

操作系统研讨课

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Lecture 2 A Simple Kernel (Part II)

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Schedule

- Project 2 part I due
- Project 2 part II assignment



Project 2 – A Simple Kernel

- Requirements (Part I)
 - Write a simple kernel (non-preemptive)
 - Start a set of kernel tasks
 - Perform context switches between tasks
 - Provide non-preemptive kernel support with context switch
 - Support basic mutex to allow BLOCK state of processes/threads



Project 2 – A Simple Kernel

- Requirements (Part II)
 - Write a simple kernel (preemptive)
 - Provide preemptive kernel supporting exception handler, including
 - System call handler
 - Clock interrupt handler
 - Round-robin scheduler
 - fork and priority-based scheduler (optional for C-Core)



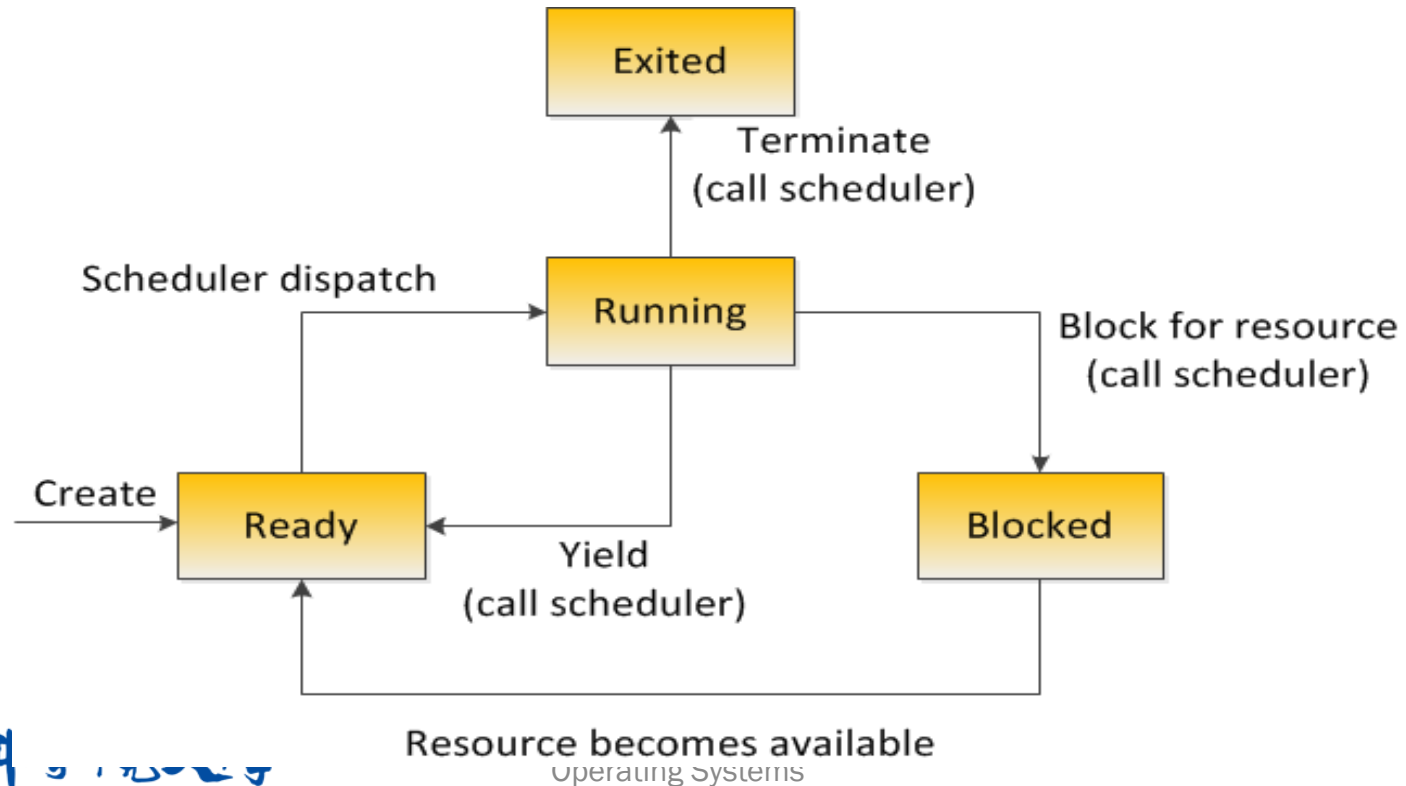
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- A set of multiple tasks
 - Program codes under the *test* directory in start-code
 - Please refer to *test.c* for different groups of tasks
 - sched2_tasks、 timer_tasks、 lock2_tasks
 - Allocate per-task state statically in main.c
 - STRONGLY suggest to first read the codes of different tasks to understand what they do



