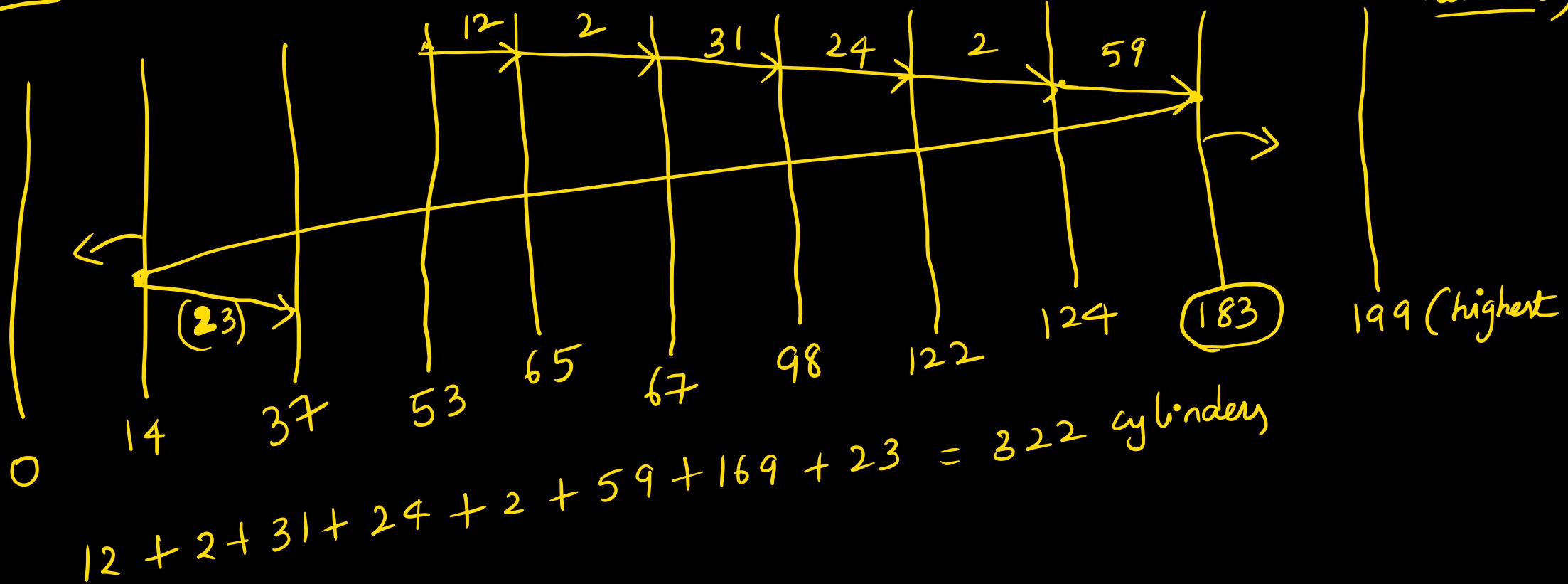
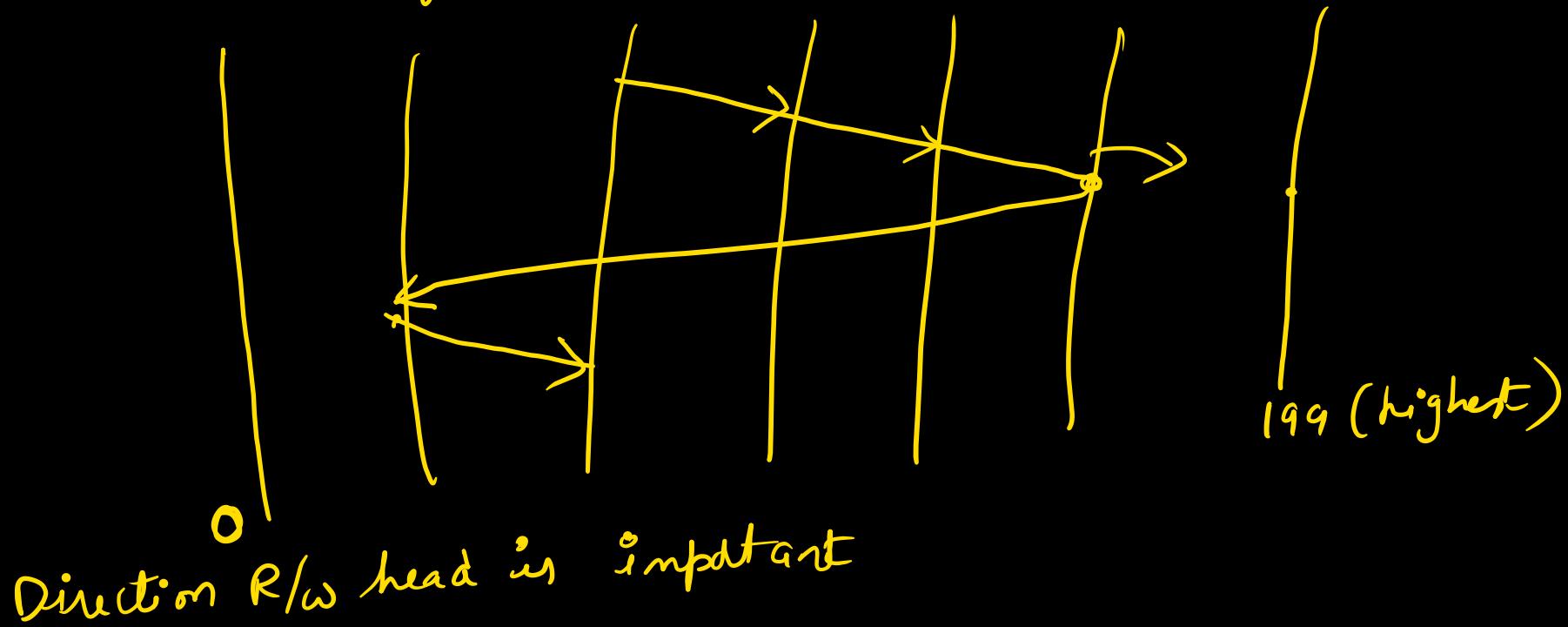


