USB Device Driver

Devices that can be supported:

Macros for initialization:

```
USB_DEVICE(vendor, product)
USB_DEVICE_INFO(class, subclass, protocol)
```

Initialization:

Register Driver

Callbacks:

```
struct usb class driver skel class:
struct module *owner
   Pointer to the module owner of this driver
const char *name
   Pointer to the name of the driver
const struct usb device id *id table
   Pointer to the struct usb device id table that contains a list
  of all of the different kinds of USB devices this driver can accept
int (*probe) ()
   Called when the driver thinks it has a struct usb interface that
   the driver can handle
void (*disconnect) ()
   Called when the struct usb interface has been removed from
   the system or when the driver is being unloaded from the
   USB core.
```

Register Driver

Other Callbacks:

```
struct usb_class_driver skel_class:
   int (*ioctl) ()
    An ioctl function – allows commands to be issued from userland
   int (*suspend) ()
    Called to suspend the device
   int (*resume) ()
    Called to resume the device
```

Register Driver

Init function:

exit function:

```
static void __exit usb_skel_exit(void) {
  /* deregister this driver with the USB subsystem */
  usb_deregister(&skel_driver);
}
```

Probe

Called when a device is installed that the USB core thinks this driver should handle

Probe should make checks on information passed to it to make sure it should be handled

Should detect what the endpoint address and buffer sizes are for the device: they're needed to communicate with the device

Register the device with the USB subsystem using usb_register_dev(interface, &skel_class);

Note that skel class contains a pointer to file_operations

File Operations

open function:

```
Get the interface with
  interface = usb find interface(&skel drvr, subminor);
 Retrieve the data with
  dev = usb get intfdata(interface);
read function:
```

Build a URB, send if off, wait for completion udev - pointer to device to send the message to pipe - endpoint "pipe" to send the message to buffer - pointer to the data to send len - length in bytes of the data to send

cnt - pointer to loc to put # bytes actually transferred

HZ - msecs to wait for completion before timing out

```
usb bulk msg(udev,usb rcvbulkpipe(),buf,len,cnt,HZ)
```

File Operations

release function:

```
Decrement the device count with kref put(&dev->kref, skel delete);
```

write function:

Allocate a URB

Allocate a DMA buffer

Copy data to the DMA buffer

Initialize the URB – include a callback for completing

Send the URB with the following

```
usb_submit_urb(urb, GFP_KERNEL)
```

Free the URB space

After a Write Completes

callback function:

Check status of the URB to see if it completed normally If not, an error is returned

Then the allocated buffer that was assigned to the URB is freed

```
skel write bulk callback(struct urb *urb);
```