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1)

The three commonly used operating systems these days include windows, linux and mac. Windows owned by Microsoft is a user friendly operating system in which most of the interaction is done using the GUI. There is a large amount of softwares that is available for this operating system. Linux on the other hand provides much customization and privileges to the user.

2)

Both will try to use the same input and output device, they will both require different memory, ram and they will try to use the same processor. Different registers will be required to maintain the basic things like program counter and stack counter. Also both the operating systems have different sets of rules and restrictions which will create conflict between them.

3)

Yes, two OS are running at the same time, one is the host OS and the other is a guest OS running on the virtual machine (Ubuntu 18.04).

4)

```
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ cat /proc/cpuinfo
processor       : 0
vendor_id      : GenuineIntel
cpu family     : 6
model          : 142
model name     : Intel(R) Core(TM) i3-7130U CPU @ 2.70GHz
stepping       : 9
microcode      : 0xf0
cpu MHz        : 2700.000
cache size     : 3072 KB
physical id    : 0
siblings       : 4
core id        : 0
cpu cores      : 2
apicid         : 0
initial apicid : 0
fpu            : yes
fpu_exception  : yes
cpuid level    : 22
wp             : yes
flags          : fpu vme de pse tsc msr pae mce cx8 apic sep mtrr pge mca cmov pat pse36 clflush dts acpi mmx fxsr sse s
se2 ss ht tm pbe syscall nx pdpe1gb rdtscp lm constant_tsc art arch_perfmon pebs bts rep_good nopl xtopology nonstop_tsc
cpuid aperfmperf pni pclmulqdq dtes64 monitor ds_cpl est tm2 ssse3 sdbg fma cx16 xtpr pdcm pcid sse4_1 sse4_2 x2apic movb
e popcnt tsc_deadline_timer aes xsave avx f16c rdrand lahf_lm abm 3dnowprefetch cpuid_fault epb invpcid_single pti ssbd i
brs ibpb stibp fsgsbase tsc_adjust bmi1 avx2 smep bmi2 erms invpcid mpx rdseed adx smap clflushopt intel_pt xsaveopt xsav
ec xgetbv1 xsave dtherm arat pln pts hwp hwp_notify hwp_act_window hwp_epp md_clear flush_l1d arch_capabilities
bugs           : cpu_meltdown spectre_v1 spectre_v2 spec_store_bypass l1tf mds swapgs itlb_multihit srbds mmio_stale_dat
a retbleed
bogomips       : 5399.81
clflush size   : 64
cache alignmen : 64
```

```
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ lscpu
Architecture:          x86_64
CPU op-mode(s):        32-bit, 64-bit
Byte Order:            Little Endian
Address sizes:         39 bits physical, 48 bits virtual
CPU(s):                4
On-line CPU(s) list:   0-3
Thread(s) per core:    2
Core(s) per socket:    2
Socket(s):             1
NUMA node(s):          1
Vendor ID:             GenuineIntel
CPU family:            6
Model:                 142
Model name:            Intel(R) Core(TM) i3-7130U CPU @ 2.70GHz
Stepping:              9
CPU MHz:               2700.000
CPU max MHz:           2700.0000
CPU min MHz:           400.0000
BogoMIPS:              5399.81
L1d cache:             64 KiB
L1i cache:             64 KiB
L2 cache:              512 KiB
L3 cache:              3 MiB
NUMA node0 CPU(s):     0-3
Vulnerability Itlb multihit: KVM: Mitigation: VMX unsupported
Vulnerability L1tf:      Mitigation; PTE Inversion
Vulnerability Mds:       Mitigation; Clear CPU buffers; SMT vulnerable
Vulnerability Meltdown:  Mitigation; PTI
Vulnerability Mmio stale data: Mitigation; Clear CPU buffers; SMT vulnerable
Vulnerability Retbleed:  Mitigation; IBRS
```

