

Scheduling

AISO



Scheduling en Linux

■ `linux/sched.c`

Linux version	Scheduler
Linux pre 2.5	Multilevel Feedback Queue
Linux 2.5-2.6.23	O(1) scheduler
Linux post 2.6.23	Completely Fair Scheduler

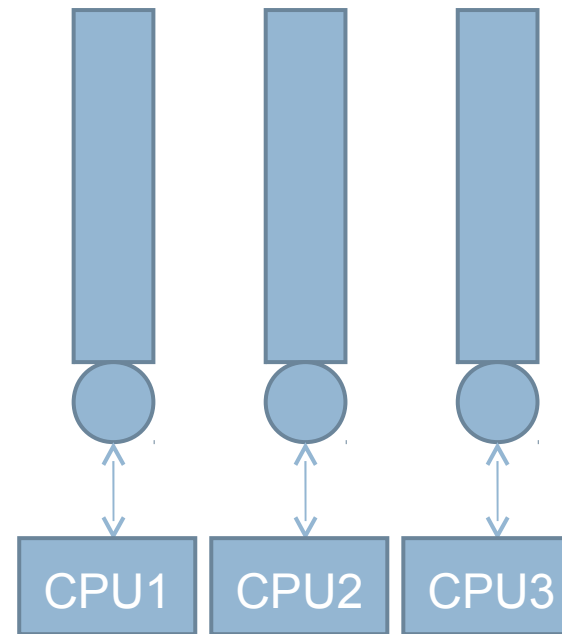
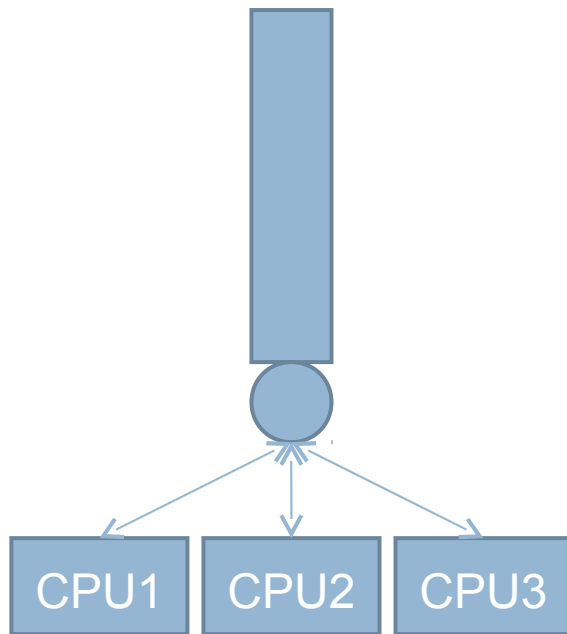


Linux O(1) Scheduler

- Planificación basadas en épocas + prioridades
 - Respecto a 2.4 reducción de la complejidad: de $O(n)$ a $O(1)$
- Soporte para sistemas SMP
 - Runqueues individuales (locks individuales)
 - Afinidad de procesos a CPUs (Localidad Cache)
- Expropiación / Preemptive:
 - Un proceso mayor prioridad puede expropiar a un proceso en ejecución con menor prioridad



Linux O(1) Scheduler



Linux O(1) Scheduler – runqueue

▪ struct runqueue {

`spinlock_t lock;` spin lock which protects this runqueue
`unsigned long nr_running;` number of runnable tasks
`unsigned long nr_switches;` number of contextswitches
`unsigned long expired_timestamp;` time of last array swap
`unsigned long nr_uninterruptible;` number of tasks in uninterruptible sleep
`struct task_struct *curr;` this processor's currently running task
`struct task_struct *idle;` this processor's idle task
`struct mm_struct *prev_mm;` mm_struct of last running task
`struct prio_array *active;` pointer to the active priority array
`struct prio_array *expired;` pointer to the expired priority array
`struct prio_array arrays[2];` the actual priority arrays
`int prev_cpu_load[NR_CPUS];` load on each processor
`struct task_struct *migration_thread;` the migration thread on this processor
`struct list_head migration_queue;` the migration queue for this processor
`atomic_t nr_iowait;` number of tasks waiting on I/O



