

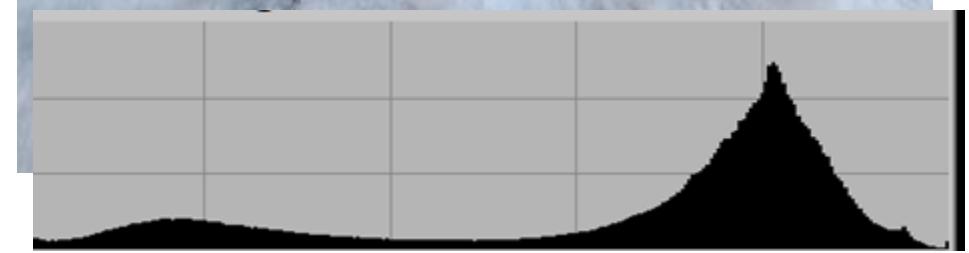
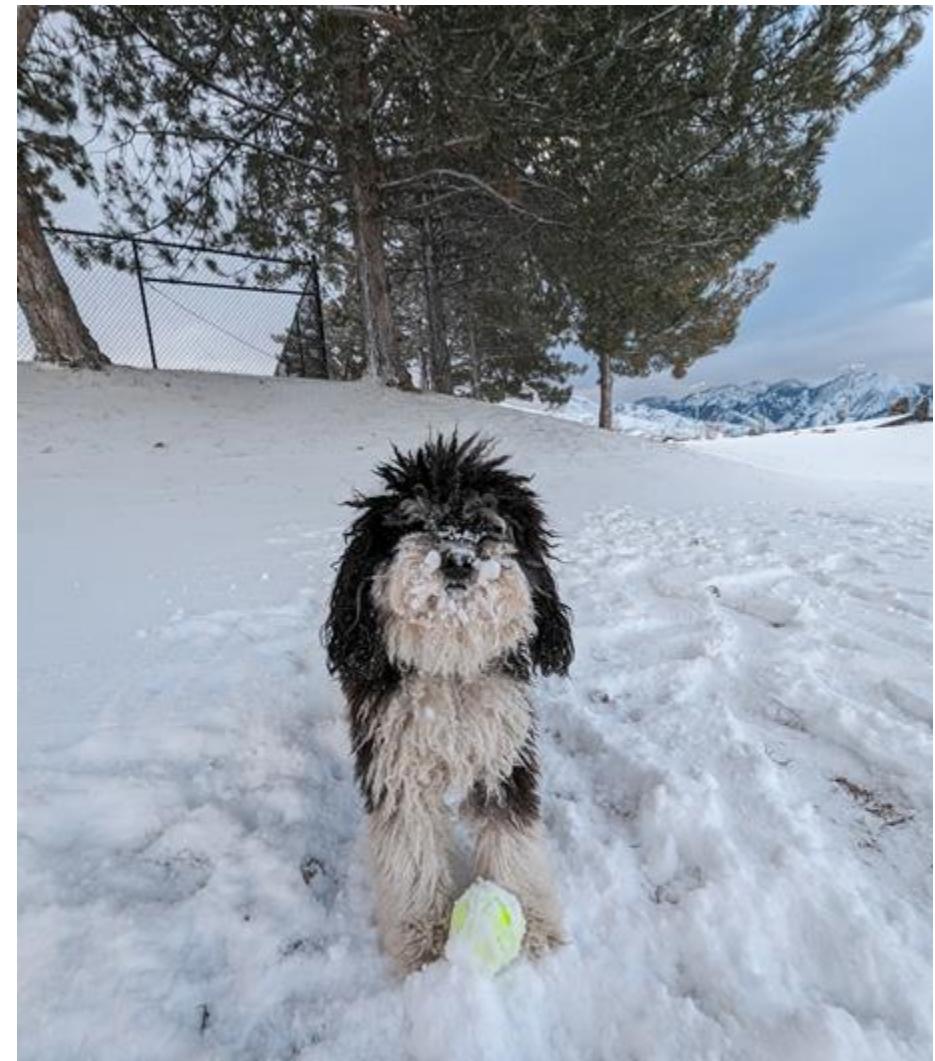
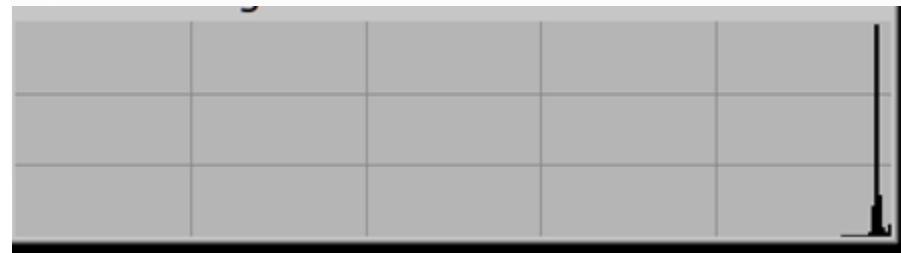
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Midterm recap, sample questions