C look: 98, 183, 37, 122, 14, 124, 65, 67 (head is at 53, moving towards higher numbers)

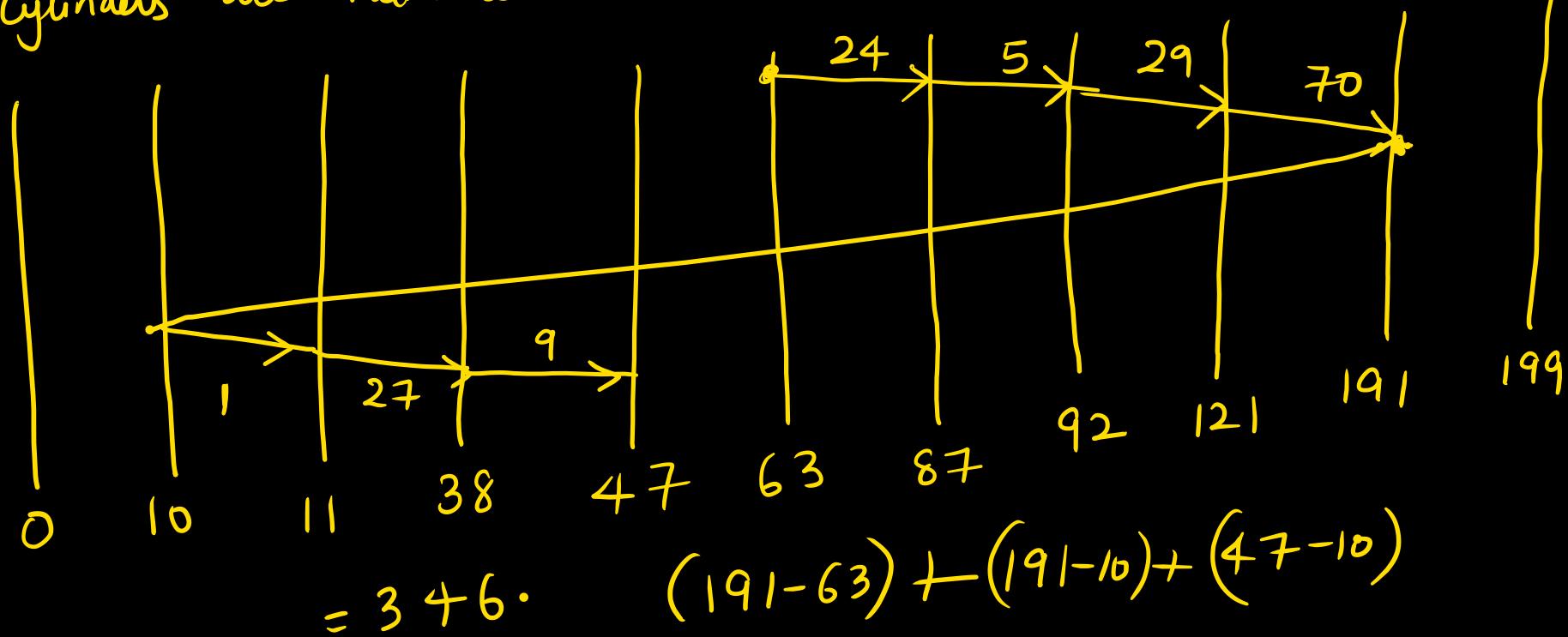


In C look , the arm (R/w head) goes only as far as final request in each direction.
then reverses direction immediately without going all the way to the end of the disk.

