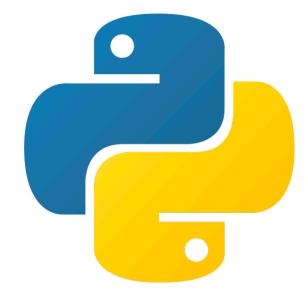
# Syscall Tracing für libiotrace

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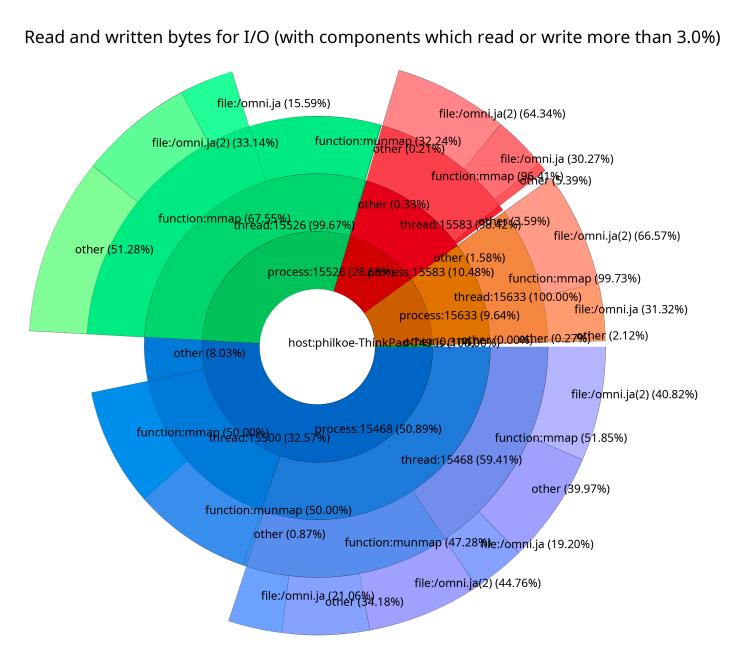
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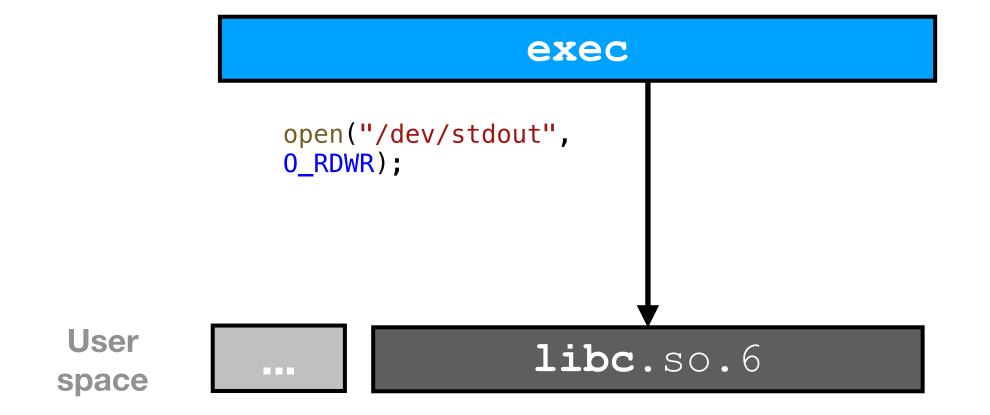


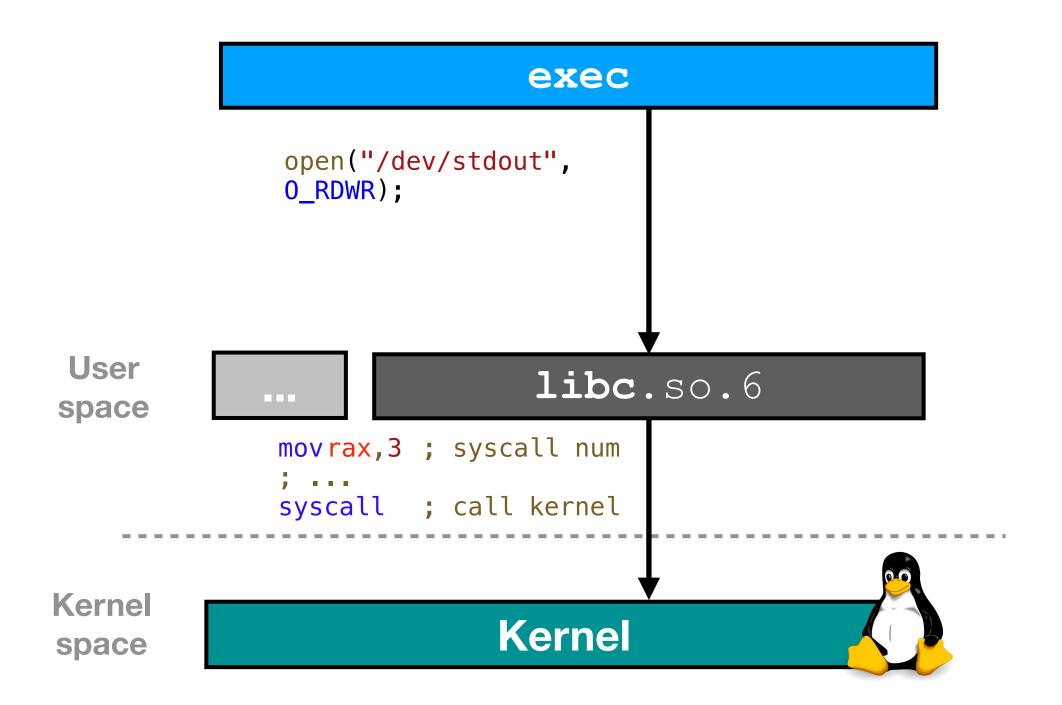
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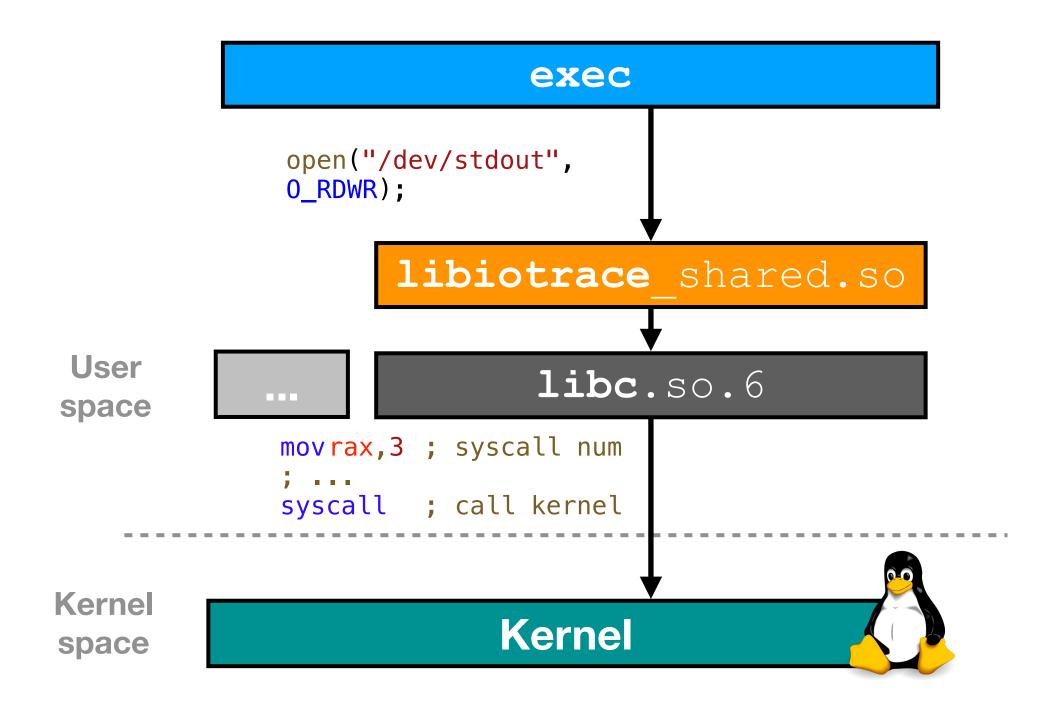
→ ~ LD\_PRELOAD=path/to/libiotrace\_shared.so ./path/to/exec

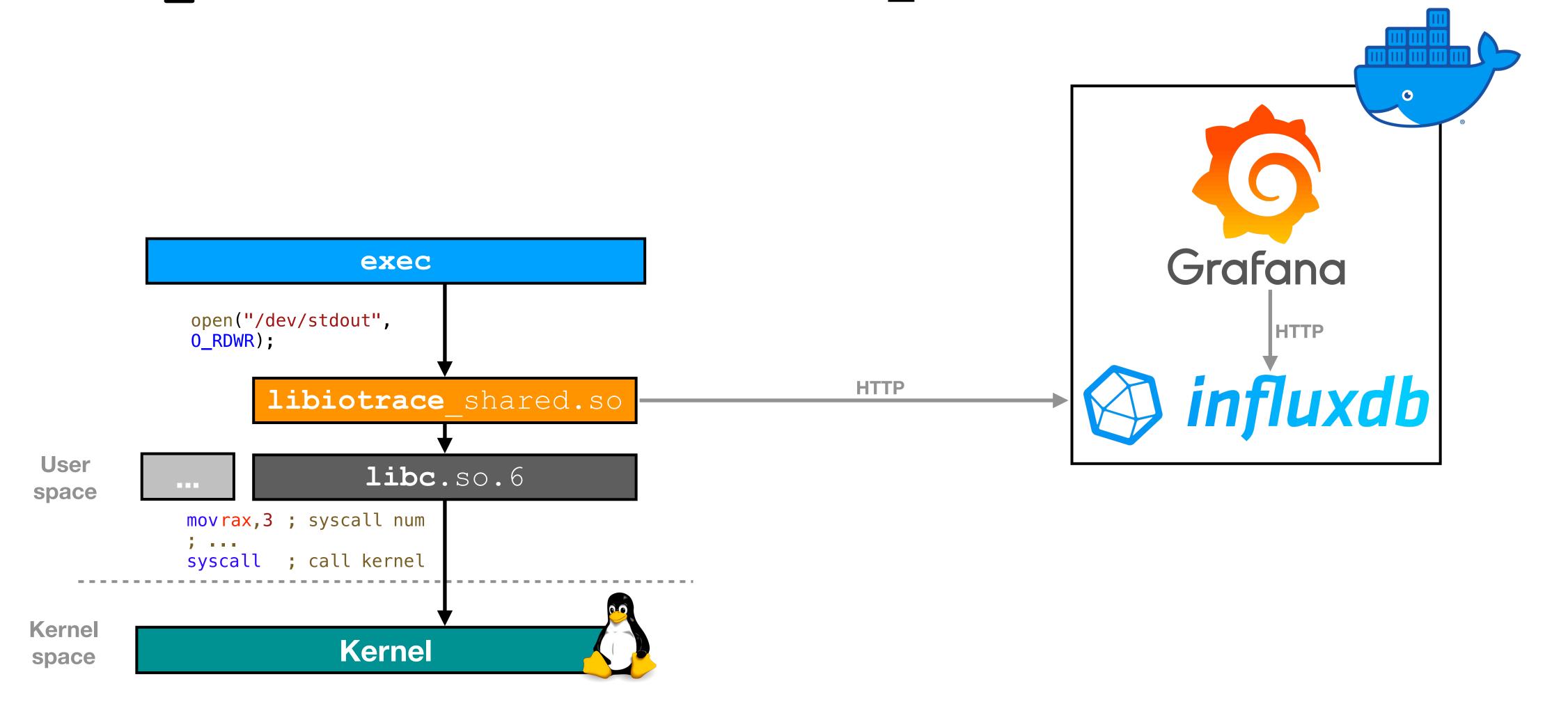
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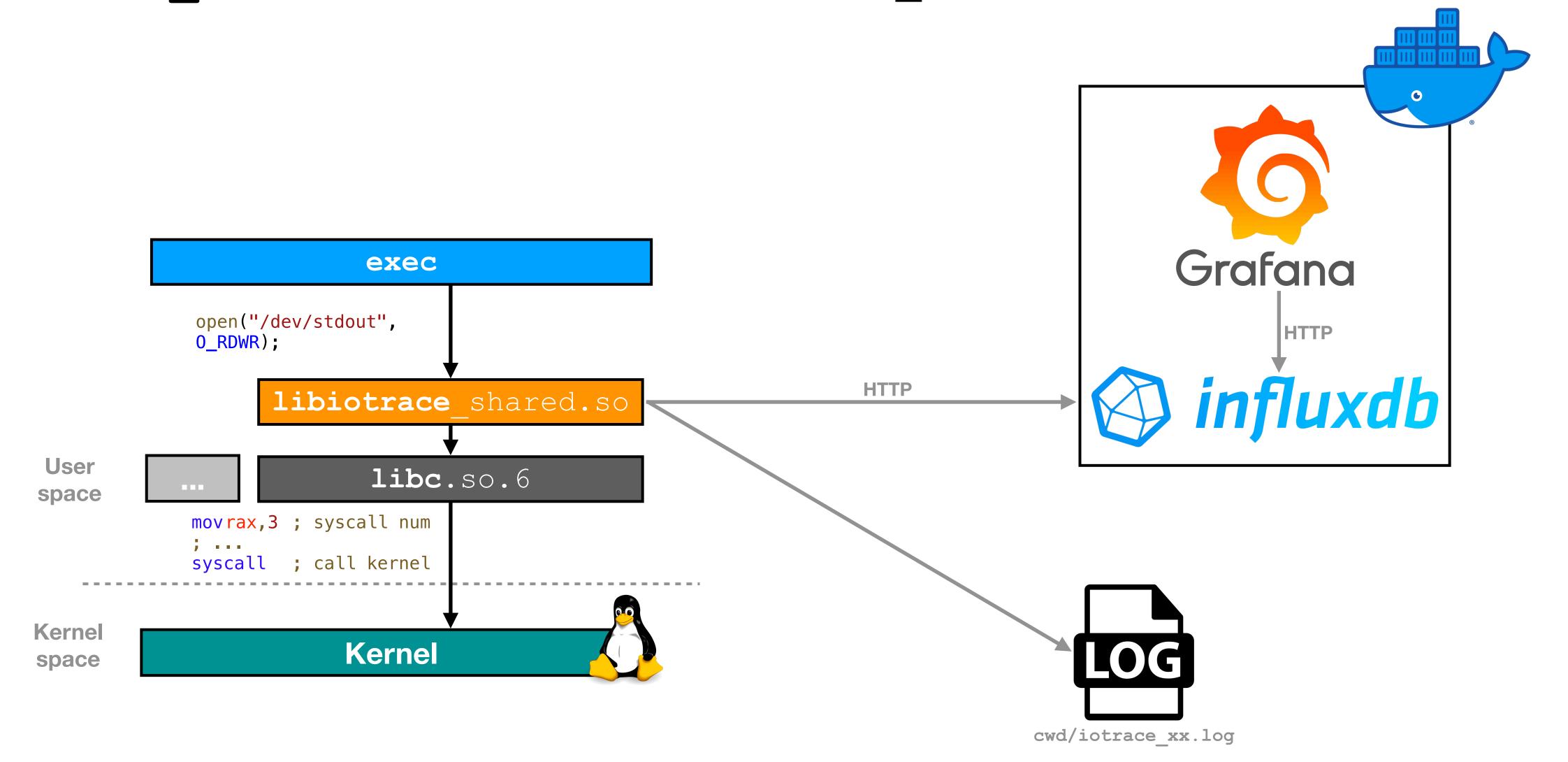
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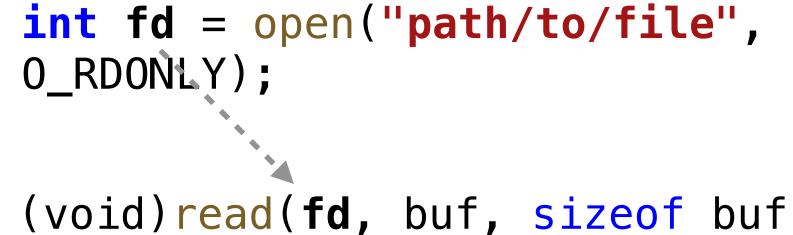
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- atomic hash: Lock-free, C
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# Motivation - Syscall Tracing

