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PROGRAM TO PRINT CONTENT OF THE FILE (C):-

```
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/pipe$ vim content_file.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/pipe$ make content_file
g++    content_file.cpp   -o content_file
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/pipe$ ./content_file
Enter a string to write to the file: Hello, World!
Contents of the file:
Hello, World!
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/pipe$
```

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
int main() [
    FILE *fptr;
    char str[100];
    // Writing to a file
    fptr = fopen("my_file.txt", "w");
    if (fptr == NULL) {
        printf("Error opening file!\n");
        exit(1);
    }
    printf("Enter a string to write to the file: ");
    fgets(str, 100, stdin);
    fprintf(fptr, "%s", str);
    fclose(fptr);
    // Reading from the file and printing to the screen
    fptr = fopen("my_file.txt", "r");
if (fptr == NULL) {
        printf("Error opening file!\n");
        exit(1);
    printf("Contents of the file:\n");
    while (fgets(str, 100, fptr) != NULL) {
        printf("%s", str);
    fclose(fptr);
    return 0;
"content_file.cpp" 35L, 706B
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include <fcntl.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <cstring>
using namespace std;
int main() {
    const char *filename = "my_file.txt";
    char buffer[100];
    // Writing to a file
    int fd = open(filename, O_WRONLY | O_CREAT | O_TRUNC, 0644);
    if (fd == -1) {
        cerr << "Error opening file for writing!" << endl;</pre>
        return 1;
    cout << "Enter a string to write to the file: ";</pre>
    cin.getline(buffer, 100);
    write(fd, buffer, strlen(buffer));
    close(fd);
    // Reading from the file and printing to the screen
    fd = open(filename, O_RDONLY);
    if (fd == -1) {
    cerr << "Error opening file for reading!" << endl;</pre>
    cout << "Contents of the file:\n";</pre>
    int bytesRead;
    while ((bytesRead = read(fd, buffer, sizeof(buffer))) > 0) {
        write(STDOUT_FILENO, buffer, bytesRead);
```

```
if (fd == -1) {
    cerr << "Error opening file for reading!" << endl;
    return 1;
}

cout << "Contents of the file:\n";
    int bytesRead;
while ((bytesRead = read(fd, buffer, sizeof(buffer))) > 0) {
        write(STDOUT_FILENO, buffer, bytesRead);
    }
    close(fd);
    return 0;
}
```

Develop a C++ application that utilizes system calls to perform basic file I/O operations.

Specific Requirements:

Create a new file if it doesn't exist.

Write user-provided text content to the file.

Read the contents of the file and display them on the console.

Implement robust error handling for file operations.

```
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/pipe$ vim content_file2.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/pipe$ make content_file2
g++    content_file2.cpp -o content_file2
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/pipe$ ./content_file2
Enter text to write to the file: Hi this is ameesha
File contents:
Hi this is ameesharps@rps-virtual-machine:~/pipe$
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include <fcntl.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <cstring>
#include <errno.h>
void handleError(const char* msg) {
     std::cerr << msg << ": " << strerror(errno) << std::endl;
exit(EXIT_FAILURE);</pre>
int main() {
     const char* filename = "example.txt";
      int fd;
      // lets Create a new file if it doesn't exist
fd = open(filename, O_WRONLY | O_CREAT | O_TRUNC, S_IRUSR | S_IWUSR);
      if (fd == -1) {
           handleError("Failed to open file");
     std::string userInput;
std::cout << "Enter text to write to the file: ";
std::getline(std::cin, userInput);</pre>
      ssize_t bytesWritten = write(fd, userInput.c_str(), userInput.size());
      if (bytesWritten == -1) {
    close(fd);
           handleError("Failed to write to file");
     if (close(fd) == -1) {
   handleError("Failed to close file after writing");
```

```
if (close(fd) == -1) {
    handleError("Failed to close file after writing");
}

