

CS342 – Operating Systems Project 4

Section 2

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Part 1)

We skipped the first part, due to the poor performance of our virtual machine. (VirtualBox to be exact) Compiling a new kernel at that point was not time efficient considering it was optional. Our kernel version verified by "uname -r" is 4.8.0-49-generic.

Part 2)

We developed a simple hello module for the second part as the following:

```
// hello.c - Simple kernel module
// baris ardic-emir acimis
#include <linux/module.h>
#include <linux/kernel.h>

int init_module(void)// module starts from here when its loaded by
"insmod"
{
         printk(KERN_INFO "Hello world 1.\n");// printed string can be
found at /var/log/syslog
         return 0;// module is done.
}

void cleanup_module(void)// this is called when we remove the module
with rmmod.
{
         printk(KERN_INFO "Goodbye world 1.\n");
}
```

Part 3.1)

We are asked to print the process tree. We are printing the process tree by accessing the internals of task struct like following:

```
task->pid, task->comm, task->parent->pid
```

Then these properties are printed using "for each process" method defined in header file "sched.h" with the following as an example output. (Shown by "dmesg")

```
***Module Loading***
1954.067665]
             ****The Processes****
1954.0676667
1954.067667]
             The input: 2103
1954.067667]
             pid: 1, name: systemd, parent_pid: 0
             ****
1954.067670]
             pid: 2, name: kthreadd, parent_pid: 0
1954.067677]
             pid: 3, name: ksoftirqd/0, parent_pid: 2
1954.067677]
             pid: 4, name: kworker/0:0, parent_pid: 2
             ****
1954.067678]
             pid: 5, name: kworker/0:0H, parent_pid: 2
             ****
1954.067679]
             pid: 7, name: rcu_sched, parent_pid: 2
1954.067679]
             pid: 8, name: rcu_bh, parent_pid: 2
             ****
1954.067680]
             pid: 9, name: migration/0, parent_pid: 2
             ****
1954.067680]
             pid: 10, name: lru-add-drain, parent_pid: 2
1954.067681]
             pid: 11, name: watchdog/0, parent_pid: 2
             ****
1954.067682]
             pid: 12, name: cpuhp/0, parent_pid: 2
             ****
1954.0676827 ****
```

Part 3.2)

We are asked here the print the virtual memory layout information of a given process by a parameter to our kernel module. (Our variable for this is myPid) We match the parameter pid with the actual process pid then store it in a pointer of type "struct task". If there is no process with given pid we print nothing here. The access to the VM layout is done like the following:

```
match->mm->mmap->vm_start);
match->mm->mmap->vm_end);
match->mm->mmap->vm_end - match->mm->mmap->vm_start));
```

Here match is the process with the given pid and sample output is the following:

```
pid: 2103, name: gedit, parent_pid: 1110

****

[ 1954.067801] ****Found: gedit

*******

pid: 2113, name: insmod, parent_pid: 2087

****

[ 1954.067802] ****The Virtual Adresses****

[ 1954.067803] Virtual Memory Start Adress: 8048000

[ 1954.067803] Virtual Memory End Adress: 8049000

[ 1954.067804] Virtual Memory Size: 4096
```

Part 3.2)

We are asked here to print the information of the open files of the given process from its PCB. We accessed the file name, file size, block bits, file version and where the file lies in the linked list.

```
File Name: /dev/null, File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 0
*******
File Name: socket:[16953], File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 1
*******
File Name: socket:[16953], File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 2
******
File Name: socket:[34848], File Size: O, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: O Count: 3
********
File Name: anon_inode:[eventfd], File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 4
*******
File Name: socket:[34847], File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 5
******
File Name: anon_inode:[eventfd], File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 6
*******
File Name: anon_inode:[eventfd], File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 7
*******
File Name: socket:[34849], File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 8
*******
File Name: socket:[34851], File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 9
******
File Name: anon_inode:[eventfd], File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 10
*******
File Name: socket:[34855], File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 11
********
File Name: anon_inode:[eventfd], File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 12
******
File Name: anon_inode:inotify, File Size: 0, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 0 Count: 13
******
File Name: /home/student/.local/share/gvfs-metadata/home (deleted), File Size: 3412, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 1 Count: 14
*******
File Name: /home/student/.local/share/gvfs-metadata/home-59d4bcb5.log (deleted), File Size: 32768, File Block Bits: 12, File Version: 1 Count: 15
```

These properties are accessed like the following:

```
path = &(match -> files ->fd_array[count]->f_path);
name = d_path(path, buf, sizeof(buf));
```

Buffer here is a char array and its size is "100". Name is returned as a string by d_path. The access for the rest of the information is more straightforward:

```
match->files->fd_array[count]->f_inode->i_size,
match->files->fd_array[count]->f_inode->i_blkbits,
match->files->fd_array[count]->f_inode->i_version,
count);
```

Count here is our loop index and it iterates from 0 to number of open files that the process has when the module is loaded. That variable is accessed from the file table.