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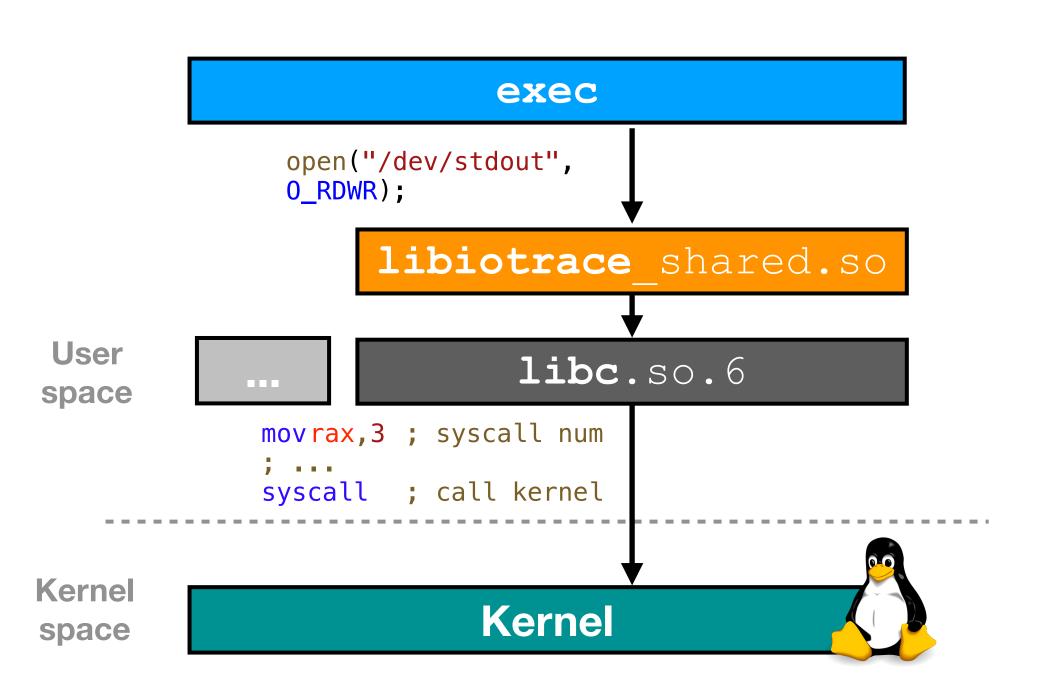
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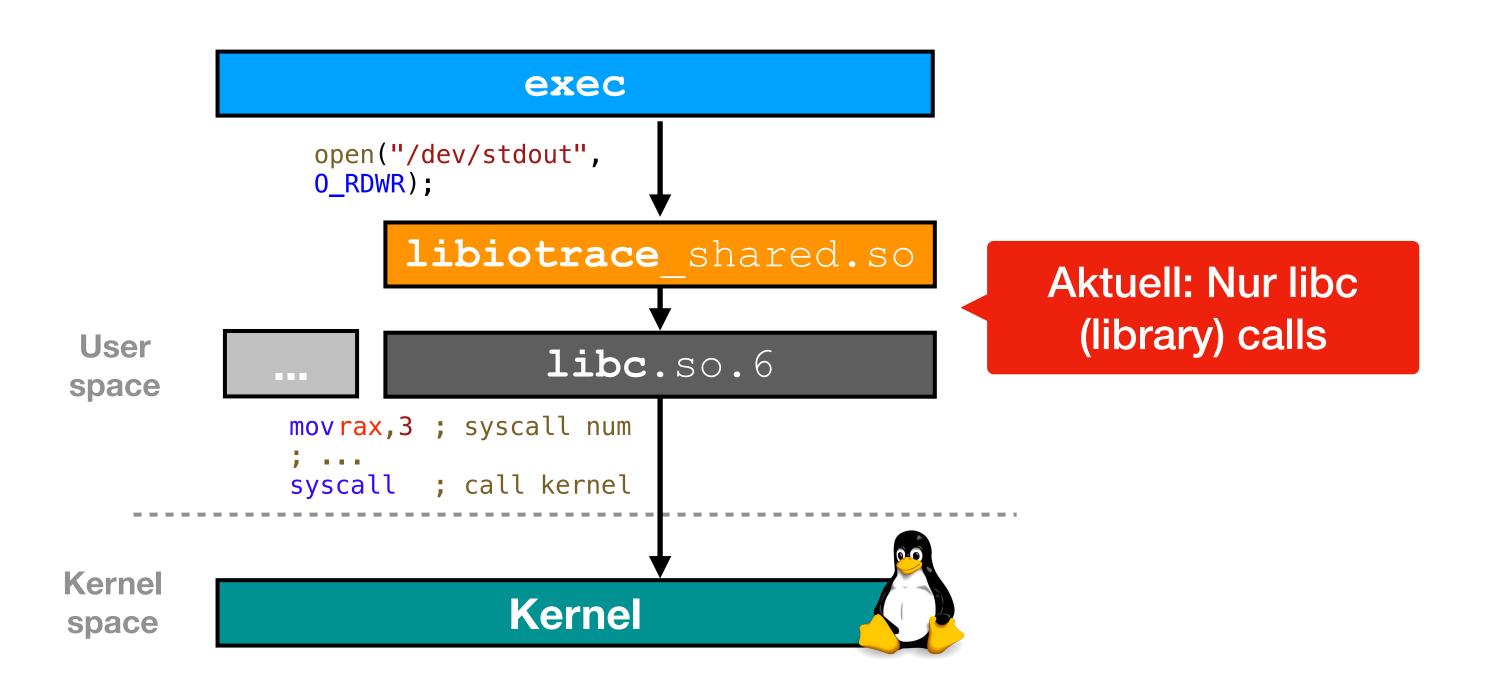
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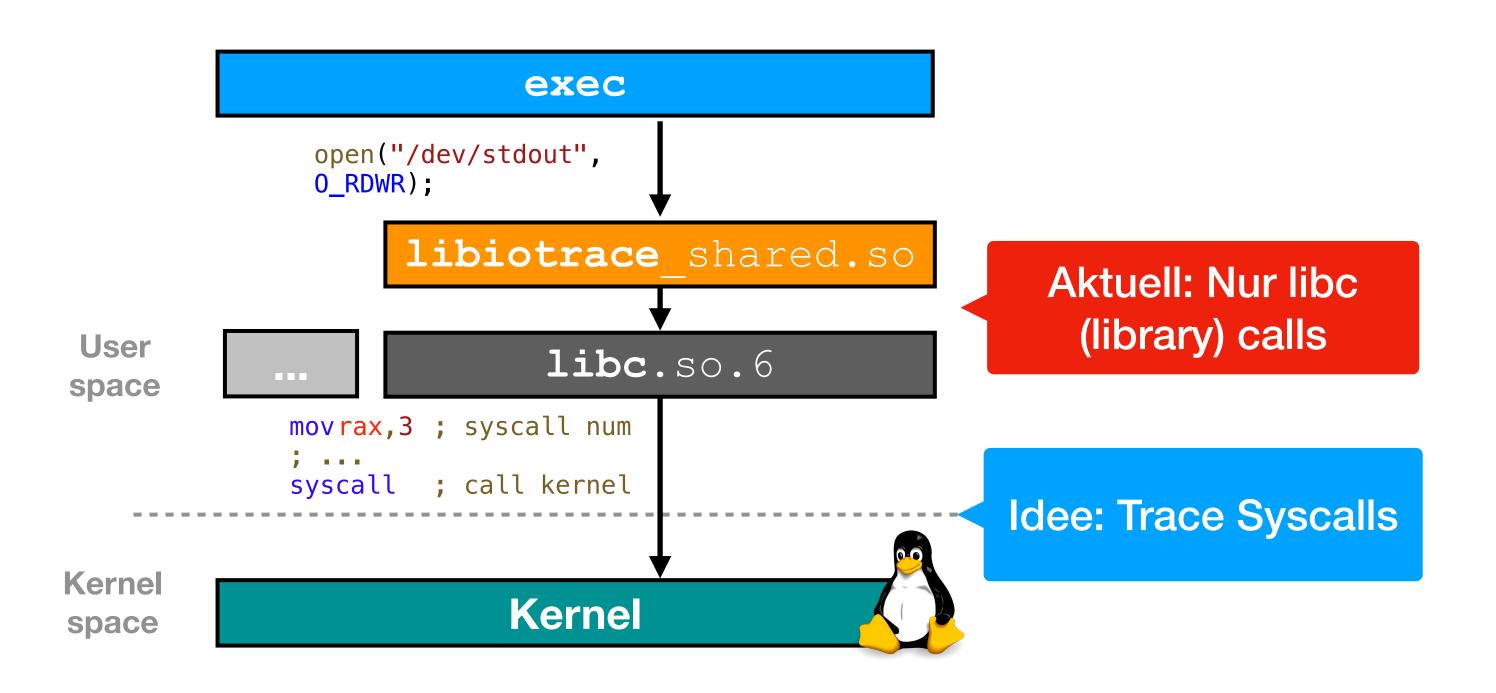
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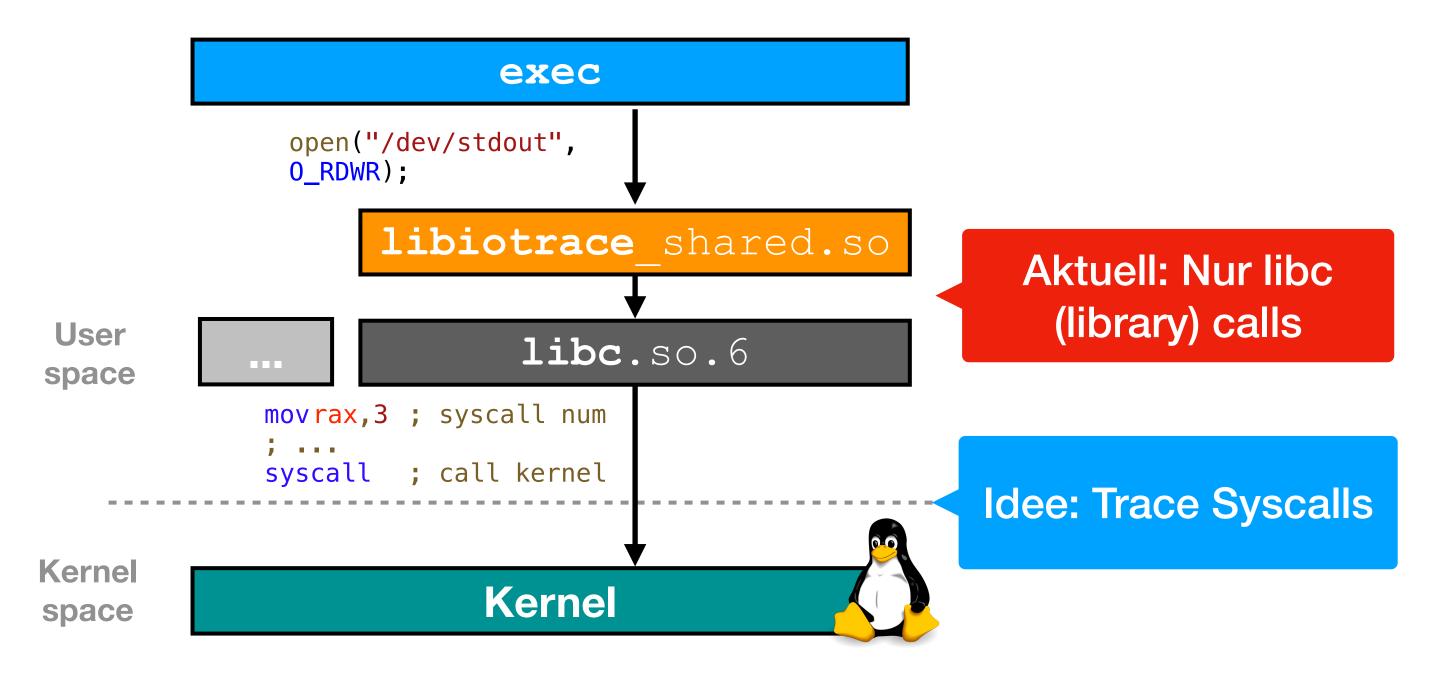
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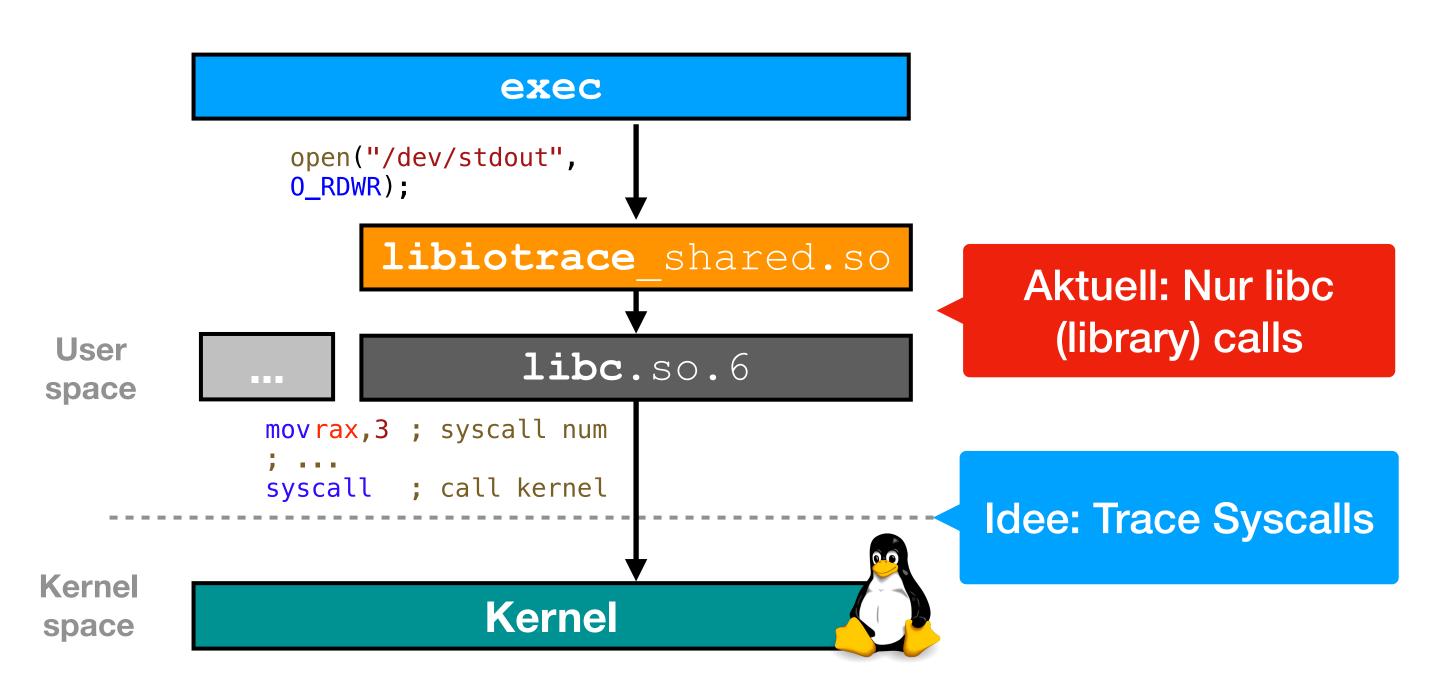






