

Operating System

(i) Computer System Structure

(a) Computer system structure divided into 4 parts

(i) Hardware (ii) operating system (iii) Application programs (iv) users

(b) Abstract view of computer system -

user1 user2 user3 ... user N

Application program

OS

computer hardware

(ii) Operating System

(a) What is OS

(i) It is a program

(ii) Acts as - Intermediary b/w user and computer

(b) Goal of OS

(i) Primary goals - convenience, user friendly

(ii) Secondary goals - efficiently use hardware

(c) Function / components of OS

(i) Process manager

(ii) Main memory manager

- (iii) Secondary memory management
- (iv) File management
- (v) I/O device management
- (vi) Network management
- (vii) Security and protection

(d) Services of OS

- (i) Program execution ①
- (ii) I/O operations ②
- (iii) File System manipulation ③
- (iv) Communication ④
- (v) Error detection ⑤
- (vi) Resource allocation ⑥
- (vii) Protection and security ⑦

(e) Main parts of OS

- (i) Kernel
- (ii) Shell

Kernel

Shell

(i) Interacts with H/w and Shell

(ii) Interacts with Application and Kernel

(iii) Kernel acts as a Resource manager such as

(iv) Process manager
(v) main memory management

(vi) Shell acts as a command interpreter such as

Step 1 - Take command from user

- (c) Secondary memory management
- (d) File management
- (e) I/O device management
- (f) Network management
- (g) Security and protection

(g) monolithic (kernel)

Structure

- (i) Large in size
- (ii) Fast in execution
- (iii) Adding new services is hard
- (iv) Debugging is hard
- (v) Complex to design
- (vi) For example - Linux, DOS, Unix
- (i) Small in size
- (ii) Slow in execution
- (iii) Adding new services is easy
- (iv) Debugging is easy
- (v) Designing is easy
- (vi) For example - Mac OS, Windows NT, OS X

(vii) Definition - All OS services are stuffed in Kernel space

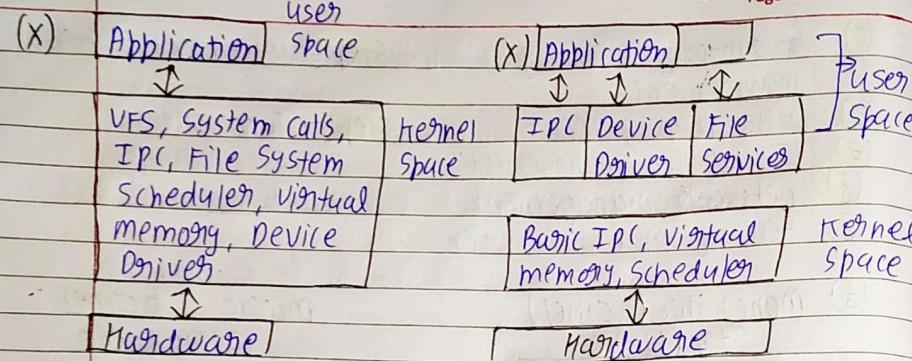
(vii) Definition - All OS essential services are stuffed in Kernel space, All OS non-essential services are stuffed in User space

(viii) Problem - Security Issues

(ix) Problem - No security issue

(x) When Kernel performing Job

- (a) No need of context switch
- (b) No need of message passing
- (c) Need of context switching
- (d) Need of message passing



(g) Re-entrant Kernel

- (i) contain " executable code "
- (ii) Many process or Thread can execute at same time with effecting each other in Re-entrant Kernel
- (iii) Problem occur in Re-entrant Kernel (Because of Data sharing)
 - (a) Data corruption
 - (b) Data inconsistency
 - (c) multi - different copy of global data
- (iv) To solve These Problem, Re-entrant kernel use
 - (1) Re-entrant Function
 - (2) Locking mechanism

Re-entrant Function

Function in which process or Thread modify "local data"

Non-Rentright Function

Function in which Process or Thread modifying "global data"

SPOOLING

locking mechanism

Re-entrant Function

Many process or Thread can execute at same time in Re-entrant Function

Non-Rentright Function

One process or Thread can execute at same time in Non-Rentright Function.

