

NAME

`sched_getcpu` – determine CPU on which the calling thread is running

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <sched.h>
```

```
int sched_getcpu(void);
```

Feature Test Macro Requirements for glibc (see [feature_test_macros\(7\)](#)):

```
 sched_getcpu():
```

```
     Since glibc 2.14:
```

```
     _GNU_SOURCE
```

```
     Before glibc 2.14:
```

```
     _BSD_SOURCE || _SVID_SOURCE
```

```
     /* _GNU_SOURCE also suffices */
```

DESCRIPTION

`sched_getcpu()` returns the number of the CPU on which the calling thread is currently executing.

RETURN VALUE

On success, `sched_getcpu()` returns a nonnegative CPU number. On error, `-1` is returned and `errno` is set to indicate the error.

ERRORS**ENOSYS**

This kernel does not implement `getcpu(2)`.

VERSIONS

This function is available since glibc 2.6.

ATTRIBUTES

For an explanation of the terms used in this section, see [attributes\(7\)](#).

Interface	Attribute	Value
<code>sched_getcpu()</code>	Thread safety	MT-Safe

CONFORMING TO

`sched_getcpu()` is glibc-specific.

NOTES

The call

```
cpu = sched_getcpu();
```

is equivalent to the following `getcpu(2)` call:

```
int c, s;
s = getcpu(&c, NULL, NULL);
cpu = (s == -1) ? s : c;
```

SEE ALSO

[getcpu\(2\)](#), [sched\(7\)](#)

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