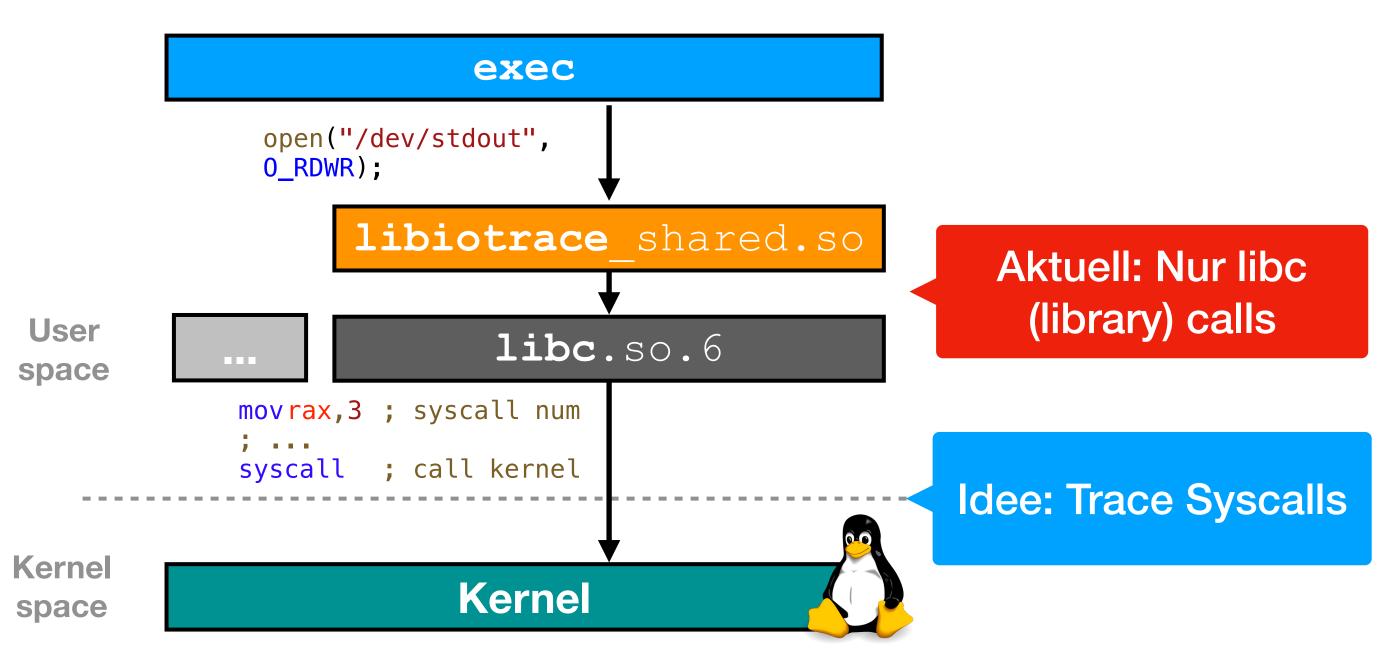
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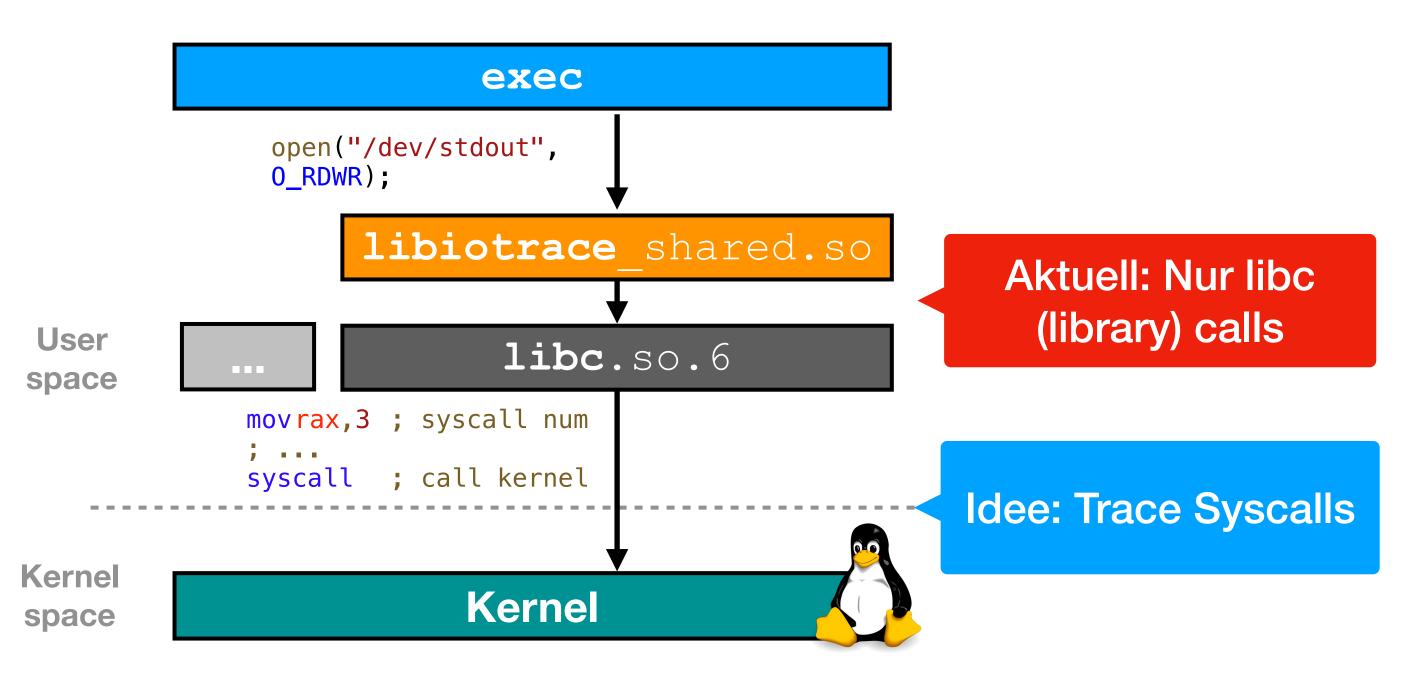
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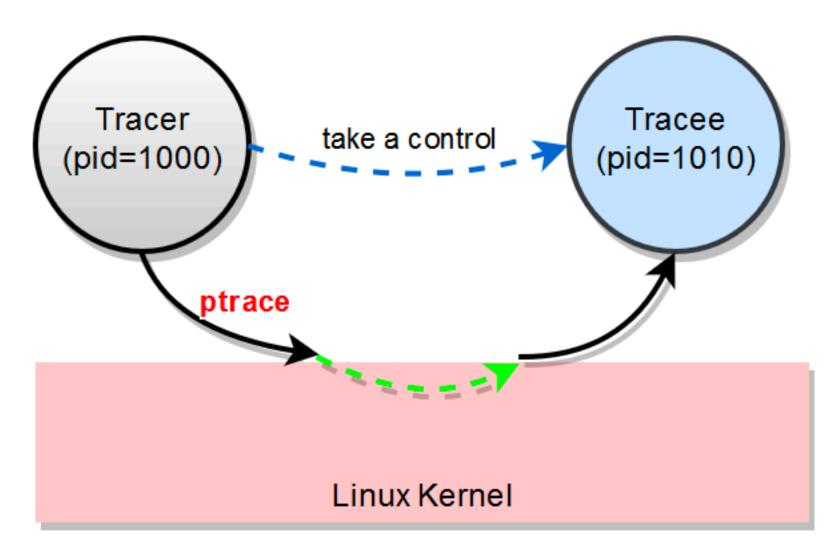


