## Test Environment Toolkit

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# 1. Introduction

#### 1.1 Preface

There is one Installation Guide for each type of system on which TETware is supported. This document describes how to install both TETware-Lite and Distributed TETware on a UNIX system.

## 1.2 Audience

This document is intended to be read by software engineers and/or systems administrators who will install TETware on their computer systems. A knowledge of system administration is assumed when TETware installation and configuration instructions are presented. In addition, a knowledge of network administration is assumed when Distributed TETware is to be installed.

You may find it helpful to have a basic understanding of TETware architecture and its components before attempting to install TETware on your computer systems. This information is presented in the chapter entitled "TETware overview" in the TETware User Guide.

Test suite authors should refer to the TETware Programmers Guide for information about how to use the TETware Application Program Interfaces.

## 1.3 Conventions used in this guide

The following typographic conventions are used throughout this guide:

- Courier font is used for function and program names, literals and file names. Examples and computer-generated output are also presented in this font.
- The names of variables are presented in *italic font*. You should substitute the variable's value when typing a command that contains a word in this font.
- **Bold font** is used for headings and for emphasis.

Long lines in some examples and computer-generated output have been folded at a \ character for formatting purposes. If you type such an example, you should type it in all on one line and omit the \ character.

#### 1.4 Related documents

Refer to the following documents for additional information about TETware and its predecessors:

- Test Environment Toolkit: TETware Programmers Guide
- Test Environment Toolkit: TETware User Guide
- Distributed Test Environment Toolkit Version 2: Architectural, Functional and Interface Specification

In addition, the TETware Release Notes contain important information about how to install and use TETware. You should read the release notes thoroughly before attempting to install and use each new release of TETware.

## 1.5 Problem reporting

If you have subscribed to TETware support and you encounter a problem while building or installing TETware, you can send a support request by electronic mail to the address given in the TETware Release Notes. Please follow the instructions contained in the release notes about how to submit such a request; in particular, please be sure to include all the information asked for by these instructions when submitting the request.

## 2. The TETware distribution

## 2.1 Introduction

This chapter describes what is in the TETware distribution and how to load it. You must load TETware on all the machines that you want to use to run local, remote or distributed tests.

## 2.2 The TET root directory

You must choose a directory on each machine in which to load the TETware distribution.

**Note:** Some of the file names in TETware are the same as those in other TET distributions. You should **not** load TETware in a directory that is occupied by an existing TET, DTET or ETET distribution, otherwise some files will be overwritten.

Each directory where TETware is loaded is known as the **TET root directory** and will be described here as *tet-root*. When you specify the path name of your TET root directory, replace *tet-root* with your equivalent path name.

## 2.3 Loading the distribution

You should load the TETware distribution on to every machine on which you want to run local, remote or distributed tests.

After you load the TETware distribution you will have a number of new files and directories on your machine. Some directories are present in both the source and the binary distributions, while others are present only in the source distribution.

The following list describes the directories which make up the distribution. Directories which are not present in the binary distribution are marked with a †. Directories which are empty in the source distribution but are populated when you build TETware are marked with a ‡.

tet-root/bin	Directory containing executable tools for TETware.‡					
tet-root/contrib	Directory subtree containing the unsupported contributed software from the ETET distribution. <sup>1</sup>					
tet-root/demo	Test suite root directory for the example distributed test suite. <sup>2</sup>					
tet-root/doc/tet3	Directory containing TETware documentation files.					
<pre>tet-root/inc/tet3</pre>	Directory containing header files for use by TETware test suites.					
tet-root/lib/ksh	Directory containing library files for use when building Korn Shell test cases.‡					

Note that the software in this directory subtree has been designed by its contributors to operate on UNIX systems.
 It is possible that some changes may be required in order to cause this software to build and/or function correctly on a Windows NT system.

