

Write up Mannual

Question 2:

Kernel_2D_mem_copy

The below code is used to copy the data of the float 2d matrix from src to dest
This is done by using the `__copy_to_user` and the `__copy_from_user` system calls

```
SYSCALL_DEFINE4(kernel_2D_memcopy, float **, src, float **, dest, int, k1, int, k2)
{
    float buffer[4][4];
    if (__copy_from_user(buffer, src, sizeof(float)*16))
    {
        return -EFAULT;
    }
    if (__copy_to_user(dest, buffer, sizeof(float)*16))
    {
        return -EFAULT;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

In other words, this is a version of `memcpy()` that relies on the kernel to do the necessary copy operations,

In reality in Artix linux/kernel folder we have to make changes in three places

Firstly, open new_kernel folder and then linux-6.0.9 and then kernel directory and then update the sys.c folder by using the code as shown above or in Question 2/

kernel_2d_memcopy.c

Secondly, change in syscall_64.tbl file at your kernel_linux folder at arch/x86/entry/syscalls
And add 451 line like this :

```
450 common set_mempolicy_home_node sys_set_mempolicy_home_node
451 common Kernel_2D_memcopy sys_kernel_2d_memcopy
#
```

Thirdly, again compile your kernel again and by executing the
`make -j$(nproc)`

afterthat run

`make modules install`

`sudo cp -v arch/x86_64/boot/bzImage /boot/vmlinuz-***`

Now, we need to reboot kernel and

Check if your program is running or not by using the code I have given in test_snippet.jpeg
or below code

```
int main() {
    float MAT1[4][4] = {{1.0,2.0,4.0,3.0},{3.0,4.0,5.0,6.0},{5.0,6.0,7.0,8.0},{7.0,8.0,9.0,10.0}};
    float MAT2[4][4] = {{0.0,0.0,0.0,0.0},{0.0,0.0,0.0,0.0},{0.0,0.0,0.0,0.0},{0.0,0.0,0.0,0.0}};

    printf("This is the initial matrix1 is:\n");
    for (int i = 0; i < 4; i++){
        for (int j = 0; j < 4; j++){
            printf("%lf ", MAT1[i][j]);
        }
        printf("\n");
    }

    long syscallstatus = syscall(SYS_kernel_2D_memcopy, MAT1, MAT2, 4, 4);
    if(syscallstatus != -EFAULT){
        printf("Final matrix2 after syscall is:\n");
        for (int i = 0; i < 4; i++){
            for (int j = 0; j < 4; j++){
                printf("%lf ", MAT2[i][j]);
            }
            printf("\n");
        }
    }
    return 0;
}
```

In which i make a hard code of 2D matrix of 4*4 and calling syscall function and copy that matrix to another matrix and checking that matrix is equal or not
By printing both the MAT1 and MAT2

And after this I have also uploaded the diff.patch and diff.txt snippet of both. In this folder