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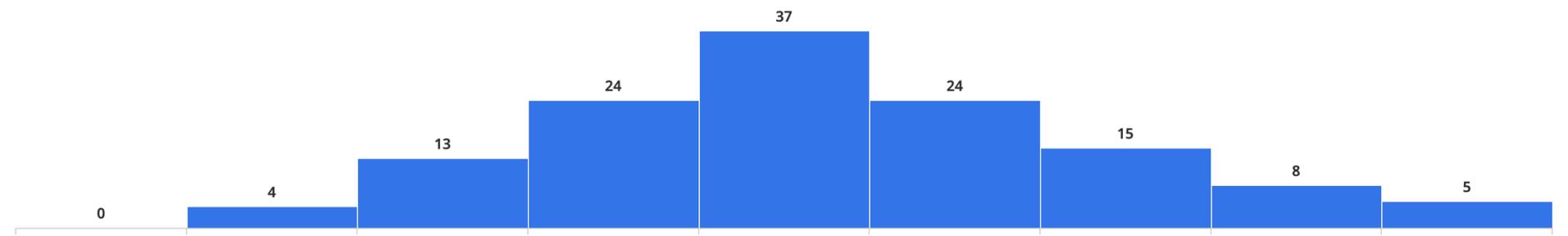




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Q1 OS interfaces

10 Points

Write a simple UNIX program, `tee` that reads from standard input and writes to standard output and a file specified in command line. For example, if invoked like this:

```
echo Hello | tee foobar.txt
```

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```
-----  
| int pipeP = -1;  
| if (strcmp(args[i], " | ") == 0)  
| {  
|     pipeP = i;  
| }  
| if(pipeP != -1){  
|     args[pipeP] = NULL;  
  
|     int pipe_fd[2]; // Stores the output content of the pipeline  
|     if (pipe(pipe_fd) == -1)  
|     {  
|         printf("pipe error");  
|         exit(0);  
|     }  
  
|     pid_t pid = fork();  
  
|     if (pid < 0)  
|     {  
|         printf("fork error");  
|         exit(0);  
|     }  
|     else if (pid == 0)  
|     { // Process the command on the left and store it  
|         close(pipe_fd[0]);  
|         dup2(pipe_fd[1], STDOUT_FILENO);  
|         close(pipe_fd[1]);  
  
|         if (execvp(args[0], args) == -1)
```

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        if (execvp(args[0], args) == -1)  
        {  
            printf("execvp error");  
            exit(0);  
        }  
    }  
    else  
    { // Run the command on the right using the results on the left  
        wait(NULL);  
        close(pipe_fd[1]);  
        dup2(pipe_fd[0], STDIN_FILENO);  
        close(pipe_fd[0]);  
  
        if (execvp(args[pipeP + 1], args + pipeP + 1) == -1)  
        {  
            printf("execvp error");  
            exit(0);  
        }  
    }  
}  
  
void fork();  
void exec(path, args);  
void wait();  
int open(fd, R|W);  
void close(fd);  
void pipe(fd[2]);  
int dup(fd);  
int read(fd, buf, n);  
int write(fd, buf, n);
```

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```

"Hello" shows up on the screen and in foobar.txt

"Hello" sh

```
int fp = open(argv[1], O_WRONLY | O_CREATE);
char next;
read(0, &next, 1);

while(next != 0) {
    write(fp, &next, 1);
    write(1, &next, 1);

    read(0, &next, 1);
}
close(fp);
```

