OS 1 Project File System Implementation (OFS) – Based on EXT2

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OFS (Oh, File System?) is based on the EXT2 file system. All the file system components are stored in a random access file.

OFS Structure:

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Superblock	Block Bitmap	Inode Bitmap	Inode Table	Blocks

Features of EXT2 in OFS:

- Linked directory entry list
- Inode table
- Block and Inode Bitmap
- Superblock

Shell Features:

- Create a directory
- Create a file (only text, for now) and insert content
- Navigate to a certain directory (both from root and from the current directory)
- List current directory contents
- Ability to display contents of a text file in the current directory
- Delete a directory and its contents
- Delete a file
- Change file systems files on the run

Features of EXT2 yet to be added in OFS:

- Defragmentation
- Block Groups
- Symbolic links
- Journaling
- Security Features

Programming Language Used: Java

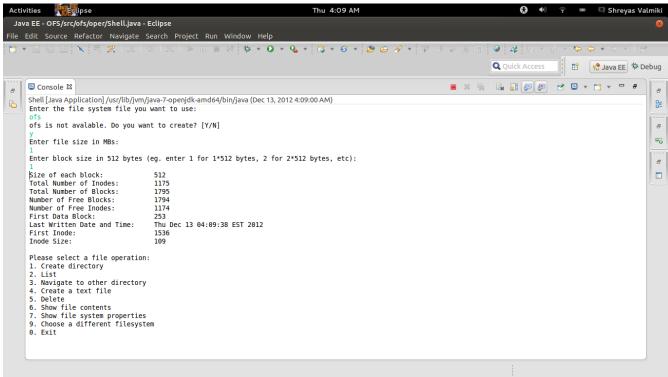
Environment Built in: Eclipse

OS Tested in: Linux

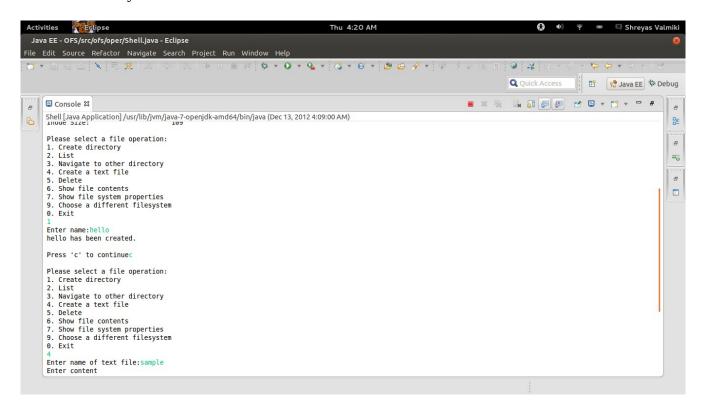
To Run: Run Shell.java (in ofs.oper package) as Java Application.

Results:

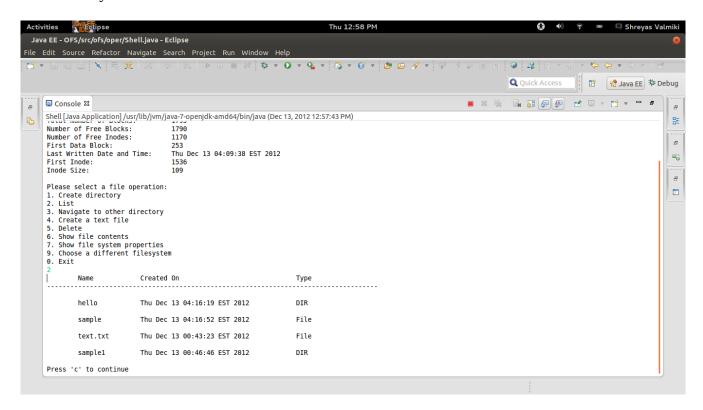
Creates a file system random access file if it is not already created. If it is, the file system file can be reused with already stored files and directories:



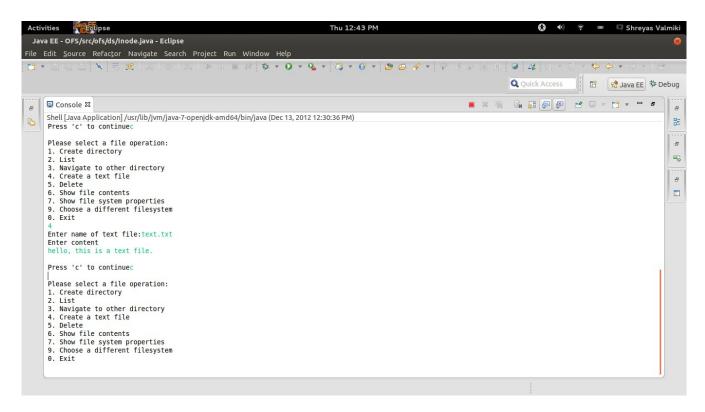
Create a directory:



