

NAME

chdir – change working directory

SYNOPSIS

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#include <ShoreApp.h>
shrc Shore::chdir(const char *path);
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DESCRIPTION

Chdir changes the process' current working directory to the directory given by 'path.' Shore applications have two notions of "working directory:" the Shore working directory and the Unix working directory. This method changes the former, leaving the latter unchanged. The later can be changed with **chdir(2)**. The pathname of the (Shore) current working directory can be retrieved with **getcwd(oc)**.

Changing to a directory required inspecting the directory's access bits, which in turn, acquires a short-term share lock (SH-mode) on the directory.

VERSION

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SEE ALSO

chdir(2), **getcwd(oc)**.