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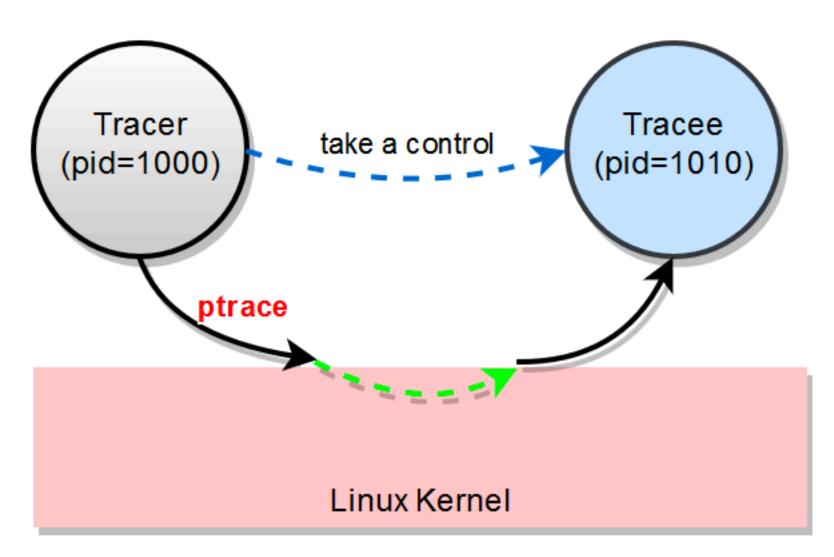
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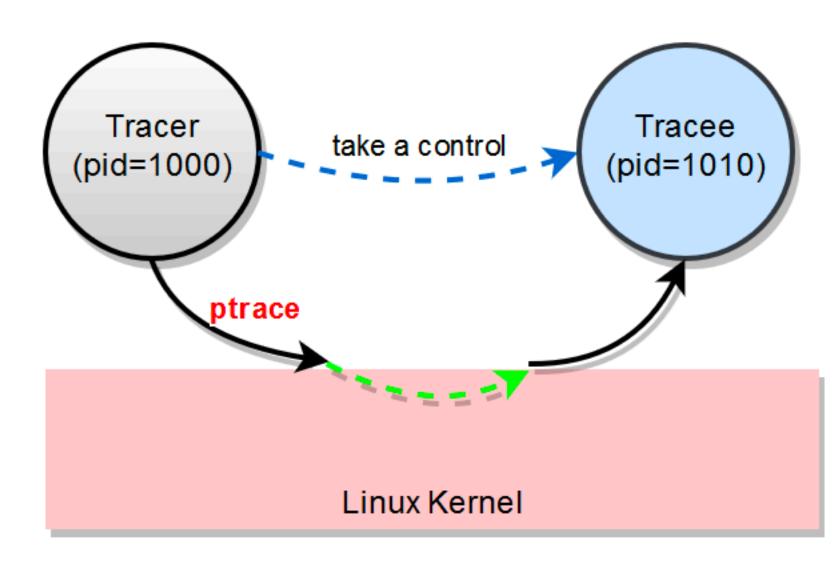
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Use-cases: Breakpoint Debugging -> gdb(1) & Syscall
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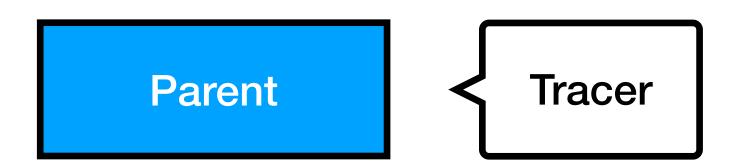
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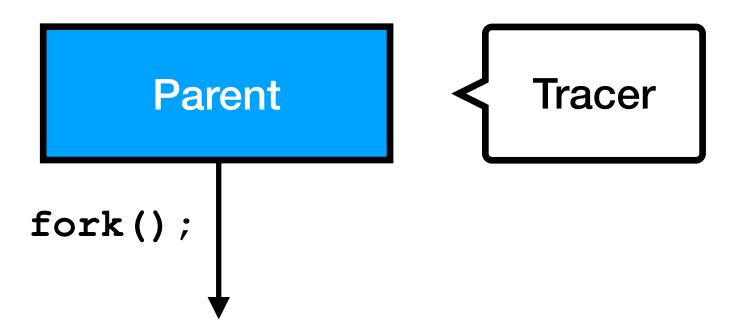
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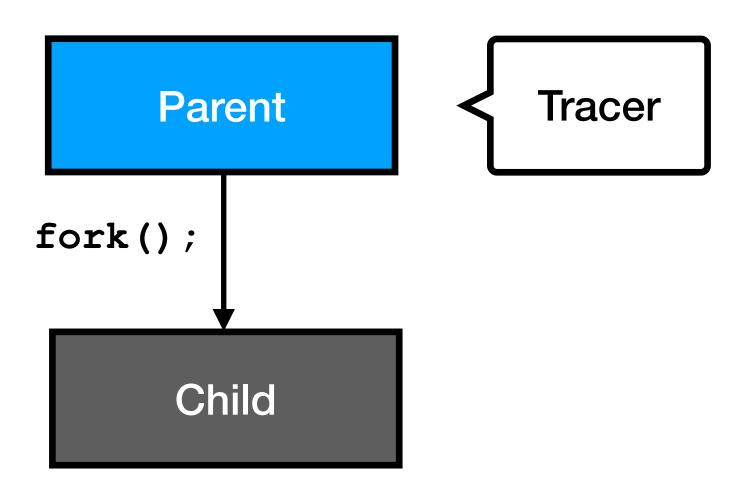
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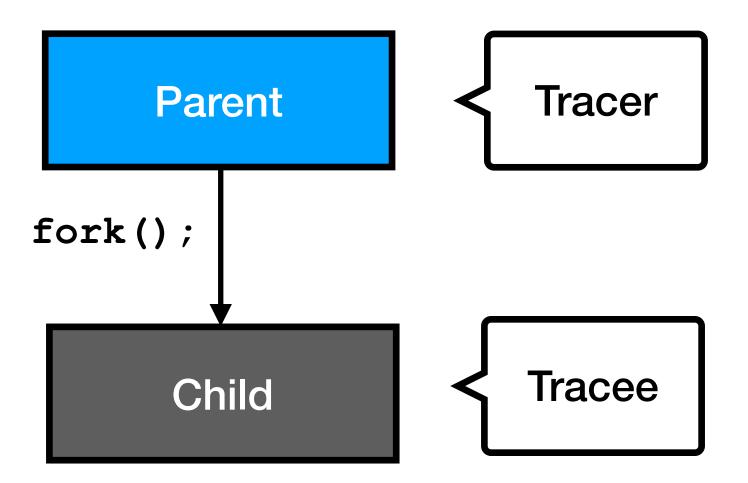
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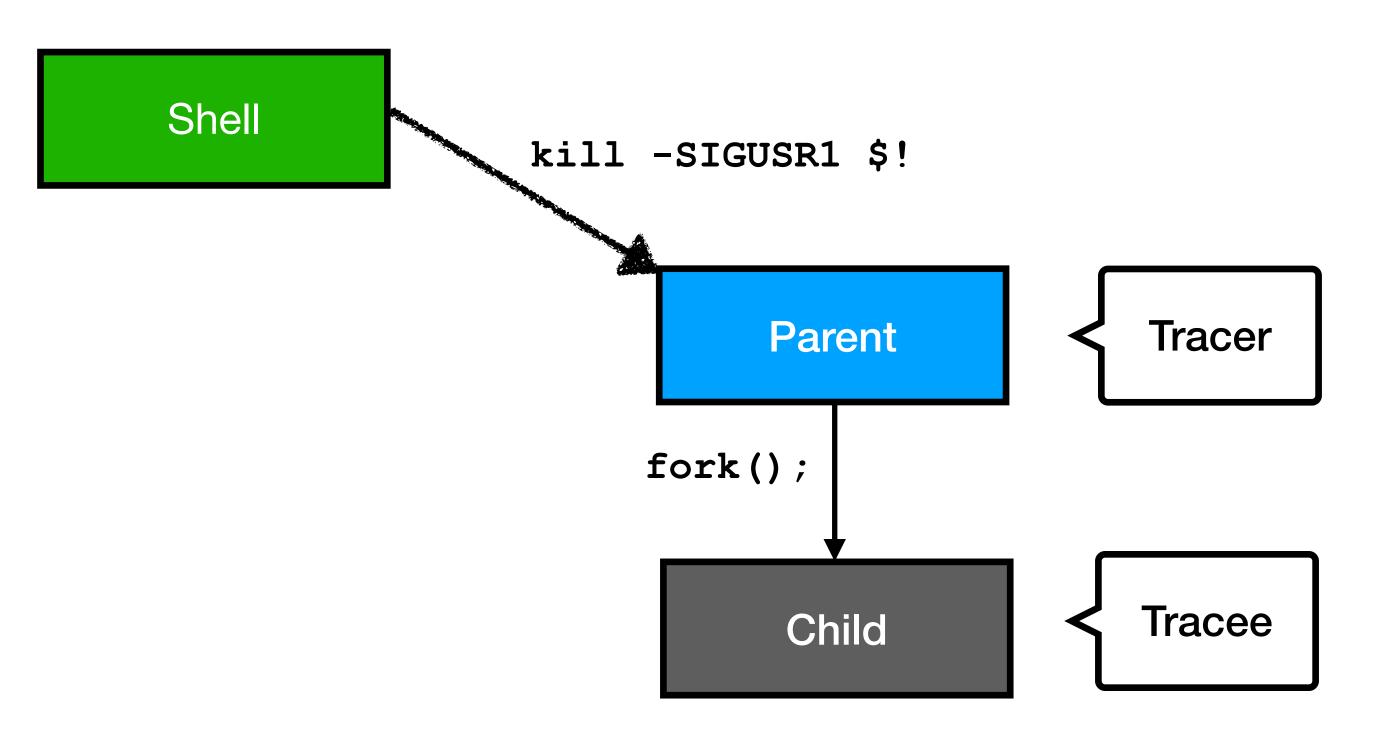
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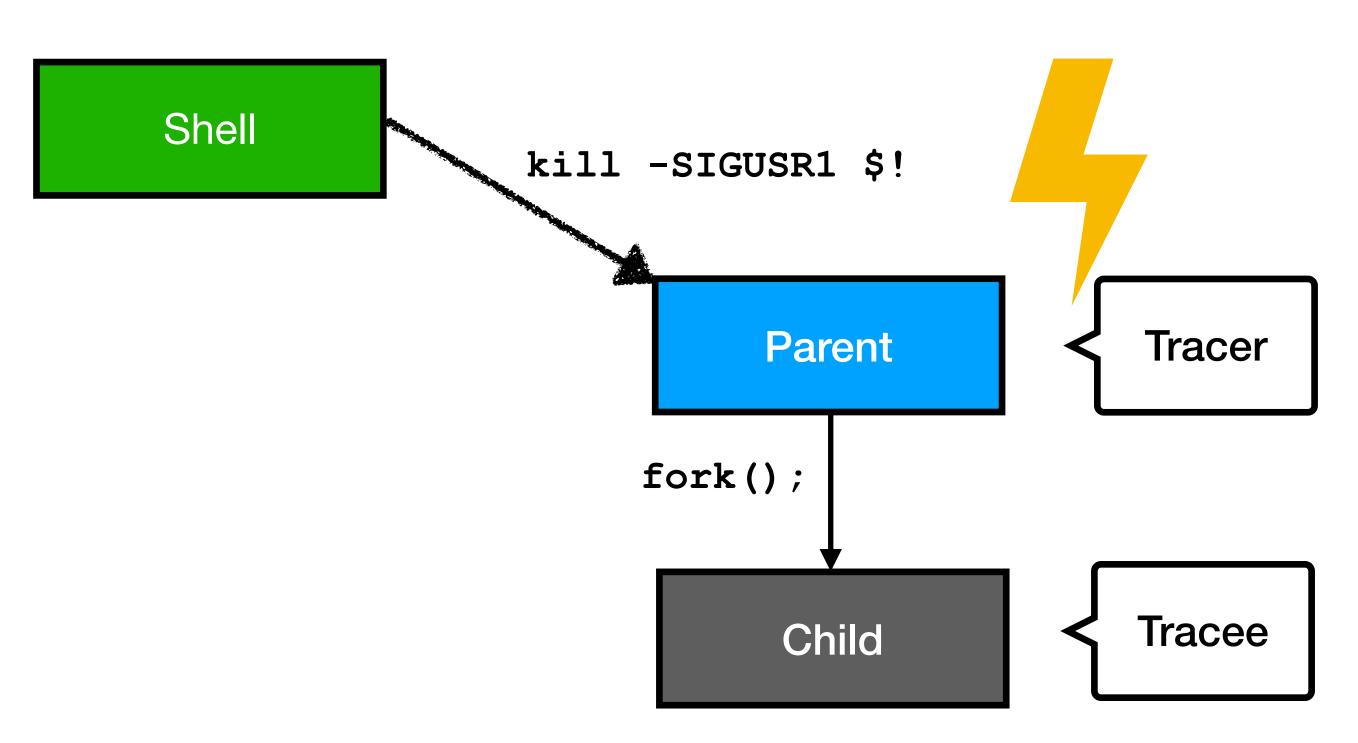


