



Lecture 1

Unix: Structure, history and properties.

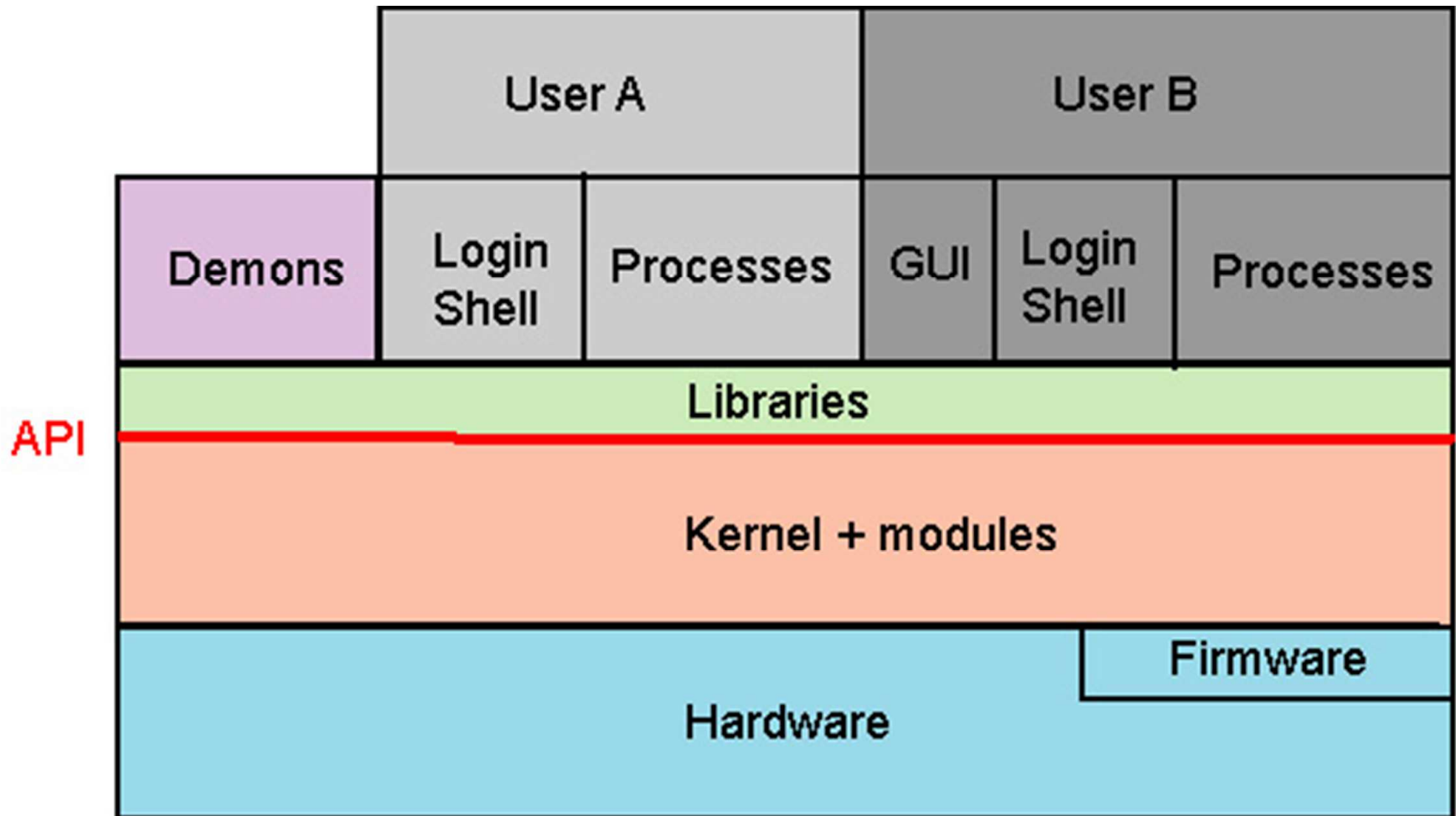
Shell and CLI.