//lets Read the contents of the file and display them on the console
fd = open(filename, O_RDONLY);
if (fd == -1) {
    handleError("Failed to open file for reading");
}

const size_t bufferSize = 1024;
char buffer[bufferSize];
ssize_t bytesRead;

std::cout << "Contents of the file:" << std::endl;
while ((bytesRead = read(fd, buffer, bufferSize - 1)) > 0) {
    buffer[bytesRead] = '\0'; // Null-terminate the buffer
    std::cout << buffer;
}
if (bytesRead == -1) {
    close(fd);
    handleError("Failed to read from file");
}

if (close(fd) == -1) {
    handleError("Failed to close file after reading");
}

return 0;</pre>
```

Short note on: man open, man close, man write, man read.

man open :-

The open system call is used to open a file for reading or writing. It can also be used to create a new file if it doesn't exist.

Usage:

#include <fcntl.h>

int open(const char *pathname, int flags, mode_t mode);

Parameters:

- pathname: The name of the file to open.
- flags: Determines the file access mode (e.g., O_RDONLY, O_WRONLY, O_RDWR) and file creation options (e.g., O_CREAT, O_TRUNC).
- mode: Specifies the permissions to use in case a new file is created (e.g., S_IRUSR | S_IWUSR).

Returns:

- On success, returns a file descriptor (a non-negative integer).
- On failure, returns -1 and sets errno to indicate the error.

Example:

```
int fd = open("file.txt", O_WRONLY | O_CREAT, S_IRUSR | S_IWUSR);
if (fd == -1) {
    perror("open");
}
```

• man close :-

The close system call is used to close an open file descriptor.

Usage:

```
#include <unistd.h>
int close(int fd);
```

Parameters:

• fd: The file descriptor to close.

Returns:

- On success, returns 0.
- On failure, returns -1 and sets errno to indicate the error.

Example:

```
if (close(fd) == -1) {
    perror("close");
}
```

• man write:-

The write system call is used to write data to an open file descriptor.

Usage:

```
#include <unistd.h>
ssize_t write(int fd, const void *buf, size_t count);
```

Parameters:

- fd: The file descriptor to write to.
- buf: A pointer to the buffer containing the data to write.
- count: The number of bytes to write from the buffer.

Returns:

- On success, returns the number of bytes written.
- On failure, returns -1 and sets errno to indicate the error.

Example:

```
const char *text = "Hello, World!";
ssize_t bytes_written = write(fd, text, strlen(text));
if (bytes_written == -1) {
    perror("write");
}
```

man read :-

The read system call is used to read data from an open file descriptor.

Usage:

```
#include <unistd.h>
ssize_t read(int fd, void *buf, size_t count);
```

Parameters:

- fd: The file descriptor to read from.
- buf: A pointer to the buffer where the read data will be stored.
- count: The number of bytes to read into the buffer.

Returns:

- On success, returns the number of bytes read (which may be less than count).
- On failure, returns -1 and sets errno to indicate the error.
- A return value of 0 indicates end-of-file (EOF).

Example:

```
char buffer[1024];
ssize_t bytes_read = read(fd, buffer, sizeof(buffer) - 1);
if (bytes_read == -1) {
    perror("read");
} else {
    buffer[bytes_read] = '\0'; // Null-terminate the buffer
    printf("Read: %s\n", buffer);
}
```

These system calls form the foundation for file I/O operations in POSIX-compliant operating systems. They provide low-level control over file descriptors, allowing for efficient and flexible file manipulation.

Task:

Gemini was just updated. See update

Conversation with Gemini

Write a c code use open close read and write to write onto file and print on screen using same

Show drafts

Code:

```
rps@rps-virtual-machine:-/day_7_1$ vim task3.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:-/day_7_1$ make task3
g++ task3.cpp -o task3
rps@rps-virtual-machine:-/day_7_1$ ./task3
Enter a string to write to the file: hi
Contents of the file:
hirps@rps-virtual-machine:-/day_7_1$ ls
example.txt my_file.txt system_call system_call.cpp task1 task1.cpp task2 task2.cpp task3 task3.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:-/day_7_1$ cat example.txt
hi , this my taskrps@rps-virtual-machine:-/day_7_1$ vim task3.cpp
```

