



# Project 2. Priority Scheduling

- Implement priority scheduler in xv6
  - The lower nice value, the higher priority
  - The highest priority process should be chosen for next running
    - Tiebreak:Arbitrary
- Scheduler runs only when a change occurs in process priorities
  - DO NOT call the scheduler on the timer interrupt
  - When a process calls fork(), the **nice value** of child process is set to 5.

# test\_sched.c

- Add test\_sched.c
- ./test\_sched

```
1 #include "types.h"
2 #include "stat.h"
3 #include "user.h"
4
5
6 int main(int argc, char** argv)
7 {
8     int pid;
9     int mypid;
10
11     // Change the priority of init processes.
12     setnice(1, 10);
13
14     // Change the priority of current processes.
15     setnice(getpid(), 2);
16
17     // Create a child process
18     pid = fork();
19
20     if(pid == 0) {
21         printf(1, "#### State 2 ####\n");
22     } else {
23         printf(1, "#### State 1 ####\n");
24
25         // Change the priority of parent process.
26         setnice(pid, 10);
27         wait(); // Yield CPU
28
29         printf(1, "#### State 3 ####\n");
30     }
31
32     mypid = getpid();
33     printf(1, "PID %d is finished\n", mypid);
34
35     exit();
36 }
37
```

```
$ test_sched
#### State 1 ####
#### State 2 ####
PID 4 is finished
#### State 3 ####
PID 3 is finished
```

# Hand-in Procedures (1/2)

- Download template
  - <https://github.com/eunjicious/xv6-ssu.git> (pull or clone)
  - `tar xvzf xv6_ssusyscall.tar.gz`
- Rename directory
  - `mv xv6_ssusyscall xv6_ssusched`
- Add test\_sched.c to your codes and modify Makefile properly
- Build with CPUS=1 flag
  - Makefile

```
ifndef CPUS
CPUS := 1
endif
```

# Hand-in Procedures (2/2)

- Compress your code (ID: 20201234)
  - `$tar cvzf xv6_ssu_sched_20201234.tar.gz xv6_ssu_sched`
  - Please command `$make clean` before compressing
- Submit your `tar.gz` file through [myclass.ssu.ac.kr](https://myclass.ssu.ac.kr)
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