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# **Chapter 1**

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#### 1.5 Introduction

```
halt.library allows to broadcast shutdown messages with
```

```
ShutdownStatus()
. The sm_Status field of a
ShutdownMessage
    contains one of the follwing values (defined in halt.h
):
```

SHUTDOWN\_WARN

SHUTDOWN\_INFO

SHUTDOWN\_ABORT

SHUTDOWN\_NOW

SHUTDOWN\_UMOUNT

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```
SHUTDOWN HALT
```

Included with the library are the shutdown and sdwarn utilities  $\hookleftarrow$ 

Shutdown is a program like the UNIX shutdown command which sends regular shutdown messages through the halt.library and shuts down the machine after the given period (10 seconds by default). A running shutdown can be cancelled with the "-c" option or by sending a CTRL-C to the running shutdown.

The sdwarn program is an example client for the halt.library which can be used to broadcast messages to other CLIs.

One possible application is to "run sdwarn -c \$process" from the remote-login script of the AmiTCP telnet demon. When started with the "-c" option sdwarn monitors the CLI specified by the "-c" option and exits when the CLI has disappeared.

WARNING: This does not work when telnetd is exited with "q" from the "telnet>" prompt!

#### 1.6 Function Reference

```
halt.library/Reboot()
halt.library/Unmount()
halt.library/AddShutdownPort()
halt.library/RemShutdownPort()
halt.library/ShutdownStatus()
halt.library/halt.h
```

#### 1.7 Related Software

```
This list of programs which use halt.library will be continously updated by amiga-dev@shw.com.

It will also be available from http://www.shw.com.

If you want your software to appear on the list send your registration to SHW Wabnitz (see Registration ).

ShutUp 1.3.5 UPS Software
```

#### 1.8 Registration

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```
Registering halt.library is free of charge. Since the file ups. ←
h
(defining struct UpsInfo) is subject to change registered developers
receive updates to this file (and other parts of halt.library).
Registered developers can also appear on the
Related Software
page.
Even if you're not interested in either we'd like to receive
a mail with a short description of your software (or an URL). Thanks.
Please fill in the
Registration From
and send it to
SHW Wabnitz
```

## 1.9 Registration Form

author:	email:	$\leftarrow$					
company:							
address:							
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### 1.11 ShutUp 1.3.5 UPS Software

```
ShutUp 1.3.5 is a UPS monitor program for uninterruptible power supplies which use the serial interface to send up to four different signals (CD, CTS, DSR & RI) but support no serial protocol. Since the serial device does not support direct control of the DTR & RTS lines ShutUp only supports the standard serial hardware.

ShutUp uses halt.library to broadcast SHUTDOWN_INFO messages and calls an ARexx script.

Company:
```

## 1.12 halt.library/SHUTDOWN\_WARN

When this message is broadcasted the system is going down after a specified number of seconds. The sm\_TimeLeft field of the shutdown message contains the number of seconds left until the filesystems are unmounted.

## 1.13 halt.library/SHUTDOWN\_INFO

```
This message type is reserved for special information.

The sm_Info field is currently either SDM_UPS_MONITOR or

SDM_TIME_CHANGE. The SDM_UPS_MONITOR message is send

by

UPS monitors
, which set

the sm_Extra field to struct UpsInfo * (defined in ups.h
).
```

## 1.14 halt.library/SHUTDOWN\_ABORT

```
This message is send when the shutdown command receives a CTRL-C or a shutdown -c is started. Clients should not exit before they receive SHUTDOWN_UMOUNT , after which the shutdown is irreversible.
```

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### 1.15 halt.library/SHUTDOWN\_NOW

This is the last warning before the filesystems are unmounted. Since a client can delay the shutdown by delaying the reply of a shutdown message it is possible to finish all disk activity when

SHUTDOWN\_UMOUNT is received.

A better idea is to complete disk operations after replying to this message.

