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The Process Concept (Vs. Program)

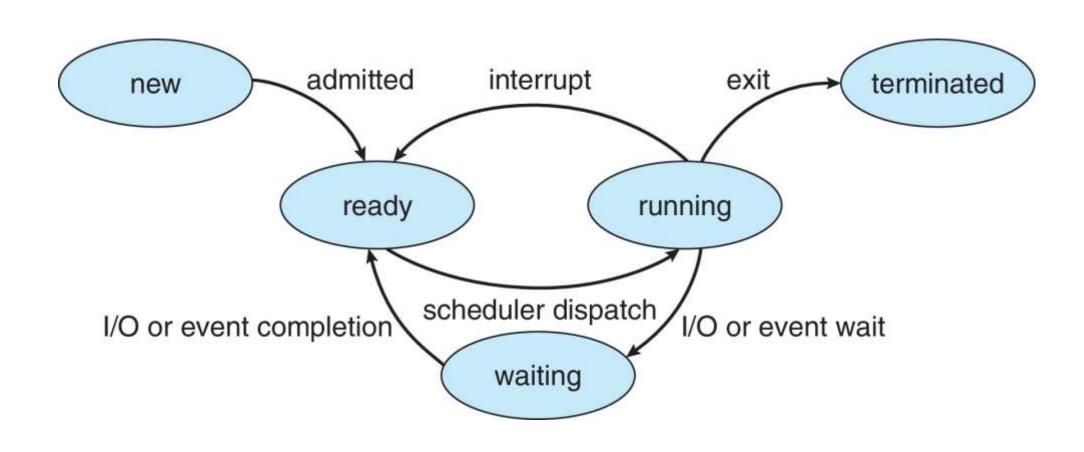
- Process a program in execution
- Program
 - description of how to perform an activity
 - instructions and static data values
- Process
 - a snapshot of a program in execution
 - memory (program instructions, static and dynamic data values)
 - CPU state (registers, PC, SP, etc)
 - operating system state (open files, accounting statistics etc)

Process Control Block (PCB)

- Process state running, waiting, etc.
- **Program counter** location of instruction to next execute
- CPU registers contents of all process-centric registers
- CPU scheduling information- priorities, scheduling queue pointers
- Memory-management information memory allocated to the process
- Accounting information CPU used, clock time elapsed since start, time limits
- I/O status information I/O devices allocated to process, list of open files

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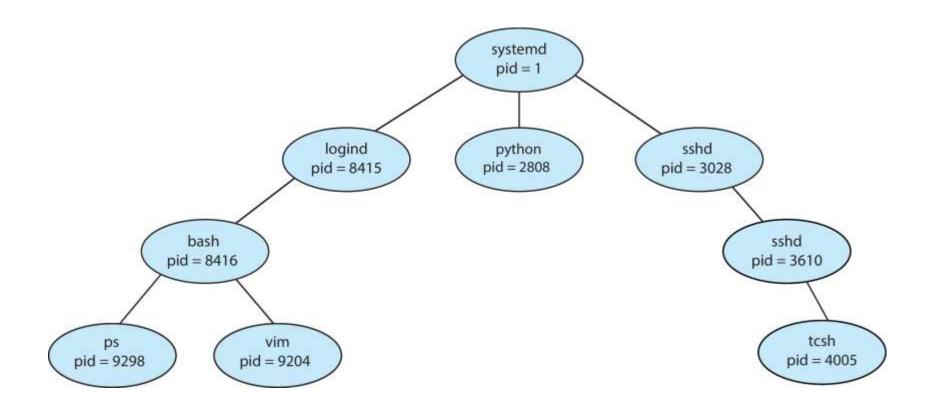
Process State in More Detail



