

CS202(-001): Operating Systems

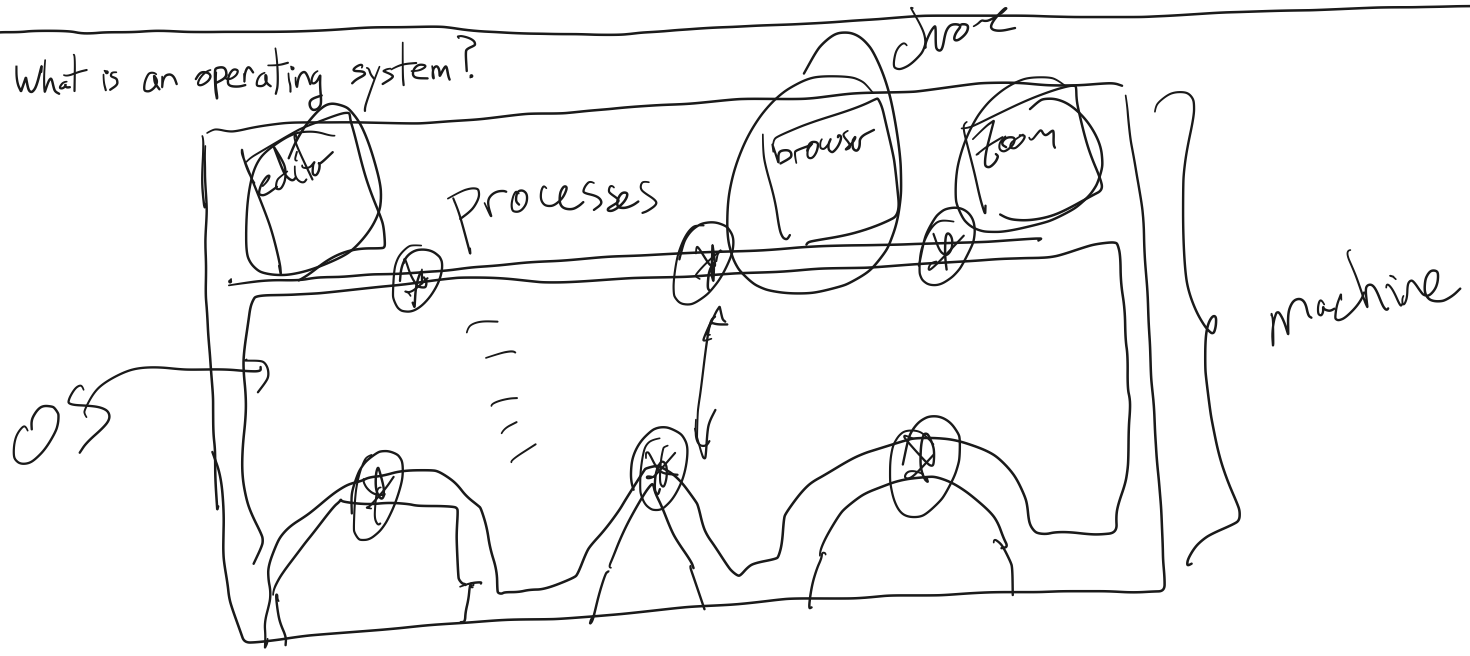
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- 1. Intro & goals
- 2. What is an operating system?
- 3. Why study systems?
- 4. How will we study (operating) systems? ←
- 5. Mechanics & admin
- 6. History
- 7. Processes

2. What is an operating system?



Classical description of OS:

- I. Managing the resources of the machine
- II. Abstracting the hardware

Examples?

• File systems
Abstraction

```
fd = open("tmp/foo", O_RDONLY);  
rc = write(fd, "abc...z", 26);
```

Isolation

• Text input
Abstraction

Isolation

• Memory
Abstraction^{*} { movq 0x1248, %rdx

Isolation →

• Scheduling

3. Why study systems?

a. "how things work"

