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POSIX_TRACE_GETNEXT_EVENT(3POSIX Programmer's ManPOSIX_TRACE_GETNEXT_EVENT(3P)

PROLOG

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NAME

posix_trace_getnext_event, posix_trace_timedgetnext_event,
posix_trace_trygetnext_event ? retrieve a trace event (TRACING)

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <sys/types.h>
```

```
#include <trace.h>
```

```
int posix_trace_getnext_event(trace_id_t trid,  
    struct posix_trace_event_info *restrict event,  
    void *restrict data, size_t num_bytes,  
    size_t *restrict data_len, int *restrict unavailable);
```

```
int posix_trace_timedgetnext_event(trace_id_t trid,  
    struct posix_trace_event_info *restrict event,  
    void *restrict data, size_t num_bytes,  
    size_t *restrict data_len, int *restrict unavailable,  
    const struct timespec *restrict abstime);
```

```
int posix_trace_trygetnext_event(trace_id_t trid,  
    struct posix_trace_event_info *restrict event,
```

```
void *restrict data, size_t num_bytes,  
size_t *restrict data_len, int *restrict unavailable);
```

DESCRIPTION

The `posix_trace_getnext_event()` function shall report a recorded trace event either from an active trace stream without log or a pre-recorded trace stream identified by the `trid` argument. The `posix_trace_trygetnext_event()` function shall report a recorded trace event from an active trace stream without log identified by the `trid` argument.

The trace event information associated with the recorded trace event shall be copied by the function into the structure pointed to by the argument `event` and the data associated with the trace event shall be copied into the buffer pointed to by the `data` argument.

The `posix_trace_getnext_event()` function shall block if the `trid` argument identifies an active trace stream and there is currently no trace event ready to be retrieved. When returning, if a recorded trace event was reported, the variable pointed to by the `unavailable` argument shall be set to zero. Otherwise, the variable pointed to by the `unavailable` argument shall be set to a value different from zero.

The `posix_trace_timedgetnext_event()` function shall attempt to get another trace event from an active trace stream without log, as in the `posix_trace_getnext_event()` function. However, if no trace event is available from the trace stream, the implied wait shall be terminated when the timeout specified by the argument `abstime` expires, and the function shall return the error [ETIMEDOUT].

The timeout shall expire when the absolute time specified by `abstime` passes, as measured by the clock upon which timeouts are based (that is, when the value of that clock equals or exceeds `abstime`), or if the absolute time specified by `abstime` has already passed at the time of the call.

The timeout shall be based on the `CLOCK_REALTIME` clock. The resolution of the timeout shall be the resolution of the clock on which it is based. The `timespec` data type is defined in the `<time.h>` header.

Under no circumstance shall the function fail with a timeout if a trace

event is immediately available from the trace stream. The validity of the abstime argument need not be checked if a trace event is immediately available from the trace stream.

The behavior of this function for a pre-recorded trace stream is unspecified.

The `posix_trace_trygetnext_event()` function shall not block. This function shall return an error if the `trid` argument identifies a pre-recorded trace stream. If a recorded trace event was reported, the variable pointed to by the `unavailable` argument shall be set to zero.

Otherwise, if no trace event was reported, the variable pointed to by the `unavailable` argument shall be set to a value different from zero.

The argument `num_bytes` shall be the size of the buffer pointed to by the `data` argument. The argument `data_len` reports to the application the length in bytes of the data record just transferred. If `num_bytes` is greater than or equal to the size of the data associated with the trace event pointed to by the `event` argument, all the recorded data shall be transferred. In this case, the `truncation-status` member of the trace event structure shall be either `POSIX_TRACE_NOT_TRUNCATED`, if the trace event data was recorded without truncation while tracing, or `POSIX_TRACE_TRUNCATED_RECORD`, if the trace event data was truncated when it was recorded. If the `num_bytes` argument is less than the length of recorded trace event data, the data transferred shall be truncated to a length of `num_bytes`, the value stored in the variable pointed to by `data_len` shall be equal to `num_bytes`, and the `truncation-status` member of the event structure argument shall be set to `POSIX_TRACE_TRUNCATED_READ` (see the `posix_trace_event_info` structure defined in `<trace.h>`).

The report of a trace event shall be sequential starting from the oldest recorded trace event. Trace events shall be reported in the order in which they were generated, up to an implementation-defined time resolution that causes the ordering of trace events occurring very close to each other to be unknown. Once reported, a trace event cannot be reported again from an active trace stream. Once a trace event is re-

ported from an active trace stream without log, the trace stream shall make the resources associated with that trace event available to record future generated trace events.

RETURN VALUE

Upon successful completion, these functions shall return a value of zero. Otherwise, they shall return the corresponding error number.

If successful, these functions store:

- * The recorded trace event in the object pointed to by event
- * The trace event information associated with the recorded trace event in the object pointed to by data
- * The length of this trace event information in the object pointed to by data_len
- * The value of zero in the object pointed to by unavailable

ERRORS

These functions shall fail if:

EINVAL The trace stream identifier argument trid is invalid.

The `posix_trace_getnext_event()` and `posix_trace_timedgetnext_event()` functions shall fail if:

EINTR The operation was interrupted by a signal, and so the call had no effect.

The `posix_trace_trygetnext_event()` function shall fail if:

EINVAL The trace stream identifier argument trid does not correspond to an active trace stream.

The `posix_trace_timedgetnext_event()` function shall fail if:

EINVAL There is no trace event immediately available from the trace stream, and the timeout argument is invalid.

ETIMEDOUT

No trace event was available from the trace stream before the specified timeout expired.

The following sections are informative.

EXAMPLES

None.

APPLICATION USAGE

None.

RATIONALE

None.

FUTURE DIRECTIONS

These functions may be removed in a future version.

SEE ALSO

`posix_trace_close()`, `posix_trace_create()`

The Base Definitions volume of POSIX.1?2017, `<sys_types.h>`, `<trace.h>`

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