

How to write a Linux Shell Script-based CGI Program

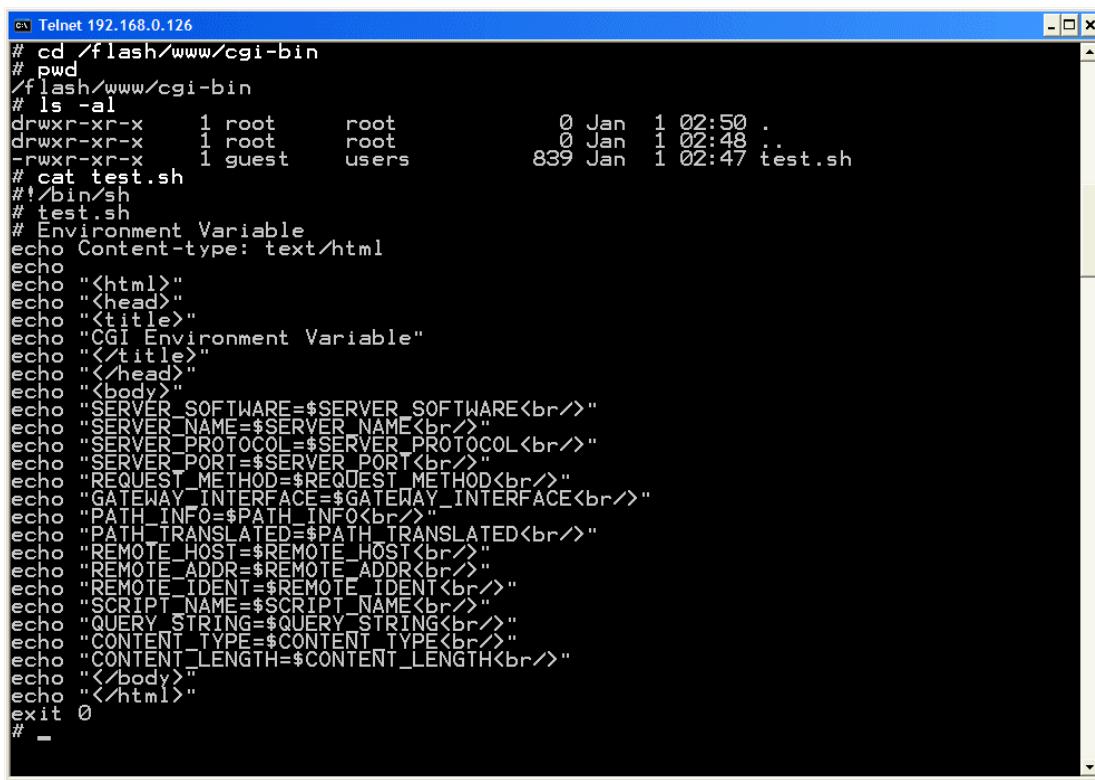
The DIL/NetPC ADNP/1520 default embedded Linux configuration of your Application Board MB/1520-100 comes with a pre-installed Web (HTTP) server. The object storage space for HTML pages, pictures, CGI programs and other objects of this Web server is located within the ADNP/1520 flash memory. CGI programs for the ADNP/1520 can be written in C/C++ or as Linux shell script files.

- **1. Step:** Create a Linux shell script file with the name **test.sh** on your development system. Use a simple text editor program for this job. The following code is a sample for a CGI shell script.

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#!/bin/sh
# test.sh
# Environment Variable
echo Content-type: text/html
echo
echo "<html>"
echo "<head>"
echo "<title>"
echo "CGI Environment Variable"
echo "</title>"
echo "</head>"
echo "<body>"
echo "SERVER_SOFTWARE=$SERVER_SOFTWARE<br/>"
echo "SERVER_NAME=$SERVER_NAME<br/>"
echo "SERVER_PROTOCOL=$SERVER_PROTOCOL<br/>"
echo "SERVER_PORT=$SERVER_PORT<br/>"
echo "REQUEST_METHOD=$REQUEST_METHOD<br/>"
echo "GATEWAY_INTERFACE=$GATEWAY_INTERFACE<br/>"
echo "PATH_INFO=$PATH_INFO<br/>"
echo "PATH_TRANSLATED=$PATH_TRANSLATED<br/>"
echo "REMOTE_HOST=$REMOTE_HOST<br/>"
echo "REMOTE_ADDR=$REMOTE_ADDR<br/>"
echo "REMOTE_IDENT=$REMOTE_IDENT<br/>"
echo "SCRIPT_NAME=$SCRIPT_NAME<br/>"
echo "QUERY_STRING=$QUERY_STRING<br/>"
echo "CONTENT_TYPE=$CONTENT_TYPE<br/>"
echo "CONTENT_LENGTH=$CONTENT_LENGTH<br/>"
echo "</body>"
echo "</html>"
exit 0
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- **2. Step:** Use a FTP session to transfer the file transfer into the directory /flash/www/cgi-bin within the DIL/NetPC ADNP/1520 flash memory space. Create the Web server CGI

