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CGS D3-D1

To run this section, run 'make' in your console at the root of the CGS_D3_D1 folder. Then run './shell' to run the code and show its output. To view the hexdump, run 'hexdump -C virtualdiskD3_D1'.

Format()

- Initializes the first four blocks of the virtual disk with the root block, FAT blocks and directory block

```
for ( int i = 0; i < BLOCKSIZE; i++){  
    block.data[i] = '\0';  
};
```

- Initialize an empty block by writing '/0' to its every data position
- Copy string 'CS3026 Operating Systems Assessment' to the data section and write the block to index 0 of the virtual disk
- Prepare the FAT by making every element of the array UNUSED, then set the initial values from 0-3 which correspond to the root block, two FAT blocks and the root directory block

```
for ( int i = 0; i < MAXBLOCKS; i++) {  
    FAT[i] = UNUSED;  
};  
  
FAT[0] = ENDOFCHAIN ;  
FAT[1] = 2 ;  
FAT[2] = ENDOFCHAIN ;  
FAT[3] = ENDOFCHAIN ;
```

- Call copyFat(), explained below
- Prepare the root directory by writing '/0' to every data position in a block
- As the block is a directory, set 'isdir' to 1, and initialize every entrylist entry to unused since the directory is empty.
- Set the rootDirIndex to 3, as we know it will be at this position throughout runtime
- Write the root directory into its corresponding block in the virtual disk

copyFat()

- Copies the global FAT object to the blocks 1 and 2 in the virtual disk.
- The FAT structure will be divided into two blocks, so create an array of two `fatblock_t` structures, write the first half of FAT to the first block and the second half to the second block

```
fatblock_t fatBlocks[2];

for (int i = 0; i < MAXBLOCKS; i++) {
    if (i < FATENTRYCOUNT) {
        fatBlocks[0][i] = FAT[i];
    } else {
        fatBlocks[1][i-FATENTRYCOUNT] = FAT[i];
    };
};
```

- Finally, cycle through the two blocks and write both of them to the virtual disk

```
for (int i = 0; i < 2; i++) {
    writeblock(fatBlocks[i], i+1);
}
```

```
00000000  43 53 33 30 32 36 20 4f 70 65 72 61 74 69 6e 67 |CS3026 Operating|
00000010  20 53 79 73 74 65 6d 73 20 41 73 73 65 73 73 6d | Systems Assessm|
00000020  65 6e 74 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |ent.....|
00000030  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
*
00000400  00 00 02 00 00 00 00 00 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff |.....|
00000410  ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff |.....|
*
00000c00  01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|
00000c10  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
*
00000d20  00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
00000d30  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
*
00000e30  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|
00000e40  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
*
00100000
```

hexdump -C virtualdiskD3_D1 output

CGS C3-C1

To run this section, run 'make' in your console in the root of the 'CGS_C3_C1' folder. Then run './shell' to run the code and show its output. To view the hexdump, run 'hexdump -C virtualdiskC3_C1'.

Note: The additions in the beginning of myfopen() of part A3-A1 will be discussed in the corresponding section.

myfopen()

- Initialize MyFILE * openFile with malloc()
- Set local variables that are used by the function – found, pos, l and freeBlock
- Set block to the current directory block specified by the global variable currentDirIndex
- Loop through the entryLists of the directory block and see if the file already exists. If yes, set found to true and save the position of the entrylist

```
for(int i = 0; i < DIRENTRYCOUNT; i++) {
    if (block.dir.entrylist[i].unused) continue;
    if (strcmp(block.dir.entrylist[i].name, filename) == 0) {
        found = TRUE;
        pos = i;
        break;
    }
}
```

- If found, set the variables of openFile to correspond with the existing file
- If not found, loop through the entrylist of the current directory and find an unused block

```
for (int i = 0; i < DIRENTRYCOUNT; i++) {
    if (block.dir.entrylist[i].unused == TRUE) {
        freeBlock = i;
        break;
    }
}
```

- Set the found unused entry's 'unused' to TRUE since it is in use
- Find the next unused FAT entry, described later in this section
- Set the index of the unused FAT to ENDOFCHAIN, since it will be in use
- Set the block and name of the entry in the directory to the unused FAT index and the filename respectively

```
int nextFreeFatEntry = nextUnusedFatEntry();

block.dir.entrylist[freeBlock].firstblock = nextFreeFatEntry;

strcpy(block.dir.entrylist[freeBlock].name, filename);

FAT[(int)nextFreeFatEntry] = ENDOFCHAIN;
```