5)

```
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ ps u
USER      PID %CPU %MEM    VSZ   RSS TTY      STAT START   TIME COMMAND
g-hee    1537  0.0  0.0 164016  6504 tty2      Ss+  20:25   0:00 /usr/lib/gdm3/gdm-x-session --run-script env GNOME_SHE
g-hee    1543  2.5  0.7 532220 90776 tty2      Sl+  20:25   3:44 /usr/lib/xorg/Xorg vt2 -displayfd 3 -auth /run/user/10
g-hee    1577  0.0  0.1 188096 13720 tty2      Sl+  20:25   0:00 /usr/libexec/gnome-session-binary --systemd --systemd
g-hee    3233  0.0  0.0 10884  5236 pts/0    Ss   21:35   0:00 bash
g-hee    8044  0.0  0.0 11496  3268 pts/0    R+   22:52   0:00 ps u
```

```
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ top
top - 22:55:26 up 2:30, 1 user, load average: 0.56, 0.51, 0.49
Tasks: 247 total, 1 running, 246 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 4.3 us, 1.3 sy, 0.0 ni, 94.2 id, 0.1 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.1 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem : 11842.5 total, 6436.5 free, 2235.1 used, 3170.9 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 1897.4 total, 1897.4 free, 0.0 used, 8672.1 avail Mem

  PID USER      PR  NI   VIRT   RES   SHR  S  %CPU  %MEM     TIME+ COMMAND
 1696 g-hee    20   0 4490656 302632 109540 S   8.9   2.5   5:15.18 gnome-shell
 1543 g-hee    20   0 537120  90788  55792 S   5.0   0.7   3:54.55 Xorg
 7053 g-hee    20   0 1129.1g 323104 131388 S   2.3   2.7   8:11.72 brave
 2491 g-hee    20   0 32.8g 378384 186384 S   1.7   3.1   4:52.82 brave
 2529 g-hee    20   0 32.5g 117104  92792 S   1.3   1.0   1:27.44 brave
 5339 g-hee    20   0 1125.0g 188680 100808 S   1.0   1.6   0:27.38 brave
 788  message+ 20   0 10004  6572  3836 S   0.7   0.1   0:08.25 dbus-daemon
 8098 g-hee    20   0 11988  4048  3272 R   0.7   0.0   0:00.11 top
 14  root      20   0 0 0 0 I   0.3   0.0   0:06.11 rcu_sched
 15  root      20   0 0 0 0 S   0.3   0.0   0:00.05 migration/0
 21  root      20   0 0 0 0 S   0.3   0.0   0:03.40 ksoftirqd/1
 790  root      20   0 336548 20444 16848 S   0.3   0.2   0:22.75 NetworkManager
1225 geoclue  20   0 508860 20292 14464 S   0.3   0.2   0:05.50 geoclue
5118 g-hee    20   0 1419628 429020 191916 S   0.3   3.5   4:10.45 telegram-deskto
5988 root      20   0 0 0 0 I   0.3   0.0   0:02.26 kworker/u8:3-events_power_efficient
7274 root      20   0 0 0 0 I   0.3   0.0   0:11.59 kworker/1:0-events
 1  root      20   0 168348 11600  8208 S   0.0   0.1   0:02.18 systemd
 2  root      20   0 0 0 0 S   0.0   0.0   0:00.00 kthreadd
```

Top 5 processes which are running are:

|              | Memory(%) | Time |
|--------------|-----------|------|
| Gnome-shell: | 2.5       | 5:15 |
| Xorg         | 0.7       | 3:54 |
| Brave        | 8.4       | 8:11 |
| Dbus-daemon  | 0.1       | 0:08 |
| Top          | 0.0       | 0:00 |

6) ``ps aux | grep <process-name>`` – to find the pid and other information about the process

``kill <pid>`` – to kill that process

After running the ``yes`` command to run a never ending process, and kill it:

```
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ ps aux|grep yes
g-hee      9339  0.0  0.0  8908  716 pts/0    S+   23:34   0:00 grep --color=auto yes
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ kill 9339
```

7)

Foreground processes are the processes that require interaction by the user.

Background processes are the processes that do not require any user intervention and run independently..

8)

A process is a program that is loaded in the memory along with all the resources it needs to operate whereas a thread is a single execution within a process. The number threads can vary from one to many depending upon the type of process. A single thread means there is only one thing happening in the process whereas in a multi-threaded process there are a number of things happening at the same time.

9)

**RAM** is a type of volatile memory that stores the currently used data. It stores the data temporarily and once the computer is turned off the data is lost. **Swap** memory enables the OS to provide memory to a program when the system runs out of RAM. **Cache** memory is faster than RAM but also costlier and provides faster access to memory.

10)

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>

void fact(int n)
{
    if (n == 0)
        return;
    printf("recursive call: %d times\n", n);
    func(n-1);
}

int main()
{
    // here we are allocating the memory in the stack
    int a = 2;
    // malloc helps us allocate the memory in the heap
    int *b = (int *) malloc(sizeof(int)); *b = 3;
    fact(a);
    free(b);
    return 0;
}
```

12)

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main()
{
    int arr[5] = {8, 10, 7, 2, 9};
    printf("%d\n", arr[5]);
    return 0;
}
```

The program ran and gave an output as a garbage value. This is because C and C++ do not check array boundaries. The program may or may not crash but it is very probable that the program causes a segmentation fault.