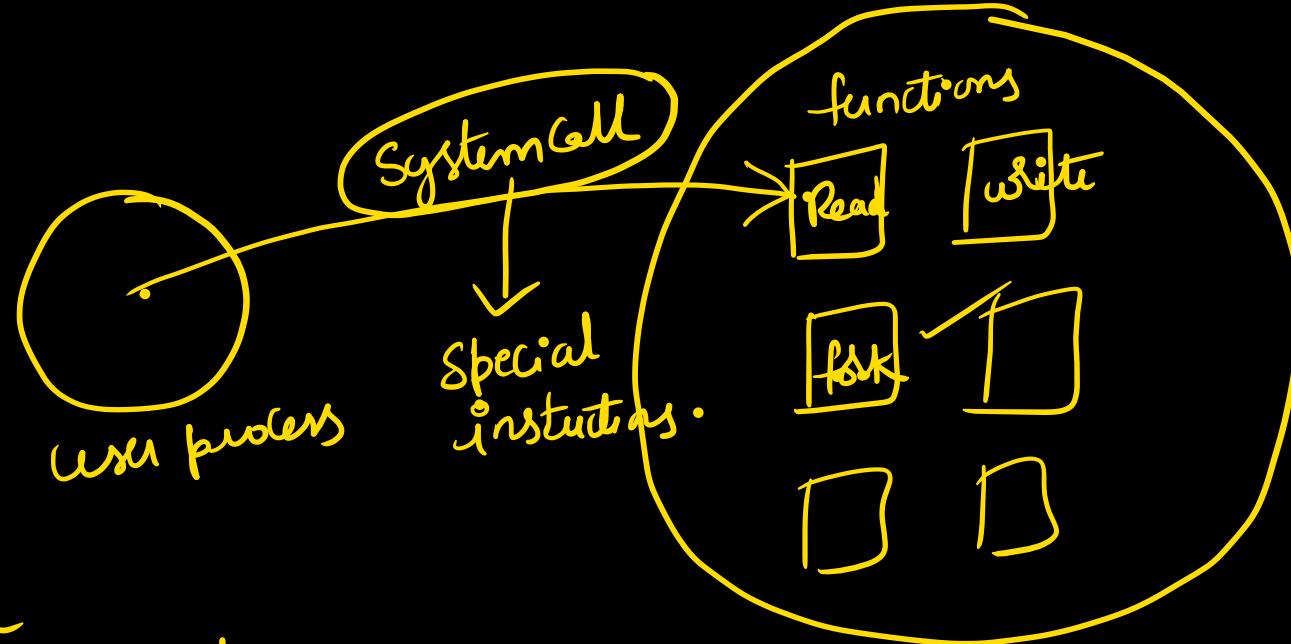
when head reaches the other end, it immediately return to the other end extreme request without servicing any requests on the trip.



Gate'16) Consider a disk queue with requests for I/O to blocks on cylinders 47, 38, 121, 191, 87, 11, 92, 10. The C look scheduling is used. The head is initially at cylinder 63, moving to larger on its service pass. Cylinders are numbered 0 to 199. The head movement (# cylinders)



Threads and system calls: → in syllabus → Recently added
OS ✓



what are
different kinds of
system calls?

1) Process control system calls: → These are used to control processes

- End, abort
 - load, execute
 - Create a process, terminate a process
 - Get process attributes, Set process attributes
(pid, owner...)
 - wait for time (sleep)
 - wait event, signal event (semaphores)
 - allocate and free memory (malloc & free)
- "mug up":

2) File manipulation system calls:

Create File, Delete File

open, close

read, write, reposition

get file attributes, set file attributes

mug up.

3) Device manipulation system calls:

request device, release device

Read, write, reposition

get device attributes, set device attributes

logically attach & detach devices (device drivers)