Q2 Assembly

15 Points

Below is C and assembly code for the `strncpy()` (string copy) function from the xv6 operating system (i.e., `strcpy()` copies one string into another). In C strings are represented as continuous arrays of bytes (each character is a byte) that end with a `0` (or NULL) to designate the end of the string.

```
68 char*
69 strncpy(char *s, const char *t, int n)
70 {
71     char *os;
72
73     os = s;
74     while(n-- > 0 && (*s++ = *t++) != 0)
75         ;
76     while(n-- > 0)
77         *s++ = 0;
78     return os;
79 }
```

```
00000190 <strncpy>:
```

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1b2: 84 c9        test   cl,cl
1b4: 88 4a ff      mov    BYTE PTR [edx-0x1],cl
1b7: 74 09        je    1c2 <strncpy+0x32>
1b9: 89 f1        mov    ecx,esi
1bb: 85 c9        test   ecx,ecx
1bd: 8d 71 ff      lea    esi,[ecx-0x1]
1c0: 7f e6        jg    1a8 <strncpy+0x18>
1c2: 31 c9        xor    ecx,ecx
1c4: 85 f6        test   esi,esi
1c6: 7e 0f        jle   1d7 <strncpy+0x47>
1c8: c6 04 0a 00      mov    BYTE PTR [edx+ecx*1],0x0
1cc: 89 f3        mov    ebx,esi
1ce: 83 c1 01      add    ecx,0x1
1d1: 29 cb        sub    ebx,ecx
1d3: 85 db        test   ebx,ebx
1d5: 7f f1        jg    1c8 <strncpy+0x38>
1d7: 5b          pop    ebx
1d8: 5e          pop    esi
1d9: 5d          pop    ebp
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1db: 90          nop
1dc: 8d 74 26 00      lea    esi,[esi+eiz*1+0x0]
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Q2.1

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The previous value of ebp will not be preserved on the stack. When the strcpy tries to "pop ebp" at 0x1d9, an incorrect value on top of the stack will be loaded into ebp. Then the ret instruction at 0x1da will try to jump to an incorrect address and very likely segfault.

```
1d7: 5b          pop    ebx  
1d8: 5e          pop    esi  
1d9: 5d          pop    ebp  
1da: c3          ret  
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1b9: 89 f1        mov    ecx,esi  
1bb: 85 c9        test   ecx,ecx  
1bd: 8d 71 ff      lea    esi,[ecx-0x1]  
1c0: 7f e6        jg    1a8 <strncpy+0x18>  
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1c4: 85 f6        test   esi,esi  
1c6: 7e 0f        jle   1d7 <strncpy+0x47>  
1c8: c6 04 0a 00      mov    BYTE PTR [edx+ecx*1],0x0  
1cc: 89 f3        mov    ebx,esi  
1ce: 83 c1 01  
1d1: 29 cb  
1d3: 85 db  
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1d7: 5b  
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Q2.2

5 Points

Same as above, but now you put two `nop` instructions instead of instruction at address 1b7

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1d9: 5d          pop    ebp  
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Q2.2
5 Points

Same as above, but now you put two

The first while loop will not exit when it copies extra garbage data into s instead of n.

Q2.2

5 Points

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The first while loop will not exit when it encounters a null character at the end of t, causing it to copy extra garbage data into s instead of zeroing out the remainder of s.

```
00000190 <strncpy>:
```

```
190: 55  
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```

Q2.3

5 Points

Same as above, but now you put `nop` instead of the instruction at address `1d7`

```
19a: 53          push  ebx  
19b: 8b 5d 0c    mov    ebx,DWORD PTR [ebp+0xc]  
19e: 89 c2        mov    edx,eax  
1a0: eb 19        jmp    1bb <strncpy+0x2b>  
1a2: 8d b6 00 00 00 00  lea    esi,[esi+0x0]  
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```
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    add edx, 0x1
    test cl, cl
    mov byte PTR [edx-0x1], cl
    je 1c2 <strncpy+0x32>
    mov ecx, esi
    test ecx, ecx
    lea esi, [ecx-0x1]
    jg 1a8 <strncpy+0x18>
    xor ecx, ecx
    test esi, esi
    jle 1d7 <strncpy+0x47>
    mov byte PTR [edx+ecx*1], 0x0
    mov ebx, esi
    add ecx, 0x1
    sub ebx, ecx
    test ebx, ebx
    jg 1c8 <strncpy+0x38>
    pop ebx
    pop esi
    pop ebp
    ret
    nop
    lea esi, [esi+eiz*1+0x0]
```