b. ideas are everywhere

c. fundamental design-offs

d. unsolved problems

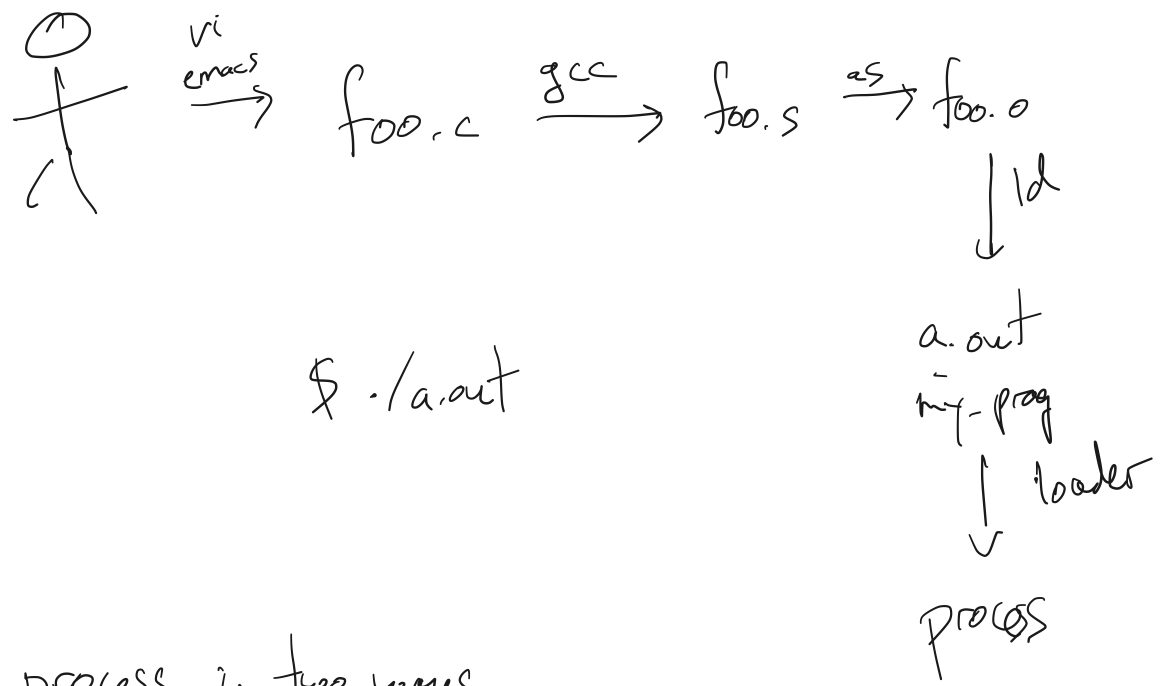
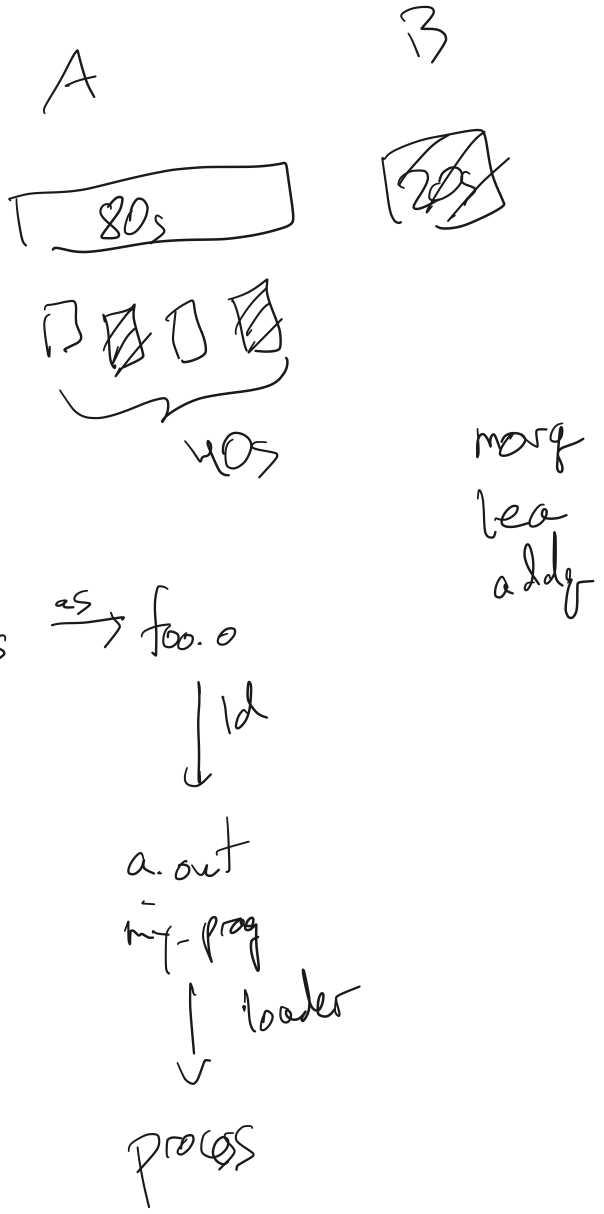
e. Skills building

4. How will we study?

- ✓ Comps
- components of the ~~class~~ course
 - → lecture/class
 - → labs
 - → exams
 - reading
 - ~~HW~~ HW
- grading ←
- policies

7. Processes

Key abstraction



process in two ways
 → from the process' point of view ?