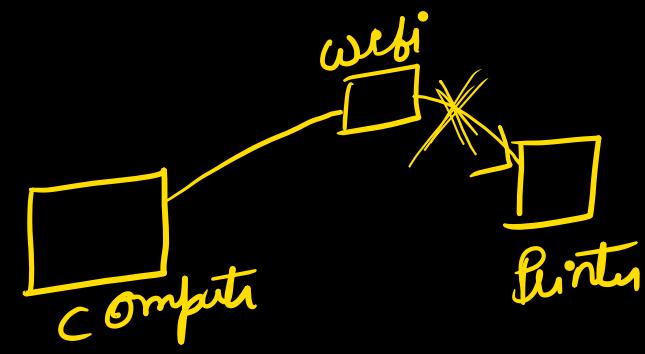
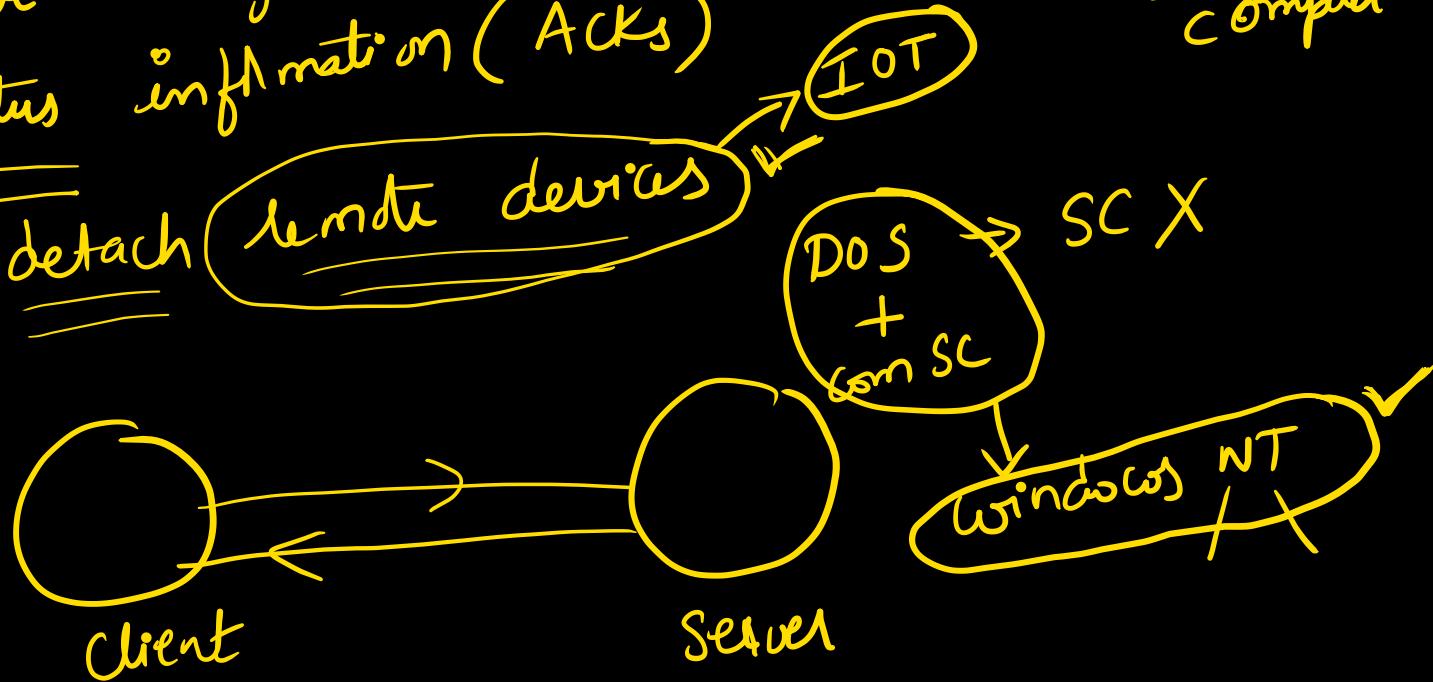
i) Information maintenance system (IMS):

- Get time & date, set time & date
- Get system data, set system data (RAM, HD, CPU)
- Get process, file & device data
- Set process, file & device data

