

UNIX Project

ft_strace

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Summary: This project aims to recode the strace command.

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Chapter I

Foreword

Strace is a debugging tool under Linux to monitor system calls use by a program, and all the signals it receives, similar to the tool truss on other Unix systems. It was made possible through a feature of the Linux kernel called ptrace.

Chapter II Mandatory part

You must recode the strace command (without option)



- The executable file must be named ft_strace
- You must code in C and make a Makefile (respecting the usual rules)
- For this subject no norm and you have the right of the libc, on the other hand avoid the abuses on the norm! This is an advice for the correction.
- You have to handle errors carefully. In no way can your program quit in an unexpected manner (Segmentation fault, bus error, double free, etc).
- ullet You must be on a VM with a linux kernel > 3.4, for your information the scale was made with a Ubuntu 14.10

- You are only allowed to use the following options :
 - PTRACE_SYSCALL
 - PTRACE_GETREGSET
 - \circ PTRACE_SETOPTIONS
 - \circ PTRACE_GETSIGINFO
 - PTRACE_SEIZE
 - \circ PTRACE_INTERRUPT
 - PTRACE_LISTEN
- You must handle 64 AND 32 bit binaries



Be very careful with signal management \dots Really \dots



For the smart ones (or not)... Of course you can't call the real strace.



The display should be close to the original display of strace. It is not required to have an exact match.

Chapter III Bonus part

The following is a list of available bonuses

- The option -c.
- Handle the PATH management.



The bonus part will only be assessed if the mandatory part is PERFECT. Perfect means the mandatory part has been integrally done and works without malfunctioning. If you have not passed ALL the mandatory requirements, your bonus part will not be evaluated at all.

Chapter IV

Submission and peer-evaluation

Turn in your assignment in your Git repository as usual. Only the work inside your repository will be evaluated during the defense. Don't hesitate to double check the names of your folders and files to ensure they are correct.

This project will be corrected by humans only. You're allowed to organise and name your files as you see fit, but you must follow the rules.