CS614-Assignment3-PCI Device Driver

1- Design

Design consists of a library file **crypter.c** and a device driver file **cryptocard_mod.c.** User program can access all the services of the cryptocard device using an interface provided by **crypter.c** which interacts with device driver **cryptocard_mod.c** using character device and sysfs.

Library: crypter.c

- It provides interface to user program to use services of cryptocard.
- Newly created DEV_HANDLE is inserted into linked list hence changing any configuration of one handle do not affect another.
- Encryption/Decryption can be done on any arbitrary data as operation is performed on chunked data.

Driver:cryptocard_mod.c

- Encryption/Decryption can be performed on writing to character device and reading the result back from it.sysfs is used for it.
- Concurrency is supported with the help of mutex_list.Operation is performed by acquiring lock(If available) from mutex_list,set configuration,perform and then release lock.
- Configuration can be set using sysfs variables:INTERUPT,DMA,KEY_A,KEY_B,IS_MAPPED

Implementation

• Library:crypter.c

Creates new handle by calling create_handle() .It adds newly created
handler to linkedList. The LinkedList contains list of all opened chardev in
the head of structure dev_handle . Apart from chardev, the structure also
contains device configuration information.
There are some utility functions for
adding(_add_handle()),deleting(_remove_handle())and
fetching(_get_handle()) dev_handle of a chardev.
To get hold of driver,_lock_device() function is used.It get a hold by
writing its tid to sysfs TIDunlock_device() writes -1 to sysfs TID.
The _set_device_config() is called for setting the device configuration.

	The encrypt() function takes the hold of lock using _lock_device().It then sets the device configuration using _set_device_config().It thus calls _device_operate() to operate on data in different chunks,then calls _unlock_device() to release the device.
	The decrypt() follows same steps as of encrypt().
	Macros like MMIO_BATCH_SIZE and DMA_BATCH_SIZE is used to determine the chunk size for mmio and dma respectively. It maximum data size on which device can operate on selected mode.
	set_key() add key A and key B data to struct dev handle.
	map_card() and unmap_card() shifts the pointer with
	DEVICE_MEM_OFFSET which basically points to the start of unused memory region where device expects data.
• Drive	er: cryptocard.c
	It consists of function to setup PCI device and character device.PCI device
	information is added in the structure my_driver_id_table[].struct
	my_driver contains structures and functions to setup pci device.
	All the operations on character device is mentioned in struct fops
	All sysfs variables except TID, are in an attribute group controlled by
	sysfs_store() and sysfs_show().
	<pre>sysfs_store_tid() and sysfs_show_tid() controls sysfs variable TID. TID at any time is either the tid of the task currently operating the device or -1</pre>
	if free. sysfs_store() is protected by a mutex dev_lock. Each task tries to
	acquire dev_lock, then writes its tid to TID. Now the task is free to
	operates on the device. Once done, this task has to store -1 to TID which
	is accompanied by releasing dev_lock.
	<pre>cdev_write() is characted device write function. If memory is not mapped,</pre>
	it first copies data to mmio_buf/dma_buf and then calls mmio()/dma().
	This functions returns only when result is available.
	<pre>cdev_read() is called for reading result. The result is guranteed to be</pre>
	available when called.
	Wrapper function write_to_device() and read_to_device() are used for
	implement copy_to_user and copy_from_user.
	mmio() and dma() either polls the status register in case of non-interrupt
	mode, else in interruptv mode, it waits on a wait queue
	(wq_is_data_ready) in intereruptable mode.
	irq_handler() is called in interrupt mode. It signals the wq_is_data_ready wait queue.

• Testing:

Tested and passed testcases given for each operation in benchmark-test.
Modified the test1.c file to test whether device is able to handle large data
to read and write. More specific to chunk creation.
Tested over multi-process environment.

Benchmark:

Collect stat every 2 seconds on 5MB file using "sar -u 2 20", presenting the average result.

Program	%user	%nice	%system	%iowait	%steal
mmio	0.10	0.00	51.88	0.29	0.08
mmio_int	1.21	0.00	43.10	4.20	0.09
dma	0.4	0.00	50.68	1.38	0.04
dma_int	0.49	0.00	0.83	1.17	0.05
mmap	3.65	0.00	24.42	1.97	0.08
mmap_int	4.05	0.00	26.35	0.52	0.09