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Linux Systems calls to support AIO

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// Create aio_context that can receive up to nr_events.

// Returns a new ctx_id through *ctxp

// Can't submit requests if not enough room

// for completion

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asmlinkage long sys_io_setup(  
    unsigned nr_events,  
    aio_context_t *ctxp);
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// Submit a list/array of requests

// Current support for READ/WRITE/FSYNC

// IOCB_CMD_NOOP may not work

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asmlinkage long sys_io_submit(  
    aio_context_t ctx_id,  
    long nr, struct iocb **iocbpp);
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struct iocb {
    /* these are internal to the kernel/libc. */
    /* data to be returned in event's data */
    __u64    aio_data;
    /* the kernel sets aio_key to the req # */
    __u32    PADDED(aio_key, aio_reserved1);

    /* common fields */
    __u16    aio_lio_opcode;
    __s16    aio_reqprio;
    __u32    aio_fildes;
    __u64    aio_buf;
    __u64    aio_nbytes;
    __s64    aio_offset;

    /* extra parameters */
    /* TODO: use this for a (struct sigevent *) */
    __u64    aio_reserved2;
    __u64    aio_reserved3;
}; /* 64 bytes */
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// Try to get up to nr but at least min_nr
// from completion queue specified by ctx_id
// Array of events should be long enough to hold
// nr events
// If don't get at least min_nr and timeout != NULL
// wait until we get at least min_nr or until timeout
asmlinkage long sys_io_getevents(
    aio_context_t ctx_id,
    long min_nr,
    long nr,
    struct io_event *events,
    struct timespec *timeout);

struct io_event {
    __u64 data; /* the data field from the iocb */
    __u64 obj; /* what iocb this event came from */
    __s64 res; /* result code for this event */
    __s64 res2; /* secondary result */
};
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asmlinkage long sys_io_destroy(  
    aio_context_t ctx);
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asmlinkage long sys_io_cancel(  
    aio_context_t ctx_id,  
    struct iocb *iocb,  
    struct io_event *result);  
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int rc;  
aio_context_t ctx_id;  
struct iocb my_iocbs[MAX_IOCBS];  
struct iocb *my_iocb_ptrs[MAX_IOCBS];  
struct iocb *ip;  
char my_bufs[MAX_IOCBS][MAX_BUF_SIZE];  
struct io_event my_events[MAX_IOCBS];  
  
sys_io_setup(MAX_EVENTS, &ctx_id);  
  
for (i=0; i<MAX_IOCBS; i++) {  
    my_iocb_ptrs[i] = &my_iocbs[i];  
}
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ip = my_iocb_ptrs[0];
ip->lio_opcode = IOCB_CMD_PREAD;
ip->aio_filedes = fd1;
ip->aio_buf = &my_bufs[0][0];
ip->aio_nbytes = bytes;
ip->aio_offset = 0;
// identifier used with completion event
ip->aio_data = my_iocb_ptrs[0];
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ip = my_iocb_ptrs[1];
ip->lio_opcode = IOCB_CMD_PWRITE;
ip->aio_filedes = fd2;
ip->aio_buf = &my_bufs[1][0];
ip->aio_nbytes = bytes;
ip->aio_offset = 0;
// identifier used with completion event
ip->aio_data = my_iocb_ptrs[1];
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sys_io_submit(ctx_id, 2, my_iocb_ptrs);

/* wait forever for 2 completion events */
n = sys_io_getevents(ctx_id, 2, 2, my_events, 0);

for (i=0; i<n; i++) {
    // get the pointer to iocb used for request
    // this may be the same as my_events[i].obj
    ip = my_events[i].data;
    // return value from the call
    rc = my_events[i].res;
}
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