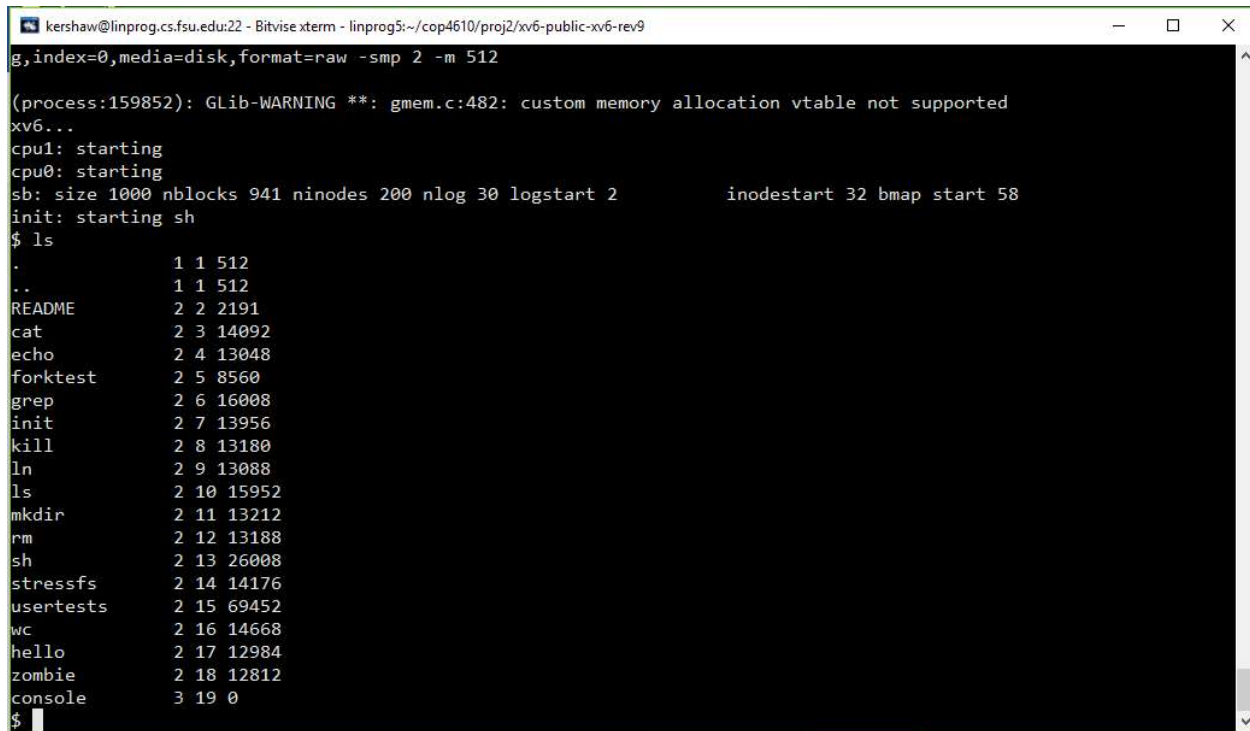


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Assignment 2

## Part 1: Displaying xv6 running on linprog server with command "ls".



```
kershaw@linprog.cs.fsu.edu:22 - Bitvise xterm - linprog5:~/cop4610/proj2/xv6-public-xv6-rev9
g,index=0,media=disk,format=raw -smp 2 -m 512

(process:159852): GLib-WARNING **: gmem.c:482: custom memory allocation vtable not supported
xv6...
cpu1: starting
cpu0: starting
sb: size 1000 nblocks 941 ninodes 200 nlog 30 logstart 2          inodestart 32 bmap start 58
init: starting sh
$ ls
.          1 1 512
..         1 1 512
README    2 2 2191
cat        2 3 14092
echo       2 4 13048
forktest   2 5 8560
grep       2 6 16008
init       2 7 13956
kill       2 8 13180
ln         2 9 13088
ls         2 10 15952
mkdir     2 11 13212
rm        2 12 13188
sh        2 13 26008
stressfs   2 14 14176
usertests  2 15 69452
wc         2 16 14668
hello     2 17 12984
zombie     2 18 12812
console   3 19 0
$
```

