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Operating Systems BS (DS) & (SE) 25-Sep-2022 at 11:59 pm Assignment 1 Course Code: CS 2006 Semester: Fall 2022 Total Marks: 30 marks Page(s): 1

Important Instructions:

- 1. Submit the solution in a zipped file named as your roll number., i.e., 20L-1111.zip
- You are not allowed to copy solutions from other students. We will check your code for plagiarism using plagiarism checkers. If any sort of cheating is found, heavy penalties will be given to all students involved.
- 3. Late submission of your solution is not allowed

Question: Custom Shell [30 marks]

In this assignment, you will develop your own version of shell. Your shell will execute commands given by the user. The steps involved will be as follows:

- 1. The user types a command, such as "cp ./OS ../newOS". The command will be stored in a character array or a string object.
- 2. The shell will perform tokenization and separate the command and its arguments.
- 3. The shell will then create a child process. Then, the child will use the **execvp** system call to execute the command.
- 4. The shell will wait for the child to finish the execution.
- 5. After the command has been executed, the shell will ask the user to enter a command again.
- 6. The shell will exit when the command given by the user is "exit".