AFS Reference Card

(for OpenAFS and Transarc AFS)

AFS Commands

All commands are located in the /usr/afsws/bin directory Angle brackets indicate needed arguments for commands

Get, Release, and Check AFS Tokens

get new token

get new token for other user

get new token for other user

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release tokens

tokens

tokens

Change Password

When you change password you must change both NIS and AFS password using the following commands

change NIS password passwd change AFS password kpasswd

You have to enter your current password and enter your new password twice to verify the password. The password must contain of eight (8) characters.

Help and Command Usage

The help system is simple. All AFS commands accept a help argument on the form command help. If you are a first-time user please read the AFS documentation first.

list commands available in fs fs help
list commands available in pts pts help
list syntax and description fs help command
list syntax and description pts help command
list syntax fs command -help
list syntax pts command -help

ACLs for File and Directory Protection

list directory ACL fs la dir
set directory ACL fs sa dir group ACL
copy directory ACL fs copyacl sourcedir targetdir

Unix permissions have the rwx bits which are read, write and execute. AFS access control lists (ACL) have rlidkwa which are read, lookup, insert, delete, lock, write, and administer. There exist a shorthand notation which covers write (rlidwk), read (rl), all (rlidkwa), and none (removes entry).

Administrate Protection Groups

create user-owned group

add user to group

remove user from group

remove group

change name of group

pts creategroup user:group

pts removeuser user group

pts delete group

pts rename current new

Protection Group Information

list members in group pts membership group list user's membership user list groups owned by user list groups owned by group pts listowned group list group information pts exa group

File Server Information

list originating file server of file $\,$ fs whereis $\,$ dir/file list fileserver status $\,$ fs checkservers [-all]

Volume Quota

list quota information fs lq dir list quota percentage used fs quota dir

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