## Part2:

I created a test file hello.c that performs the getpid() call and assigns the value to pid and prints the process id

```
int pid;

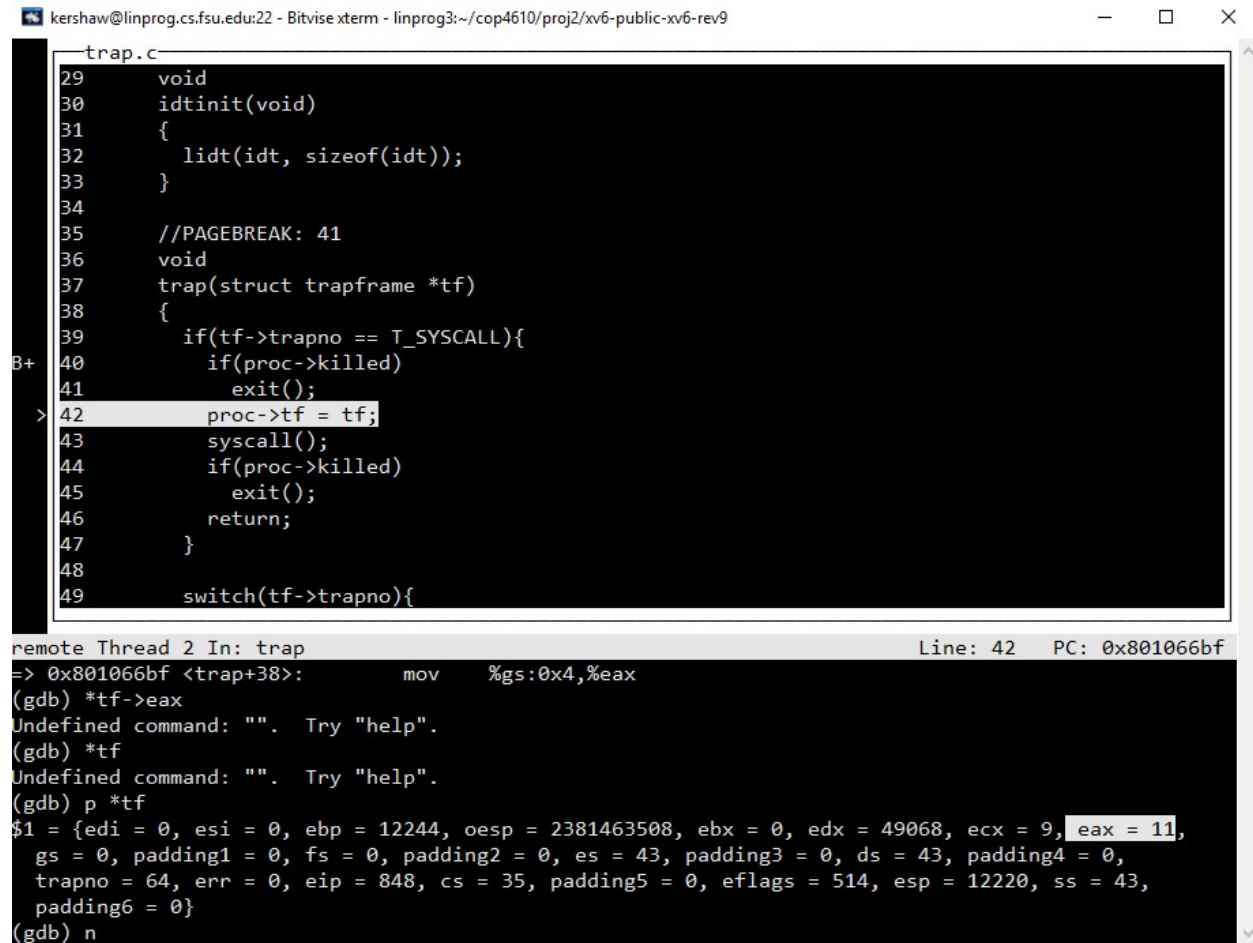
int main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    if(argc <= 1){
        printf(1,"Who are you?\n");
        exit();
    }

    pid = getpid();

    printf(1,"Hello Xv6, %s PID:%d\n", argv[1], pid);

    exit(); }
```

