CS399 Operating System Project 1

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Objectives

- Write a report to answer every question.
- Complete the code file ForkCopy.c in **Q6**, write a Makefile in **Q7** and complete MyShell.c in **Q8**.
- Upload the report and the code to moodle. The deadline is 2019/03/26 Tuesday at 23:59.

0. Warm up

Compile hello.c in a terminal console by the following command:

\$ gcc -o hello hello.c

Run the executable file and check the output:

\$./hello

1. Parent and child

Q1 Run *code*1.*c*. Take a screenshot of your output of the program and answer the following questions.

- How many processes are generated?
- What is the id number of each process?
- What is the relationship of all the processes? You could draw a graph of the structure.

 ${f Q2}$ Run code2.c. Take a screenshot of your output of the program and answer the following questions.

- How many processes are generated?
- What is the id number of each process?
- Read the code, what is the return value of the **second** fork() operation in each process?
- What is the relationship of all the processes? You could draw a graph of the structure.

Q3 Run *code*3.c. Take a screenshot of your output of the program and answer the following questions.

- How many processes are generated?
- What is the id number of each process?
- Read the code, what is the return value of the **second** fork() operation in each process?
- What is the relationship of all the processes? You could draw a graph of the structure.
- Give the ending order of all the processes.
- **Q4** Conclude what does the fork() operation do.
- **Q5** Conclude what does the wait() operation do.

2. Shell example

Q6 Compile and run MyCopy.c. Its function is to copy one file into another one. Illustrate how it works.

Complete ForkCopy.c using the function execve(). Compile and run your ForkCopy.c and compare these two programs.

Q7 Makefile is a simple way to organise code compilation. We provide a makefile for *hello.c.* Run the following commands and verify it works well.

- \$ make
- \$./hello

Write your own makefile for MyCopy.c and ForkCopy.c. It should work properly when running:

- \$ make
- \$./copy ./code1.c file1

Q8 Complete the shell program $MyShell_incomplete.c.$ It allows you running shell commands. Here's an example.