Note that this directory is empty in both the source and the binary distribution. Instructions for running the distributed demonstration are presented in the TETware User Guide.

tet-root/lib/perl	Directory containing library files for use when building Perl test cases.‡
<pre>tet-root/lib/tet3</pre>	Directory containing library files for use when building TETware tools and C language test cases.‡
tet-root/lib/xpg3sh	Directory containing library files for use when building Shell test cases.‡
tet-root/src/defines	Directory containing example machine-specific makefile definition files.†
tet-root/src/ksh	Source directory for the Korn Shell API.†
tet-root/src/perl	Source directory for the Perl API.†
tet-root/src/tet3/apilik	
	Directory containing source files for the C API functions.†
tet-root/src/tet3/apithm	·
	Directory containing source files for the Thread-safe C API.†
<pre>tet-root/src/tet3/demo/m</pre>	naster
	Directory containing source files for the master part of a simple demonstration distributed test suite.
tet-root/src/tet3/demo/s	slave
	Directory containing source files for the slave part of a simple demonstration distributed test suite.
tet-root/src/tet3/dtet2]	lib
	Directory containing source files for low-level TETware library functions.†
<pre>tet-root/src/tet3/inc</pre>	Directory containing header files for the TETware C sources.†
tet-root/src/tet3/inetli	Lb
	Directory containing source files for INET transport-specific library functions.†
<pre>tet-root/src/tet3/llib</pre>	Directory containing lint library source files.
tet-root/src/tet3/servli	lb
	Directory containing source files for the generic client/server code and server access library functions.†
<pre>tet-root/src/tet3/syncd</pre>	Directory containing source files for the TETware Synchronisation daemon tetsyncd.†
tet-root/src/tet3/tcc	Directory containing source files for the TETware Test Case Controller tcc.†

tet-root/src/tet3/tcclib

Directory containing source files for tcc action functions.†

tet-root/src/tet3/tcm Directory containing source files for the TETware Test Case

Manager components.†

tet-root/src/tet3/tcmthr

Directory containing source files for the Thread-safe Test Case

Manager.†

tet-root/src/tet3/xresd Directory containing source files for the TETware Execution

Results daemon tetxresd.†

tet-root/src/tet3/xtilib

Directory containing source files for XTI transport-specific library

functions.†

tet-root/src/xpg3sh Source directory for the Shell API.†

#### 2.4 What to do next

If you have loaded a TETware source distribution, you should build and configure TETware on your system by working through the instructions presented in the rest of this guide.

If you have loaded Distributed TETware from a binary distribution, you should configure TETware on your system. Details of how to do this are presented in the chapter entitled "Configuring your system to run TETware" later in this guide.

If you have loaded TETware-Lite from a binary distribution, no further configuration is required and it is now ready to use.

## 3. Building TETware

## 3.1 Introduction

This chapter describes how to build TETware from a source distribution. If you are installing TETware from a binary distribution you should skip to the next chapter.

You should build TETware on every machine on which you want to run local, remote or distributed tests.

## 3.2 System requirements

Prior to building TETware on each machine, you should check that the following requirements are met as TETware will not build without them.

When TETware is built on a UNIX system, it is necessary for the operating system be compliant with **all** of the following:

- POSIX.1<sup>3</sup> with either standard C or common C support.
- XPG3, Vol. 1<sup>4</sup> (for the Shell and other commands).

These are the minimal requirements for building TETware-Lite.

In order to make use of certain TETware APIs, additional software is required as follows:

- The Perl utility (Version 4.0 or later) is required in order to build and use the Perl API.
- A C++ compiler is required in order to build and use the C++ API.
- An implementation of the Korn Shell is required in order to use the Korn Shell (ksh) API.
- Support for either Unix International threads or POSIX threads is required in order to use the Thread-safe versions of the C and C++ APIs.

In addition, each machine should provide **one** of the following types of network communication facility when Distributed TETware is to be built:

- The set of network-related system calls and/or library routines, sometimes known as **Berkeley sockets**, 5 that allow access to TCP/IP network facilities.
- X/Open Transport Interface (XTI) library routines.<sup>6</sup>

<sup>3.</sup> IEEE Std 1003.1-1990, Portable Operating System Interface for Computer Environments.

