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1. FOREWORD

1.1 VSX DOCUMENTATION

The X/Open Verification Suite, known as VSX, enables you to build and execute test programs which assess operating systems for conformance to the standards established in the Single UNIX Specification versions 1 and 2, the X/Open Portability Guide issues 3 and 4, POSIX.1-1990, POSIX.1-1996, FIPS 151-2, and the Common Application Environment Specification — Protocols for X/Open Interworking: XNFS, Issue 1. VSX consists of a number of separate packages. The VSXgen package is combined with one or more add-on test packages to form a test suite which covers some or all of the above specifications.

This guide describes the use of VSXgen together with the following test packages to test POSIX.1 and FIPS-151:

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Do NOT use this guide if you wish to test any specifications other than those listed above.

VSX uses part of a set of libraries and programs called *TETware*. TETware has its own documentation; this manual contains sufficient information on how to use TETware in conjunction with VSX, but issues pertaining to TETware installation and use of the more extended TETware functionality will require the user to refer to the toolkit manuals. Some test packages can also be used with TET 1.10, a predecessor of TETware. The instructions given in later parts of this document assume the use of TETware. There may be some differences when predecessors of TETware are used.

The VSX User and Installation Guide is in four parts. Part 1 is the VSX User Guide, which gives information about the terminology and structure used in VSX. In addition, the User Guide tells you what resources and facilities you need to use VSX. Part 2 is the VSX Installation Guide, which gives you all the information you need to install and run VSX. It is a good idea to read both parts before you start installing and using VSX. Part 3 gives additional reference information in a series of appendices. Part 4 contains manual pages for various VSX utilities.

The VSX documentation also includes a separate Pseudo-language Specification, which contains details of the test locales that VSX uses.

1.1.1 Part 1: VSX User Guide

Contents

The terms used in the VSX documentation and the structure of VSX are explained in the User Guide, so that you are familiar with the VSX system before you start installation. The last chapter tells you the hardware, utilities, time and skills which are necessary to use VSX successfully.

Layout

The layout of the User Guide gives section and paragraph headings in the left margin. Additional sub-headings are in the body of the text.

Pages are numbered in the bottom right-hand corner, although references within the documentation are made by reference to chapter, not numbered pages. This system is used because when you format and print the VSX documentation, the pagination will vary between systems.

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1.1.2 Part 2: VSX Installation Guide

Users

The Installation Guide is written for people who are familiar with their system and who have some knowledge of the utilities and options available on it. The installation of VSX should be carried out by an experienced systems administrator, because of the wide range of implementations which can be verified by VSX.

During the stages of installation, VSX needs detailed information about your system. On a fully compliant system the configuration details can be found from the system header files and the Conformance Document. On other systems you may need to obtain the information from the personnel who implemented the system.

Contents

Each chapter in the Installation Guide corresponds with a stage of installation and use of VSX. An overview of each chapter is provided in the User Guide. Some chapters contain supplementary information for specific test packages in the sections at the end of the chapter. You will need to refer to these sections when the generic part of the chapter indicates that a particular requirement only applies to some test packages, in order to determine if it applies to any of the test packages you are using. These sections may also describe additional procedures or requirements for each test package.

You can simply read the Installation Guide for detailed information about VSX. When you want to install VSX on your system, follow the instructions in the Action Points at the end of each section. Start from the first chapter and continue until you are ready to build the testsets and execute them. The final VSX stage enables you to report on the results of the building and execution stages. The last chapter of the Installation Guide gives information about interpreting the results of the VSX tests.

When you are familiar with VSX, you can use the appendix entitled "Action Point Summary" as a checklist.

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The layout of the Installation Guide corresponds to that of the User Guide, with the addition of Action Points for you to effect after you have read each section.

1.1.3 Part 3: VSX Appendices

The first appendix is a summary of the Action Points from the Installation Guide, which you can use when you are familiar with installing VSX. Other appendices contain the reference information you may need when you are using VSX.

1.1.4 Part 4: Manual Pages

The commands used to install, build and execute the test suite and to produce reports are covered at a basic level in the installation guide. However, many of these commands have additional features which are described only in the manual pages.

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2. VSX TERMINOLOGY

2.1 INTRODUCTION

This chapter introduces the terms used in the VSX User and Installation Guides. The chapter tells you about the seven stages of using VSX, the terms and naming conventions used in describing the structure of VSX.

2.2 STAGES OF VSX

VSX is used in a series of independent stages. When you have run all of the stages, you can read the VSX reports and interpret the results of the tests to assess the conformance of your system. As each stage is independent, you can re-run the verification suite starting at any of the stages without affecting any of the earlier stages in the suite.

2.2.1 Stage 1: Preparation

In this stage, you check your system has enough file space available, add entries to the user and group databases and extract the VSX software from the distribution files for VSXgen and one or more test packages.

2.2.2 Stage 2: Configuration

Next, the VSX configuration script interrogates your system for information and asks you questions on the screen. From this information, VSX generates configuration parameter files, which are used in the later stages of VSX to find out details about your system. Additionally, for some test packages you must configure character encodings for the VSX test locales, and install the test locales using the tools and file formats for your system.

2.2.3 Stage 3: Installation

In this stage, VSX sets up the programs, libraries, include files and file systems which are needed to build and execute the test suite.

2.2.4 Stage 4: Building

The building stage uses the VSX source files and the configuration parameter files to build and install executable test programs. This stage places results in a journal file, which is used by the reporting stage. You can choose to build the whole suite of test programs to test your system for conformance, or selected parts. Building selected parts is known as a partial build. In this stage you can also undo all or part of a previous building stage, for example, when you want to rebuild using a different compiler.

2.2.5 Stage 5: Execution

When you have completed the preceding stages, you can run the tests to verify your system. VSX executes the test programs and keeps the results in a journal file for use by the reporting stage. You can choose to execute all of the installed tests at once, or choose a partial execution.

2.2.6 Stage 6: Reporting

The reporting stage generates reports from the building and execution journal files. You can also produce a summary report for management information and a report comparing the results from several test executions.

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2.2.7 Stage 7: Interpreting VSX Results

Using the report generated by VSX, the test source code and the test strategy documentation, you can interpret the results in order to identify the causes of test failures.

2.3 STRUCTURE

VSX uses a common structure for each of the building, execution and reporting stages to locate the different facilities that are to be verified. This is a four-level hierarchy consisting of the following levels:

2.3.1 Section

A section corresponds with the primary source of the definition of an interface. For example, the VSX4 section POSIX.hdr corresponds with the header file definitions relating to POSIX.1. The VSX4 section ANSI.os corresponds with the interface definitions contained in the ANSI C standard and referenced in POSIX.1.

2.3.2 Area

An area groups together test programs with a common theme, and is a sub-division of a section. For example, in the VSX4 section POSIX.os (operating system interfaces relating to POSIX), the area files holds all of the test programs for interfaces which deal with files and directories.

2.3.3 Testset

A testset is the subdivision of an area. A testset usually relates directly to an interface definition.

2.3.4 Test

A test tests a particular statement in a definition. A number of tests, which may depend on each other, make up the testset to assess the conformance of a particular interface.

2.4 NAMING CONVENTIONS

The VSX naming convention numbers the tests within a testset executable sequentially, and corresponds with the test descriptions in the VSX manual. The naming conventions are as follows;

Section

major-section.sub-section

Area

area-name

Testset directory

testset-name

Where testset directory names start with an M, they contain tests for the macro version of the interface.

Testset executable

T.testset-name

2.5 JOURNAL FILE

A journal file is generated after the building, execution and cleanup stages, with the results of the stage. The journal file is a text file with control information on the front of each line. It is not usually necessary to examine these files directly, but if you do then details of the file format may be found in the TETware manuals. The reporting stage uses the journal file as input when you are producing a formatted report.

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3. VSX DIRECTORY STRUCTURE

3.1 TOP LEVEL DIRECTORY STRUCTURE

3.1.1 Introduction

There are the following directories in the top level of the VSX directory structure. This section gives a brief description of the top level, and is followed by sections with a detailed explanation of each directory hierarchy. These are described thus, with the VSX directory name following the descriptive directory name.

3.1.2 Binaries: BIN

A common location for all the VSX commands you execute, for example, vrpt. You should include this directory in the search path for your shell.

3.1.3 Manual: MAN

Manual pages for the testsets and VSX programs, and test description and strategy files. The manual pages use the man macros package associated with <code>[nt]roff</code> for formatting.

3.1.4 Results: results

A directory under which the journal files for the installation, building, execution and cleanup stages are written.

3.1.5 Source: SRC

The source files for libraries and utilities used to configure, install and build VSX.

3.1.6 Support: SUPPORT

A template for error reports and details of how to submit them. These files are not relevant to POSIX or FIPS mode testing.

3.1.7 Testroot: TESTROOT

A directory containing the TESTROOT directory structure, used by default as the directory to install the executable testsets. You can change the location when you are configuring the parameter files.

3.1.8 Testset: tset

This directory hierarchy contains the source files which are used to build the VSX testsets. The testset directory contains section directories.

Section

The section directories are named using the naming conventions explained in the chapter entitled "VSX Terminology". Each section directory contains area directories, below which are the testsets.

For header sections, each testset directory contains a compacted (${\tt L.}$) source file and a makefile. For other sections, each testset directory holds the source programs and makefile for the testset.

The Test Case Controller executes the makefile to install the relevant files in the testroot directory.

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3.2 SOURCE DIRECTORY STRUCTURE

There are the following directories at the top of the source (or SRC) directory structure.

3.2.1 Common: common

The source files compiled during the installation stage, which are used to build the executable program vrpt and others used by VSX. In addition, this directory includes the source for the libraries used for building the testsets.

3.2.2 Install: install

The scripts and associated files used to configure and install VSX.

3.2.3 Subsets: subsets

This directory contains subdirectories relating to each available VSX subset. The files for each subset contain information about the subset and the test package it belongs to, used in the configuration and installation stages of VSX.

3.2.4 Library: LIB

An empty directory, named LIB, which is used for the libraries compiled from the source in the directory common.

3.2.5 Include: INC

The unique VSX include files, used to build the common software and the testsets.

3.2.6 System Include: SYSINC

A copy of the *include* files for the system, which are modified during the installation stage to correct any deficiencies. Note that it is important to ensure that this copy reflects any changes made to the system *include* files.

3.3 MANUAL DIRECTORY STRUCTURE

The manual directory contains the following directories.

3.3.1 Common: common

The manual entries for the common software elements, which correspond with the directories under the source directory structure.

3.3.2 Testset: tset

The manual entries, test descriptions and strategies for each VSX testset. The directory structure follows the naming conventions explained in the chapter entitled "VSX Terminology". The testset entries are T. files containing the manual pages (including test descriptions) for formatting with [nt]roff -man, and L. files containing test descriptions and strategies used by vrpt.

3.4 TESTROOT DIRECTORY STRUCTURE

This structure contains the executable programs for each of the testsets installed. The structure under the tset subdirectory follows the naming conventions explained in the chapter entitled "VSX Terminology". Each testset entry is an executable program and creates a matching d. directory entry which is used to hold any temporary files created while the testset is executing.

The header file and C language testsets contain compacted file entries copied from the source directory structure, as well as the executable drivers. These do not use a $\,d$. temporary directory.

The BIN subdirectory is where utility programs and other binary files used by the executable testsets are placed, and may also contain scripts which must be edited by the user.

The $\,$ INC subdirectory contains include files for use in header file tests.

4. RESOURCES

4.1 INTRODUCTION

VSX requires the following major resources to run successfully:

- an adequate computer hardware environment
- the correct base utilities
- enough time to complete the task
- a system administrator with the necessary skill to run VSX.

4.2 COMPUTER HARDWARE

4.2.1 Disk Space

Installation

VSX uses a considerable amount of disk space. This is described in detail in the chapter entitled "PREPARATION".

Building and Execution

To save disk space, you can build and execute selected sections of VSX. See the chapter entitled "BUILDING VSX" for more information.

4.2.2 Exclusive Use

It is recommended that you have exclusive use of the machine when you execute the tests. In particular, the operating system tests should only be executed when exclusive use is available since these tests may affect other users of the system.

4.2.3 Devices

In order to execute all of the tests in VSX you will need the following devices to be available on your machine. These are only required for some subsets.

- One or more mountable file systems. VSX uses these for three separate purposes, and so three separate device names can be specified if desired. However, one file system is normally used for all three. One of the file systems is used for testing ENOSPC errors, and will be filled up as part the installation process (if needed by a selected subset).
- 2. A terminal at which a user is logged on while the tests are executing.
- 3. Two spare ports to test the terminal interfaces.

4.3 UTILITIES

VSX assumes that the following utilities, which are defined in Volume 1 of XPG3, are available on your system. VSX also assumes that the utilities work in the way described in XPG3.

4.3.1 Bourne Shell

The configuration and installation stages use scripts which are written for the Bourne shell, or a similar shell.

4.3.2 make

The installation and building stages use make files.

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4.3.3 Compiler

VSX requires a C compiler with the -E option, and a link editor. VSX assumes that when these utilities execute successfully, they will return an exit value of 0 (zero).

4.3.4 Library Archiver

VSX requires a library archiver and other software to order the libraries. The ordering software may be inherent in the library archiver, the ranlib utility or the utility pair lorder and tsort.

4.3.5 awk

The reporting stage uses awk scripts.

4.3.6 Editors

VSX uses the basic editor ed and the stream editor sed. The implementation of sed can be either in the style of System V or BSD. In addition, the configuration and installation stages use the utility grep extensively.

4.3.7 File Utilities

To handle files, VSX uses the basic utilities cp, mv and rm. To handle file modes, VSX uses the utilities chown, charp and chmod and, for this reason, you must have access to these during the installation phase of VSX.

VSX also uses a variety of other commands and utilities (as described in Volume 1 of XPG3) during execution and uses the text formatter nroff to format the documentation.

4.3.8 Null Device

VSX assumes that the file /dev/null is readable and writable by all users and behaves as described in XPG3.

4.4 TIME

For an experienced VSX user, the installation and execution of VSXgen and the full set of test packages should take less than 24 hours. A longer period may be needed on slower processors, as the building stage and the header tests make considerable use of the compiler.

The design of VSX enables you to run the building and execution stages without intervention and to review the results afterwards.

4.5 SKILLS

4.5.1 *Using VSX*

To install, build and execute the tests correctly, you must be able to give detailed information about your system to VSX. VSX is not a product which can be loaded and run without assistance. VSX is designed for use by an experienced systems administrator who has considerable knowledge of the utilities available, the devices and their associated device files on the system. For example, you may need to know whether your system generates the EBUSY error if you attempt to remove a busy directory. Without this level of information, you may find difficulty in using VSX.

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4.5.2 Interpreting Results

When VSX reports on the results of the tests, the report may show that a facility does not work in the way that VSX expects. To investigate the cause of failed tests, you may need more information than is available from the VSX report. Considerable skill and an understanding of the operating system are necessary to gather this information and to investigate the results thoroughly.

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5. PREPARATION

5.1 INTRODUCTION

Before you install VSX you must first check there is file space available and then create the user accounts. When you are ready to load the VSX distribution, you must unpack the distribution files and then check that the contents were extracted correctly. Finally, you can optionally remove any unwanted parts of the distribution.

5.2 PREPARING YOUR SYSTEM

5.2.1 File Space Requirements

The target file system must have enough free space available to build and execute the test suite. The amount of space required by each test package is given in the package-specific sections at the end of this chapter. In addition VSXgen itself requires approximately 5 to 8 Mb free space, of which less than 1 Mb is for the TESTROOT directory.

Note the following points:

- 1. The TESTROOT directory may be on a different file system, but it must be one that allows privileged access (e.g., it cannot be on a remote file system where user ID 0 will be mapped to an 'anonymous' user ID).
- The disk usage is much greater on RISC systems due to the larger size of object and executable files. Where a range is given the higher figure is for a typical RISC system, but some systems have been known to require up to three times this amount.
- 3. For POSIX or FIPS mode testing, some of the VSX distribution is redundant, and may be removed after unpacking (as described in the section "Removing Unwanted VSX Data"). The figures given for POSIX and FIPS modes assume that this **is** done.
- 4. You will need space to hold the reports. Allow 2Mb minimum.
- 5. The archiver and compiler may also use some temporary file space.
- 6. Disk usage in TESTROOT will be less if the executables use shared libraries.

Action Points

1. Check there is enough free space available to unpack and install the software.

5.2.2 VSX User Accounts

You must add one or more group names and one or more user names to the group and user databases on your system. The precise requirements vary between test packages. Refer to the package-specific sections at the end of this chapter for details.

The only requirements common to all packages are the user name vsx0 and the group name vsxg0. The home directory for user vsx0 must be a subdirectory of your **TET_ROOT** directory. (If you do not have TETware installed, you must first create a directory to be designated as your **TET_ROOT** directory.)

The home directories of users vsx1 and vsx2 (if needed) must differ from that of vsx0.

The user vsx0 must have a login shell. The user ID and group ID values chosen must not exceed the value of **INT_MAX** for the system.

If your system has extensions which are enabled by environment variables, and the default settings of these variables would cause behaviour to differ from that required for compliance, you must ensure that these variables are set so as to disable the extensions in the login script for user vsx0. For example, if the setting of the LANG environment variable is such that processes have a locale setting other than the C or POSIX locale on entry to main() then this would typically be disabled by adding the line

unset LANG

to the .profile for user vsx0.

Action Points

- 1. Create a distinct group entry for vsxg0 and (if required by one of the test packages) distinct group entries for vsxg1 and vsxg2; usually in the file /etc/group.
- 2. If you do not already have TETware installed, create a directory you wish to designate as your **TET_ROOT** directory.
- 3. Create a distinct user entry for vsx0 in group vsxg0, with home directory located under your **TET_ROOT**, and with a login shell; usually in the file /etc/passwd.
- 4. Make sure that the user vsx0 has write permission in the **TET_ROOT** directory.
- 5. Add \$HOME/BIN and \$HOME/../bin to the command search path for user vsx0, and include it in the **PATH** environment variable set in the login script for user vsx0.
- 6. Ensure that any extensions enabled by environment variables that would cause non-compliant behaviour are disabled in the login script for user vsx0.
- 7. For some test packages, if the implementation supports supplementary groups, the user vsx0 should have the maximum number of supplementary groups associated with it. These supplementary groups must exclude the groups vsxg1 and vsxg2. The group ID values chosen must not exceed the value of INT_MAX for the system.
- 8. If required by one of the test packages, create a distinct user entry for vsx1 in group vsxg1, in the password file. The home directory must differ from that of user vsx0.
- 9. If required by one of the test packages, create a distinct user entry for vsx2 in group vsxg2, in the password file. The home directory must differ from that of user vsx0.

5.3 LOADING THE VSX DISTRIBUTION

5.3.1 Unpacking the Distribution Files

The sources for VSXgen and each VSX test package are distributed separately as compressed cpio or tar archives.

When you unpack the distribution files, the contents are installed in a hierarchy which starts from the current working directory. Make sure you log in as the user vsx0 and unpack the files in the vsx0 home directory, to ensure that the access permissions and locations for the files are correct.

Action Points

- 1. Log in to the test system as the user vsx0, who must be the owner of all the loaded files.
- 2. Ensure you are working in the vsx0 home directory and that you have write permission in that directory.
- 3. Unpack the distribution files for the VSX-vtools (namespace test tool), VSXgen and the test packages you wish to use, using appropriate commands to decompress each file and extract all files from the resulting POSIX cpio or tar archive, e.g.:

```
zcat ../vsx-vtools-1.4.tar.Z| pax -v -r -p p
zcat ../vsxgen-os-1.4.tar.Z| pax -v -r -p p
zcat ../vsx-pcts-4.4.4.tar.Z| pax -v -r -p p

or
zcat ../vsx-vtools-1.4.tar.Z| tar xvf -
zcat ../vsxgen-os-1.4.tar.Z| tar xvf -
zcat ../vsx-pcts-4.4.4.tar.Z| tar xvf -
```

5.3.2 Checking the Contents

Directory Name

When you have finished unpacking the files, the following main directories should be in the vsx0 home directory:

Directory realise	Summary of contents
BIN	VSX user commands
MAN	VSX user manuals (on-line)
results	a directory tree for journal files
SRC	general source tree
SUPPORT	Not relevant in POSIX or FIPS modes
TESTROOT	executable testsets tree
tset	testset source tree

Summary of contents

In addition, a number of other files should be in the vsx0 home directory. The most important ones to look for are the test package release identification files, called pkgrelnum, where pkg is the package name (e.g. VSX4) and num is the release number of the package. This is the last file written to each test package archive. Its presence tells you that all the contents of the archive have been read.

Action Points

- 1. Change to the vsx0 home directory (using cd) and list the directory. Check the expected subdirectories and the release identification files for each test package are there.
 - If they are not, check that there were no read errors while the archives were being read and that there is space available on the file system.
- 2. Check that the release numbers given in the test-package specific Action Points for this chapter correspond with the release identification files.

5.4 REMOVING UNWANTED VSX DATA (OPTIONAL)

When you want to save space on your system and you do not want to install the tests for some sections, you can remove parts of the VSX distribution. Refer to the package-specific sections at the end of this chapter to identify which parts of each test package you might be able to remove.

Action Points

1. Remove any unwanted sections from the directories tset and MAN/tset.

5.5 VSX4 PREPARATION

5.5.1 File Space Requirements

The VSX4 test package requires in the region of 45 to 75 Mb of free space, of which 30 to 55 Mb is for the TESTROOT directory.

