Assignment 1 Report

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Part 1 - System Call Tracing

Printing the Trace

Listing 1: Modification in "syscall" function - syscall.c

```
if(num > 0 && num < NELEM(syscalls) && syscalls[num]) {</pre>
235
236
        track_syscalls(curproc);
237
        curproc ->tf ->eax = syscalls[num]();
238
   } else {
239
        cprintf("%d %s: unknown sys call %d\n",
240
        curproc ->pid, curproc ->name, num);
241
        curproc -> tf -> eax = -1;
    }
242
```

At line 236 in Listing 1, the function track_syscalls is used to print the syscalls that are issued only if the toggle_state is set to 1.

Listing 2: track_syscalls function implementation - syscall.c

```
int syscall_count[24] = {0};
139
140
   // Syscall identification
141
    void
142 track_syscalls(struct proc *p)
143
        ++syscall_count[p->tf->eax - 1];
144
145
        if(toggle_state == 1)
146
        {
147
             switch(p->tf->eax)
148
149
                 case 1:
                     cprintf("%s %d\n","sys_fork",syscall_count[p
150
                        ->tf->eax - 1]);
151
                     break:
152
                 case 2:
153
154
```

track_syscalls function implementation uses a global array (syscall_count) to maintain the count of the syscalls issued. The function uses switch-case statements to print appropriate syscall count when called only if the toggle_state is set to 1.

Toggling the Printing of Trace

Listing 3: sys_toggle function implementation - sysproc.c

```
93  // toggles the system trace (1 - ON | O - OFF)
94  int toggle_state = 1;
95  int
96  sys_toggle(void)
97  {
98    toggle_state = toggle_state == 0 ? 1 : 0;
99    return toggle_state;
100  }
```

For the sys_toggle system call implementation, a global variable (toggle_state) has been used to indicate the state of the system trace. Corresponding additions of definitions have been done in files - user.h, syscall.h, usys.S. An if statement has been added to syscall.c to check the toggle_state before printing the trace (see code - Listing 1). user_toggle.c file has been added to test the toggle system call implementation.

Part 2 - sys_add System Call

Listing 4: sys_add function implementation - sysproc.c

```
102
       add two numbers
103
    int
104
    sys_add(void)
105
106
         int a;
107
         int b;
108
109
         if(argint(0, &a) < 0)</pre>
110
         return -1;
111
         if(argint(1, \&b) < 0)
112
         return -1;
113
         return a + b;
114
```

For the sys_add system call implementation, a function that takes two arguments and returns the sum is used. The function checks for two arguments and if not present returns -1 as an error code. Corresponding additions of definitions have been done in files - user.h, syscall.h, usys.S, syscall.c.

Part 3 - sys_ps System Call

Listing 5: sys_ps function implementation - proc.c

```
270
    // list all processes
271
    int
272
    sys_ps(void)
273
    {
274
        struct proc *p;
275
276
        acquire(&ptable.lock);
277
        for(p = ptable.proc; p < &ptable.proc[NPROC]; p++){</pre>
278
279
             if(p->pid != 0 && p->state != ZOMBIE && p->state !=
                UNUSED && p->state != EMBRYO){
280
                 cprintf("pid:%d name:%s\n",p->pid,p->name);
281
             }
        }
282
283
284
        release(&ptable.lock);
285
        return 0;
286
    }
```

For the sys_ps system call implementation, a function that loops over the ptable has been used. The function locks the ptable during the loop and prints the pid and name of process with non-zero pid. The unused, embryo and zombie processes are ignored in this implementation. Corresponding additions of definitions have been done in files - user.h, syscall.h, usys.S, syscall.c. Also an extern definition has been added to sysproc.c.