- Source code of our module is appended in the next page followed by the makefile.
- We tested the correctness of the output with command line commands and kernel logs such as "ps aux", "lsof -p "pid" ", "cat /proc/modules", "dmesg".
- For the compilation "sudo make" did not seem to work after "sudo bash" "make" works fine with gcc compiler.
- Here is an example run:

```
root@student-VirtualBox:~/Desktop/debe# make
make -C /lib/modules/4.8.0-49-generic/build M=/home/student/Desktop/debe modules
make[1]: Entering directory '/usr/src/linux-headers-4.8.0-49-generic'
    CC [M] /home/student/Desktop/debe/project.o
    Building modules, stage 2.
    MODPOST 1 modules
    LD [M] /home/student/Desktop/debe/project.ko
make[1]: Leaving directory '/usr/src/linux-headers-4.8.0-49-generic'
root@student-VirtualBox:~/Desktop/debe# insmod ./project.ko myPid=2103
```

```
#include linux/sched.h>
#include linux/init.h>
#include linux/fdtable.h>
#include linux/fs.h>
#include linux/fs struct.h>
#include linux/dcache.h>
#include linux/slab.h>
#include linux/mm.h>
MODULE LICENSE("GPL");
MODULE AUTHOR("Emir Acimis && Baris Ardic");
static int myPid = 1;
module param(myPid, int, 0000);
void project function(struct task struct *task)
        struct task struct *child;
        struct task struct *match;
        struct list head *list;
        struct fdtable *files table;
        int count = 0;
        char buf[100];
        struct path *path;
        char* name = NULL;
        //PART3.1
        printk("****The Processes****\n");
        printk("The input: %d\n", myPid);
        for each process(task){
                printk("****\npid: %d, name: %s, parent pid: %d\n****\n", task->pid, task->comm, task-
>parent->pid);
                if(task->pid == myPid){
                       printk("****Found: %\n****", task->comm);
                       match = task;
                }
                list for each(list, &task->children) {
                       child = list entry(list, struct task struct, sibling);
        }//for each end
        printk("****The Virtual Adresses****\n");
        //PART3.2
        if(match->mm->mmap){
                printk("Virtual Memory Start Adress: %lx\n",match->mm->mmap->vm start);
                printk("Virtual Memory End Adress: %lx\n",match->mm->mmap->vm end);
                printk("Virtual Memory Size: %lu\n",(match->mm->mmap->vm end - match->mm-
>mmap->vm start));
        }
```

```
//PART3.3
        printk("****File Information****\n");
        if(match->files != NULL){
                files table = files fdtable(match->files);
                if(files table != NULL && files table -> fd != NULL){
                        printk("Open files number: %d\n", files table -> max fds);
                        while(count < files table -> max fds){
                                 if(match->files->fd array[count]
                                                                     !=
                                                                                            match->files-
                                                                          NULL
                                                                                     &&
>fd array[count]->f inode != NULL){
                                         path = \&(match \rightarrow files \rightarrow fd array[count] \rightarrow f path);
                                         name = d path(path, buf, sizeof(buf));
                                         printk("File Name: %s, File Size: %lld, File Block Bits: %hu, File
Version: %llu Count: %d\n",name , match->files->fd array[count]->f inode->i size, match->files-
>fd array[count]->f inode->i blkbits ,match->files->fd array[count]->f inode->i version, count);
                                         printk("*******\n");
                                 count = count + 1;
        }
}
int task lister init(void)
        printk(KERN INFO "***Module Loading***\n");
        project function(&init task);
        return 0;
}
void task lister exit(void)
        printk(KERN INFO "***Module Removing***\n");
module init(task lister init);
module exit(task lister exit);
// makefile here.
obj-m += project.o
all:
         make -C /lib/modules/$(shell uname -r)/build M=$(PWD) modules
clean:
         make -C /lib/modules/$(shell uname -r)/build M=$(PWD) clean
```