CS238P Operation System

Assignment 2

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Question 1:

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Reading symbols from kernel...done.
(gdb) br * 0x0010000c
Breakpoint 1 at 0x10000c
(gdb) c
Continuing.
Thread 1 hit Breakpoint 1, 0x0010000c in ?? ()
(gdb) info reg
                0x0
                         0
eax
ecx
                0x0
                         0
edx
                0x1f0
                         496
ebx
                0x10074
                         65652
                0x7bdc
esp
                         0x7bdc
                         0x7bf8
                0x7bf8
ebp
                0x10074
                         65652
esi
edi
                0x0
eip
                0x10000c 0x10000c
eflags
                0x46
                         [ PF ZF ]
cs
                0x8
                         8
SS
                0x10
                         16
ds
                0x10
                         16
es
                         16
                0x10
fs
                         0
                0x0
                0x0
                         0
(<u>adb</u>) x/24x $esp
0x7bdc: 0x00007db4
                         0x00000000
                                           0x00000000
                                                            0x00000000
                                                            0x00000000
0x7bec: 0x00000000
                         0x00000000
                                           0x00000000
0x7bfc: 0x00007c4d
                         0x8ec031fa
                                           0x8ec08ed8
                                                            0xa864e4d0
0x7c<del>0c: 0</del>xb0fa7502
                         0xe464e6d1
                                           0x7502a864
                                                            0xe6dfb0fa
0x7c1c: 0x16010f60
                         0x200f7c78
                                           0xc88366c0
                                                            0xc0220f01
0x7c2c: 0x087c31ea
                         0x10b86600
                                           0x8ed88e00
                                                            0x66d08ec0
(gdb) $
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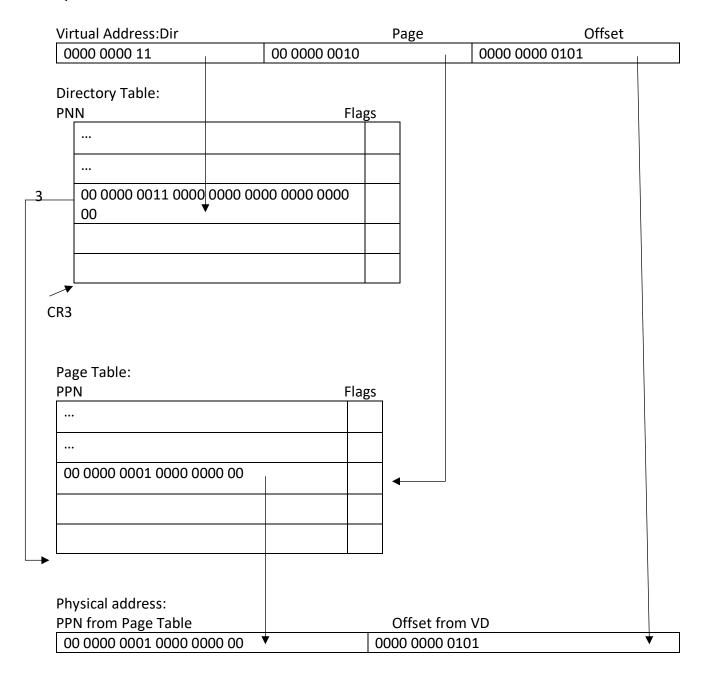
The element on the stack is labelled in red.

When the system is booted, it uses the segmentation. The logical address is the physical address and \$esp, which points to the top of stack is set at address 0x7bdc. The stack will push towards the lower address.

When the bootmain.c calls the bootmain(). The calling instruction is pushed stack which indicates that the instruction is at address 0x00007c4d. Then the program saves part of memory for local variables and the address pointed by the \$eph is push on the stack.

Finally, bootloader about finish its job, it will make another function call and push that function address on to the stack as well. So, we have total of 11 elements on our stack.

Question 2:



Question 3.

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*** Now run 'gdb'.
qemu-system-i386 -nographic -drive file=fs.img,index=1,media=disk,format=raw -dr
ive file=xv6.img,index=0,media=disk,format=raw -smp 2 -m 512 -S -gdb tcp::26001
QEMU 2.3.0 monitor - type 'help' for more information
(gemu) info pg
VPN range
                                      Physical page
             Entry
                          Flags
                        ----A--UWP
[80000-803ff] PDE[200]
  [80000-800ff] PTE[000-0ff] -----WP 00000-000ff
 [80100-80101] PTE[100-101] -----P 00100-00101
 [80102-80102] PTE[102] ----A----P 00102
 [80103-80105] PTE[103-105] -----P 00103-00105
 [80106-80106] PTE[106] ----A----P 00106
                           ----P 00107
 [80107-80107] PTE[107]
 [80108-8010a] PTE[108-10a] -----WP 00108-0010a
 [8010b-8010b] PTE[10b]
                          ---A---WP 0010b
  [8010c-803ff] PTE[10c-3ff] -----WP 0010c-003ff
[80400-8dfff] PDE[201-237] -----UWP
  [80400-8dfff] PTE[000-3ff] -----WP 00400-0dfff
[fe000-fffff] PDE[3f8-3ff] -----UWP
  [fe000-fffff] PTE[000-3ff] -----WP fe000-fffff
(qemu)
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In order to understand the state of the page table, we have to look into the code. In the code, one function is particular important – kvmalloc(): this function is based on another function which is setupkvm: set up the kernel memory. This function distributed the virtual memory is such way:

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0 – KERNBASE(KB): user memory (text, data, stack, heap)
KB -KB + EXTMEM: I/O devices
KB + EXTMEM – KB + STOP : w/o write permission (kernel data)
KB + STOP - KB + PHYSTOP : kernel data
DEVSAPCE
Therefore, we can see:
VPN range
[80000 - 800ff]: for BIOS
[80100 – 80101]: kernel text
[80102 – 80102]: kernel text
[80103 – 80105]: kernel text
[80106 – 80106]: kernel text
[80107 – 80107]: kernel text
[80108 – 8010a]: kernel data
[8010b - 8010b]: kernel data
[8010c – 803ff]: kernel data
[80400 – 8dfff]: I/O devices
[fe000 – fffff]: other devices
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