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new/usr/src/man/man3nsl/rpc_svc_calls.3nsl
4239 rpc_svc_calls(3nsl): Typo service service
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7.TH RPC_SVC_CALLS_3NSL \"Oct 28, 2013\"
8.TH RPC_SVC_CALLS_3NSL \"Jan 26, 2004\"
9.SH NAME
10 rpc_svc_calls, svc_dg_enablecache, svc_done, svc_exit, svc_fdset, svc_freeargs,
11 svc_getargs, svc_getreq_common, svc_getreq_poll, svc_getreqset,
12 svc_getrpcaller, svc_max_pollfd, svc_pollfd, svc_run, svc_sendreply,
13 svc_getcallerucred, svc_fd_negotiate_ucred \- library routines for RPC servers
14 .LP
15 .nf
16 \fBcc\fR [ \fIfIflag\fR... ] \fIfIfile\fR... \fB-lnsl\fR [ \fIfIlibrary\fR... ]
17 #include <rpc/rpc.h>
18 \fBint\fR \fBsvc_dg_enablecache\fR(\fBsvc_xprt_t * \fR \fBxprt\fR, \fBconst uint_t \fR
19 .fi
20
21
22 .LP
23 .nf
24 \fBint\fR \fBsvc_done\fR(\fBsvc_xprt_t * \fR \fBxprt\fR);
25 .fi
26
27 .LP
28 .nf
29 \fBvoid\fR \fBsvc_exit\fR(\fBvoid \fR);
30 .fi
31
32 .LP
33 .nf
34 \fBvoid\fR \fBsvc_fd_negotiate_ucred\fR(\fBint \fR \fBfd \fR);
35 .fi
36
37 .LP
38 .nf
39 \fBbool_t \fR \fBsvc_freeargs\fR(\fBconst svc_xprt_t * \fR \fBxprt\fR, \fBconst txdrp
40 \fBcaddr_t \fR \fBiin \fR);
41 .fi
42
43 .LP
44 .nf
45 \fBbool_t \fR \fBsvc_getargs\fR(\fBconst svc_xprt_t * \fR \fBxprt\fR, \fBconst xdrproc
46 \fBcaddr_t \fR \fBiin \fR);
47 .fi
48
49 .LP
50 .nf
51 \fBint \fR \fBsvc_getcallerucred\fR(\fBconst svc_xprt_t * \fR \fBxprt\fR, \fBbucred_t *
52 .fi
53
54 .LP
55 .nf
56 \fBvoid \fR \fBsvc_getreq_common\fR(\fBconst int \fR \fBfd \fR);
57 .fi
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59 .LP
60 .nf

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61 \fBvoid \fR \fBsvc_getreqset\fR(\fBfd_set * \fR \fBfdset \fR);
62 .fi
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64 .LP
65 .nf
66 \fBvoid \fR \fBsvc_getreq_poll\fR(\fBstruct pollfd * \fR \fBpollfd \fR, \fBconst int \fR
67 .fi
68
69 .LP
70 .nf
71 \fBstruct netbuf * \fR \fBsvc_getrpcaller\fR(\fBconst svc_xprt_t * \fR \fBxprt \fR);
72 .fi
73
74 .LP
75 .nf
76 \fBvoid \fR \fBsvc_run\fR(\fBvoid \fR);
77 .fi
78
79 .LP
80 .nf
81 \fBbool_t \fR \fBsvc_sendreply\fR(\fBconst svc_xprt_t * \fR \fBxprt \fR, \fBconst xdrp
82 \fBcaddr_t \fR \fBout \fR \fBint \fR \fBmax_pollfd \fR);
83 .fi
84 .nf
85 .fi
86
87 .SH DESCRIPTION
88 .sp
89 .LP
90 These routines are part of the \fBRPC\fR library which allows C language
91 programs to make procedure calls on other machines across the network.
92 .sp
93 .LP
94 These routines are associated with the server side of the \fBRPC\fR mechanism.
95 Some of them are called by the server side dispatch function. Others, such as
96 \fBsvc_run()\fR, are called when the server is initiated.
97 .sp
98 .LP
99 Because the service transport handle \fBsvc_xprt_t \fR contains a single data area
100 for decoding arguments and encoding results, the structure cannot freely be
101 shared between threads that call functions to decode arguments and encode
102 results. When a server is operating in the Automatic or User MT modes, however,
103 a copy of this structure is passed to the service dispatch procedure in order
104 to enable concurrent request processing. Under these circumstances, some
105 routines which would otherwise be Unsafe, become Safe. These are marked as
106 such. Also marked are routines that are Unsafe for multithreaded applications,
107 and are not to be used by such applications. See \fBBrpc\fR(3NSL) for the
108 definition of the \fBsvc_xprt_t \fR data structure.
109 .sp
110 .LP
111 The \fBsvc_dg_enablecache()\fR function allocates a duplicate request cache for
112 the service endpoint \fBxprt \fR, large enough to hold \fBcache_size \fR entries.
113 Once enabled, there is no way to disable caching. The function returns \fB1 \fR
114 if space necessary for a cache of the given size was successfully allocated,
115 and \fB0 \fR otherwise. This function is Safe in multithreaded applications.
116 .sp
117 .LP
118 The \fBsvc_done()\fR function frees resources allocated to service a client
119 request directed to the service endpoint \fBxprt \fR. This call pertains only to
120 servers executing in the User MT mode. In the User MT mode, service procedures
121 must invoke this call before returning, either after a client request has been
122 serviced, or after an error or abnormal condition that prevents a reply from
123 being sent. After \fBsvc_done\fR() is invoked, the service endpoint \fBxprt \fR
124 should not be referenced by the service procedure. Server multithreading modes
125 and parameters can be set using the \fBBrpc_control\fR() call. This function is
126 Safe in multithreaded applications. It will have no effect if invoked in modes

