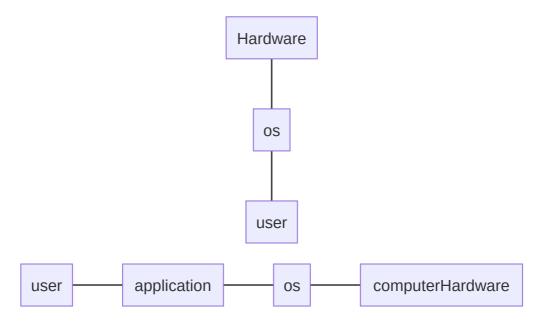
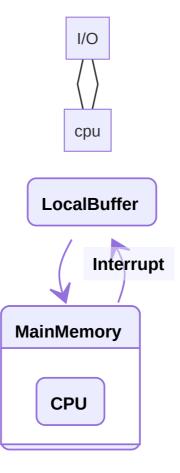
OS - set/ suite of tools that allow the function of a computer system



bootstrap program

- loaded during power on
- on ROM EPROM
- aka firmware



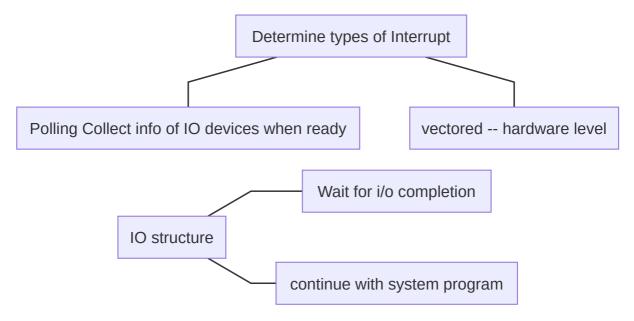
• Interrupt --> Interrupt Vector Table

1	0x000
2	addr (ISR)
3	addr
4	
5	

- Interrupt Chaining (Vectortable points to handlers, all are executed till right one happens) -- tradeoff with speed
- Incoming interrupt is disabled when handling other interrupt to prevent lost interrupt
- Trap interrupt -> software interrupt

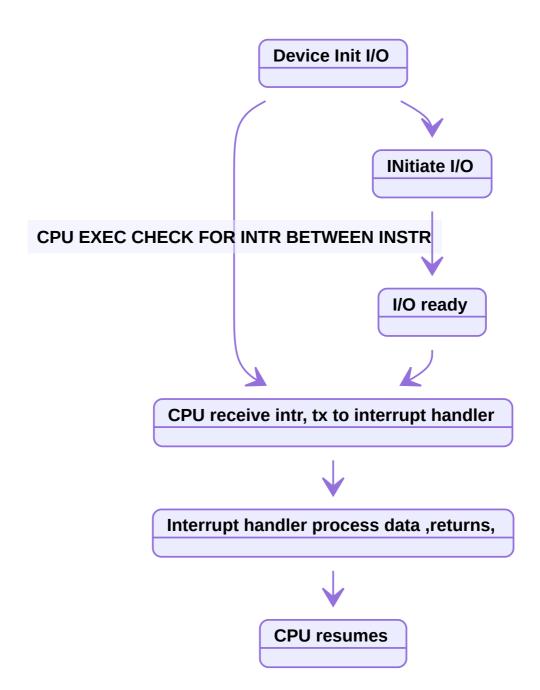
Interrupt handling

• preserve CPU state

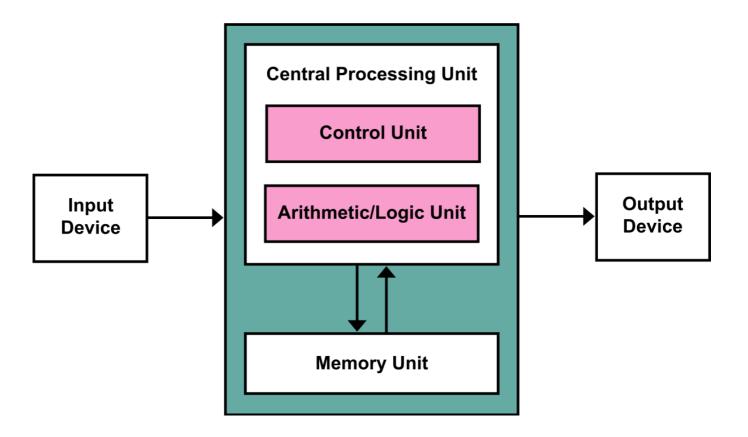


Device Status Table

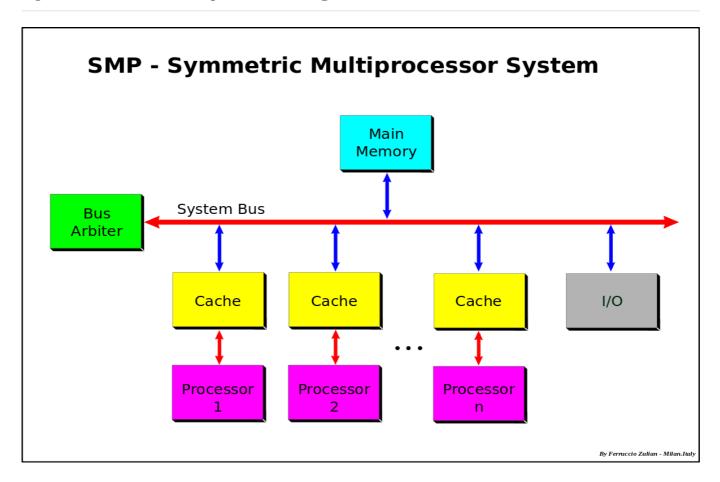
• Maintains Type, state etc. for Each I/O device



Von Neumann architecture



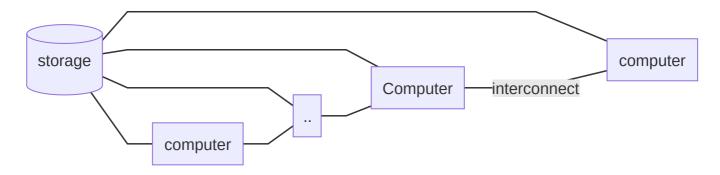
Symmetric multiprocessing



Clustered computing

- Memory shared by a san (storage area network)
- High availability

• symmetric / asymmetric clusterprocessing available



OS structure

- Multiprogramming -- Single user can't keep CPU / I/O devices busy at all times
 - o aka job scheduler
- Timesharing
 - multitasking aka cpu scheduling

Software error or req creates exception on trap

2 modes: User or Kernel

