

NAME

`getu` — get selected user block information

SYNOPSIS

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getu (offset, buffer, nbytes)  
char *buffer;
```

DESCRIPTION

Getu is used to copy information from the current process' user control block into the user's address space. *Nbytes* are copied into user's space starting at the address specified by *buffer*. The copy begins *offset* bytes into the control block. All three arguments must be even numbers. The number of bytes actually transferred is returned as the result.

DIAGNOSTICS

The error bit (c-bit) is set for an illegal request. If the actual number of bytes transferred is not equal to the requested number, an error has occurred. From C, a `-1` return indicates an error.

ASSEMBLER

add