5.5.2 VSX User Accounts

Action Points

- 1. The vsx0 home directory must be called vsx4.
- 2. The user names vsx1 and vsx2, group names vsxg1 and vsxg2, and supplementary groups are all required.
- If your system treats group ID values which do not exist in the group database as invalid, then ensure that the six consecutive group ID values after vsxg0 also exist in the group database.

5.5.3 Loading The VSX Distribution

Action Points

1. The name of the VSX4 release identification file is VSX4rel4.4.2.

5.5.4 Removing Unwanted VSX Data (Optional)

VSX4 is divided into the sections listed below. Note that VSX4 has been designed to follow the same structure as that adopted by the contents of the various standards and guides which it tests.

Therefore, please note the following points regarding the contents of the sections within the base subset:

- The POSIX and ANSI sections are both required for testing conformance to the POSIX.1 and FIPS 151 standards. The reason for this is that the POSIX.1 standard makes reference to the requirements within the ANSI C standard and VSX follows this structure. These sections are included in VSX-PCTS.
- 2. The XOPEN, POSIX, ANSI and lang. C sections are all required for testing compliance with the X/Open specifications. These sections are not included in VSX-PCTS.
- 3. The XPG4 sections are required in addition to the XOPEN, POSIX, ANSI and lang.C sections for testing compliance with X/Open Portability Guide, issue 4, and the Single UNIX Specification, version 2. These sections are not included in VSX-PCTS.

Base Subset

Sections	Description
ANSI.os	Tests for ANSI system interfaces
ANSI.hdr	Tests for ANSI header files
POSIX.os	Tests for POSIX system interfaces
POSIX.hdr	Tests for POSIX header files
XOPEN.os	Tests for X/Open system interfaces

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XOPEN.hdr	Tests for X/Open header files
XOPEN.cmd	Tests for X/Open commands
XPG4.os	Tests for XPG issue 4 system interfaces
XPG4.hdr	Tests for XPG issue 4 header files
lang.C	Tests for the C language

Data Management Subset

Sections	Description
dm.hdr	Tests for ISAM header file
dm.isam	Tests for ISAM sub-routines

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6. CONFIGURING VSX

6.1 INTRODUCTION

When you receive VSX, the source code is written to run even when your system does not yet conform fully to the specification. The construction of VSX enables it to run on a wide range of implementations, by including a configuration stage.

During the configuration stage, VSX finds out the specific details about your system and uses the information to generate parameter files for the system. VSX finds the information both by interrogating your system and by asking you questions.

Before you start, you must establish an installation directory and find out the information which is needed for configuration. Read this chapter and write the information for your system next to each action point. When you have finished configuring VSX, check the parameter files are correct for your system.

For some subsets you must also install several test locales, or 'pseudo-languages'. Further information is given in the section entitled "INSTALLING THE PSEUDO-LANGUAGES" later in this chapter.

6.2 INSTALLATION DIRECTORY

The directory you use to install the testsets may be on a different file system from the distribution directory. The file system must have enough space available for the executable testsets. A default installation directory is provided, named TESTROOT in the vsx0 home directory. If you choose a directory that does not already exist, it will be created by the VSX installation procedure.

For some test packages (as indicated in the package-specific sections at the end of this chapter), if you are testing for conformance to FIPS 151 the installation directory must support the inheritance of parent directory group ID. The method of achieving this (if it is not the default) is implementation dependent, but will typically be either an option when the file system is created, or a mode setting on the individual directories which support the feature. If the method used involves the setting being inherited by subdirectories when they are created and there is an existing directory hierarchy under the installation directory which is not set up to support the inheritance of parent directory group ID, then you must remove the tset subdirectory and everything below it.

It is recommended that you set the environment variable <code>TET_EXECUTE</code> to the pathname of the installation directory in your login script. For example, if you are using a Bourne-type shell and the default location for the installation directory, include the lines

```
TET_EXECUTE=$HOME/TESTROOT export TET_EXECUTE
```

in the .profile for the vsx0 login.

Action Points

- 1. Choose a directory for the installation of testset executables. The default is TESTROOT under the vsx0 home directory.
- 2. If you are testing for conformance to FIPS 151 and one of the VSX test packages you are using requires that the installation directory must support the inheritance of parent directory group ID, and your system implements the inheritance of parent directory group ID by means of a directory mode setting that is inherited

by subdirectories (for example by setting the S_ISGID bit on the directory), and there is an existing directory hierarchy under the testroot which does not support this feature, then you must remove it using

```
rm -rf TESTROOT/tset
```

Set the environment variable TET_EXECUTE in the vsx0 login script to the pathname of the testroot directory.

6.3 PARAMETERS

6.3.1 Introduction

The shell script included with VSX for configuration interrogates your system and asks you questions on the screen. There are VSX default values which you can use, or you can choose to start with the defaults in a parameter file which has already been set up. A list of the parameter files available is given when the configuration script starts. See also the section entitled "CREATING PARAMETER FILES" at the end of the chapter.

6.3.2 Libraries

When VSX interrogates your system, it searches libraries in an order which ensures that the standard C library is checked last. Give the names of other libraries to search in the order you want VSX to use them. Note that if loadable objects with the same name appear in different libraries, problems may occur when you are compiling if the libraries are searched in the wrong order.

6.4 VSX CONFIGURATION SCRIPT

6.4.1 Introduction

The configuration script finds or requests information about the following subjects. When the configuration script asks a question on the screen, you can use the default value, shown in brackets, or type the answer for your system. The sections on the following pages tell you what information VSX is looking for. The package-specific sections at the end of this chapter may indicate additional requirements or restrictions on the answers you give to some of these questions.

Note that the defaults (shown in parentheses) in the text on the following pages are the VSX defaults. When you use a parameter file which has already been set up, the defaults on the screen will be taken from the parameter file you chose. When you rerun the configuration script later, the defaults are taken from the previous run unless you use a parameter file.

6.4.2 General Information

Parameter File

Choose a parameter file from the list shown on the screen. Alternatively, press RETURN to start with values from a previous run if any, otherwise the VSX defaults.

Mode

This determines which test mode you wish to run. Some or all of the following modes will be offered, depending on which test packages are available:

- POSIX96 tests compliance to POSIX.1-1996
- POSIX90 tests compliance to POSIX.1-1990
- FIPS tests compliance to FIPS 151-2

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Subset

A list of the subsets that support the chosen test mode from each available test package is displayed. Enter a space-separated list of the subsets which contain tests you wish to run (default: all subsets that support the chosen test mode).

If only one subset supports the chosen test mode, its name is displayed and the question is not asked.

Name

Your name in the way you want it shown on reports.

Agency

Your agency name, to use on reports.

System

The operating system name and the release number, to use on reports.

Installation Directory

The name of the installation directory for the executable testsets (default: \$HOME/TESTROOT). You can choose any other directory you want to use, to make the best use of the file space available. The installation directory is also known as the testroot directory.

Machine Speed

The speed of your machine, in the range 1–10, where 1 is very fast and 10 is slow (default: 5). For example, the speed of an average workstation is rated 5 on this scale. It is better to underestimate the speed of your machine than to overestimate it.

The speed rating is used to determine how much time to allow a test before timing out, usually in cases where a test has failed. The speed rating does not affect the execution time for VSX significantly.

Include Files

The system's *include* directories in order of searching (default: /usr/include).

C Compiler

The name of the C compiler (default: c89 or cc).

C Compiler Special Command Line Options

This question prompts for special command line options for your C compiler. If you want to compile parts of the suite with special options, you can specify them when you build the parts with the Test Case Controller. The code is not usually optimised.

If the list of system *include* directories specified earlier is not the default for the C compiler, then add -I/directory options as necessary.

C Compiler Special Link Editor Options

The next question prompts for special link editor options for your compiler. The default options are usually adequate. However, it should be noted that the C compiler special command line options are **not** used on the link command line, and thus some of these special options may need to be repeated here.

Libraries

The location of the library maintenance utilities ar, lorder, tsort and ranlib. This is requested when they are not in the user's **PATH**.

Files

The location of the commands to change file ownership, file group ownership and file modes; namely chown, chgrp and chmod. This is requested when they are not in the user's **PATH**.

Additional Libraries

Libraries, other than the C library and specific libraries asked for individually, used by your system for some of the routines (for example -lmalloc). Give one library name each time the question is asked.

Note that some questions about specific libraries may be asked **after** this question, if they are only needed by certain subsets.

ANSI vprintf Function

Whether the ANSI functions vprintf() and vfprintf() are supported (y/n, default: y).

6.4.3 Compiler Characteristics and Libraries

VSX uses a series of small C programs to test your compiler and libraries.

6.4.4 Subset-specific Information

Information needed by individual subsets is asked at this point. Refer to the package-specific sections at the end of this chapter for details.

6.4.5 Optional Information

The following questions are only asked if the information is needed by one or more of the subsets you have selected. The package-specific sections at the end of this chapter indicate which questions apply to the subsets and test mode you have selected.

C Compiler Threads Command Line Options

This question prompts for compiler options to be used **instead** of the normal options, when compiling thread-safe programs.

Maths Library

The location of the archive library which contains your maths library routines if there is one (default: -lm).

File System for ENOSPC Tests

A mountable device to be used for ENOSPC tests. This will be initialised to a known nearly-full condition during the installation stage. The filling procedure will take less time if the device to be used has a small capacity. If only a large device is available it is advisable to create a small file system on it if possible.

6.4.6 Running the Configuration Script

When you execute the configuration script and answer the questions, messages appear on the screen which tell you when the script is updating the parameter files.

Action Points

- 1. Read through the configuration script section and write down any information you will need to use which is different from the defaults.
- 2. Execute the shell script config.sh which is in the BIN directory. When you have included this directory in your **PATH**, you can execute the command from any location.
- 3. Answer the questions which the configuration script asks.

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6.5 CHECKING THE PARAMETER FILES

When you have run the configuration script and answered the questions, VSX generates two files in the SRC directory. One contains configuration parameters and the other is a header file containing *include* file elements.

6.5.1 Configuration Parameters File

The parameters file, named vsxparams, contains the configuration constants for your system which VSX uses during the installation and building stages. The installation stage uses the parameters file to modify makefiles to suit your system and to generate the files tetbuild.cfg, tetexec.cfg and tetclean.cfg which are used by the Test Case Controller. The parameters file contains a set of parameters which are defined in a format suitable for inclusion in a Bourne shell script:

parameter-name="parameter-value"

Note that you must include the quotation marks. A description of the use and possible values for the parameter precedes each parameter setting. You can change the values of parameters in the file without re-running the configuration script.

Action Points

1. Check the values in the configuration parameters file SRC/vsxparams and edit the *parameter-name* lines if necessary.

6.5.2 Configuration Header File

The source files used in the installation and building stages of VSX will not compile unless your header files contain the definitions used by the source code for the subsets you have selected. The configuration script checks your system header files for these definitions and, when some are missing, creates a header file, named vsxconfig.h, with a list of the definitions which are missing from your system.

Note that VSX uses NSIG in signal.h, which is not in POSIX.1. However, this is required to find the highest signal number. This must be set to the highest number that a signal can take plus one.

When the configuration script adds a definition to this file, a message appears on the screen.

Definitions

The list may contain missing elements of the following types:

- Where the value of a defined constant is unlikely to vary between systems, the configuration header file uses the most common value.
- 2. Where the value of a defined constant is likely to vary between systems, the configuration header file uses a value of -1. You can change the value to one which is more suitable for your system, or leave it as -1. However, VSX only functions correctly when all of these values have been changed to the correct values for your system. Some tests will fail when values are left as -1. For example if your signal.h file does not include the signal SIGABRT, you can map it onto the signal SIGIOT in the configuration header file, by adding the definition

#define SIGABRT SIGIOT

3. Where defined constants are missing from the file limits.h, the configuration header file uses the minimum acceptable value.

- 4. Where type definitions are missing the configuration header file will contain a dummy typedef statement. You should replace the token <type> with the correct type for your system. If a type definition appears in more than one header file, it must be protected against redefinition in the same way in all the headers that define it, otherwise it must be protected against multiple inclusions of the header that defines it. You may also need to move the type definition so that it appears before any declarations that use the type name.
- 5. Where structure definitions are missing the configuration header file will contain a dummy struct statement. You should replace the token <members> with the correct structure members for your system.
- 6. Where extern declarations are missing the configuration header file will contain the correct declaration.

Action Points

- 1. Check the SRC/vsxconfig.h file to ensure that the values are correct for your system.
- 2. Check that the values of all the varying defined constants have been changed from -1 to the values for your system.
- 3. Check that the values of the other defined constants are correct for your system.
- 4. Check that all dummy statements have been changed to valid ones.
- 5. If you re-run config.sh at a later time, it will overwrite SRC/vsxconfig.h, so make sure you copy it first.

6.5.3 IMPORTANT

When VSX creates the configuration header file with a list of definitions, the indication is that your system does not conform to POSIX.1. If you are unable to give the correct values for the definitions in the file, you may find that some of the VSX sources do not compile and that some of the tests fail.

You must check all the values for the definitions added to this file, to ensure that they are suitable for your system. Incorrect values may cause particular tests to function incorrectly. If this happens, it is much more difficult to ascertain the cause of the error. As this information is not available to all users, you may need assistance from the personnel who implemented your system.

6.6 CREATING PARAMETER FILES

You can create a new parameter file by copying the vsxparams file to the directory install/params.data. If you re-run the configuration script, you can choose to use any of the files in this directory to provide the default values for your system. The default values are taken from the file SRC/vsxparams unless you choose a different parameter file.

6.7 TOP LEVEL MAKEFILE

The VSX configuration script generates a Makefile in the vsx0 home directory. This contains commands to be executed in the installation stage. Many of the commands needed are implementation-specific and so must be configured by the user. Only the commands needed for the subsets and test mode you have selected are placed in the template Makefile.

The Open Group VSXgen 1.4 Page 28 The operations that must be performed by the configured commands are described in the following sections. You need only refer to the descriptions of the targets that appear in the template that has been created by config.sh.

The Makefile is provided for convenience should the installation stage need to be repeated. However, as the configured commands must be executed as a privileged user, you may, if you prefer, choose not to use the Makefile and execute the necessary commands by hand instead.

6.7.1 Privilege Check

The privchk target checks that make has been executed with the necessary privileges. The default commands assume that these privileges are associated with user ID 0 and use the commands id and grep to check the current user ID value.

6.7.2 Parent Directory Group ID

The dirgid target sets up the testroot directory to support the inheritance of parent directory group ID. The default commands assume that this is done by setting the S_ISGID bit on the directory.

6.7.3 Execute Install Script as User vsx0

The install target executes the VSX installation script install.sh with the user ID of user vsx0. Since the script expects the environment variable **HOME** to contain the vsx0 home directory, these commands must ensure that it is set appropriately.

6.7.4 Assign Privileges to chmog Program

The chmogpriv target gives the program chmog the appropriate privilege to change the mode, owner and group of any file and to assign privileges to executable files. The default commands make the program setuid root.

6.7.5 Set Up File System for ENOSPC Tests

The filldisc target initialises the mountable device to be used for ENOSPC tests to a known nearly-full condition. This is done by mounting the device, changing directory to the mount point, and executing the filldisc.sh script. The default commands also include a df to report the free space remaining after filldisc.sh has completed.

6.7.6 Additional Subset-specific Targets

The Makefile may also contain additional targets that are specific to the subsets you have selected. Refer to the package-specific sections at the end of this chapter for details.

6.7.7 Non-configured Commands

The top level Makefile may also perform some of the following operations, using commands that do not need to be configured by the user:

- Creates the testroot directory if it does not already exist.
- Additional subset-specific operations.

Action Points

- 1. Edit the Makefile in the vsx0 home directory.
- 2. Configure the implementation-specific installation commands correctly for your system.

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3. If you re-run config.sh at a later time, it will overwrite Makefile, so make sure you copy it first.

6.8 USER-SUPPLIED INTERFACE ROUTINES

6.8.1 Introduction

Depending on the test mode selected, VSX needs to use a variety of functions which are not in the corresponding specification in order to set up the conditions required to execute tests of system interfaces which are. Since this functionality can be defined in any way a system implementor requires, VSX has a file which needs to be edited to define these functions prior to the compilation of the test suite.

For example, VSX needs to obtain *appropriate privileges* in many tests. Since the means of obtaining these privileges is not specified in POSIX.1, it is configurable in the file SRC/userintf.c.

As supplied with VSX, these routines make use of system interfaces commonly found on many systems. The file contains sensible defaults and if, after reviewing these, you decide that they are not appropriate for your system, you should modify the routines as necessary before the VSX test suite is installed.

Only the routines needed for the subsets and test mode you have selected are placed in the template userintf.c file. Descriptions of the individual interfaces may be found below. You need only refer to the descriptions of the routines that appear in the template that has been created by config.sh.

6.8.2 setprv()

setprv() provides the current process with *appropriate privileges*. The argument specifies what privilege is being requested from the following set:

PRV_SETID	to perform privileged setuid() and setgid() calls
PRV_MOUNT	to mount and unmount file systems
PRV_LINKDIR	to create and remove links to directories
PRV_ACCESS	to gain unrestricted access to files
PRV_CHOWN	to perform privileged chown() and chmod() calls
PRV_SETGRPS	to set supplementary group IDs
PRV_NEWROOT	to set the root directory of the process
PRV_KILL	to perform privileged kill() calls
PRV_DEVICE	to access device files
PRV_ASSIGN	to assign privileges to an executable file
PRV_IPC	to allow unrestricted IPC access
PRV_NICE	to perform privileged nice() calls
PRV_ULIMIT	<pre>to perform privileged setlimit() or ulimit() calls</pre>
PRV_LIMITS	to perform privileged setrlimit() calls
PRV_MEMLOCK	to obtain memory locking privileges
PRV_SETTIME	to set (real-time) clocks
PRV_SETRTSCHED	to set (real-time) process scheduling parameters

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PRV_GETRTSCHED to get privileged (real-time) process scheduling

parameters

PRV_SETTHRSCHED to set threads scheduling parameters

PRV_GETTHRSCHED to get privileged threads scheduling parameters

The mapping of this privilege set to the set of privileges on the implementation may not be one-to-one. If distinction between individual privileges is not considered important, then the simplest mapping is to give the calling process all possible privileges on each call to setprv().

setprv() returns 0 for success, -1 for failure.

6.8.3 unsetprv()

unsetprv() removes the specified privilege from the current process. The argument specifies what privilege is to be removed; the values are the same as those used with setprv().

unsetprv() returns 0 for success, -1 for failure. (If the process already does not have the privilege, this is considered success).

6.8.4 prv_assign()

prv_assign() assigns appropriate privileges to an executable file. The arguments are the file name and a zero-terminated array of the privileges to be assigned. Privilege values are the same as those used with setprv(). If a process with effective user ID of root automatically has the requested privilege, no action is necessary. When the file is executed it will make calls to setprv() to activate the assigned privileges. If privileges assigned with prv_assign() are automatically active when the file is executed, then setprv() should just check that the requested privilege is in effect. prv_assign() is only called after setprv(PRV_ASSIGN) since assigning privilege is a privileged operation.

prv assign() returns 0 for success, -1 for failure.

6.8.5 mnt rw()

 $mnt_rw()$ mounts the file system specified by spec on to the directory dir for reading and writing.

mnt_rw() returns 0 for success, -1 for failure.

6.8.6 mnt ro()

 $mnt_ro()$ mounts the file system specified by spec on to the directory dir for reading only.

mnt_ro() returns 0 for success, -1 for failure.

6.8.7 unmnt()

unmnt () unmounts the file system specified by spec from the directory dir where it has previously been mounted.

unmnt() returns 0 for success, -1 for failure.

6.8.8 openct1()

openctl() opens the terminal device *spec* with the specified *flags*. This then becomes the controlling terminal for the current process.

openct1() returns the open file descriptor for the terminal, or -1 on failure.

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6.8.9 openpty()

openpty() opens the master and slave sides of a pseudo-terminal. Both device names are supplied, but if master pseudo-terminals are obtained from a clone device such as /dev/ptmx then the slave name is a dummy which must be overwritten with the real device name. An argument specifies whether the slave must be opened as a controlling terminal by calling openctl() instead of plain open(). Both devices must be opened for reading and writing. On many systems master devices can only be opened once, giving EBUSY for example on subsequent opens. If openpty() encounters a busy master device, it must simply open the slave. This routine is only called if pseudo-terminals are being used for terminal testing.

openpty() returns 0 for success or -1 for failure.

6.8.10 ptygetattr()

ptygetattr() obtains terminal attributes for the slave pseudo-terminal corresponding to the master device addressed by a specified file descriptor. This routine is only called if pseudo-terminals are being used for terminal testing.

ptygetattr() returns 0 for success or -1 for failure.

6.8.11 newroot()

newroot() causes *path* to become the root directory for the current process. newroot() is only called after setprv(PRV_NEWROOT) since setting the root directory is usually a privileged operation.

newroot() returns 0 for success, -1 for failure.

6.8.12 setlimit()

setlimit() is used to reduce the output file size limit for the process. The argument is the value to be set in units of 512 byte blocks, and will always be greater than or equal to the value set for the **VSX_ULIMIT_BLKS** parameter.

setlimit() returns the new limit, or -1 for failure.

6.8.13 pathdepth()

pathdepth() is used to determine the depth of pathnames beginning with // below the root directory of the process. The default code supplied is suitable for systems which use // to refer to a directory level above the root; i.e., when the root directory is referred to by //somename.