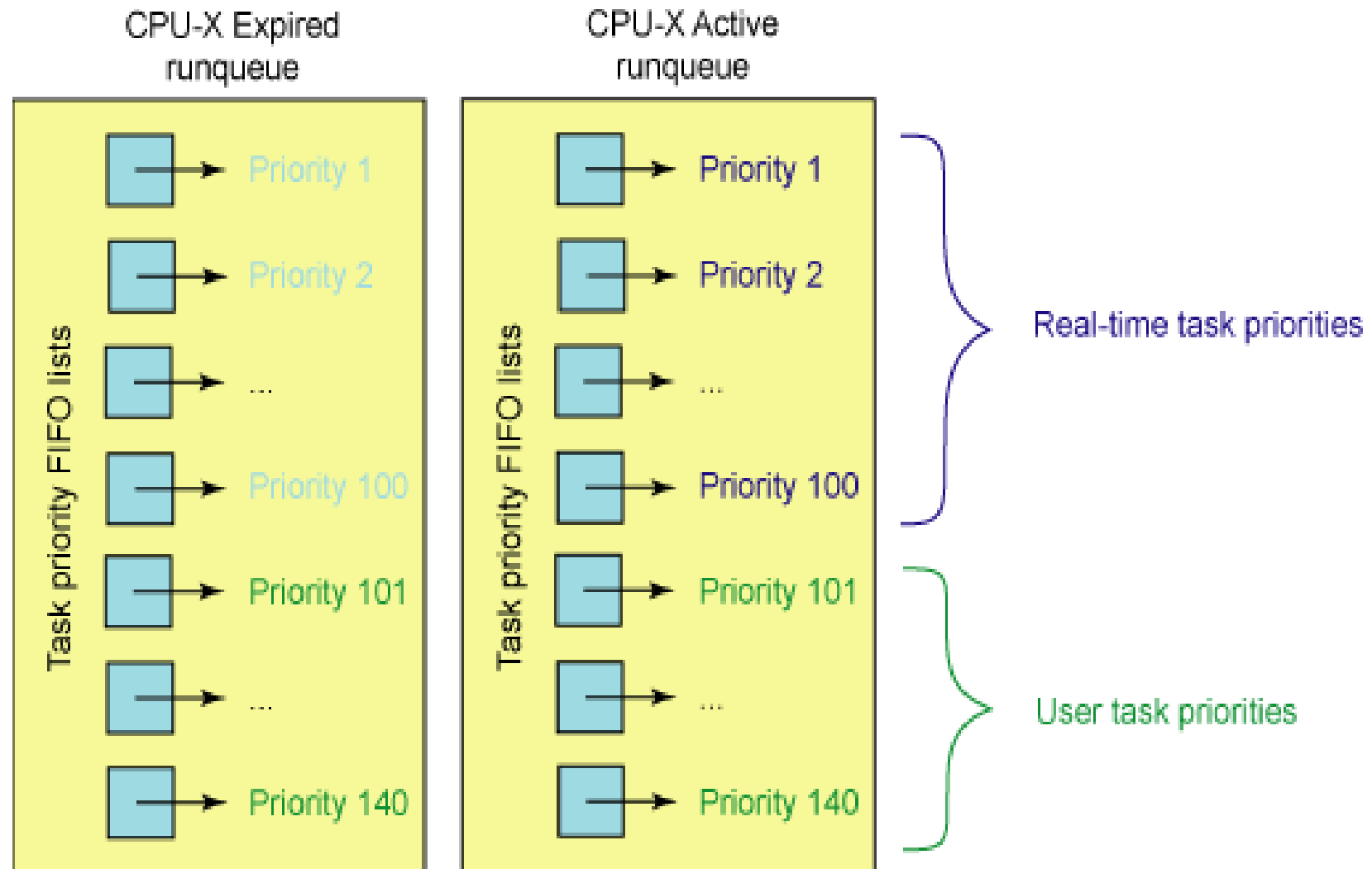
Linux O(1) Scheduler – array de prioridad

- `struct prio_array {`

```
int nr_active;    number of task in the queue
unsigned long bitmap[BITMAP_SIZE];  priority bitmap
Struct list_head queue[MAX_PRIO];  priority queues
}
```



Linux O(1) Scheduler – expiredos y activos –



Linux O(1) Scheduler – Prioridades –

■ 140 Niveles de Prioridad

- 1-100 : Prio RT ($\text{MAX_RT_PRIO} = 100$)
- 101-140 : Prio Usuario ($\text{MAX_PRIO} = 140$)

■ Tres tipos diferentes de Políticas de Scheduling

- Una política para los procesos usuario
 - Objetivos: Fairness, Buena Respuesta Procesos Interactivos
- Dos políticas para los procesos de TR (RR o FIFO)
 - De acuerdo al estándar POSIX RT