directory /flash/www/cgi-bin if necessary. Make sure, that the file with the CGI shell script owns the necessary executable attributes (**chmod +x test.sh**).

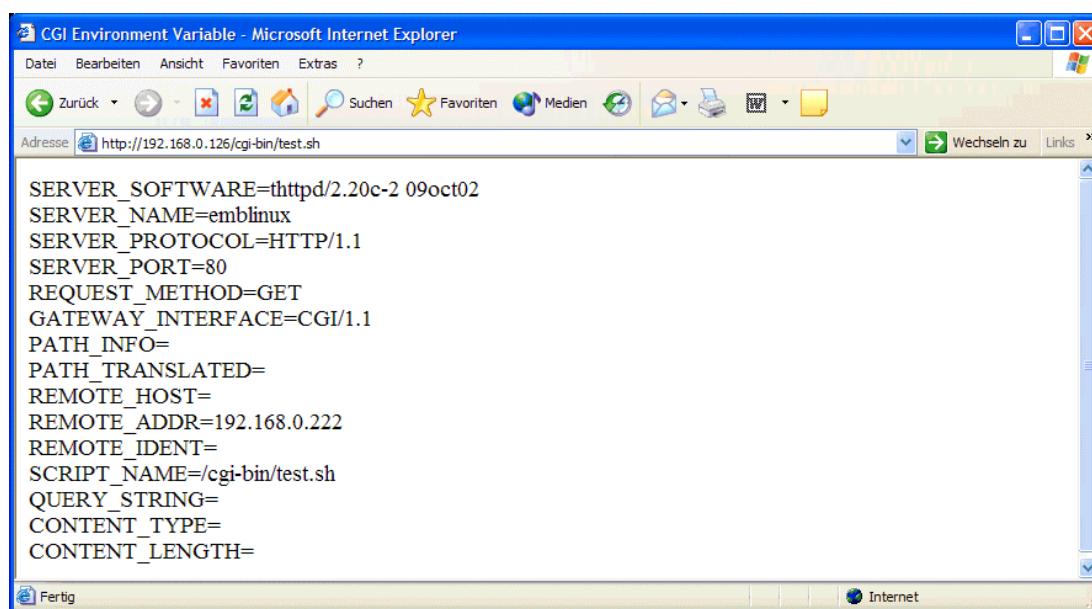


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[1] Telnet 192.168.0.126
# cd /flash/www/cgi-bin
# pwd
/fiash/www/cgi-bin
# ls -al
drwxr-xr-x    1 root      root          0 Jan  1 02:50 .
drwxr-xr-x    1 root      root          0 Jan  1 02:48 ..
-rwxr-xr-x    1 guest     users         839 Jan  1 02:47 test.sh
# cat test.sh
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- **3. Step:** Start your Web browser and use the URL <http://192.168.0.126/cgi-bin/test.sh> to run the DIL/NetPC ADNP/1520 CGI program. “192.168.0.126” is the IP address for the MB/1520 Ethernet LAN interface LAN1. The CGI shell script file is named “test.sh”. Please modify these parameters if necessary.



Please note: If you edit shell script files for Linux systems on a Windows-based PC, it is necessary to convert the files with a DOS2UNIX tool before the download to the DIL/NetPC ADNP/1520 of your Application Board MB/1520-100. Linux shell script files are simple text files. Windows is using the good old MS-DOS format for text files. MS-DOS and Unix systems use different methods to identify end-of-line information in text files. MS-DOS, including Windows 9x/ME/NT/2000/XP, use a carriage return/linefeed pair (CR/LF), whilst Unix only uses the LF character.

That's all.