

1. *svscanboot* starts *svscan* in the directory `"/service"` and pipes output and errors to *readproctitle*

2. *svscan* starts one *supervise* for each subdirectory `"sdir/"` of directory `"/service"`. If `"sdir/log/run"` exists, it supervises it too and pipes these two procs one with the other. New `"sdir"`s are sought every 5sec.

3. *supervise* switches into `"sdir/"` and runs `"/run"` every time it's not running. *SERVICE*'s status is archived in binary format under `"sdir/supervise/"`

4. *svc* is the *supervise* controller. It can turn up and down and give signals, set activity of a supervised service

5. *svok* returns whether `sdir/ service` is up: 0 for yes, 111 for no.

6. *svstat* returns the uptime of the service(s) supervised under `"sdir/"`.