- Save the fat and directory to the virtual disk
- Add all of the gathered information to the openFile
- Return openFile

```
openFile->pos      = (int)0; // Which byte
openFile->mode[0]  = mode[0];
openFile->buffer    = openFileBlock;
openFile->blockno   = nextFreeFatEntry;
openFile->dir_pos   = freeBlock;
```

nextUnusedFatEntry()

- Loop through all index of the FAT and return an index that is unused

```
int nextUnusedFatEntry(){
    for ( int i = 0; i < MAXBLOCKS; i++) {
        if (FAT[i] == UNUSED) {
            return i;
        };
    };
    return -1;
}
```

Next, I created a char array of a repeating sequence of the alphabet. Each index was individually sent to myputc(). Then I closed the file with myfclose, and then opened it again. Then I read the file letter by letter, output the results to the console and wrote them to the file 'testfileC3_C1_copy.txt'.

Myputc()

- Set writing of the stream to true
- Check if the pointer is too high for the current block
- If so, write the current buffer to the virtual disk, and point to the next FAT entry
- If the next FAT entry does not exist i.e. current FAT entry == ENDOFCHAIN, create a new fat entry by finding a free fat entry and pointing the existing entry to it. Then set the block of the stream to the new fat entry

```
if (FAT[stream->blockno] == ENDOFCHAIN) {
    // FAT does not point anywhere, extend it.
    int nextFreeFatEntry = nextUnusedFatEntry();

    FAT[stream->blockno] = nextFreeFatEntry;
    FAT[nextFreeFatEntry] = ENDOFCHAIN;
    copyFat();

    stream->blockno = nextFreeFatEntry;
```

- Flush out buffer
- Increase the filelength of the file with the added 'dir_pos' value to find which the position of the file in the current directory
- Write the value to the buffer at the current position
- Increment the pos counter and stop writing to the file

```
virtualDisk[rootDirIndex].dir.entrylist[stream->dir_pos].filelength++;
stream->buffer.data[stream->pos] = (unsigned char) b;
stream->pos++;
stream->writing = FALSE;
```

myfgetc()

- Initialize the length of the file from its directory entry
- If the position is above the current length, move to the next block with the FAT table if it exists. If yes, adjust the block and position.

```
if (stream->pos >= BLOCKSIZE) {
    // No more blocks to get
    if (FAT[stream->blockno] == ENDOFCHAIN) {
        printf("\nEND of file reached due to FAT\n");
        return -1;
    }
    stream->blockno = FAT[stream->blockno];
    stream->pos = stream->pos - BLOCKSIZE;
}
```

- Make sure the current character is being read has not exceeded the file size in the directory entry, not EOF
- Then write the character to the buffer, increment the position and length of the entry in the directory
- Return the character

myfclose()

- Write the current buffer to the virtual disk
- Free the stream pointer

```

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00000020 65 6e 74 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |ent.....|
00000030 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
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00000400 00 00 02 00 00 00 00 00 05 00 06 00 07 00 08 00 |.....|
00000410 00 00 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff |.....|
00000420 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff |.....|
*
00000c00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 10 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
00000c10 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 10 00 00 04 00 74 65 |.....te|
00000c20 73 74 66 69 6c 65 2e 74 78 74 00 00 00 00 00 00 |stfile.txt.....|
00000c30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
*
00000d20 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
00000d30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
*
00000e30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 |.....|
00000e40 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
*
00001000 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 4a 4b 4c 4d 4e 4f 50 |ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOP|
00001010 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 57 5a 41 42 43 44 45 46 |QRSTUVWXYZABCDEF|
00001020 47 48 49 4a 4b 4c 4d 4e 4f 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 |GHIJKLMNOPQRSTU|
00001030 57 58 57 5a 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 4a 4b 4c |VWXYZABCDEFGHIJK|
00001040 4d 4e 4f 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 57 5a 41 42 |LMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ|
00001050 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 4a 4b 4c 4d 4e 4f 50 51 52 |CDEFGHIJKLMNOPQ|
00001060 53 54 55 56 57 58 57 5a 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 |STUVWXYZABCDEFGH|
00001070 49 4a 4b 4c 4d 4e 4f 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 |IJKLMNOPQRSTUVW|
00001080 57 5a 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 4a 4b 4c 4d 4e |WXYZABCDEFGHIJKL|
00001090 4f 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 57 5a 41 42 43 44 |OPQRSTUVWXYZABCD|
000010a0 45 46 47 48 49 4a 4b 4c 4d 4e 4f 50 51 52 53 54 |EFGHIJKLMNQRST|

