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In the Linux operating system, the control of the processes execution is done by:

- A. Sockets
- B. Semaphores
- C. Signals
- D. Interrupts (IRQs)
- E. Shared memory area

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Any kernel can run on any microprocessor architecture?

- A. No, because the bootloader must recognize the kernel
- B. No, because the BIOS must recognize the kernel
- C. No, because certain parts of the kernel are closely related to microprocessor architecture
- D. Yes, because the kernel is independent of microprocessor architecture
- E. Yes, because the bootloader does not have to recognize that the kernel can load it

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In the Linux operating system, it is possible that from the userspace to be generated and to be transmitted signals to processes?

- A. Yes, by the following methods: input from the keyboard, 'kill' command or the 'kill' system call
- B. Yes, by the following methods: input from the keyboard, 'kill' command, exceptions or kernel
- C. No, because the signals can be generated only by the kernel or the hardware events
- D. Yes, because the kernel in change of generating signals, runs in the userspace
- E. No, because the signals can be generated onlyk by the kernel

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When running the command "ls-l some_file" to get the following result:

-r--r-xrw- 1 giosif users 3182 2011-12-11 13:42 some_file

What rights does the user root (system administrator)?

- A. None of the presented versions
- B. Just writing
- C. Read-only
- D. Only delete
- E. Only read and execution

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The connection between a process and a thread is:

- A. A process can contain only one thread with common address space
- B. A thread has its own address space, different from the process/processes to which it belongs
- C. A thread can be part of one or more processes
- D. None of the presented options
- E. A process can contain only one thread with different address space

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Considering that, in an Ext2 filesystem, any file occupies one inode, is it true that a directory also occupies one inode?

- A. No, because it is just a container for the files and the directories under it
- B. No, because the information about the directories is stored in superblock
- C. Yes, because a directory is a file, but with special properties
- D. Yes, except directories belonging to the system administrator (root)
- E. No, because it represents a different object than the file in the file system

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The kernel of the operating system manages:

- A. Only access to hardware and the possible memory area used by the processes
- B. All the resources of the computer system that runs, less the memory access
- C. Only access the hardware
- D. All the resources of the computer system that runs, less the processor access (for execution time of the processes)
- E. None of the presented options

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In a system, a process permissions are determined by:

- A. The command and parameters with which the process was started
- B. UID and GID
- C. Only GID (Group ID)
- D. PID (Process ID)
- E. Only the UID (User ID)

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Under a multitasking operating system, the size of the time and frequency with which a process is executed is determined by:

- A. The priority of the process
- B. The UID of the process
- C. Command and parameters with which the process has been started
- D. The PID of the process
- E. Is independent of the process

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Address space layout randomization (ASLR) is a way to protect against the attacks like:

- A. Social engineering
- B. Memory area access/execution
- C. None of the presented options
- D. Man-In-The-Middle (MITM)
- E. Denial of Service (DoS)

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In an Ext2 file system type, is it possible that a director, to have a file and a (sub)directory, both in the same name?

- A. No, because the directory name must be unique within the file system
- B. No, because the directories are files, but with special properties
- C. Yes, because they represent different types of objects in the file system
- D. Yes, because file names are stored in the superblock
- E. Yes, because the directory names are stored in the superblock

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In an Ext2 file system type, the information about the entire file system (size, space, logical block size etc.) are stored in:

- A. Inode
- B. Superblock
- C. Directory
- D. Indirect data block
- E. Direct data block

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In the Linux operating system, is it possible that a thread to give up certain capabilities, then regain them?

- A. Yes, through init parent process
- B. Yes, through the signals
- C. Yes, through system calls
- D. No, because a thread can only drop capabilities
- E. No, because giving up/restore capabilities to process level is not at the thread

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In the Linux operating system, a process can ignore all received signals?

- A. No, because the kernel does not allow it
- B. No, because a process can not ignore the signals
- C. Yes, if you have UID (User ID) 0
- D. Yes, except: SIGKILL and SIGSTOP
- E. Yes, if you have the PID (Process ID) 0

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Generally speaking, the drivers communicate with the hardware devices:

- A. Only through the I/O ports and IRQs
- B. Through the I/O ports, IRQs and DMA channels
- C. Only through IRQs
- D. Only through the I/O ports and DMA channels
- E. Only through IRQs and DMA channels

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The system calls allow:

- A. The access of the processes from the kernelspace to the drivers within the kernel
- B. The access of the processes from the kernelspace to the functions/services within the kernel
- C. The access of the processes from the userspace to the functions/services within the kernel
- D. The access of all processes (kernelspace and userspace) to the drives within the kernel
- E. The access of the processes from the userspace to the drivers within the kernel

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Please choose the correct answer: in the source code auditing - static analysis of white-box testing, the 'Bottom-Up Approach':

- A. Start from data entry points and search for data validation measures
- B. None of the presented options
- C. Start from application entry point (main function) and follow all code paths with focus on code that handles user input and data I/O
- D. Analyze target program at runtime
- E. Observe behaviour and try to induce error states

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Which one from the following sentences are NOT common for the generation of fuzzing data - Mutation based fuzzing:

- A. The tester may not have knowledge about the data format
- B. The tester should modify valid data in order to obtain various mutations
- C. None of the presented options
- D. The tester may break data validation measures - e.g. checksums
- E. The tester easy can setup and automate the process

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What are the White-Box testing features?

- A. Send unexpected, semi-valid input data to application's interfaces
- B. None of the presented options
- C. Little knowledge about t

- D. Detect unexpected behaviour, crashes, denial of service
- E. Fuzzing aka 'fault injection'

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The Black-Box Testing involves:

- A. Focus on the data entry points on terms of pipes
- B. None of the pres. options
- C. **Focus on the data entry points on terms of user input**
- D. **access** to the source code and documentation
- E. focus on the data entry point in terms of network sockets

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