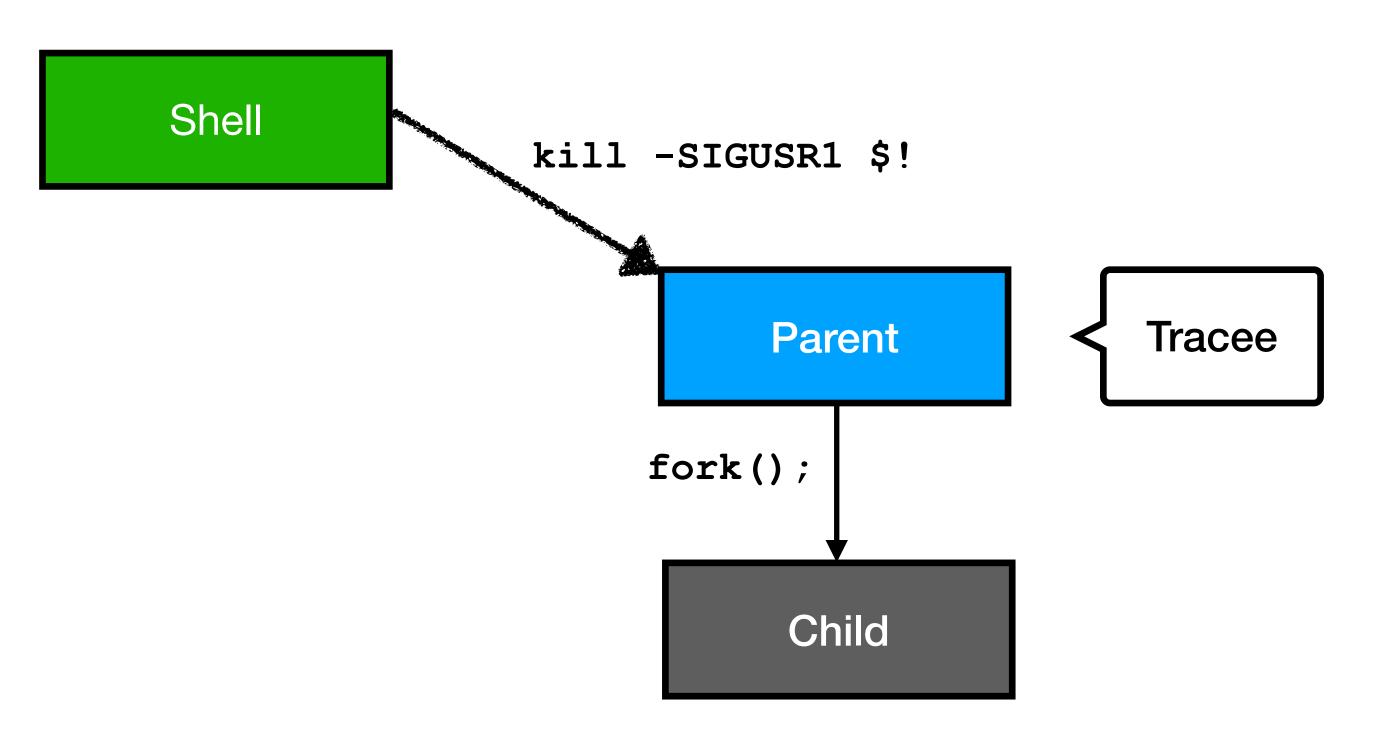


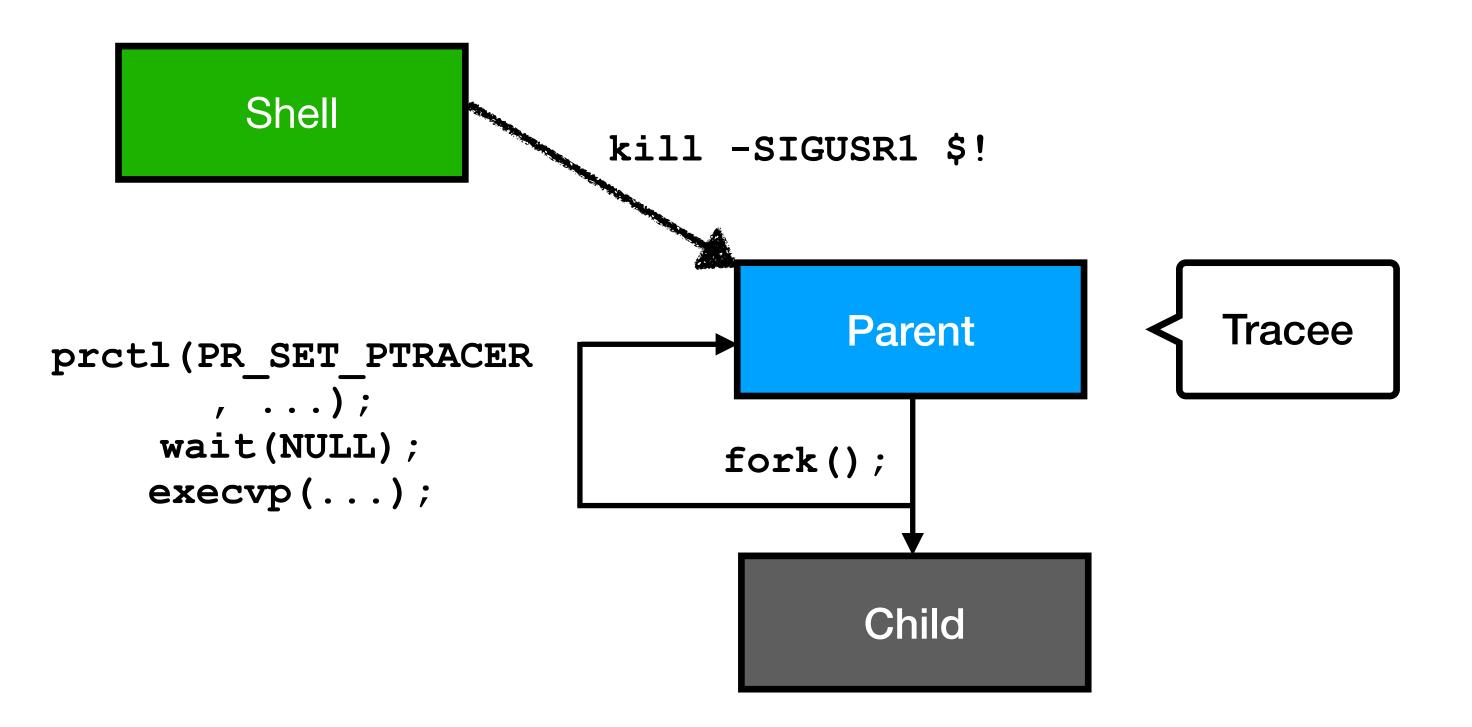


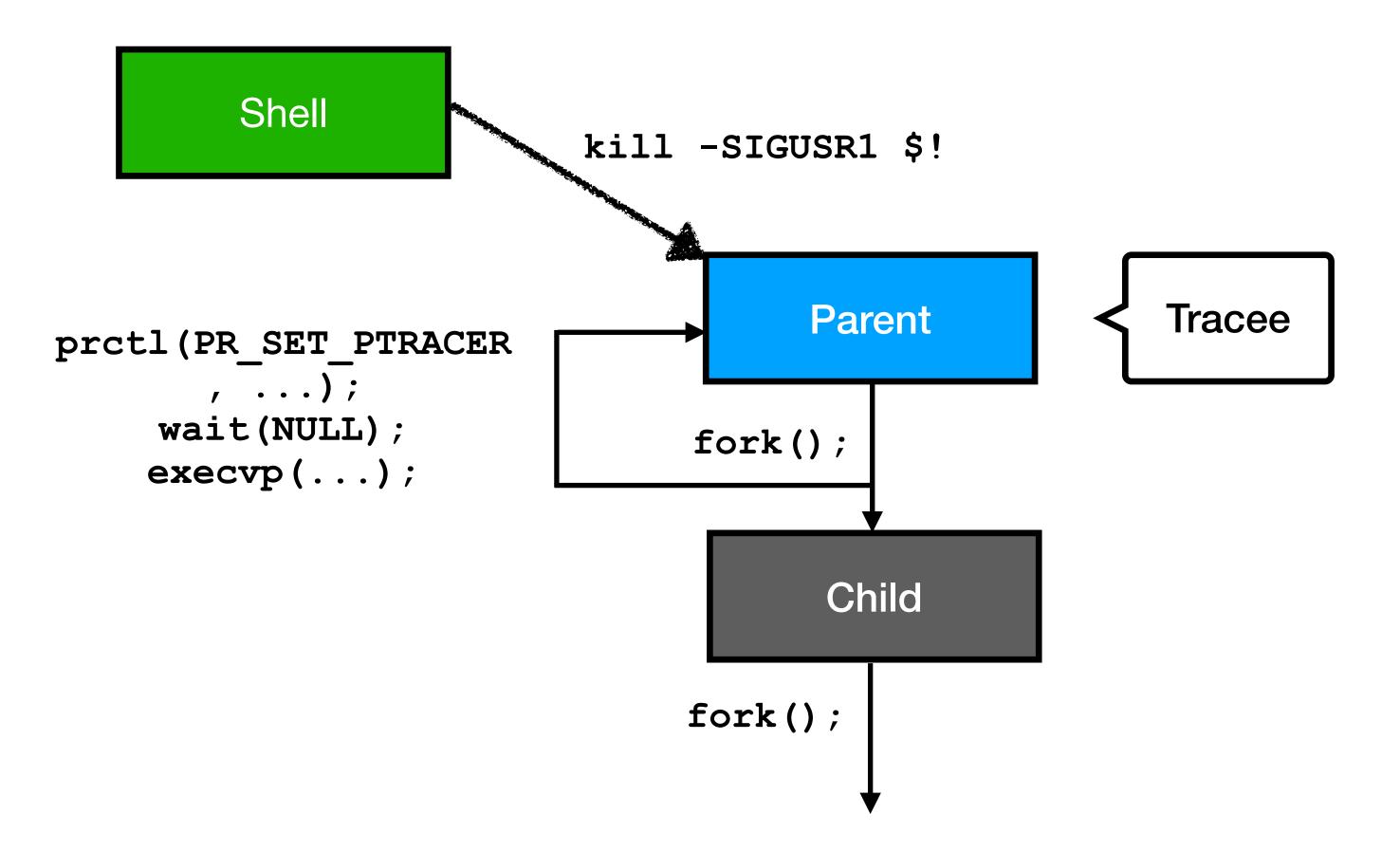


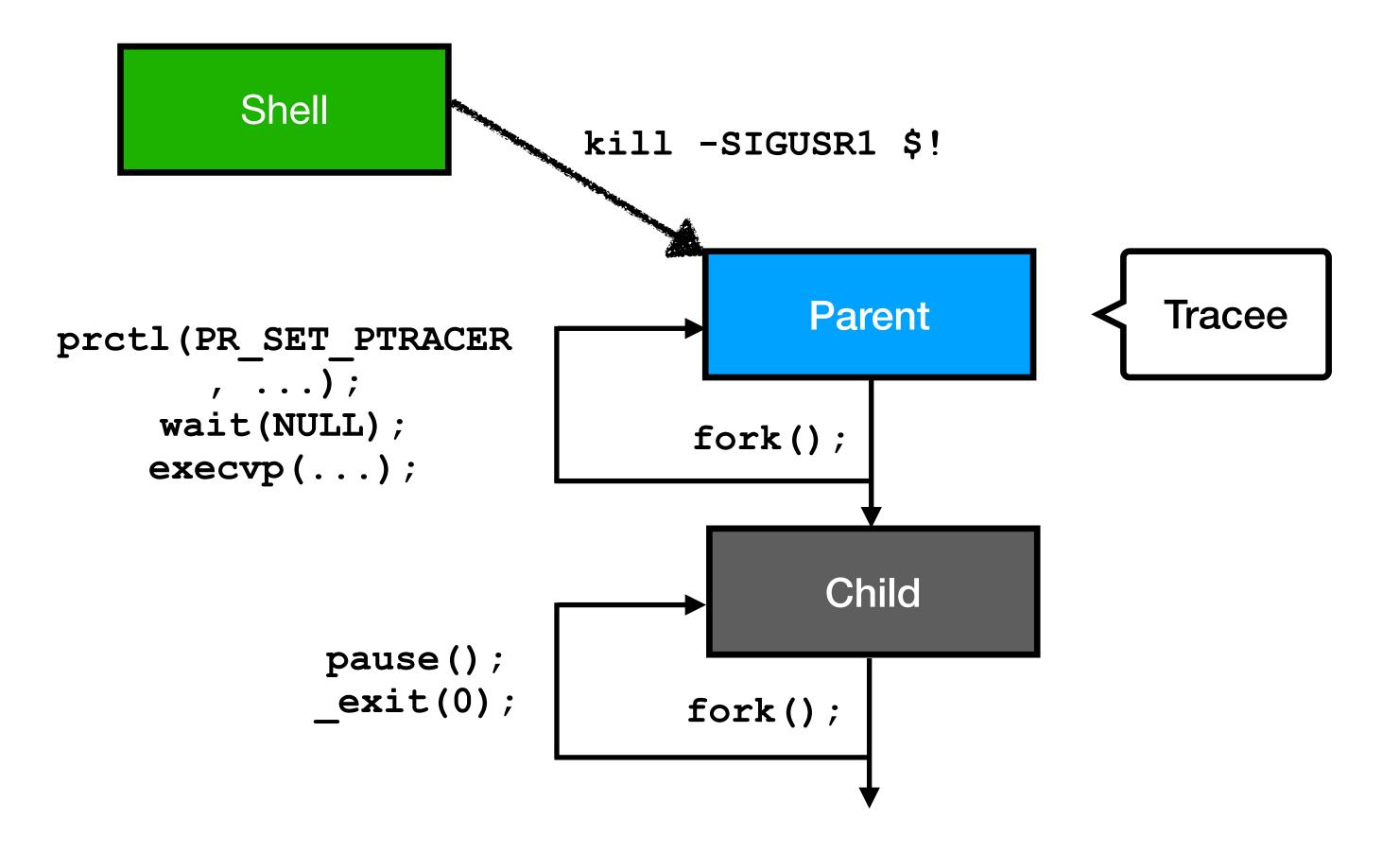


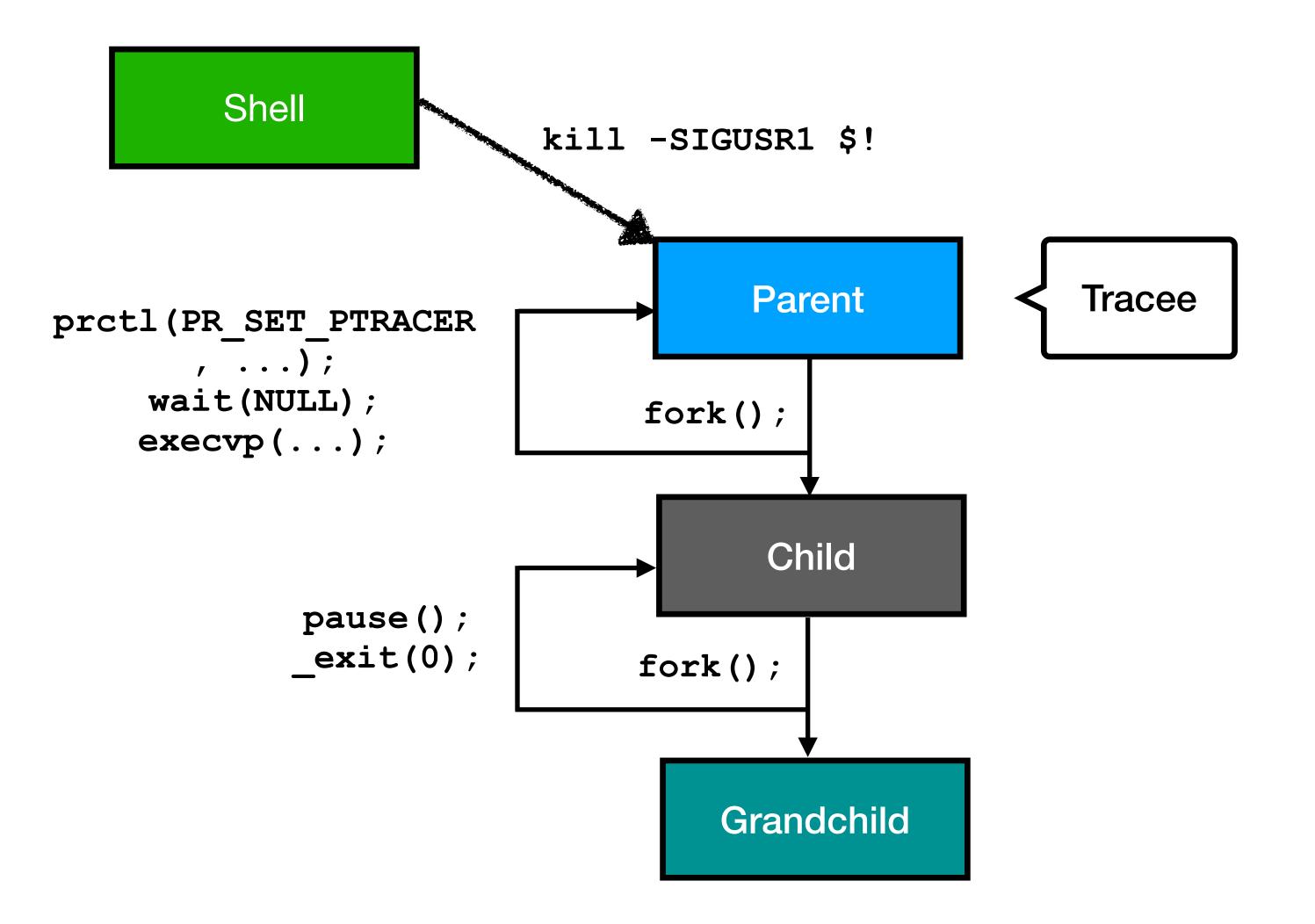


