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## **Lab-6 Task**

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```
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th: ~  
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~$ ps  
  PID TTY          TIME CMD  
  4234 pts/0    00:00:00 bash  
  4245 pts/0    00:00:00 ps  
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~$
```

```
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~$ ps au  
USER          PID %CPU %MEM    VSZ   RSS TTY      STAT START   TIME COMMAND  
yousaf        1559  0.0  0.0 162740  6144 tty2      Ssl+  20:00   0:00 /usr/libexec/  
yousaf        1563  0.0  0.0 223392 15744 tty2      Sl+   20:00   0:00 /usr/libexec/  
yousaf        4234  0.0  0.0  11496  5376 pts/0     Ss    20:13   0:00 bash  
yousaf        4269  0.0  0.0  13024  3456 pts/0     R+    20:15   0:00 ps au  
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~$
```

You will see plenty of columns as output. The columns you should be familiar with at this moment are underlined below:

- User: The owner of that process
- PID: The integer identier

- [illegible]

### 3.1.1

```
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Desktop/main$ gcc second.c -o second
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Desktop/main$ ./second
PID of the child process : 23420
PPID of the parent process : 8102
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Desktop/main$
```

Code for find pid without using fork().

- The PID value for second.c
- The PPID value for second.c

### 3.2.1 Creation States

```
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ gcc 3_2_1_CreationStates.c -o creation
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ ./creation
Process PID 63785      PPID 39987
Process PID 63786      PPID 63785
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$
```

It shows the output of the the given code in the book

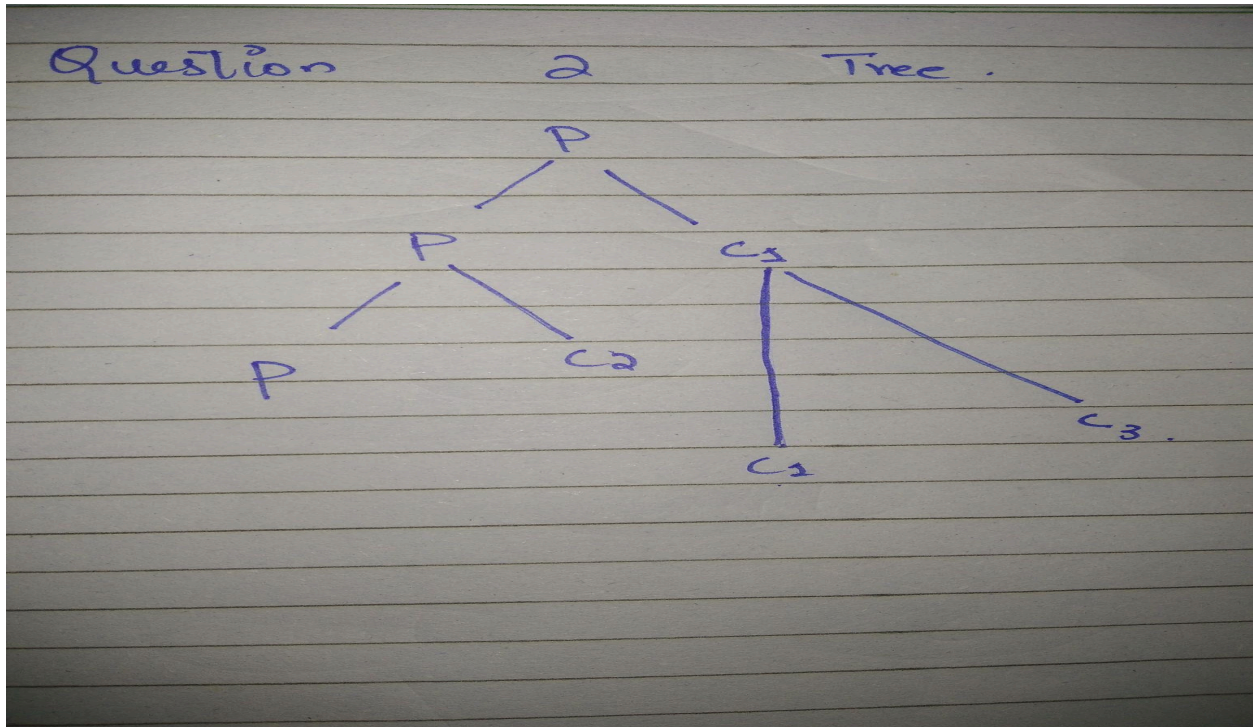
### Q1 How many processes are created?

There are 2 processes created, one is the parent one and the other one is the child process.

**Q2 Increase the value in for loop from  $i < 1$  to  $i < 2$  (i.e., 2 iterations in the loop). Compile and run your program. How many processes does it show this time? Draw a tree hierarchy of processes that you just created**