13)

We are using `ip addr` to check our ip.

```
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ ip addr
1: lo: <LOOPBACK,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 65536 qdisc noqueue state UNKNOWN group default qlen 1000
    link/loopback 00:00:00:00:00:00 brd 00:00:00:00:00:00
    inet 127.0.0.1/8 scope host lo
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
    inet6 ::1/128 scope host
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
2: wlp3s0: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 1500 qdisc noqueue state UP group default qlen 1000
    link/ether 00:23:15:e2:d2:b8 brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
    inet 192.168.43.164/24 brd 192.168.43.255 scope global dynamic noprefixroute wlp3s0
        valid_lft 3001sec preferred_lft 3001sec
    inet6 2409:4056:100:45c0:6db9:8fe4:338f:a9ec/64 scope global temporary dynamic
        valid_lft 3322sec preferred_lft 3322sec
    inet6 2409:4056:100:45c0:ca6c:84f7:4346:bc1a/64 scope global dynamic mngtmpaddr noprefixroute
        valid_lft 3322sec preferred_lft 3322sec
    inet6 fe80::3485:b626:e1f8:42f6/64 scope link noprefixroute
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$
```

We can see our ip address is 192.168.43.164.

14)

```
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ ping -c 1 google.com
PING google.com (del03s13-in-x0e.1e100.net (2404:6800:4002:808::200e)) 56 data bytes
64 bytes from del03s13-in-x0e.1e100.net (2404:6800:4002:808::200e): icmp_seq=1 ttl=117 time=58.2 ms

--- google.com ping statistics ---
1 packets transmitted, 1 received, 0% packet loss, time 0ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 58.240/58.240/58.240/0.000 ms
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ ping -c 1 iitmandi.ac.in
PING iitmandi.ac.in (204.197.248.190) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 204.197.248.190 (204.197.248.190): icmp_seq=1 ttl=40 time=356 ms

--- iitmandi.ac.in ping statistics ---
1 packets transmitted, 1 received, 0% packet loss, time 0ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 355.783/355.783/355.783/0.000 ms
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ ping -c 1 facebook.com
PING facebook.com (edge-star-mini6-shv-02-del1.facebook.com (2a03:2880:f144:181:face:b00c:0:25de)) 56 data bytes
64 bytes from edge-star-mini6-shv-02-del1.facebook.com (2a03:2880:f144:181:face:b00c:0:25de): icmp_seq=1 ttl=57 time=72.3 ms

--- facebook.com ping statistics ---
1 packets transmitted, 1 received, 0% packet loss, time 0ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 72.290/72.290/72.290/0.000 ms
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ ping -c 1 amazon.in
PING amazon.in (52.95.116.115) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 52.95.116.115 (52.95.116.115): icmp_seq=1 ttl=226 time=223 ms

--- amazon.in ping statistics ---
1 packets transmitted, 1 received, 0% packet loss, time 0ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 222.766/222.766/222.766/0.000 ms
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ ping -c 1 flipkart.com
PING flipkart.com (163.53.78.110) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 163.53.78.110 (163.53.78.110): icmp_seq=1 ttl=52 time=123 ms

--- flipkart.com ping statistics ---
1 packets transmitted, 1 received, 0% packet loss, time 0ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 123.065/123.065/123.065/0.000 ms
```

Latency of google.com - 58.2ms

Latency of iitmandi.ac.in - 356ms

Latency of facebook.com - 72.3ms

Latency of amazon.in - 223 ms

Latency of flipkart.com - 123ms



15)

Linux provides us with two commands: 'curl' and 'wget' that allow us to send HTTP requests without the use of a web browser or any other interactive app. These commands enable us to perform non-interactive upload and download.

If we use 'curl' and 'wget' to get a page from a website, the 'curl' command shows the output on the console whereas the 'wget' command downloads the page into a file.

'curl' is basically a general purpose tool for transferring data to and from a server and supports a large number of protocols: DICT, FILE, FTPS, GOPHER, IMAP, LDAP, POP3, RTMP, RTSP, TFTP, TELNET, SMB, SMBS, SMTP, SMTPS, SCP and SFTP. On the other hand, 'wget' is basically a network downloader.

16)

Configuring proxy depends upon the operating system we are using and some applications do not use the system proxy by default and we have to set their proxy separately.