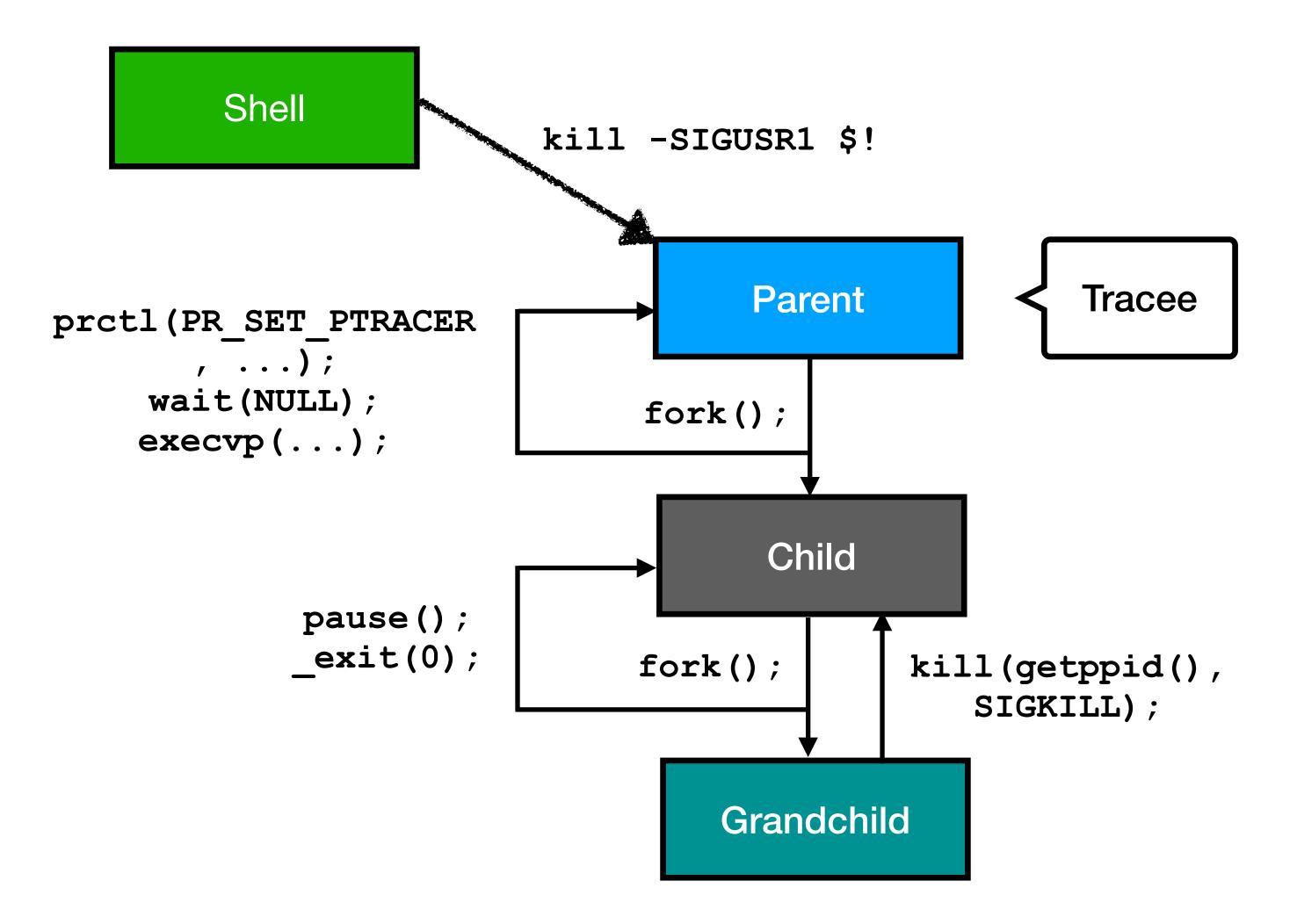


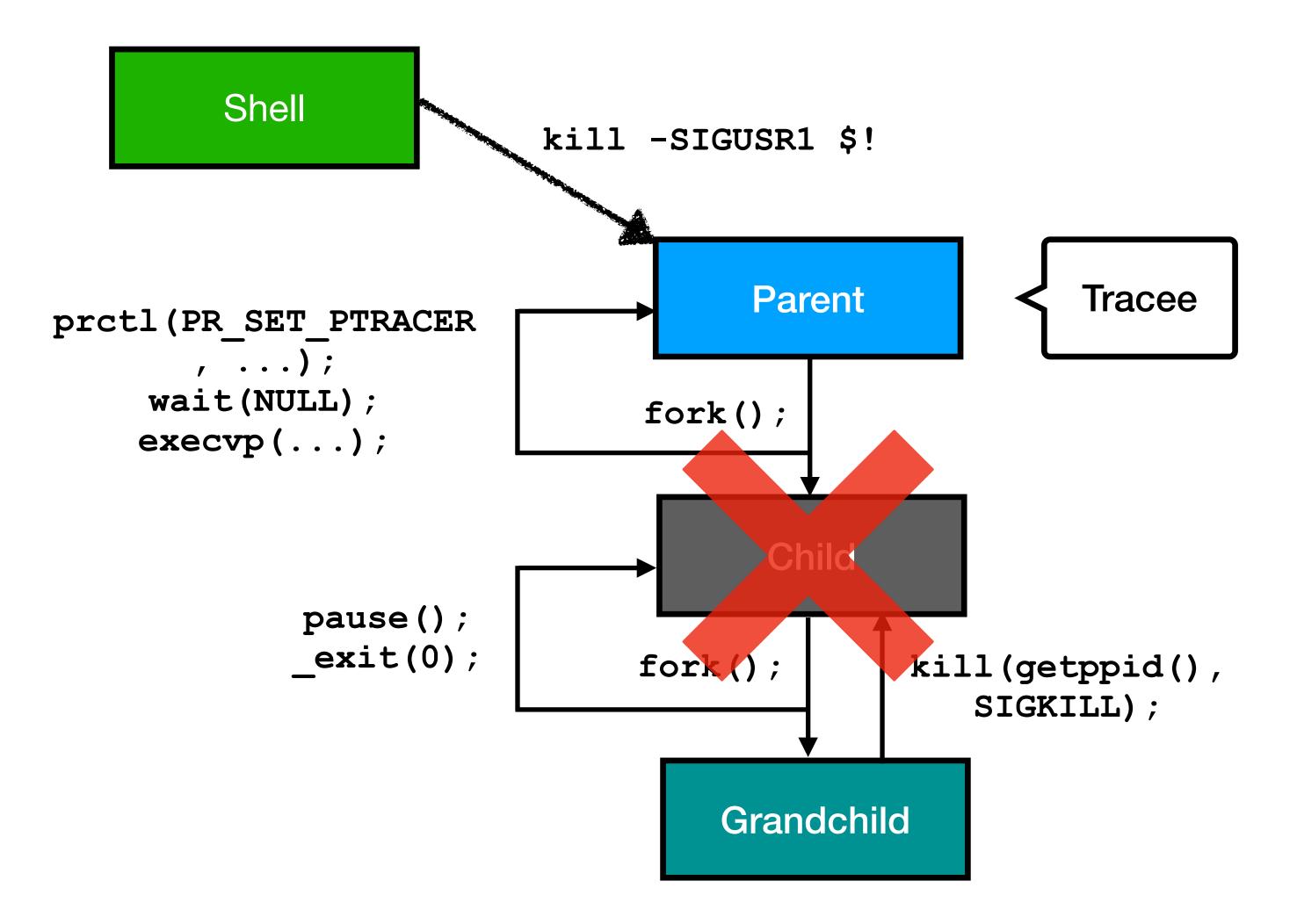


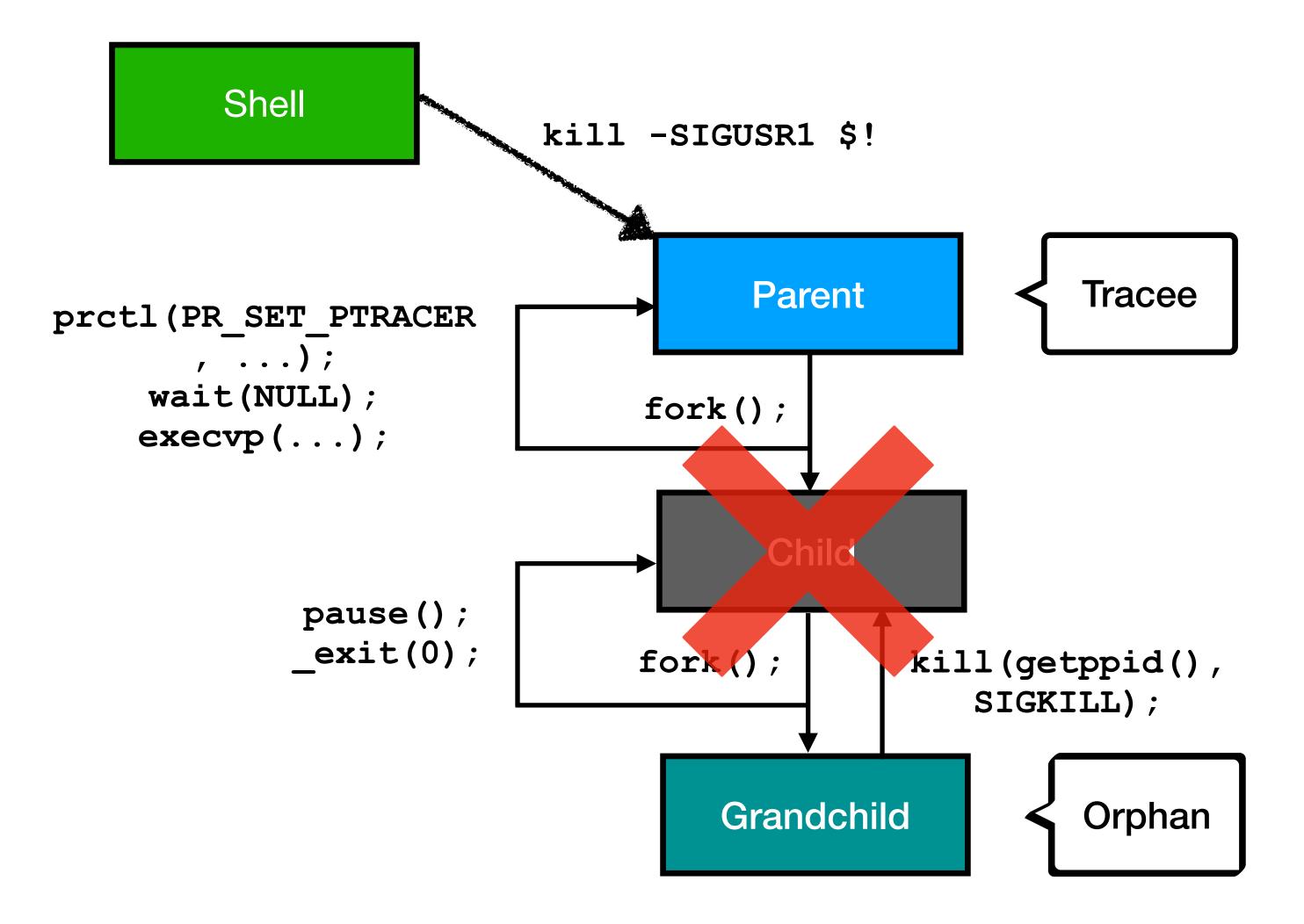


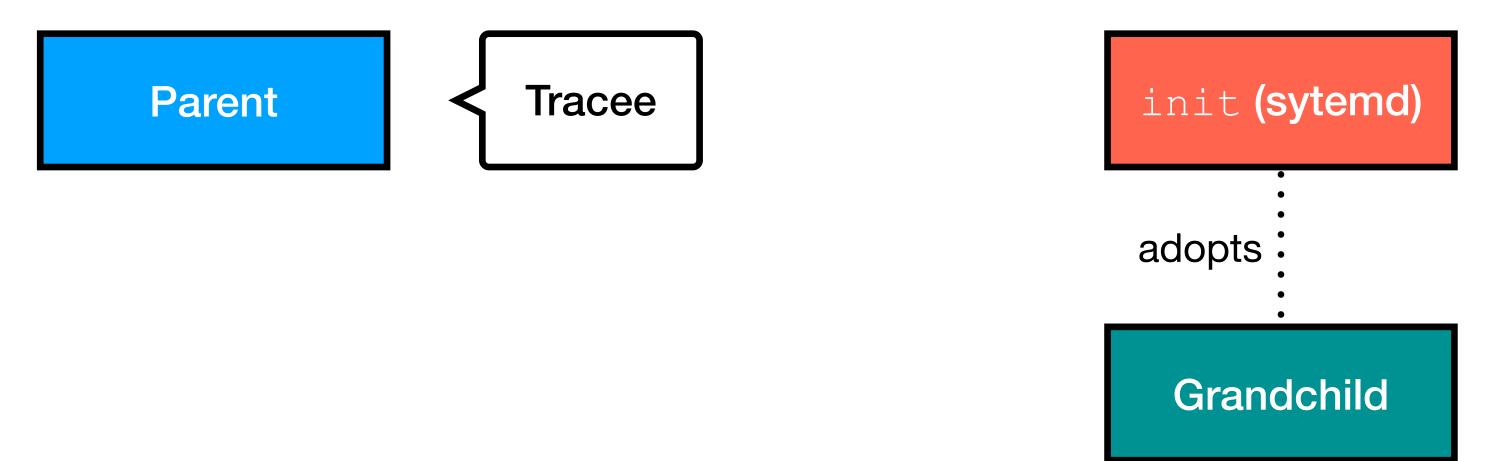


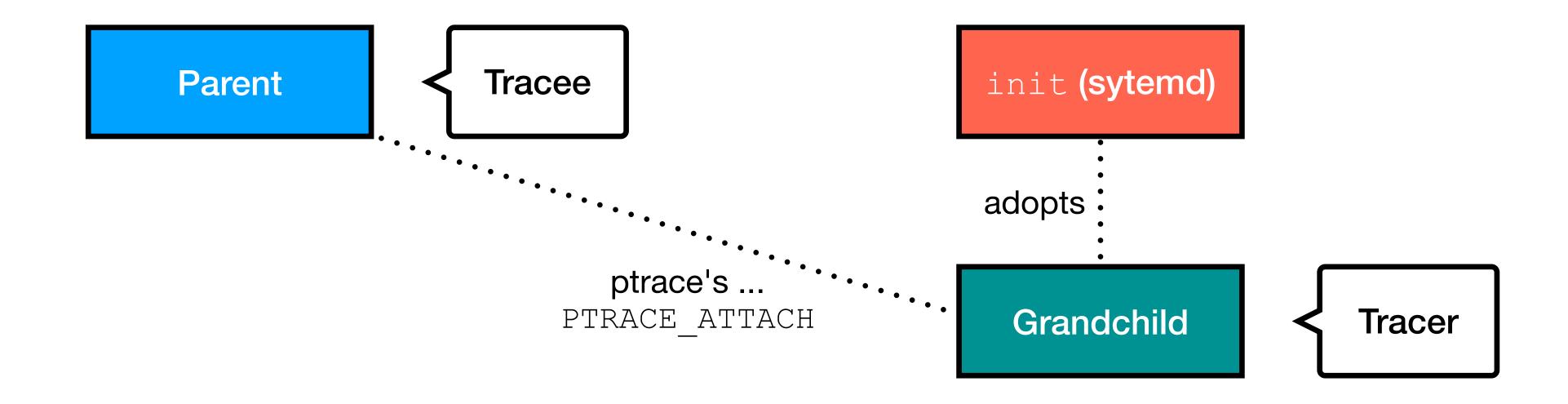




