

# Flash Setup for the Linux Flash File System JFFS2

If you running a Linux kernel with JFFS2 for the first time on a DNP/1110, it will be necessary to set-up the flash area for JFFS2. Execute the following steps. These steps brings JFFS2 formatting information to the flash memory area.

• 1. Step: Execute the Linux **su** command for getting the superuser/administrator rights. Please note: The standard SSV Linux for the DNP/1110 configuration don't needs a superuser password. If the system asks you for the superuser password, press the enter key.

su

• 2. Step: Execute the Linux mount command.

## mount

• **3. Step:** Check the console output of the **mount** command of step 2. If you see a text output line with the content "/dev/mtdblock4 .....", the flash memory is already mounted to your Linux system. Please *unmount* the flash. Execute the following command.

## umount /mnt

• **4. Step:** Execute the Linux **eraseall** command with the following parameters. Please note: The executing of this command needs some time.

# eraseall /dev/mtd4

• 5. Step: Execute the Linux mount command with the following parameters. Please note: In some case the executing of this command needs some time.

mount -t jffs2 /dev/mtdblock4 /mnt

• 6. Step: Execute the Linux **umount** command with the following parameters. Please note: In some case the executing of this command needs some time.

# umount /mnt

- 7. Step: Reset and re-boot your system.
- 8. Step: Login and execute the Linux **su** command for getting the superuser/administrator rights again.

su



• 9. Step: Execute the Linux cd command with the following parameters.

cd /mnt

• 10. Step: Execute the following command sequence for write the first data to the flash.

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cat > test1
1234567890
CTRL-D
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• **11. Step:** Reset and re-boot your system again. Login and execute the Linux **su** command for getting the superuser/administrator rights again. Then execute the following command sequence. This sequence shows you, that the JFFS2 store your data in flash memory.

cd /mnt ls -al cat test1

• 12. Step: Execute the Linux df command.

## df

These console output for this command shows the available disk drive space of your system.

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