I then began the gdb session with the break at trap, once control was given back to xv6 I called the program hello and set the break point at line 40 of trap.c with the condition of (tf->eax == 11) This is because the syscall id for **getpid** is **11** per the syscall.h



```
kershaw@linprog.cs.fsu.edu:22 - Bitvise xterm - linprog3:~/cop4610/proj2/xv6-public-xv6-rev9
trap.c
29 void
30 idtinit(void)
31 {
32     lidt(idt, sizeof(idt));
33 }
34
35 //PAGEBREAK: 41
36 void
37 trap(struct trapframe *tf)
38 {
39     if(tf->trapno == T_SYSCALL){
40         if(proc->killed)
41             exit();
42         proc->tf = tf;
43         syscall();
44         if(proc->killed)
45             exit();
46         return;
47     }
48
49     switch(tf->trapno){
remote Thread 2 In: trap Line: 42 PC: 0x801066bf
=> 0x801066bf <trap+38>:      mov     %gs:0x4,%eax
(gdb) *tf->eax
Undefined command: "". Try "help".
(gdb) *tf
Undefined command: "". Try "help".
(gdb) p *tf
$1 = {edi = 0, esi = 0, ebp = 12244, oesp = 2381463508, ebx = 0, edx = 49068, ecx = 9, eax = 11,
      gs = 0, padding1 = 0, fs = 0, padding2 = 0, es = 43, padding3 = 0, ds = 43, padding4 = 0,
      trapno = 64, err = 0, eip = 848, cs = 35, padding5 = 0, eflags = 514, esp = 12220, ss = 43,
      padding6 = 0}
(gdb) n
```

As shown here at line 42, `eax = 11` so this is the syscall for `getpid()`.

On line 43 `syscall()` is called so I step through the syscall function which branches to `syscall.c`

```
kershaw@linprog.cs.fsu.edu:22 - Bitwise xterm - linprog3:~/cop4610/proj2/xv6-public-xv6-rev9
syscall.c
122     [SYS_mkdir]    sys_mkdir,
123     [SYS_close]    sys_close,
124     };
125
126     void
127     syscall(void)
128     {
129         int num;
130
131         num = proc->tf->eax;
132     > if(num > 0 && num < NELEM(syscalls) && syscalls[num]) {
133         proc->tf->eax = syscalls[num]();
134     } else {
135         cprintf("%d %s: unknown sys call %d\n",
136               proc->pid, proc->name, num);
137         proc->tf->eax = -1;
138     }
139 }
140
141
142

remote Thread 2 In: syscall Line: 132 PC: 0x801054d4
=> 0x801066cb <trap+50>:      call    0x801054be <syscall>
(gdb) s
=> 0x801054c5 <syscall+7>:      mov     %gs:0x4,%eax
syscall () at syscall.c:131
(gdb) p num
$2 = <optimized out>
(gdb) n
=> 0x801054d4 <syscall+22>:      cmpl    $0x0,-0xc(%ebp)
(gdb) p num
$3 = 11
(gdb)
```

Num is initialized at line 131 with the value in eax(11), this is confirmed on line 132 as p num resulted in \$3 = 11. Line 132 if check is a success and continues to line 133 which calls syscalls[num]() or syscalls[11]() and as we step into that function call it opens the function in sysproc.c

```
kershaw@linprog.cs.fsu.edu:22 - Bitwise xterm - linprog3:~/cop4610/proj2/xv6-public-xv6-rev9
sysproc.c
33
34     if(argint(0, &pid) < 0)
35         return -1;
36     return kill(pid);
37 }
38
39 int
40 sys_getpid(void)
41 {
> 42     return proc->pid;
43 }
44
45 int
46 sys_sbrk(void)
47 {
48     int addr;
49     int n;
50
51     if(argint(0, &n) < 0)
52         return -1;
53     addr = proc->sz;
```

```
remote Thread 2 In: sys_getpid                               Line: 42   PC: 0x80106324
=> 0x801054f0 <syscall+50>:  mov    %gs:0x4,%eax
(gdb) s
=> 0x80106324 <sys_getpid+3>:  mov    %gs:0x4,%eax
sys_getpid () at sysproc.c:42
```

