

How do you feel
about fall?

CS 340

OS | Concurrency

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Updates

1. MP4 UTF-8 due today

2. MP5 Allocator out today, due next tuesday

3. HW 4 Thursday

1:59 PM


| Tue | Thurs |
|---------------|-----------------|
| os concur. | synchronization |
| Threading | exam review |
| Daixuan | |
| exam 2 | python |
| no class | |

Agenda

1. MP5 Allocator Introduction

2. Concurrency with Processes

3. Operating System (OS)



The Allocator in C

malloc(size) - allocates size bytes and returns a pointer to the allocated memory.

void (p) malloc(10);
p = realloc(p, 100);*

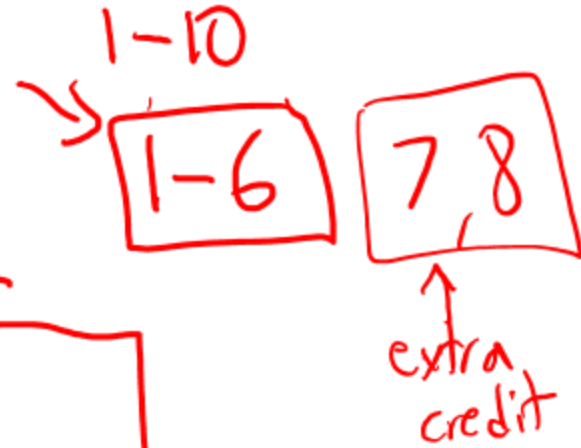
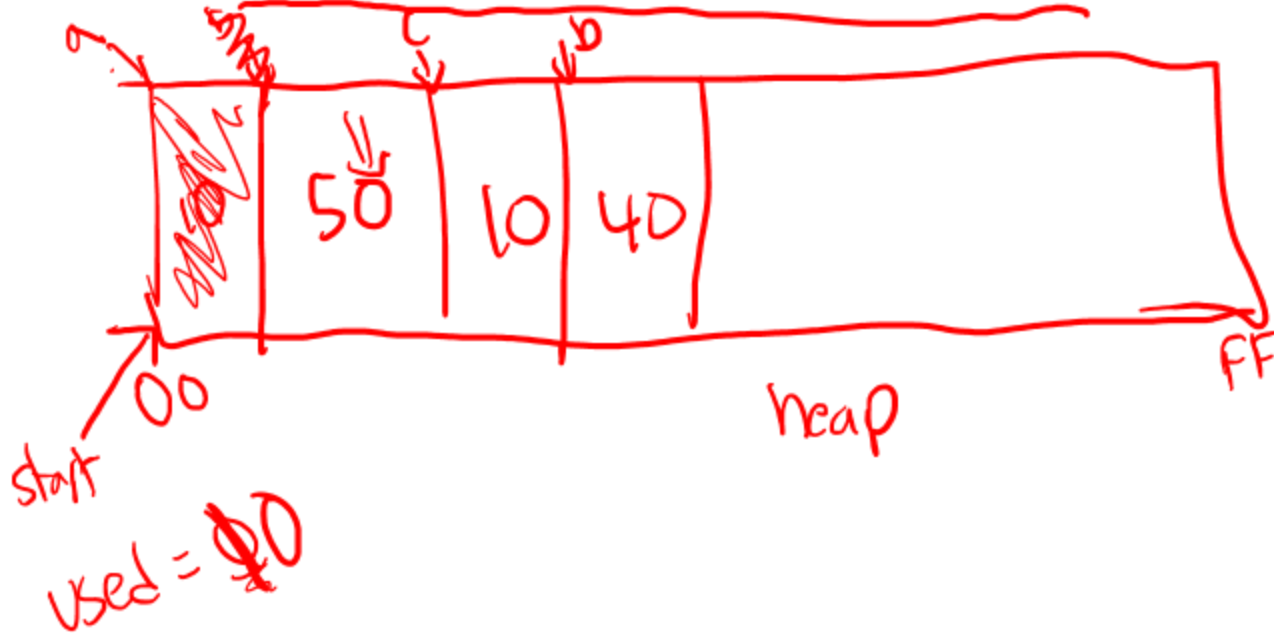
free(p) - frees the memory space pointed to by p which must have been allocated previously with a call to malloc.

realloc(p, size) - changes the size of allocated memory pointed to by p to size bytes. Contents of memory will be unchanged if within new range. If size is 0, this is the same as free(p). The function returns a pointer to the new block of allocated memory or NULL if size is 0.