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127 other than the User MT mode.
128 .sp
129 .LP
130 The \fBsvc_exit()\fR function when called by any of the RPC server procedures
131 or otherwise, destroys all services registered by the server and causes
132 \fBsvc_run()\fR to return. If RPC server activity is to be resumed, services
133 must be reregistered with the RPC library either through one of the
134 \fBbrpc_svc_create\fR(3NSL) functions, or using \fBxpirt_register\fR(3NSL). The
135 \fBsvc_exit()\fR function has global scope and ends all RPC server activity.
136 .sp
137 .LP
138 The \fBsvc_freeargs()\fR function macro frees any data allocated by the
139 \fBRPC/XDR\fR system when it decoded the arguments to a service procedure using
140 \fBsvc_getargs()\fR. This routine returns \fBTRUE\fR if the results were
141 successfully freed, and \fBFALSE\fR otherwise. This function macro is Safe in
142 multithreaded applications utilizing the Automatic or User MT modes.
143 .sp
144 .LP
145 The \fBsvc_getargs()\fR function macro decodes the arguments of an \fBRPC\fR
146 request associated with the \fBRPC\fR service transport handle \fIxpirt\fR. The
147 parameter \fIin\fR is the address where the arguments will be placed;
148 \fIinproc\fR is the \fBXDR\fR routine used to decode the arguments. This
149 routine returns \fBTRUE\fR if decoding succeeds, and \fBFALSE\fR otherwise.
150 This function macro is Safe in multithreaded applications utilizing the
151 Automatic or User MT modes.
152 .sp
153 .LP
154 The \fBsvc_getreq_common()\fR function is called to handle a request on a file
155 descriptor.
156 .sp
157 .LP
158 The \fBsvc_getreq_poll()\fR function is only of interest if a service
159 implementor does not call \fBsvc_run()\fR, but instead implements custom
160 asynchronous event processing. It is called when \fBpoll\fR(2) has determined
161 that an RPC request has arrived on some RPC file descriptors; \fIpollretval\fR
162 is the return value from \fBpoll\fR(2) and \fIipfdp\fR is the array of
163 \fIipollfd\fR structures on which the \fBpoll\fR(2) was done. It is assumed to
164 be an array large enough to contain the maximal number of descriptors allowed.
165 The \fBsvc_getreq_poll()\fR function macro is Unsafe in multithreaded
166 applications.
167 .sp
168 .LP
169 The \fBsvc_getreqset()\fR function is only of interest if a service implementor
170 does not call \fBsvc_run()\fR, but instead implements custom asynchronous event
171 processing. It is called when \fBselect\fR(3C) has determined that an \fBRPC\fR
172 request has arrived on some \fBRPC\fR file descriptors; \fIirdfds\fR is the
173 resultant read file descriptor bit mask. The routine returns when all file
174 descriptors associated with the value of \fIirdfds\fR have been serviced. This
175 function macro is Unsafe in multithreaded applications.
176 .sp
177 .LP
178 The \fBsvc_getrpccaller()\fR function is the approved way of getting the
179 network address of the caller of a procedure associated with the \fBRPC\fR
180 service transport handle \fIxpirt\fR. This function macro is Safe in
181 multithreaded applications.
182 .sp
183 .LP
184 The \fBsvc_run()\fR function never returns. In single-threaded mode, the
185 function waits for \fBRPC\fR requests to arrive. When an RPC request arrives,
186 the \fBsvc_run()\fR function calls the appropriate service procedure. This
187 procedure is usually waiting for the \fBpoll\fR(2) library call to return.
188 .sp
189 .LP
190 Applications that execute in the Automatic or the User MT mode should invoke
191 the \fBsvc_run()\fR function exactly once. In the Automatic MT mode, the
192 \fBsvc_run()\fR function creates threads to service client requests. In the