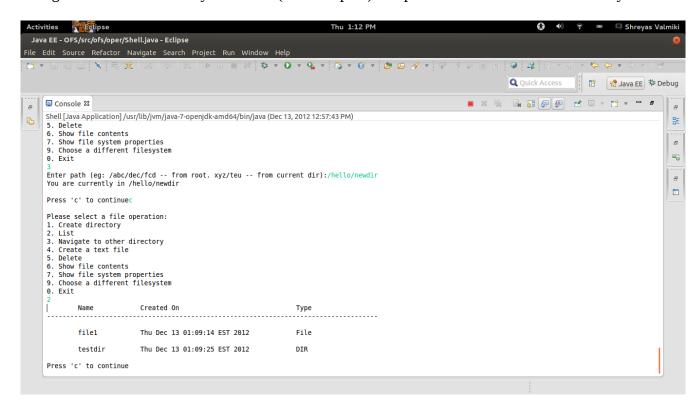
List directory contents:



Create a file with text content:

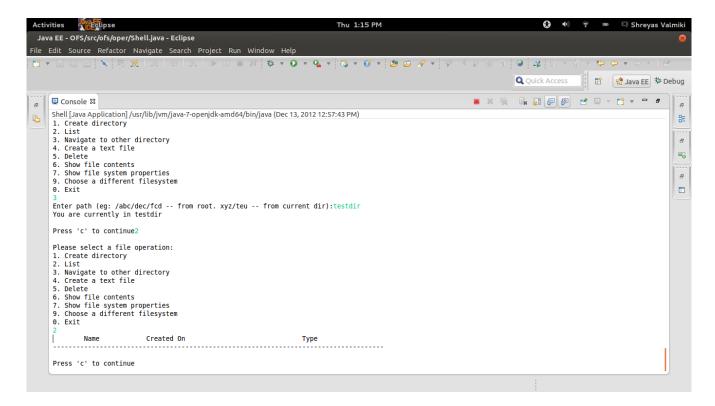


Navigate to another directory from root (absolute path) and print contents of the new directory:



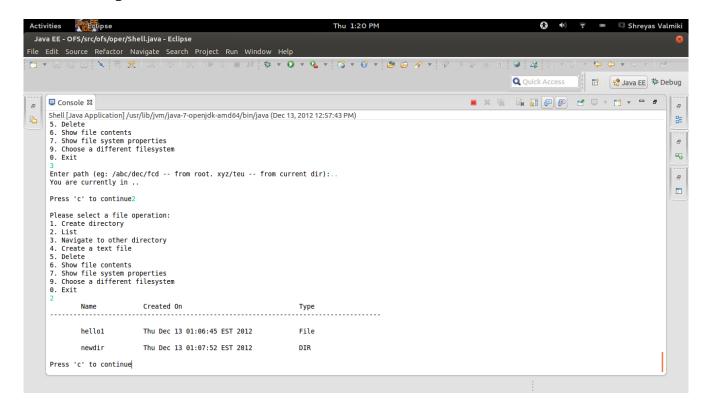
Navigate to another directory from current directory and print contents of the empty dir:

Note: ".." navigates to the parent directory

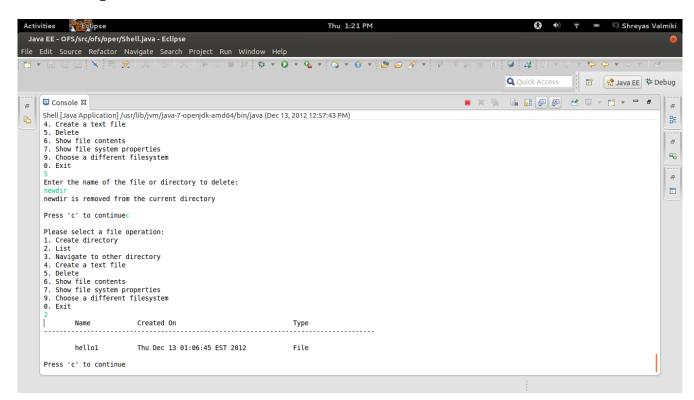


Delete a dir with all its contents:

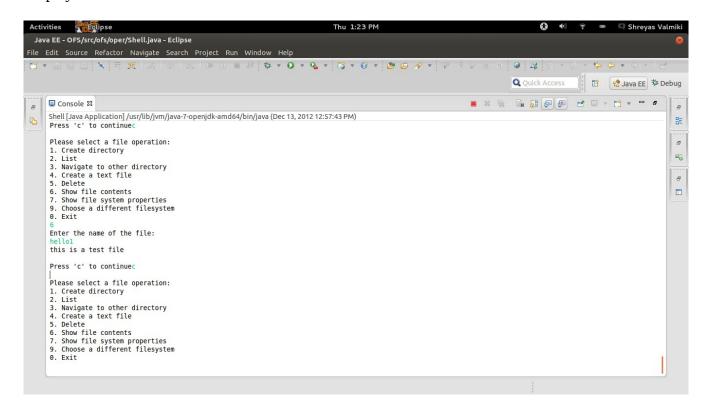
Before deleting newdir:



After deleting newdir:



Display file contents:



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