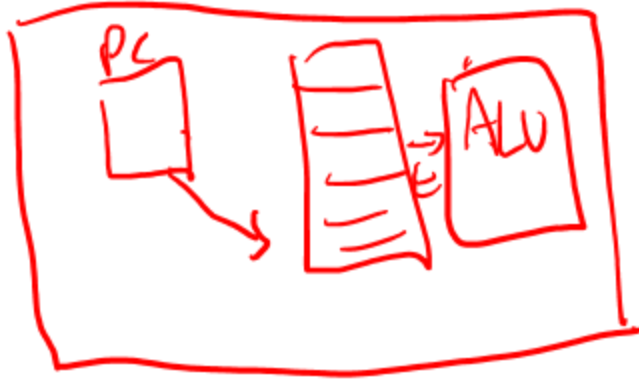
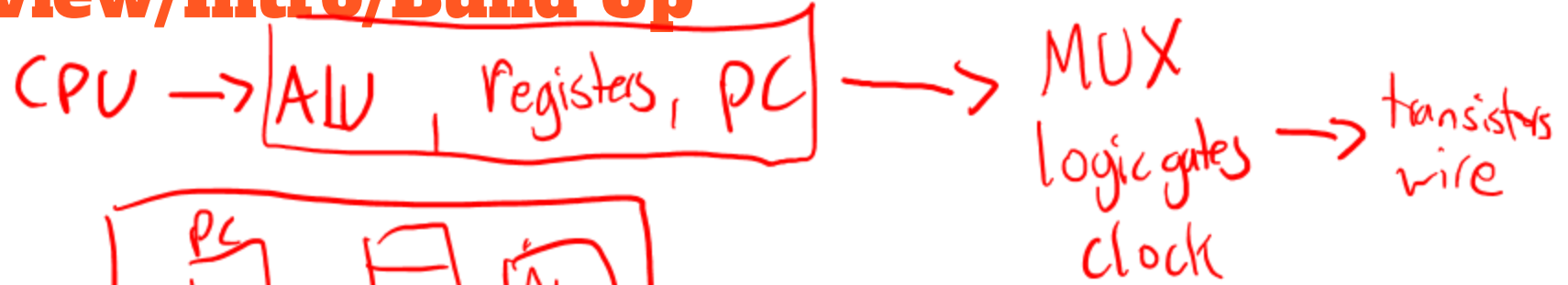
MP5

Given - malloc, free, realloc

Your task - improve efficiency (space and time)

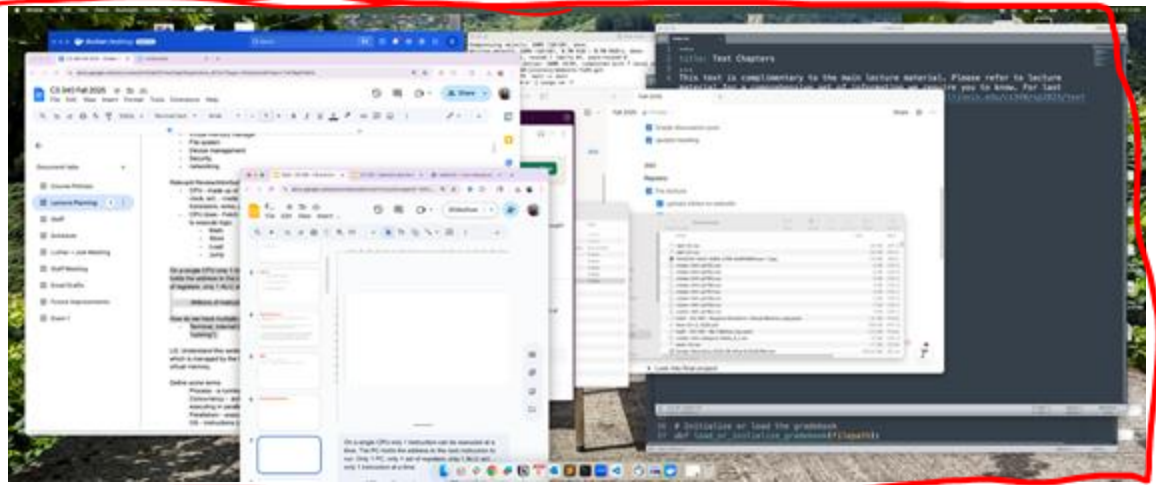


Review/Intro/Build Up



Math
store
load
jump

How?



LG - Understand this sentence

Processes are running concurrently which is managed by the OS and is safe because of kernel mode and virtual memory.

Vocabulary

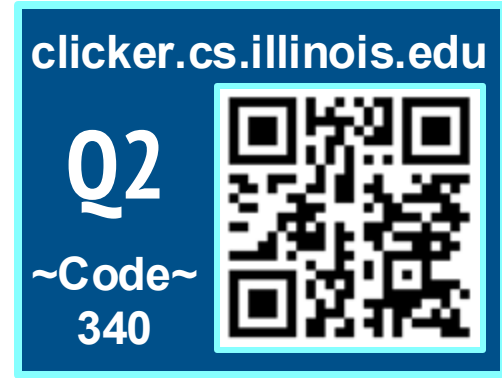
Process - a running instance of a program

Concurrency - active during the same time

Parallelism - executing at the same exact time

At 5:15pm how many activities am I doing concurrently? In parallel?

