

Quiz # 2

Q1: Describe the actions taken by a kernel to context-switch between processes. With diagram.

Give outputs of the following code snippets?

pids of the parent and child are 2600 and 2603, respectively.

```
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main()
{
    pid_t pid, pid1;

    /* fork a child process */
    pid = fork();

    if (pid < 0) { /* error occurred */
        fprintf(stderr, "Fork Failed");
        return 1;
    }
    else if (pid == 0) { /* child process */
        pid1 = getpid();
        printf("child: pid = %d", pid); /* A */
        printf("child: pid1 = %d", pid1); /* B */
    }
    else { /* parent process */
        pid1 = getpid();
        printf("parent: pid = %d", pid); /* C */
        printf("parent: pid1 = %d", pid1); /* D */
        wait(NULL);
    }

    return 0;
}
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        return 1;
    }
    else if (pid == 0) { /* child process */
        execip("/bin/ls", "ls", NULL);
        printf("LINE J");
    }
    else { /* parent process */
        /* parent will wait for the child to complete */
        wait(NULL);
        printf("Child Complete");
    }

    return 0;
}

```

How many processes are created in the below code.

```

#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main()
{
    int i;

    for (i = 0; i < 4; i++)
        fork();

    return 0;
}

```