6.8.14 Additional Subset-specific Routines

The package-specific sections at the end of this chapter describe any additional routines that may have been added to userintf.c for the subsets you have selected.

Action Points

- 1. Review the file SRC/userintf.c and identify if it needs to be modified.
- 2. Modify the file to meet your system's requirements.
- 3. If you re-run config.sh at a later time, it will overwrite SRC/userintf.c with the default version, so make sure you copy it first.

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6.9 INSTALLING THE PSEUDO-LANGUAGES

6.9.1 Introduction

The internationalisation elements of VSX make use of a set of 'pseudo-languages' which must be installed, if they are needed by one or more test packages, using the appropriate tools for your system. Refer to the package-specific sections at the end of this chapter to determine whether the pseudo-languages are needed for the subsets and test mode you have selected.

The character encodings for additional characters in these languages must be chosen so as not to conflict with the encodings for the portable character set on your system.

Detailed information about the VSX pseudo-languages is contained in a separate document, called the VSX Pseudo-language Specification.

6.9.2 Configuring the Character Encodings

Each pseudo-language contains both the portable character set and the control character set with their normal encodings, plus a number of additional characters. The character encodings for the additional characters are specified in the file SRC/INC/pslcodes.h, which you must modify if the default encodings conflict with the encodings for the portable character set or the control character set on your system. The default encodings are shown in the section entitled "PSEUDO-LANGUAGE DEFINITION" in the VSX Pseudo-language Specification. They are suitable for systems where the characters of the portable character set and control character set have values in the range 0x0 to 0x7f (as in the ASCII character set).

The character encodings for the control character set are specified in the file SRC/INC/ctrlcodes.h. You must modify this file if the default encodings are not correct for your system. The default encodings are those of the control characters in the ASCII character set. The file contains two sets of definitions, one for the C locale and one for the pseudo-languages, in case the C locale definitions are not appropriate for use in the pseudo-languages. Any control characters that are not supported by your system should be defined with the value zero. The C locale definitions for the characters DEL, NAK, ETX, FS, DC1, DC3, EOT, VT and SUB must not be zero, as they are used by the terminal interface tests.

The character encodings specified in these two files will be compiled into the VSX libraries when the libraries are built. Therefore you must configure these files before proceeding to the installation stage, even though the languages themselves will not be used until the execution stage.

6.9.3 Installing the Languages

There are five separate pseudo-languages, with the locale names VSX4L1, VSX4L2, VSX4L3, VSX4L3@dict and VSX4L0. The definitions of the language elements (shift and classification tables, language information tables and collating sequences) are contained in the section entitled "PSEUDO-LANGUAGE DEFINITION" in the VSX Pseudo-language Specification. If you execute tests before installing the pseudo-languages, then tests which require a pseudo-language will give a result of unresolved or uninitiated.

If your system supports the localedef utility, and has ASCII or EBCDIC character encodings, you should be able to use the files supplied in SUPPORT/psldefs with little or no modification to install the pseudo-languages. If your system does not support localedef you may find that you can adapt these files to the file format required by your system. Note that the character encodings given in the CHARMAP entries must match the encodings you have configured in SRC/INC/ctrlcodes.h and SRC/INC/pslcodes.h. Also, since EBCDIC character encodings vary, you

may need to alter some of the encodings for the portable character set. Comments in the file suggest alternative encodings.

Action Points

- 1. Check the package-specific action points for this chapter to see whether the pseudo-languages are needed for the subsets and test mode you have selected. If they are not needed, skip the following action points.
- 2. If your system does not use the ASCII character set, modify the file SRC/INC/ctrlcodes.h so that it contains the correct control character encodings for your system. If your system uses an EBCDIC character set, copy the file SRC/INC/ctrlebcdic.h to SRC/INC/ctrlcodes.h first.
- Check that the character encodings specified in the file SRC/INC/pslcodes.h are suitable for your system, and modify the file if they are not. If your system uses an EBCDIC character set, copy the file SRC/INC/pslebcdic.h to SRC/INC/pslcodes.h first.
- 4. Install the VSX pseudo-languages using the appropriate tools for your system. You may be able to make use of the files in SUPPORT/psldefs to do this.

6.10 WIDE CHARACTER CONFIGURATION FILE

6.10.1 Introduction

Some test packages contain tests for wide character and multibyte character interfaces, which obtain information about the wide characters and multibyte characters supported on the system from a configuration file, SRC/wchars.cfg. Refer to the package-specific sections at the end of this chapter to see if this file is needed for the subsets and test mode you have selected. If it is needed, you must enter the required information in this file before proceeding to the installation stage, as the install script compiles the information into a binary file for use in the tests.

An example file suitable for use on systems which only support single-byte characters is provided with VSX. To use it simply copy $SRC/wc_nosup.cfg$ to SRC/wchars.cfg.

The wide character configuration file contains information about two locales. One locale is often required to exhibit the opposite behaviour of the other, so while one of the locales can be selected from the locales already present on the system, it will usually be necessary to install the other, as it will have strange properties not found in a normal locale. The locales chosen must support non-state-dependent encodings. Also, VSX tests only multibyte characters of 2, 3 and 4 bytes. The locales chosen must support at least one of these encodings.

The first two parameters in the file contain the names of the two locales. The remaining parameters contain lists of characters with specified attributes. These characters may be entered either as wide character numeric values or as multibyte sequences in quotes. Numeric values may only be used if conversion to a multibyte sequence using wctomb() will not generate a shift sequence. The usual convention of a leading 0x for hexadecimal and leading 0x for octal are used (otherwise decimal). In quoted strings the usual C language string literal conventions are used, including "\x" hexadecimal escapes. Where a multibyte character requires a lead sequence to introduce the encoding used, it must be entered as two adjacent quoted strings so that the byte count of the character itself will be correct.

Comments preceding each parameter specify the required attributes of the characters listed in the parameter. Where no character with those attributes exists, enter either 0 or "".

Note that the file does not contain parameters to specify printing and non-printing characters. The tests assume that all graphic and space characters are printing characters, and all control characters are non-printing characters.

6.10.2 Example Wide Character Configuration File

On the following pages is an example wide character configuration file based on a draft of the ISO 10646 character set. This character set supports three and four byte multibyte encodings introduced by one or two SGCI (single graphic character introducer) control characters (" \times 97").

Long lines in this example have been folded for formatting purposes, marked by a \setminus character on the end of the line. These lines must be entered as a single line in the configuration file.

Action Points

- 1. If the wide character locales are needed for the subsets and test mode you have selected, update the file SRC/wchars.cfg with information about wide characters and multibyte characters supported on your system. If your system only supports single-byte characters, simply copy SRC/wc_nosup.cfg to SRC/wchars.cfg.
- 2. If you re-run config.sh at a later time, it will overwrite SRC/wchars.cfg, so make sure you copy it first.
- 3. Install additional locales if necessary to reflect the information in the file.
- 4. If you change SRC/wchars.cfg at a later stage there is no need to repeat the installation stage or to rebuild any testsets. Simply change directory to SRC/common/wchars and type make. This will update the binary file used by the tests from the new information in wchars.cfg.

```
# This file is a pro forma wide character configuration parameter file.
# Wide characters may be entered as a numeric value (with a leading 0
# indicating octal or a leading 0x indicating hexadecimal, otherwise
# decimal), or as the equivalent multibyte sequence in double quotes
# (using 'C' string literal conventions). If a character needs a lead
# sequence to introduce it, it must be specified as two double quoted
# strings ("lead_seq" "character") so that the byte count of the
# character itself will be correct. Numeric values may only be used
# if conversion by wctomb() will not generate a shift sequence.
# Where no wide character with the specified attributes exists, enter 0
# or "". White space in parameter values is ignored.
# Wide character entries are separated by commas; groups of wide characters
# are separated by semi-colons.
#Locale names to which the values in the following parameters apply.
LOCALE1=VSXWCLOC1
LOCALE2=VSXWCLOC2
#Characters for which iswcntrl(), etc. are true (ISWCNTRL, etc.) or
#characters, and all control characters are non-printing characters.
```

#false (NOTCNTRL, etc.) for LOCALE1, and vice versa for LOCALE2. #It is assumed that all graphic and space characters are printing #Each parameter must contain a comma separated list of three wide #characters which correspond to 2,3 and 4 byte multibyte characters #respectively.

```
ISWCNTRL=0, "\x97"" \x81", "\x97\x97"" \x81"
NOTCNTRL=0, "\x97"" \x94", "\x97\x97"" \x94"
ISWGRAPH=0, "\x97"" ~", "\x97\x97"" ~"
NOTGRAPH=0, "\x97"" &", "\x97\x97"" &"
 \texttt{ISWLOWER=0, "} x97"" \quad \texttt{a", "} x97 x97"" 
NOTLOWER=0, "\x97"" A", "\x97\x97""
                                     Α"
                                     ! "
ISWPUNCT=0, "x97"" !", "x97x97""
NOTPUNCT=0, "\x97"" #", "\x97\x97"" #"
ISWSPACE=0, "\x97"" @", "\x97\x97"" @"
NOTSPACE=0, "\x97"" ", "\x97\x97""
ISWUPPER=0, "\x97"" A", "\x97\x97"" A"
NOTUPPER=0, "x97" a", "x97x97" a"
```

#Lowercase/uppercase character pairs. In LOCALE1 the first character #in each pair is lowercase, the second is the corresponding uppercase #character. In LOCALE2 the first is uppercase and the second is #the corresponding lowercase character.

#This parameter must contain a semi-colon separated list of three pairs #of comma separated wide characters with the first character in each pair #corresponding to a 2, 3 and 4 byte multibyte character respectively. TOWUPPER=0,0; "\x97"" a", "\x97"" A"; "\x97\x97"" a", "\x97\x97""

#Uppercase/lowercase character pairs. In LOCALE1 the first character #in each pair is uppercase, the second is the corresponding lowercase #character. In LOCALE2 the first is lowercase and the second is #the corresponding uppercase character.

#This parameter must contain a semi-colon separated list of three pairs #of comma separated wide characters with the first character in each pair #corresponding to a 2, 3 and 4 byte multibyte character respectively. TOWLOWER=0,0; "\x97"" A", "\x97"" a"; "\x97\x97"" A", "\x97\x97""

```
#Additional properties for use with wctype().
#This parameter must contain a comma separated list of all property
#names supported by wctype() other than the standard ones
#(alnum, etc.).
PROPERTIES=cyrillic, greek
#Characters for which the above properties are true (ISW<property>)
#or false (NOT<property>) for LOCALE1, and vice versa for LOCALE2.
#One ISW<property> and one NOT<property> parameter should be
#defined for each property name in PROPERTIES, with 
#in the parameter names replaced by the real property name.
#Each parameter must contain a comma separated list of three wide
#characters which correspond to 2,3 and 4 byte multibyte characters
#respectively.
ISWCYRILLIC=0, "\x97"" \x28\x60", "\x97\x97"" \x28\x60"
NOTCYRILLIC=0, "x97" x2ax22", "x97x97" x2ax22"
NOTGREEK=0, "\x97"" \x28\x60", "\x97\x97"" \x28\x60"
#Characters with specified printing widths in LOCALE1. The wide
\#characters in WIDTH<x> have a printing width of <x>.
#Each parameter must contain a comma separated list of three wide
#characters which correspond to 2,3 and 4 byte multibyte characters
#respectively. If the system does not support any printing
#characters of a particular width, enter 0 or "" for all three
#wide characters in the corresponding parameter.
WIDTH0=0, "\x97"" \x82", "\x97\x97"" \x82"
WIDTH1=0, "\x97"" \x83", "\x97\x97""
                                      \x83"
WIDTH2=0, "\x97"" \x84", "\x97\x97""
                                      \x84"
WIDTH3=0, "\x97"" \x85", "\x97\x97"" \x85"
#Decimal point character for LOCALE1.
#This parameter should contain a multibyte character of more than
#one byte, if supported.
DECPOINT1="x97""."
#Decimal point character for LOCALE2.
#This parameter should contain a multibyte character of more than
#one byte, if supported, with a different value to DECPOINT1.
DECPOINT2="\times97"" , "
#A character in LOCALE1 which corresponds to a multibyte sequence
#of length MB_CUR_MAX.
MBCURMAX1="\x97\x97""
#A character in LOCALE2 which corresponds to a multibyte sequence
#of length MB_CUR_MAX.
MBCURMAX2="\x97\x97""
#An invalid multibyte sequence.
#This parameter must contain a string in double quotes.
INVALID\_MB="\x97"
#A wide character value which does not correspond to a multibyte
#character.
#This parameter must contain an integer value.
INVALID_WC=999999
```

```
# The following parameters are not used in any tests if wcscoll() and
# wcsxfrm() are not supported. In this case "all zero" values should
# be used to satisfy the config file compiler. (They can be copied
# from wc_nosup.cfg).
#Characters which are ignored when collating strings.
#This parameter must contain a comma separated list of three wide
#characters which correspond to 2,3 and 4 byte multibyte characters
#respectively.
DONTCARE=0, "\x97"" \x86", "\x97\x97"" \x86"
#Character pairs which differ in primary collation order. In
#each pair the first character collates before the second in
#LOCALE1, and vice versa in LOCALE2.
#This parameter must contain a semi-colon separated list of ten
#pairs of comma separated wide characters which correspond to
#multibyte characters with the following numbers of bytes: 1, 1;
#1, 2; 1, 3; 1, 4; 2, 2; 2, 3; 2, 4; 3, 3; 3, 4; 4, 4.
\label{eq:primary="x87", "x88"; 0,0; "x87", "x97"" \x88"; "\x87", "\x97\x97"" \x87", "\x87", "\x87
\x88";0,0;0,0;0,0; "\x97"" \x87", "\x97"" \x88"; "\x97"" \x87", "\x97\x97"" \x88"; "\x97\x97"" \x88"; "\x97\x97"" \x88"; "\x97\x97"" \x88"; "\x97\x97"" \x88"; "\x97\x97"" \x88"
#Character pairs which have the same primary collation order
#but differ in secondary collation order. In each pair the first
#character collates before the second in LOCALE1, and vice versa
#in LOCALE2.
#This parameter must contain a semi-colon separated list of ten
#pairs of comma separated wide characters which correspond to
#multibyte characters with the following numbers of bytes: 1, 1;
#1, 2; 1, 3; 1, 4; 2, 2; 2, 3; 2, 4; 3, 3; 3, 4; 4, 4.
\label{eq:secondary} \verb| Secondary = "\x89", "\x89", "\x89", "\x97"" \x89", "\x97\x97"" \x89", "\x97\x97"" \x89", "\x97\x97"" \x89", "\x89", "\x89", "\x89", "\x89", "\x97"" \x89", "\x97"" \x89", "\x97"" \x89", "\x97"" \x89", "\x97"" \x89", "\x97\x97"" \x89", "\x89", "\x89
#Characters which collate as 2-1 mappings, with different primary
#order. In each set of three characters the first two together
#form a collation element which collates before the third character
#in LOCALE1, and vice versa in LOCALE2.
#This parameter must contain a semi-colon separated list of six
#triplets of comma separated wide characters which correspond to
#multibyte characters with the following numbers of bytes: 1, 1, 2;
#2, 3, 1; 2, 1, 3; 4, 2, 3; 1, 3, 3; 3, 4, 4.
\label{eq:primary2_1=0,0,0;0,0,0;0,0,0;0,0,0;} $$ \Pr[MARY2_1=0,0,0;0,0;0,0;0,0,0; "\x8b", "\x97"" \x8c", "\x97"" \x8d"; 
"x97"" x8b", "x97x97"" x8c", "x97x97"" x8d"
#Characters which collate as 2-1 mappings, with the same primary
#collation order, but different secondary order. In each set of
#three characters the first two together form a collation element
#which collates before the third character in LOCALE1, and vice
#versa in LOCALE2.
#This parameter must contain a comma separated list of six
#triplets of wide characters which correspond to multibyte
#characters with the following numbers of bytes: 1, 1, 2;
#2, 3, 1; 2, 1, 3; 4, 2, 3; 1, 3, 3; 3, 4, 4.
SECONDARY2_1=0,0,0;0,0,0;0,0,0;0,0,0;0,0,0; "\x8e", "\x97"" \x8f", "\x97"" \x90"; \
"\x97"" \x8e", "\x97\x97"" \x8f", "\x97\x97"" \x90"
```

```
#Characters which collate equally as 1-2 mappings. In each set of
#three characters the first two are collation elements which
#collate as a pair equally with the third character.
#This parameter must contain a comma separated list of six
#triplets of wide characters which correspond to multibyte
#characters with the following numbers of bytes: 1, 1, 2;
#2, 3, 1; 2, 1, 3; 4, 2, 3; 1, 3, 3; 3, 4, 4.
EQUAL1_2=0,0,0;0,0,0;0,0,0;0,0,0;0,0,0; "\x91", "\x97"" \x92", "\x97"" \x93"; \
"\x97"" \x91", "\x97\x97"" \x92", "\x97\x97"" \x93"
# The following parameters are not used in any tests if wcsftime() is not
# supported. In this case dummy values should be entered to satisfy the
# config file compiler. (They can be copied from wc_nosup.cfg).
#Time values returned by wcsftime() for LOCALE1.
#MONTH1_1 contains a comma separated list of the characters in
\#the full name for January, MONTH2_1 for February, and so on.
#Likewise ABMON1_1, etc. contain the abbreviated month names,
#DAY1_1, etc. contain the seven full day names, starting with
#Sunday, and ABDAY1_1, etc. contain the abbreviated day names.
\#AM\_STR1 contains the AM string and PM_STR1 contains the PM string.
#These parameters must together contain 2, 3 and 4 byte multibyte
#characters (at least one of each size that is supported).
MONTH1_1="J", "a", "\x97\x97"" n", "\x97"" u", "a", "r", "y"
MONTH2_1="F", "e", "b", "r", "\x97"" u", "a", "r", "y"
MONTH3_1="M", "a", "r", "c", "h"
MONTH4_1="A", "p", "r", "i", "l"
MONTH5_1="M", "a", "y"
MONTH6_1="J", "\x97"" u", "\x97\x97"" n", "e"
MONTH7_1="J", "\x97"" u", "1", "y"
MONTH8_1="A", "\x97"" u", "g", "\x97"" u", "s", "t"
MONTH9_1="S", "e", "p", "t", "e", "m", "b", "e", "r"
MONTH10_1="0", "c", "t", "o", "b", "e", "r"
MONTH11_1="N", "o", "v", "e", "m", "b", "e", "r"
MONTH12_1="D", "e", "c", "e", "m", "b", "e", "r"
ABMON1_1="J", "a", "\x97\x97"" n"
ABMON2_1="F", "e", "b"
ABMON3_1="M", "a", "r"
ABMON4_1="A", "p", "r"
ABMON5_1="M", "a", "y"
ABMON6_1="J", "x97"" u", "x97x97"" n"
ABMON7_1 = "J", " \times 97"" u", "l"
ABMON8_1="A", "\x97"" u", "g"
ABMON9_1="S", "e", "p"
ABMON10_1="0", "c", "t"
ABMON11_1="N", "o", "v"
ABMON12_1="D", "e", "c"
 \label{eq:day2_1="M", "o", "} \x97\x97"" n", "d", "a", "y" 
DAY3_1="T", "x97"" u", "e", "s", "d", "a", "y"
DAY5_1="T", "h", "\x97"" u", "r", "s", "d", "a", "y"
DAY6_1="F", "r", "i", "d", "a", "y"
DAY7_1="S", "a", "t", "\x97"" u", "r", "d", "a", "y"
ABDAY1_1="S", "\x97"" u", "\x97\x97"" n"
ABDAY2_1="M", "o", "\x97\x97""
ABDAY3_1="T", "\xymbox{x97"}" u", "e"
ABDAY4_1="W", "e", "d"
```

```
ABDAY5_1="T", "h", "\x97"" u"
ABDAY6_1="F", "r", "i"
ABDAY7_1="S", "a", "t"
AM_STR1="A", "M"
PM_STR1="P", "M"
#Time values returned by wcsftime() for LOCALE2, specified in the
#same manner as for LOCALE1. The values in these parameters must
#differ from the values in the corresponding LOCALE1 parameters.
MONTH1_2="j", "a", "\x97\x97"" n", "v", "i", "e", "r"
MONTH2_2="f", "E", "v", "r", "i", "e", "r"
MONTH3_2="m", "a", "r", "s"
MONTH4_2="a", "v", "r", "i", "l"
MONTH5_2="m", "a", "i"
MONTH6_2="j", "\x97"" u", "i", "\x97\x97"" n"
MONTH7_2="j", "\x97"" u", "i", "l", "l", "e", "t"
MONTH8_2="a", "o", "C", "t"
MONTH9_2="s", "e", "p", "t", "e", "m", "b", "r", "e"
MONTH10_2="o", "c", "t", "o", "b", "r", "e"
\label{eq:month112} \verb"MONTH112="\x97\x97"" n", "o", "v", "e", "m", "b", "r", "e" \end{substitute}
MONTH12_2="d", "E", "c", "e", "m", "b", "r", "e"
ABMON1_2="j", "a", "x97x97"" n", "v"
ABMON2_2="f", "E", "v", "r"
ABMON3_2="m", "a", "r", "s"
ABMON4_2="a", "v", "r"
ABMON5_2="m", "a", "i"
ABMON6_2="j", "\x97"" u", "i", "\x97\x97"" n"
ABMON7_2="j", "\x97"" u", "i", "l"
ABMON8_2="a", "o", "C", "t"
ABMON9_2="s", "e", "p", "t"
ABMON10_2="o", "c", "t"
ABMON11 2 = " \times 97 \times 97 " "
                     n", "o", "v"
ABMON12_2="d", "E", "c"
DAY3_2="m", "a", "r", "d", "i"
DAY4_2="m", "e", "r", "c", "r", "e", "d", "i"
DAY5_2="j", "e", "\x97"" u", "d", "i"
DAY6_2="v", "e", "\x97\x97"" n", "d", "r", "e", "d", "i"
DAY7_2="s", "a", "m", "e", "d", "i"
ABDAY1_2="d", "i", "m"
ABDAY2_2="l", "\x97"" u", "\x97\x97"" n"
ABDAY3_2="m", "a", "r"
ABDAY4_2="m", "e", "r"
ABDAY5_2="j", "e", "\x97"" u"
ABDAY7_2="s", "a", "m"
AM_STR2="a", "m"
PM_STR2="p", "m"
```

6.11 CONFIGURING VSX4

6.11.1 Installation Directory

Action Points

1. The requirement for the installation directory to support the inheritance of parent directory group ID applies to VSX4 if the base subset is selected.

