

⚠ This quiz has been regraded; your score was not affected.

Midterm (Deadline: November 13, 11:59 pm)

Due Nov 13 at 11:59pm

Points 30

Questions 30

Available Nov 6 at 12am - Nov 14 at 11:59pm

Time Limit 60 Minutes

Instructions

This is a take-home midterm exam. You will have consecutive 60 minutes to finish. Once the time is up, it will automatically be submitted.

This quiz was locked Nov 14 at 11:59pm.

Attempt History

	Attempt	Time	Score	Regraded
LATEST	Attempt 1	40 minutes	22 out of 30	22 out of 30

Score for this quiz: **22** out of 30

Submitted Nov 6 at 3:20pm

This attempt took 40 minutes.

Question 1

1 / 1 pts

The Linux kernel is a monolithic kernel.

Correct!

☒ True

☐ False

Question 2

1 / 1 pts

The Linux kernel is a microkernel.

☐ True

☒ False

Correct!

Question 3

0 / 1 pts

Linux has the following license(s):

☒ GPLv3

☒ GPLv2 and onwards

☐ BSD

☒ GPLv2

You Answered

You Answered

Correct!

Question 4 Original Score: 1 / 1 pts Regrated Score: 1 / 1 pts

⚠ This question has been regraded.

Linux drivers are both in user space and kernel space.

☐ True

☒ False

Correct Answer

You Answered

Question 5

0 / 1 pts

The completely fair scheduler (CFS) allots equal wall time to processes within a scheduling period.

You Answered

☒ True

Correct Answer

☐ False

Question 6

1 / 1 pts

The completely fair scheduler (CFS) allots equal virtual time to processes within a scheduling period.

Correct!

☒ True

☐ False

Question 7

1 / 1 pts

We have a scheduling period of 50 ms. We have 3 processes: 2 with nice = 0, 1 with nice = 6. What is the wall-time of the nice 6 process? In other words, how long does it *actually* run? (rounded to nearest integer)

Correct!

☒ 6 ms

☐ 17 ms

☐ 22 ms

☐ 10 ms

Question 8

1 / 1 pts

Which of the following is the correct order for interfacing between systems:

☐ User Applications<->Hardware<->Operating System

☒ User Applications<->Operating System<->Hardware

☐ Hardware<->User Applications<->Operating System

Correct!

Question 9

1 / 1 pts

Select the following that could be considered part of an operating system:

☒ Terminal

☒ Process handling

☒ GUI (Graphical user interface)

☒ File management

☒ Process scheduling

☒ Networking

Correct!

Correct!

Correct!

Correct!

Correct!

Correct!

Question 10

1 / 1 pts

Select the following that could be considered part of the kernel:

☐ GUI (Graphical user interface)

☐ Terminal

☒ Networking

☒ Processing scheduling

☒ Process handling

☒ File management

Correct!

Correct!

Correct!

Correct!

Question 11

1 / 1 pts

User applications never enter the kernel; Instead, the kernel may act on behalf of applications via system calls.

☒ True

☐ False

Correct!

Question 12

0 / 1 pts

When a system call is activated, the processor is interrupted and the input arguments into the system call handler are passed from user space like a normal function call.

☒ True

Not Answered

Incorrect Answer

☐ False

Question 13

1 / 1 pts

The memory space for the kernel is one space while applications each have their own memory space.

Correct!

☒ True

☐ False

Question 14

0 / 1 pts

The fork glibc (GNU C Library) function calls the system call fork.

You Answered

☒ True

Incorrect Answer

☐ False

Question 15

1 / 1 pts

The primary core types of modules are:

☐ char, block, serial

☒ char, block, network

☐ USB, char, network

Correct!

☐ char, network, video

Question 16

1 / 1 pts

Select each of the following that is true about kernel modules:

Correct!

☒ insmod causes the init function to be called

Correct!

☒ rmmod causes the exit function to be called

Question 17

1 / 1 pts

In terms of analogy, /dev is more like the packaging and labeling of a box while /sys is more like opening and accessing the box.

Correct!

☐ True

☒ False

Question 18

1 / 1 pts

Character devices appear as a file in /dev while block devices do not appear as a file in /dev

Correct!

☐ True

☒ False

Question 19

1 / 1 pts

Network interfaces have a file associated with them.

☐ True

☒ False

Correct!

Question 20

1 / 1 pts

systemd is part of the Linux kernel.

☐ True

☒ False

Correct!

Question 21

0 / 1 pts

systemd operates in user space.

☐ True

☒ False

Correct Answer

You Answered

Question 22

0 / 1 pts

Package code is updated by sudo apt update.

you Answered

☒ True

Correct Answer

☐ False

Question 23

0 / 1 pts

Consider the following module code, which is in a file `naksu.c` (and compiled to `naksu.ko`).

```
#include <linux/module.h>
#include <linux/init.h>
#include <linux/kernel.h>
#include <linux/fs.h>
#include <linux/device.h>
#include <linux/uaccess.h>

#define DEVICE_NAME "onepiece"
#define CLASS_NAME "treasure"

MODULE_LICENSE("GPL");
MODULE_AUTHOR("(Captain) Jack Sparrow");
MODULE_DESCRIPTION("Greatest module in the sea!");
MODULE_VERSION("0.000001");

static int times = 10;
module_param(times, int, S_IRUGO);

static int __init hello_init(void){
    printk(KERN_INFO "I'm great but Captain Barbossa is %d time
s more of a team leader TBH\n", times);
    return 0;
}

static void __exit hello_exit(void){
    printk(KERN_INFO "Time to go to Tortuga and chill\n");
}

module_init(hello_init);
module_exit(hello_exit);
```

The following files or directories will exist in the file system after this module is inserted:

☐ `/dev/naksu`

you Answered

☒ `/sys/class/treasure/onepiece`

Correct!