```
#include <unistd.h>
#include <cstring>
using namespace std;
int main() {
    const char *filename = "my_file.txt";
    char buffer[100];
    // Writing to a file
    int fd = open(filename, O_WRONLY | O_CREAT | O_TRUNC, 0644);
    if (fd == -1) {
    cerr << "Error opening file for writing!" << endl;</pre>
         return 1;
    cout << "Enter a string to write to the file: ";</pre>
    cin.getline(buffer, 100);
    write(fd, buffer, strlen(buffer));
    close(fd);
    // Reading from the file and printing to the screen
    fd = open(filename, O_RDONLY);
if (fd == -1) {
    cerr << "Error opening file for reading!" << endl;</pre>
         return 1;
    cout << "Contents of the file:\n";
    int bytesRead;
    while ((bytesRead = read(fd, buffer, sizeof(buffer))) > 0) {
        write(STDOUT_FILENO, buffer, bytesRead);
    close(fd);
    return 0;
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day 7 1$
```

1. File I/O and Manipulation:

Copy a File: Write a C++ program that takes two file paths as command-line arguments. Use open, read, write, and close system calls to copy the contents of the source file to the destination file. Handle potential errors (e.g., file not found, permission denied).

```
#include <iostream>
#include <fentl.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <uristd.h>
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```

2. Reverse a File: Write a C++ program that reads the contents of a file line by line, reverses each line in-place, and then writes the reversed lines back to the same file. Use system calls like open, read, write, lseek, and close to achieve this.

```
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ vi q2.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ make q2
g++    q2.cpp   -o q2
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ ./q2
Usage: ./q2 </home/rps/day_1_7>
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ ./q2 my_file.txt
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ cat my_file.txt
ih
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include <fstream>
#include <vector>
#include <algorithm>
#include <acstring>
void handleError(const char* msg) {
    std::cerr << msg << ": " << strerror(errno) << std::endl;
exit(EXIT_FAILURE);</pre>
int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
   if (argc != 2) {
          std::ifstream inFile(argv[1]);
     if (!inFile.is_open()) {
    handleError("Failed to open file");
     std::vector<std::string> lines;
     std::string line;
while (std::getline(inFile, line)) {
          std::reverse(line.begin(), line.end());
lines.push_back(line);
     inFile.close();
     std::ofstream outFile(argv[1]);
if (!outFile.is_open()) {
    handleError("Failed to open file for writing");
     for (const auto& reversedLine : lines) {
   outFile << reversedLine << '\n';</pre>
     outFile.close();
     return 0;
```

3. Merge Two Sorted Files: Write a C++ program that takes two sorted text files as input and creates a new file containing the merged and sorted contents. Use appropriate system calls for file handling and consider memory efficiency when handling large files.

```
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ ls
example.txt my_file.txt q1.cpp q2.cpp q3.cpp my_file2.txt q1 q2 q3 system_
                                                                 system_call.cpp task1.cpp task2.cpp task3.cpp
                                                 system_call task1
                                                                                                  task3
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ vim q3.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ make q3
make: 'q3' is up to date.
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ cat example.txt
this is my task
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ cat my_file.txt
i am doing work
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ ./q3 example.txt my_file.txt output.txt
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ ls
example.txt my_file.txt q1 q2 q3 system_call task1 task2 task3 my_file2.txt output.txt q1.cpp q2.cpp q3.cpp system_call.cpp task1.cpp task2.cpp task3.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ cat output.txt
i am doing work
this is my task
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include <fstream>
#include <string>
#include <vector>
#include <algorithm>
#include <cstring
void handleError(const char* msg) {
    std::cerr << msg << ": " << strerror(errno) << std::endl;
exit(EXIT_FAILURE);</pre>
int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
   if (argc != 4) {
          laigt := -7 {
    return EXIT_FAILURE;
     std::ifstream file1(argv[1]);
std::ifstream file2(argv[2]);
     std::ofstream outFile(argv[3]);
     if (!file1.is_open() || !file2.is_open() || !outFile.is_open()) {
   handleError("Failed to open one of the files");
     std::string line1, line2;
     bool readFile1 = static_cast<bool>(std::getline(file1, line1));
bool readFile2 = static_cast<bool>(std::getline(file2, line2));
     while (readFile1 || readFile2) {
   if (readFile1 && (!readFile2 || line1 <= line2)) {</pre>
               outFile << line1 << '\n';
readFile1 = static_cast<bool>(std::getline(file1, line1));
               outFile << line2 << '\n';
readFile2 = static_cast<bool>(std::getline(file2, line2));
     file1.close();
     file2.close();
     outFile.close();
     return 0;
```