6.11.2 VSX Configuration Script

Note the following points regarding the configuration script questions described in the generic part of this chapter:

Subset

Only one VSX4 subset (base) supports POSIX and FIPS modes.

The following additional question is asked by the configuration script if the base subset has been selected:

ANSI signal Function

Whether the ANSI function signal() is supported (y/n, default: y).

The optional configuration script questions described in the generic part of this chapter apply to VSX4 as follows:

C Compiler Threads Command Line Options

This question does not apply.

Maths Library

This question is asked if the base subset has been selected.

File System for ENOSPC Tests

This question is asked if the base subset has been selected.

6.11.3 User-supplied Interface Routines

The additional routines in userintf.c needed by VSX4 are described below.

An example version of userintf.c suitable for systems based on UNIX $^{\$}$ System V Release 4.1 Enhanced Security is provided in the file SRC/common/vport/userintfES.c. Note that this file only contains the routines needed by the VSX4 test package.

setgrps()

setgrps() sets the current supplementary groups list to the group IDs in *grparray*. This array should contain *ngrps* entries. setgrps() is only called after setprv(PRV_SETGRPS) since setting groups is usually a privileged operation. setgrps() returns 0 for success, -1 for failure.

If the implementation does not support setting the supplementary groups list, then setgrps() must return -1 with errno set to ENOSYS.

sys_call()

sys_call() makes one or more calls to an interface which is known to be a system call. When a test needs to accumulate system CPU time, this routine is called a large number of times. One system call each time should be sufficient, but more may be executed if required.

sys_call() returns 0 for success, -1 for failure.

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use_time()

use_time() performs processing which will accumulate user CPU time. When a test needs to accumulate user CPU time, this routine is called a large number of times. The amount of processing per call may be adjusted if necessary.

6.11.4 Installing The Pseudo-languages

Action Points

1. The pseudo-languages are needed if the base subset has been selected.

6.11.5 Wide Character Configuration File

Action Points

1. The ${\tt SRC/wchars.cfg}$ file is not needed by VSX4 in POSIX and FIPS modes.

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7. INSTALLING VSX

7.1 INTRODUCTION

When you have configured VSX for your system, you can proceed to the VSX installation stage. This is where the installation commands configured in the top level Makefile are executed and the VSX utilities and libraries are built.

The major part of the installation procedure is performed by a script which is executed with the user ID of user vsx0 from the top level Makefile. The installation script applies the parameters and definitions in the files vsxparams and vsxconfig.h to the VSX source files. The script generates a report with details of the success of each step in a journal file in the results directory. The journal files from successive runs of the installation script are numbered sequentially.

The installation script includes the following steps:

7.1.1 VSX Header Files

The file SRC/INC/std.h is updated with values from vsxparams which are needed in C compilations.

7.1.2 Include Files

The set of your system include files is copied into SRC/SYSINC and each file is updated with any extra definitions required, from the file vsxconfig.h. The VSX include files are used to install and build the VSX software, but not in the execution of header file tests.

7.1.3 Directory Routines

The installation script checks the directory routines opendir() and readdir() are working. When the directory routines are not functioning correctly, the script gives a warning, both on the screen and in the install journal.

7.1.4 Variable Argument Routines

The installation script checks whether variable argument functions work correctly, using either <code>varargs.h></code> or <code>stdarg.h></code> depending on the test mode selected and whether the compiler defines the symbol <code>__STDC__</code>. Note that the contents of these headers is not checked during the configuration stage, when the other system headers are checked. If the header file contents are found to be incorrect, and you do not wish to alter the file in the system include directory, you can copy it in to <code>SRC/SYSINC</code> and correct the problem there.

7.1.5 Testroot Initialisation

The install script creates the testroot directory structure under the testroot directory.

7.1.6 Configuration Files

The building and cleaning configuration files, tetbuild.cfg and tetclean.cfg are created in the home directory, using the information from the configuration stage. The execution configuration file, tetexec.cfg is created in the testroot directory with some of the parameters set up with the information from the configuration stage. However, you must add the values for most of the parameters in the execution file manually. See the chapter entitled "EXECUTING VSX" for details.

These files contain the parameters which are used during the building, execution and cleanup stages respectively.

If these configuration files already exist, they are first renamed to oldbuild.cfg, oldclean.cfg and oldexec.cfg before being created. Parameter values from

the old tetexec.cfg are copied to the new file before it is updated with information from the configuration stage.

7.1.7 Scenario Files

The install script creates the scenario files scen.bld and scen.exec in the home directory. These are used by TETware to determine which tests are built and executed, respectively.

7.1.8 Update Common Software Files

Firstly, userintf.c is copied into SRC/common/vport. Then the Makefiles in the various sub-directories of SRC/common are updated with information from the configuration stage.

7.1.9 Subset-specific Install Scripts

Any additional procedures needed for the subsets and test mode you have selected are performed at this point. For example, additional subset-specific values may be added to SRC/INC/std.h.

7.1.10 Build Common Software

The installation script builds the VSX libraries and utility programs. The install journal gives a success/failure indication for each directory in which make is executed. You must investigate and correct any failures which occur during building before continuing any further.

Action Points

Obtain the necessary privileges for execution of the installation commands you
have configured in the top level Makefile and execute make in the vsx0
home directory. E.g.

```
su root -c make
```

2. When make has completed, check the installation log in the results directory to ensure that no errors have occurred. If make encountered any errors, or there are errors in the log, you must correct them and re-run make.

8. BUILDING VSX

8.1 INTRODUCTION

When you have configured and installed VSX, the next stage builds a series of executable programs in your TESTROOT directory. These programs make up the VSX test suite, which you run in the execution stage to verify your system. The building stage also copies the source files for any header file tests into the correct directories.

You can choose to build all the testsets you have configured. Alternately, you can choose the section or area you want to build and, optionally, build single testsets. When building the tests, you can specify options to use an alternative configuration file and to modify parameters on the command line, among others. In addition, you can use the output from the building stage in a VSX journal file for the VSX reporting stage.

You may also need to install a loopback lead for the terminal interface testing. See the section entitled "TERMINAL INTERFACE TESTING" later in this chapter for information.

8.2 BUILDING ALL REQUIRED TESTSETS

8.2.1 Introduction

Invoking the Test Case Controller with the command

```
tcc -b -s scen.bld
```

will cause all the testsets for the options selected during the configuration stage to be built. If you have not set the environment variable **TET_EXECUTE** to the pathname of your testroot directory, you must specify it on the tcc command line. For example, to specify the default testroot location, append

```
-a TESTROOT
```

to the command given above. The remaining example commands in this chapter assume that **TET_EXECUTE** is set in the environment.

The build parameters are found in the tetbuild.cfg file in the vsx0 home directory. This file is created during the installation phase.

Journal File

The results from the building stage are placed in a journal file under the results directory. The name of this file is output by the tcc on startup. VSX provides utilities to produce reports from these files — see the chapter entitled "REPORTING" for further details.

8.3 BUILDING SELECTED TESTSETS (OPTIONAL)

8.3.1 Sections and Areas

The package-specific sections at the end of this chapter give details about the parts of the test suite you can build. To build individual testsets and use other options for the tee command, see the sections marked "OPTIONAL" later in the chapter.

8.3.2 Building Selected Parts of a Scenario

To build selected parts of the test suite, you can use the -y and -n options of the tcc to select which lines of the file scen.bld you wish to include (-y) or exclude (-n). You can use as many of these options as you like in one command. If a scenario line matches both a -y string and a -n string it will be excluded.

For example, to build just the POSIX.os section, use the command:

```
tcc -b -s scen.bld -y POSIX.os
```

or to build everything except the header tests, use the command:

```
tcc -b -s scen.bld -n .hdr
```

or to build the streamio areas in all the sections that have one, but excluding tests of fprintf, printf, sprintf, vfprintf, vprintf and vsprintf, use the command:

```
tcc -b -s scen.bld -y streamio -n printf
```

The journal file for a partial execution is handled correctly by the report writer.

8.3.3 Building Individual Testsets

If the list of testsets you wish to build is too varied to be specified easily using -y and -n options, simply edit a copy of the scenario file scen.bld to reflect the testsets you wish to build.

Examples

If the file <code>myscen.bld</code> contains an edited copy of <code>scen.bld</code> then use the command

```
tcc -b -s myscen.bld
```

to build just the testsets contained in the file.

8.3.4 Additional Options

The tcc manual page gives full details of the additional options you can use with the tcc command. The following options are some of the most useful.

- 1. To see a running progress report, include the -p option. The tcc will then output a line to the terminal as it starts building each testset.
- 2. To use an alternative configuration file to tetbuild.cfg, include the -g *filename* option. The file must be in the same format as tetbuild.cfg.
- 3. To override a parameter in the build parameters file, include the -v option. For example, to use the operator name "A N Other" rather than the value defined in tetbuild.cfg, use the command

```
tcc -b -v VSX_OPER="A N Other" rest-of-command
```

4. In order to build testsets which failed to build in a previous build, use

```
tcc -b -s scen.bld -r FAIL old-journal-file
```

where *old-journal-file* is the journal file from which the codes are extracted.

Action Points

- 1. Log in as the user vsx0.
- 2. Give the command

```
tcc -b -s scen.bld
```

with the other options you want to use. Use the command

```
../bin/tcc -b -s scen.bld
```

from the vsx0 home directory if \$HOME/../bin is not in your PATH.

8.4 REMOVING BUILT TESTSETS

When you want to remove all of the object files and executable programs for the whole test suite or part of it, you can use the -c option of the tcc command. This option works in exactly the same way as the -b option except that, instead of building the test suite, this option returns the system to the state it was in before you started the building stage.

Use this option when you want to re-build VSX using a different compiler.

8.5 REPORTING

You can produce reports from the journal files output by tcc by using the procedures described in the chapter entitled "REPORTING". These reports show you where any compilation failures have occurred.

8.6 TERMINAL INTERFACE TESTING

8.6.1 Introduction

For tests that need to use a terminal interface, two ports on the same machine are connected with each other. Then one port simulates the presence of a terminal providing for error-free and repeatable testing. Where implementations do not have at least two terminal ports, the tests can instead be performed using pseudo-terminals. In this case a user-supplied routine is called to open the pseudo-terminals. See the section entitled "USER-SUPPLIED INTERFACE ROUTINES" for a description of this routine.

The terminal loop-back is only needed by some test packages. Refer to the packagespecific sections at the end of this chapter for details.

If the system does not provide any devices which support the general terminal interface, then tests which need to use a terminal interface will give unsupported results.

Certain tests require modem control and will be reported unsupported if this is not available.

8.6.2 Cable Wiring

If the system has at least two ports, preparation for the tests begins by connecting two terminal or modem ports back-to-back (sometimes called *loop-back* or *closed-loop*) using a cable which fits these sockets. For example, a null modem cable is suitable for RS232-type DTE ports. A typical cable wiring would be:

Null Modem Cable (DTE-DTE)					
Function	Pins	Data Flow	Pins	Function	
Protective Ground	1	⇐⇒	1	Protective Ground	
Transmit Data	2	\Rightarrow	3	Receive Data	
Receive Data	3	⇐	2	Transmit Data	
Request to Send	4	\Rightarrow	8	Data Carrier Detect	
Clear to Send	5	⇐	8	Data Carrier Detect	
Data Set Ready	6	⇐	20	Data Terminal Ready	
Signal Ground	7	\iff	7	Signal Ground	
Data Carrier Detect	8	⇐	4	Request to Send	
Data Carrier Detect	8	\Rightarrow	5	Clear to Send	
Data Terminal Ready	20	\Rightarrow	6	Data Set Ready	

An equivalent "null terminal" cable suitable for RS232-type DCE ports could be wired as follows:

Null Terminal Cable (DCE-DCE)					
Function	Pins	Data Flow	Pins	Function	
Protective Ground	1	\Leftrightarrow	1	Protective Ground	
Transmit Data	2	<=	3	Receive Data	
Receive Data	3	\Rightarrow	2	Transmit Data	
Request to Send	4	⇐	6	Data Set Ready	
Data Set Ready	6	\Rightarrow	4	Request to Send	
Data Set Ready	6	\Rightarrow	20	Data Terminal Ready	
Signal Ground	7	\iff	7	Signal Ground	
Data Terminal Ready	20	\Leftarrow	6	Data Set Ready	

Action Points

- 1. Check the package-specific action points for this chapter to see whether the terminal loop-back is needed for the subsets and test mode you have selected. If it is not needed, skip the following action points.
- 2. If the system has at least two terminal ports, wire and connect two ports to provide a loop-back.
- 3. Make the two ports readable and writable by user vsx0.
- 4. There must not be any processes attached to these ports. (For example, you may have to change /etc/inittab or /etc/ttys to remove login processes at this point.)

8.7 TROUBLESHOOTING

You may encounter some of the following problems when you build tests with tcc. This section lists common problems and gives notes explaining how to overcome them.

1. tcc cannot create lock files.

There may be lock files left over from a previous run. Whenever possible tcc always removes its lock files, however if it is terminated by an uncatchable signal or the system crashes then lock files may be left behind. Check for files named tet_lock in both the source and testroot directory hierarchies at the testset level. The tet_lock file may itself be the lock file, or it may be a directory containing lock files.

2. Some header tests fail to build, due to a program called **hdrdefs** trying to write files larger than the file size limit, or running out of disk space.

Normally **hdrdefs** creates a copy of each header it processes, with all nested **#include** lines expanded out. On some systems, if certain key headers are included by many others, the nesting complexity can cause these headers to be copied so many times into the expanded file that the file becomes huge.

The hdrdefs program can be prevented from creating the expanded-out files by setting the environment variable HDRDEFS_NOEXPAND. However, this also causes hdrdefs to treat 'missing' nested include files differently. Instead of indicating that a nested header could not be opened by placing a special #define in the expanded-out file, it will report an error immediately and exit. If you try to build the header tests with HDRDEFS_NOEXPAND set, and the build fails due to some missing nested includes, you should first check that the reason they are not being found is because they do not exist on your system, rather than because their location has been omitted from the INCDIRS parameter in SRC/vsxparams. You can stop hdrdefs reporting missing nested include files by creating dummy versions of the missing files. Each file must contain a line which will cause an error to be reported should the file be compiled during one of the header tests. For example:

#error Dummy version of sys/thisfile.h was used

The location of the dummy include files should be added to the INCDIRS parameter in SRC/vsxparams so that **hdrdefs** will be able to find them.

Some header tests fail to build, with syntax errors reported by a program called hdranal.

If your system headers make use of type names that are built-in to the compiler, they will not be recognised by **hdranal** unless they are defined in the file SRC/INC/builtins.h. This file may be edited by the user. As distributed, the file contains all the definitions needed for systems that VSX has been run on to date. If you find you need to add new definitions to the file, please inform the VSXgen support team (see the appendix entitled "SUPPORT SERVICES") so that the additions can be included in the next VSXgen release.

8.8 BUILDING VSX4

8.8.1 Sections and Areas

Base Subset

The sections in the base subset contain the following areas:

ANSI.hdr

Area: misc.

ANSI.os

Areas: charhandle, diagnostics, genuts, jump, locale, maths, signal, streamio, string and time.

POSIX.hdr

Area: misc.

POSIX.os

Areas: Csupport, dataform, devclass, files, ioprim, procenv, procprim and sysdb.

8.8.2 Terminal Interface Testing

Action Points

1. The terminal loop-back is needed if the base subset has been selected.

8.8.3 Data Interchange Format Testing

A number of shell scripts are provided with VSX4 which execute the data interchange format utilities installed on the test machine. These utilities are required to test the archive/interchange file formats within the testsets POSIX.os/dataform/tar and POSIX.os/dataform/cpio.

The contents of these shell scripts should be modified to call the format utilities with the correct syntax and arguments on the test machine. This is necessary because the name and syntax of the format utilities are not defined within POSIX.1.

However, suitable commands are defined in POSIX.2, and these are used by default in the supplied scripts. If the system under test has a conforming <code>pax</code> utility, there is no need to change these scripts. Note that the default scripts do not use full pathnames, so if you do not change the scripts, you must ensure that your **PATH** includes the directories where the commands used in these scripts are located.

The shell scripts will be called by the test sets with arguments which are defined within the shell script — these arguments should be passed to the format utility in an appropriate manner to create or read an archive file.

The names of the shell scripts provided are as follows. These should all be present in the directory *your–testroot–directory/BIN*.

Shell script	Use of script
cpio_cr.sh	create cpio format archive file
cpio_xt.sh	read cpio format archive file
cpio_i_xt.sh	read cpio format archive file restoring file ownership
tar_cr.sh	create tar format archive file
tar_xt.sh	read tar format archive file
tar i xt.sh	read tar format archive file restoring file ownership

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Action Points

1. Review the contents of the tar and cpio shell scripts in the directory your-testroot-directory/BIN and, where required, modify the contents of the scripts to call suitable utilities with the correct syntax and arguments for the test system.

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9. EXECUTING VSX

9.1 INTRODUCTION

Before you run the testsets you have built, you must set up the file containing execution parameters. When you are ready to execute the VSX testsets, you can choose to run the entire selection of testsets you have configured or, optionally, execute sections, areas, single testsets and individual invocable components. In addition, you can use options to change parameters on the command line and to re-execute failed testsets from old journal files, among others. You can use the output from the execution stage in a journal file for the VSX reporting stage.

9.2 THE EXECUTION PARAMETERS FILE

9.2.1 Introduction

During the testset execution stage, the VSX testsets find information about your system from the execution parameters file. This file contains lines which define the parameters and give their values. If the testset cannot find the information, it either uses a default value or reports that the parameter is not set in the test results for the tests that use that parameter.

9.2.2 Setting the Execution Parameters

VSX looks for the execution parameters file, tetexec.cfg, in the testroot directory when you execute the Test Case Controller. During the installation stage, VSX generates an execution parameters file in the testroot directory, but some of the values in the file are INCORRECT for your system.

Format

Each line in the execution parameters file is either a comment line, beginning with the hash character (#), or a parameter line. Parameter lines use the following format:

parameter-name=parameter-value

The contents of the generated file vary according to the subsets you have selected. The section below lists the parameter names that are always present. Additional parameters required only for one subset are listed in the package-specific sections at the end of this chapter.

The value given to each parameter may be any sequence of characters which is valid for the associated parameter. When you leave the value blank after the equals sign (=), the parameter is set to its default value, if it has one.

Action Points

1. Check the execution parameters file tetexec.cfg before you start the VSX execution stage and edit any values which are not correct for your system.

9.3 EXECUTION PARAMETER NAMES

Check or set the values for the following parameters, and any additional subset-specific parameters, in the execution parameters file before you start the VSX execution stage. Note that the order of these parameters is the same as they are in the file where you will edit them.

9.3.1 General Parameters

TEST MODE

The testing mode selected when config.sh was run. The value is set automatically by the installation procedure and should not be altered.

TEST_PACKAGES

A list of the test packages being used. The value is set automatically by the installation procedure and should not be altered.

VSXDIR

The source directory for the VSX source software.

Where Used

vbuild (vprog)

Default Value

None

VSX_DBUG_FLAGS

The debugging flags used to determine the level of debugging information generated upon execution of tests.

Where Used

All testsets

Default Value

If this parameter is not set, no debugging output is produced.

VSX DBUG FILE

The default destination for debug and path tracing output. This file is used if none is specified in the debug flags in VSX_DBUG_FLAGS. Output is appended to the file on each run, so an existing file should be saved or deleted before running tcc with debugging enabled. Use of relative path names is not recommended, as the directory in which test programs are executed varies. This parameter is usually set to your-testroot-directory/dbug.out.

Where Used

All testsets

Default Value

If this parameter is not set, debug output is sent to the standard error stream. Note that this often causes incorrect test results in cases where the interface being tested uses stderr. For this reason, it is advisable to direct debugging output to a file.

VSX_NAME

The test run name; that is, what this particular test run will be called in the final vrpt and/or prpt output.

Where Used

vrpt (vprog) prpt (vprog)

Default Value

No default value is assigned.

VSX_OPER

The name of the operator for this test run.

Where Used

vrpt (vprog)
prpt (vprog)

Default Value

No default value is assigned.

VSX_ORG

Name of the agency running the tests/for whom the tests are being run.

Where Used

vrpt (vprog)
prpt (vprog)

Default Value

No default value is assigned.