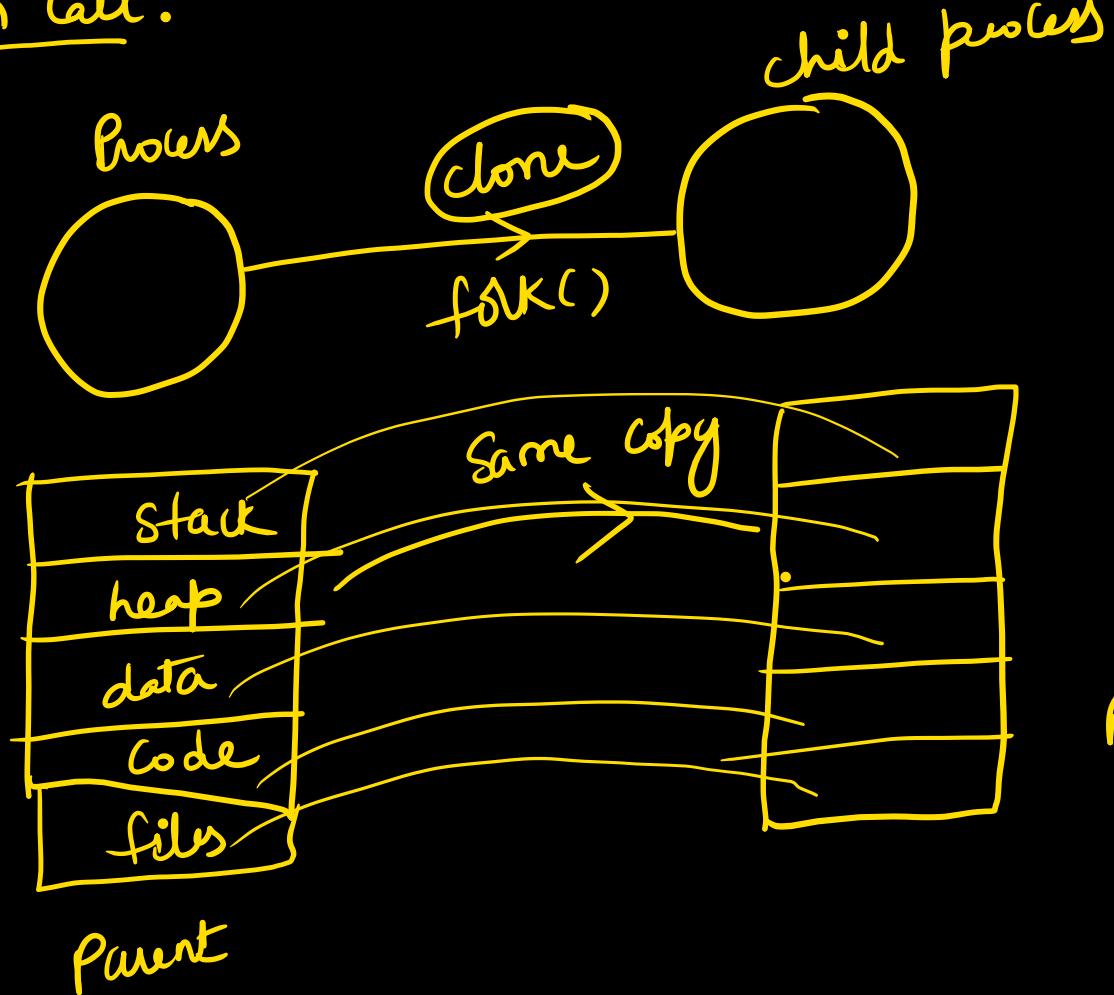
win, linux, mac
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Communications Related System Calls: (Socket programming)

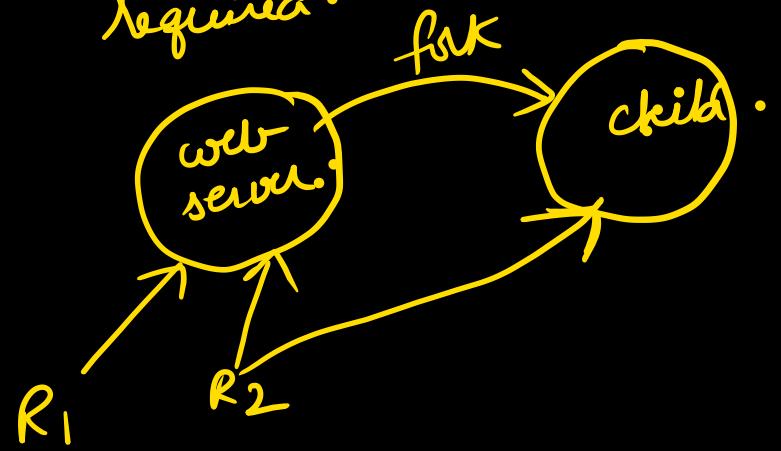
- Create, delete communication connection
- Send, receive messages
- Transfer status information (ACKs)
- Attach & detach remote devices



FORK System Call:



process id → diff
In some situations it is required.



