

# CS342 Project 1

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The experiment is done with producer `./producer 10000 | ./consumer 10000` command. First of all `producer.c` and `consumer.c` is shown below. And at then, results and interpretations are given. Finally, some part of `bilshell.c` is included at the end to show functionality of pipe communication.

*producer.c : character array with size 10000 has been created and written with printf command*

```
#include<fcntl.h>
#include<sys/time.h>
#include<sys/stat.h>
#include<sys/types.h>
#include<string.h>
```

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#define SIZE 10000
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int main(){
    char theArray[SIZE];
    int k;
    for( k = 0; k < SIZE; k++){
        theArray[k] = 'b';

    }

    //write
    printf(theArray);
}
```

consumer.c : character array with size 10000 has been read with read syscall

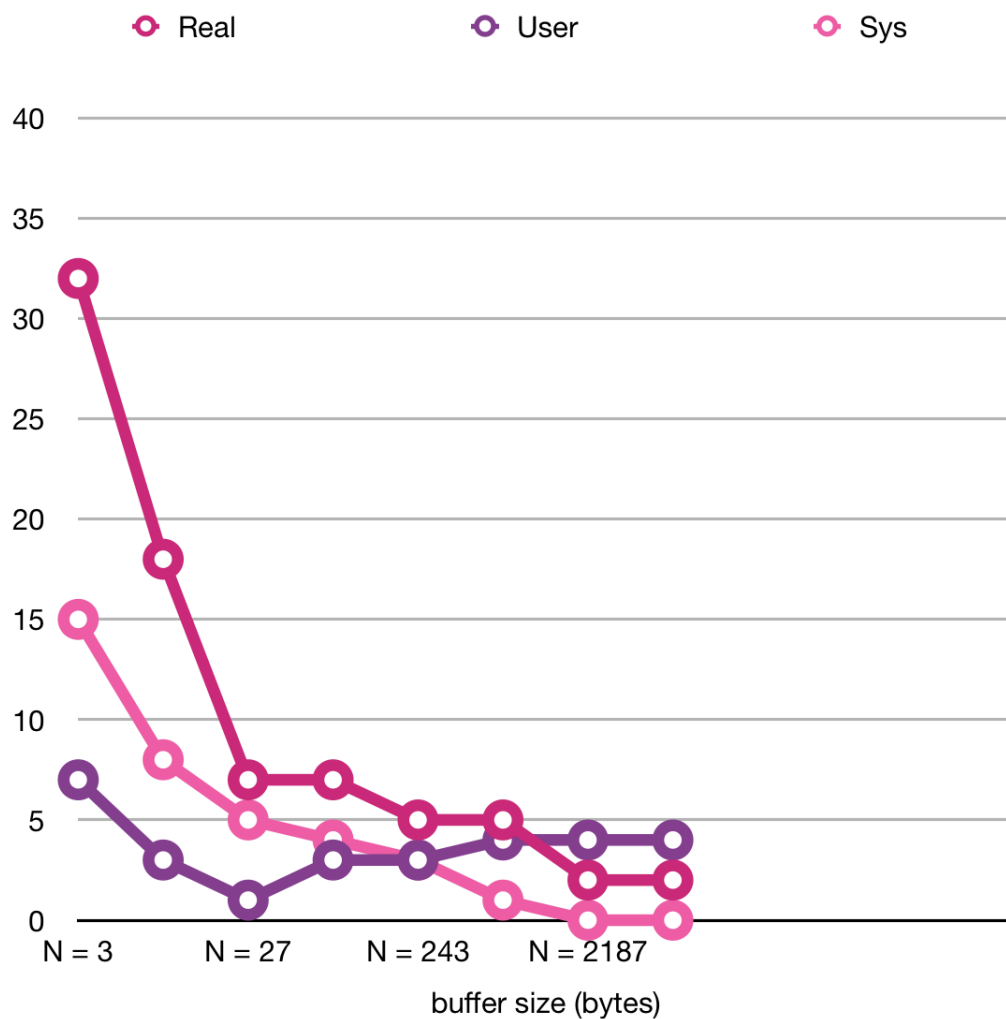
```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <fcntl.h>
#include <sys/time.h>
#include <sys/stat.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <string.h>

#define SIZE 10000
#define READ_END 0
#define WRITE_END 1
int main()
{
    char readmsg[SIZE];
    int thefd[2]; //pipe

    pipe(thefd); //creating a pipe
    close(thefd[WRITE_END]); //close write end

    read(thefd[0],readmsg,SIZE);

    return 0;
}
```



Graph: buffer size vs ms

As seen in the graph, as N increases, the time spend on kernel mode is dramatically decreased because number of syscall decrease as N increase. However, as seen, after a while there is no significant decrease as it gets bigger.

N is logarithmic as power of 3  
M is 10000 as stated above

character-count 10000 (always)  
read-call-count 5000 2500 1250 625 313 157 79 respectively as N gets value from 3 to 2187

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void pipeExec(char **first, char **second){
    int fdpipe1[2]; //file desc. pipe1 of the first child
    int fdpipe2[2]; //fd pipe2 of the second child
    pid_t pid1,pid2; //child processes
    char read_msg[N];

    //creating pipes
    if(pipe(fdpipe1) == -1 ){fprintf(stderr,"Pipe1 Failed"); }

    if(pipe(fdpipe2) == -1 ){fprintf(stderr,"Pipe2 Failed"); }

    //creating child1 and executing first command
    pid1 = fork();
    if(pid1 < 0){fprintf(stderr,"Fork Failed(Child-1)"); }

    //write end is open while read and is closed?
    if (pid1 == 0){
        dup2(fdpipe1[1],1);

        close(fdpipe1[READ_END]);

        execvp(first[0],first);

        //close(fdpipe1[WRITE_END]); //SEE HERE
    }
}

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else { //parent process
//wait(NULL);
close(fdpipe1[WRITE_END]); //close write end (index 1) - it is
    ↪ unused here

int n = 0;
int m = 0;
while( n = read(fdpipe1[READ_END], read_msg, N)){
    m = m + n;
    write(fdpipe2[WRITE_END], read_msg ,(int) strlen(read_msg) +
        ↪ 1);
}

printf("Number of characters read %d",m);

//int m = write(fdpipe2[WRITE_END], read_msg ,(int)
    ↪ strlen(read_msg) + 1);
//printf("Number of characters wrote %d",m);

//create second child
pid2 = fork();
if(pid2 == 0){ //second child process
    dup2(fdpipe2[0],0);
    close(fdpipe2[WRITE_END]);

    execvp(second[0],second);
}

}}

```