<sup>4.</sup> X/Open Portability Guide Issue 3, Volume 1: XSI Commands and Utilities.

<sup>5.</sup> As implemented in BSD4.3 and SunOS.

Defined in X/Open CAE specification: X/Open Transport Interface (XTI) version 2.
 The transport provider must support automatic address generation as defined in the description of the t\_bind() subroutine.

## 3.3 Before you build TETware

#### 3.3.1 Introduction

The following subsections describe decisions that you must make before you build TETware.

## 3.3.2 Which version of TETware do you want to build?

You must first decide whether you want to build TETware-Lite or Distributed TETware. A description of the differences between these two options is presented in the chapter entitled "TETware overview" in the TETware User Guide.

If you decide to build TETware-Lite the next section is not applicable and you should skip to the section entitled "Preparing to build TETware".

## 3.3.3 Distributed TETware options

#### 3.3.3.1 Which network interface do you want to use?

As indicated previously, Distributed TETware uses network facilities to communicate between different systems and processes.

On UNIX systems, Distributed TETware can be compiled to use one of the following interfaces:

- BSD-style network calls (i.e., socket(), connect(), etc.).
- The X/Open Transport Interface (XTI).

You must decide which of these you want to use before you build TETware. The choice that you make will determine which library of TETware transport-specific routines are used when Distributed TETware is built.

In addition, the choice that you make will affect the ease with which Distributed TETware can be installed and used on any particular machine. There are advantages and disadvantages associated with the use of each network access method, as follows:

- Advantages of using BSD-style networking are:
  - BSD networking performs well and is comparatively easy to set up
  - BSD networking is used as the basis of network services on almost all networked UNIX systems
- whereas disadvantages are:
  - since the API has not traditionally been specified by by standards, some systems vary in their network implementation; thus you may find it necessary to change some of the transport-specific part of the TETware code before you can compile it on your machine.
- Advantages of using XTI networking are:
  - since the XTI API is defined by a standard, most of the TETware code should compile without change on a conforming system
- whereas disadvantages are:

- the system is difficult to set up, particularly when machine addresses must be specified
- the performance of TETware is poor when XTI is used, mainly due to the lack of a transport-independent event notification mechanism in XTI<sup>8</sup>
- since the XTI standard does not define a means to specify transport addresses in a machine-independent way, programs which must deal with addresses need to make use of network-related header files and functions not defined by the XTI standard; thus you may find it necessary to change some of the transport-specific part of the TETware code before you can compile it on your machine even when XTI is used.

On balance, it is probably best not to consider using XTI for practical testing unless BSD networking is not available on your system, or the implementation of the BSD network API on you system is such that substantial changes to the transport-specific TETware code would be required.

If you **do** decide to use XTI, you must specify which underlying transport provider(s) you want to use. Support is provided for you to use XTI with TCP/IP or the OSI connection-orientated transport.

#### 3.3.3.2 How do you want to start the TCC daemon?

TETware uses a client/server architecture and one of the servers — the TCC daemon (tccd) — is required to run on each machine on which tests are to be run.

On UNIX systems this daemon may be started in one of several ways as follows:

- At system boot time from an entry in the system initialisation file /etc/rc.
- At system boot time from an entry in the init configuration file /etc/inittab.
- On demand, from an entry in the inetd configuration file /etc/inetd.conf.

The way in which tccd expects to be started depends on certain compiler options that you specify when TETware is built. You must decide which version of tccd you want to build before proceeding with the TETware build stage. You can choose to build a different version of tccd on different machines if you want to.

The versions of tccd that you may choose to build are known as the **rc** version, the **inittab** version and the **inetd** version of tccd, respectively, corresponding to the different ways in which tccd may be started, as listed above.

<sup>8.</sup> If your system implements a SVID3-conforming poll() system call, you can compile TETware to use poll() to perform event notification — this helps to improve system performance when XTI is used.

