

CE191 Operating Systems and Systems Programming Introduction

Intro To OS Concepts

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Check out github.com/os-course

Grading

- Grades will be determined roughly as follows:
- Quiz 15%
- Homework 25%
- Projects 40%
- Participation & Collaboration 20%

Projects and Homework

- ✓ Document
- ✓ Code

Prerequisites

- Familiarity with Linux
- Knowledge of C, and data structures
- TAs will spend some time reminding some of the prerequisites
- Bring your own laptop

Sources

- Modern Operating Systems by Tanenbaum A.
- Operating Systems: three easy pieces (OSTEP) by Remzi H.
- > XV6 for projects and homework.
- Write Your Own Operating System (WYOOS)

Environment

- Linux Ubuntu 16.04
- ubuntu-16.04.6-server-amd64.iso , ubuntu-16.04.6-desktop-i386.iso
- Vmware
- Install gcc for compile C programs
- How to Install Ubuntu 16.04 on Vmware : tutorial , video

Collaboration Policy

- Explaining a concept to someone in another group
- Discussing algorithms/testing strategies with other groups
- Helping debug someone else's code (in another group)
- Bring your own laptop
- Sharing code or test cases with another group
- Copying OR reading another group's code or test cases
- Copying OR reading online code or test cases
- Copying OR reading project of senior students
- Cheating in Exams and Quizzes

Operating Systems at the heart of it all ...

- Make the incredible advance in the underlying technology available to a rapid evolving body of applications.
 - Processing, Communications, Storage, Interaction, Protected Sharing

- The key building blocks
 - Processes, Scheduling
 - Concurrency, Coordination
 - Address spaces, Translation
 - Protection, Isolation, Sharing, Security
 - Communication, Protocols
 - Persistent storage, transactions, consistency, resilience
 - Interfaces to all devices



Number of apps in Apple App Store and Android Market (01/2010-12/2011E)

Why we should learn OS?

- Some of you will may design and build operating systems or components of them.
 - Perhaps more now than ever
- Many of you will create systems that utilize the core concepts in operating systems.
 - Whether you build software or hardware
 - The concepts and design patterns appear at many levels
- All of you will build applications, etc. that utilize operating systems
 - The better you understand their design and implementation, the better use you'll make of them.

Operator ...



Computer Operators

Genealogy of several modern operating systems



Time-sharing operating systems

What is an Operating System?

Illusionist



- Provide clean, easy to use abstractions of physical resources
 - Infinite memory, dedicated machine
 - Higher level objects: files, users, messages
 - Masking limitations, virtualization