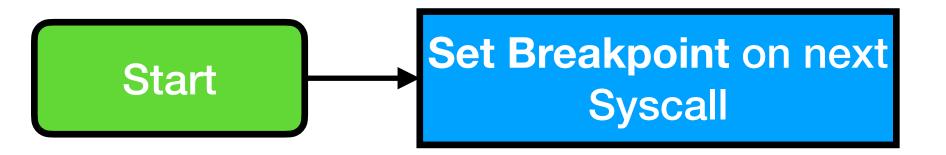




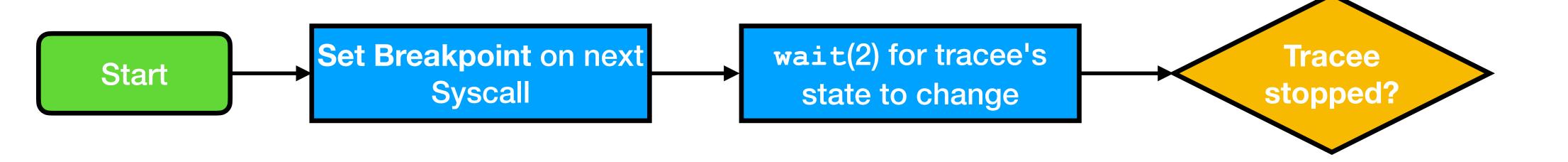




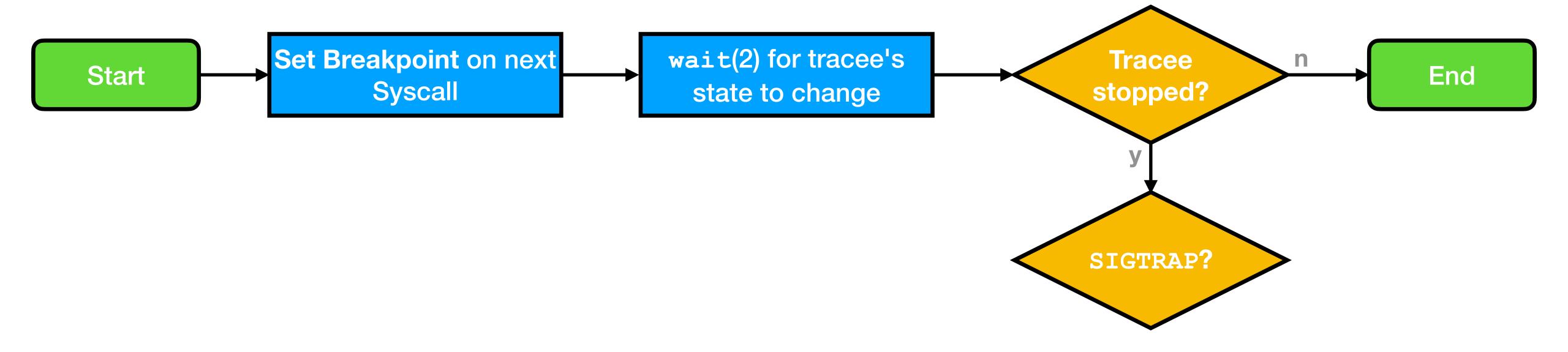
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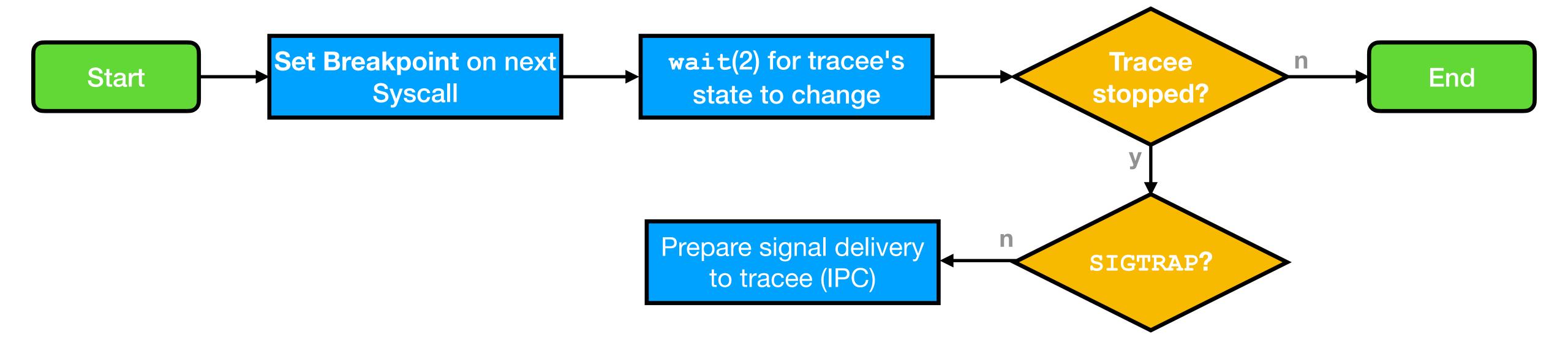