Upon further digging this actually starts back at vector64 inside of vector.S which is responsible for calling all traps found in trapasm.S

```
kershaw@linprog.cs.fsu.edu:22 - Bitwise xterm - linprog4:~/cop4610/proj2/xv6-public-xv6-rev9
-vectors.S-
310     pushl $62
311     jmp alltraps
312     .globl vector63
313     vector63:
314     pushl $0
315     pushl $63
316     jmp alltraps
317     .globl vector64
318     vector64:
319     pushl $0
B+ > 320     pushl $64
321     jmp alltraps
322     .globl vector65
323     vector65:
324     pushl $0
325     pushl $65
326     jmp alltraps
327     .globl vector66
328     vector66:
329     pushl $0
330     pushl $66

remote Thread 1 In: vector64                                     Line: 320  PC: 0x80106e7d

Breakpoint 1, vector64 () at vectors.S:319
(gdb) c
Continuing.
=> 0x80106e7b <vector64>:      push  $0x0

Breakpoint 1, vector64 () at vectors.S:319
(gdb) n
=> 0x80106e7d <vector64+2>:    push  $0x40
vector64 () at vectors.S:320
(gdb)
```

After jumping to alltraps trapasm.S as shown below, it first builds the trapframe by saving all of the vital information before context switching to the kernel to handle the service call for sys\_getpid()

```
kershaw@linprog.cs.fsu.edu:22 - Bitvise xterm - linprog4:~/cop4610/proj2/xv6-public-xv6-rev9
trapasm.S
1  #include "mmu.h"
2
3  # vectors.S sends all traps here.
4  .globl alltraps
5  alltraps:
6  # Build trap frame.
> 7  pushl %ds
8  pushl %es
9  pushl %fs
10 pushl %gs
11 pushal
12
13 # Set up data and per-cpu segments.
14 movw $(SEG_KDATA<<3), %ax
15 movw %ax, %ds
16 movw %ax, %es
17 movw $(SEG_KCPU<<3), %ax
18 movw %ax, %fs
19 movw %ax, %gs
20
21 # Call trap(tf), where tf=%esp
remote Thread 1 In: alltraps Line: 7 PC: 0x801065e6
Breakpoint 1, vector64 () at vectors.S:319
(gdb) n
=> 0x80106e7d <vector64+2>:      push    $0x40
vector64 () at vectors.S:320
(gdb) s
=> 0x80106e7f <vector64+4>:      jmp     0x801065e6 <alltraps>
vector64 () at vectors.S:321
(gdb) s
=> 0x801065e6 <alltraps>:      push    %ds
alltraps () at trapasm.S:7
(gdb)
```

After it sets up the trapframe and saves the %esp stack pointer trapasm.S calls the trap function

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trapasm.S
13      # Set up data and per-cpu segments.
14      movw $(SEG_KDATA<<3), %ax
15      movw %ax, %ds
16      movw %ax, %es
17      movw $(SEG_KCPU<<3), %ax
18      movw %ax, %fs
19      movw %ax, %gs
20
21      # Call trap(tf), where tf=%esp
22      pushl %esp
> 23      call trap
24      addl $4, %esp
25
26      # Return falls through to trapret...
27      .globl trapret
28      trapret:
29      popal
30      popl %gs
31      popl %fs
32      popl %es
33      popl %ds

remote Thread 1 In: alltraps Line: 23 PC: 0x801065fe
=> 0x801065f5 <alltraps+15>: mov    $0x18,%ax
(gdb) n
=> 0x801065f9 <alltraps+19>: mov    %eax,%fs
(gdb) n
=> 0x801065fb <alltraps+21>: mov    %eax,%gs
(gdb) n
=> 0x801065fd <alltraps+23>: push   %esp
(gdb) n
=> 0x801065fe <alltraps+24>: call   0x801067db <trap>
alltraps () at trapasm.S:23
(gdb)
```