Project 3 Overview

Overview

- In this project you will create a filesystem
- The filesystem will support:
 - Undo logging
 - Redo logging
 - Crash recovery

gtfs API

```
Initialization and
                                                                 on disk log
gtfs_t* gtfs_init(std::string directory, int verbose_flag);
                                                                  management
int gtfs_clean(gtfs_t *gtfs);
int gtfs_clean_n_bytes(gtfs_t *gtfs, int bytes);
                                                                                 File
file_t* qtfs_open_file(qtfs_t* qtfs, std::string filename, int file_length);
                                                                                 creation/removal
int qtfs_close_file(qtfs_t* qtfs, file_t* fl);
int qtfs_remove_file(qtfs_t* qtfs, file_t* fl);
char* gtfs_read_file(gtfs_t* gtfs, file_t* fl, int offset, int length);
write_t* qtfs_write_file(qtfs_t* qtfs, file_t* fl, int offset, int length, const char* data);
int gtfs_sync_write_file(write_t* write_id);
int gtfs_sync_write_file_n_bytes(write_t* write_id, int bytes);
                                                                                         Reading and
int gtfs_abort_write_file(write_t* write_id);
                                                                                         Writing data
```

Write Visibility Scenarios

A process can read its own writes, without syncing

```
int main(){
     gtfs init(dir abs path)
     gtfs open file("file1.txt", length)
     gtfs write file("hello1", offset, n bytes)
     data * = gtfs read file(offset, n bytes)
     assert(strcmp(data, "hello1") == 0)
     return 0
```

A process can abort a write, and read a version of the file as if that write didn't happen

```
int main(){
          gtfs_init(dir_abs_path)
          gtfs_open_file("file1.txt", length)
          wr1 = gtfs_write_file("hello1", offset, n_bytes)
          wr2 = gtfs_write_file("hello2", offset, n_bytes) //overwrite
          data * = gtfs_read_file(offset, n_bytes)
          assert(strcmp(data, "hello2") == 0)
          gtfs_abort_write(wr2)
          data * = qtfs read file(offset, n bytes)
          assert(strcmp(data, "hello1") == 0) //read the first write at this offset
          return 0
```

A process's write only becomes visible to other processes, if the write is sync'd.

```
//process 1
int main(){
       gtfs init(dir abs path)
       gtfs open file("file1.txt", length)
      wr1= gtfs write file("hello1", offset, n bytes)
       gtfs sync write file(wr1) //added to on disk log
       return 0
```

A process's write only becomes visible to other processes, if the write is sync'd.

```
//process 1
                                                      //process 1 has exited, process 2 now
int main(){
                                                      int main(){
      gtfs init(dir abs path)
                                                            gtfs init(dir abs path)
      gtfs open file("file1.txt", length)
                                                            gtfs open file("file1.txt", length)
     wr1= gtfs write file("hello1", offset, n bytes)
                                                            data * = qtfs read file(offset, n bytes)
      gtfs sync write file(wr1) //added to on disk log
                                                            assert(strcmp(data, "hello1") == 0)
                                                            return 0
     return 0
```

A process's write that isn't sync'd will not be visible from a second process

```
//process 1
int main(){
      gtfs_init(dir_abs_path)
      gtfs open file("file1.txt", length)
      wr1= gtfs_write_file("hello1", offset, n bytes)
      //we did not call gtfs_sync_write
      return 0
```

A process's write that isn't sync'd will not be visible from a second process

```
//process 1 has exited, process 2 now
//process 1
                                                                        int main(){
int main(){
                                                                                gtfs init(dir abs path)
        gtfs_init(dir_abs_path)
                                                                                atfs open file("file1.txt", length)
        gtfs open file("file1.txt", length)
                                                                                data * = qtfs read file(offset, n bytes)
        wr1= gtfs write file("hello1", offset, n bytes)
                                                                                assert(strcmp(data, "") == 0) //uninitialized reads return "". See API spec
                                                                                return 0
        //we did not call gtfs_sync_write
        return 0
```

Log management on disk / in memory

Doing a clean(), should apply the on disk log to the file, and truncate the log size to 0

```
-rwxrwxr-x 1 daniel daniel 100 Mar 9 10:38 additional1.txt
-rwxrwxr-x 1 daniel daniel 28 Mar 9 10:38 additional1.txt.log
total 4
-rwxrwxr-x 1 daniel daniel 100 Mar 9 10:38 additional1.txt
-rwxrwxr-x 1 daniel daniel 0 Mar 9 10:38 additional1.txt.log
```

total 4

gtfs_clean() //applies and truncates log Reflected in file size

Test Cases

- The starter code comes with test cases to check for expected filesystem behavior
 - Write to file, then read that data back from the same process
 - Write to file, then overwrite that write, abort the latter write, then read the first write from the same process
 - Write to file from one process:
 - Then sync that write, and read back the same data from a second process
 - Then abort that write, and check that the data cannot be read from a second process
 - Checks for on-disk log appending: syncing writes should increase the on disk size of redo-log
 - Checks for log compaction: cleaning the on-disk log should reduce their size (either to 0, or by some partial amount if using the clean_n_bytes() api)

Other Notes

- You can assume that only one process at a time will have the file system open
 - That is, when a process calls 'gtfs_init' you can assume as a precondition that no other running process has issued this API call
- Uninitialized reads that are in file bounds return ""
 - Not the best interface design, but the tests assume this