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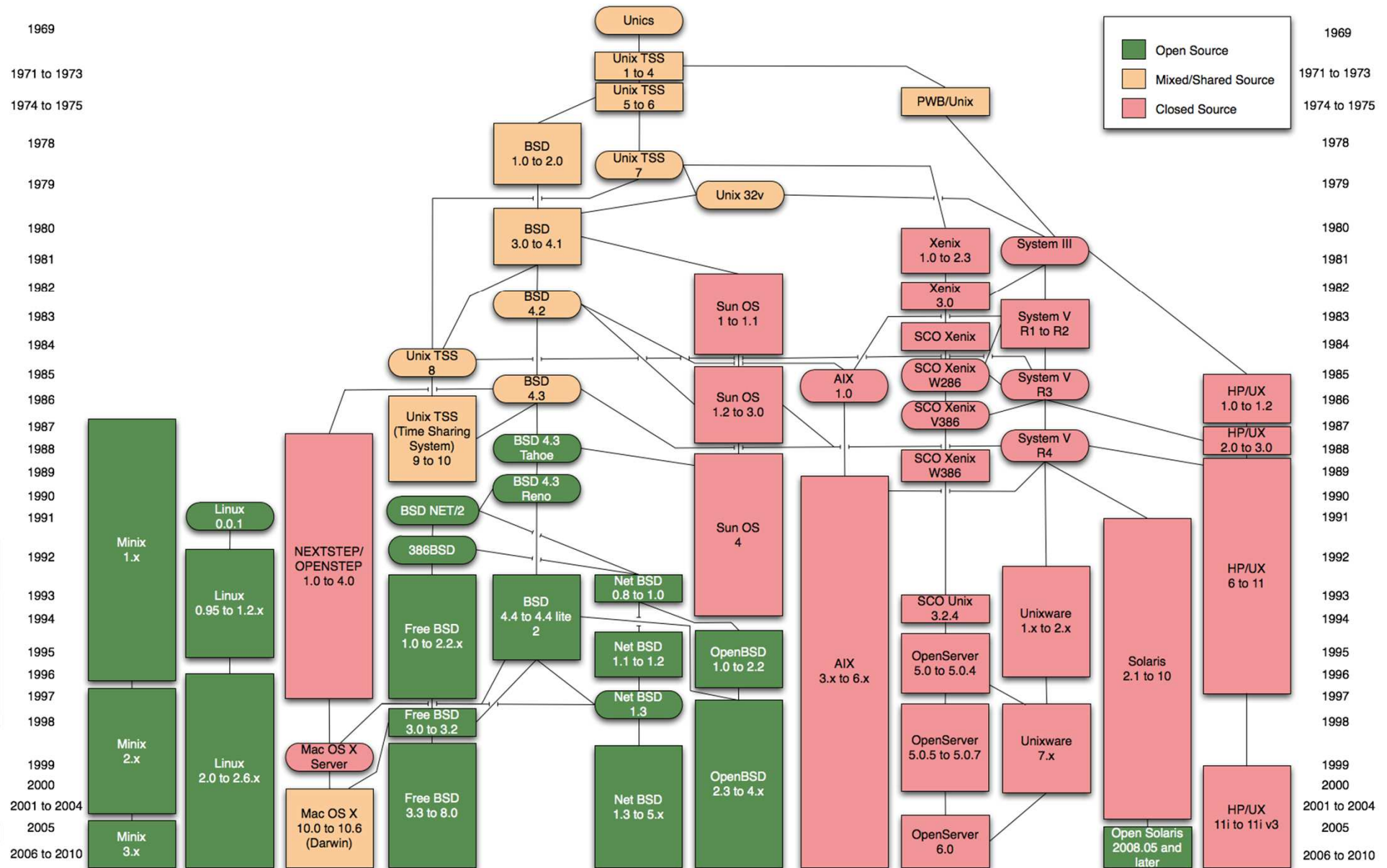


Unix - structure





UNIX - history



Source: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Unix>



UNIX - properties

- **Portable**
 - 90% of kernel is written in C
- **Multi-user**
- **Multitasking, time-sharing**
- **Multithreading**
- **Symmetric Multi Processing (SMP)**
- **CLI**
- **IO redirection**
- **Hierarchical FS**
- **TCP/IP networking, NFS,...**
- **GUI**
 - X-Windows
 - Window managers - CDE, GNOME, KDE,...