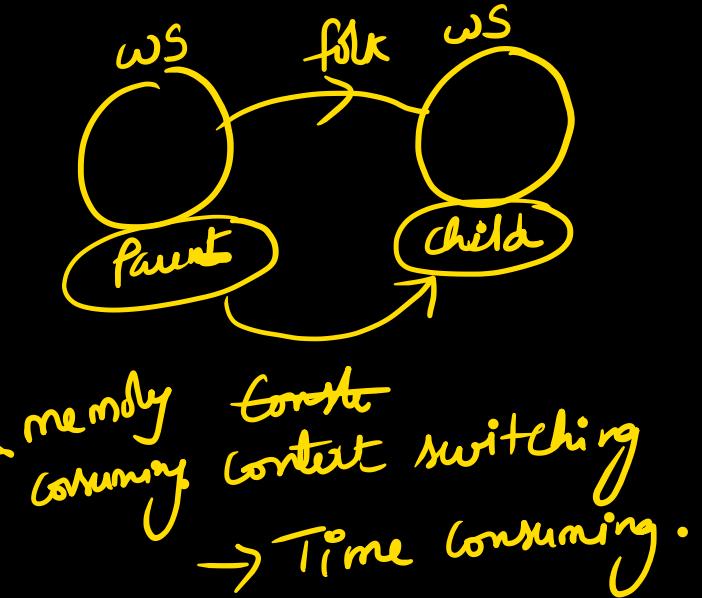
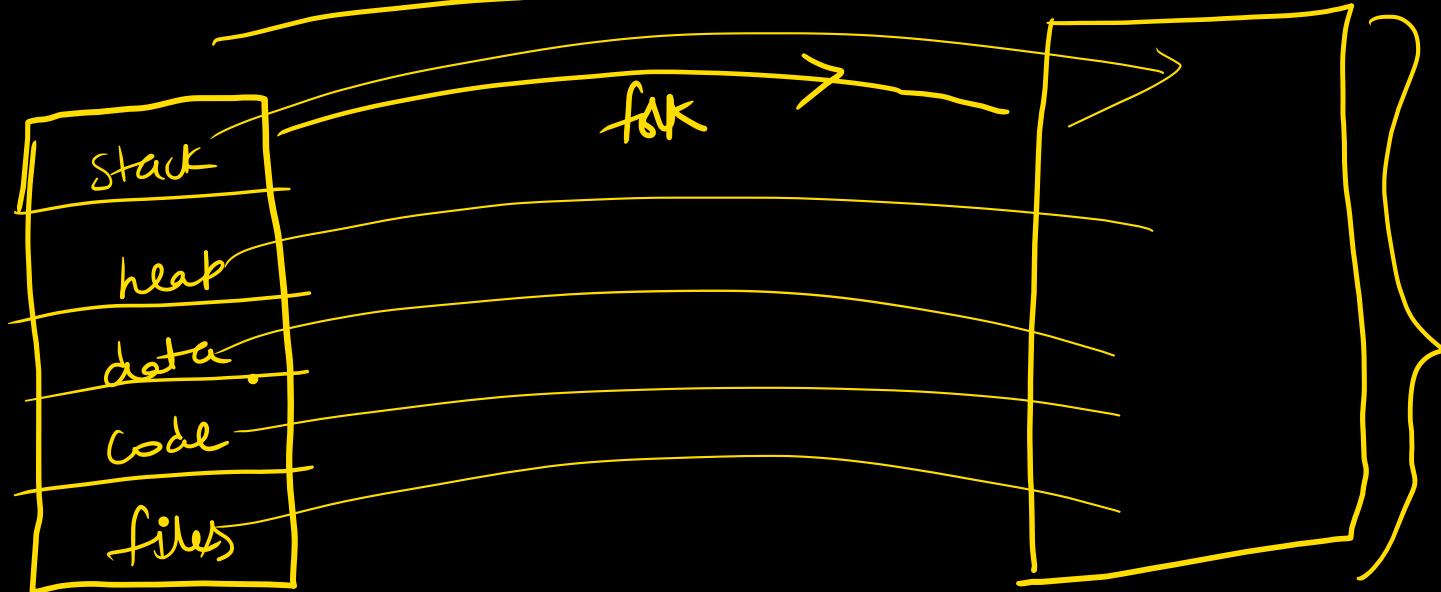
Parent

```
{  
    :  
    :  
    int(i=fork()); ← child will be created  
    if(i==0) {  
        child code;  
    }  
    if(i!=0) {  
        parent code;  
    }  
}
```

return 0 if child process
return process id of child to the parent.

Both Parent and child will execute from this point

process vs threads:



memory consuming context switching
→ Time consuming.

