## Virtual File System(VFS)

## **Description:**

Need to implement a **VFS** for the defined memory size.

Below is the list of **VFS**:

- 1. File system should support fopen, fread, fwrite, fclose, rename and remove functions.
- 2. Implement a block device interface to divide the input memory into your defined memory blocks. Here memory block size can be of static size.
- 3. A file in the **VFS** can span across one or more blocks.
- 4. Each file should contain a Inode metadata, which should have
  - a. File Name
  - b. Track Memory block used
  - c. File size
  - d. File Authorisation details, which defines which user has read/write permission for the file.
  - 5. **VFS** has to keep track of the blocks which have been allocated and those haven't been.

### Concept:

File: A logical container of data on a device

Inode: A container of metadata for an associated file on a device.

Block Device: A **block device** is a computer data storage **device** that supports reading and writing data in fixed-size **blocks**.

File System: A **filesystem** is the methods and data structures that an operating system uses to keep track of files on a disk or partition; that is, the way the files are organized on the disk.

#### Requirements:

- 1. The file system needs to keep track of used and unused blocks of device.
- 2. Demonstrate ability to read and write files concurrently without inconsistency.
- 3. At Least implement fopen, fread, fwrite and fclose.

#### **Expectation:**

- 1. Make sure that you can execute the code and show that in a working state
- 2. Use an in-memory store for now. No need to use any database to store data
- 3. Make sure code functionality correct, and edge cases are covered
- 4. Code should be easily testable
- 5. Exceptions are raised and handled appropriately.

- 6. Separation of concerns is addressed.
- 7. A driver function that can be used to test the functionality.

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## VFS

- Get bytes for block id
- Get next free block
- Get total free data

## FileHandler

- Open file
- Write file
- Read file
- Change owner

# INode:

- Permissions
  - Read allowed users
  - Write allowed users
  - Execution allowed users
  - File name
- File size
- List<BlockId>

# INodeDAO

- getInode For file name