

6. (20 points) Concurrent tasks and communication using pipes

- a) Draw the tasks and the pipes between them as described by the following code segment.
- b) Draw the file/pipe descriptor table for the parent and the child with the relevant points indicated.
- c) What is the output?

Also show the output, pipe structures and table structure at the point indicated: #1 #4

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int main() {
    pid_t newpid;
    int fd1[2], fd2[2];

    char m1[] = "Final Exam 2013\n";
    char m2[] = "Today is 10th December\n";

    char rbuf1[256];
    char rbuf2[256];
    int cn1, cn2;

    if ((pipe(fd1) == -1)) printf(" error \n");
    printf("fd1 %d %d \n", fd1[0], fd1[1]);

    dup(fd1[0]);
    dup(fd1[1]); // #1 show the open file descriptor table here

    write(4, m1, sizeof(m1));
    cn1 = read(5, rbuf1, 256);
    write(1, rbuf1, cn1); // #2 show the structure of pipe fd1 with the respect the current process

    if ((pipe(fd2) == -1)) printf(" error \n");
    printf("fd2 %d %d \n", fd2[0], fd2[1]);

    if ((newpid = fork()) == -1) { printf("error \n"); return 0;}

    if (newpid > 0)
    { //parent
        write(4, m2, sizeof(m2)); // #3 show the open file descriptor table here
    }
    else { //child
        cn2 = read(3, rbuf2, 256);
        write(1, rbuf2, cn2);

        int fd3[2];
        if ((pipe(fd3) == -1)) printf(" error \n");
        printf("fd3 %d %d \n", fd3[0], fd3[1]); // #4 Show the open file descriptor table for parent + child
        // other code
    }

    return 0; }

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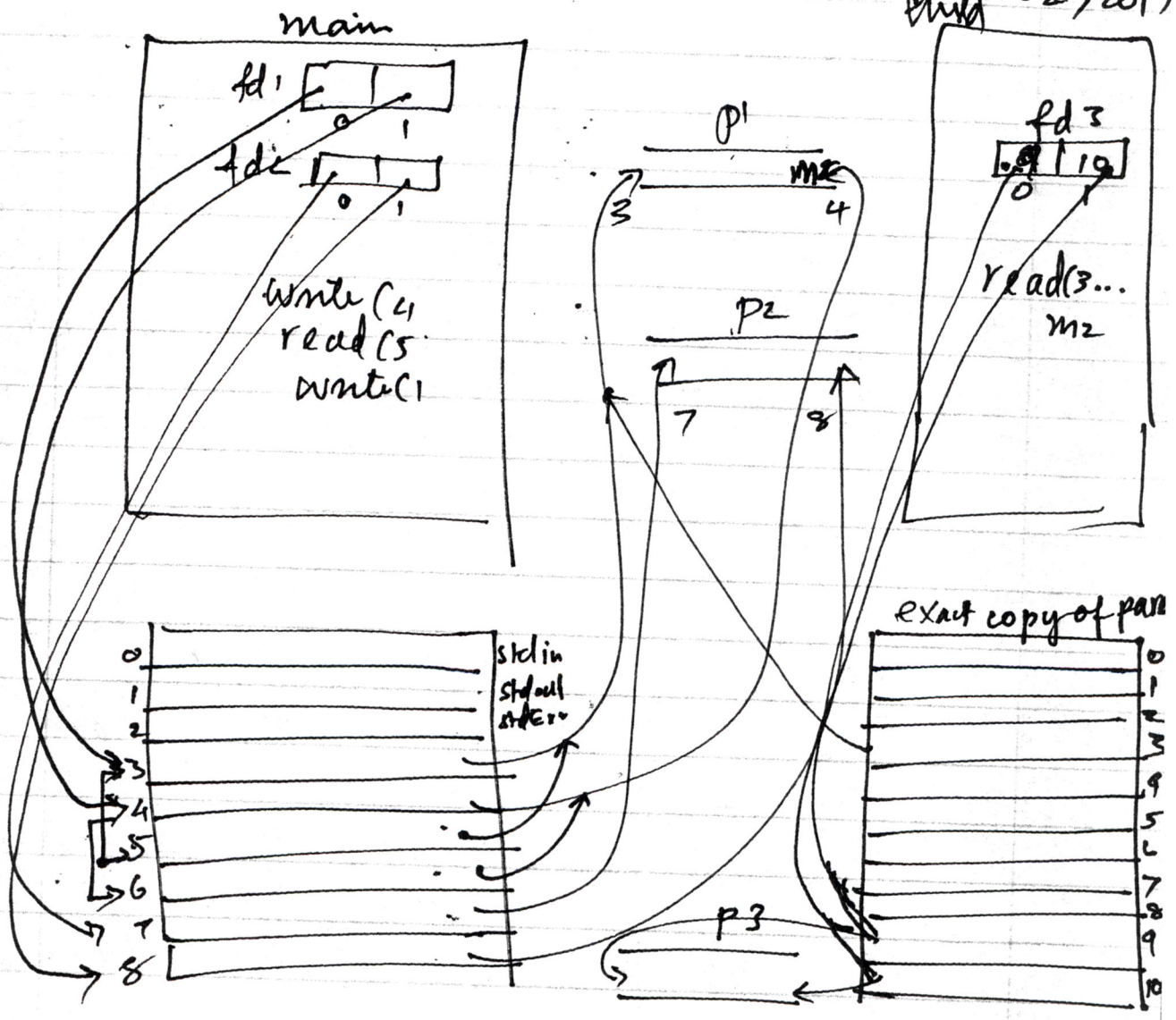
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write(4, "Done");

