



### ***Rocky Enterprise Linux 9.2 Manual Pages on command 'statfs64.2'***

**\$ man statfs64.2**

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#### NAME

statfs, fstatfs - get filesystem statistics

#### SYNOPSIS

```
#include <sys/vfs.h> /* or <sys/statfs.h> */  
  
int statfs(const char *path, struct statfs *buf);  
  
int fstatfs(int fd, struct statfs *buf);
```

#### DESCRIPTION

The statfs() system call returns information about a mounted filesystem?

tem. path is the pathname of any file within the mounted filesystem.

buf is a pointer to a statfs structure defined approximately as fol?

lows:

```
struct statfs {  
    __fsword_t f_type; /* Type of filesystem (see below) */  
    __fsword_t f_bsize; /* Optimal transfer block size */  
    fsblkcnt_t f_blocks; /* Total data blocks in filesystem */  
    fsblkcnt_t f_bfree; /* Free blocks in filesystem */  
    fsblkcnt_t f_bavail; /* Free blocks available to
```

```

        unprivileged user */
fsfilcnt_t f_files; /* Total inodes in filesystem */
fsfilcnt_t f_ffree; /* Free inodes in filesystem */
fsid_t    f_fsid; /* Filesystem ID */
__fsword_t f_namelen; /* Maximum length of filenames */
__fsword_t f_frsize; /* Fragment size (since Linux 2.6) */
__fsword_t f_flags; /* Mount flags of filesystem
                    (since Linux 2.6.36) */
__fsword_t f_spare[xxx];
        /* Padding bytes reserved for future use */
};

```

The following filesystem types may appear in `f_type`:

```

ADFS_SUPER_MAGIC    0xadf5
AFFS_SUPER_MAGIC    0xadff
AFS_SUPER_MAGIC     0x5346414f
ANON_INODE_FS_MAGIC 0x09041934 /* Anonymous inode FS (for
                    pseudofiles that have no name;
                    e.g., epoll, signalfd, bpf) */
AUTOFS_SUPER_MAGIC  0x0187
BDEVFS_MAGIC         0x62646576
BEFS_SUPER_MAGIC     0x42465331
BFS_MAGIC            0x1badface
BINFMNTFS_MAGIC      0x42494e4d
BPF_FS_MAGIC         0xcafe4a11
BTRFS_SUPER_MAGIC    0x9123683e
BTRFS_TEST_MAGIC     0x73727279
CGROUP_SUPER_MAGIC   0x27e0eb /* Cgroup pseudo FS */
CGROUP2_SUPER_MAGIC  0x63677270 /* Cgroup v2 pseudo FS */
CIFS_MAGIC_NUMBER    0xff534d42
CODA_SUPER_MAGIC     0x73757245
COH_SUPER_MAGIC      0x012ff7b7
CRAMFS_MAGIC         0x28cd3d45
DEBUGFS_MAGIC        0x64626720

```

DEVFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x1373 /\* Linux 2.6.17 and earlier \*/  
DEVPTS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x1cd1  
ECRYPTFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0xf15f  
EFIVARFS\_MAGIC 0xde5e81e4  
EFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x00414a53  
EXT\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x137d /\* Linux 2.0 and earlier \*/  
EXT2\_OLD\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0xef51  
EXT2\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0xef53  
EXT3\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0xef53  
EXT4\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0xef53  
F2FS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0xf2f52010  
FUSE\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x65735546  
FUTEXFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0xbad1dea /\* Unused \*/  
HFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x4244  
HOSTFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x00c0ffee  
HPFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0xf995e849  
HUGETLBFS\_MAGIC 0x958458f6  
ISOFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x9660  
JFFS2\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x72b6  
JFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x3153464a  
MINIX\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x137f /\* original minix FS \*/  
MINIX\_SUPER\_MAGIC2 0x138f /\* 30 char minix FS \*/  
MINIX2\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x2468 /\* minix V2 FS \*/  
MINIX2\_SUPER\_MAGIC2 0x2478 /\* minix V2 FS, 30 char names \*/  
MINIX3\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x4d5a /\* minix V3 FS, 60 char names \*/  
QUEUE\_MAGIC 0x19800202 /\* POSIX message queue FS \*/  
MSDOS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x4d44  
MTD\_INODE\_FS\_MAGIC 0x11307854  
NCP\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x564c  
NFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x6969  
NILFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x3434  
NSFS\_MAGIC 0x6e736673  
NTFS\_SB\_MAGIC 0x5346544e

OCFS2\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x7461636f  
OPENPROM\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x9fa1  
OVERLAYFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x794c7630  
PIPEFS\_MAGIC 0x50495045  
PROC\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x9fa0 /\* /proc FS \*/  
PSTOREFS\_MAGIC 0x6165676c  
QNX4\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x002f  
QNX6\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x68191122  
RAMFS\_MAGIC 0x858458f6  
REISERFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x52654973  
ROMFS\_MAGIC 0x7275  
SECURITYFS\_MAGIC 0x73636673  
SELINUX\_MAGIC 0xf97cff8c  
SMACK\_MAGIC 0x43415d53  
SMB\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x517b  
SMB2\_MAGIC\_NUMBER 0xfe534d42  
SOCKFS\_MAGIC 0x534f434b  
SQUASHFS\_MAGIC 0x73717368  
SYSFS\_MAGIC 0x62656572  
SYSV2\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x012ff7b6  
SYSV4\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x012ff7b5  
TMPFS\_MAGIC 0x01021994  
TRACEFS\_MAGIC 0x74726163  
UDF\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x15013346  
UFS\_MAGIC 0x00011954  
USBDEVICE\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x9fa2  
V9FS\_MAGIC 0x01021997  
VXFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0xa501fcf5  
XENFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0xabba1974  
XENIX\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x012ff7b4  
XFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x58465342  
\_XIAFS\_SUPER\_MAGIC 0x012fd16d /\* Linux 2.0 and earlier \*/

Most of these MAGIC constants are defined in /usr/in?

clude/linux/magic.h, and some are hardcoded in kernel sources.