<sup>9.</sup> This option is only available if you decide to use the socket network interface.

## 3.4 Preparing to build TETware

#### 3.4.1 Introduction

Once you have made the decisions described above, you can prepare to build TETware with the makefiles supplied. The following subsections describe what you must do on each machine in order to configure TETware in accordance with the decisions that you have made.

#### 3.4.2 The TETware configuration script

You must run the TETware configuration script in the file *tet-root*/src/tetconfig. This script asks you which network interface you want to use when building Distributed TETware, or whether you want to build TETware-Lite. You should reply with inet to build Distributed TETware to use the socket network interface, xti to build Distributed TETware to use the XTI network interface or lite to build TETware-Lite.

You should perform the following operations on each system:

1. To start, if you are not already there, change directory to tet-root/src thus:

cd tet-root/src

2. Type

sh tetconfig

3. You must then select which version of TETware that you want to build. You should respond with inet to build Distributed TETware using sockets, xti to build Distributed TETware using the X/Open Transport Interface, lite to build TETware-Lite, or q to quit without configuring TETware.

Each source directory contains makefile **include** files which contain transport-specific makefile fragments for TETware-Lite and each supported network interface. The TETware configuration script arranges for the appropriate **include** file to be picked up by each directory's makefile.

#### 3.4.3 The defines.mk file

There is a makefile definition file that you must supply on each system before TETware can be built; the name of this file is *tet-root/src/defines.mk*. This file contains system-specific definitions and is **include**d in the makefiles that are used to build TETware.

Several example makefile definition files suitable for use with various systems are included with the distribution and may be found in the directory *tet-root/src/defines*. If you are building TETware on one of the systems for which an example makefile definition file is supplied and are satisfied that the definitions provided are correct for your system, it should be sufficient simply to make a link from the example .mk file to *tet-root/src/defines.mk*.

If you are building TETware on a system for which an example makefile definition file is not supplied or wish to change any of the example definitions, you should copy one of the supplied .mk files in the defines directory to tet-root/src/defines.mk and edit it as required.

Please note that the definitions in each of the example files supplied with the distribution assume that you are building Distributed TETware to use the socket network interface.

A template is provided in the file *tet-root*/src/defines/template.mk for use in cases where it is necessary to create the defines.mk file from scratch. You can take a copy of this file and use it to construct your own makefile definition file if so required.

An example for installation on Solaris follows:

1. To start, if you are not already there, change directory to *tet-root*/src thus:

cd tet-root/src

2. Link the Solaris example makefile definition file to defines.mk, thus:

ln -s defines/sunos5.mk defines.mk

#### 3.4.4 make definitions related to the transport-independent source

The make variable TET\_CDEFS in the defines.mk file should be set to the compiler definitions that are to be used when compiling the transport-independent code. This code is written to POSIX.1 using the common C language, although prototypes are provided in the appropriate header files for use with ANSI C compilers. One extension to POSIX.1 is required by the transport-independent source; namely, the symbol NSIG which defines the highest signal number plus one for signals supported by the implementation. Many systems already define NSIG in <signal.h> as an extension to POSIX.1. In this case, NSIG can be made available by compiling with the appropriate feature test macro defined in addition to \_POSIX\_SOURCE.

The set of compiler definitions (but not other compiler options) that is to be be used when compiling the transport-independent source should be assigned to the variable TET CDEFS in defines.mk. On UNIX systems, TET\_CDEFS should always include a definition for POSIX SOURCE (either explicitly or as a result of defining some other feature test macro).

For example, on a system which conforms fully to POSIX.1 and for which the highest signal number is 31, TET CDEFS might be set as follows:

```
TET_CDEFS = -D_POSIX_SOURCE -DNSIG=32
```

The following additional variables must be set in defines.mk:

The name of the C++ compiler. The makefile in tet-root/src/tet3 C\_PLUS

determines from the setting of C PLUS whether or not to attempt to build and install the C++ API. If you do not want to build the C++ API,

you should set this variable to CPLUSPLUS\_NOT\_SUPPORTED.