*read(7, rbuf1)
write(1, ...*

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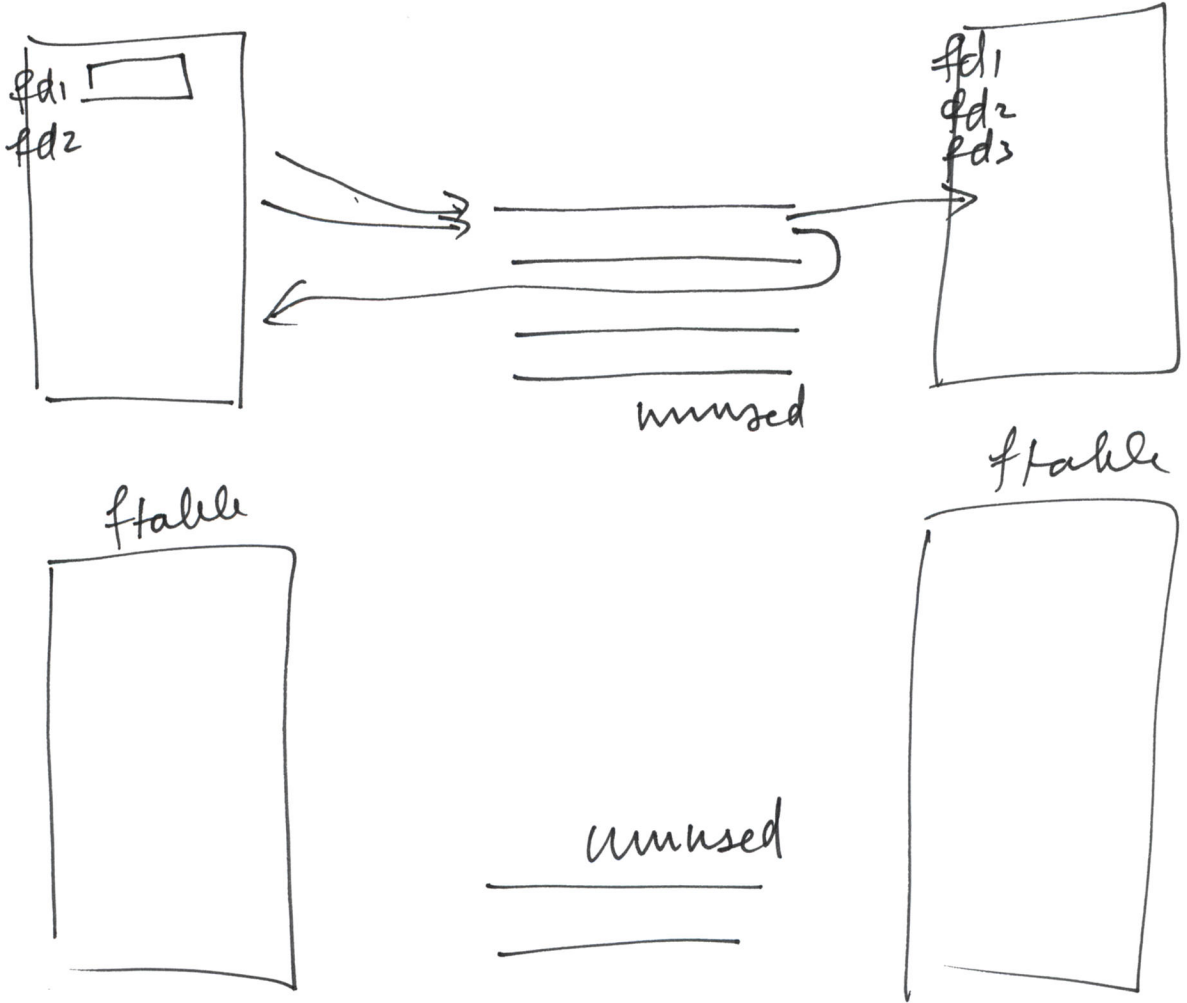
#2 write
write