4. Process Control and Inter-Process Communication:

Create a Child Process with fork: Write a C++ program that uses fork to create a child process. The parent process should print "Parent Process", and the child process should print "Child Process". Use wait or similar system calls to ensure the parent waits for the child to finish before exiting.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/wait.h>

int main() {
    pid_t pid = fork();

    if (pid < 0) {
        perror("fork failed");
        return EXIT_FAILURE;
    } else if (pid == 0) {
        std::cout << "Child Process" << std::endl;
    } else {
        wait(NULL); // Wait for child process to finish
        std::cout << "Parent Process" << std::endl;
    }

    return 0;
}</pre>
```

5. Execute a Shell Command: Write a C++ program that takes a shell command as a string argument and uses exec system calls (e.g., execlp or execv) to execute that command. Handle errors if the command execution fails.

```
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ vim q4.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ vim q5.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ make q5
g++    q5.cpp -o q5
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ ./q5
Usage: ./q5 <shell_command>
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ ./q5 $0
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ ./q5 $ls
example.txt my_file.txt q1    q2    q3    q4    q5    system_call    task1    task2    task3
my_file2.txt output.txt q1.cpp    q2.cpp q3.cpp q4.cpp q5.cpp system_call.cpp task1.cpp task2.cpp task3.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$
```

```
#include <lostream>
#include <unistd.h>

int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
    if (argc < 2) {
        std::cerr << "Usage: " << argv[0] << " <shell_command>" << std::endl;
        return EXIT_FAILURE;
    }

    execvp(argv[1], &argv[1]);
    perror("exec failed");
    return EXIT_FAILURE;
}</pre>
```

6. Inter-Process Communication with Pipes: Write a C++ program that demonstrates inter-process communication using pipes. One process should write data to a pipe, and another process should read from the pipe and print the received data. Leverage pipe and fork system calls.

```
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ vi q6.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ make q6
g++ q6.cpp -o q6
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$ ./q6
Child received: Hello through pipe!
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/day_7_1$
```

```
#include <unistd.h>
#include <cstring>
#include <sys/wait.h> // Include this header for the wait function
void handleError(const char* msg) {
   std::cerr << msg << ": " << strerror(errno) << std::endl;
   exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
}</pre>
int main() [
      int pipefd[2];
      pid_t pid;
const char* message = "Hello through pipe!";
      char buffer[128];
      if (pipe(pipefd) == -1) {
    handleError("pipe failed");
      pid = fork();
      if (pid < 0) {
   handleError("fork failed");</pre>
      } else if (pid == 0) {
   // Child process
            close(pipefd[1]); // Close unused write end
            ssize_t bytesRead = read(pipefd[0], buffer, sizeof(buffer));
            if (bytesRead == -1) {
    handleError("read failed");
            std::cout << "Child received: " << buffer << std::endl;
close(pipefd[0]);</pre>
      } else {
    // Parent process
            // Parent process
close(pipefd[0]); // Close unused read end
if (write(pipefd[1], message, strlen(message) + 1) == -1) {
    handleError("write failed");
            close(pipefd[1]);
            if (wait(NULL) == -1) { // Wait for child process to finish
    handleError("wait failed");
```

Text Processing and System Information:

7.Count Words in a File: Write a C++ program that reads a text file and counts the number of words in it. Use open, read, and close system calls to access the file. Be mindful of delimiters and whitespace characters when counting words.

