

User Based File System Using Fuse

Design of the filesystem:



The above diagram depicts the overall memory division of our file system. The divisions are superblock (1), inode-bitmaps (2), datablock-bitmaps (3), inode-table (4) and datablocks (5)

Memory allocated to each of the regions:

a) Data-Blocks (5):

In our filesystem we are supporting storage of user data up-to 5GB. Size of one block is taken as 4KB

$$\text{Number of blocks for data regions} = \frac{5 * 1024 * 1024}{4} = 1310720$$

b) Inode Table (4)

In our filesystem we are supporting storage up-to 80 files. Each file requires one inode which is of 256 bytes.

$$\text{Number of blocks for inode table} = \frac{80 * 256}{1024 * 4} = 5$$

c) Data-Block Bitmaps (3):

Bitmaps are used for making sure which blocks are allocated and which are free. If the value of a bitmap is 1, it means that it is allocated and if the value of bitmap is 0, it means that it is free.

Each bitmap takes 1byte.

$$\text{Number of blocks for data-block bitmaps} = \frac{1310720}{8 * 1024 * 4} = 40$$

d) Inode Bitmaps (2):

Following the same analogy as of above,

$$\text{Number of blocks for inode bitmaps} = \frac{80}{8} = 10 \text{ bytes} \approx 1$$

e) Superblock (1) :

Superblock contains the information such as number of data blocks, number of inode blocks and start of inode table. We are assigning one datablock for superblock.