"Final Exam 2013"
"Today is a Dream"

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parent: write(8, "we are done");
child: read(7, ..., buf2);
       write(1, ...)

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```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <signal.h>
#define MYSIG 43
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(1)

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* signal handler evoked by sig 43
  reinstalls after each sig hit, prints number of hits*/
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void getsig(int s) // signal handler
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static int count = 0;
printf("signal %d again, %dth time \n", s, ++count);
signal(MYSIG, getsig); //reinstalling sig handler
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(2)

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int main(void)
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signal(MYSIG, getsig); // install signal handler
printf("start counting keyboard kills\n");
while(1) {};
return 0;
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(3)

if MYSIG happens
call/jump to "getsig" handler

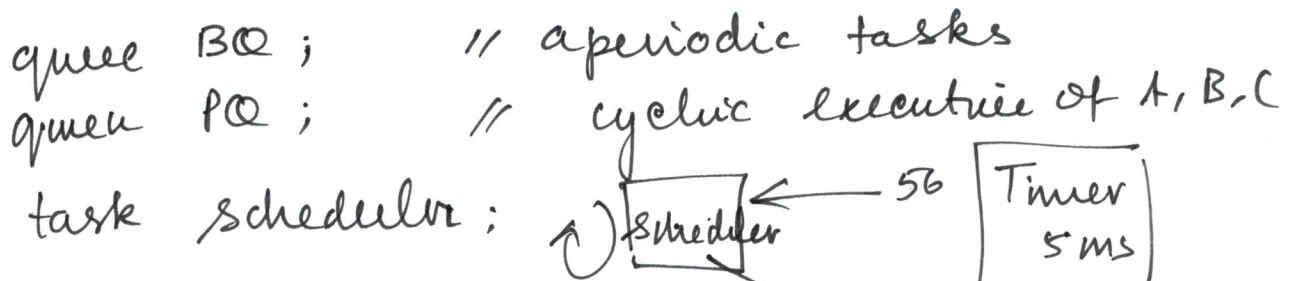
(4) kill (pid, signal#);
initiate the signal?

3. (20 points) Signal and handlers

Consider an ECU (embedded control unit) with the following data structures and tasks. Write the C code or pseudo code for the system executing on this ECU:

- (i) It has a queue of "base tasks" that are aperiodic; define this as BQ in your pseudo code
- (ii) It has a "cyclic executive schedule" of period tasks A, B and C; define this as PQ in your pseudo code
- (iii) It has a scheduler task that gets interrupted by a **signal number 56** periodically (every 5ms) by the system timer.
- (iv) The scheduler invokes a **signal handler** every time **signal 56** occurs
- (v) The signal handler for **signal 56** schedules the next task from the period task queue (PQ). If there is no periodic task then it invokes a base task from the base task queue (BQ).
- (vi) After the initiating either task from PQ or BQ, the **signal 56** is armed (set up) again for receiving the signal.

Write the pseudo code for the scheduler including the signal handler, signal setup (arming the signal), timer and the related data structures. You may use dummy functions wherever needed.



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task
queue BQ;
queue PQ;
→ task timer (5ms) / periodic
task scheduler;

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task
fun
scheduler
{
  signal (56, signalH56);
  while (1)
  {
    do something;
  }
}

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(5)

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SignalHandler56
{
  task = PQ.dequeue();
  if (task is null or
      is (PQ is empty);)
  {
    task = BQ.dequeue();
  }
  task.execute();
  signal (56, scheduler);
}

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void signalHandler56()
{
  if (!PQ.empty())
  {
    task = PQ.dequeue();
  }
}