### 1.16 halt.library/SHUTDOWN\_UMOUNT

A program might be able to perform disk operations after  $\ \hookleftarrow \$  replying

to this message due to a delay caused by other programs but this should not be attempted. Programs should either remove their shutdown port with

RemShutdownPort()

before replying to this message

or avoid all attempts to access files after replying to this message; otherwise the

SHUTDOWN\_HALT

 $$\operatorname{\mathtt{message}}$  might be delayed until the user cancels a "Please insert volume xy" requester.

### 1.17 halt.library/SHUTDOWN HALT

This message isn't of much use to most programs but UPS monitor programs might be able to turn off the lights at this point.

## 1.18 halt.library/Reboot()

```
NAME
Reboot

SYNOPSIS
Reboot(flags)

D1

void Reboot(int)

INPUTS
flags - 0 means reboot
1 means halt
```

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```
NOTE
```

This function is usually called by the process controlling the shutdown (the shutdown command).

## 1.19 halt.library/Unmount()

```
NAME
Unmount

SYNOPSIS
success = Unmount(filesystem)
D0 D1

int Unmount(char *)

INPUTS
filesystem - the name of a specific filesystem to unmount or NULL to unmount all filesystems.

NOTE
This function is usually called by the process controlling the shutdown (the shutdown command).
Filesystems are identified by ACTION_IS_FILESYSTEM and are unmounted by ACTION_INHIBIT.
```

## 1.20 halt.library/AddShutdownPort()

```
NAME
AddShutdownPort
SYNOPSIS
success = AddShutdownPort(port)
int AddShutdownPort(struct MsgPort *)
INPUTS
port - A message port which will receive shutdown messages.
Other processes might receive the same message after it has
been replied by the current process; delaying a reply will
delay the shutdown process.
The pr_WindowPtr field of a process calling AddShutdownPort()
      must be set to \mbox{-1} because a process waiting for a requester
      could delay the shutdown undetermindly.
BUGS
The mp_SigTask field of the message port must point to a
process because the library verifies the pr_WindowPtr field.
```

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SEE ALSO

halt.h

## 1.21 halt.library/RemShutdownPort()

## 1.22 halt.library/ShutdownStatus()

## 1.23 halt.library/halt.h

```
#ifndef HALT_H #define HALT_H
```

halt.h

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```
/* definitions for the sm Status field:
                SHUTDOWN_WARN
                   system might go down
                SHUTDOWN_INFO
                   check sm_Info field
                SHUTDOWN ABORT
                  shutdown cancelled
                SHUTDOWN NOW
                    system is going down in a few seconds
                SHUTDOWN_UMOUNT
                 accessing files is pointless from now on
                SHUTDOWN_HALT
                   the system is down
#define SHUTDOWN WARN
                       0x01
#define SHUTDOWN_INFO
                        0 \times 0.2
#define SHUTDOWN_ABORT 0x04
#define SHUTDOWN NOW
#define SHUTDOWN_UMOUNT 0x10
#define SHUTDOWN_HALT
/* definitions for the sm_Info field:
   SDMI_UPS_MONITOR: UPS monitor report (sm_Extra points to struct UpsInfo)
   SDMI_TIME_CHANGE: Shutdown has been speed up or delayed.
#define SDMI_UPS_MONITOR 0x01
#define SDMI_TIME_CHANGE 0x02
/* definitions for the sm_Flags field (version 1.1):
   SDMF_ABORTABLE: set by master to allow clients to cancel the shutdown
   SDMF_CANCEL:
                  set by client to cancel shutdown
   SDMF_CTRL_C:
                  CTRL-C received, set together with SDMF_CANCEL
   SDMF_SIG_MASK: A signal set in sm_Mask was received
#define SDMF_ABORTABLE 0x01
#define SDMF CANCEL
#define SDMF_CTRL_C
#define SDMF_SIG_MASK 0x08
typedef struct { /* version 2.0 */
 ULONG
                 sc_Mask;
  ULONG
                 sc_rMask;
  struct MsgPort *sc_Port;
  ULONG
                 sc_TimeOuts;
                sc_List;
  struct List
  ULONG
                 sc_Reserved[8];
} ShutdownContext;
typedef struct {
 struct Message
                 sm_Msg;
  ULONG
                   sm_Status;
```

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