

NAME

mountpts — general user mount point table

DESCRIPTION

Mountpts resides in directory */etc* and contains a table of directories where the general unprivileged user can legally mount file systems.

Each entry is an ASCII line with the full pathname of a directory on it. Whenever an unprivileged user tries to mount a filesystem, the *mount* command reads this file to see whether they are allowed to mount on the directory they have specified.

If */etc/mountpts* does not exist, then the general unprivileged user will not be allowed to mount any file systems.

SEE ALSO

mount(1)