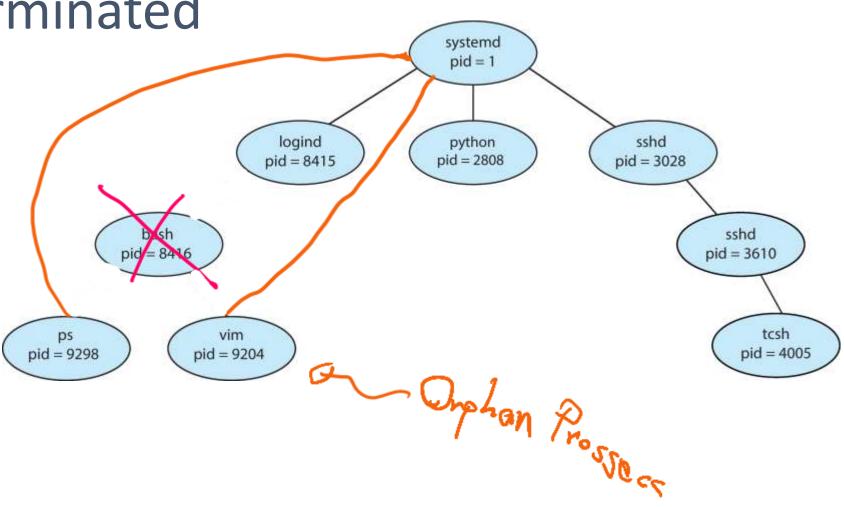
Question

- Why there are new and terminated states?
- New State:
 - Prevents the system from scheduling an incomplete or uninitialized process.
- Terminated State:
 - Ensures that resources used by the process are properly cleaned up and that exit statuses are correctly handled.
- Zombie process:
 - The parent wait() to collect exit status
 - Child process in terminated states (Zombie)

A Tree of Processes in Linux



What Happen if a parent process terminated



Process Creation in UNIX

- ■All processes have a unique process id
 - getpid(), getppid() system calls allow processes to get their information
- ■Process creation
 - fork() system call creates a copy of a process and returns in both processes (parent and child), but with a different return value
 - * exec() replaces an address space with a new program
- ■Process termination, signaling
 - signal(), kill() system calls allow a process to be terminated or have specific signals sent to it

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//ls program
main(){
  //look up dir
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Process Creation (fork)

- Fork creates a new process by copying the calling process
- The new process has its own
 - Memory address space (copied from parent)
 - Instructions (same program as parent!)
 - Data
 - Stack
 - Register set (copied from parent)
 - Process table entry in the OS

Fork Challenge!

What is the output of the program?

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#include <unistd.h>
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Process with PID 6, Parent PID: 3

Is it the only feasible output?

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Combinatorial Problem

■ How many ways that the code can run?

Questions?

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How Do Processes Terminate?

Conditions that terminate processes:

- Normal exit (voluntary)
- Error exit (voluntary)
- Fatal error (involuntary)
- Killed by another process (involuntary)

Killing a process

- Sending kill signal to kernel
- Killing a process does not kill its descendants

wait()

- Waits until:
 - A child is killed/terminated, or
 - A signal is received from OS (Interrupt the wait)

Some important signals in Linux

- **SIGINT** (Interrupt): Sent when the user interrupts a process (usually with Ctrl+C).
- **SIGKILL** (Kill): Immediately terminates the process. Cannot be ignored or handled by the process.
- **SIGTERM** (Terminate): Requests the process to gracefully terminate. Can be caught to allow cleanup before exiting.
- **SIGSTOP** (Stop): Stops a process execution. Can be resumed later with **SIGCONT**.

پردازهها و همزمانی

- مثال:
- فرض کنید یک گراف داریم و میخواهیم به طور همزمان الگوریتمی مثل DFS را از رئوس آن اجرا کنیم.
 - برنامهی آن چه شکلی است؟

پردازهها و همزمانی - کد نمونه

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- میزان حافظهی مصرفی با فرض اینکه حجم گراف ۱ گیگابایت باشد؟
- پردازههای فرزند، چطوری نتیجهی اجرا را به پردازهی والد بدهند؟



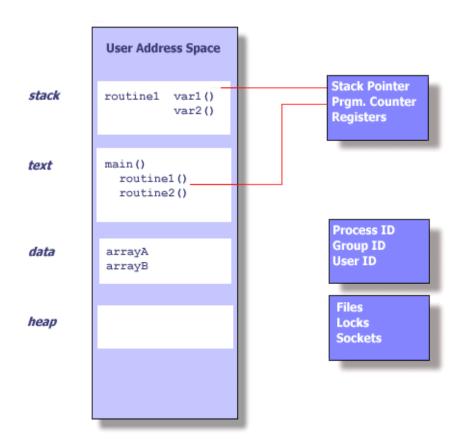
Threads

- Processes have the following components:
 - an address space
 - a collection of operating system state
 - a CPU context ... or thread of control
- To use multiple CPUs on a multiprocessor system, a process would need several CPU contexts
 - Thread fork creates new thread not memory space
 - Multiple threads of control could run in the same memory space on a single CPU system too!