■ Los Procesos “normales” tienen asignado

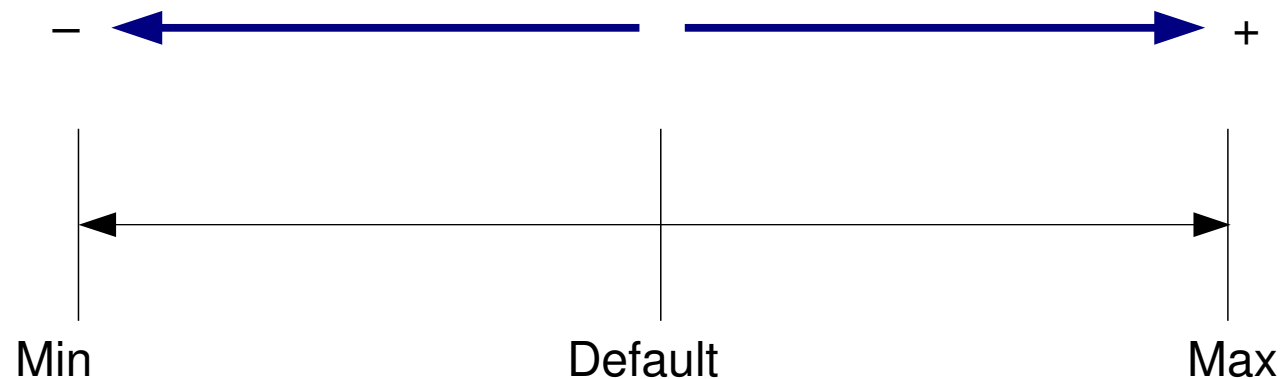
- Nice (lo hereda del padre, aunque puede cambiarse)
- $\text{PRIO} = \text{MAX_RT_PRIO} + \text{NICE} + 20$
- Timeslice



Linux O(1) Scheduler – Timeslice –

■ Timeslice

- Prioridad Estática
- Inicial (la mitad del timeslice del padre)



Linux O(1) Scheduler – Timeslice –

	Static Priority	NICE	Quantum
High Priority	100	-20	800 ms
	110	-10	600 ms
	120	0	100 ms
	120	+10	50 ms
Low Priority	139	+19	5 ms



Linux O(1) Scheduler – Prio Dinámica –

■ Prioridad Dinámica `effective_prio()`:

■ $DP = \max(100, \min(SP - \text{bonus} + 5, 139))$

■ SP: Prioridad Estática

■ Bonus [0,10]

■ Depende de la **interactividad del proceso**

■ Heurística basada en comparar tiempo del proceso en estado running vs. tiempo de espera promedio (`sleep_avg [0..MAX_SLEEP_AVG]`)

■ 5 Neutral, 10 aumenta prioridad, 0 disminuye prioridad

■ Los procesos muy interactivos *no expiran*



CFS – Completely Fair Scheduler –

■ Linux 2.6.23 (Ingo Molnar)

■ Se definen **clases de planificación**

■ Estructura más modular

■ Clase Fair (CFS)

■ Desaparece de forma explícita los conceptos de época y timeslice

■ Aunque existe el concepto de **latencia de planificación**

■ No se utilizan heurísticas para calcular la interactividad

■ Los procesos se mantienen ordenados en un árbol RB según su “tiempo de espera”

■ Se elige al proceso que lleva más tiempo “esperando”



CFS sched_class

■ struct sched_class {

```
struct sched_class *next;
void (*enqueue_task) (struct rq *rq, struct task_struct *p, int wakeup);
void (*dequeue_task) (struct rq *rq, struct task_struct *p, int sleep);
void (*yield_task) (struct rq *rq, struct task_struct *p);
void (*check_preempt_curr) (struct rq *rq, struct task_struct *p);
struct task_struct * (*pick_next_task) (struct rq *rq);
void (*put_prev_task) (struct rq *rq, struct task_struct *p);
unsigned long (*load_balance) (struct rq *this_rq, int this_cpu,
                               struct rq *busiest,
                               unsigned long max_nr_move, unsigned long max_load_move,
                               struct sched_domain *sd, enum cpu_idle_type idle,
                               int *all_pinned, int *this_best_prio);

...
void (*set_curr_task) (struct rq *rq);
void (*task_tick) (struct rq *rq, struct task_struct *p);
void (*task_new) (struct rq *rq, struct task_struct *p);
};
```