The suffix used for C++ source files. C\_SUFFIX

Used instead of COPTS when compiling the thread-safe libraries. The THR\_COPTS

makefile in tet-root/src/tet3 determines from the setting of THR\_COPTS whether or not to attempt to build and install the Threadsafe APIs. If you do not want to build the Thread-safe APIs, you should

set this variable to THREADS NOT SUPPORTED.

## 3.4.5 make definitions related to the transport-specific source

#### 3.4.5.1 Introduction

The make variable DTET CDEFS in the defines.mk file should be set to the compiler definitions that are to be used when compiling the transport-specific portion of the C source in Distributed TETware. This code uses features that are not specified in POSIX.1, although they are available on most UNIX systems on which TCP/IP networking is implemented.

In addition, DTET CDEFS is used in both TETware-Lite and Distributed TETware when compiling the Thread-safe C and C++ APIs, and in a few library files which need access to the 13th January 1997 Page 11

full name space in order to recognise non-POSIX errno values and signals. Therefore, DTET\_CDEFS should not normally include a definition for \_POSIX\_SOURCE (either explicitly or as a result of defining some other feature test macro).

DTET\_CDEFS should also include a definition for NSIG (as described in the previous section) on systems which do not define this symbol in <signal.h> even when \_POSIX\_SOURCE is not defined.<sup>13</sup>

#### 3.4.5.2 General compiler definitions for the transport-specific source

The set of compiler definitions (but not other options) that should be used when compiling the transport-specific source should be assigned to the variable DTET\_CDEFS in defines.mk.

#### 3.4.5.3 Specifying which version of tccd to build

You may need to add a compiler definition to DTET\_CDEFS to cause the required version of tccd to be built, depending on which choice you made earlier as described in the section entitled "Before you build TETware" above:

- If you decided to build the **rc** version of tccd, you do not need to add an extra compiler definition to DTET CDEFS.
- If you decided to build the **inittab** version of tccd, you should append -DINITTAB to DTET CDEFS.
- If you have decided to build the **inetd** version of tccd, you should append -DINETD to DTET CDEFS. 14

#### 3.4.5.4 Name of the Test Case Controller daemon

The name by which the Test Case Controller daemon is to be known should be assigned to the TCCD variable in defines.mk. TCCD should be set to in.tccd on a system where the TCC daemon is to be started by inetd (in accordance with established conventions); otherwise, TCCD should be set to tccd.

#### **3.4.5.5** Examples

For example, on a system that makes network-related symbols visible in header files when the feature test macro \_ALL\_SOURCE is defined and you choose to build the **rc** version of tccd and to use the socket network interface, you might make the following definitions in the defines.mk file:

```
TCCD = tccd
DTET_CDEFS = -D_ALL_SOURCE
```

or, to build the **inetd** version of tccd on the same system, you might make the following definitions in the defines.mk file:

<sup>13.</sup> Alternatively on such systems, NSIG can be defined once in the CDEFS variable (described in a later subsection) instead of defining it in both the TET\_CDEFS and DTET\_CDEFS variables.

<sup>14.</sup> This option is only available if you have chosen to use the socket network interface.

```
TCCD = in.tccd
DTET_CDEFS = -D_ALL_SOURCE -DINETD
```

#### 3.4.6 Other make definitions

#### 3.4.6.1 Introduction

The following subsections describe other make variables that you may need to set in your defines.mk file.

#### **3.4.6.2** C compiler

The name of the C compiler is specified by the CC variable. For example, the following is appropriate on many systems:

```
CC = cc
```

Other examples could be:

```
CC = c89
or
CC = gcc
```

#### 3.4.6.3 Common compiler definitions and header file directories

Compiler definitions and header file directories that are to be specified when compiling all TETware source should be assigned to the CDEFS variable in defines.mk. These will always include at least the following:

```
CDEFS = -i\$(INC) -i\$(DINC)
```

and may include other -I and -D options as well.

