Lab 3 Report

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For Lab 3, we have implemented the following changes to the code:

1. Introduce USERSTACKBASE as in memlayout.h

```
#define USERSTACKBASE (KERNBASE - 1) // Start of the user stack
```

2. Define copyuvm (pde t*, uint, uint) in defs.h

3. Add stackSize to copyuvm in vm.c. Iterate over virtual address range from top of USERSTACKBASE to end of user stack and copies over user stack page by page (kmallocs a page for each one, memmoves to create a copy from the parent, and then mapages () to add it to page table).

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copyuvm(pde_t *pgdir, uint sz, uint stackSize)
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        pde_t *d;
        pte_t *pte;
        uint pa, i, flags;
        char *mem;
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        if ((d = setupkvm()) == 0)
         return 0;
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        for (i = 0; i < sz; i += PGSIZE) {
          if ((pte = walkpgdir(pgdir, (void *) i, 0)) == 0)
            panic("copyuvm: pte should exist");
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          if (!(*pte & PTE_P))
           panic("copyuvm: page not present");
          pa = PTE_ADDR(*pte);
          flags = PTE_FLAGS(*pte);
          if((mem = kalloc()) == 0)
            goto bad;
          memmove(mem, (char*)P2V(pa), PGSIZE);
          if(mappages(d, (void*)i, PGSIZE, V2P(mem), flags) < 0)</pre>
            goto bad;
        for (i = USERSTACKBASE - PGSIZE + 1; stackSize > 0; i -= PGSIZE, stackSize--) {
          if ((pte = walkpgdir(pgdir, (void *) i, 0)) == 0)
            panic("copyuvm: pte should exist");
          if (!(*pte & PTE_P))
            panic("copyuvm: page not present");
          pa = PTE_ADDR(*pte);
          flags = PTE_FLAGS(*pte);
          if ((mem = kalloc()) == 0)
            goto bad;
          memmove(mem, (char*)P2V(pa), PGSIZE);
          if (mappages(d, (void*)i, PGSIZE, V2P(mem), flags) < 0)</pre>
            goto bad;
        return d:
      bad:
        freevm(d);
        return 0:
```

4. Add stackSize to proc structure in proc.h

```
42 uint stackSize; // Size of the stack for the process
```

5. Pass in current process's stackSize to copyuvm function call in proc.c, in fork()

```
// Copy process state from proc.
if ((np->pgdir = copyuvm(curproc->pgdir, curproc->sz, curproc->stackSize)) == 0) {
   kfree(np->kstack);
   np->kstack = 0;
   np->state = UNUSED;
   return -1;
}
```

6. Initialise current process's stackSize to 1 in exec.c. Allocate user stack using szStack.

```
// Allocate two pages at the next page boundary.
// Make the first inaccessible. Use the second as the user stack.
sz = PGROUNDUP(sz);
// if((sz = allocuvm(pgdir, sz, sz + 2*PGSIZE)) == 0)
// goto bad;
// clearpteu(pgdir, (char*)(sz - 2*PGSIZE));
// sp = sz;
uint szStack = KERNBASE - PGSIZE;
if ((szStack = allocuvm(pgdir, szStack, szStack + 8)) == 0)
goto bad;
sp = USERSTACKBASE;
```

```
// Commit to the user image.
lo1 oldpgdir = curproc->pgdir;
curproc->stackSize = 1;
curproc->pgdir = pgdir;
curproc->sz = sz;
lo5 curproc->tf->eip = elf.entry; // main
curproc->tf->esp = sp;
switchuvm(curproc);
freevm(oldpgdir);
return 0;
```

7. Check addresses against USERSTACKBASE in syscall.c

```
fetchstr(uint addr, char **pp)
                                                                     char *s, *ep;
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                                                                     if(addr >= USERSTACKBASE)
                                                                      return -1;
     fetchint(uint addr, int *ip)
                                                                     *pp = (char*)addr;
                                                                      ep = (char*)USERSTACKBASE;
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                                                                      for(s = *pp; s < ep; s++){}
                                                                       if(*s == 0)
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       if(addr >= USERSTACKBASE || addr+4 > USERSTACKBASE)
                                                                          return s - *pp;
       *ip = *(int*)(addr);
                                                                      return -1;
       return 0;
```

8. Implement T_PGFLT trap in trap.c as one of the switch cases in trap(), to check whether there is a page fault caused by an access to the page right under the current top of the stack. If so, allocate and map the page, else go to the default handler and print error message in allocuvm.

```
case T_PGFLT:
    ;
    uint faultAddr = rcr2();
    uint numPages = myproc()->stackSize + 1;

if (faultAddr >= USERSTACKBASE - ((PGSIZE * numPages) + 1)) {
    if (allocuvm(myproc()->pgdir, PGROUNDDOWN(faultAddr), PGROUNDDOWN(faultAddr) + 8) == 0){
        cprintf("There was an error in allocuvm\n");
        break;
    }

myproc()->stackSize += 1;
    cprintf("Successfully increased the size of the stack\n");
    break;
}
```

9. Test file: lab3.c

```
#include "types.h"
 #pragma GCC push_options
 #pragma GCC optimize ("00")
recurse(int n)
 if(n == 0)
   return 0;
   return n + recurse(n - 1);
 #pragma GCC pop_options
 main(int argc, char *argv[])
   int n, m;
   if(argc != 2){
    printf(1, "Usage: %s levels\n", argv[0]);
     exit();
   n = atoi(argv[1]);
   printf(1, "Lab 3: Recursing %d levels\n", n);
   m = recurse(n);
   printf(1, "Lab 3: Yielded a value of %d\n", m);
```

This is the output:

```
Booting from Hard Disk..xv6...
cpu0: starting 0
sb: size 1000 nblocks 941 ninodes 200 nlog 30 logstart 2 inodestart 32 bmap start 58
init: starting sh
$ lab3test
Usage: lab3test levels
$ lab3test 100
Lab 3: Recursing 100 levels
Lab 3: Yielded a value of 5050
$ lab3test 1000
Lab 3: Recursing 1000 levels
Successfully increased the size of the stack
Lab 3: Yielded a value of 500500
$
```