

LAB-1 (Understanding Process Concepts)

1. Write a C program to implement process System calls ? [Hint use fork()]]
2. How many processes are created in a given program?

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
{
    int i;
    for (i = 0; i < 4; i++)
        fork();
    return 0;
}
```

3. When will line J be reached?

```
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
{
    pid_t pid;
    /* fork a child process */
    pid = fork();
    if (pid < 0) { /* error occurred */
        fprintf(stderr, "Fork Failed");
        return 1;
    }
    else if (pid == 0) { /* child process */
        execlp("/bin/ls", "ls", NULL);
        printf("LINE J");
    }
    else { /* parent process */
        /* parent will wait for the child to complete */
        wait(NULL);
        printf("Child Complete");
    }
    return 0;
}
```

4. What are the pid values?

```
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
{
    pid_t pid, pid1;
    /* fork a child process */
    pid = fork();
    if (pid < 0) { /* error occurred */
        fprintf(stderr, "Fork Failed");
        return 1;
    }
    else if (pid == 0) { /* child process */
        pid1 = getpid();
        printf("child: pid = %d",pid); /* A */
        printf("child: pid1 = %d",pid1); /* B */
    }
    else { /* parent process */
        pid1 = getpid();
        printf("parent: pid = %d",pid); /* C */
        printf("parent: pid1 = %d",pid1); /* D */
        wait(NULL);
    }
    return 0;
}
```

5. What will be at Line X and Line Y?

```
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#define SIZE 5
int nums[SIZE] = {0,1,2,3,4};
int main()
{
    int i;
    pid_t pid;
    pid = fork();
    if (pid == 0) {
        for (i = 0; i < SIZE; i++) {
            nums[i] *= -i;
            printf("CHILD: %d ",nums[i]); /* LINE X */
```

```
}  
}  
else if (pid > 0) {  
    wait(NULL);  
    for (i = 0; i < SIZE; i++)  
        printf("PARENT: %d ",nums[i]); /* LINE Y */  
}  
return 0;  
}
```