

Introduction to Concurrency

starts at 9:04pm

useradd -m -G developers john

-m → /home/john.doe

→ Agenda:

- setfacl
- Interview question (task)
- zombie process
- Concurrency.

Process

Threads

Concurrency

Parallelism

Synchronisation Primitives

Race Conditions

Livelocks

Deadlocks starvation

→ set/cut .

Blue group.

user :- blue 1

blue 2

blue 1. txt

blue 2. txt

blue 3. txt

Red group.

red 1

red 2

red 3

↑

red 1. txt

red 2. txt

red 3. txt

syntax

set/cut [options] <ACL> file

- m modify the ACL
- x removing
- R Recursive

ACL

→ setfacl -m u: username: rwx filename.

setfacl -m u: red2: rwx blue2.txt

verify the command

→ getfacl filename

Imagine you're a DevOps engineer at a tech company, and you're tasked with setting up a secure development environment for a new web application project. The project team consists of developers, testers, and a project manager.

You need to ensure that:

* Developers have access to the source code and can deploy to the development server.

* Testers can access the testing environment but not make changes to the source code.

* The project manager can view the progress and access reports but should not modify the environments or the code.

Step 1 → Create groups.

Step 2 → Create users and assign to groups.
→ give passwords.

sudo passwd username.

Step 3 → Setup directories and permissions.

/var/www/html/project-source.
" " /project-testing
" " /project-reports.

/var/project-source.

→ Change group ownership of directories we have created.

1 clear

2 sudo groupadd developers

3 sudo groupadd testers

4 sudo groupadd project_managers

5 cat /etc/groups

6 cat /etc/group

7 sudo useradd -m -G developers dev1

8 sudo useradd -m -G testers test1

9 sudo useradd -m -G project_managers pm1

10 sudo passwd dev1

11 sudo passwd test1

12 sudo passwd pm1

13 cat /etc/passwd

14 cat /etc/group

15 cd /var

16 ls -lrt

17 cd

18 clear

19 sudo mkdir -p /var/www/html/project_source

20 sudo mkdir -p /var/www/html/project_testing

21 sudo mkdir -p /var/www/html/project_reports

22 cd /var/www/html

23 ls -lrt

24 sudo chown -R :developers /var/www/html/project_source

25 ls -lrt

26 sudo chown -R :testers /var/www/html/project_testing

27 sudo chown -R :project_managers /var/www/html/project_reports

28 ls -lrt

29 sudo chmod -R 770 /var/www/html/project_source

30 sudo chmod -R 770 /var/www/html/project_testing

31 sudo chmod -R 770 /var/www/html/project_reports

→ create new user in project_managers
→ assign pm2 access to project_source.

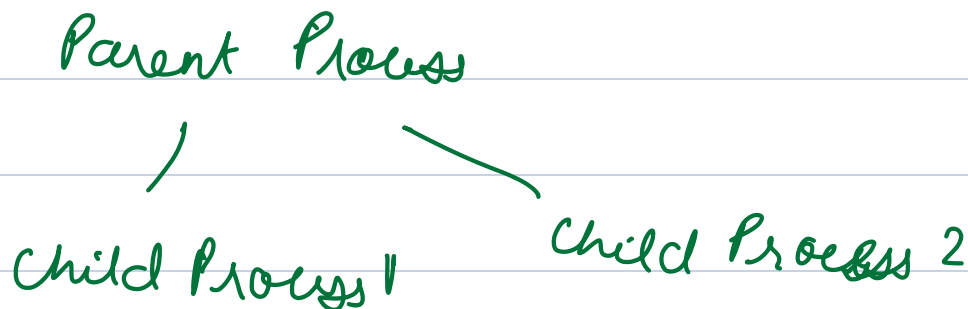
→ getfacl

ACL → user: pm2 : rwx
mask → rwx

setfacl -m m:rw project_source.

Break → 10:25 pm

Zombie Process.



Program. (Process)

(Child Process)

→ Forks Process 2 (completed in 2 seconds)

Sleep 20

for 20 seconds
Zombie.

Z → state

stat

✓ ps - aux | grep Z

R

kill -9 pid forcefully.

S

kill pid gracefully.

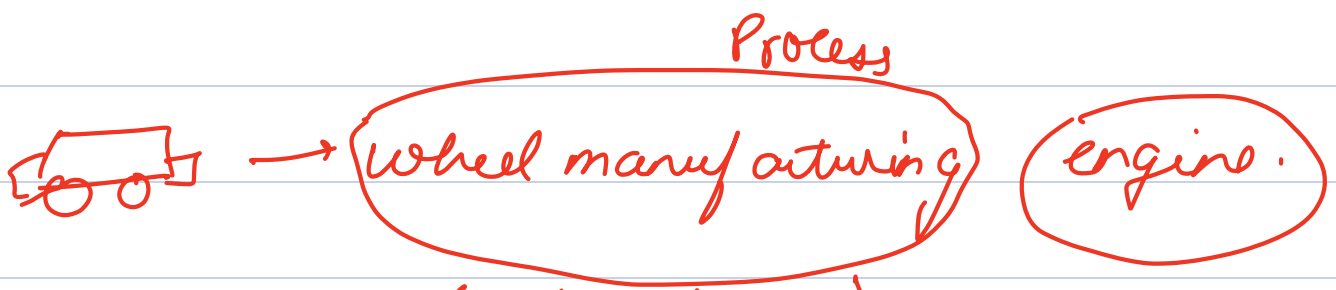
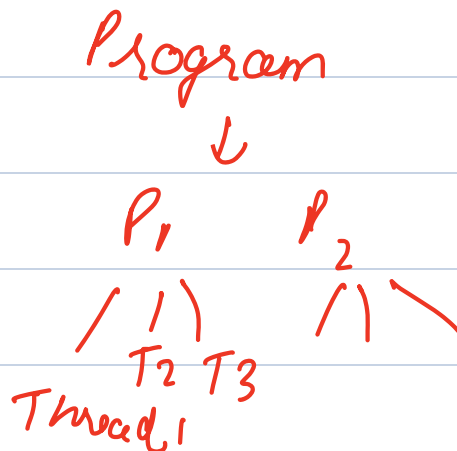
Z

