

NAME

at.allow, at.deny – determine who can submit jobs via at or batch

DESCRIPTION

The */etc/at.allow* and */etc/at.deny* files determine which user can submit commands for later execution via **at**(1) or **batch**(1).

The format of the files is a list of usernames, one on each line. Whitespace is not permitted.

If the file */etc/at.allow* exists, only usernames mentioned in it are allowed to use **at**.

If */etc/at.allow* does not exist, */etc/at.deny* is checked, every username not mentioned in it is then allowed to use **at**.

An empty */etc/at.deny* means that every user may use **at**.

If neither exists, only the superuser is allowed to use at.

SEE ALSO

at(1), **cron**(8), **crontab**(1), **atd**(8).