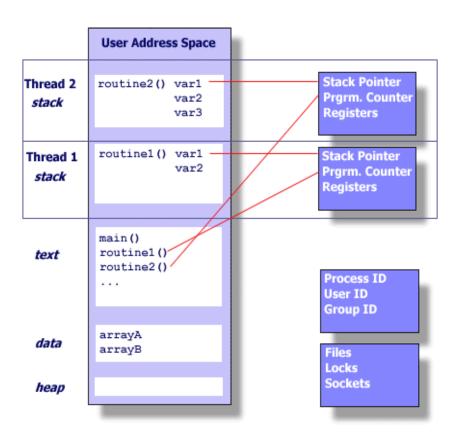
Threads

- Threads share a process address space with zero or more other threads
- Threads have their own CPU context
 - PC, SP, register state
 - Stack
- A traditional process could be viewed as a memory address space with a single thread

Single Thread in Address Space



Multiple Threads in Address Space



What Is a Thread?

- A thread executes a stream of instructions
 - it is an abstraction for control-flow
- Practically, it is a processor context and stack
 - Allocated a CPU by a scheduler
 - Executes in a memory address space

Private Per-Thread State

Things that define the state of a particular flow of control in an executing program

- Stack (local variables)
- Stack pointer
- Registers
- Scheduling properties (i.e., priority)

Shared State Among Threads

Things that relate to an instance of an executing program

- User ID, group ID, process ID
- Address space:
 - Text
 - Data (off-stack global variables)
 - Heap (dynamic data)
- Open files, sockets, locks

Concurrent Access to Shared State

Changes made to shared state by one thread will be visible to the others!

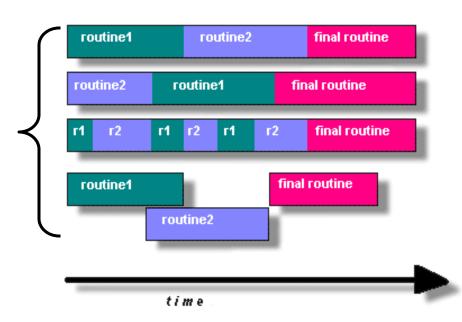
- Reading and writing memory locations requires synchronization!
- This is a major topic for later ...

Programming With Threads

Split program into routines to execute in parallel

- True or pseudo (interleaved) parallelism

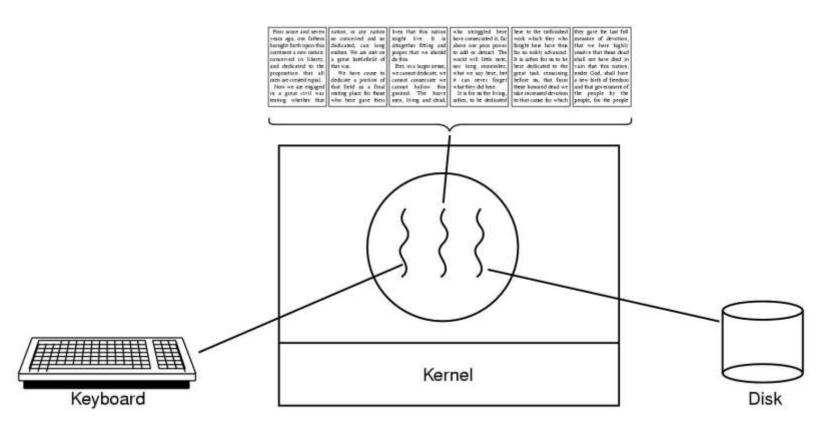
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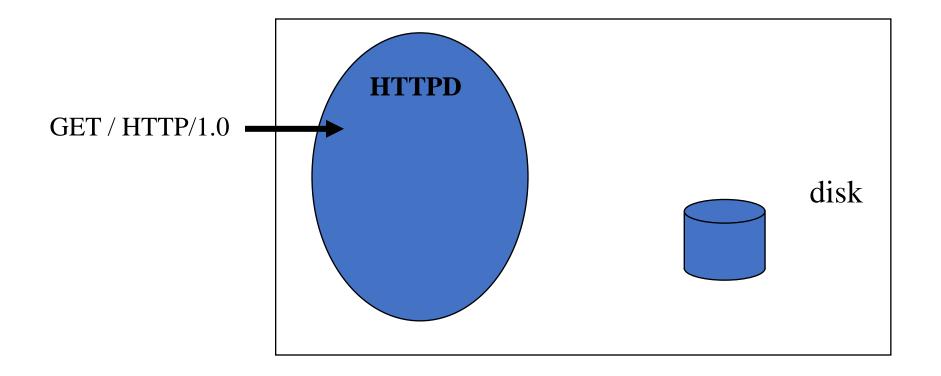
Why Use Threads?

