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intro – introduction to special files

DESCRIPTION

Section 4 of the manual describes special files (devices).

FILES

/dev/* — device files

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