-15 → default

kill -15

kill pid

Threads.

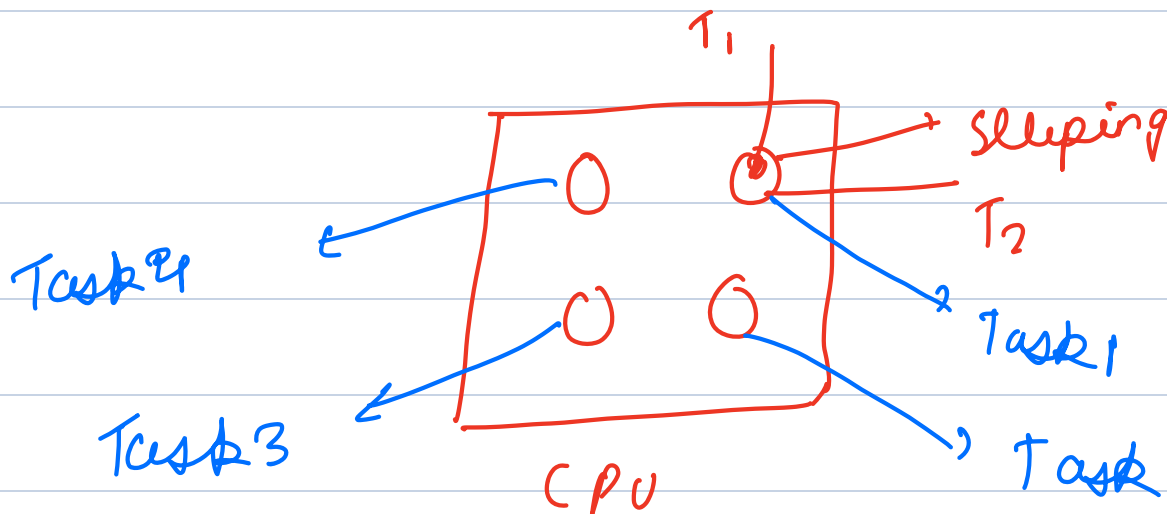


T_1 T_2 T_3 T_4

In simple terms if a process is a program that's running, a thread is what's happening inside the program.

It's like a single task that the program is performing, and there can be many tasks happening at once."

Feature	Process	Thread
Definition	An instance of a program running independently.	The smallest unit of processing that can be performed in an OS.
Memory Space	Has its own separate memory space.	Shares memory space with other threads of the same process.
Creation Time	Creating a process is more resource-intensive and time-consuming.	Threads can be created more quickly and efficiently than processes.
Control	Each process operates independently and is isolated from other processes.	Threads are easily controlled by the operating system, allowing for faster context switching.
Resources	Each process has its own resources (files, memory, etc.).	Threads share resources within the same process, which can lead to conflicts if not properly managed.
Use Case	Suitable for applications where tasks are relatively independent.	Ideal for tasks that are closely related and need to share data frequently.



→ Concurrency. (multitasking.)

Core 1	Person 1	→ Task 1	} Parallelism.
Core 2	Person 2	→ Task 2	
Core 3	Person 3	→ Task 3	

Person → Concurrency.

task 1 task 2 task 3

Jenkins pipeline.

5 Stages.

Stage 1.

Stage 2

Stage 3

— Stage 4 dependent on Stage 1

— Stage 5 dependent on Stage 2.

Parallelly	Stage 1	→ Stage 4	[Concurrently]
	Stage 2	→ Stage 5	[Concurrently]
	Stage 3		

Feature	Concurrency	Parallelism
Execution	Tasks start, run, and complete in overlapping time periods, not necessarily simultaneously.	Multiple tasks run at exactly the same time.
Processors	Can occur on a single processor by task switching.	Requires multiple processors or cores.
Main Goal	Utilize the computing resources efficiently by task switching.	Reduce the overall time to complete multiple tasks by running them concurrently.
Use Case	Managing multiple connections on a web server.	Processing large datasets or performing complex calculations over multiple CPU cores.
Example	A single-threaded web server handling multiple requests.	A multi-threaded application performing calculations across different threads on a multicore processor.

Context Switching -> The CPU will execute one task for a short period (a few milliseconds),

save its state,

and then switch to another task.

This happens so quickly that to a human user, it feels like the tasks are happening at the same time.