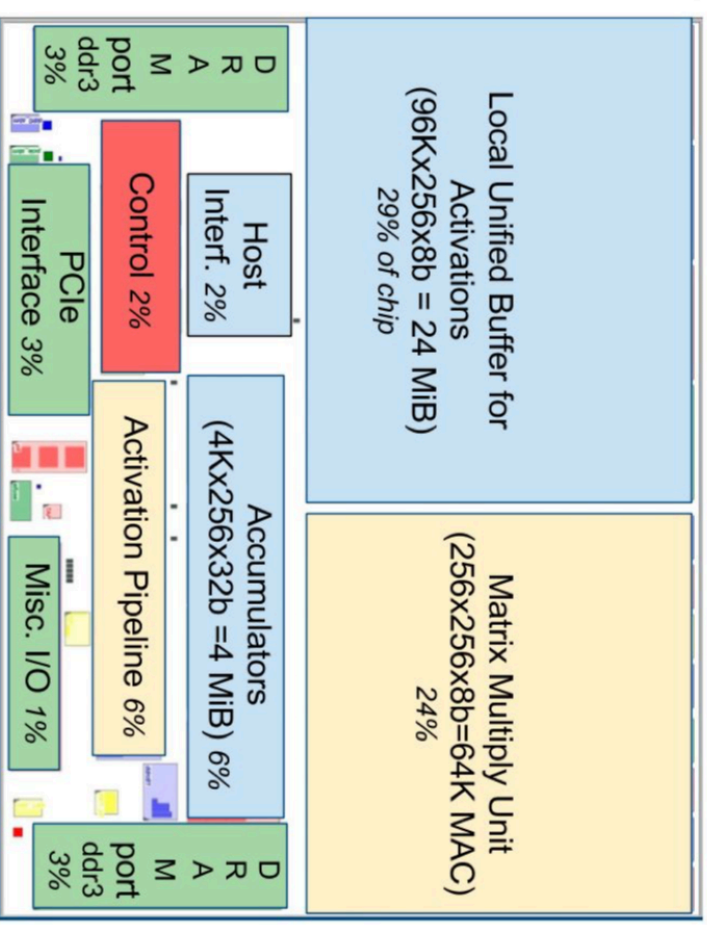
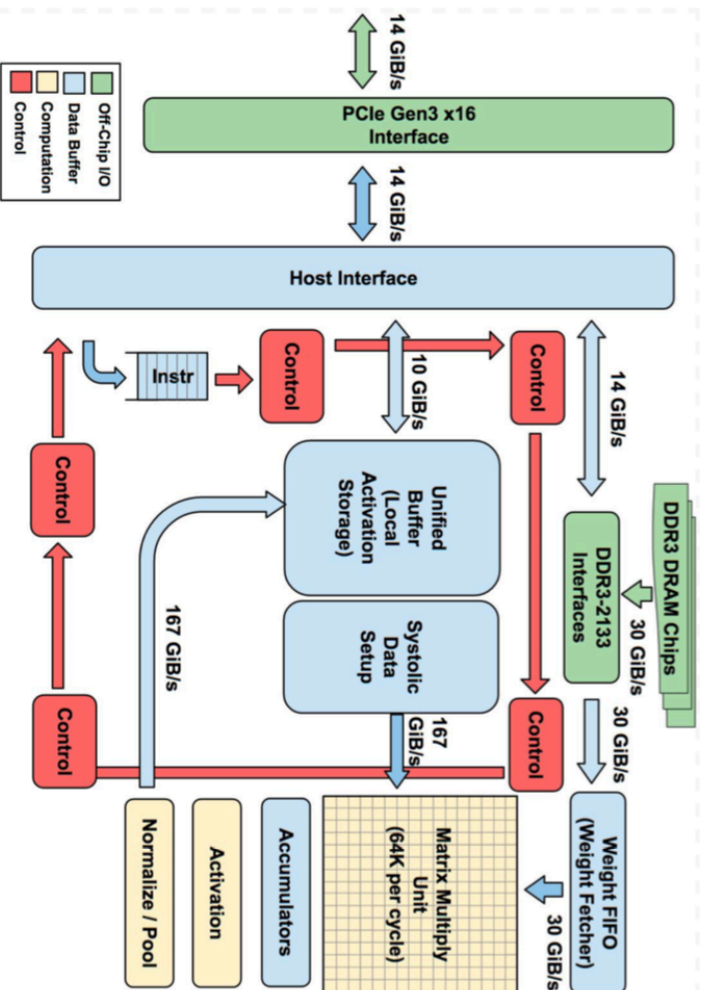
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"abstract machine"

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→ from the OS POV]

C? x86-64? My Future Is In Machine Learning!



- Cutting-edge ML backed by custom TPU, unique system software and OS support....