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### **SYSTEM CALL TRACING**

### Aim:

To write a C program and trace system calls used and print the same in ascending order using shell script. **Algorithm:** 

- 1. Create a C program with an output statement helloworld.
- 2. Compile and trace system calls while executing the executable file.
- 3. The output of the system calls trace is put in hellotrace file.
- 4. Shellscript to read the contents of hellotrace file and print only system call name as output.

# **Program Code:**

```
// hello.c
#include<stdio.h>
void main(){
    printf("Hello");
}

//systemcall.sh
cat hellotrace | cut -f1 -d "("
```

## **Output:**

```
__(shanthosh⊗kali)-[~/os_lab]
$ gcc hello.c -o hello
(shanthosh% kali)-[~/os_lab]
strace -o hellotrace ./hello
Helloworld
(shanthosh® kali)-[~/os_lab]
string vi systemcall.sh
(shanthosh% kali)-[~/os_lab]
state hellotrace | cut -f1 -d"("
execve
brk
mmap
openat
newfstatat
mmap
close
openat
read
pread64
newfstatat
pread64
mmap
mmap
mmap
mmap
close
mmap
arch_prctl
set_tid_address
set_robust_list
rseq
mprotect
mprotect
mprotect
prlimit64
munmap
newfstatat
getrandom
brk
brk
write
exit_group
+++ exited with 10 +++
```

### **Result:**

Hence the trace function call from the systemcall.sh script has been successfully executed to identify the calls made by the system during the execution of the hello.c program