

## **Threads**

### **Types Of Threads**

1. User Threads
2. Kernel Threads

#### **\* User Threads :-->**

1. There are supported above the kernel & are implemented by a thread library at user level
2. User threads are created scheduled & managed by library & there is no support from the kernel

#### **\* Kernel Threads :-->**These are directly supported by operating system

1. The kernel performs thread creation scheduling & management in kernel space
2. As thread management is done by Operating system
3. The kernel threads are generally slower to create & manage than user

#### **Advantage :-**

Since the kernel is managing the threads if any thread perform a blocking system call the kernel can schedule another thread in the application for execution

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