VSX_PATH

Used to set the **PATH** environment variable during execution of testsets in the header file sections. This will be used to locate the C compiler and the executable object produced by it. This parameter should always include the current directory.

Where Used

driver.hdr (drivers)
driver.C (drivers)

Default Value

:/bin:/usr/bin; that is: your current directory, then /bin, then /usr/bin.

VSX SYS

The test system name; that is, the name of the system being tested.

Where Used

vrpt (vprog)
prpt (vprog)

Default Value

No default value is assigned.

VSX_UID0, VSX_UID1, VSX_UID2

These are the user IDs associated with the users vsx0, vsx1 and vsx2 respectively.

These must not be privileged users.

Where Used

uids (genlib)

Default Value

If not defined, each of the tests that uses these parameters is reported as unresolved or uninitiated.

VSX_GID0, VSX_GID1, VSX_GID2

These are the group IDs associated with the groups vsxg0, vsxg1 and vsxg2 respectively.

These must not be privileged groups.

Where Used

uids (genlib)

Default Value

If not defined, each of the tests that uses these parameters is reported as unresolved or uninitiated.

TET_SIG_IGN

A list of the signal numbers that are to be ignored during testing. This should be a comma-separated list of (non-POSIX) signal numbers. Many systems will need to include the signal number for SIGSYS.

Where Used

TETware API

Default Value

No default value is assigned.

TET_SIG_LEAVE

A list of the signal numbers that are to be left alone during testing. These are most often signals which cause problems both if they are set to be caught and if they are ignored via **TET_SIG_IGN**. This should be a comma-separated list of (non-POSIX) signal numbers.

Where Used

setsigs(vlib)

TETware API

Default Value

No default value is assigned.

9.3.2 Compiler Characteristics

These parameters are only required if one or more selected subsets contain C language tests, or header tests which use the generic driver driver.hdr. Some test packages may build alternative header test drivers, which use different parameters.

VSX CC

The full path name of the C compiler to be used in header and C language tests. This is normally set to the same value as **CC** in SRC/vsxparams. The file named by **VSX_CC** may be a shell script or an executable file.

Where Used

driver.hdr (drivers)
driver.C (drivers)

Default Value

/bin/cc

VSX_CFLAGS

The flags to be passed to the C compiler (VSX_CC). This is normally set to the same value as COPTS in SRC/vsxparams.

These flags must not define any of the feature test macros _XOPEN_SOURCE, _XOPEN_SOURCE_EXTENDED, _POSIX_SOURCE

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or _POSIX_C_SOURCE.

Where Used

driver.hdr (drivers)
driver.C (drivers)

Default Value

NULL; that is, no string.

VSX LIBS

Libraries and linker flags to be passed to the C compiler (VSX_CC).

These will usually include any subset-specific libraries named individually in parameters in SRC/vsxparams, any libraries specified in **SYSLIBS** in SRC/vsxparams, and any link editor command line options specified in **LDFLAGS** in SRC/vsxparams.

Where Used

driver.hdr (drivers)
driver.C (drivers)

Default Value

-lm

9.3.3 Operating System Characteristics Common To Multiple Subsets

The following parameters are in the generic part of tetexec.cfg because they may be needed by more than one subset. This avoids the need to configure the same information multiple times under different parameter names. However, if you have not selected any of the subsets which use a particular parameter, you do not need to set a value for that parameter. Refer to the package-specific sections at the end of this chapter to see which of these parameters are needed, and where they are used.

VSX BLKDEV FILE

The full path name of a block special device which exists on your system. If block special files are not supported, this parameter should be set to unsup.

Default Value

If not defined, each of the tests that uses **VSX_BLKDEV_FILE** is marked as unresolved or uninitiated.

VSX_CHRDEV_FILE

The path name of a character special device which exists on your system. If character special files are not supported, this parameter should be set to unsup.

Default Value

If not defined, each of the tests that uses **VSX_CHRDEV_FILE** is reported as unresolved or uninitiated.

VSX_FCNTL_EDEADLK

Does fcntl() detect EDEADLK? (Y-yes or N-no)

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_FCNTL_MAXLOCK

The maximum number of locks that can be set using fcntl(). This number does not have to be exact, just sufficiently large to obtain an ENOLCK error. A value of -1 indicates there is no practical limit (e.g., if limited only by available memory).

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_INVALID_FCNTL_CMD

An invalid cmd value for the argument to fcntl().

Default Value

-1

VSX INVALID GID

Out of range group ID. If all *gid_t* values are valid group IDs, this parameter should be set to unsup, so tests using this parameter will be reported unsupported.

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_INVALID_GNAME

Group name not in the group database.

Default Value

nogroup

VSX INVALID PNAME

User name not in the user database.

Default Value

nouser

VSX_INVALID_UID

Out of range user ID. If all uid_t values are valid user IDs, this parameter should be set to unsup, so tests using this parameter will be reported unsupported.

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_INVALID_WHENCE

An invalid whence value for the argument to lseek() and fseek(), and for the l_whence structure member passed to fcntl().

Default Value

-1

VSX_INVAL_SIG

An illegal signal number.

Default Value

If not defined, the default is set to -1.

VSX_MOUNT_DEV

The full path name of a block special file which can be mounted. The value may be the same as that given for the VSX_ROFS and/or VSX_NOSPC_DEV parameters.

Default Value

If not defined, each of the tests that uses **VSX_MOUNT_DEV** will be reported as uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX NOSPC DEV

The full path name of the block special file for the mountable device which was filled during the installation stage. The value may be the same as that given for the VSX_MOUNT_DEV and/or VSX_ROFS parameters.

Default Value

If not defined, each of the tests that uses **VSX_NOSPC_DEV** will be reported as untested.

VSX_PURE_FILE

The full path name to an executable pure procedure (shared text) file, this is normally set to *your-testroot-directory*/BIN/purefile. If shared executables are not supported, this parameter should be set to unsup. If the system supports shared executables but does not produce the ETXTBSY error condition, this parameter should **not** be set to unsup.

Each test takes its own copy of the file before performing the test using it. This is done so that if, for example, <code>creat()</code> on a busy pure procedure file succeeds and truncates the file, other tests that depend on the existence of <code>purefile</code> will not be affected.

Default Value

If not defined, each of the tests that uses this parameter will be reported as unresolved or uninitiated.

VSX READDIR EBADF

Does readdir() detect EBADF? (Y-yes or N-no)

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX ROFS

The full path name of a block special file which can be mounted read-only. If read-only file systems are not supported, this parameter should be set to unsup. The value may be the same as that given for the VSX_MOUNT_DEV and/or VSX_NOSPC_DEV parameters.

Default Value

If not defined, each of the tests that uses **VSX_ROFS** will be reported unresolved.

VSX_SIGSET_EINVAL

Can sigaddset() and sigdelset() give EINVAL? (Y-yes or N-no)

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX SYS OPEN MAX

The maximum number of files that can be open on the system at any time. This number does not have to be exact, just sufficiently large to obtain an ENFILE error. A value of -1 indicates that there is no practical limit (e.g., if limited only by available memory). In the latter case the tests using this parameter will be reported as untested.

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_TTYNAME

Device name of the terminal on which the tcc is running.

Default Value

None.

VSX TTYUSER

The login name of the user logged on at the terminal specified by **VSX_TTYNAME**.

Default Value

None.

VSX ULIMIT BLKS

The minimum multiple of blocks for which a file size limit can be set (using the setlimit() user-supplied function). Most implementations only support settings which correspond to the underlying file system block size. If the system does not support setting a file size limit this parameter should be set to -1.

Default Value

None.

VSX_UNLOCKABLE_FILE

The name of a file which cannot be locked. The file must have read and write permission for user vsx0 or group vsxg0. If no unlockable files exist or can be created on the system, then this parameter should be set to unsup.

Default Value

None. If not defined, each of the tests that uses **VSX_UNLOCKABLE_FILE** will be reported as unresolved or uninitiated.

VSX_UNUSED_GID

An unused (but valid) group ID. If all unused group IDs are invalid, this parameter should be set to unsup.

Default Value

None.

VSX UNUSED UID

An unused (but valid) user ID. If all unused user IDs are invalid, this parameter should be set to unsup.

Default Value

None.

9.3.4 Terminal Interface Parameters Common To Multiple Subsets

The parameters in this part of tetexec.cfg are only needed by some test packages. Refer to the package-specific sections at the end of this chapter to see whether they are needed, and if so where they are used.

If the system does not provide any devices which support the general terminal interface, the **VSX_TERMIOS_TTY** and **VSX_TERMIOS_LOOP** parameters should be set to unsup. In this case the remaining parameters are not used.

If the system does provide devices which support the general terminal interface, but does not have two ports which can be used to form a hardware loopback, then where possible testing should be performed using pseudo-terminals and the software loopback facility in VSX. If the pseudo-terminal devices do not support the general terminal interface fully, they should still be used, and waivers requested for the tests which use unsupported features (typically parity generation/detection and character size). If testing with neither a hardware nor software loopback is possible, set the VSX_TERMIOS_TTY and VSX_TERMIOS_LOOP parameters to unsup. In this case it will be necessary to request a waiver for the terminal interface tests which give UNSUPPORTED results as they will disagree with the conformance document.

VSX_TERMIOS_TTY

This is the terminal device to be used as controlling terminal for the tests. This parameter should be set to unsup if the general terminal interface is not supported. When using pseudo-terminals for terminal interface testing, if pseudo-terminal master devices are obtained from a clone device such as /dev/ptmx then **VSX_TERMIOS_TTY** must be set to a dummy slave device name long enough to be overwritten with the real name when it is obtained; for example /dev/pts/XXX.

Default Value

None.

VSX_TERMIOS_LOOP

This is the terminal device connected to **VSX_TERMIOS_TTY** by loopback. This parameter should be set to unsup if the general terminal interface is not supported. When using pseudo-terminals for terminal interface testing, if pseudo-terminal master devices are obtained from a clone device such as /dev/ptmx then **VSX_TERMIOS_LOOP** must be set to a dummy slave device name long enough to be overwritten with the real name when it is obtained.

Default Value

None.

VSX_MASTER_TTY

When using pseudo-terminals for terminal interface testing, this identifies the master side of the pseudo-terminal pair for which **VSX_TERMIOS_TTY** is the slave. This parameter should be left unset if **VSX_TERMIOS_TTY** is not a pseudo-terminal.

Default Value

If not defined, the tests which perform terminal testing do not provide a software loopback between **VSX_TERMIOS_TTY** and **VSX_TERMIOS_LOOP**.

VSX_MASTER_LOOP

When using pseudo-terminals for terminal interface testing, this identifies the master side of the pseudo-terminal pair for which **VSX_TERMIOS_LOOP** is the slave. This parameter should be left unset if **VSX_TERMIOS_LOOP** is not a pseudo-terminal.

Default Value

If not defined, the tests which perform terminal testing do not provide a software loopback between **VSX_TERMIOS_TTY** and **VSX_TERMIOS_LOOP**.

VSX_TERMIOS_ASYNC

Are VSX_TERMIOS_TTY and VSX_TERMIOS_LOOP asynchronous serial terminals? (Y-yes or N-no)

Default Value

If not defined, each of the tests in the above testsets that uses **VSX_TERMIOS_ASYNC** will be reported as uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX TERMIOS BUFFERED

Do **VSX_TERMIOS_TTY** and **VSX_TERMIOS_LOOP** have buffered output queues? (Y-yes or N-no)

Default Value

If not defined, each of the tests in the above testsets that uses this parameter will be reported as uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX TERMIOS SPEED

This is the normal speed setting for terminal tests (e.g., B9600). If split baud rates are supported, this parameter should be set to an **output** baud rate which may be used with a different input baud rate.

Default Value

None.

VSX MODEM CONTROL

Is modem control supported? (Y-yes or N-no)

Default Value

None. If not defined, each of the tests in the above testsets that uses **VSX_MODEM_CONTROL** will be reported as uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_START_STOP_CHNG

Can the START and STOP characters be changed? (Y-yes or N-no)

Default Value

None. If not defined, each of the tests in the above testsets that uses VSX_START_STOP_CHNG will be reported as uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX TCGETPGRP SUPPORTED

Is tcgetpgrp() supported? (Y-yes or N-no)

Default Value

None. If not defined, each of the tests in the above testsets that uses **VSX_TCGETPGRP_SUPPORTED** will be reported as uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_TCSETPGRP_SUPPORTED

Is tcsetpgrp() supported? (Y-yes or N-no)

Default Value

None. If not defined, each of the tests in the above testsets that uses **VSX_TCSETPGRP_SUPPORTED** will be reported as uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_UNSUPPORTED_CFLAG

An unsupported c_cflag value or speed. The value can be specified using c_cflag symbols from <termios.h>, as a speed with leading B, or as a numeric value (with leading 0 for octal, 0x for hexadecimal, otherwise decimal). If a c_cflag symbol or numeric value is prefixed with ~ the relevant bits will be cleared instead of set in c_cflag. This parameter should be set to none if all possible c_cflag values are supported.

Default Value

None. If not defined, each of the tests in the above testsets that uses this parameter will be reported as uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_SUPPORTED_CFLAG

A c_cflag value which is not the default value in effect when the terminal is opened, or a speed other than that specified for VSX_TERMIOS_SPEED. The value must be unrelated to VSX_UNSUPPORTED_CFLAG (e.g., they cannot both be speeds or both be one of CS5, CS6, CS7 and CS8). The value is specified in the same form as for VSX_UNSUPPORTED_CFLAG. This parameter should be set to none if no settings other than the defaults are supported.

Default Value

None. If not defined, each of the tests in the above testsets that uses this parameter will be reported as uninitiated or unresolved.

PCTS ECHOE

Erase sequence echoed when ECHOE and ECHO are set.

Default Value

None.

PCTS_ECHOK

Kill sequence echoed when ECHOK and ECHO are set, and a '\025' kill character is used to kill an input line containing seven characters.

Default Value

None.

9.4 EXECUTING THE VSX TEST SUITE

9.4.1 Introduction

The TETware test case controller, tcc, controls the execution of the test suite. The driver executes all the testsets or those for the part you have requested. The results from the execution stage are placed in a journal file under the results directory. The name of this file is output by the tcc on startup.

The sections below give details about the parts of the test suite you can execute and how to execute them. To execute individual testsets and use other options for the test suite driver, see the sections marked "OPTIONAL" later in this chapter.

Note that tcc cannot be run using nohup as this would break the association with the login terminal specified in the **VSX_TTYNAME** parameter. If you wish to leave tcc to run unattended but do not want the terminal to be left logged in when it finishes you can use the shell's exec command to execute tcc in place of the login shell. This will cause the terminal to be logged out when tcc exits.

9.4.2 Executing All Required Tests

To execute all the tests for the options selected during the configuration stage, invoke the test case controller with the command:

```
tcc -e -s scen.exec
```

If you have not set the environment variable **TET_EXECUTE** to the pathname of your testroot directory, you must specify it on the tcc command line. For example, to specify the default testroot location, append

```
-a TESTROOT
```

to the command given above. The remaining example commands in this chapter assume that **TET_EXECUTE** is set in the environment.

The following sections contain details on executing selected parts of the test suite. Note that if you make changes to your system to correct the faults diagnosed by VSX, it is not sufficient just to re-build and re-run the tests that failed and see that they now pass. The whole of VSX must be re-built and re-run to ensure that the changes have not had an adverse effect on any other tests.

Action Points

- 1. Log in as the user vsx0.
- 2. Give the command

```
tcc -e -s scen.exec
```

with the other options you want to use. Use the command

```
../bin/tcc -e -s scen.exec
```

from the home directory if \$HOME/../bin is not in your **PATH**.

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9.4.3 Executing Selected Parts of a Scenario (OPTIONAL)

To execute selected parts of the test suite, you can use the -y and -n options of the tcc to select which lines of the file scen.exec you wish to include (-y) or exclude (-n). You can use as many of these options as you like in one command. If a scenario line matches both a -y string and a -n string it will be excluded.

For example, to execute just the POSIX.os section, use the command:

```
tcc -e -s scen.exec -y POSIX.os
```

or to execute everything except the header tests, use the command:

```
tcc -e -s scen.exec -n .hdr
```

or to execute the streamio areas in all the sections that have one, but excluding the macro versions of the interfaces, use the command:

```
tcc -e -s scen.exec -y streamio -n streamio/M
```

The journal file for a partial execution is handled correctly by the report writer.

9.4.4 Executing Individual Testsets (OPTIONAL)

If the list of testsets you wish to execute is too varied to be specified easily using -y and -n options, simply edit a copy of the scenario file scen.exec to reflect the testsets you wish to build.

Examples

If the file myscen.exec contains an edited copy of scen.exec then use the command

```
tcc -e -s myscen.exec
```

to execute just the testsets contained in the file.

9.4.5 Executing Individual Tests (OPTIONAL)

The lowest level of granularity in VSX allows you to execute individual tests. Most tests can be executed in this way, but some are dependent upon execution of earlier tests in the testset, in which case only groups of dependent tests may be executed as a single unit. Also, the header and C language tests can only be executed as whole testsets.

The mechanism for executing individual tests is the TET *invocable component* (IC) facility. Where no dependencies between tests exist the IC numbers are the same as the test numbers. Where dependencies exist, the IC number for a group of dependent tests is the same as the test number of the first test in the group. For example if a testset contains four tests and test 3 is dependent on test 2, the IC numbers will be as follows:

Test number	IC number
1	1
2	2
3	2
4	4

If IC number 2 is requested, then tests 2 and 3 will both be executed.

Note that even where no explicit dependency has been identified, some tests may behave differently when executed individually than when executed in the normal testset sequence. For this reason, it is always advisable to re-execute the whole testset once individual testing has been completed.

To execute selected invocable components from one or more testsets add a commaseparated list of the IC numbers in curly braces on the end of the associated scenario

lines. For example, the scenario file

all

```
/tset/POSIX.os/ioprim/write/T.write{3,7,8}
```

will execute only IC numbers 3,7 and 8 in the write() testset.

Alternatively, a one-off execution of selected IC numbers from a single testset can be performed using the -l option of tcc. For example, the above execution could also be achieved by the command

```
tcc -e -l /tset/POSIX.os/ioprim/write/T.write{3,7,8}
```

Some shells may require the braces to be quoted.

Multiple -1 options may be specified to execute more than one testset.

9.4.6 Additional Options (OPTIONAL)

The tcc manual page gives full details of the additional options you can use with the tcc command. The following options are some of the most useful:

- 1. To see a running progress report, include the -p option. The tcc will then output a line to the terminal as it starts executing each testset.
- 2. To use an alternative configuration file to tetexec.cfg, include the -x *filename* option. The file must be in the same format as tetexec.cfg.
- 3. To override a parameter in the execution parameters file, include the -v option. For example, to use the run name XYZ123 rather than the value defined in tetexec.cfg, use the command

```
tcc -e -v VSX_NAME=XYZ123 rest-of-command
```

4. In order to execute testsets which failed during a previous run, use

```
tcc -e -r code-list other-options old-journal-file
```

where *code-list* is a comma-separated list of result codes to be re-executed, *other-options* are the other tcc options (e.g., -y or -n) and *old-journal-file* is the journal file from which the codes are extracted. For example, to re-execute all the tests that failed with FAIL, UNRESOLVED and UNINITIATED codes from journal file results/0002e/journal, use the following command:³

9.4.7 Path Tracing (OPTIONAL)

Most tests within the VSX test suite are coded for path tracing. Path tracing information may be generated when a test is run by enabling the debugging mechanism. The following VSX parameters, described earlier in this chapter, control VSX debugging and path tracing:

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^{3.} The long line in this example has been folded at the \ character for formatting purposes. The command can be typed all on one line, in which case the \ character must be omitted.

VSX_DBUG_FLAGS

This determines the level of debugging, and what useful information is generated with the output; e.g., line numbers, function names, etc.

VSX DBUG FILE

This determines the output file for the debugging information.

These parameters can be set to generate debugging information either on the command line of the tcc by specifying -v VSX_DBUG_FILE=filename and -v VSX DBUG FLAGS=dbug-flags or by modifying the relevant tetexec.cfg file lines.

9.4.8 Debugging Options (OPTIONAL)

This section summarises the currently available debugging options and the flag characters which enable them. Argument lists enclosed in square brackets are optional. Options are separated by colons.

d[, keywords]

Enable output from macros including the specified keywords. A null list of keywords implies that all keywords are selected.

f[, functions]

Limit debugger actions to the specified list of *functions* and the functions which they invoke. A null list of functions implies that all functions are selected.

F

Mark each debugger output line with the name of the source file containing the macro causing the output.

1[,n]

Specify level of debugging output required, defaults to 1. Use level 2 to get debugging output from library routines.

L

Mark each debugger output line with the source file line number of the macro causing the output.

n

Mark each debugger output line with the current function nesting depth.

o[, file]

Re-direct the debugger output stream to the specified *file*. The default output file is specified by the configuration variable **VSX_DBUG_FILE**. If this is not set or cannot be opened, stderr is used. A null argument list or the file name - causes output to be sent to stderr.

p[, processes]

Limit debugger actions to the specified processes. A null list implies all processes. This is useful for processes which run child processes.

Ρ

Mark each debugger output line with the name and PID of the current process. Most useful when used with a process which runs child processes that are also being debugged.

t[,n]

Enable function control flow tracing. The maximum nesting depth is specified by n and defaults to 200.