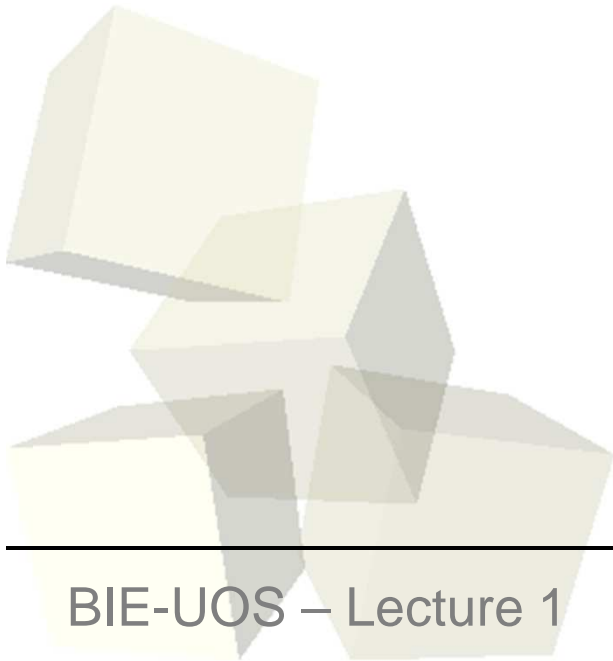
Shell – command interpreter

- **CLI**
 - Command line parsing
 - Command execution
- **Shell scripts**
 - Script = Unix commands + control structures (e.g. loops, if/else...)
- **Environment**
 - Shell variables can define application behavior



Bourne shells

Name	File	Properties
Bourne shell	/bin/sh	basic
Korn shell	/bin/ksh	command history, job control, aliases,...
Bourne again shell	/bin/bash	like ksh but more user friendly

