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Table 15-4 lists the valid values for cmd, their meanings and the type of arg:

Table 15-4 Valid priocntl.h cmd Values

cmd	arg Type	Function get class ID and attributes	
PC_GETCID	pcinfo_t		
PC_GETCLINFO	pcinfo_t	get class name and attributes	
PC_SETPARMS	pcparms_t	set class and scheduling parameters	
PC_GETPARMS	pcparms_t	get class and scheduling parameters	

On success, priocntl(2) returns the following values:

- PC_GETCID returns the number of configured classes.
- PC_GETCLINFO returns the number of configured classes.
- PC SETPARMS returns 0.
- PC_GETPARMS returns the PID of the process whose scheduler properties it is returning.

On failure, priocnt1(2) returns -1 and sets errno to indicate the reason for the failure. See the man page for priocnt1(2) for the complete list of error conditions.

The PC_GETCID and PC_GETCLINFO Commands

The PC_GETCID and PC_GETCLINFO commands retrieve scheduler parameters for a particular class based on the class ID or class name. Both commands use the following pcinfo structure to send arguments and receive return values:

```
typedef struct pcinfo {
   id_t pc_cid;
                              /* class id */
   char pc_clname[PC_CLNMSZ];
                                 /* class name */
   long pc_clinfo[PC_CLINFOSZ]; /* class information */
} pcinfo_t;
```

The PC_GETCID command, given the class name, retrieves scheduler class ID and associated parameters. Some of the other priocnt1(2) commands use the class ID to specify a scheduler class. The valid class names are TS for time-sharing and RT for realtime.

For the RT class, pc_clinfo contains an rtinfo structure which holds rt_maxpri, the maximum valid realtime priority; this value is configurable. In the default configuration, this is the highest priority any process can have. The minimum valid realtime priority is zero.

```
typedef struct rtinfo {
   short rt_maxpri;
                          /* maximum realtime priority */
} rtinfo_t;
```

For the TS class maximum time sharing end-use

```
typedef stru
   short ts
 tsinfo_t;
```

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Code Example 15-1

```
* Get sched
#include <sy
#include <sy
#include <sy
#include <sv
#include <st
#include <st
#include <st
#include <er
main ()
   pcinfo t
    tsinfo_t
    rtinfo_t
    short
    /* times
        (void
        if (;
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        }
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    /* realt.
        (void
```



For the TS class, pc_clinfo contains a tsinfo structure which holds ts_maxupri, the maximum time-sharing end-user priority; this value is also configurable. The minimum time-sharing end-user priority is negative ts_maxupri.

```
typedef struct tsinfo {
    short ts_maxupri; /* limits of user priority range */
} tsinfo_t;
```

The following program, getcid.c, gets and prints the range of valid priorities for the TS and RT scheduler classes.

Code Example 15-1 getcid.c Program

```
* Get scheduler class IDs and priority ranges.
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/priocntl.h>
#include <sys/rtpriocntl.h>
#include <sys/tspriocntl.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <errno.h>
main ()
   pcinfo_t
               pcinfo;
    tsinfo_t
               *tsinfop;
    rtinfo_t* rtinfop;
               maxtsupri, maxrtpri;
    short
    /* timesharing */
        (void) strcpy (pcinfo.pc_clname, "TS");
       if (priocntl (OL, OL, PC_GETCID, &pcinfo) == -1L) {
           perror ("PC_GETCID failed for timesharing class");
           exit (1);
       tsinfop = (struct tsinfo *) pcinfo.pc_clinfo;
       maxtsupri = tsinfop->ts_maxupri;
        (void) printf("Timesharing: ID %ld, priority range -%d through %d\n",
           pcinfo.pc_cid, maxtsupri, maxtsupri);
    /* realtime */
        (void) strcpy(pcinfo.pc_clname, "RT");
```

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ri, the ation, this is zero.

