

NunyaOS

Week 11



Updates

- run() syscall hotly debated last Friday
 - About to be merged in its final form - Handling merge conflicts, bug
 - Concept of permission templates, identifiers introduced
 - Was blocking on other fronts
- Window and FS first set of syscalls merged - Hesitant with run()
- File reorganization on all fronts
- Add clock/RTC syscalls
- Open Files Table



run() syscall

- One syscall that does everything to start child
- Takes a descriptor for a kernel-managed permissions template
- Copies template into permissions struct for process
- Permissions for each module:
 - Memory: a number of allowed pages
 - Fs: a list of directories/files that are allowed
 - Window: { max_width, max_height, origin (offset_x, offset_y) }
- Accurate memory tracking throughout



FS Syscalls

- First PR is in
 - File structure of code correct
 - No process struct conflicts
 - Security stripped out (process previously voluntarily enforced on itself, not children)
- Ryan working to make syscalls for manipulating permissions templates
- Jesse puts up PR for OS-wide file table

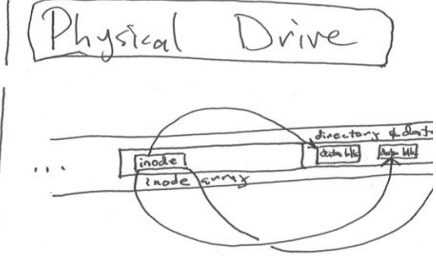
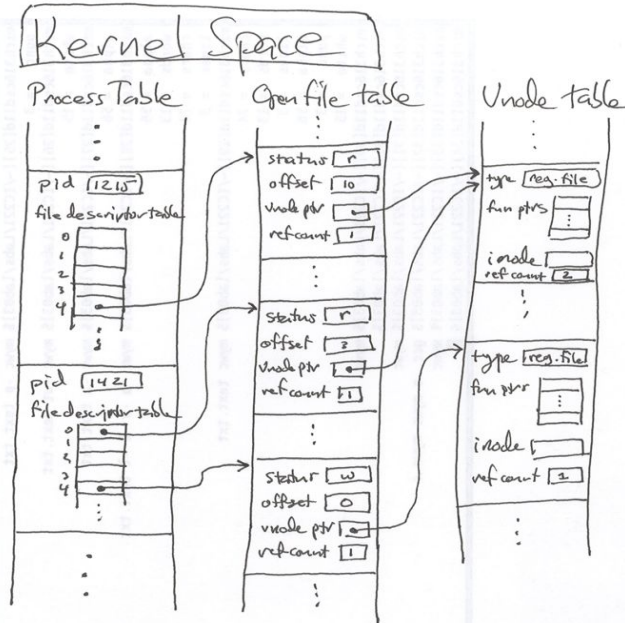


Open Files Table

- Current max 1024 open files in OS
- Max of 64 files per process



- Suppose stdin of process 1421 has been redirected to come from foo.txt.
- Suppose file des. 4 of process 1215 is set to read from foo.txt.



Window/RTC/clock Syscalls

- Window creation, deletion, drawing lines and text
 - In the proper file structure
 - Security was waiting on run() to see how to make interface
- Sleep, clock_read, rtc_read
 - Needed for animating things!
- Event distribution going up for review
 - Was dependent on basic system calls



Future Plan

- Finish OS open file table
- Manipulate permissions templates from user land
- Study/correct behavior of children from run() calls
 - Create more user-level programs to test further
 - User-level terminal
- Solve windowing pre-emption bug



Questions

- If a process dies, should its children go with it?
 - If so, should a parent be able to ask its child for its status?
 - If so, how?
- `pagetable_getmap` issues with multiple process creation

