

CSSE2310 Final Exam Crib Sheet

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1 SHELL COMMANDS

for file in \*.pdf; do mv "\$file" "old\_\$file"; done

grep	pattern file
-i	ignore case
-v	invert match
-c	count
	Suppress normal output; instead print a count of matching lines for each input file.
-L	files without match
	Suppress normal output; instead print name of each input file from which output would normally be suppressed.
-l	files with match
-m	[NUM] max count
	Stop reading after NUM lines
-o	only matching
	Print only the matched parts of a matching line
-s	no messages
	Suppress error messages for unreadable files
-H	with filenames
	Print filenames for each match. <b>Default</b> when there is more than one file.
-h	no filenames
-n	line number
-A	[NUM] after context
	Print NUM lines of trailing context after match
-B	[NUM] before context
-exclude	[GLOB] exclude files with match
-r	recursive

ls

-a	all
-A	almost all
	Ignore implied . and ..
-d	list directory itself, not its files
-l	long listing format
	permissions hardlinks user group size month date time/year name

ps

-e	all processes
-f	full-format listing

sort

-r	reverse
-k	[s,e] use columns s to e as the key keys are evaluated in order

uniq	-c	count occurrences	
		count line	
cat			
head			11
	-n	number of lines. If n < 0 print upto the last n lines	
tail			
	-n	number of lines	
chmod			
rm			
	-r	recursive	
ln		target newname	21
	-s	symbolic	
cut		option file	
	-d	delimiter	
	-f	only these fields (e.g. 1,2). First filed is 1.	
	-s	only lines with the delimiter	
wc			31
	-c	bytes	
	-m	chars	
	-l	lines	
	-L	max line length	
	-w	words	

2 BASIC C

Example function pointers: void (\*foo)(void); int (\*(\*foo)(void))[3] (returns pointer to array of 3 ints); typedef void\* (\*ft)(char\*); ft (\*var)(int, int) == void\* ((\*var)(int))(char\*).

Typedefing: Function pointer as above. For a struct typedef struct int one; mystruct.

Common funtions: qsort(void\* base, size\_t nmem, size\_t size, int (\*compar)(const void\*, const void\*)) (compar returns int < 0 if if first argument is < second. char\* fgets(char\* s, int size, FILE\* stream) (returns s, NULL on error or EOF without reading any chars), char\* strcpy(char\* dest, char\* src) (returns dest), void\* realloc(void\* ptr, size\_t size) (NOTE: must set ptr = realloc (i.e. pointer isn't changed)), long int strtol(char\* nptr, char\*\* endptr, int base) (set base = 0 for automatic base, endptr can be NULL), fopen(char\* path, char\* mode), fdopen(int fd, char\* mode), [f/s]printf(FILE\* stream/char\* str, char\* format, ...) (space for sprintf should be malloc'd first).

3 PROCESSES

After calling wait(&s), calling the following commands on s will give the following information,

Command	Returns
WIFEXITED	true if process exited normally
WEXITSTATUS	the exit status of the process
WIFSIGNALED	true if processes was terminated by a signal
WTERMSIG	the signal which caused the process to terminate

To change the program running on a process, call int execl(char\* path, char\* arg0, char\* arg1, ...). Returns -1 if the operation fails, nver returns anything other than -1. To consider the contets of PATH use execlp. To pass in an array of arguments, use execv/execvp(char\* path, char\*\* argv).

Example Fork/Dup Code

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>

char** split_string(const char* line, char sep) {
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int arrpos = 0;
int linepos = -1;
int strpos = 0;

char next;

char** arr = malloc(sizeof(char*));
arr[0] = malloc(sizeof(char) * 2);

while (linepos++, next = line[linepos], next != '\0') {
    if (next != sep) {
        arr[arrpos] = realloc(arr[arrpos], sizeof(char) * (
            strpos + 2));
        arr[arrpos][strpos] = line[linepos];
        strpos++;
    } else if (line[linepos + 1] != '\0') {
        arr[arrpos][strpos] = '\0';
        strpos = 0;
        arrpos++;
        arr = realloc(arr, sizeof(char*) * (arrpos + 1));
        arr[arrpos] = malloc(sizeof(char));
    }
}

arr[arrpos][strpos] = '\0';
arrpos++;
arr = realloc(arr, sizeof(char*) * (arrpos + 1));
arr[arrpos] = (char*) 0;
return arr;
}