The `f_flags` field is a bit mask indicating mount options for the filesystem. It contains zero or more of the following bits:

#### ST\_MANDLOCK

Mandatory locking is permitted on the filesystem (see `fcntl(2)`).

#### ST\_NOATIME

Do not update access times; see `mount(2)`.

#### ST\_NODEV

Disallow access to device special files on this filesystem.

#### ST\_NODIRATIME

Do not update directory access times; see `mount(2)`.

#### ST\_NOEXEC

Execution of programs is disallowed on this filesystem.

#### ST\_NOSUID

The set-user-ID and set-group-ID bits are ignored by `exec(3)` for executable files on this filesystem

#### ST\_RDONLY

This filesystem is mounted read-only.

#### ST\_RELATIME

Update atime relative to mtime/ctime; see `mount(2)`.

#### ST\_SYNCHRONOUS

Writes are synched to the filesystem immediately (see the description of `O_SYNC` in `open(2)`).

#### ST\_NOSYMFOLLOW (since Linux 5.10)

Symbolic links are not followed when resolving paths; see `mount(2)`.

Nobody knows what `f_fsid` is supposed to contain (but see below).

Fields that are undefined for a particular filesystem are set to 0.

`fstatfs()` returns the same information about an open file referenced by descriptor `fd`.

#### RETURN VALUE

On success, zero is returned. On error, -1 is returned, and `errno` is set appropriately.

## ERRORS

EACCES (statfs()) Search permission is denied for a component of the path prefix of path. (See also path\_resolution(7).)

EBADF (fstatfs()) fd is not a valid open file descriptor.

EFAULT buf or path points to an invalid address.

EINTR The call was interrupted by a signal; see signal(7).

EIO An I/O error occurred while reading from the filesystem.

ELOOP (statfs()) Too many symbolic links were encountered in translating path.

## ENAMETOOLONG

(statfs()) path is too long.

ENOENT (statfs()) The file referred to by path does not exist.

ENOMEM Insufficient kernel memory was available.

ENOSYS The filesystem does not support this call.

## ENOTDIR

(statfs()) A component of the path prefix of path is not a directory.

## E\_OVERFLOW

Some values were too large to be represented in the returned struct.

## CONFORMING TO

Linux-specific. The Linux statfs() was inspired by the 4.4BSD one (but they do not use the same structure).

## NOTES

The `__fsword_t` type used for various fields in the `statfs` structure definition is a glibc internal type, not intended for public use. This leaves the programmer in a bit of a conundrum when trying to copy or compare these fields to local variables in a program. Using unsigned int for such variables suffices on most systems.

The original Linux `statfs()` and `fstatfs()` system calls were not designed with extremely large file sizes in mind. Subsequently, Linux 2.6 added new `statfs64()` and `fstatfs64()` system calls that employ a new structure, `statfs64`. The new structure contains the same fields as the

original `statfs` structure, but the sizes of various fields are increased, to accommodate large file sizes. The `glibc statfs()` and `fsstatfs()` wrapper functions transparently deal with the differences.

Some systems have only `<sys/vfs.h>`, other systems also have `<sys/statfs.h>`, where the former includes the latter. So including the former is the best choice.

LSB has deprecated the library calls `statfs()` and `fstatfs()` and tells us to use `statvfs(2)` and `fstatvfs(2)` instead.

#### The `f_fsid` field

Solaris, Irix and POSIX have a system call `statvfs(2)` that returns a struct `statvfs` (defined in `<sys/statvfs.h>`) containing an unsigned long `f_fsid`. Linux, SunOS, HP-UX, 4.4BSD have a system call `statfs()` that returns a struct `statfs` (defined in `<sys/vfs.h>`) containing a `fsid_t f_fsid`, where `fsid_t` is defined as `struct { int val[2]; }`. The same holds for FreeBSD, except that it uses the include file `<sys/mount.h>`. The general idea is that `f_fsid` contains some random stuff such that the pair `(f_fsid,ino)` uniquely determines a file. Some operating systems use (a variation on) the device number, or the device number combined with the filesystem type. Several operating systems restrict giving out the `f_fsid` field to the superuser only (and zero it for unprivileged users), because this field is used in the filehandle of the filesystem when NFS-exported, and giving it out is a security concern. Under some operating systems, the `fsid` can be used as the second argument to the `sysfs(2)` system call.

#### BUGS

From Linux 2.6.38 up to and including Linux 3.1, `fstatfs()` failed with the error `ENOSYS` for file descriptors created by `pipe(2)`.

#### SEE ALSO

`stat(2)`, `statvfs(3)`, `path_resolution(7)`

#### COLOPHON

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