(h) Dual mode of processor in OS

- (a) Process, Thread or instruction execute in 2 modes
 - (a) USER mode
 - (b) Kernel Mode

USER mode

- (i) USER mode Process, Thread, instruction can not directly interact with H/w
- (j) Kernel mode Process, Thread, instruction can directly interact with H/w

Kernel mode

(iii) Mode Bit = 1

(ii) Mode Bit = 0

- (jö) Private virtual address space
- (jj) Single virtual address space

- (IV) In user mode Non-privileged instruction executes
- (jö) In kernel mode Non-privileged and Privileged instruction can execute.

(v) Exception or error can crash only particular application
(vi) Exception or error can crash entire OS

(vii) Also known as -
Non-privileged mode
Restricted mode
Privileged mode
Monitor mode,
System mode
Supervisor mode.

(6) Mode Switch - Process, Thread and instruction switch in 2 modes (Kernel and User mode)

Mode Switch Done By 3 ways

- (i) System call / supervisor calls
- (ii) Trap → Software interrupt
- (iii) Interrupt → HW interrupt

Mode switch use -

Provide protection and security to -
(i) OS (ii) User program

Mode switch is a decision of OS

Mode Bit - Indicate in which mode, instruction is executing

Booting time - HW starts in kernel mode
Then OS load
Then computer CPU/OS switch to user mode

Context switching mode switching

(i) Take more time (ii) Take less time

(i) Spooling

- (i) Simultaneous Peripheral operations online
- (ii) Principle - Refer to putting job in Buffer
- (iii) Process - (a) Input stored in disk (Buffer) first
- (b) Input transfer Blw Disk → memory
- (c) Input transfer Blw memory → CPU
- (d) CPU process data and generate output
- (e) Output transfer Blw CPU → memory → Disk
- (f) Output transfer to Output device

(iii) Advantage

- (a) Increase PU Utilization
- (b) (Buffer/Disk) Provide "Waiting Station"
- (c) Resolve Problem - Speed mismatch Blw different Device
- (d) Processor is able to overlap (IO)
(I/O operation, and Processor operation for different Job.)
- (e) For example - Print Spooling.
CPU

memory

Input

Output

Disk

(J) component of OS

(i) Process management

- (a) Creating and deleting → user and system processes
- (b) Suspending and Resuming processes
- (c) Provide mechanism for
 - (i) Process synchronization
 - (ii) Process communication
 - (iii) Deadlock handling

(ii) File management

- (a) Creating and deleting - Files, ~~deleting~~ directories
- (b) Manipulating - Files, directories
- (c) Mapping files into secondary storage
- (d) Backing up files on stable storage media

(iii) Secondary memory management

- (a) Free space management
- (b) Storage Allocation
- (c) Disk Scheduling

(iv) Main memory management

- (a) Keep track of primary memory
- (b) Allocating and deallocating memory space
- (c) Deciding which processes are to be loaded in main memory

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(K) I/O management

- (i) Hide detail of I/O device from user
- (b) Interfacing with device drivers
- (c) Caching, Buffering and Spooling of I/O device

(L) Evolution of OS

- (i) Serial Processing System
- (ii) Batch Processing System
- (iii) Multiprogramming System
- (iv) Time Sharing System
- (v) Real Time System
- (vi) Distributed Operating System
- (vii) Multi Threading Operating System

(i) Batch Processing System

Principle - Job with similar needs were batch together and run as a group

Advantage - File and I/O management is simple
No manual instruction required

Disadvantage - No interaction b/w user and computer
Execute one program at a time
No context switching
No way to prioritise process
CPU is mostly idle.

(ii) Multiprogramming System

Execute one program at a time.