void run_part(const char** argv, int a, int b) {
    if (!fork()) {
        dup2(a, STDIN_FILENO);
        dup2(b, STDOUT_FILENO);
        //close(a);
        //close(b);
        execvp(argv[0], argv);
    }
}

enum ReadWrite {
    READ = 0,
    WRITE = 1
};

void run_cmd(const char* cmd, int* to, int* from) {
    int readfrom = *to;
    char** cmds = split_string(cmd, '|');
    int fds[2];

    for (int i = 0; cmds[i]; i++) {
        char** cmdarr = split_string(cmds[i], ' ');
        if (!cmds[i + 1]) {
            run_part(cmdarr, readfrom, *from);
        } else {
            pipe(fds);
            run_part(cmdarr, readfrom, fds[WRITE]);
            readfrom = fds[READ];
        }
    }
}

int main(int argc, char** argv) {
    /* Part A
    char* str = "aaa bbb ccc ddd efg hijkl";
    char** arr = split_string(str, ' ');

    char* next;
    for (int i = 0; next = arr[i], next != (char*) 0; i++) {
        printf("%s\n", next);
    }*/

    /* Part B
    char** cmd = malloc(sizeof(char*) * 2);
    cmd[0] = "ls";
    cmd[1] = "-l";

    run_part(cmd, STDIN_FILENO, STDOUT_FILENO); */

    /* Part C
    int* i1 = malloc(sizeof(int));
    int* i2 = malloc(sizeof(int));
    (*i1) = STDIN_FILENO;
    (*i2) = STDOUT_FILENO;
    run_cmd("ls -l|sort|cat", i1, i2); */

    // Part D
    if (argc != 3) {
        return 1;
    }

    int fdin[2];
    int fdout[2];
    pipe(fdin);
```

```
pipe(fdup);
run_cmd(argv[1], &fdin[READ], &fdout[WRITE]);

close(fdin[READ]);
close(fdout[WRITE]);

FILE* in = fdopen(fdin[WRITE], "w");
fprintf(in, "%s\n", argv[2]);
fflush(in);

FILE* out = fdopen(fdout[READ], "r");
int next;
int count = 0;
printf("here\n");
printf("'c'\n", fgetc(out));
while(next = fgetc(out), next != EOF) {
    count++;
    printf("%c", next);
}
printf("here\n");

printf("(%d\chars)\n", count);
}
```

## 4 NETWORKING

Physical	Medium signals travel through (e.g. wire, infra-red, pigeons)
(Data-)Link	Peers can communicate directly (e.g. wifi, ethernet frames) (MAC)
Network	Exchange messages with any other host (IP)
Transport	Exchange messages with a process on a host (e.g. UDP/TCP) (Ports)
Application	

For addresses port gives the process, IP gives the computer, MAC gives the device.

### C Networking

- Client steps:
- Find out the address of the machine you wish to connect to
  - Make a socket (fd)
  - connect() to the server
  - Wrap socket descriptor for nicer IO (dup() before calling fdopen())
- Server steps:
- Make a socket
  - (Optional) set parameters
  - bind() the socket to a port
  - Set the socket to listen() for connections
  - Call accept() to allow a connection (use the new fd to interact with the client)
- ntohs converts a 16 bit value from network representation to the machines normal ordering.
- Note that accept() is a blocking call, so fork or create a pthread or use a non-blocking call but don't actually tho.

### Special Addresses and Networks

All host bits zero gives the "network address" and all host bits one gives the "broadcast address". All addresses in 127.0.0.0/8 are "loopback" addresses (localhost). The following addresses are non-routable ("link local") 10.0.0.0/8, 172.16.0.0/12, 192.168.0.0/16, 169.254.0.0/16.

### Example Networking Code

ntohs is needed as different systems may have different endianness.