CFS sched_class – Jerarquía –

- `#define sched_class_highest(&rt_sched_class)`
- `#define for_each_class(class) \`
`for (class=sched_class_highest;class;class=class->next)`
- `static const struct sched_class rt_sched_class = {`
`.next = &fair_sched_class,`
`.enqueue_task = enqueue_task_rt,`
`.dequeue_task = dequeue_task_rt`
`.yield_task = yield_task_rt,`

`.check_preempt_curr = check_preempt_curr_rt,`

`.pick_next_task = pick_next_task_rt,`
`.put_prev_task = put_prev_task_rt,`
`...`



runqueue

■ struct rq {

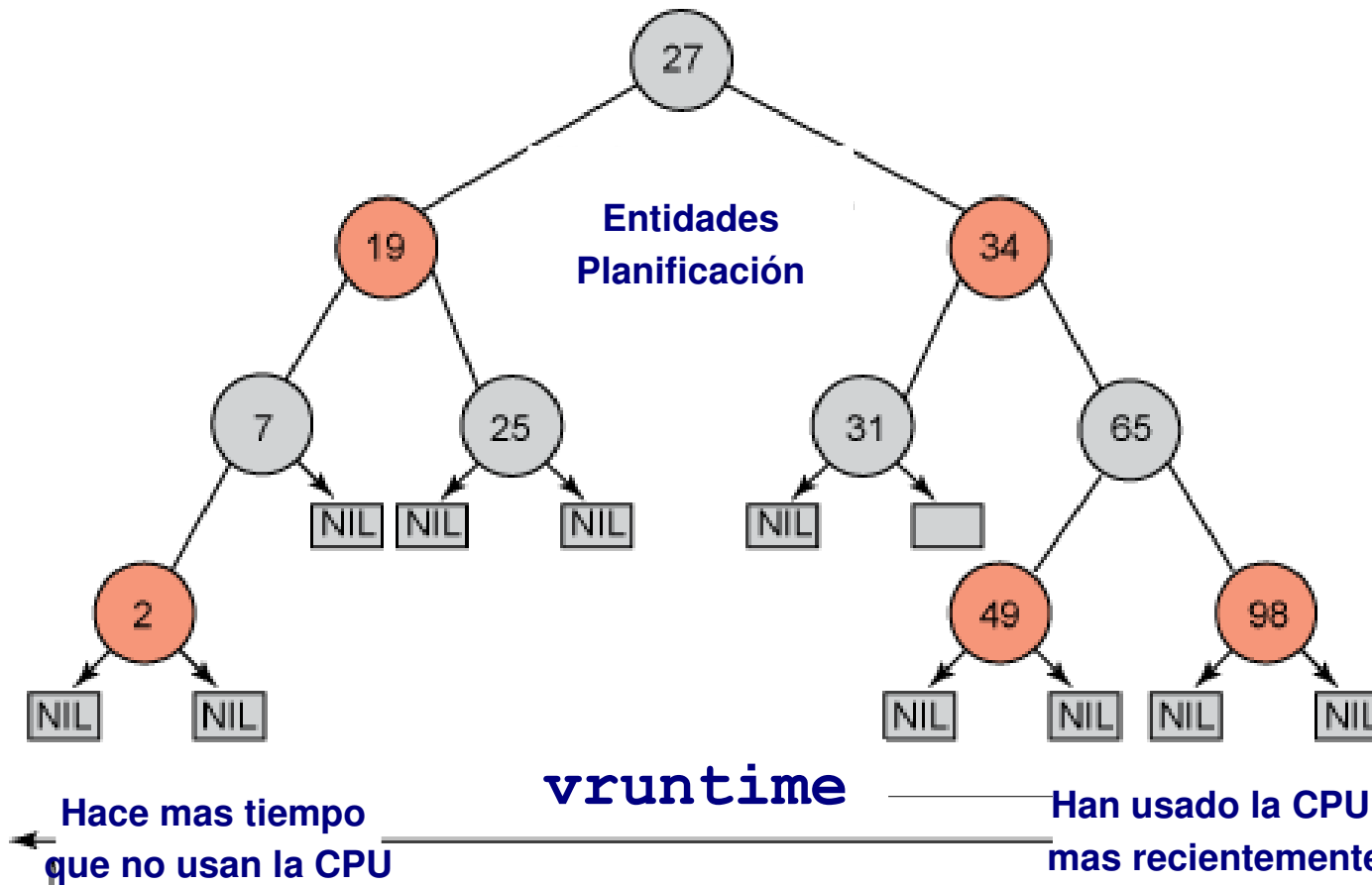
```
spinlock_t lock;
unsigned long nr_running;
unsigned long cpu_load[CPU_LOAD_IDX_MAX];
struct load_weight load; capture load from *all* tasks on this cpu:
unsigned long nr_load_updates;
u64 nr_switches;
u64 nr_migrations_in;
struct cfs_rq cfs;
struct rt_rq rt;
unsigned long nr_uninterruptible;
struct task_struct *curr, *idle;
unsigned long next_balance;
struct mm_struct *prev_mm;
u64 clock;
atomic_t nr_iowait;
}
```