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- Non-Preemptive kernel
 - A task runs until it exits/yields or is blocked
 - Other tasks need to wait for the running task



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- Interrupt
 - A signal to the processor emitted by HW or SW indicating an event requiring immediate process
 - The processor responds by suspending its current running task, saving its state, and executing interrupt handler
 - After the interrupt handler finishes, the processor resumes normal activities



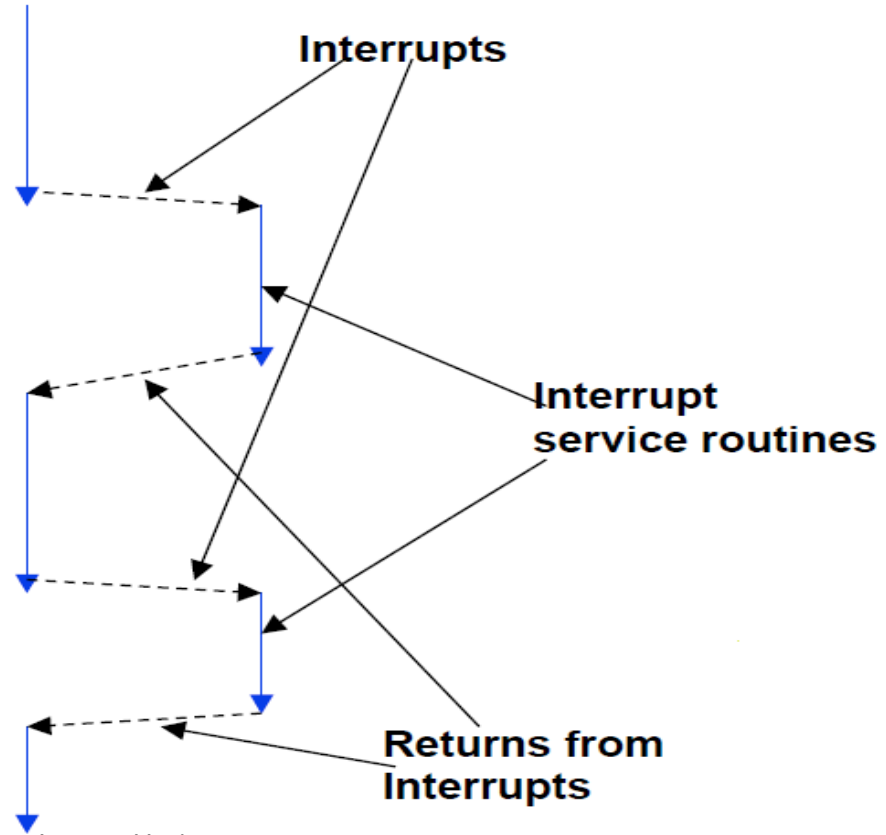
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- Interrupt

Normal execution



Normal execution
with interrupt



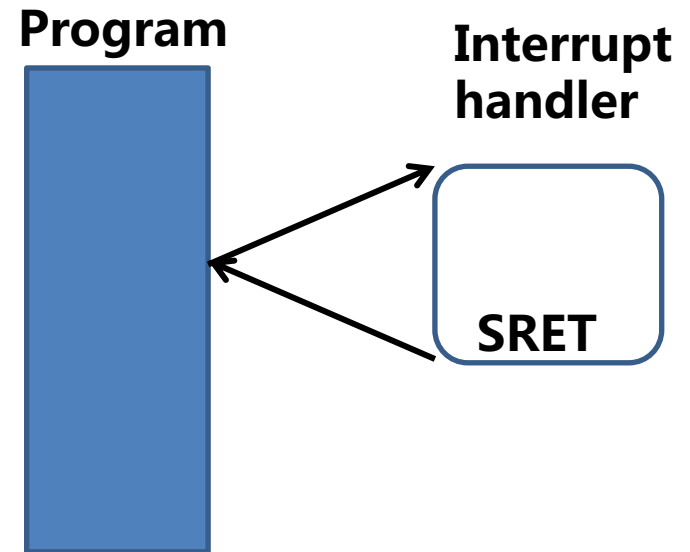
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- Programmed interrupt
 - **System calls**: a user-programmed interrupt
- Hardware interrupt
 - A change in execution caused by a hardware event
 - **Clock interrupt for timesharing**
 - I/O device interrupt: disk, network, keyboard etc.
- We do not handle other interrupts here
 - Page fault, TLB miss etc.