Code Example 15-3 Program to Get Class Name Given Process ID (Continued)

```
exit (3);
}
(void) printf("process ID %d, class %s\n", pid,
pcinfo.pc_clname);
```

The PC_GETPARMS and PC_SETPARMS Commands

The PC_GETPARMS command retrieves and the PC_SETPARMS command sets scheduler parameters for processes. Both commands use the following paparms structure to send arguments or receive return values:

```
typedef struct pcparms {
   id_t
            pc_cid;
                                      /* process class */
   long
           pc_clparms[PC_CLPARMSZ]; /* class-specific */
} pcparms_t;
```

The following function, used in an earlier program example, uses PC_GETPARMS to obtain the scheduler class ID of a process:

```
* Return scheduler class ID of process with ID pid.
getclassID (pid)
   id_t
               pid;
{
   pcparms_t pcparms;
   pcparms.pc_cid = PC_CLNULL;
   if (priocntl(P_PID, pid, PC_GETPARMS, &pcparms) == -1){
       return (-1);
   return (pcparms.pc_cid);
```

For the RT class, pc_clparms contains an rtparms structure. The rtparms structure holds scheduler parameters specific to the RT class.

```
typedef struct rtparms {
                              /* realtime priority */
   short
               rt_pri;
                          /* seconds in time quantum */
   ulong
           rt_tqsecs;
   long
           rt_tqmsecs;
                          /* additional nsecs in quantum */
} rtparms_t;
```

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typedef str
    short
    short.
} tsparms_t
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In this structure, rt_pri is the realtime priority, rt_tqsecs is the number of seconds, and rt_tqnsecs is the number of additional nanoseconds in a time slice rounded up to the next multiple of the system clock's resolution. The sum of rt_tqsecs seconds and rt_tqnsecs nanoseconds is the interval a process can use the CPU without sleeping before the scheduler gives another process a chance at the CPU.

For the TS class, pc_clparms contains a tsparms structure which holds the scheduler parameter specific to the timesharing class.

In this structure, ts_upri is the user priority, the user-controlled component of a time-sharing priority, and ts_uprilim is the user priority limit, the maximum user priority a process can set for itself without being super-user.

The PC_GETPARMS command retrieves the scheduler class and parameters of a single process. The return value of priocnt1(2) is the process ID of the process whose parameters are returned in the pcparms structure. The process chosen depends on the idtype and id arguments to priocnt1(2) and on the value of pcparms.pc_cid, which contains PC_CLNULL or a class ID returned by PC_GETCID.

Table 15-5 Return Values for PC_GETPARMS

Number of Processes Selected by idtype and id	pc_cid			
	RT class ID	TS class ID	PC_CLNULL	
1	RT parameters of process selected	TS parameters of process selected	class and parameters of process selected	
More than 1	RT parameters of highest priority RT process	TS parameters of process with highest user priority	(error)	

If idtype and id select a single process and pc_cid does not conflict with the class of that process, priocnt1(2) returns the scheduler parameters of the process. If they select more than one process in a single scheduler class, priocnt1(2) returns parameters using class-specific criteria as shown in Table 15-5. priocnt1(2) returns an error in the following cases:

- idtype and id select one or more processes and none is in the class specified by pc_cid.
- idtype and id select more than one process and pc_cid is PC_CLNULL.
- idtype and id select no processes.

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RT_TQINF specifies an infinite time slice. RT_TQDEF specifies the default time slice configured for the realtime priority being set with the PC_SETPARMS call. RT_NOCHANGE specifies no change from the current time slice; this value is useful, for example, when you change process priority but do not want to change the time slice. You can also use RT_NOCHANGE in the rt_pri field to change a time slice without changing the priority.

The priocntlset (2) Function

The priocntlset(2) function changes scheduler parameters of a set of processes, just like priocntl(2). The priocntlset(2) function also has the same command set as priocntl(2); the cmd and arg input arguments are the same. But, while priocntl(2) applies to a set of processes specified by a single idtype/id pair, priocntlset(2) applies to a set of processes that results from a logical combination of two idtype/id pairs. The following is the format of the procntlset(2) function:

```
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/procset.h>
#include <sys/priocntl.h>
#include <sys/rtpriocntl.h>
#include <sys/tspriocntl.h>

long priocntlset(procset_t *psp, int cmd, /* arg */);
```

The input argument psp points to a procset structure that specifies the two idtype/id pairs and the logical operation to perform. This structure is defined in procset.h.

```
typedef struct procset {
      idop_t p_op;
                       /* operator connecting */
                        /* left and right sets */
       /* left set: */
      idtype_t p_lidtype;
                             /* left ID type */
                             /* left ID */
      id_t
                p_lid;
       /* right set: */
      idtype_t p_ridtype;
                             /* right ID type */
                p_rid;
                               /* right ID */
      id_t
} procset_t;
```

The p_lidtype and p_lid parameters specify the ID type and ID of one ("left") set of processes; p_ridtype and p_rid specify the ID type and ID of a second ("right") set of processes. p_op specifies the operation to perform on the two sets of processes to get the set of processes priocntlset(2) will act upon.

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