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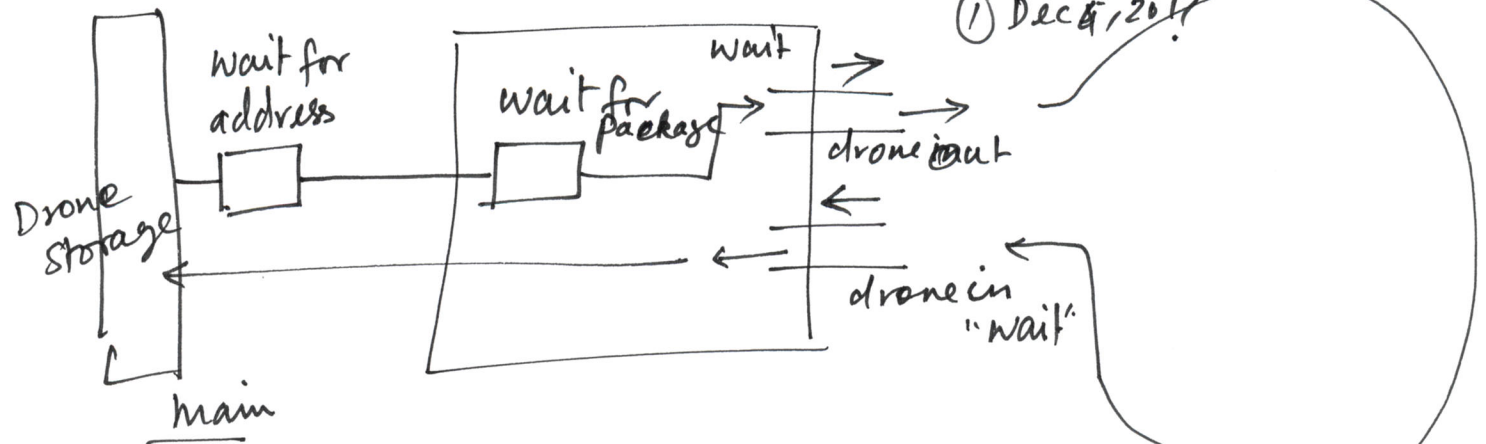
else
  task
  if (!BQ.empty())
  {
    task = BQ.dequeue();
  }
  else
  {
    task = some task;
  }
  signal (56, signalHandler56);
}

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5. (20 points) Mutual Exclusion and Synchronization

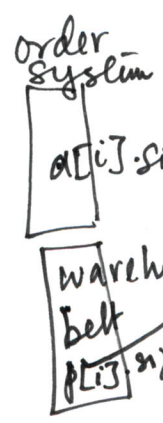
Consider the new project revealed by Amzon.com that delivers packages using drones. Lets see if we can help amazon by organizing their fleet of drones. The drones are powered up and ready to go. Each drone has to **wait** to get (i) the **address** and (ii) the **package**. Next they all fly out of a **single drone port (droneOut)** out of the amazon warehouse. Thus the drone port is can handle only one drone at any time. Once the package is delivered drones come back home through another port (**droneIn**) that can also handle/allow only one drone at a time. Assume amazon drones are powered by XINU. Use appropriate **xinu semaphores** to bring order to the amazon drone zone. Clearly show the creation, initialization, usage of the semaphores, in a pseudo code for the operation of the drones. (Hint: you need 4 semaphores some for synchronization and some for mutual exclusion).

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main
for (i to 1000)
  ready (create (drone[i], deliverPackage, ...))
  semaphore a[i] = newsem(0); // synch
  semaphore p[i] = newsem(0); // synch
  semaphore droneOut = newsem(1); // mutex
  semaphore droneIn = newsem(1); // mutex
  
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deliverPackage: "i" drone

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a[i].signal() → a[i].wait(); // waiting for address
p[i].signal() → p[i].wait(); // waiting for package
                ↓
droneOut.wait(); // waiting for output to be free
// get out of the port
droneOut.signal();
// go about the zone and deliver pack
droneIn.wait(); // wait for input port
// go thru port
droneIn.signal(); // shift yourself
a[i].signal(); // ready to take new address
p[i].signal();
}
  
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deliverPackage: " i " drone

wait (a[i]); // waiting ^{for} address
wait (p[i]);

~~drone wait~~

wait (droneOut);

// get out of the port
signal (droneOut);

// deliver packages

wait (droneIn);

// get in

~~signal wait~~ (droneIn);

~~// go to~~

// shelf - store yourself drone

// ready to take next order

signal (a[i]);

signal (p[i]);

} // go to sleep;

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