```
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ gcc 3_2_1_CreationStates_Q2.c -o creation_Q2
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ ./creation_Q2
Process PID 63941      PPID 39987
Process PID 63942      PPID 63941
Process PID 63943      PPID 63941
Process PID 63944      PPID 63942
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$
```

After increasing loop into 2 the output is in the above image



This is the tree for Question 2

**Q3 Increase the value again to  $i < 3$  (i.e., 3 iterations).**

**Compile and run your program. How many processes does it show? Draw a tree again. Why is it that we have called `fork()` 3 times in our code, yet we are seeing  $2n - 1$  processes listed on screen?**

```

yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ gcc 3_2_1_CreationStates_Q3.c -o creation_Q3
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ ./creation_Q3
Process PID 64076      PPID 39987
Process PID 64077      PPID 64076
Process PID 64078      PPID 64076
Process PID 64079      PPID 64076
Process PID 64080      PPID 64077
Process PID 64081      PPID 64078
Process PID 64082      PPID 64077
Process PID 64083      PPID 64080
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$
  
```





## Question no 5

Q5 Can a Ho be output before a He? Why?

No because ho is printed after the He in the given code. The process of execution is in the same manner.

```
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th: ~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ gcc 3_2_1_CreationStates_Q5.c -o creation_Q5
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ ./creation_Q5
He
He
Ha
Ha
Ha
Ho
Ho
Ho
Ha
Ho
Ho
Ho
Ho
Ho
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$
```

## Exercise 3.2. PROCESS LIFECYCLE

```
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ gcc 3_2_fork_code_a.c -o processlifecycle_a
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ ./processlifecycle_a
Job Done
Job Done
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$
```

## Question :1

We have used `p = fork()`. Why not simply `fork()`? Check `man fork` for answer.

For storing the value of `fork` in `p`, as system calls, it will store the value of `fork`.

## Question: 2

Check the man page for `printf`. What library is used for this call?

We can use the `stdio.h` library for input and output for any program.

## Question :3

Run your program. Why is it that `printf()` is used only once, yet we see the output `Job Done` displaying twice on our screen.

Yes we can use printf() once but it displays the output two times because of fork() call which makes a child process.

## Question 4

```
Job Done
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ gcc 3_2_fork_code_b.c -o processlifecycle_b
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ ./processlifecycle_b
Job Done
Value of P is 199186
Job Done
Value of P is 0
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$
```

This the output for Why 0? Why Non-Zero? Reason is in the manual.

```
Original Process,pid = 199256
Parent PID = 199256, Child ID = 199257
Child PID = 199257, PPID = 199256
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$
```

When we remove or comment the if condition here it will display the below output here.

```
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ gcc 3_2_fork_code_d.c -o processlifecycle_d
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$ ./processlifecycle_d
Original Process,pid = 199318
Child PID = 199318, PPID = 39987
Parent PID = 199318, Child ID = 199319
Child PID = 199319, PPID = 199318
Parent PID = 199319, Child ID = 0
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-OS-22P-9349$
```

### 3.2.1.1 Exercise 1



```
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-05-22P-9349$ gcc 3.2.1.1Exercise1.c -o processlifecycle_ex
yousaf@yousaf-ThinkPad-X1-Carbon-6th:~/Yousaf-Maaz-Lab-6-05-22P-9349$ ./processlifecycle_ex
Original Process,pid = 199406
Parent PID = 199406, Child ID = 199407
Child PID = 199407, PPID = 199406
```

**Output is waiting for 120 seconds here.**

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**After running the command pstree it show the above output in the terminal**