Q2.3

5 Points

Same as above, but now you put `nop` instead of the instruction at address 1d7

At 0x1d8, strdpy will pop the last pushed value into esi, but this value is the saved value of ebx -- this is not correct. It will similarly load the saved value of esi into ebp, and leave the saved value of ebp on the stack. The ret instruction at 0x1da will then try to jump to the saved value of ebp, and will very likely segfault.

Q3

20 Points

Below is a code snippet of the `cat()` function from the xv6 `cat` utility

```
1 #include "types.h"
2 #include "stat.h"
3 #include "user.h"
4
5 char buf[512];
6
7 void
8 cat(int fd)
9 {
10    int n;
11
12    while((n = read(fd, buf, sizeof(buf))) > 0) {
13        if (write(1, buf, n) != n) {
14            printf(1, "cat: write error\n");
15            exit();
16        }
17    }
18    if(n < 0){
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Q3**20 Points****Q3.1 Memory allocation****10 Points**

Below is a code snippet. For each variable used in the program above, explain where (stack/heap/data/bss section) this variable is allocated.

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Q3

20 Points

Q3.1 Memory allocation

10 Points

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buf: bss
fd: stack
n: stack

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Well, not entirely correct...

- What is missing?

Q3

20 Points

Q3.2

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Below is a code snip

Which lines of the code above require relocation if loaded at a different memory address. Explain your answer (1 point for each non-trivial line)

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Line 12:
read() function would require relocation as it is an external function
buf would require relocation as it is a global variable

Line 13:
write() function would require relocation as it is an external function
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Line 14:
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"cat: write error\n" (treated as a string constant by C compiler) would require relocation

Line 15:
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Line 19:
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Line 20:
exit() function would require relocation as it is an external function

Q4

20 Points

Imagine you have an x86 machine which has all the same instructions as we discussed in class, besides that it does not have `call`, `ret`, `push` and `pop`. Imagine you're in control of the compiler and can generate any assembly code you like.

Q4.1

10 Points

Explain how can you support function invocations? Show an example of the assembly code that invokes the `int foobar(int a, int b, int c)` function.

Q4

20 Points

Imagine you have
besides that it does
and can generate

Q4.1

10 Points

Explain how can
invokes the `int f`

Without push and pop, we'd have to use the mov instruction to move values to the appropriate addresses on the stack (esp holds the memory address to the top of the stack).

Without the call instruction, we'd have to modify and use the value in the eip register to "push" as return address on the stack before transferring control to the callee.

C:

```
foobar(1, 2, 3);
```

Assembly:

Before:

```
push 0x3  
push 0x2  
push 0x1  
call foobar
```

After:

```
mov [esp-0x4], 0x3  
mov [esp-0x8], 0x2  
mov [esp-0xc], 0x1  
mov eax, eip  
add eax, 0x14  
mov [esp-0x10], eax  
sub esp, 0x10  
jmp foo  
add esp, 0xc
```

Q4

20 Points

Imagine you have an x86 machine which has all the same instructions as we discussed in class, besides that it does not have `call`, `ret`, `push` and `pop`. Imagine you're in control of the compiler and can generate any assembly code you like.

Q4.2

10 Points

How will you maintain the stack frame and return from the function? Show assembly code that maintains the stack frame inside `foobar()` and returns from it.

Q4

20 Points

Imagine you have an assembly language program that maintains the stack frame mechanism. Besides that it does not use the push/pop mechanism, and can generate any register.

Q4.2

10 Points

How will you maintain the stack frame mechanism?

Just as in A4.1, we'd have to use mov instructions to main stack frames in lieu of the push/pop mechanism.

To return, we'd use the value at address which is (four bytes) before the frame pointer of the callee since we know that that is where we'd find the return address on the stack when we reach the epilogue of the callee.

Since ecx and edx are caller-saved (in xv6-32), we can use it as temporary registers without having to restore them in the callee.

Assembly:

Before:

```
foobar:  
    push ebp  
    mov ebp, esp  
    ...  
    pop ebp  
    ret
```

After:

```
foobar:  
    sub esp, 0x4  
    mov [esp], ebp  
    mov ebp, esp  
    ...  
    mov ecx, ebp  
    mov ebp, [ecx]  
    mov edx, [ecx+0x4]  
    add esp, 0x4 \\ "Pop" ebp  
    add esp, 0x4 \\ "Pop" return address  
    jmp edx
```

Q5 Page tables

25 Points

Q5.1

10 Points

Consider the following 32-bit x86 page table setup.

CR3 holds `0x00000000`.

The Page Directory Page at physical address `0x00000000`:

```
PDE 0: PPN=0x00001, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
PDE 1: PPN=0x00002, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
... all other PDEs are zero
```

The Page Table Page at physical address `0x00001000` (which is PPN `0x1`):

```
PTE 0: PPN=0x00003, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
PTE 1: PPN=0x00004, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
... all other PTEs are zero
```

The Page Table Page at physical address `0x00002000` (PPN `0x2`):

```
PTE 0: PPN=0x00006, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
PTE 1: PPN=0x00007, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
... all other PTEs are zero
```

Specify all virtual address ranges mapped by this page table (don't forget to mention the physical ranges to which each virtual range is mapped), e.g., `virt: [a - b] -> phys: [x - z]`

Q5 Page tables

25 Points

Q5.1

10 Points

Consider the follow

- | virt: [0x0 - 0xffff] -> phs: [0x00003000 - 0x00003fff]
- | virt: [0x1000 - 0x1fff] -> phs: [0x00004000 - 0x00004fff]
- | virt: [0x400000 - 0x400fff] -> phs: [0x00006000 - 0x00006fff]
- | virt: [0x401000 - 0x401fff] -> phs: [0x00007000 - 0x00007fff]

CR3 holds 0x00000000.

The Page Directory Page at physical address 0x00000000:

```
PDE 0: PPN=0x00001, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
PDE 1: PPN=0x00002, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
... all other PDEs are zero
```

The Page Table Page at physical address 0x00001000 (which is PPN 0x1):

```
PTE 0: PPN=0x00003, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
PTE 1: PPN=0x00004, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
... all other PTEs are zero
```

The Page Table Page at physical address 0x00002000 (PPN 0x2):

```
PTE 0: PPN=0x00006, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
PTE 1: PPN=0x00007, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W  
... all other PTEs are zero
```

Specify all virtual address ranges mapped by this page table (don't forget to mention the physical ranges to which each virtual range is mapped), e.g., virt: [a - b] -> phys: [x - z]

Q5.2

15 Points

Using the same format for describing the page table as in the question above construct a page table that maps virtual addresses from 0x0 to 1MB (0x10_0000) and from 2GB (0x8000_0000) to 2GB + 1MB (0x8010_0000) to physical addresses from 0x0 to 1MB (0x10_0000). You're free to choose where your PTD and PT pages are located in physical memory.

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| CR3 holds 0x200000

| The Page Directory Page at physical address 0x200000:

| PDE 0: PPN=0x00001, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W

| PDE 512: PPN=0x00002, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W

| ... all other PDEs are zero

| The Page Table Page at physical address 0x00001000 (which is PPN 0x1):

| PTE 0 : PPN=0x00000, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W

| PTE 1 : PPN=0x00001, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W

| ...

| PTE 256 : PPN=0x00100, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W

| ... all other PTEs are zero

| The Page Table Page at physical address 0x00002000 (which is PPN 0x2):

| PTE 0 : PPN=0x00000, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W

| PTE 1 : PPN=0x00001, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W

| ...

| PTE 256 : PPN=0x00100, PTE_P, PTE_U, PTE_W

| ... all other PTEs are zero

Thank you!