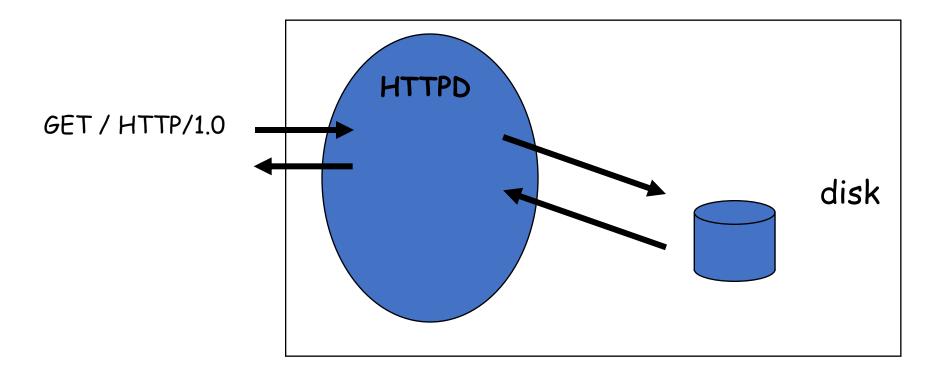
- Utilize multiple CPU's concurrently
- Low cost communication via shared memory
- Overlap computation and blocking on a single CPU
 - Blocking due to I/O
 - Computation and communication
- Handle asynchronous events