CFS – Clase Fair –

■ Árbol RB

- Complejidad $O(\log N)$ – Búsquedas, Inserciones, Eliminaciones –
- Nodos: entidades de planificación (habitualmente procesos)



CFS cfs_rq – subrunqueue –

```
■ struct cfs_rq {  
    struct load_weight load;  
    unsigned long nr_running;  
  
    u64 exec_clock;  
    u64 min_vruntime;  
  
    struct rb_root tasks_timeline;  
    struct rb_node *rb_leftmost;  
  
    struct list_head tasks;  
    struct list_head *balance_iterator;  
  
    /*  
     * 'curr' points to currently running entity on this cfs_rq.  
     * It is set to NULL otherwise (i.e when none are currently running).  
     */  
    struct sched_entity *curr, *next, *last;
```



CFS sched_entity

■ struct sched_entity {

```
    struct load_weight  load;           /* Peso entidad */
    struct rb_node      run_node;
    struct list_head    group_node;
    unsigned int        on_rq;

    u64                 exec_start;
    u64                 sum_exec_runtime;
    u64                 vruntime;
    u64                 prev_sum_exec_runtime;

    u64                 last_wakeup;
    u64                 avg_overlap;

    u64                 nr_migrations;

    u64                 start_runtime;
    u64                 avg_wakeup;
```



CFS sched_entity

```
■ struct sched_rt_entity {  
    struct list_head run_list;  
    unsigned long timeout;  
    unsigned int time_slice;  
    int nr_cpus_allowed;  
    struct sched_rt_entity *back;  
}
```



CFS task_struct – Prioridades,... –

■ struct task_struct {

```
...
int prio, static_prio, normal_prio;
unsigned int rt_priority;

const struct sched_class *sched_class;

struct sched_entity se;
struct sched_rt_entity rt;
...
unsigned int policy;
cpumask_t cpus_allowed;
...
}
```



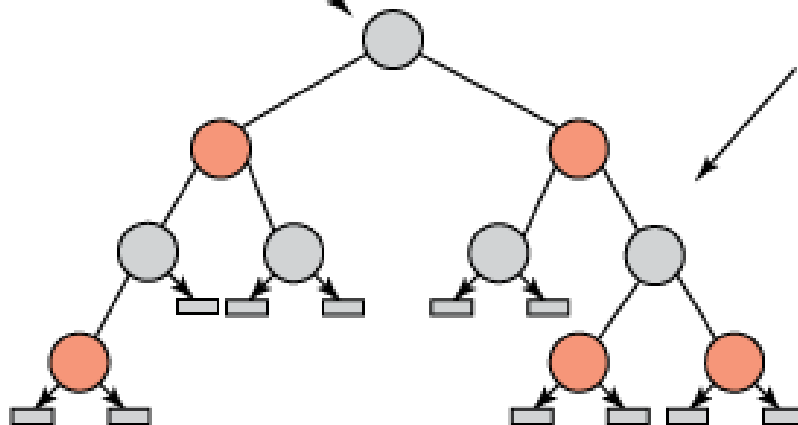
CFS – Clase Fair –

```
struct task_struct {  
    volatile long state;  
    void *stack;  
    unsigned int flags;  
    int prio, static_prio normal_prio;  
    const struct sched_class *sched_class;  
    struct sched_entity se;  
    ...  
};
```

```
struct ofs_rq {  
    ...  
    struct rb_root tasks_timeline;  
    ...  
};
```

```
struct sched_entity {  
    struct load_weight load;  
    struct rb_node run_node;  
    struct list_head group_node;  
    ...  
};
```

```
struct rb_node {  
    unsigned long rb_parent_color;  
    struct rb_node *rb_right;  
    struct rb_node *rb_left;  
};
```