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193 User MT mode, the function provides a framework for service developers to
194 create and manage their own threads for servicing client requests.
195 .sp
196 .LP
197 The \fBsvc_fdset\fR global variable reflects the \fBRPC\fR server's read file
198 descriptor bit mask. This is only of interest if service implementors do not
199 call \fBsvc_run()\fR, but rather do their own asynchronous event processing.
200 This variable is read-only may change after calls to \fBsvc_getreqset()\fR or
201 after any creation routine. Do not pass its address to \fBselect\fR(3C).
202 Instead, pass the address of a copy. multithreaded applications executing in
203 either the Automatic MT mode or the user MT mode should never read this
204 variable. They should use auxiliary threads to do asynchronous event
205 processing. The \fBsvc_fdset\fR variable is limited to 1024 file descriptors
206 and is considered obsolete. Use of \fBsvc_pollfd\fR is recommended instead.
207 .sp
208 .LP
209 The \fBsvc_pollfd\fR global variable points to an array of \fBpollfd_t\fR
210 structures that reflect the \fBRPC\fR server's read file descriptor array. This
211 is only of interest if service implementors do not call \fBsvc_run()\fR
212 is only of interest if service implementors do not call \fBsvc_run()\fR
213 but rather do their own asynchronous event processing. This variable is
214 read-only, and it may change after calls to \fBsvc_getreq_poll()\fR or any
215 creation routines. Do not pass its address to \fBpoll\fR(2). Instead, pass the
216 address of a copy. By default, \fBsvc_pollfd\fR is limited to 1024 entries. Use
217 \fBbrpc_control\fR(3NSL) to remove this limitation. multithreaded applications
218 executing in either the Automatic MT mode or the user MT mode should never be
219 read this variable. They should use auxiliary threads to do asynchronous event
220 processing.
221 .sp
222 .LP
223 The \fBsvc_max_pollfd\fR global variable contains the maximum length of the
224 \fBsvc_pollfd\fR array. This variable is read-only, and it may change after
225 calls to \fBsvc_getreq_poll()\fR or any creation routines.
226 .sp
227 .LP
228 The \fBsvc_sendreply()\fR function is called by an \fBRPC\fR service dispatch
229 routine to send the results of a remote procedure call. The \fIxpirt\fR
230 parameter is the transport handle of the request. The \fIoutproc\fR parameter
231 is the \fBXDR\fR routine used to encode the results. The \fIout\fR parameter is
232 the address of the results. This routine returns \fBTRUE\fR if it succeeds,
233 \fBFALSE\fR otherwise. The \fBsvc_sendreply()\fR function macro is Safe in
234 multithreaded applications that use the Automatic or the User MT mode.
235 .sp
236 .LP
237 The \fBsvc_fd_negotiate_ucred()\fR function is called by an RPC server to
238 inform the underlying transport that the function wishes to receive
239 \fBbucreds\fR for local calls, including those over IP transports.
240 .sp
241 .LP
242 The \fBsvc_getcallerucred()\fR function attempts to retrieve the \fBbucred_t\fR
243 associated with the caller. The function returns \fB\ER0\fR when successful and
244 \fB-1\fR when not.
245 .sp
246 .LP
247 When successful, the \fBsvc_getcallerucred()\fR function stores the pointer to
248 a freshly allocated \fBbucred_t\fR in the memory location pointed to by the
249 \fIucred\fR argument if that memory location contains the null pointer. If the
250 memory location is non-null, the function reuses the existing \fBbucred_t\fR.
251 When \fIucred\fR is no longer needed, a credential allocated by
252 \fBsvc_getcallerucred()\fR should be freed with \fBbucred_free\fR(3C).
253 .SH ATTRIBUTES
254 .sp
255 .LP
256 See \fBattributes\fR(5) for descriptions of attribute types and values.

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258 .sp
259 .TS
260 box;
261 c | c
262 l | l .
263 ATTRIBUTE TYPE ATTRIBUTE VALUE
264 _
265 MT-Level See below.
266 .TE

268 .sp
269 .LP
270 The \fBsvc_fd_negotiate_ucred()\fR, \fBsvc_dg_enablecache()\fR,
271 \fBsvc_getrpccaller()\fR, and \fBsvc_getcallerucred()\fR functions are Safe in
272 multithreaded applications. The \fBsvc_freeargs()\fR, \fBsvc_getargs()\fR, and
273 \fBsvc_sendreply()\fR functions are Safe in multithreaded applications that use
274 the Automatic or the User MT mode. The \fBsvc_getreq_common()\fR,
275 \fBsvc_getreqset()\fR, and \fBsvc_getreq_poll()\fR functions are Unsafe in
276 multithreaded applications and should be called only from the main thread.
277 .SH SEE ALSO
278 .sp
279 .LP
280 \fBbrpcgen\fR(1), \fBbpoll\fR(2), \fBgetpeerucred\fR(3C), \fBbrpc\fR(3NSL),
281 \fBbrpc_control\fR(3NSL), \fBbrpc_svc_create\fR(3NSL), \fBbrpc_svc_err\fR(3NSL),
282 \fBbrpc_svc_reg\fR(3NSL), \fBbselect\fR(3C), \fBbucred_free\fR(3C),
283 \fBxpirt_register\fR(3NSL), \fBattributes\fR(5)
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