Useful Debugging Setting

A useful setting for path tracing purposes is

```
VSX_DBUG_FLAGS=d,trace:F:L
```

which prints the file name and line number as well as the check point value, and therefore can provide a useful aid to locating the source of a path tracing error.

9.4.9 Debugging Output and the Path Tracing Code

This section describes the correlation between the debugging output and the source code functions.

PATH TRACE

This is the basic macro to checkpoint program progress. Output associated with a call to PATH_TRACE will be in the form:

```
trace: path counter 1
```

Where the test is running correctly, one would expect a single output line for each occurrence of the PATH_TRACE macro within the code, and the path counter to increment.

PATH FUNC TRACE

PATH_FUNC_TRACE calls generate identical style of debugging information to PATH_TRACE when a function is diagnosed as having path traced successfully; however, if a function failed its path trace, output of the form

```
trace: path check failed in function call
```

will be produced by the PATH_FUNC_TRACE call.

PATH_XS_RPT

This call is made when the test has completed, and wishes to signal a **PASS** result, subject to the path check being a given number. If the path check was successful, then the success will be reported. However, if the path check was unsuccessful, an unresolved result will be reported, together with the following diagnostic appearing in both the journal and the debugging output:

```
path trace error: path counter X, expected Y
```

9.4.10 Executing Tests Directly (OPTIONAL)

When debugging tests it is sometimes useful to execute them directly instead of under the control of tcc. When tests are executed in this way the current directory must be the location of the testset executable file. Also the variables **TET_CONFIG** and **TET_CODE** must be set in the environment. Once the tests have been executed the results are found in a file called tet_xres.

For example to execute the tests for write() directly you would use the commands:

```
TET_CONFIG=$TET_EXECUTE/tetexec.cfg
TET_CODE=$HOME/tet_code
export TET_CONFIG TET_CODE

cd $TET_EXECUTE/tset/POSIX.os/ioprim/write
./T.write
more tet_xres
```

This will execute all the tests in the testset. If you want to execute only specified ICs, give the IC list as an argument:

```
./T.write 1-3,7
```

9.5 TROUBLESHOOTING

You may encounter some of the following problems when you execute tests with tcc. This section lists common problems and gives notes explaining how to overcome them.

1. tcc refuses to find testsets.

Ensure you have either set the environment variable **TET_EXECUTE** to the full pathname of the testroot directory, or used the -a option of the tcc to specify the testroot directory.

2. Tests appear to hang for long periods.

Some tests do require a long time, as they must wait for timeouts. If the test is not simply waiting but is using processor time, it may be receiving a signal repeatedly. If you interrupt the tcc program with a SIGINT (e.g., by typing DEL or CTRL-C on the terminal where tcc is running), it will terminate the current testset and start the next one. You can also do this by sending a SIGTERM signal to the stuck process.

3. The message IC number not defined for this test case in journal files.

There may be a dependency. See journal from whole testset execution to identify IC numbers.

4. Most header tests give FIP results.

If your C compiler produces output on successful compilations (e.g. an identification message) then these tests will give *Further Information Provided* (FIP) results, meaning the output must be checked manually before it can be considered a pass. It is impractical to check hundreds of FIP results, so to avoid producing them you should set the **VSX_CC** parameter to the name of a shell script which invokes the C compiler and discards the identification message. It must discard only the exact message, not all output. A suitable script to discard a one line message would be:

```
c89 "$@" 2> tmp.err
code=$?
grep -v '^Text of message$' tmp.err >&2
rm -f tmp.err
exit $code
```

5. Some header tests do not compile because the compiler cannot cope with a huge *header*.h.D file.

You can prevent these huge files from being created by building the header tests with the variable HDRDEFS_NOEXPAND set in the environment. However, this will produce build failures as there will be some nested include files that the

hdrdefs program cannot open. Refer to the TROUBLESHOOTING section in the chapter entitled "BUILDING VSX" for information on how to deal with these build failures.

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9.6 EXECUTING VSX4

9.6.1 General Parameters

The **VSX_PATH** parameter is also used in POSIX.os/procprim/exec.

9.6.2 Compiler Characteristics

All of the parameters in this section of tetexec.cfg are needed.

9.6.3 Operating System Characteristics Common To Multiple Subsets

The following parameters are needed from this section of tetexec.cfg if the base subset has been selected. The full descriptions of these parameters are in the generic part of this chapter.

VSX_BLKDEV_FILE

Where Used

POSIX.hdr/misc/stat POSIX.os/dataform/tar

VSX_CHRDEV_FILE

Where Used

POSIX.hdr/misc/stat POSIX.os/dataform/tar

VSX_FCNTL_EDEADLK

Where Used

POSIX.os/ioprim/fcntl

VSX_FCNTL_MAXLOCK

Where Used

POSIX.os/ioprim/fcntl

VSX_INVALID_FCNTL_CMD

Where Used

POSIX.os/ioprim/fcntl_X

VSX INVALID GID

Note that the EINVAL test for chown() gives an unsupported result only when both VSX_INVALID_GID and VSX_INVALID_UID are set to unsup.

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/chown POSIX.os/procenv/setgid POSIX.os/sysdb/getgrgid

VSX_INVALID_GNAME

Where Used

POSIX.os/sysdb/getgrnam

VSX_INVALID_PNAME

Where Used

POSIX.os/sysdb/getpwnam

VSX_INVALID_UID

Note that the EINVAL test for chown() gives an unsupported result only when both VSX_INVALID_GID and VSX_INVALID_UID are set to unsup.

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/chown POSIX.os/procenv/setuid POSIX.os/sysdb/getpwuid

VSX_INVALID_WHENCE

Where Used

ANSI.os/streamio/fseek POSIX.os/ioprim/fcntl POSIX.os/ioprim/lseek

VSX_INVAL_SIG

Where Used

vsx_sigs(tsetlib)

VSX_MOUNT_DEV

Where Used

mountfs(tsetlib)

VSX_NOSPC_DEV

Where Used

setupnospc(tsetlib)

VSX_PURE_FILE

Where Used

pure_run(tsetlib)

VSX_READDIR_EBADF

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/readdir

VSX_ROFS

Where Used

setuprofs(tsetlib)

VSX_SIGSET_EINVAL

Where Used

POSIX.os/procprim/sigaddset POSIX.os/procprim/sigdelset POSIX.os/procprim/sigismembe

VSX_SYS_OPEN_MAX

Where Used

ANSI.os/streamio/fopen ANSI.os/streamio/freopen ANSI.os/streamio/tmpfile POSIX.os/files/creat POSIX.os/files/open POSIX.os/files/opendir

POSIX.os/ioprim/pipe

VSX_TTYNAME

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/fpathconf POSIX.os/files/pathconf POSIX.os/procenv/isatty POSIX.os/procenv/ttyname

VSX_TTYUSER

Where Used

POSIX.os/procenv/getlogin

VSX_ULIMIT_BLKS

Where Used

ANSI.os/streamio/fwrite do_ferr(tsetlib)

VSX_UNLOCKABLE_FILE

Where Used

POSIX.os/ioprim/fcntl

VSX_UNUSED_GID

Where Used

POSIX.os/sysdb/getgrgid

VSX_UNUSED_UID

Where Used

POSIX.os/sysdb/getpwuid

9.6.4 Terminal Interface Parameters Common To Multiple Subsets

The following parameters are needed from this section of tetexec.cfg if the base subset has been selected. The full descriptions of these parameters are in the generic part of this chapter.

VSX_TERMIOS_TTY and VSX_TERMIOS_LOOP

Where Used

termios (tsetlib)

$VSX_MASTER_TTY\ and\ VSX_MASTER_LOOP$

Where Used

termios (tsetlib)

VSX_TERMIOS_ASYNC

Where Used

POSIX.os/devclass/tcsendbrea
POSIX.os/devclass/c_iflag

VSX_TERMIOS_BUFFERED

Where Used

POSIX.os/devclass/c_iflag POSIX.os/devclass/c_iflag_X POSIX.os/devclass/i_close POSIX.os/devclass/i_spchars POSIX.os/devclass/tcflow POSIX.os/devclass/tcflush POSIX.os/devclass/tcsetattr POSIX.os/procprim/sigconcept

VSX_TERMIOS_SPEED

Where Used

termios (tsetlib)

VSX_MODEM_CONTROL

Where Used

POSIX.os/devclass/cfsetospee POSIX.os/devclass/i_close POSIX.os/devclass/i_modem

VSX_START_STOP_CHNG

Where Used

POSIX.os/devclass/i_spchars

VSX_TCGETPGRP_SUPPORTED

Where Used

POSIX.os/devclass/i_ctty POSIX.os/devclass/tcgetpgrp POSIX.os/devclass/tcsetpgrp

VSX_TCSETPGRP_SUPPORTED

Where Used

POSIX.os/devclass/tcsetpgrp

VSX_UNSUPPORTED_CFLAG and VSX_SUPPORTED_CFLAG

Where Used

POSIX.os/devclass/tcsetattr

PCTS_ECHOE and PCTS_ECHOK

Where Used

POSIX.os/devclass/c_lflag

9.6.5 Operating System Characteristics for Base Subset Only

The following additional parameters are required for the base subset in all test modes.

VSX AL ACCURACY

Allowable error, in seconds, for the alarm() system call in the alarm testset. Useful for slow systems where the system scheduler cannot always guarantee the alarm signal will take effect precisely at the specified interval.

Where Used

POSIX.os/procprim/sleep POSIX.os/procprim/alarm

Default Value

If not defined, the alarm testset sets the default to **SPEEDFACTOR**.

VSX CLOCK ERR

The percentage accuracy to which the clock system interface is to be measured.

Where Used

POSIX.os/procenv/times

Default Value

Five per cent inaccuracy is allowed.

VSX CLOSEDIR EBADF

Does closedir() detect EBADF? (Y-yes or N-no)

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/closedir

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX FP SOFTWARE

The system provides support for floating point calculations by software emulation. If software emulation is employed the time-outs on the mathematics tests will be increased by a factor of 5. (Y-yes or N-no)

Where Used

FPCOMP.h

fpcomp(genlib)

Default Value

Ν

VSX INVALID AMODE

An invalid access mode value for the second argument to access(). If access() does not detect EINVAL errors, this parameter should be set to unsup, so tests using this parameter will be reported unsupported.

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/access

Default Value

-1

VSX_INVALID_PC

An invalid $_{PC}$... value for the second argument to $_{pathconf}()$ and $_{fpathconf}()$.

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/pathconf POSIX.os/files/fpathconf

Default Value

-1

VSX_INVALID_PGID

An invalid process group ID.

Where Used

POSIX.os/devclass/tcsetpgrp

Default Value

-1

VSX INVALID SC

An invalid _SC_... value for the argument to sysconf().

Where Used

POSIX.os/procenv/sysconf

Default Value

-1

VSX_JOB_CONTROL_SUPP

Is the behaviour associated with {_POSIX_JOB_CONTROL} supported? (Y-yes, N-no.

Where Used

POSIX.os/procenv/sysconf

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_LINK_ACCESS_REQD

Does link() require access to the existing file? (Y-yes or N-no)

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/link

Default Value

Ν

VSX_LINK_DIR_SUPP

Can link() and unlink() be used on directories? (Y-both, N-neither, U-unlink only)

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/link POSIX.os/files/unlink

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_LINK_FILESYS_SUPP

Can link() be used across file systems? (Y-yes or N-no)

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/link POSIX.os/files/rename

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_NONEXEC_FILE

The name of a file of a non-executable type. This file must not be a regular file and must have execute permission for user vsx0. If all file types are executable, this parameter should be set to unsup.

Where Used

POSIX.os/procprim/exec

Default Value

None. If not defined, each of the tests in the above testsets that uses **VSX_NONEXEC_FILE** will be reported as unresolved or uninitiated.

VSX OPENDIR EMNFILE

Does opendir() detect EMFILE and ENFILE? (Y-yes or N-no)

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/opendir

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_PRIV_ACCESS_SUPP

Is privileged access to files supported? (Y-yes or N-no)

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/access POSIX.os/files/utime

Default Value

Ν

VSX_PRIV_CHOWN_SUPP

Do chown() and chmod() support appropriate privileges? (Y-yes or N-no)

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/chmod POSIX.os/files/chown

Default Value

N

VSX_REMOVE_DIR_EBUSY

Does removing a busy directory give EBUSY?

Y = Yes, always

S = Yes, but only when in use by the system

P = Yes, but only when in use by another process

N = No

Where Used

ANSI.os/streamio/remove

POSIX.os/files/rename

POSIX.os/files/rmdir

POSIX.os/files/unlink

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_RENAME_DIR_EBUSY

Does renaming a busy directory give EBUSY?

Y = Yes, always

S = Yes, but only when in use by the system

P = Yes, but only when in use by another process

N = No

Note: in the rename() tests, **VSX_RENAME_DIR_EBUSY** is used when the busy directory is the first argument to rename(), and **VSX_REMOVE_DIR_EBUSY** is used when the busy directory is the second argument (when rename() will attempt to remove it).

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/rename

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_RENAME_DIR_WPERM_REQD

Does rename() on directories require write access? (Y-yes or N-no)

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/rename

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_SAVED_IDS_SUPP

Is the behaviour associated with {_POSIX_SAVED_IDS} supported? (Y-yes or N-no)

Where Used

POSIX.os/procenv/sysconf

Default Value

None. In the case no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_SET_ID_MODES_SUPP

Is setting S_{ISUID} and S_{ISGID} by chmod() supported? (Y-yes or N-no)

Where Used

POSIX.os/files/chmod POSIX.os/files/chown

Default Value

None. If no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX_SETPGID_SUPPORTED

Is the setpgid() interface supported? (Y-yes or N-no) This parameter should be set to Y if **POSIX_JOB_CONTROL** is supported.

Where Used

POSIX.os/procenv/setpgid

Default Value

None. If no value is specified, tests using this parameter will be reported uninitiated or unresolved.

VSX UNSUPPORTED PGID

An unsupported process group ID (this must be greater than zero). This may be set to unsup if all positive pid_t values are supported process group IDs.

Where Used

POSIX.os/procenv/setpgid

Default Value

None.

10. REPORTING

10.1 INTRODUCTION

You can use the VSX reporting program to format reports from the results of the building and execution stages. You can generate reports from a complete journal file or from the results for the part you want to use. In addition, you can generate summary reports which summarise the results for testsets in a given section, area or testset. When you use the reporting program, you can use other options to control the length and width of the text on the page.

There is a separate reporting program for producing POSIX conformance reports.

When you want to compare the results in several journal files, you can use the comparative reporting program, explained at the end of this chapter.

10.2 THE REPORTING PROGRAMS

The VSX reporting program, vrpt, formats the results in the VSX journal files generated by the building and execution stages. When you use vrpt, the environment variable **PATH** must be correctly set so that commands can be executed. The reporting program and its subsidiary programs are located in the directory BIN below the vsx0 home directory. Include this directory in your PATH.

The POSIX reporting program, prpt, produces the definitive POSIX conformance report from journal files created by execution in POSIX modes. It should only be used with test packages that provide POSIX assertion numbers in their test descriptions. Usually this will be the case only for test packages containing tests that can be run in POSIX90 mode.

NB. prpt does not provide the detailed diagnostic information that vrpt provides, and it gives results against POSIX assertion numbers, not the VSX testset names and test numbers that would be needed to re-run failed tests. For these reasons, it is recommended that POSIX mode users run vrpt until they are happy with the results of the tests; prpt may then be run to produce final documentation of the test results.

10.3 REPORTING PROGRAM USAGE SUMMARY

```
vrpt [-llevel] [-rcoverage] [-ffile] [-v] [-H] [-p] [-P] [-Llen]
[-Wwid] [file ...]
prpt [-H] [-Llen] [-Wwid] [file ...]
```

10.4 REPORTING PROGRAM OPTIONS

10.4.1 Reporting on the Entire Journal

To generate a report on an entire journal file, use the command:

```
vrpt journal-file
```

10.4.2 Reporting on a Section or Area (OPTIONAL)

The names of the sections and areas are the same as those listed in the building chapter.

By default, the reporting program generates a report from the complete journal file. To produce a report from results for part of the test suite, use the -r option of vrpt, followed by the name of the section or area you want to use. For example, to report on the POSIX.os testset results in the latest journal file, use the command:

```
vrpt -r POSIX.os journal-file
```

The Open Group VSXgen 1.4 Page 79 To report on the streamio area within the ANSI.os section, use the command:

```
vrpt -r ANSI.os/streamio journal-file
```

Note that the Conformance Summary produced as part of the cover pages on validation test reports always contains the complete results for the journal file(s) being processed. Only the body of the report is affected by the -r option.

10.4.3 Reporting on Individual Testsets (OPTIONAL)

You can also use the -r option for vrpt to report on the results of individual testsets, or a range of testsets. The -P option is useful here to stop the cover pages being produced. For example, to report on the results of a single testset for the system interface write(), use the command:

```
vrpt -r POSIX.os/ioprim/write -P journal-file
```

To report on the results from all the testsets between the system calls read() and write(), use the following command:⁵

10.4.4 Summary Reports (OPTIONAL)

To generate a report which summarises the testset results by section or area, use the -1 option. The area summary report, which is useful as a management summary, is given in tabular format. For example, to generate a summary report at section level, use the command:

```
vrpt -1 sect journal-file
```

For area level reports, use the command:

```
vrpt -l area journal-file
```

10.4.5 Varying the Text Format (OPTIONAL)

You can use the <code>-L</code> page length and <code>-W</code> page width options to format the text in reports according to your paper size. When you reduce the page width, long output lines are automatically wrapped onto the next line of the report. Note that the Conformance Summary produced as part of the cover pages contains a wide table which does not get wrapped, so if you are using a page width of less than the default 80 characters, you will probably want to disable the cover pages by using the <code>-P</code> option. For example, to format the text using a page length of 50 lines and width of 64 characters, use the command:

```
vrpt -L50 -W64 -P journal-file
```

10.4.6 Additional Options (OPTIONAL)

The vrpt user manual, in part 4 of this guide, gives full details of the additional options you can use with the vrpt reporting program.

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^{5.} The long line in this example has been folded at the \ character for formatting purposes. The command can be typed all on one line, in which case the \ character must be omitted.

Action Points

- 1. Log in as the user vsx0.
- 2. Check that the environment variable PATH is set correctly.
- 3. Change to the directory results if required.
- 4. Give the command vrpt with the options you want to use, on a journal file generated from the results of running the tcc.

10.5 POSIX CONFORMANCE REPORTING

A separate reporting program prpt produces POSIX conformance reports from execution journal files. These reports consist only of the result codes for each POSIX assertion; failure information produced by the tests is not included. Use the standard reporting program, vrpt, to generate reports with the details of test failures.

Options

You can use the -W and -L options, for page width and page length, with prpt.

Action Points

- 1. Log in as the user vsx0.
- 2. Check that the environment variable PATH is set correctly.
- 3. Change to the directory results if required.
- 4. Give the command prpt with the options you want to use, on journal files generated from the results of running the tcc.

10.6 COMPARATIVE REPORTING

You can use an alternative reporting program to compare the results in a number of different journal files. The reporting program vrptm enables you to compare the results from tests on a range of machines, or from a series of execution runs on the same machine with different software releases.

The comparative reporting program handles results from up to five journal files on the default page width of 80 columns (more on wider pages). The successes and failures are printed in tables, without any extra information about the reasons for tests failing. Use the standard reporting program <code>vrpt</code> to generate reports with the details of test failures.

Options

You can use the -W and -L options, for page width and page length, with vrptm.

Action Points

- 1. Log in as the user vsx0.
- 2. Check that the environment variable PATH is set correctly.
- 3. Change to the directory results if required.
- 4. Give the command vrptm with the options you want to use, on journal files generated from the results of running the tcc.

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10.7 SAMPLE REPORT OUTPUT

10.7.1 vrpt Sample Output

Conformance Summary Information

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Test-Set Summary

Test-Set Summary

CONFORMANCE Summary

This is to certify that this system when tested for conformance to POSIX.1-1990 achieved the results below.