Typical Thread Usage

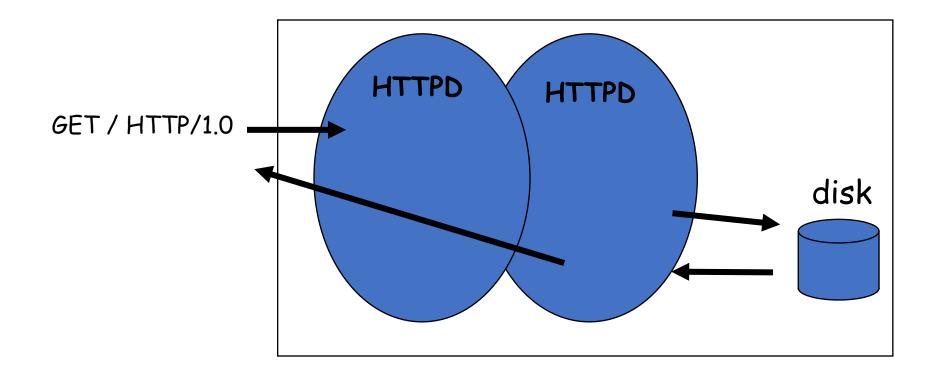


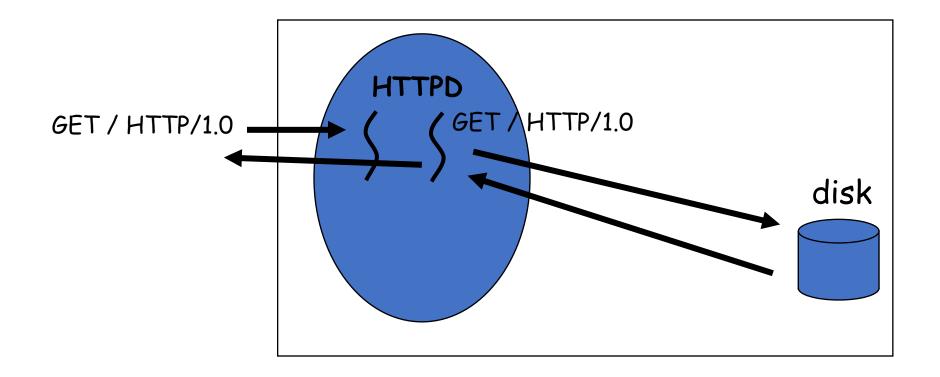
A word processor with three threads

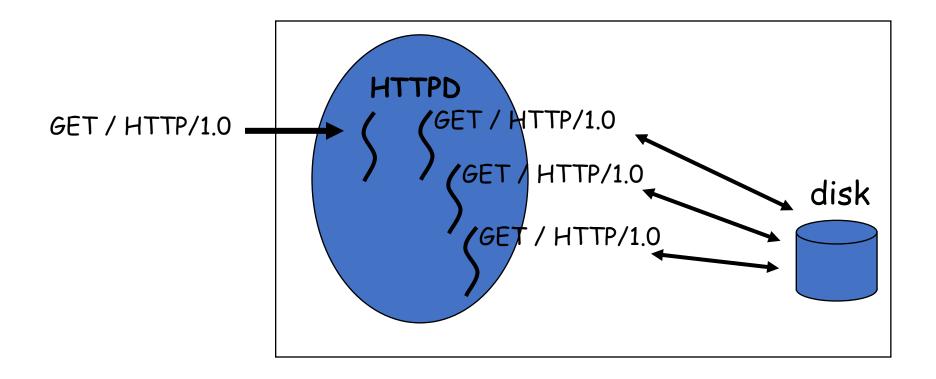




Why is this not a good web server design?







Common Thread Strategies

■Manager/worker

- Manager thread handles I/O
- Magaer assigns work to worker threads
- Worker threads created dynamically
- ... or allocated from a thread-pool

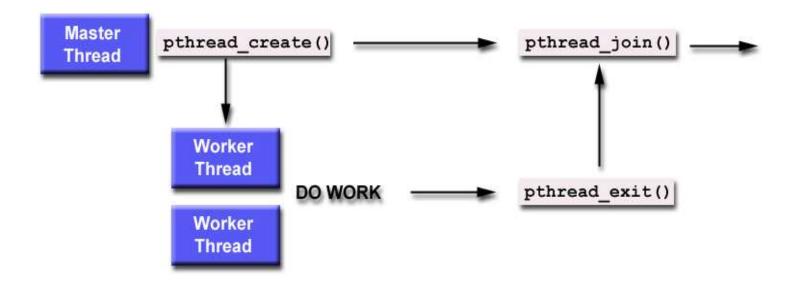
■Pipeline

- Each thread handles a different stage of an assembly line
- Threads hand work off to each other in a producer-consumer relationship

Pthreads (continued)

- pthread_exit (status)
 - Terminates the thread and returns "status" to any joining thread
- pthread_join (threadid,status)
 - Blocks the calling thread until thread specified by "threadid" terminates
 - Return status from pthread_exit is passed in "status"
 - One way of synchronizing between threads
- pthread_yield ()
 - Thread gives up the CPU and enters the run queue

Using Create, Join and Exit



Pros & Cons of Threads

■Pros:

- Overlap I/O with computation!
- Cheaper context switches
- Better mapping to multiprocessors

■Cons:

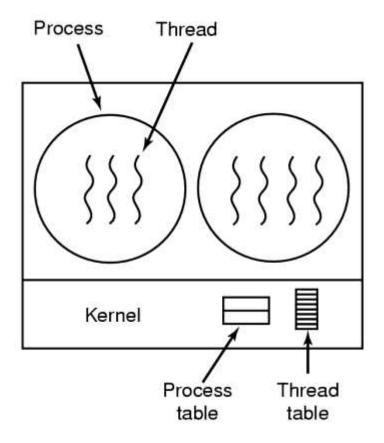
- Potential thread interactions
- Complexity of debugging
- Complexity of multi-threaded programming
- Backwards compatibility with existing code

User-level threads

- The idea of managing multiple abstract program counters above a single real one can be implemented using privileged or non-privileged code.
 - Threads can be implemented in the OS or at user level
- User level thread implementations
 - Thread scheduler runs as user code (thread library)
 - Manages thread contexts in user space
 - The underlying OS sees only a traditional process above

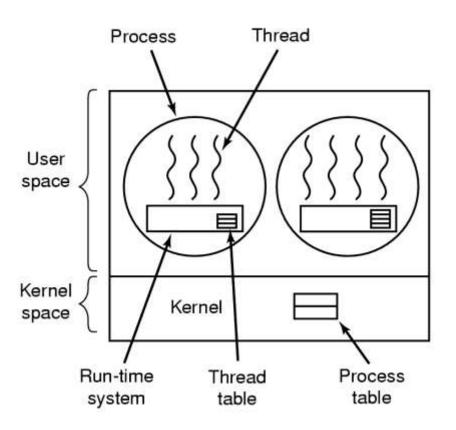
Kernel-Level Threads

Thread-switching code is in the kernel



Kernel-Level Threads

The thread-switching code is in user space



User-level threads

Advantages

- Cheap context switch costs among threads in the same process!
- Calls are procedure calls not system calls!
- User-programmable scheduling policy

Disadvantages

- How to deal with blocking system calls!
- How to overlap I/O and computation!