mutually exclusive.

rpc RPC daemon.

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sec_cl
Security client.

slim_cl
Slim client.

dce_unixd
Integrated login.

The **Server Components** are:

all_srv
All servers (**cds_second**, **cds_srv**, **dts_global**, **dts_local**, **gda**, **sec_srv**, **ems_srv**, **pw_strength_srv**, **sec_rep**, **snmp_srv**).

audit Audit daemon.

cds_second
Secondary CDS server. This component and **cds_srv** are mutually exclusive.

cds_srv
Initial CDS server for the cell. This component and **cds_second** are mutually exclusive.

core_srv
Single-machine cell components. This is equivalent to including **cds_srv**, **sec_srv**, **cds_cl**, **sec_cl**, and **rpc**.

dts_global
DTS global server. This component and **dts_local** and **dts_cl** are mutually exclusive.

dts_local
DTS local server. This component and **dts_global** and **dts_cl** are mutually exclusive.

ems_srv
Event Management server.

gda Global Directory Agent.

pw_strength_srv
Password—Strength server.

sec_srv
Security server.

sec_rep
Security replica.

snmp_srv
SNMP Subagent.

Description

The **unconfig.dce** command stops and unconfigures the specified DCE components. The **unconfig.dce** command unconfigures only the core DCE components. Use the **unconfig.dfs** command to configure DFS components. If you are removing all DCE and DFS components, use the **unconfig.dfs** command before you use the **unconfig.dce** command.

You can unconfigure a machine from a cell in two ways:

full configuration

Used by the cell administrator (as root user) to complete all the necessary steps within the cell (updating the CDS namespace and the security registry) and on the local machine (stopping daemons and deleting files). Full unconfiguration is specified with the **-config_type full** option. The **unconfig.dce** command also defaults to full unconfiguration if the **-config_type** option is not used.

If the cell administrator does not have root user access to the machine that is going to be unconfigured use split configuration.

Note: If you unconfigure the initial CDS server (with the master copy of the **./:directory**) or master Security server in a cell, you will have to unconfigure and reconfigure the entire cell.

split configuration

Breaks the unconfiguration tasks into two distinct segments, admin and local. Admin unconfiguration is used by the cell administrator on any machine within the cell to update the CDS namespace and the security registry about changes in the cell. Local configuration is used by the root user on the machine being unconfigured to stop the daemons and delete the appropriate files. Split unconfiguration is specified with the **-config_type admin** and **-config_type local** options.

If the cell for which a machine is configured is inaccessible and you need to unconfigure the machine for any reason, use the **-config_type local** option. This option limits the **unconfig.dce** command to remove only the local pieces of a DCE configuration; it does not remove entries from the namespace or registry database. To remove the entries from the namespace and registry database, the cell administrator should use the **-config_type admin -dce_hostname** option from a machine within the cell.

If the environment variable *cell_admin_pw* is set, **unconfig.dce** uses its value for the cell administrator password without prompting you. This feature can be useful when automating unconfiguration tasks. This use should be limited because of the security risk it poses by making this password accessible to others. The cell administrator password should be changed after the tasks are completed and the *cell_admin_pw* value is unset in order to limit the security risk.

While the **config.dce** command automatically configures any client components required by the specified components, the **unconfig.dce** command will fail if configured components depend on the presence of those requested to be unconfigured. To unconfigure exactly those components specified on the command line, use the **-force** option. This option should be used with caution. In some cases, unconfiguring one component will disable other components that are dependent upon it. To unconfigure components and all components that depend on them, use the **-dependents** option. When a CDS server (either **cds_srv** or **cds_second**) is requested to be unconfigured, **unconfig.dce** checks for several conditions. If a full configuration is specified, **unconfig.dce** checks to ensure that none of the clearinghouses on the server machine contain a master replica of any directory. If they do not, the unconfiguration continues. If they do, configuration exits with a message explaining what must be done before the server can be unconfigured. If it is necessary to unconfigure a CDS server with a clearinghouse that contains a master replica of a directory, **unconfig.dce** can be run using the **-config_type local** option. After that, **unconfig.dce -config_type admin** should be run from a machine within the cell.

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When a CDS server has been unconfigured, it might not be possible to reconfigure it using the same **dce_hostname** until all updates have taken place in the cell. Either use a different **dce_hostname** or wait overnight before reconfiguring.

If you unconfigure the Master Security server in a cell, you will have to unconfigure and reconfigure the entire cell.

Examples

To remove the DTS clerk configuration from a machine when the cell administrator account name is **ca**, enter:

```
unconfig.dce -cell_admin ca dts_cl
```

To remove all DCE configuration files and databases from a machine, the root user enters:

```
unconfig.dce -config_type local all
```

The **unconfig.dce -config_type local** option limits the **unconfig.dce** command to removing only the local pieces of a DCE configuration; it does not remove entries from the namespace or registry database. Use this command when unconfiguring the last machine in a DCE cell or when removing a CDS server whose clearinghouse contains a master replica of any directory.

To specify the admin portion of unconfiguration for a client in an existing cell, the cell administrator enters:

```
unconfig.dce -config_type\ admin-dce_hostname chc all_cl  
unconfig.dce -config_type admin-dce_hostname jas.austin.ibm.com\  
cds_second cds_cl sec_cl dts_cl
```

To specify the local portion of unconfiguration for the local machine, the root user (with no DCE authority required) enters:

```
unconfig.dce -config_type local all_cl  
unconfig.dce -config_type local -dependents sec_srv
```

To perform full unconfiguration on a client in an existing cell, the cell administrator with root user authority enters:

```
unconfig.dce all_cl  
unconfig.dce -config_type full all_cl
```

Related Information

Commands: **config.dce**.

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