

NAME

modusr - modify /etc/passwd file for specified user

SYNOPSIS

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modusr(user,gid,wdir,shell,pwd)
char *user, *wdir, *shell, *pwd;
int gid;
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DESCRIPTION**DIAGNOSTICS**

Modusr modifies the entry in the /etc/passwd file for the specified user (user). The remaining arguments are:

gid An integer specifying the new group id.
If -1, the group id is not changed.

wdir A pointer to a character string containing the pathname of the new working directory. If null, it is not changed.

shell A pointer to a character string containing the pathname of the new shell. If null, the shell is not changed.

pwd A pointer to a character string containing the new encrypted password. If null, it is not changed.

Modusr will return the following values:

- 0 - if it was successful.
- 1 - if it could not find the user in the /etc/passwd file
- 2 - system problems: could not open or link /etc/passwd or /etc/ptmp files, or perform other system calls (stat,fstat,etc.).
close(2) is the only sys call not checked.
- 3 - given user has a colon in name
- 4 - /etc/ptmp already exists (try again).

LIBRARY

/lib/lib1.a

FILES

/etc/passwd
/etc/ptmp