		TOT	ALS S	ucceede	d War	nings	unre	solved	Unsur	ported	l Not	InUse	: [
Section		Expect	Actual		Failed		FIP	Unini	ltiate	ed Unt	este	ed	
													.
ANSI.hdr		586	586	260	18	0	0	0	0	307	0	1	
ANSI.os F	7	1676	1676	1638	6	2	0	0	0	3	0	27	
ANSI.os N	vi	1676	1676	97	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1579	
POSIX.hdr		450	450	233	13	0	0	0	0	198	0	6	
POSIX.os F	7	1434	1434	1330	9	0	3	0	0	57	1	34	
POSIX.os N	M	1434	1434	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1430	
TOTAL	ĺ	7256	7256	3562	46	2	3	0	0	565	1	3077	Ĺ
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Number of amendments	
	Signature/Date

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Test Date: Apr 11, 1997

Test Results

Test-Set Summary Test-Set Summary Test-Set Results: -----Test-Set Started: 19:55:04 Test-Set Ended: 19:55:06 Test-Set Results Summary: -----1 Tests Executed 1 Tests Succeeded Test-Set Name: /tset/ANSI.os/charhandle/Miscntrl/T.iscntrl Test-Set Results: Test-Set Started: 19:55:07 Test-Set Ended: 19:55:08 Test-Set Results Summary: _____ 2 Tests Executed 2 Tests Succeeded Test-Set Name: /tset/ANSI.os/charhandle/Miscntrl_X/T.iscntrl_X ______ Test-Set Results: Test-Set Started: 19:55:09 Test-Set Ended: 19:55:11 Test-Set Results Summary: 1 Tests Executed 1 Tests Succeeded Test-Set Name: /tset/ANSI.os/charhandle/Misdigit/T.isdigit ______ Test-Set Results: Test Agency: UniSoft System Tested: oursys

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Summary Information

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Test-Set Summary Test-Set Summary

Section Name: ANSI.os

Section Started: 19:54:56

Section Ended: 22:35:59

Section Results Summary:

10 Areas Containing 296 Test-Sets Completed

3352 Tests Executed 1735 Tests Succeeded 6 Tests Failed 2 Tests Warning

3 Tests Unsupported 1606 Tests Not In Use

Test Agency: UniSoft System Tested: oursys
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Test Date: Apr 11, 1997

X/OPEN Verification Suite Test-Set Summary Test-Set Summary Test Parameters: TET_OUTPUT_CAPTURE = False TET_RESCODES_FILE = tet_code TET_VERSION = 1.10 TEST_MODE = POSIX90 TEST_PACKAGES = VSX4.4.1 VSXDIR = /user4/TET/vsx4/SRC VSX_DBUG_FILE = /user4/TET/vsx4/TESTROOT/dbug.out VSX_NAME = VSX_OPER = Joe Programmer VSX_OPER = Joe Programmer VSX_ORG = UniSoft VSX_SYS = oursys VSX_UID0 = 146 VSX_UID1 = 147 VSX_UID2 = 149 VSX_GID0 = 200 VSX_GID1 = 201 VSX_GID1 = 201 VSX_GID2 = 202 TET_SIG_IGN = 12 TET_SIG_LEAVE = VSX_AL_ACCURACY = VSX_BLKDEV_FILE = /dev/mt/lm VSX_CLOSEDIR_EBADF = Y VSX_CLOSEDIR_EBADF = Y VSX_CLOSEDIR_EBADF = Y TET_OUTPUT_CAPTURE = False VSX CLOSEDIR EBADF = Y VSX_FCNTL_MAXLOCK = 400 VSX_FP_SOFTWARE = VSX_INVALID_GID = VSX_INVALID_GNAME = VSX_INVALID_PC VSX_INVALID_PNAME VSX_INVALID_SC = VSX_INVALID_UID VSX_INVAL_SIG VSX_LINK_DIR_SUPP = Y VSX_LINK_FILESYS_SUPP = N VSX_MOUNT_DEV = /dev/dsk/cld0s6 VSX_NONEXEC_FILE = . VSX_NOSPC_DEV = /dev/dsk/cld0s6 VSX_PRIV_ACCESS_SUPP = Y VSX_PRIV_CHOWN_SUPP = Y VSX_READDIR_EBADF = Y VSX_REMOVE_DIR_EBUSY = S VSX_RENAME_DIR_EBUSY = S VSX_RENAME_DIR_WPERM_REQD = N $VSX_ROFS = /dev/dsk/c1d0s6$ VSX_SET_ID_MODES_SUPP = Y VSX_SETPGID_SUPPORTED = Y VSX_SIGSET_EINVAL = Y VSX_SYS_OPEN_MAX = 600 VSX_TTYNAME = /dev/tty0p3 VSX_TTYUSER = vsx0 Test Agency: UniSoft System Tested: oursys

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Test Failure Information

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Test-Set Summary Test-Set Summary Test-Set Name: /tset/POSIX.os/procprim/sigaddset/T.sigaddset Test-Set Results: Test-Set Started: 02:18:15 Test-Set Ended: 02:18:16 Test-Set Results Summary: 2 Tests Executed 2 Tests Succeeded Test-Set Name: /tset/POSIX.os/procprim/sigconcept/T.sigconcept Test-Set Results: _____ Test-Set Started: 02:18:16 Test Results: ********************* /tset/POSIX.os/procprim/sigconcept/T.sigconcept 22 Failed Test Description: If _POSIX_JOB_CONTROL is defined, setting a signal action to SIG_DFL for a SIGCHLD signal that is pending shall cause the pending signal to be discarded. Posix Ref: Component Signal Concepts Assertion 3.3.1.3-29(C) Test Strategy: FORK a child process CHILD process: SET the SIGCHLD signal action to signal catching function BLOCK the SIGCHLD signal and send to itself VERIFY the SIGCHLD signal is not received VERIFY the SIGCHLD signal is pending SET the SIGCHLD signal action to SIG_DFL VERIFY the SIGCHLD signal is not pending UNBLOCK the SIGCHLD signal EXIT with the exit code set to the number of any caught signal, otherwise 0 PARENT process: VERIFY the SIGCHLD signal was discarded Test Information:

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System Tested: oursys

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> signal 18 (SIGCHLD) still pending after sigaction() deletion reason: waitsync() failed, errno 4

Test-Set Ended: 03:16:35

Test-Set Results Summary:

- 37 Tests Executed
- 36 Tests Succeeded
- 1 Tests Failed

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10.7.2 prpt Sample Output

POSIX Summary POSIX Summary

Journal File: /user4/TET/vsx4/results/0002e/journal
Test Date: Fri Apr 11 19:26:25 1997
Test Agency: UniSoft
Test System: oursys
Test Operator: Joe Programmer
Test Parameters:

Y VSX_CLOSEDIR_EBADF = VSX_FCNTL_MAXLOCK = 400

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POSIX Summary POSIX Summary

GETENV	4.6.1.1-01(A)	PASS
GETENV	4.6.1.1-02(C)	UNSUPPORTED
GETENV	4.6.1.1-03(C)	UNSUPPORTED
GETENV	4.6.1.2-04(A)	PASS
GETENV	4.6.1.2-05(A)	PASS
GETENV	4.6.1.2-06(A)	PASS
GETENV	4.6.1.2-07(A)	PASS
GETENV	4.6.1.3-08(D)	UNTESTED

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10.8 TROUBLESHOOTING

This section lists known problems, and gives notes on how to overcome them. You may encounter the following problem when you run vrpt.

1. vrpt gives the error message "received SIGPIPE".

If the vrpt output was not being piped to another process, e.g. a pager, which exited before reading all the output, then this may be due to awk becoming overwhelmed and dumping core. Try using the -t option to truncate test failure information to a manageable number of lines. If awk still dumps core, replacing awk with nawk or gawk may cure the problem.

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11. INTERPRETING VSX RESULTS

11.1 INTRODUCTION

To interpret the results of the VSX tests, you must review each test and the test results from your system. To review the test results, you must generate a report from the VSX journal file, as explained in the chapter entitled "REPORTING". Test descriptions and strategy are include in reports generated with vrpt for failed tests. Test descriptions are also provided as a VSX manual page, to be found under the MAN/tset directory, which you can print out using the utility [nt]roff -man.

11.2 TEST RESULTS

11.2.1 Failed

The test source code for failed operating system tests is located in the appropriate testset directory, in the directory hierarchy starting from tset. To analyse the results of these tests fully, you must be able to examine the test source code to understand the test strategy and identify the conditions which led to the test failure. This level of expertise requires the skills of an operating system specialist; non-specialist staff should not attempt to interpret these results.

11.2.2 Uninitiated or Unresolved

Uninitiated means that the particular test in question did not start to execute.

Unresolved means that the test started but did not reach the point where the test was able to report success or failure.

When a test is reported as uninitiated or unresolved you must identify the reason why the test was not completed. These may be because of incorrect parameters, preceding failures or external events, which are described in the following paragraphs.

Incorrect Parameters

Most tests reported this way cannot be run because a parameter is not set correctly in the execution parameters file tetexec.cfg. The test report always identifies the tests which cannot run because of incorrect parameters. For some tests, you can correct the parameter and re-run the tests. For others, you may not be able to correct the parameter because the resources required are not available on your system.

Incorrect Entries in userintf.c (Implementation Specific Routines)

Tests may be reported as unresolved or uninitiated because of incorrect entries in SRC/userintf.c. If failures of user-supplied functions are reported, you will need to check this file. See "User-supplied Interface Routines" in the chapter entitled "CONFIGURING VSX" for more details.

Preceding Failures

When earlier tests have failed, some tests cannot be performed. Before you can re-run the tests, you must resolve the problem in the preceding failed tests.

External Events

When an external event occurs unexpectedly, tests may not be performed. Investigate the reason the test has not been run as for a failed test.

11.2.3 Unreported

When a test is marked as unreported a major error has occurred during the testset execution. VSX tries to avoid such errors as far as possible. However, if you terminate a testset with the signal SIGTERM, tests will be unreported. Investigate the cause of the major error as for a failed test.

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11.2.4 Warning

Whenever a warning is given, the functionality is acceptable, but you should be aware that later revisions of the relevant standards or specifications may change the requirements in this area. See the appendix entitled "TESTS GIVING WARNINGS" for a list of the tests which may give warnings and the reasons for them.

11.2.5 FIP (Further Information Provided)

When a test has succeeded, additional information may sometimes be given which needs to be inspected. Where information cannot be checked automatically by a test it is given for you to validate. For example, the system name and node name are given by the VSX4 uname testset.

11.2.6 Unsupported

Unsupported means that an optional feature is not available or supported in the implementation under test.

For example, in some modes the job control features are optional. VSX will recognise that they are unsupported on a particular system and report this.

11.2.7 Not In Use

Where no macro version of an interface exists, or separate macro and function testing is not required, the macro version of the testset will report all tests as not in use. Also, some tests within a testset may not be required in a particular test mode. For example, tests for POSIX.1-1996 functionality when running in POSIX90 mode. These are not failures and require no further work.

11.2.8 Untested

This occurs because there is no test written to check a particular feature, or an optional facility needed to perform a test is not available on the system.

For example, it is not possible to check that session IDs are inherited across a fork() when job control is not available.

These are generally listed on the manual pages under "Untestable Aspects".

11.2.9 Succeeded

This means the test has been executed correctly and to completion without any kind of problem.

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A. ACTION POINT SUMMARY

A.1 PREPARATION

A.1.1 PREPARING YOUR SYSTEM

File Space Requirements

1. Check there is enough free space available to unpack and install the software.

VSX User Accounts

- Create a distinct group entry for vsxg0 and (if required by one of the test packages) distinct group entries for vsxg1 and vsxg2; usually in the file /etc/group.
- 2. If you do not already have TETware installed, create a directory you wish to designate as your **TET_ROOT** directory.
- 3. Create a distinct user entry for vsx0 in group vsxg0, with home directory located under your **TET_ROOT**, and with a login shell; usually in the file /etc/passwd.
- 4. Make sure that the user vsx0 has write permission in the **TET_ROOT** directory.
- 5. Add \$HOME/BIN and \$HOME/../bin to the command search path for user vsx0, and include it in the **PATH** environment variable set in the login script for user vsx0.
- 6. Ensure that any extensions enabled by environment variables that would cause non-compliant behaviour are disabled in the login script for user vsx0.
- 7. For some test packages, if the implementation supports supplementary groups, the user vsx0 should have the maximum number of supplementary groups associated with it. These supplementary groups must exclude the groups vsxg1 and vsxg2. The group ID values chosen must not exceed the value of INT_MAX for the system.
- 8. If required by one of the test packages, create a distinct user entry for vsx1 in group vsxg1, in the password file. The home directory must differ from that of user vsx0.
- 9. If required by one of the test packages, create a distinct user entry for vsx2 in group vsxg2, in the password file. The home directory must differ from that of user vsx0.

A.1.2 LOADING THE VSX DISTRIBUTION

Unpacking the Distribution Files

- 1. Log in to the test system as the user vsx0, who must be the owner of all the loaded files.
- 2. Ensure you are working in the vsx0 home directory and that you have write permission in that directory.
- Unpack the distribution files for the VSX-vtools (namespace test tool), VSXgen
 and the test packages you wish to use, using appropriate commands to
 decompress each file and extract all files from the resulting POSIX cpio or
 tar archive, e.g.:

```
zcat ../vsx-vtools-1.4.tar.Z| pax -v -r -p p
zcat ../vsxgen-os-1.4.tar.Z| pax -v -r -p p
zcat ../vsx-pcts-4.4.4.tar.Z| pax -v -r -p p

or
zcat ../vsx-vtools-1.4.tar.Z| tar xvf -
zcat ../vsxgen-os-1.4.tar.Z| tar xvf -
zcat ../vsx-pcts-4.4.4.tar.Z| tar xvf -
```

Checking the Contents

Change to the vsx0 home directory (using cd) and list the directory. Check
the expected subdirectories and the release identification files for each test
package are there.

If they are not, check that there were no read errors while the archives were being read and that there is space available on the file system.

2. Check that the release numbers given in the test-package specific Action Points for this chapter correspond with the release identification files.

A.1.3 REMOVING UNWANTED VSX DATA (OPTIONAL)

1. Remove any unwanted sections from the directories tset and MAN/tset.

A.1.4 VSX4 PREPARATION

VSX User Accounts

- 1. The vsx0 home directory must be called vsx4.
- The user names vsx1 and vsx2, group names vsxg1 and vsxg2, and supplementary groups are all required.
- If your system treats group ID values which do not exist in the group database as invalid, then ensure that the six consecutive group ID values after vsxg0 also exist in the group database.

Loading The VSX Distribution

1. The name of the VSX4 release identification file is VSX4rel4.4.2.

A.2 CONFIGURING VSX

A.2.1 INSTALLATION DIRECTORY

- 1. Choose a directory for the installation of testset executables. The default is TESTROOT under the vsx0 home directory.
- 2. If you are testing for conformance to FIPS 151 and one of the VSX test packages you are using requires that the installation directory must support the inheritance of parent directory group ID, and your system implements the inheritance of parent directory group ID by means of a directory mode setting that is inherited by subdirectories (for example by setting the S_ISGID bit on the directory), and there is an existing directory hierarchy under the testroot which does not support this feature, then you must remove it using

rm -rf TESTROOT/tset

3. Set the environment variable TET_EXECUTE in the vsx0 login script to the pathname of the testroot directory.

A.2.2 VSX CONFIGURATION SCRIPT

Running the Configuration Script

- 1. Read through the configuration script section and write down any information you will need to use which is different from the defaults.
- Execute the shell script config.sh which is in the BIN directory. When you have included this directory in your PATH, you can execute the command from any location.
- 3. Answer the questions which the configuration script asks.

A.2.3 CHECKING THE PARAMETER FILES

Configuration Parameters File

1. Check the values in the configuration parameters file SRC/vsxparams and edit the *parameter-name* lines if necessary.

Configuration Header File

- Check the SRC/vsxconfig.h file to ensure that the values are correct for your system.
- 2. Check that the values of all the varying defined constants have been changed from -1 to the values for your system.
- 3. Check that the values of the other defined constants are correct for your system.
- 4. Check that all dummy statements have been changed to valid ones.
- 5. If you re-run config.sh at a later time, it will overwrite SRC/vsxconfig.h, so make sure you copy it first.

A.2.4 TOP LEVEL MAKEFILE

- 1. Edit the Makefile in the vsx0 home directory.
- Configure the implementation-specific installation commands correctly for your system.
- 3. If you re-run config.sh at a later time, it will overwrite Makefile, so make sure you copy it first.

A.2.5 USER-SUPPLIED INTERFACE ROUTINES

- 1. Review the file SRC/userintf.c and identify if it needs to be modified.
- 2. Modify the file to meet your system's requirements.
- 3. If you re-run config.sh at a later time, it will overwrite SRC/userintf.c with the default version, so make sure you copy it first.

A.2.6 INSTALLING THE PSEUDO-LANGUAGES

Installing the Languages

1. Check the package-specific action points for this chapter to see whether the pseudo-languages are needed for the subsets and test mode you have selected. If they are not needed, skip the following action points.

- 2. If your system does not use the ASCII character set, modify the file SRC/INC/ctrlcodes.h so that it contains the correct control character encodings for your system. If your system uses an EBCDIC character set, copy the file SRC/INC/ctrlebcdic.h to SRC/INC/ctrlcodes.h first.
- 3. Check that the character encodings specified in the file SRC/INC/pslcodes.h are suitable for your system, and modify the file if they are not. If your system uses an EBCDIC character set, copy the file SRC/INC/pslebcdic.h to SRC/INC/pslcodes.h first.
- 4. Install the VSX pseudo-languages using the appropriate tools for your system. You may be able to make use of the files in SUPPORT/psldefs to do this.

A.2.7 WIDE CHARACTER CONFIGURATION FILE

- 1. If the wide character locales are needed for the subsets and test mode you have selected, update the file SRC/wchars.cfg with information about wide characters and multibyte characters supported on your system. If your system only supports single-byte characters, simply copy SRC/wc_nosup.cfg to SRC/wchars.cfg.
- 2. If you re-run config.sh at a later time, it will overwrite SRC/wchars.cfg, so make sure you copy it first.
- 3. Install additional locales if necessary to reflect the information in the file.
- 4. If you change SRC/wchars.cfg at a later stage there is no need to repeat the installation stage or to rebuild any testsets. Simply change directory to SRC/common/wchars and type make. This will update the binary file used by the tests from the new information in wchars.cfg.

A.2.8 CONFIGURING VSX4

Installation Directory

1. The requirement for the installation directory to support the inheritance of parent directory group ID applies to VSX4 if the base subset is selected.

Installing The Pseudo-languages

1. The pseudo-languages are needed if the base subset has been selected.

Wide Character Configuration File

1. The SRC/wchars.cfg file is not needed by VSX4 in POSIX and FIPS modes.

A.3 INSTALLING VSX

A.3.1 INTRODUCTION

1. Obtain the necessary privileges for execution of the installation commands you have configured in the top level Makefile and execute make in the vsx0 home directory. E.g.

su root -c make

2. When make has completed, check the installation log in the results directory to ensure that no errors have occurred. If make encountered any errors, or there are errors in the log, you must correct them and re-run make.

A.4 BUILDING VSX

- 1. Log in as the user vsx0.
- 2. Give the command

```
tcc -b -s scen.bld
```

with the other options you want to use. Use the command

```
../bin/tcc -b -s scen.bld
```

from the vsx0 home directory if \$HOME/../bin is not in your PATH.

A.4.1 TERMINAL INTERFACE TESTING

Cable Wiring

- 1. Check the package-specific action points for this chapter to see whether the terminal loop-back is needed for the subsets and test mode you have selected. If it is not needed, skip the following action points.
- 2. If the system has at least two terminal ports, wire and connect two ports to provide a loop-back.
- 3. Make the two ports readable and writable by user vsx0.
- 4. There must not be any processes attached to these ports. (For example, you may have to change /etc/inittab or /etc/ttys to remove login processes at this point.)

A.4.2 BUILDING VSX4

Terminal Interface Testing

1. The terminal loop-back is needed if the base subset has been selected.

Data Interchange Format Testing

 Review the contents of the tar and cpio shell scripts in the directory your-testroot-directory/BIN and, where required, modify the contents of the scripts to call suitable utilities with the correct syntax and arguments for the test system.

A.5 EXECUTING VSX

A.5.1 THE EXECUTION PARAMETERS FILE

Setting the Execution Parameters

1. Check the execution parameters file tetexec.cfg before you start the VSX execution stage and edit any values which are not correct for your system.

A.5.2 EXECUTING THE VSX TEST SUITE

- 1. Log in as the user vsx0.
- 2. Give the command

```
tcc -e -s scen.exec
```

with the other options you want to use. Use the command

../bin/tcc -e -s scen.exec

from the home directory if \$HOME/../bin is not in your **PATH**.

A.6 REPORTING

A.6.1 REPORTING PROGRAM OPTIONS

- 1. Log in as the user vsx0.
- 2. Check that the environment variable PATH is set correctly.
- 3. Change to the directory results if required.
- 4. Give the command vrpt with the options you want to use, on a journal file generated from the results of running the tcc.

A.6.2 POSIX CONFORMANCE REPORTING

- 1. Log in as the user vsx0.
- 2. Check that the environment variable PATH is set correctly.
- 3. Change to the directory results if required.
- 4. Give the command prpt with the options you want to use, on journal files generated from the results of running the tcc.

A.6.3 COMPARATIVE REPORTING

- 1. Log in as the user vsx0.
- 2. Check that the environment variable PATH is set correctly.
- 3. Change to the directory results if required.
- 4. Give the command vrptm with the options you want to use, on journal files generated from the results of running the tcc.

B. TESTS GIVING WARNINGS

B.1 WARNING CLASSIFICATIONS

The package-specific tables in the following sections show which tests can produce warnings and the classification of the warning. Unless stated otherwise, the classifictions given in each table are as follows.

Warnings in classification A are cases where many implementations differ from the functionality described in the relevant specification. In each of these cases, the functionality tested is not considered important enough to merit a failure, but in future releases of the verification suite these tests may be re-classified as failures.

Warnings in classification B are cases where different implementations produce different error numbers from those expected by the test. The specifications are not explicit about the precedence of errors and, therefore, these tests are only classified as warnings.

Warnings in classification C are cases where many implementations differ from the functionality described in the relevant specification but agree with a known future direction in which the specification is likely to alter.

Warnings in classification D are cases where the relevant specification describes the feature being tested as optional, and the implementation under test does not support it.

Warnings in classification E are cases where the behaviour expected by the test is not actually required by the relevant specification, but most implementations behave that way, and some applications may (incorrectly) rely on it. Such cases arise where a test has been downgraded to a warning rather than being removed, as it can still provide useful information to users.

