

1.1 Problems due to each of the five aspects of heterogeneity

1. Networks:
2. Computer Hardware:
3. Operating System:
4. Programming Languages:
5. Multiple Developers:

1.2 To what extent do the needs of openness differ from those of heterogeneity?

1.3 Protected Functions

1.4 Distributed Systems

1.4.1 Advantages and Disadvantages compared to a Centralized System

1.4.2 Difference between loosely and tightly coupled systems