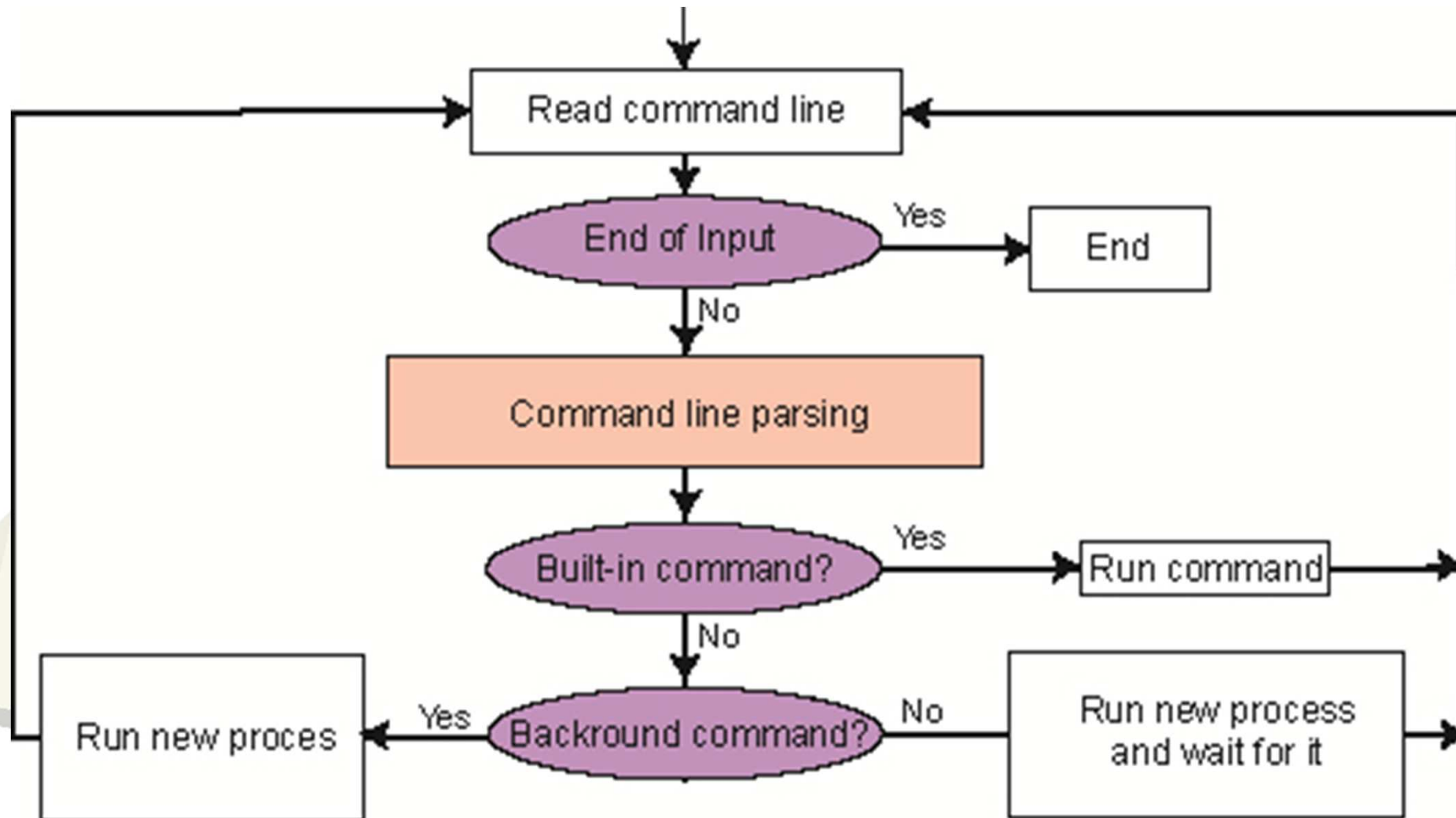




Name	File	Properties
C shell	/bin /csh	like ksh
Toronto C shell	/bin/tcsh	like csh, but more user friendly

- More information about shell we can find in Unix manual (e.g. [man bash](#)).
- In this modules we concentrate to Bourne shells.

Command line parsing



- **Variables**

`<prompt> <variable_name>=<value>`

`<prompt>`

prompt is printed by shell

value of prompt is defined by shell variable PS1

`<variable_name>`

variable name is identifier

shell set up the value to the variable

`<value>`

by default it is string

Command line syntax

Simple commands

`<prompt> <command_name> <options> <arguments>`

`<command_name>`

- define which program will be executed (which)
- it can be only name or path to the file (relative/absolute)

`<options>`

- can modify the behavior of command (how)

`<arguments>`

- specify the input data (what)

Command name, options and arguments are available

- in script by variables `$# , $0 , $1 , $2 , ...`
- in C program by variables `argc , argv[0] , argv[1] , ...`



Examples

ls

ls /etc

ls -la /etc

B=`ypcat passwd | cut -d: -f1`

echo \$B

echo "\$B"

export LC_TIME=cs_CZ ; /usr/bin/echo "Dnes je \c" ; date '+%A %d.%m.%Y'

ypcat passwd | grep "student" | grep -v "docasne konto" | \
sort -t':' -k3,3n | tail -1 | cut -d: -f 5 | cut -d' ' -f1,2

Is it clear??? Too simple???



Examples

Little bit more complicated?

```
echo PID FD EXEC FILENAME; PID=$(pgrep ''); pfiles $PID | awk 'BEGIN {  
  fd=-1; } /^[0-9]/ { if (fd>=0) { print pid, fd, exec; fd=-1; };  
  pid=substr($1,0,length($1)-1); exec=$2; } /^ *[0-9]*: / { if (fd>=0) { print  
  pid, fd, exec; fd=-1; }; if ($2=="S_IFREG") { fd=substr($1,0,length($1)-1); } }  
  /^ *\\// { fd=-1; }' | while read pid fd exec; do echo $pid $fd $exec $(echo  
  0t$pid ::pid2proc \\| ::fd $fd \\| ::print file_t f_vnode \\| ::vnode2path | mdb  
  -k 2>/dev/null); done
```