To set the https\_proxy environment variable:

```
export https_proxy=http://proxyip:'port'
```

To set the http\_proxy environment variable:

```
export http_proxy=http://proxyip:'port'
```

To set the ftp\_proxy environment variable:

```
export ftp_proxy=http://proxyip:'port'
```

For example in our case:

```
export http_proxy="http://gateway.iitmandi.ac.in:8080"
```

```
export https_proxy="http://gateway.iitmandi.ac.in:8080"
```

```
export ftp_proxy="ftp://gateway.iitmandi.ac.in:8080"
```

17)

```
Disk /dev/nvme0n1: 238.49 GiB, 256060514304 bytes, 500118192 sectors
Disk model: SPCC M.2 PCIe SSD
Units: sectors of 1 * 512 = 512 bytes
Sector size (logical/physical): 512 bytes / 512 bytes
I/O size (minimum/optimal): 512 bytes / 512 bytes
Disklabel type: gpt
Disk identifier: 65F8867D-4A78-4561-8A4C-1330C84A06F6

Device            Start      End      Sectors  Size Type
/dev/nvme0n1p1     2048     1085439  1083392  529M Windows recovery environment
/dev/nvme0n1p2    1085440    1290239   204800  100M EFI System
/dev/nvme0n1p3    1290240    1323007    32768   16M Microsoft reserved
/dev/nvme0n1p4    1323008   416231423 414908416 197.9G Microsoft basic data
/dev/nvme0n1p5    416231424 500117503  83886080  40G Linux filesystem

Disk /dev/sda: 931.53 GiB, 1000204886016 bytes, 1953525168 sectors
```

18)

```
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ netstat
Active Internet connections (w/o servers)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address           Foreign Address         State
tcp      0      0 HP-Pavilion-x360-:53332 10.7.0.1:http-alt      TIME_WAIT
tcp      0      0 HP-Pavilion-x360-:53328 10.7.0.1:http-alt      TIME_WAIT
tcp      0      0 HP-Pavilion-x360-:53330 10.7.0.1:http-alt      TIME_WAIT
tcp      0      0 HP-Pavilion-x360-:53334 10.7.0.1:http-alt      TIME_WAIT
udp      0      0 HP-Pavilion-x360:bootpc 10.7.0.1:bootps        ESTABLISHED

Active UNIX domain sockets (w/o servers)
Proto RefCnt Flags               Type           State         I-Node  Path
unix   2      [ ]                  DGRAM          CONNECTED     42736    /run/user/1000/systemd/notify
unix   4      [ ]                  DGRAM          CONNECTED     18991    /run/systemd/notify
unix   2      [ ]                  DGRAM          CONNECTED     19005    /run/systemd/journal/syslog
unix  23      [ ]                  DGRAM          CONNECTED     19015    /run/systemd/journal/dev-log
unix   8      [ ]                  DGRAM          CONNECTED     19019    /run/systemd/journal/socket
unix   3      [ ]                  SEQPACKET      CONNECTED     51835    @0000d
unix   3      [ ]                  SEQPACKET      CONNECTED     51855    @0000e
unix   3      [ ]                  SEQPACKET      CONNECTED     51857    @0000f
unix   3      [ ]                  SEQPACKET      CONNECTED     51834    @0000a
unix   3      [ ]                  SEQPACKET      CONNECTED     54497    @0000b
unix   3      [ ]                  SEQPACKET      CONNECTED     54498    @0000c
unix   2      [ ]                  DGRAM          CONNECTED     31595    /run/wpa_supplicant/wlp3s0
unix   2      [ ]                  DGRAM          CONNECTED     36154    /run/wpa_supplicant/p2p-dev-wlp3s0
unix   3      [ ]                  STREAM         CONNECTED     45821
unix   3      [ ]                  STREAM         CONNECTED     31848
unix   3      [ ]                  STREAM         CONNECTED     46889
unix   3      [ ]                  STREAM         CONNECTED     56163
unix   3      [ ]                  STREAM         CONNECTED     53465
unix   3      [ ]                  STREAM         CONNECTED     48288    /run/user/1000/bus
unix   3      [ ]                  STREAM         CONNECTED     48269
unix   3      [ ]                  STREAM         CONNECTED     42862

g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$ vmstat
procs -----memory----- ---swap-- -----io---- -system-- -----cpu-----
 r  b   swpd   free   buff   cache   si   so    bi   bo    in   cs  us  sy  id  wa  st
 2  1     0 8836964 99708 2077992    0    0   103  42   59  111  1  0 98  0  0
g-hee@HP-Pavilion-x360-Convertible-14-ba0xx:~$
```