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- Handling interrupt
 - Save context
 - Determine what causes interrupt
 - Invoke specific routine based on type of interrupt
 - Restore context
 - Return from interrupt



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- Tips on implementing interrupt handler
 - What if interrupt occurs while in interrupt handler?
 - The processor automatically disables all interrupts when an interrupt occurs
 - The processor automatically re-enables all interrupts after sret is called



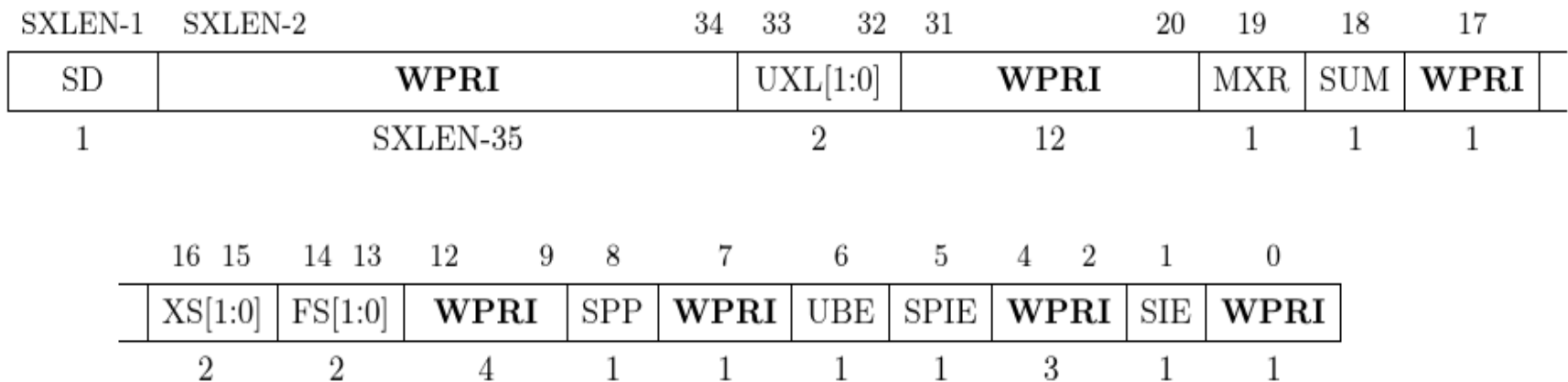
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- Tips on implementing interrupt handler
 - Control Status Registers(CSRs)
 - We need to manipulate CSRs when implementing interrupt handler
 - Two types of CSRs
 - One type is for setting up interrupt
 - The other is for handling interrupt
 - Pls. refer to Table P2-3 in guidebook



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- Tips on implementing interrupt handler
 - Enable/disable interrupt
 - sstatus register



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- Tips on implementing interrupt handler
 - Enable/disable interrupt
 - SIE bit enables or disables all interrupts in supervisor mode
 - SPIE bit indicates whether supervisor interrupts were enabled prior to trapping into supervisor mode.
 - You need to correctly initialize SPIE in sstatus register



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- Tips on implementing interrupt handler
 - Enable interrupt
 - sie register
 - STIE(Supervisor-level timer interrupt enable)
 - Set STIE when setting up clock interrupt

SXLEN-1	10	9	8	6	5	4	2	1	0
WPRI		SEIE	WPRI	STIE	WPRI	SSIE	WPRI		
SXLEN-10		1	3	1	3	1	1		



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- Tips on implementing interrupt handler
 - Entry to handle interrupt
 - stvec register
 - BASE field hold the interrupt handler' s address
 - Pls. refer to exception_handler_entry in entry.S