#### 3.4.6.4 Other compiler options

Other compiler options should be assigned to the COPTS variable. For example, the following assignment might be used to invoke the optimiser on many systems:

```
COPTS = -O
```

#### 3.4.6.5 Loader options

Loader options should be assigned to the LDFLAGS variable. For example, you might make the following assignment to pass the -z option to the loader:

```
LDFLAGS = -z
```

#### 3.4.6.6 System libraries

System library names and -1 options to be added to the end of the compiler link-edit command line should be assigned to the SYSLIBS variable. For example, if network access routines are not in the standard C library, you might make the following assignment:

```
SYSLIBS = -lsocket -lnsl
```

#### 3.4.6.7 Archive library maintainer

The name of the archive library maintainer is specified by the AR variable. For example, the following assignment is appropriate on most systems:

```
AR = ar
```

#### 3.4.6.8 lorder and tsort

If your system has working lorder and tsort utilities, set the LORDER and TSORT variables thus:

```
LORDER = lorder
TSORT = tsort
```

otherwise, make the following assignments:

```
LORDER = echo
TSORT = cat
```

#### 3.4.6.9 mcs

On some systems, the format of an a.out file includes a .comment section that can be compressed by mcs -c. If your system has the mcs utility, set the McS variable thus:

```
MCS = mcs
```

otherwise, make the following assignment:

```
MCS = :
```

#### 3.4.6.10 ranlib

If your system requires that ranlib must be used to process an archive library after it has been updated by the archive library maintainer, set the RANLIB variable thus:

```
RANLIB = ranlib
```

otherwise, make the following assignment:

```
RANLIB = :
```

#### 3.4.7 make definitions related to the Shell API

Certain make variables must be set in the defines.mk file for use with the Shell API. These variables are used to customise Shell API source files when those files are installed.

SH\_STD\_SIGNALS defines a space-separated list of standard signal numbers which must be specified to the Shell Test Case Manager. You should assign signal numbers to this variable that the Shell uses to identify the following signals on your system: SIGHUP, SIGINT, SIGQUIT, SIGILL, SIGABRT, SIGFPE, SIGPIPE, SIGALRM, SIGTERM, SIGUSR1, SIGUSR2, SIGTSTP, SIGCONT, SIGTTIN and SIGTTOU.

SH\_SPEC\_SIGNALS defines a space-separated list of signal numbers which must be left alone by the Shell Test Case Manager. You should assign signal numbers to this variable that the Shell uses to identify the following signals on your system: SIGKILL, SIGCHLD and SIGSTOP. In addition, many shells cannot trap other signals (e.g., SIGSEGV), so you may need to add these signals to SH\_SPEC\_SIGNALS as well.

For example:

```
# SIGHUP, SIGINT, SIGQUIT, SIGILL, SIGABRT, SIGFPE, SIGPIPE, SIGALRM,
# SIGTERM, SIGUSR1, SIGUSR2, SIGTSTP, SIGCONT, SIGTTIN, SIGTTOU
SH_STD_SIGNALS = 1 2 3 4 6 8 13 14 15 16 17 25 26 27 28
# SIGKILL, SIGCHLD, SIGSTOP, SIGSEGV
SH_SPEC_SIGNALS = 9 18 24 11
```

SH\_NSIG should be set to the highest signal number supported by the shell, plus one. It normally has the same value as the -DNSIG included in TET CDEFS.

#### 3.4.8 make definitions related to the Korn Shell API

The variables KSH\_STD\_SIGNALS, KSH\_SPEC\_SIGNALS and KSH\_NSIG are the Korn Shell equivalents of the Shell API variables described in the previous subsection. By default they take their values from the corresponding Shell API variables, but they can be set to different values if necessary.

## 3.5 Compiling the source

When all the make definitions are correct, you may build TETware.