```
/**
 * Starts a server, updates the depot state and displays the port on stdout.
 * For each connection it creates a new thread to handle IO on the thread.
 */
void start_server(DepotState* depotState) {
    struct addrinfo* addrInfo = 0;
    struct addrinfo hints;
    memset(&hints, 0, sizeof(struct addrinfo));
    hints.ai_family = AF_INET; // Use IPV4
    hints.ai_socktype = SOCK_STREAM;
    hints.ai_flags = AI_PASSIVE; // We want to listen
    getaddrinfo(LISTEN_ADDRESS, 0, &hints, &addrInfo);

    int serverFD = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_STREAM, 0);
    bind(serverFD, (struct sockaddr*) addrInfo->ai_addr,
        sizeof(struct sockaddr));

    struct sockaddr_in addressInfo;
    memset(&addressInfo, 0, sizeof(struct sockaddr_in));
    socklen_t len = sizeof(struct sockaddr_in);
    getsockname(serverFD, (struct sockaddr*)&addressInfo, &len);

    // Save and display the port
    depotState->port = ntohs(addressInfo.sin_port);
    printf("%u\n", depotState->port);
    fflush(stdout);

    listen(serverFD, NUM_CONNECTION_REQUESTS);

    // Listen for new connection, and for each one create a new thread
    int connectionFD;
    while (1) {
        connectionFD = accept(serverFD, 0, 0);

        if (connectionFD < 0) {
            continue;
        }
        pthread_t depotThread;
        pthread_create(&depotThread, NULL, &open_connection,
            (void*) &connectionInfo);
    }

    return;
}

/**
 * Connect the another depot on the port given in the message and update the
 * state.
 */
void connect_to_port(Message message, DepotState* state) {
    // +1 for \0 and +1 to round up. Divide by 10 to get the number of digits
    char* port = malloc((message.port / 10 + 2) * sizeof(char));
    sprintf(port, "%u", message.port); // Port must be a string

    struct addrinfo* addrInfo = 0;
    struct addrinfo hints;
    memset(&hints, 0, sizeof(struct addrinfo));
    hints.ai_family = AF_INET; // Use IPV4
    hints.ai_socktype = SOCK_STREAM;

    if (getaddrinfo(LISTEN_ADDRESS, port, &hints, &addrInfo)) {
        // Starting failed, so return silently
        freeaddrinfo(addrInfo);
        return;
    }

    int connectionFD = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_STREAM, 0);
    if (connect(connectionFD, (struct sockaddr*) addrInfo->ai_addr,
        sizeof(struct sockaddr))) {
        // Connecting failed, so return silently
        return;
    }

    ConnectionInfo* connectionInfo = malloc(sizeof(ConnectionInfo));
    connectionInfo->depot = malloc(sizeof(Depot));
    connectionInfo->depot->connectionFileDescriptor = connectionFD;
    connectionInfo->depotState = state;

    // Start a thread to handle the connection
    pthread_t depotThread;
    pthread_create(&depotThread, NULL, &open_connection, connectionInfo);
}
```

## 5 THREADS

To create a thread use pthread\_create(pthread\_t\* thread, const pthread\_attr\_t\* attr, void\* (\*start\_routine) (void\*), void\* arg). To join a thread use pthread\_join(pthread\_t thread, void\*\* retval). To get the pthread\_t of the current thread use pthread\_self(void).

Semaphores: sem\_init(sem\_t\* sem, int pshared, unsigned int value) == sem\_init(sem\_t\* sem, 0, N). In general set N to 1. For a producer/consumer task set N to 0 and each time the producer adds a job post, with each consumer waiting on the semaphore. To wait/post sem\_wait/sem\_post(sem\_t\* sem). Ensure to link with -pthread. Note that if a thread A creates a thread B and A calls pthread\_exit, then it is possible for B to join thread A.

### Example Threading Code

```
sigset_t signalSet; // Block SIGHUP and SIGSEGV
sigemptyset(&signalSet);
sigaddset(&signalSet, SIGHUP);
sigaddset(&signalSet, SIGSEGV);
pthread_sigmask(SIG_BLOCK, &signalSet, NULL);
pthread_t sigwaitThread;
pthread_create(&sigwaitThread, NULL, &listen_to_sighup, &depotState);
```

## 6 FILE SYSTEMS

The following formulas may be helpful,

$$\text{pointers/block} = \frac{\text{blocksize}}{\text{pointersize}}$$

totalblocks = # direct pointers + # single indirect · pointers/block + ...

$$\text{maxsize} = \text{blocksize} \cdot \text{totalblocks}$$

If the question asks about replacment, don't forget to subtract any existing blocks. Remember to check block size for removing file questions.

## 7 PROGRAMMING QUESTIONS - COMMON MISTAKES

- When creating a thread arg should be a pointer (i.e. don't arg).
- num >= '0' && num <= '9' not num >= 0 && num <= 9
- Make sure the \_t has been set by pthread\_create before storing