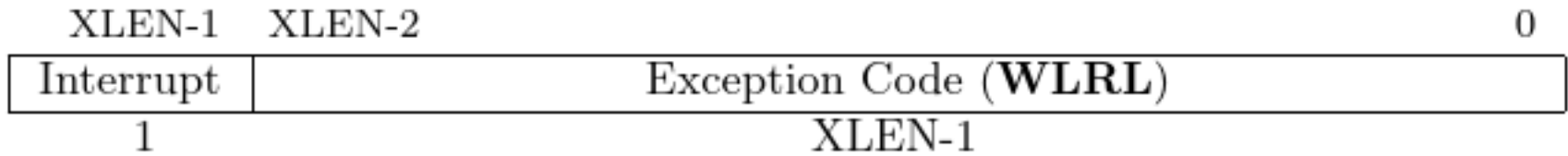


Value	Name	Description
0	Direct	All exceptions set pc to BASE.
1	Vectored	Asynchronous interrupts set pc to BASE+4×cause.
≥2	—	Reserved



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- Tips on implementing interrupt handler
 - Identifying interrupt type
 - scause register



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- Tips on implementing interrupt handler
 - Identifying interrupt type
 - pls. refer to Table P2-4

Interrupt	Exception Code	Description
1	0	<i>Reserved</i>
1	1	Supervisor software interrupt
1	2-4	<i>Reserved</i>
1	5	Supervisor timer interrupt
1	6-8	<i>Reserved</i>
1	9	Supervisor external interrupt
1	10-15	<i>Reserved</i>
1	≥ 16	<i>Available for platform use</i>
0	0	Instruction address misaligned
0	1	Instruction access fault
0	2	Illegal instruction
0	3	Breakpoint
0	4	Load address misaligned
0	5	Load access fault
0	6	Store/AMO address misaligned
0	7	Store/AMO access fault
0	8	Environment call from U-mode
0	9	Environment call from S-mode
0	10-11	<i>Reserved</i>



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- Tips on implementing interrupt handler
 - Manipulate CSR registers
 - csrr: read csr
 - Loads data from a CSR register into a CPU register
 - csrw: write csr
 - Stores data into a CSR register
 - csrc/csrs: clear/set a CSR register' s corresponding bits
 - Examples
 - csrr a0, sip
 - csrw stvec, t0



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- Syscall to support process sleep()
 - Blocking sleep
 - Block the task when it calls sleep()
 - Use a separate queue to keep sleeping tasks
 - Wake up the task
 - When the timing reaches sleeping threshold of the task
 - About timing
 - A global counter recording the number of ticks
 - The counter increases in each clock interrupt
 - We provide wall time calculation functions in time.c



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- Tips on implementing interrupt handler
 - What do you do in the clock interrupt handler?
 - How to deal with normal tasks?
 - Schedule based on your scheduling policy
 - How to deal with sleeping tasks?
 - Check whether waking up the task
 - Reset timer



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- Scheduler
 - Round robin
 - **Priority based**
 - Think about what kind of information should be included in PCB if you want to do the above scheduler



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- Step by step
 - Task 3 in guidebook
 - Implement syscalls
 - Support do_sleep
 - Modify sys_yield, printf, and mutex-related functions to syscalls



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- Step by step
 - Task 4 in guidebook
 - Implement clock interrupt handler and round robin based scheduler



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- Requirement for design review
 - How do you handle clock interrupt and syscalls? Pls. list things you will do to handle clock interrupt, or possible functions you will implement
 - What are user-level and kernel-level stacks used for? How are they used during handling interrupt、 syscalls and task scheduling?
 - When do you wake up the sleeping task?
 - Any questions you are not clear enough



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- Requirement for developing
 - S-Core
 - Implement syscalls, but syscall handler only needs to print error information, including
 - PC address where exception occurs (sepc)
 - bad address (stval)
 - exception causes (scause)



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- Requirement for developing
 - A-Core
 - Implement syscall handler, supporting blocking sleep, printf, sys_yield, and mutex-related syscalls
 - Implement clock interrupt handler



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- Requirement for developing
 - C-Core
 - All functions of A-Core
 - fork syscall, pls. refer to task 5 in guidebook
 - priori syscall and priority-based scheduler



Project 2 – A Simple Kernel

- P2 schedule
 - 4th Oct.
 - P2 part I due
 - P2 part II assignment
 - 11th Oct.
 - P2 part II design review
 - 18th Oct.
 - Hopefully P2 part II due