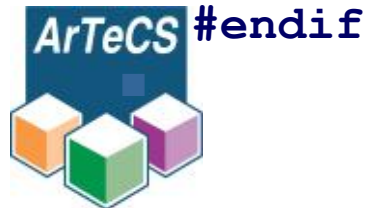
CFS **vruntime**

- El RBTree registra en orden cronológico como será la ejecución de procesos futura
 - No hay *array switch artifacts*
- Los procesos se ordenan por la clave
 - **p->se.vruntime** (substrayendo **rq->cfs.min_vruntime**)
- Mientras un proceso se ejecuta se va incrementando su
 - **p->se.vruntime** (cada tick)
- Eventualmente el siguiente proceso en el *timeline* tendrá un **vruntime** inferior (mas una cierta distancia –granularidad– para evitar thrashing) que será el nuevo seleccionado...



Periodic scheduler scheduler_tick

```
■ void scheduler_tick(void) {  
    int cpu = smp_processor_id();  
    struct rq *rq = cpu_rq(cpu);  
    struct task_struct *curr = rq->curr;  
  
    sched_clock_tick();  
  
    spin_lock(&rq->lock);  
    update_rq_clock(rq);  
    update_cpu_load(rq);  
    curr->sched_class->task_tick(rq, curr, 0);  
    spin_unlock(&rq->lock);  
  
    perf_counter_task_tick(curr, cpu);  
  
#ifdef CONFIG_SMP  
    rq->idle_at_tick = idle_cpu(cpu);  
    trigger_load_balance(rq, cpu);  
#endif
```



Periodic Scheduler – CFS –

- `task_tick_fair`
 - `entity_tick`
 - `update_curr(cfs_rq) ;`
 - `__update_curr()`
 - Hay mas de un proceso activo?
 - `check_preempt_tick`
 - Se ha excedido el limite de latencia?
 - `resched_task`



CFS update_curr

```
■ static void update_curr(struct cfs_rq *cfs_rq) {  
    struct sched_entity *curr = cfs_rq->curr;  
    u64 now = rq_of(cfs_rq)->clock;  
    unsigned long delta_exec;  
  
    if (unlikely(!curr))  
        return;  
  
    delta_exec = (unsigned long)(now - curr->exec_start);  
  
    if (!delta_exec)  
        return;  
  
    __update_curr(cfs_rq, curr, delta_exec);  
  
    curr->exec_start = now;  
}
```



CFS update_curr

```
■ __update_curr(struct cfs_rq *cfs_rq, struct
  sched_entity *curr, unsigned long delta_exec){

  unsigned long delta_exec_weighted;
  schedstat_set(curr->exec_max, max((u64)delta_exec, curr->exec_max));
  curr->sum_exec_runtime += delta_exec;
  schedstat_add(cfs_rq, exec_clock, delta_exec);

  delta_exec_weighted = calc_delta_fair(delta_exec, curr);
  curr->vruntime += delta_exec_weighted;

  update_min_vruntime(cfs_rq);
```



Main scheduler schedule

```
■ asmlinkage void __sched schedule(void) {  
    struct task_struct *prev, *next;  
    struct rq *rq;  
    int cpu;  
  
    need_resched:  
        cpu = smp_processor_id();  
        rq = cpu_rq(cpu);  
        prev = rq->curr;  
  
    need_resched_nonpreemptible:  
        spin_lock_irq(&rq->lock);  
        update_rq_clock(rq);  
        clear_tsk_need_resched(prev);  
        if (unlikely(signal_pending_state(prev->state, prev)))  
            prev->state = TASK_RUNNING;  
        else  
            deactivate_task(rq, prev, 1);  
        put_prev_task(rq, prev);  
        next = pick_next_task(rq);
```



Main scheduler schedule

```
■ asmlinkage void __sched schedule(void) {  
    if (likely(prev != next)) {  
        rq->nr_switches++;  
        rq->curr = next;  
        ++*switch_count;  
        context_switch(rq, prev, next); /* unlocks the rq */  
        ...  
    } else  
        spin_unlock_irq(&rq->lock);  
    if (unlikely(reacquire_kernel_lock(current) < 0))  
        goto need_resched_nonpreemptible;  
    preempt_enable_no_resched();  
    if (need_resched())  
        goto need_resched;  
}  
  
EXPORT_SYMBOL(schedule);
```



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