

Portable Operating System Interface (POSIX)

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Portable Operating System Interface (POSIX) is defined by [POSIX.1-2017](#) as a standard [operating system interface](#) and environment, including a command interpreter (or “shell”), and common utility programs to support [applications portability](#) at the [source code](#) level. It is intended to be used by both application developers and system implementors.

Source: [IEEE 1003.1-2017 - IEEE Standard for Information Technology--Portable Operating System Interface \(POSIX\(R\)\) Base Specifications](#)

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