```
#include <cstring>
#include <cerrno>
void handleError(const char* msg) {
   std::cerr << msg << ": " << strerror(errno) << std::endl;
   exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
bool isDelimiter(char c) {
   return std::isspace(c) || c == '\0';
int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
    if (argc != 2) {
       std::cerr << "Usage: " << argv[0] << " <file_path>" << std::endl;
   int fd = open(argv[1], O_RDONLY);
   if (fd == -1) {
       handleError("Failed to open file");
   const size_t bufferSize = 1024;
   char buffer[bufferSize];
   ssize_t bytesRead;
   int wordCount = 0;
   bool inWord = false;
   while ((bytesRead = read(fd, buffer, bufferSize)) > 0) {
        for (ssize_t i = 0; i < bytesRead; ++i) {
            if (isDelimiter(buffer[i])) {
                if (inWord) {
                    inWord = false;
           ] else
                   (!inWord) {
                    inWord = true;
                    ++wordCount;
           }
   if (bytesRead == -1) {
       handleError("Failed to read from file");
   close(fd);
   std::cout << "Word count: " << wordCount << std::endl;
   return 0;
```

8. Get System Uptime: Write a C++ program that retrieves the system's uptime (time since it was last booted) using appropriate system calls (e.g., getuptime on Linux). Display the uptime information in a user-friendly format.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <fstream>
#include <sstream>
using namespace std;
int main() {
    ifstream uptime_file("/proc/uptime");
if (!uptime_file.is_open()) {
         cerr << "Error opening /proc/uptime file" << endl;
    double uptime_seconds;
     double idle_seconds;
     // Read uptime and idle time from the file
    uptime_file >> uptime_seconds >> idle_seconds;
    int uptime_hours = static_cast<int>(uptime_seconds) / 3600;
int uptime_minutes = (static_cast<int>(uptime_seconds) % 3600) / 60;
     int uptime_seconds_remaining = static_cast<int>(uptime_seconds) % 60;
     cout << "System Uptime:</pre>
          << uptime_hours << " hours,
           << uptime_minutes << " minutes, and "
<< uptime_seconds_remaining << " seconds" << endl;</pre>
```

Network Programming (Bonus):

9. Simple TCP Server: Write a basic C++ program that acts as a server that listens for incoming TCP connections on a specific port. Upon receiving a connection, the server should send a predefined message (e.g., "Hello, client!") to the client and then close the connection. Utilize system calls like socket, bind, listen, accept, send, and recv. (Note: Network programming involves additional libraries/headers. Refer to system documentation)

```
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/shared_mem$ vim server.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/shared_mem$ g++ server.cpp -o server
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/shared_mem$ ./server
Server is listening on port 8080
Message sent to client: Hello, client!
```

```
// Bind socket to the address
if (bind(server_fd, (struct sockaddr *)&address, sizeof(address)) < 0) {
    perror("bind failted");
    close(server_fd);
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
}

// Listen for incoming connections
if (listen(server_fd, 3) < 0) {
    perror("listen");
    close(server_fd);
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
}

std::cout << "Server is listening on port " << PORT << std::endl;

// Accept incoming connection
if ((new_socket = accept(server_fd, (struct sockaddr*)&address, (socklen_t*)&addrlen)) < 0) {
        perror("accept");
        close(server_fd);
        exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
}

// Send message to client
send(new_socket, message, strlen(message), 0);
std::cout << "Message sent to client: " << message << std::endl;

// Close the socket
close(new_socket);
close(server_fd);
return 0
</pre>
```

10. Simple TCP Client: As a companion to question 9, write a C++ program that acts as a client that connects to the server created in question 9. The client should send a message (e.g., "Hi from client!")

to the server, receive the server's response, and then close the connection. (Note: Network programming details apply here as well)

```
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/pipe$ vim client.cpp
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/pipe$ make client
g++ client.cpp -o client
rps@rps-virtual-machine:~/pipe$ ./client
Message sent to server: Hi from client!
Response from server: Hello, client!
```

```
// Convert IPv4 and IPv6 addresses from text to binary form
if (inet_pton(AF_INET, "127.0.0.1", &serv_addr.sin_addr) <= 0) {
    std::cerr << "Invalid address / Address not supported" << std::endl;
    return -1;
}

// Connect to the server
if (connect(sock, (struct sockaddr *)&serv_addr, sizeof(serv_addr)) < 0) {
    std::cerr << "Connection Falled" << std::endl;
    return -1;
}

// Send message to server
send(sock, message, strlen(message), 0);
std::cout << "Message sent to server: " << message << std::endl;

// Read response from server
int valread = read(sock, buffer, BUFFER_SIZE);
std::cout << "Response from server: " << buffer << std::endl;

// Close the socket
close(sock);
return 0;
}</pre>
```