```

hexdump -C virtualdiskC3_C1 output

CGS B3-B1

To run this section, run 'make' in your console in the root of the 'CGS_B3_B1' folder. Then run './shell' to run the code and show its output. To view the hexdump, run 'hexdump -C virtualdiskB3_B1_a' or 'hexdump -C virtualdiskB3_B1_b'.

Create a new path with mymkdir, get the contents of a subpath, print it out. Change directory with mychdir, create a file in current directory with myfopen and list and print contents of subpath.

mymkdir()

- If path starts with '/', start at root dir. Otherwise start at relative current directory with currentDirIndex

```
if (path[0] == 47) {  
    thisDirIndex = rootDirIndex;  
}
```

- Loop through directories in path with strtok_r

```
while ((dir = strtok_r(rest, "/", &rest))){
```

- Loop through directory entries in current directory and see if their name matches dir

```
// Find dir from current directory  
for(int i = 0; i < DIRENTRYCOUNT; i++) {  
    if (!virtualDisk[thisDirIndex].dir.entrylist[i].isdir) continue;  
  
    if (strcmp(virtualDisk[thisDirIndex].dir.entrylist[i].name, dir) == 0) {
```

- If yes, change current directory
- If no, find a free block in the virtual disk, set its directory to unused
- Set other variables to it such as block number, name, length

```
virtualDisk[thisDirIndex].dir.entrylist[freeBlock].firstblock = nextFreeFatEntry;  
  
virtualDisk[thisDirIndex].dir.entrylist[freeBlock].isdir      = TRUE;  
virtualDisk[thisDirIndex].dir.entrylist[freeBlock].entrylength = 0;  
virtualDisk[thisDirIndex].dir.entrylist[freeBlock].filelength  = 0;  
  
printf("Created Dir %s.\n", dir);  
  
strcpy(virtualDisk[thisDirIndex].dir.entrylist[freeBlock].name, dir);
```

- Set FAT to ENDOFCHAIN
- Write FAT and directory to virtual disk
- Create a new blank disk by cycling '\0'
- Write new block to disk

mylistdir()

- Go through same process as in mymkdir, except do not create new directories
- If directory does not exist, return error

```
if (!found) {  
    fprintf ( stderr, "You are trying to find path %s Which does not exist in the current directory.\n", c  
    return -1;  
}
```

- Once all directories are processed, loop through entries in current directory and add them to the output

```
for (int i = 0; i < DIRENTRYCOUNT; i++) {  
  
    char * x = malloc(sizeof(char*)*200);  
    dirblock_t block::dir  
    strcpy(x, virtualDisk[thisDirIndex].dir.entrylist[i].name);  
  
    output[i] = x;  
}
```

```
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00000030 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
*  
00000400 00 00 02 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 ff ff |.....|  
00000410 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff |.....|  
*  
00000c00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|  
00000c10 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 04 00 6d 79 |.....my|  
00000c20 66 69 72 73 74 64 69 72 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |firstdir.....|  
00000c30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
*  
00000d20 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
00000d30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
*  
00000e30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|  
00000e40 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
*  
00001000 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|  
00001010 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 05 00 6d 79 |.....my|  
00001020 73 65 63 6f 6e 64 64 69 72 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |seconddir.....|  
00001030 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
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00001120 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
00001130 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
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00001230 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|  
00001240 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
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00001400 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|  
00001410 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 06 00 6d 79 |.....my|  
00001420 74 68 69 72 64 64 69 72 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |thirddir.....|  
00001430 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
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00000410 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff |.....|  
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00000c00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|  
00000c10 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 04 00 6d 79 |.....my|  
00000c20 66 69 72 73 74 64 69 72 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |firstdir.....|  
00000c30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
*  
00000d20 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
00000d30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
*  
00000e30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 |.....|  
00000e40 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
*  
00001000 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|  
00001010 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 05 00 6d 79 |.....my|  
00001020 73 65 63 6f 6e 64 64 69 72 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |seconddir.....|  
00001030 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
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00001120 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
00001130 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
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00001230 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 |.....|  
00001240 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
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00001400 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|  
00001410 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 06 00 6d 79 |.....my|  
00001420 74 68 69 72 64 64 69 72 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |thirddir.....|  
00001430 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|  
*  
00001530 00 00 00 00 07 00 74 65 73 74 66 69 6c 65 2e 74 |.....testfile.t|  
00001540 78 74 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |xt.....|  
00001550 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
```