**Note:** Ensure that you have run the *tet-root*/src/tetconfig command before you start on this section.

You should perform the following operations on each system:

1. To start, if you are not already there, change directory to *tet-root*/src thus:

```
cd tet-root/src
```

2. Type

```
make install
```

to build the tools and APIs and install them in their destination directories under tet-root.

3. If you have existing TET, ETET or dTET2 test cases that you want to run using TETware, these can be supported if you create compatibility files in the locations used by earlier TET versions (namely, the posix\_c and dtet2 directories under each of *tet-root*/inc and *tet-root*/lib). To create the compatibility files, type

```
make compat
```

If you want to use these compatibility files you must perform this operation each time that you (re)build TETware.

Note that some of the contributed test suites under *tet-root*/contrib can only be built if the compatibility files have been created.

## 3.6 Re-building TETware to use different options

If, having once built TETware, you decide that you want to re-build TETware to use a different network transport mechanism or to switch between TETware-Lite and Distributed TETware, you should perform the following operations:

- 1. If your system does not allow a file that is being executed to be written or unlinked, ensure that there is no tccd currently running.
- 2. Change directory to tet-root/src, thus:

cd tet-root/src

3. Type

make clobber

to remove the API library files and all the TETware object files and executables. 15

4. Refer back to the section entitled "Before you build TETware" earlier in this chapter, and follow all the instructions from that point up to and including the section entitled "Building TETware" above.

If you decide that you do not want to change the network transport mechanism but simply want to build a different version of tccd, you should perform the following operations on each system:

- 1. If your system does not allow a file that is being executed to be written or unlinked, ensure that there is no tccd currently running. If the current version is started automatically, be sure to disable the means by which it is started.
- 2. Refer to the sections entitled "How do you want to start the TCC daemon?" and "make definitions related to the TETware-specific source" earlier in this chapter. Edit defines.mk to select the new version of tccd that you wish to build.
- 3. Change directory to *tet-root*/src/tet3/tccd, thus:

cd tet-root/src/tet3/tccd

4. Type

make clobber install

to remove the old tccd executable and object files, and build and install the new version.

5. Refer to the section entitled "Starting tccd" elsewhere in this guide and follow the instructions on how to arrange for the new version of tccd to be started automatically.

<sup>15.</sup> Be sure to perform this action **before** you use the tetconfig script to configure TETware for your new option.

# 4. Configuring your system to run Distributed TETware

#### 4.1 Introduction

If you have installed Distributed TETware, you must now configure each system to run TETware. If you have installed TETware-Lite, no configuration is necessary and so you do not need to perform the operations described in this chapter.

You may need to have administrative privilege in order to perform some of the operations described in this chapter.

## 4.2 Required system database entries

#### 4.2.1 Introduction

The following subsections describe entries that you must make in system databases on each system.

## 4.2.2 Password database entry

When the Test Case Controller daemon tccd starts up on a UNIX system, it attempts to change its user and group IDs to those specified for the user tet in the system password database. In addition, tccd changes directory to the home directory specified for the user tet.

You should create a home directory for the user tet and add a suitable entry to the password database on each system. The user and group IDs allocated to the user tet need not imply any special privilege (i.e., they should have value 100 or greater).

## 4.2.3 Services database entry

If you built TETware to use the socket network interface, you must add an entry to the **services** database<sup>16</sup> on each system where Distributed TETware is installed.

When tccd is built to use the socket network interface, it listens for requests on the well-known Internet TCP port number specified for the **tcc** service in the **services** database. This port number must be the same on all systems that are to participate in a set of remote or distributed tests. The **tcc** port number should be that of a non-privileged port (i.e., 1024 or greater).

For example, to define the well-known port as TCP port 1234, you might add the following line to the **services** database on each TETware system:

tcc 1234/tcp

<sup>16.</sup> When this database is contained in a file, it usually resides in the file /etc/services. If the **services** database on your system is obtained from a NIS server, you should ask your system administrator how best to add the entry described here to the database.