I start my stats HW at 4:00pm, at 5:00pm I take a break start a game of volleyball which ends at 6:00pm, I then work on and finish my stats HW at 8:30pm.



con: 2
par: 1

At 7:00pm how many activities am I doing concurrently? In parallel?

I start my stats HW at 4:00pm, at 5:00pm I take a break start a game of volleyball which ends at 6:00pm, I then work on and finish my stats HW at 8:30pm.



Con: 1
Par: 1

Vocabulary

OS ^{operating system}
→ code (instructions)

kernel

Kernel Mode - a bit in hardware → 0, 1

LG - Understand this sentence

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Processes are running concurrently

- Slack
- internet
- VS code

Page table

CPU state

- registers
- PC

unique
process ID

Processes are running concurrently which is managed by the OS

- schedules and loads in and out of the CPU

↓ - timer interrupt (milliseconds)

priority
round robin
etc...

↓ system call

Context switch

- saves state of current process
- stored in memory

**What is the closest estimate
to how many instructions a
CPU can run in a second?**

1,000,000

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If I'm typing at 200 characters a minute, how many CPUs do I need to seamlessly handle updating my notes app while running my slack app (chat) to monitor if I got any new messages?



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Is it possible for these two programs to print out the same value while running concurrently?

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hi.exe

```
int x = 5;  
printf("%#x", &x);
```

bye.exe

```
int x = 2;  
printf("%#x", &x);
```

yes

Is it possible for these two programs to be using the same register to store the value x for calculations if they are running concurrently?

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hi.exe

```
int x = 5;  
x = x + 1;
```

bye.exe

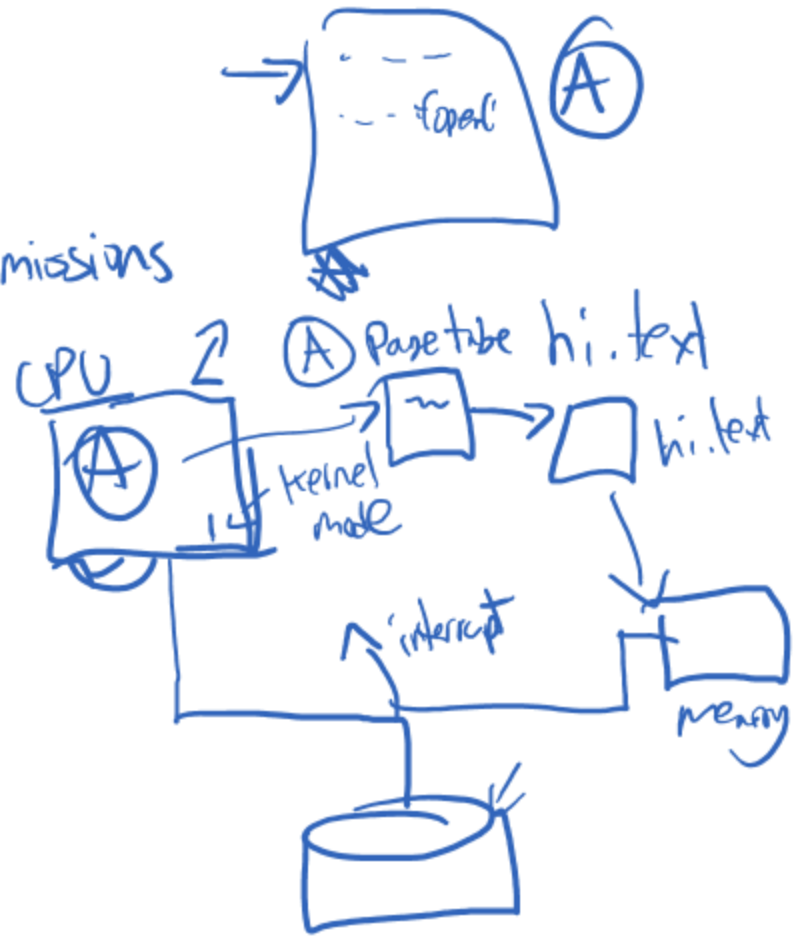
```
int x = 2;  
x = x + 1;
```



yes

The Operating System

- manages VM
- File system reading/writing, permissions
- device management
- Security - accounts
- Network -
- Process management
 - creates, destroys, schedules



What does the OS not do?

- A) Schedule Processes
- ~~B) Execute all instructions~~
- C) Manage virtual memory
- D) Allow the keyboard to talk to your program
- ~~E) Does all of the above~~

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The OS is running _____ with your programs?

code

- A) Concurrently
- B) In parallel
- C) None of the above fit

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Threading

Process

→ different
VM
reg values

```
int main() {  
    -  
    - start thread →  
      at function  
    → c  
    →  
    }  
}
```

```
for void c() {  
    → {  
        -  
        -  
    }  
}
```

Threading

→ same process

same VM

- same page table

→ own stack

OS - swapping