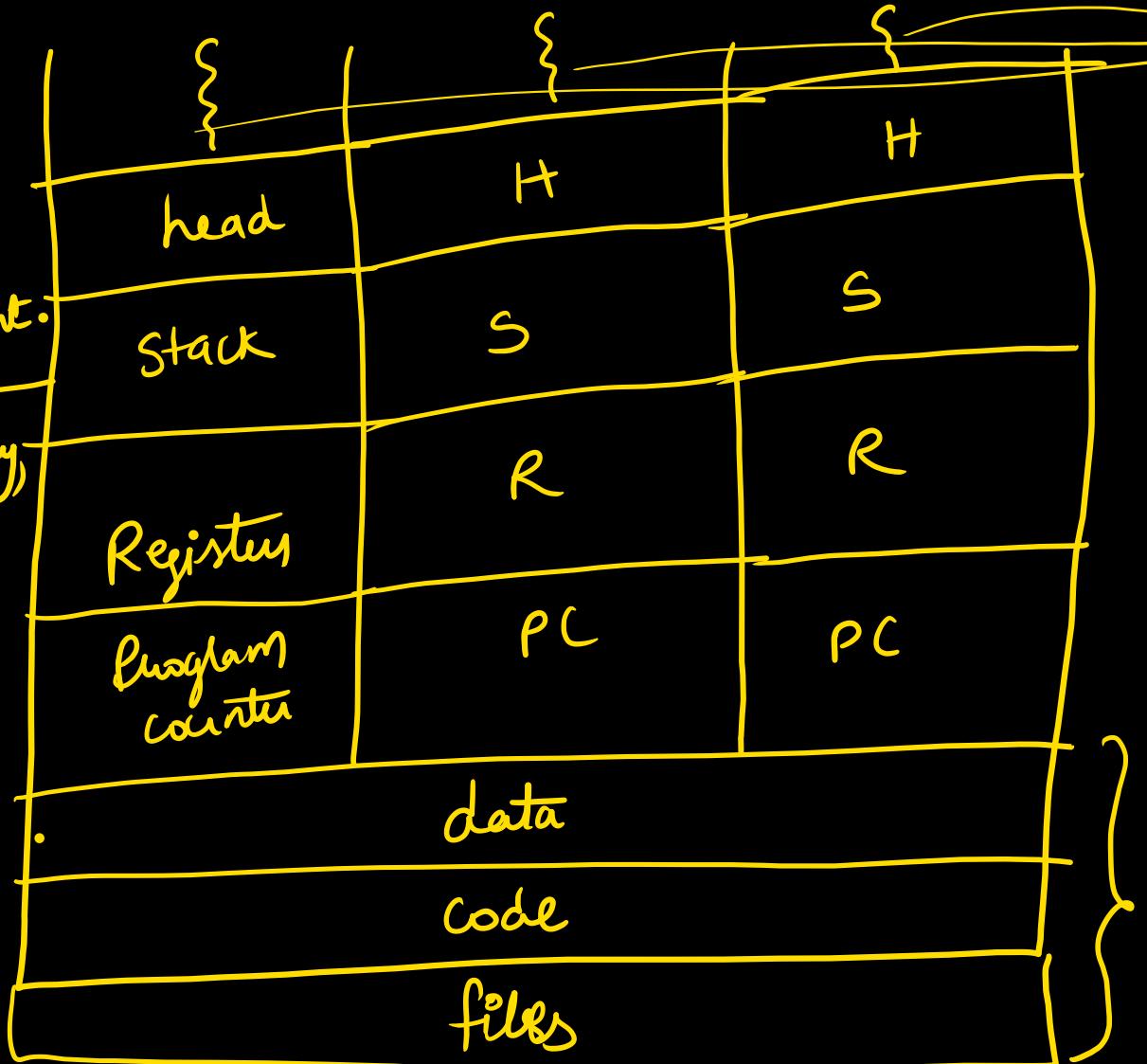
only difference in Registers and program counter.

Time and memory are wasted in fork.

Solution in threads

GT is not time consuming and it is memory efficient.

Threads: New, Ready, Running, Block, Terminated.

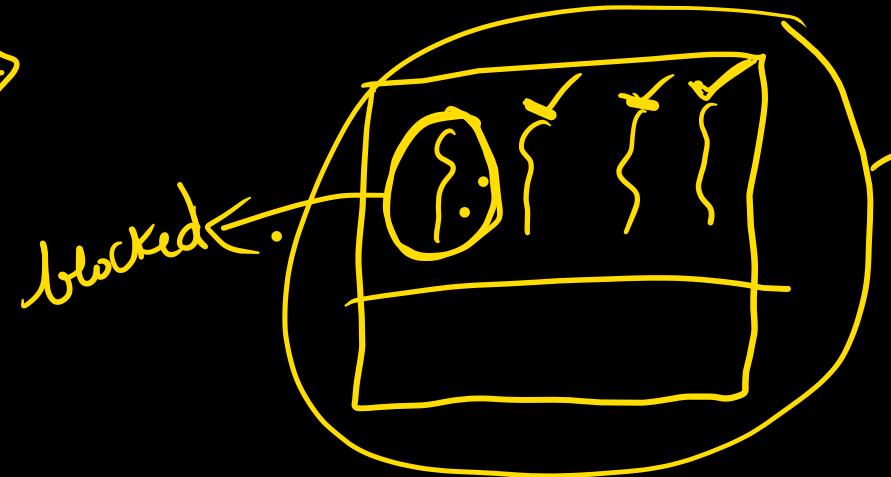


User level threads.
~~Kernel~~ OS doesn't know about threads.
So for switching between threads, or no need of context switch & any system calls.
only Register switch is needed.

Process (FOK)	Threads (user level)
→ System calls are involved	→ NO system calls
→ context switching is required	→ Register set switch only
→ expensive (Time & memory)	→ cheaper
→ NO sharing of data and code	→ Sharing of data and code .