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B.2 VSX4 TESTS GIVING WARNINGS

B.2.1 Header Tests and Interface Tests

Section	Area	Testset	Test Numbers	Class
ANSI.os	maths	fmod	1	A
ANSI.os	maths	pow	3	A
ANSI.os	maths	pow	4	C
ANSI.os	streamio	fflush	5-11	Е
ANSI.os	streamio	fopen	28	Е
ANSI.os	streamio	fscanf	41	A
ANSI.os	streamio	scanf	41	A
ANSI.os	streamio	sscanf	41	A
ANSI.os	streamio	ungetc	2	A
POSIX.os	devclass	i_noncanon	14,15	A
POSIX.os	devclass	i_spchars	1,3,5	C
POSIX.os	devclass	tcsendbrea	2	A
POSIX.os	procenv	isatty	2	D

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C. PRIVILEGED PROGRAMS

The following pages list the programs in each test package that are assigned privileges other than PRV_DEVICE when the corresponding testsets are built.

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prpt - POSIX summary report generator

USAGE

prpt [-H] [-Llen] [-Wwid] jnlfile ...

DESCRIPTION

Prpt produces a POSIX conformance report from one or more test journal files. If the test suite was not installed and run in one of the POSIX modes, the extra test results in the journal file(s) are ignored by **prpt**. Reports are produced on the standard output.

Each report is prefaced by several cover pages, one for each test journal file being processed, listing information from the file as follows: file name, validation test name, test date, test agency and system, test operator and all test parameters.

The cover pages are followed by tables of test results, sorted by POSIX chapter then interface name. Each line contains the interface name, assertion number and result code (PASS, FAIL, UNRESOLVED, UNSUPPORTED, UNTESTED or NOTINUSE).

PARAMETERS

Command Line

-H Disable page headers and footers. *Prpt* will normally print page headers and footers whose placement and size depend on the page size flags given below. They contain the page number, report date and report type. The report date is determined from the host system at the time of prpt invocation. Headers and footers include blank lines between each header and footer and page text.

Prpt produces headers and footers by default if no -H flag is given.

-L*len* Page length is *len* lines - used to place headers and footers properly on the output pages. Defaults to 66 lines if no -L flag given.

-Wwid

Page width is *wid* columns - used to generate headers and footers and to wrap long lines. Defaults to 80 columns if no -W flag given.

Environment

VSXBIN

specifies the directory where prpt executables and scripts reside. If **VSXBIN** is not set this directory is assumed to be \$HOME/BIN.

RETURNS

- 0 Report terminated successfully
- 1 Unknown option argument or command line usage error
- 2 Unreadable file or other unrecoverable error during report generation

DIAGNOSTICS

"cannot read input file <filename>"

An input file given on the command line could not be opened.

EXAMPLES

prpt journal01

Generate a report from journal file "journal01, using the default page size with page headers and footers, and put the report onto the standard output.

prpt -H -W132 journal*

Generate a report from all journal files in the current directory, using the default page length, a page width of 132 columns, and with no page headers or footers.

SEE ALSO

vrpt(vprog)
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tcc - TETware test case controller

SYNOPSIS

```
tcc -{bec} [options] [test-suite [scenario]]
tcc -{bec} -m codelist [options] old-journal-file [test-suite [scenario]]
tcc -{bec} -r codelist [options] old-journal-file [test-suite [scenario]]
```

DESCRIPTION

tcc is the TETware test case controller. It provides support for the building, execution and clean-up of test scenarios.

When TETware-Lite is built, scenarios may only contain test cases which are to be executed on the local system and **tcc** performs all the actions required to process such test cases itself. When Distributed TETware is built, scenarios can contain local, remote and distributed test cases. The distributed version of **tcc** does not perform the actions required to process test cases itself but instead sends requests to the test case controller daemon **tccd** which runs on the local system and also on each participating remote system (see the **tccd**(1) manual page for details).

Apart from the scenario directives which relate to the processing of remote and distributed test cases, the user interface to **tcc** is the same irrespective of whether TETware-Lite or Distributed TETware is being used.

tcc has three modes of operation, namely **build**, **execute** and **clean**, which may be invoked singly or in any combination. These modes are specified by the $-\mathbf{b}$, $-\mathbf{e}$ and $-\mathbf{c}$ command-line options, at least one of which must appear. All of the other options modify the behaviour of **tcc** in one or more of these operational modes. Each mode (with optionally modified behaviour) is applied to the test cases and invocable components selected for processing.

By default, **tcc** builds, executes or cleans test cases in the named *scenario* contained in the scenario file **tet_scen**, which is located in the test suite root directory for *test-suite* (see DIRECTORIES below). If no *scenario* is specified, the default scenario named **all** is used. If no *test-suite* is specified, **tcc** attempts to deduce a default test suite name using the following rules:

- 1. If the **TET_SUITE_ROOT** environment variable is set and the current directory lies under the directory hierarchy specified by this variable, then the test suite is the component of the current directory's path name which lies immediately below **\$TET_SUITE_ROOT**. For example, if **\$TET_SUITE_ROOT** is /usr/tet3 and the current directory is /usr/tet3/suite1/results, then the name of the default test suite is suite1.
- 2. If the **TET_SUITE_ROOT** environment variable is not set and the current directory lies under the directory hierarchy specified by the **TET_ROOT** environment variable, then the test suite is the component of the current directory's path name which lies immediately below **\$TET ROOT**.
- 3. If the current directory lies outside of the directory hierarchy specified by the **TET_SUITE_ROOT** environment variable (if set) or the **TET_ROOT** environment variable (if **TET_SUITE_ROOT** is not set), then no default test suite name can be deduced.

DIRECTORIES

By default, **tcc** interprets test case names relative to the **test suite root** directory. The location of this directory is determined as follows on the local system:

- 1. If the **TET_SUITE_ROOT** environment variable is set, the **test suite root** directory is determined by the test suite name, relative to **\$TET_SUITE_ROOT**.
- 2. If the **TET_SUITE_ROOT** environment variable is not set, the **test suite root** directory is determined by the test suite name, relative to **\$TET_ROOT**.
- 3. If the **TET_RUN** environment variable is set, then the directory subtree below the **test suite root** (determined as described above) is copied to the location below **\$TET_RUN** and this location becomes the new **test suite root** directory.

However, an alternate execution directory on the master system may be specified by the **TET_EXECUTE** environment variable or by a command-line option (see OPTIONS below). If an alternate execution directory is specified, **tcc** interprets test case names relative to this directory when operating in execute mode.

By default, **tcc** creates a directory called **tet_tmp_dir** below the test suite root directory. However, a different temporary directory name on the local system may be specified by the **TET_TMP_DIR** environment variable. Each invocation of **tcc** creates a unique subdirectory below the temporary directory on startup and removes it and its contents on normal completion.

CONFIGURATION FILES

During execution, **tcc** reads configuration variables from certain configuration files on both the local and the remote systems (if any). By default, the name of the build mode configuration file is **tetbuild.cfg**, that of the execute mode configuration file is **tetexec.cfg** and that of the clean mode configuration file is **tetclean.cfg**. The build and clean mode configuration files reside in the test suite root directory on each system. The execute mode configuration file resides in the alternate execution directory if one has been specified, otherwise in the test suite root directory.

The Distributed version of **tcc** reads distributed configuration variables are read from the file named **tetdist.cfg** in the test suite root directory on the local system. This file must at least contain definitions for the **tet root** and test suite root directories for any remote systems that are specified in the scenario being processed.

JOURNAL FILE

By default, **tcc** creates a sequentially numbered directory below the **results** directory in the test suite root directory for the named *test-suite* on the local system, and places the journal file and saved intermediate result files there. On startup, **tcc** writes the name of the journal file being used to the standard output.

RESULT CODES

tcc uses a table of result codes to interpret the results generated by API-conforming test cases. A default table containing standard codes is built in to **tcc**. It is possible to specify additional codes in user-supplied result codes files located below the **tet root** and test suite root directories on the local system. These files are optional but, if they exist, the codes specified in them are added to the table of standard codes. The default name for each of these files is **tet_code** but this name can be changed by means of the TET_RESCODES_FILE configuration variable.

OPTIONS

The following *options* alter the default behaviour described above:

-I Enable interactive journal trace. Journal lines which indicate the start and end of processing of each test case in each of the chosen modes of operation are written to the standard error as well as being written to the journal file.

-a directory

Use *directory* as the alternate execution directory instead of the one specified by the **TET_EXECUTE** environment variable (if any).

- -**f** file Use file as the clean mode configuration file instead of the default.
- **−g** file

Use *file* as the build mode configuration file instead of the default.

-i directory

Place the default journal file and saved intermediate results files in *directory* instead of in the default location.

- -j file Use file as the journal file instead of the default.
- -l scenario-line

Process *scenario-line* as if it appeared in a scenario file below a scenario named **all**. More than one **–l** option may be specified; the *scenario-lines* are processed in the order in which they appear on the command line. *scenario-line* must be presented as a single argument so it must be quoted if it contains embedded spaces. If a scenario file is specified by a **–s** option, any *scenario-lines* are processed before that scenario file is read. If no **–s** option is specified, the default scenario file **tet_scen** is not read when **–l** is used.

-**n** string

Do not process test case names that contain *string*. More than one $-\mathbf{n}$ option may appear.

- -p Enable progress reporting. As each build, execute or clean operation is started, a line indicating the time, mode and scenario line being processed is printed on the standard output.
- $-\mathbf{s}$ file

Use *file* as the scenario file instead of the default.

-t timeout

Terminate the build, execute or clean of an individual test case if processing would continue for more than *timeout* seconds.

−v variable=value

The specified configuration *variable* is set to *value*, overriding any assignment in the configuration file for the current mode. It is probably best to surround *value* with single quotes if it contains characters which have special meaning to the Shell. More than one –**v** option may appear.

$-\mathbf{x}$ file

Use *file* as the execute mode configuration file instead of the default.

-y string

Only process test case names that contain *string*. More than one $-\mathbf{y}$ option may appear. The $-\mathbf{n}$ option has higher precedence than the $-\mathbf{y}$ option; thus, a test case is not processed if its name is matched by *strings* specified with both the $-\mathbf{n}$ and the $-\mathbf{y}$ options.

RERUN AND RESUME OPTIONS

The following options are mutually exclusive:

-m code-list

Causes **tcc** to resume the previous run of the specified *scenario* in the named *test-suite* whose results are in *old-journal-file*. *code-list* specifies the point in the previous run from which processing is to be resumed and may consist of a comma-separated list of result codes, or of one or more of the letters **b**, **e** and **c** to specify failures in particular processing modes. If *code-list* consists of result codes, then processing resumes at the first invocable component whose result in the previous run matched one of those in the list. If *code-list* specifies processing modes, then processing resumes at the first test case which failed to build or clean or the first invocable component which, when executed, did not report PASS in the previous run.

For example:

Resume building from the first test case that failed to build.

Resume execution from the first invocable component that reported FAIL or UNRESOLVED.

Resume building, execution and cleaning from the first test case which failed to build or from the first invocable component that did not report PASS.

-**r** code-list

Causes **tcc** to re-run individual test cases and invocable components from the specified *scenario* in the named *test-suite* whose results are in *old-journal-file*. *code-list* specifies the elements that are to be re-run and may consist of a comma-separated list of result codes, or of one or more of the letters **b**, **e** and **c** to specify failures in particular processing modes. If *code-list* consists of result codes, then test cases and invocable components are re-run if the corresponding result in the previous run matched one of the result codes in the list. If *code-list* specifies processing modes, then a test case is re-run if it failed to build or clean and an invocable component is re-run if it did not report PASS when it was executed in the previous run.

For example:

Re-build test cases that previously failed to build.

tcc -e -r FAIL,UNRESOLVED

Re-execute all invocable components that previously reported FAIL or UNRESOLVED.

tcc -bec -r b,e

Re-build, execute and clean all test cases that previously failed to build or execute, and all invocable components that did not previously report PASS when executed.

FILES

test-suite-root/tet_scen

Default scenario file. In Distributed TETware, only required on the local system.

test-suite-root/tetbuild.cfg

Default build mode configuration file.

alt-exec-dir/**tetexec.cfg**

Optional default execute mode configuration file when an alternate execution directory has been specified.

test-suite-root/tetexec.cfg

Default execute mode configuration file when *alt-exec-dir*/tetexec.cfg does not exist or an alternate execution directory has not been specified.

test-suite-root/tetclean.cfg

Default clean mode configuration file.

test-suite-root/tetdist.cfg

The distributed configuration file. Not used by TETware-Lite. In Distributed TETware, only required on the local system.

\$TET_ROOT/tet_code

test-suite-root/tet_code

Default result code files. In Distributed TETware, only accessed on the local system.

test-suite-root/tet_tmp_dir

Default temporary directory hierarchy.

test-suite-root/results/nnnn {bec}

Default results and saved files directory.

results-dir/REMOTEnnn

In Distributed TETware on the local system, the saved files directory for system *nnn*.

results-dir/journal

Default journal file. In Distributed TETware, only created on the local system.

vrpt - validation test report generator

USAGE

```
vrpt [-llevel] [-rcoverage] [-ffile] [-v] [-H] [-P] [-p] [-Llen] [-Wwid] [-tlines] [jnlfile...]
```

DESCRIPTION

Vrpt generates a report from journal files specified by the *jnlfile* argument. Reports are generated on the standard output.

Reports can be generated at one of three **levels** - the **section**, **area**, and **testset** levels - and covering a specified range of sections, areas or testsets within these levels.

At the **section** level, for each section specified by the **coverage** parameter, a section report is produced listing section start and end times, and a section summary listing the number of areas and testsets run and the number of test/make results in each category. Test result categories are: Succeeded, Failed, Warning, FIP (Further Information Provided), Unresolved, Uninitiated, Unsupported, Untested and Not In Use. Make result categories are: Succeeded, Failed and Unsupported.

At the **area** level, for each area specified by the **coverage** parameter, an area report is produced giving area start and end time, a table showing the number of results in each category (see list above) for each testset run, a list of all unsuccessful tests under result category headings, and an area summary listing the number of testsets run and the number of results in each category. A section summary is produced after the area reports in each section.

At the **testset** level, for each testset specified by the **coverage** parameter, a report is produced listing testset start and end time, detailed testset results, and a summary listing the number of results in each category (see list above). The detailed results list each unsuccessful test/make with its result category and any supplementary information produced by the test/make stage. In verbose mode (-v flag given) all successful and "Not In Use" tests/makes are also listed. Area and section summaries are produced after the testset reports in each area/section.

Each section, area, or testset level individual report starts with the section/area/testset identifier as passed through from the test/make stage.

Each validation test report run is normally prefaced by cover pages giving a contents list, an operational summary and a conformance summary. Details are described under the "-P" flag description below.

Any input that *vrpt* does not understand will be ignored, with a warning being issued for the first of a sequence of lines not understood. Processing will attempt to continue normally from the first understandable line.

PARAMETERS

Command Line

-llevel generate report at level. Level can be one of "**sect**", "**area**", or "**tset**", for section, area, and testset levels respectively.

level defaults to tset if no -l parameter given.

-rcoverage

report only on the specified range of tcc output within the level specified above. Note that the tables in the conformance summary cover page always give the complete results for the journal files being processed - only the detailed reports are affected when a reduced coverage is specified.

Coverage can be specified as follows:

- 1) as a list in the format "name1 name2 ... namen", where a report will be generated for each section/area/testset (depending on report level) whose name appears in the list;
- 2) as a range, in the format "name1:name2", where reporting will start with the section/area/testset (depending on report level) named name1 and will continue until the report for section/area/testset name2 is completed; note that ordering of sections/areas/testsets within each journal file depends on the scenario files, and may differ between runs; or,
- 3) a combination of the above, in the format "name1:name2 name3 name4 name5:name6", etc with the combination of the above meanings.

It is *not* an error if specified names do not actually appear in the journal files.

If range names are specified to a greater level than the level as given in the -l option, then the extra levels are ignored. E.g. -l sect -r section1/area1 will be processed the same as -l sect -r section1.

Vrpt defaults to reporting on every section/area/testset in the journal files if no -r list is specified.

-ffile take the coverage specifier list from file; this file should contain a list of section/area/testset identifiers or names one per line.

The **-f** and the **-r** parameters can be used together - the two lists are merged, and the resulting list used, ignoring repetitions.

- -v Verbose mode list names of successful and "Not In Use" tests/makes in testset level reports. Without the -v flag, detailed output at this level is produced only for unsuccessful tests/makes.
- **-H** Disable page headers and footers. *Vrpt* will normally print page headers and footers whose placement and size depend on the page size flags given below. They contain the report level, system and agency names, test/make date, and page number.

Vrpt produces headers and footers by default if no -H flag is given.

-P Do not print the cover pages normally produced with reports, or the parameter list at the end of all reports. Test cover pages consist of a banner page; a contents page; an operational summary listing test date, test agency and operator, report date, report level and coverage, and the journal files reported on; and, a conformance summary showing tables of the total number of tests in each result category for each section, over the whole of the journal files being processed (not just the coverage specified with -r).

Report date is determined from the host system at the time of vrpt invocation. Report level and coverage are as given on the vrpt command line. All other items are determined from the journal files.

The -P parameter implies -p, so that progressive report output is generated.

Vrpt defaults to producing the cover pages and parameter list if the -P flag is not given.

-p Disable "Page n of N" page numbering style. *Vrpt* will normally report the page numbers in the style "Page 4 of 40". However, this means that no output is generated all the pages have been prepared. -p allows the user to disable this feature, and thus allowing progressive report output.

Vrpt will produce footers with the "Page n of N" page numbering, and generates a progress message every 25 pages on stderr, if the -p flag is not given.

-L*len* Page length is *len* lines - used to place headers and footers properly on the output pages. Defaults to 66 lines if no -L flag given.

-Wwid

Page width is *wid* columns - used to generate headers and footers and to wrap long lines in the journal file. Defaults to 80 columns if no -W flag given.

-tlines Truncate test failure information after the specified number of lines. Some tests can produce hundreds of lines of failure information. This option may be used to reduce the size of a full report, with the complete test information for tests of interest subsequently being obtained by using the **-r** option. The default is no truncation.

Environment

VSXBIN

specifies the directory where vrpt executables and scripts reside. If **VSXBIN** is not set this directory is assumed to be \$HOME/BIN.

RETURNS

- 0 Report terminated successfully
- 1 Unknown option argument
- 2 Unrecoverable error during report generation

DIAGNOSTICS

"warning: input does not start with control sequence"

- input file was probably not a correctly formed test/make journal file (i.e. file did not start with the special "start report" sequence); this is not fatal, but may produce some strange output.

"warning - line XXX: line ignored"

vrpt ignores lines it does not expect to see at that point, or that appear to be malformed. Not fatal, and only produced for the first such error in each sequence of malformed lines in the input file.

EXAMPLES

vrpt foo

Generate a validation report from the journal file named foo, using default levels and coverage (testset/all), producing page headers and footers and a parameter list, and put the report onto standard output.

vrpt -H -P -larea -r'area1 area3:area7' journal[12]

Generate a validation report from the vtest journal files "journal1" and "journal2", at the area level, for the area "area1" and every area from "area3" to area7" inclusive; don't produce any page headers or footers or cover pages.

SEE ALSO

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vrptm - multiple test run comparison report generator

USAGE

vrptm [-H] [-Llen] [-Wwid] file1 file2 ...

DESCRIPTION

Vrptm produces a report comparing the results of two or more VSX validation test runs. It takes as input the test journal files from the runs to be compared. The file names given on the command line are used in the report to identify the results from the corresponding runs. Reports are produced on the standard output.

Each report is prefaced by several cover pages, one for each test journal file being processed, listing information from the file as follows: file name, validation test name, test date, test agency and system, test operator and all test parameters.

The cover pages are followed by tables of test results, one table per testset, showing the results for each test across all the input files. The tables contain one word entries giving the test result category (Succeeded, Failed, Warning, FIP (Further Information Provided), Unresolved, Uninitiated, Unsupported, Untested or Not In Use). A '-' character in the table indicates that no result was found for that test in the corresponding file. Any additional test information in the journal file is not reproduced.

PARAMETERS

Command Line

-H Disable page headers and footers. *Vrptm* will normally print page headers and footers whose placement and size depend on the page size flags given below. They contain the page number, report date and report type. The report date is determined from the host system at the time of vrptm invocation. Headers and footers include blank lines between each header and footer and page text.

Vrptm produces headers and footers by default if no -H flag is given.

-L*len* Page length is *len* lines - used to place headers and footers properly on the output pages. Defaults to 66 lines if no -L flag given.

-Wwid

Page width is *wid* columns - used to generate headers and footers and to wrap long lines in the journal file. Defaults to 80 columns if no -W flag given.

Environment

VSXBIN

specifies the directory where vrptm executables and scripts reside. If **VSXBIN** is not set this directory is assumed to be \$HOME/BIN.

RETURNS

- 0 Report terminated successfully
- 1 Unknown option argument or command line usage error
- 2 Unreadable file or other unrecoverable error during report generation

DIAGNOSTICS

"cannot read input file <filename>"

An input file given on the command line could not be opened.

"insufficient page width for number of files - using <wid>"

The page width specified with the -W option was less than the minimum required for the number of input files being processed. The program will produce the report using <wid>instead of the requested width.

EXAMPLES

vrptm journal1 journal[45]

Generate a report comparing test results from journal files journal1, journal4 and journal5, using the default page size with page headers and footers, and put the report onto the standard output.

vrptm -H -W132 jo*

Generate a report comparing test results from all "journal" files in the current directory, using the default page length, a page width of 132 columns, and with no page headers or footers.

SEE ALSO

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