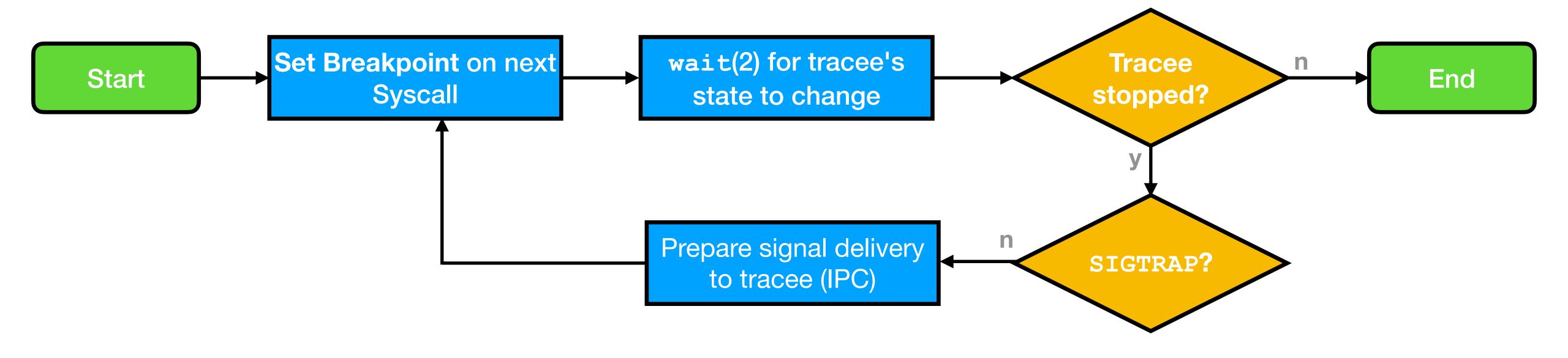


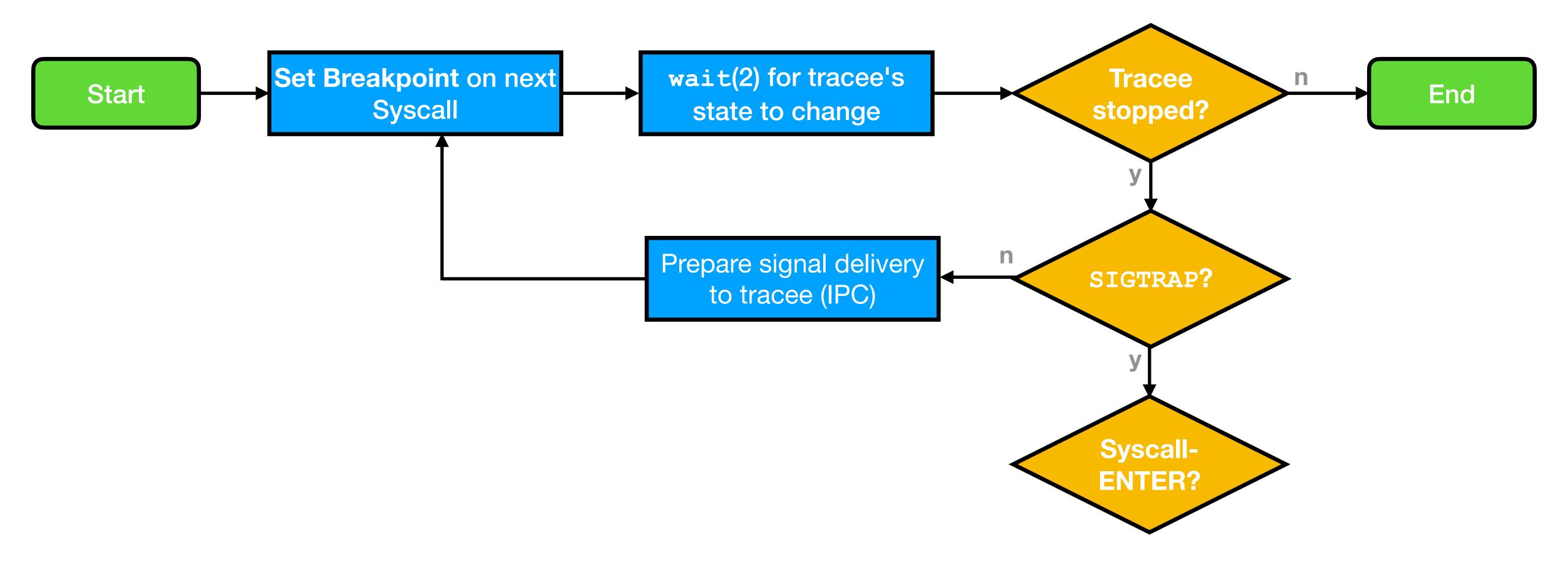


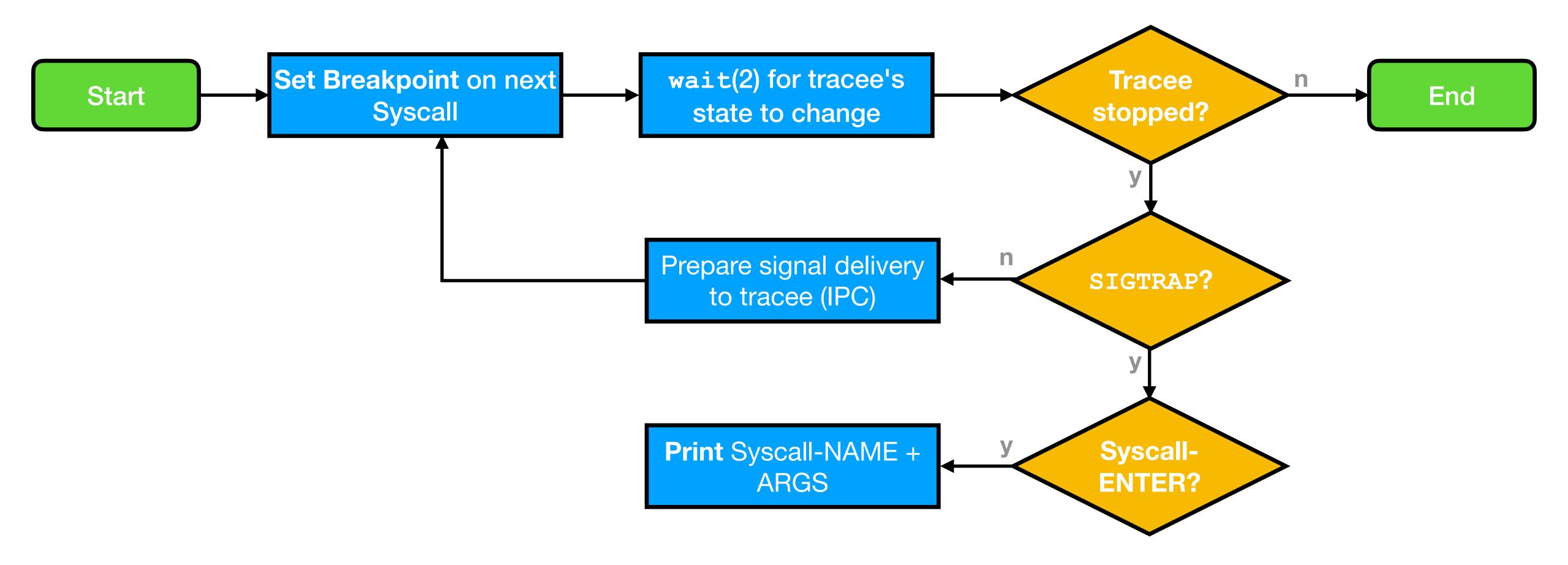


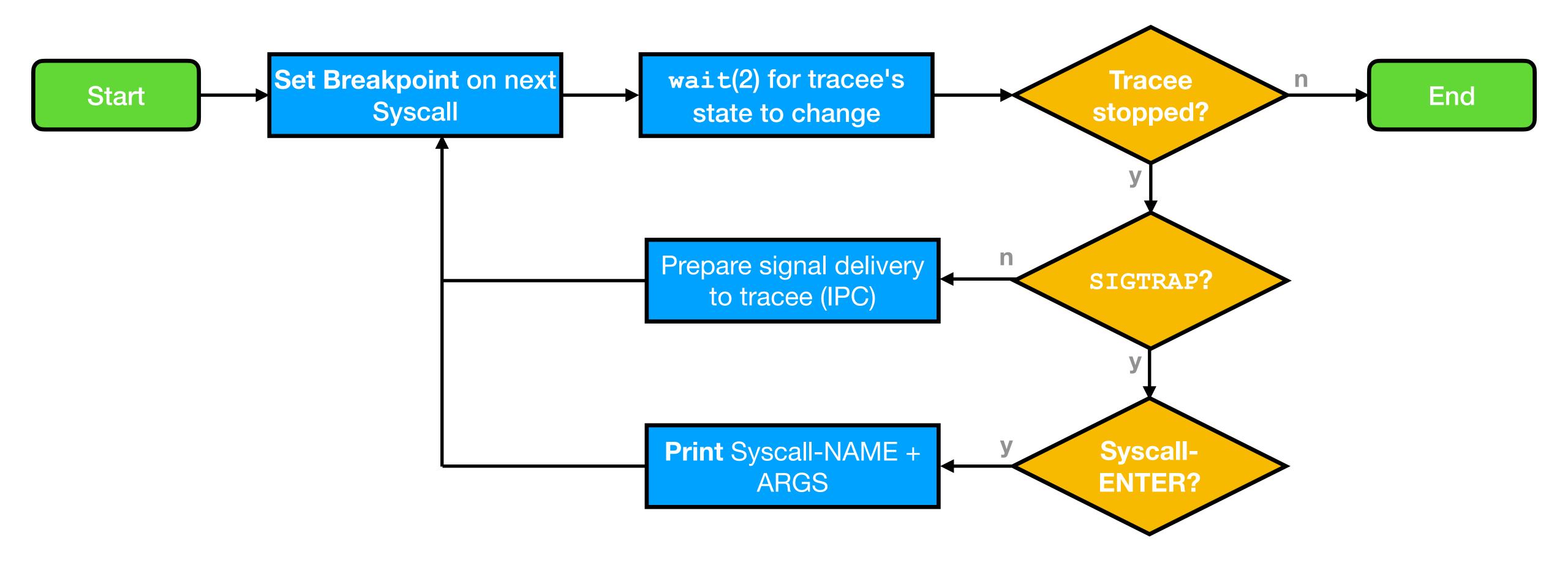


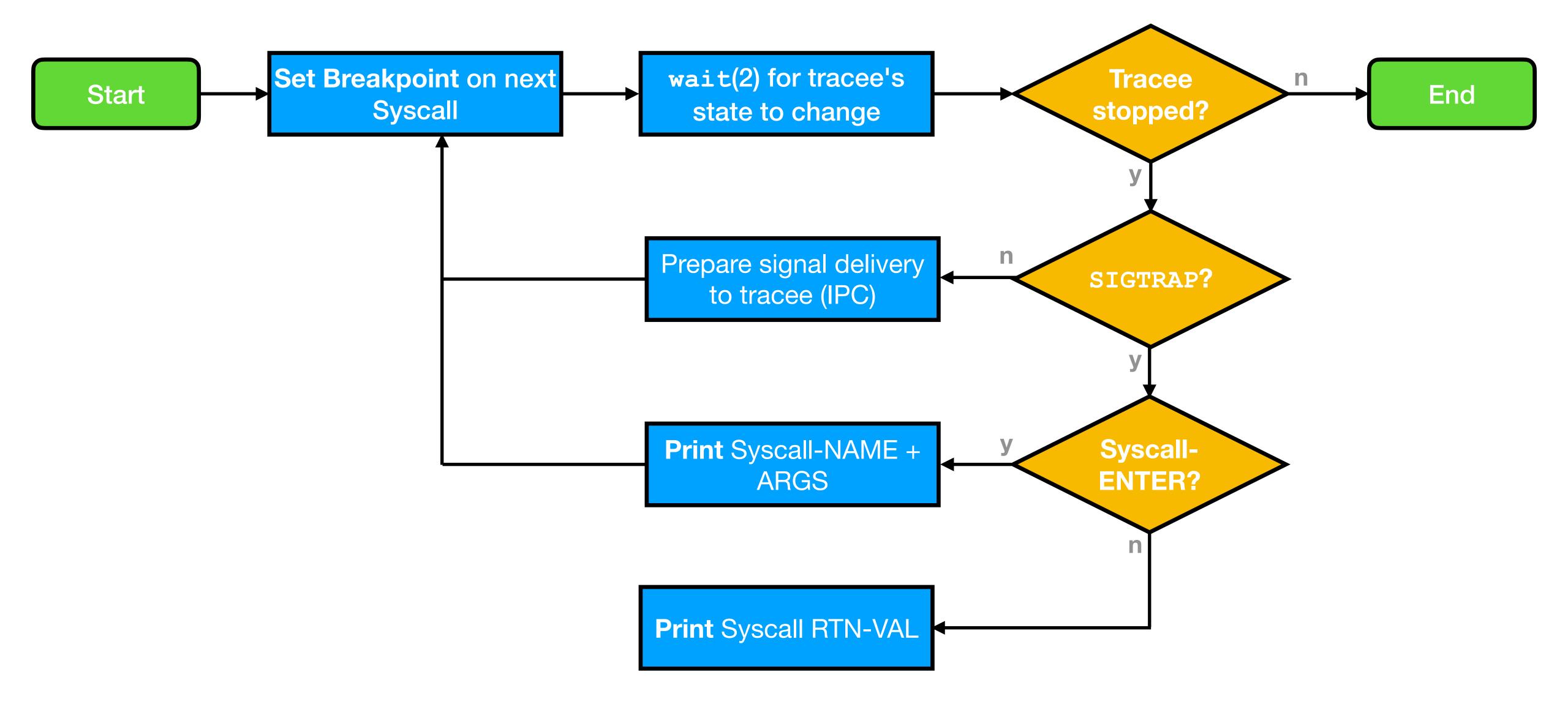


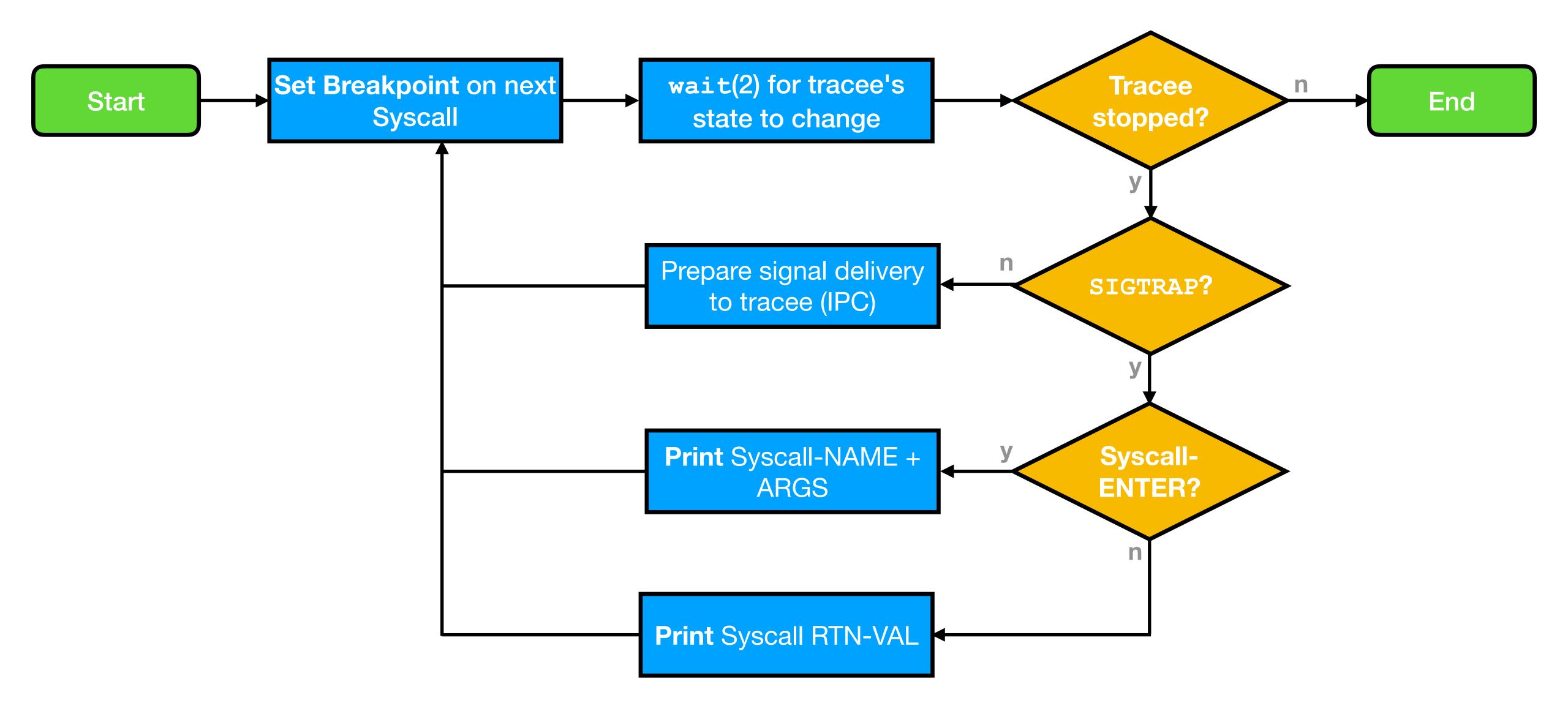












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