Problems with userlevel threads:

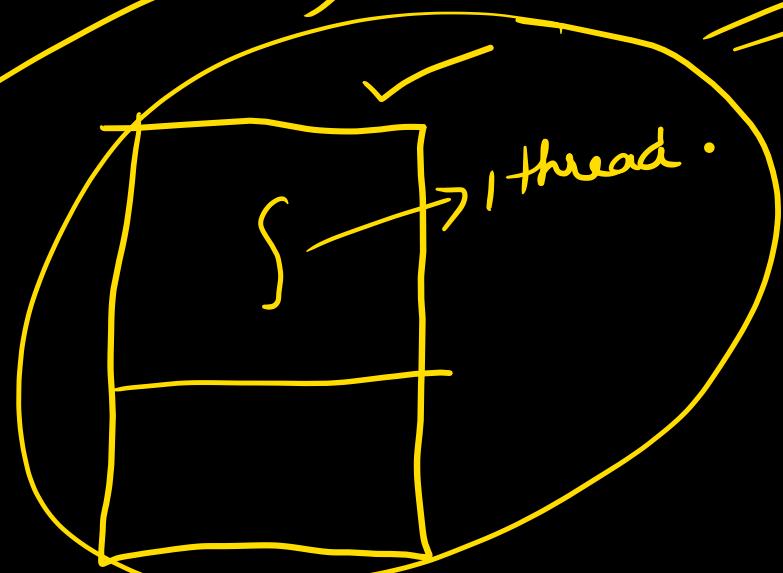
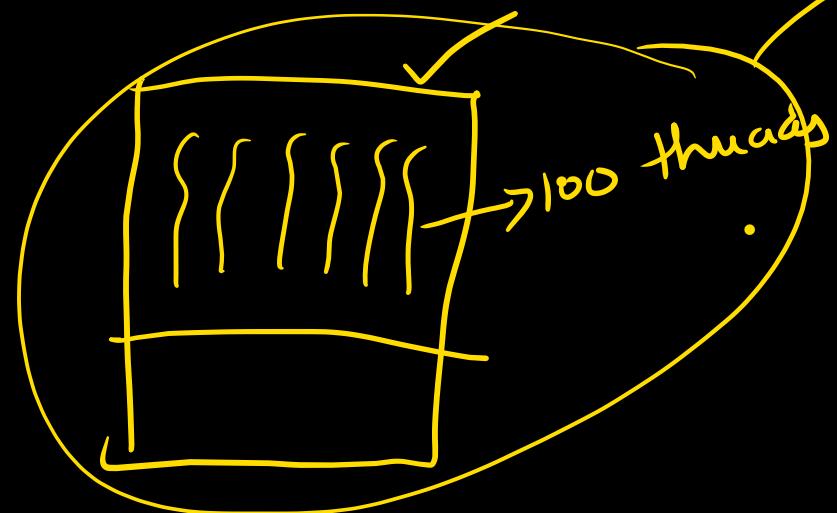
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If one thread gets blocked .

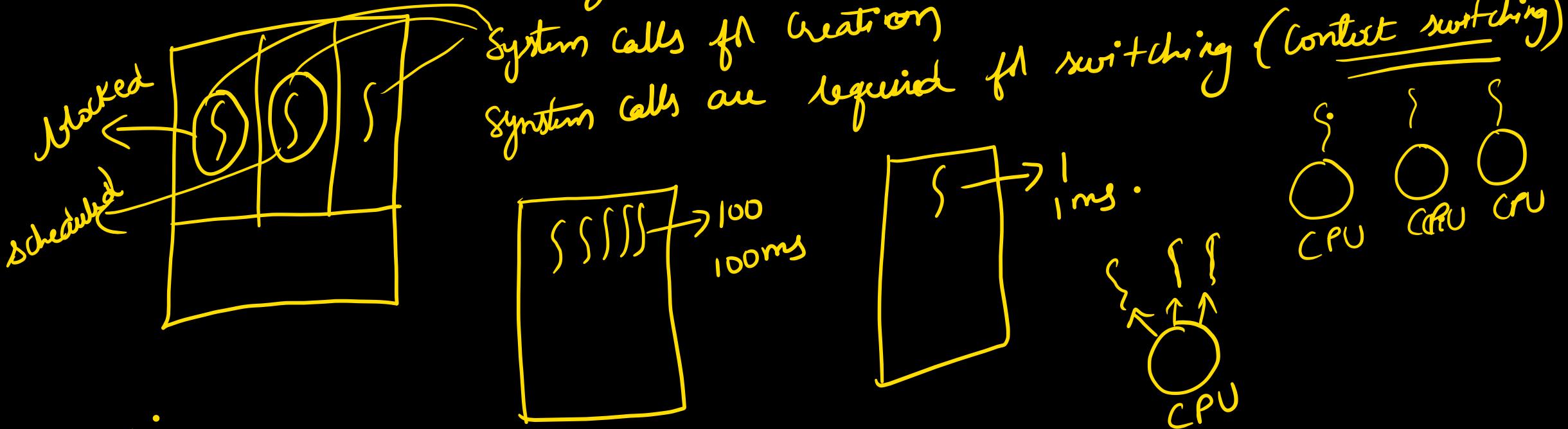
then entire task gets blocked .

→



OS will give same execution time
Ex: (1ms)

Kernel level threads: These are same as user level threads. But creation and scheduling is done by OS.



Expenses:

Processes > Kernel level threads > user level threads.

CN, OS → 15th
5th
10 days ahead.