Principle - concurrent execution of multiple program

Process - Job scheduling, CPU scheduling, context switching

Advantage

Increase CPU utilization → Principle

Decrease waiting time

CPU Never idle (until no process exist)

Disadvantage

Difficult scheduling (i) CPU scheduling is prioritized

(ii) memory management " "

(iii) memory allocation (non-contiguous memory allocation)

(iv) highly complex

(iii) Real Time Operating System

Principle - Job perform in well defined and fixed time constraints otherwise system fails

Type -

Characteristic	Hard Real Time	Soft Real Time
Response Time	Hard guaranteed	Soft designed
control of Pace	environment	computer
Safety	often critical	non-critical
Size of Data	small / medium	large
Redundancy type	Active	check point - recovery
Data integrity	short term	long term
Error detection	Autonomous	User assisted
Peak load performance	Predictable	Degraded

(iv) Time sharing or multitasking OS

Principle - Execute multiple process together

Process - CPU switch b/w process so quickly given an illusion that all process executing at same time

Time Sharing = Multiprogramming + Context Switching

Advantage

Quick response

Reduce CPU idle time

Disadvantage

Problem of reliability and data communication

Principle

(v) Multiprocessor OS

Principle - OS with more than one processor

Process - multiprocessor run parallelly at same time

Type - Symmetric

Asymmetric

(i) All Processors have same architecture (i) All Processors may have same or different architecture

(ii) All Processors communicate with Shared memory (ii) NO need of communication. All Process handle by master Processor

(iii) If Processor fail, the

Ability of the system to reduce

(iii) If master processor fails slave becomes master processor

If slave processor fails its task is switch to other processor.

Multiprogramming

- (i) Single CPU
- (ii) Increase CPU utilization
- (iii) Context switching is used

multitasking

- (i) single CPU
- (ii) increase CPU utilization + Increase responsiveness
- (iii) context switching + Time sharing ~~multitasking~~ is used

multiprocessing

- (i) multi CPU
- (ii) Parallel processing is used
- (iii) more effective
- (iv) more expensive
- (v) less time to perform job

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System call

- (i) Provide interface to the services available in OS
- (ii) written in higher language (C, C++)
- (iii) Programmatic way in which a computer program requests a service from the kernel of OS.

Application program interface -

The API specifies a set of functions that are available to an application programmer, including the parameters that are passed to each function and the return values the programmer can expect

- (M) Structure of OS
 - (i) simple structure
 - (ii) micro kernels
 - (iii) monolithic structure

- (i) Simple structure -
- (a) Do not have well defined structure
- (b) For example - MS-DOS
- (c) Advantage

- (i) Better application performance (Reason - less interface b/w HW and application program)
- (ii) Small, simple and limited system
- (iii) Easy for kernel developer to develop such an OS

- (d) Disadvantage
 - (i) If one user program fails, crash entire system
 - (ii) No data hiding and no boundaries (b/w modules)
- (e) very complicated structure. → ??
- (f) Direct access to hardware.

- (g) Layered structure
 - (i) OS divided into number of layers
 - (ii) Example - Windows NT
- (h) Advantage

- (i) Very easy to perform Debugging and system verification
- (j) Very easy to make changes in OS
- (k) Promote modularity, abstraction and no direct access to hardware

(d) Disadvantage

- (i) Performance degraded as compared to simple SIS.
- (ii) Designing required "careful planning"

(e) Rules

- (i) Outermost layer \rightarrow user Interface layer (must)
 - layer 4 \rightarrow I/O Buffer
 - layer 3 \rightarrow Process management
 - layer 2 \rightarrow Memory management
 - layer 1 \rightarrow CPU scheduling
- innermost layer \rightarrow hardware (must)

- (ii) Each layer must have a specific function
- (iii) A layer can access all the below layers
A layer cannot access all the above layers

(iii) Modules

- (i) Best method to design OS
- (ii) Involve using oops concepts to design OS,
For example - Solaris OS

(iii) Rules -

- (a) Monolithic kernel - has only set of core components
- (b) Other services - modules dynamically loadable to kernel at run time or boot time