hexdump -C virtualdiskB3_B1_a and virtualdiskB3_B1_b outputs

CGS A5-A1

To run this section, run 'make' in your console in the root of the 'CGS_A3_A1' folder. Then run './shell' to run the code and show its output. To view the hexdump, run 'hexdump -C virtualdiskA3_A1'.

For this section, I implemented all of the required functions and modified myfopen() accordingly. Also, directories can be created relative to the current directory like explained in section B3-B1. However, I did not add the two default directory entries (. and ..) due to time limitations.

The function a() in shell.c goes through a process outlining each method and what has been implemented. The resulting hexdump is also provided in the end of this section after the process of creation and deletion has completed.

mychdir()

- Go through same process as in mylistdir, except that once all directories have been processed, set the current directory

myremove()

- Go through same process of going through the path as in previous method
- If the entry is not a directory and its filename matches the name, the file to be deleted has been found

```
if (strcmp(virtualDisk[thisDirIndex].dir.entrylist[i].name, dir) == 0) {  
    printf("Deleting file: %s\n", dir);  
    int deleteIndex = virtualDisk[thisDirIndex].dir.entrylist[i].firstblock;
```

- Find the block index of the file
- Set its FAT to UNUSED and save FAT to the virtual disk
- Set the directory entry to unused
- Create a new empty block, set it to the directory entry

```
// Free parent dirblock  
diskblock_t block1;  
for ( int i = 0; i < BLOCKSIZE; i++){  
    block1.data[i] = '\0';  
};  
dirent_t emptyDirEntry = block1.dir.entrylist[0];
```

- Create another empty block and set it to the block index and write it to the virtual disk

```
// Overwrite memory
diskblock_t block;
for ( int i = 0; i < BLOCKSIZE; i++){
    block.data[i] = '\0';
};

writeblock(&block, deleteIndex);
```

myrmdir()

- Go through same process of going through the path as in previous methods
- Check that directory is empty

```
for(int i = 0; i < DIRENTRYCOUNT; i++) {
    if (!virtualDisk[thisDirIndex].dir.entrylist[i].unused) {
        fprintf ( stderr, "Cannot remove a directory which has files in it.\n", dir );
        return;
    }
}
```

- Set the FAT block and directory entry to unused and copy both to virtual disk
- Create a new empty block and write it to the disk at the block index if the directory

myfopen()

Section before actually writing file:

- Loop through path and find number of tokens

```
while ((dir = strtok_r(rest, "/", &rest)){
    tokenCounter ++;
}
```

- If it is above 1, set the filename to the last token and the path to the filename without the last token

```
char *last = strrchr(path, '/');
if (last != NULL) {
    filename = last+1;
}
```

```
strncpy(otherString, path, cutOff);
```

- Make the path with mymkdir()
- Move to the path with mychdir()

```
mymkdir(otherString);
mychdir(otherString);
```

- Continue with the method as shown in section CGS_C3_C1

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00000030 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
*
00000400 00 00 02 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 ff ff ff ff |.....|
00000410 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff |.....|
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00000c00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|
00000c10 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 04 00 6d 79 |.....my|
00000c20 66 69 72 73 74 64 69 72 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |firstdir.....|
00000c30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
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00000d20 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
00000d30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
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00000e30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|
00000e40 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
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00001010 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 05 00 6d 79 |.....my|
00001020 73 65 63 6f 6e 64 64 69 72 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |seconddir.....|
00001030 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
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00001120 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
00001130 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
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00001630 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 |.....|
00001640 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 |.....|
*
00100000
```

hexdump -C virtualdiskA3_A1 output after series of operations in shell.c

// EOF