Assignment 1: Compiling Linux Kernel and Adding Custom System Call

Part 1: Kernel compilation



- Part 2: Adding system call
- 1. 在linux-5.19.12下建立新資料夾(workspace)並寫一個自訂義的system call,分別是sys_hello.c及sys_revstr.c,如下圖

```
#include <linux/kernel.h>
#include <linux/linkage.h>
#include <linux/syscalls.h>
#include <linux/uaccess.h>
SYSCALL DEFINE2(revstring,
                 int, len,
                 char user*,ch){
                     char revch;
                     char copych[lenth+1];
                     copy_from_user(copych,ch,lenth+1);
                    printk("The original string:%s\n",copych);
                     for(int i=0;i<=lenth/2;i++){
                     revch=copych[i];
                     copych[i]=copych[lenth-i-1];
                     copych[lenth-i-1]=revch;
                     printk("The reversed string:%s\n",copych);
                     return 0;
```

- I. 透過 __user來告訴kernel此變數是由user傳入
- II. 字串無法直接從user傳入kernel,必須透過指標傳入後並複製 (copy_from_user)

2. 在同資料夾(workspace)下建立一個Makefile檔,內容如下

```
1 obj-y += hello_world.o
2 obj-y += revstring.o
```

3. 修改kernel的Makefile, 使compile時可以找到自訂義的system call 目錄

```
ifeq ($(KBUILD_EXTMOD),)
core-y += kernel/ certs/ mm/ fs/ ipc/ security/ crypto/
core-$(CONFIG BLOCK) += block/ workspace/
```

4. 修改system call table使OS尋找對應的trap service routine 路徑: vim arch/86/entry/syscalls/syscall 64.tbl

5. 在system call header file增加自訂義的system call prototype 路徑:vim include/linux/syscalls.h

- 6. Compile the kernel,依序執行下面指令:
 - ◆ sudo make -j(核心數)
 - sudo make modules_install
 - ◆ sudo make install
 - sudo reboot

7. 結果

```
pu9730962@pu9730962-virtual-machine: ~/linux/hello_... Q = - - ×

pu9730962@pu9730962-virtual-machine: ~/linux/hello_workspace$ sudo dmesg
[ 488.260460] Hello,world!
[ 488.260463] 311512039
pu9730962@pu9730962-virtual-machine: ~/linux/hello_workspace$
```

```
pu9730962@pu9730962-virtual-machine: ~/linux/revstring_w... Q = - - ×

pu9730962@pu9730962-virtual-machine: ~/linux/revstring_workspace$ sudo dmesg

[ 234.407952] The original string:hello
[ 234.407955] The reversed string:olleh
[ 234.407956] The original string:5Y573M C411
[ 234.407957] The reversed string:114C M375Y5

pu9730962@pu9730962-virtual-machine: ~/linux/revstring_workspace$ S
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