## 4.3 The systems equivalence file

If you built TETware to use the socket network interface, you must create a file called systems.equiv which specifies the names of systems from which tccd may accept connection requests. This file resides in the home directory of the user tet (or in the home directory of the user that you will specify if you decide to run tccd with the -u command-line option).

You should create an entry in this file for each system that is to be permitted to send requests to tccd on this system. tccd will only process requests from another system if an entry for that system appears in the systems.equiv file.

An example systems.equiv file is included in the TETware distribution. You may copy this file to the tccd user's home directory and edit it as required.

Information about the format of the systems.equiv file is presented in a manual page at the back of the TETware User Guide.

## 4.4 Starting tccd

#### 4.4.1 Introduction

You should make arrangements for tccd to be started on each machine where Distributed TETware is installed.

**Note:** You must start tccd on the local system as well as on remote systems.

Although it is possible for some of the versions of tccd to be started interactively by users, it is recommended that you arrange for tccd to be started automatically on each TETware system. This is so as to ensure that all instances of tccd execute in a known environment and with a known set of privileges. If this is not done, you will be unable to guarantee that test cases execute in a repeatable way.

The way that you arrange for tccd to be started depends on which version you chose to build as described in the section entitled "Before you build TETware" above. The following sections describe how to arrange to start the different versions of tccd. For each machine on which you want tccd to be started, you should perform the instructions in only **one** of the sections depending on which version of tccd you built on that machine.

Further information about tccd is presented in a manual page at the back of the TETware User Guide.

You should **not** arrange to start tccd on a machine connected to an external network without first considering the security implications of doing so. This issue is discussed further in the section entitled "Network Considerations for Distributed TETware" in the TETware User Guide.

## 4.4.2 Starting the RC version of tccd

If you built the **rc** version of tccd, you should add the following lines at a suitable place in one of the /etc/rc files:

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Once this is done, tood will be started each time the system enters multi-user mode. It will be necessary for you to reboot the system in order to start tccd. When you reboot the system, look for the message

```
tccd started
```

on the system console when the system comes up multi-user, and check that tccd has printed a time-stamped START message to the file /tmp/tccdloq. Then, use ps to ensure that an instance of tood is indeed running. If tood failed to start correctly, you should check the file /tmp/tccdlog for diagnostic messages indicating the reason why tccd was unable to start execution.

## 4.4.3 Starting the INITTAB version of tccd

If you built the inittab version of tccd, you should add the following line to the file /etc/inittab:17

```
tet1:3:respawn:tet-root/bin/tccd
```

Then, type

init a

to make init take account of the new /etc/inittab entry and start tccd. When you have done this, check that tccd has printed a time-stamped START message to the file /tmp/tccdlog. Then, use ps to check that an instance of tccd is indeed running. If tccd failed to start correctly, you should check the file /tmp/tccdlog for diagnostic messages indicating the reason why tccd was unable to start execution.

## 4.4.4 Starting in.tccd (the INETD version of tccd)

If you built in.tccd, you should add the following line to the file /etc/inetd.conf: 18

```
tcc stream tcp nowait tet tet-root/bin/in.tccd in.tccd
```

Then, use ps to determine the process ID of inetd and type

```
kill -1 inetd-pid
```

where *inetd-pid* is the process ID of inetd. This will cause inetd to take account of the new entry in /etc/inetd.conf and start an instance of in.tccd each time a TETware process connects to the well-known **tcc** port.

Since in.tccd is run on demand by inetd, no START message is printed to the file /tmp/tccdlog and it is not possible to use ps to check whether or not in.tccd is running until another process connects to the well-known tcc port. If you have difficulties in getting in.tccd to start when you attempt to run a remote or distributed test case, it might be helpful to try and run one of the other versions of tccd first in order to isolate the cause of the problem.

<sup>17.</sup> Note that this example assumes that your system starts multi-user operation with network services enabled when init enters run level 3. If your system uses a different run level (or levels) for this purpose, you must replace the 3 in this example with the correct value(s).

<sup>18.</sup> Note that older versions of inetd require that this line should appear before lines describing inetd internal services.

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