☒ `/sys/module/naksu`

you Answered

☒ `/dev/onepiece`

Question 24

0 / 1 pts

Consider the same module code as the last question, which is in a file `naksu.c` (and compiled to `naksu.ko`).

```
#include <linux/module.h>
#include <linux/init.h>
#include <linux/kernel.h>
#include <linux/fs.h>
#include <linux/device.h>
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    printk(KERN_INFO "I'm great but Captain Barbossa is %d times more of a team leader TBH\n", times);
    return 0;
}

static void __exit hello_exit(void){
    printk(KERN_INFO "Time to go to Tortuga and chill\n");
}

module_init(hello_init);
module_exit(hello_exit);
```

The following is true about the use of the `S_IRUGO` flag:

☐ Only root can view the value of times

☒ Only root can change the value of times

☒ All users are able to view the value of times

☐ All users are able to modify the value of times

You Answered

Correct!

Question 25

1 / 1 pts

Consider the module code (different from before), which is in a file `naksu.c` (and compiled to `naksu.ko`).

```
#include <linux/module.h>
#include <linux/init.h>
#include <linux/kernel.h>
#include <linux/fs.h>
#include <linux/device.h>
#include <linux/uaccess.h>
#define DEVICE_NAME "onepiece"
#define CLASS_NAME "treasure"

static int majorNumber;
static struct class* mescharClass = NULL;
static struct device* mescharDevice = NULL;

static int device_open(struct inode *, struct file *);

static struct file_operations fops =
{
    .open = device_open
};

MODULE_LICENSE("GPL");
MODULE_AUTHOR("Abraham Lincoln");
MODULE_DESCRIPTION("Greatest module in the world!");
MODULE_VERSION("0.000001");

static int multiplier = 10;
module_param(multiplier, int, S_IRUGO);

static int __init hello_init(void){
    majorNumber = register_chrdev(0, DEVICE_NAME, &fops);
    mescharClass = class_create(THIS_MODULE, CLASS_NAME);
    mescharDevice = device_create(mescharClass, NULL, MKDEV(maj
orNumber, 0), NULL, DEVICE_NAME);
    printk(KERN_INFO "Oh hi mark - I love Lisa %dX more than yo
u do\n", multiplier);
    return 0;
}

static void __exit hello_exit(void){
    device_destroy(mescharClass, MKDEV(majorNumber,0));
    class_unregister(mescharClass);
    class_destroy(mescharClass);
    unregister_chrdev(majorNumber, DEVICE_NAME);
    printk(KERN_INFO "sad, but still love Lisa %dX more than yo
u\n", multiplier);
}

static int device_open(struct inode *inodep, struct file *file
p){
    printk(KERN_INFO "You're tearing me apart, Lisa!\n");
    return 0;
}

module_init(hello_init);
module_exit(hello_exit);
```

The following files will exist in the file system after this module is inserted:

Correct!

☒ /sys/class/treasure/onepiece

Correct!

☒ /dev/onepiece

☐ /dev/treasure/onepiece

Correct!

☒ /sys/module/naksu

Question 26

1 / 1 pts

Consider the module code (same as the previous question), which is in a file `naksu.c` (and compiled to `naksu.ko`).

```
#include <linux/module.h>
#include <linux/init.h>
#include <linux/kernel.h>
#include <linux/fs.h>
#include <linux/device.h>
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#define DEVICE_NAME "onepiece"
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    majorNumber = register_chrdev(0, DEVICE_NAME, &fops);
    mescharClass = class_create(THIS_MODULE, CLASS_NAME);
    mescharDevice = device_create(mescharClass, NULL, MKDEV(majorNumber, 0), NULL, DEVICE_NAME);
    printk(KERN_INFO "Oh hi mark - I love Lisa %dX more than you do\n", multiplier);
    return 0;
}

static void __exit hello_exit(void){
    device_destroy(mescharClass, MKDEV(majorNumber, 0));
    class_unregister(mescharClass);
    class_destroy(mescharClass);
    unregister_chrdev(majorNumber, DEVICE_NAME);
    printk(KERN_INFO "sad, but still love Lisa %dX more than you\n", multiplier);
}
```

```
}

static int device_open(struct inode *inodep, struct file *file
p){
    printk(KERN_INFO "You're tearing me apart, Lisa!\n");
    return 0;
}

module_init(hello_init);
module_exit(hello_exit);
```

The following function is actually not required in the above code.

- ☐ device_destroy()
- ☐ unregister_chrdev()
- ☒ class_unregister()
- ☐ class_destroy()

Correct!

Question 27

1 / 1 pts

Using the open() C standard library function is an example of direct use of a system call.

- ☐ True
- ☒ False

Correct!

Question 28

1 / 1 pts

Working with a character device named "coolDevice: through a driver would involve:

☐

Using register_blkdev, class_create, and device_create to set up the device in the driver

Correct!

☒

Using the C function open() on /dev/coolDevice when accessing the device from user space

Correct!

☒

Linking the system call open with the open() function in the driver

Question 29

1 / 1 pts

The major number of a driver is unique compared to other major numbers of different drivers.

Correct!

☒ True

☐ False

Question 30

1 / 1 pts

The minor number of a device is unique compared to other minor numbers of devices of different drivers.

☐ True

☒ False

Correct!

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