

# İŞLETİM SİSTEMLERİ UYGULAMA





# Outline

- Process management -> Section-1
  - creation, differentiation, termination
- Inter-process communication (IPC) -> Section-1
  - Unix-based
  - Posix
- Threads -> Section-2
- Thread synchronization -> Section-2



# Section Outline

- Process definition
- Process handling
- Process creation
- Process differentiation
- Process termination
- Process synchronization



# What is a Process

- **Definition ;**
  - A process is an instance of a running program.
  - Not the same as “**program**” or “**processor**”
    - A program is a set of instructions and initialized data in a file, usually found on a disk.
- A **process** is an instance of that **program** while it is running, along with the state of all the CPU registers and the values of data in memory.

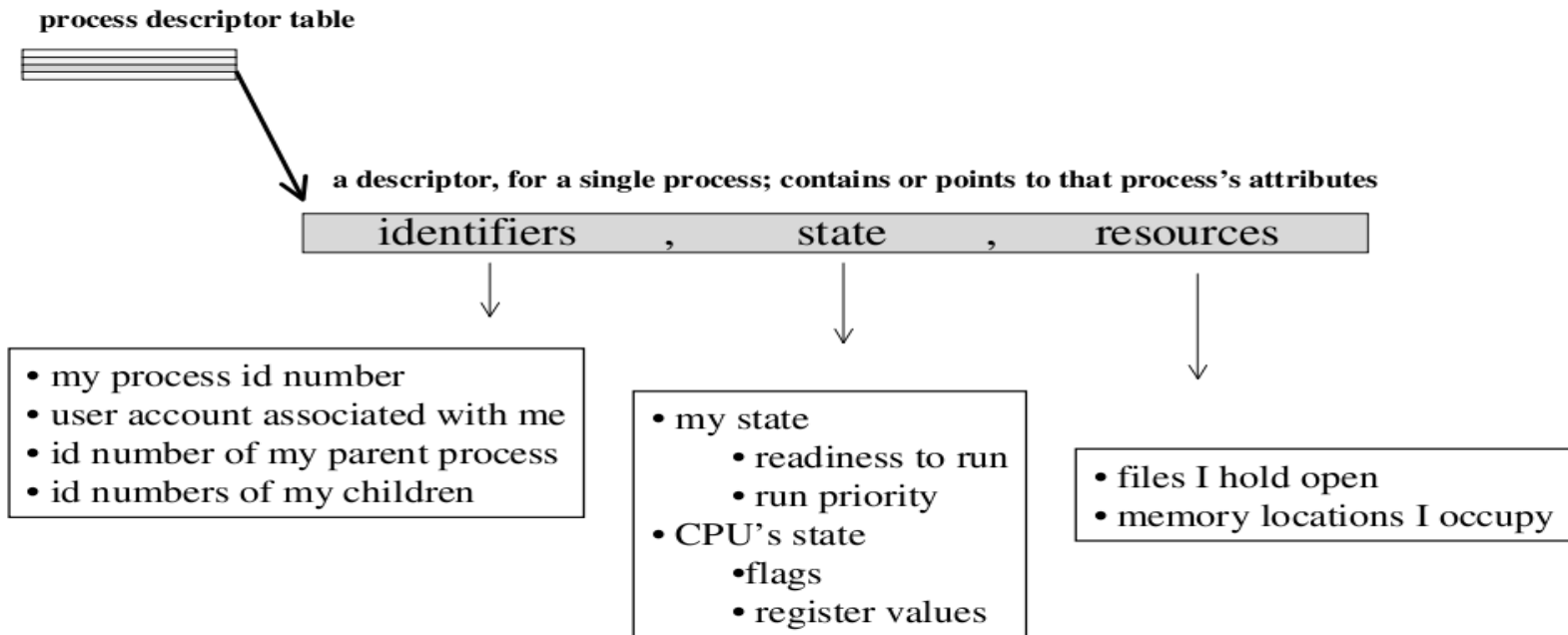


# Process Handling

- Constituents of a process
  - Its code
  - Data
    - its own
    - OS's data used by/for process
  - Various attributes OS needs to manage it

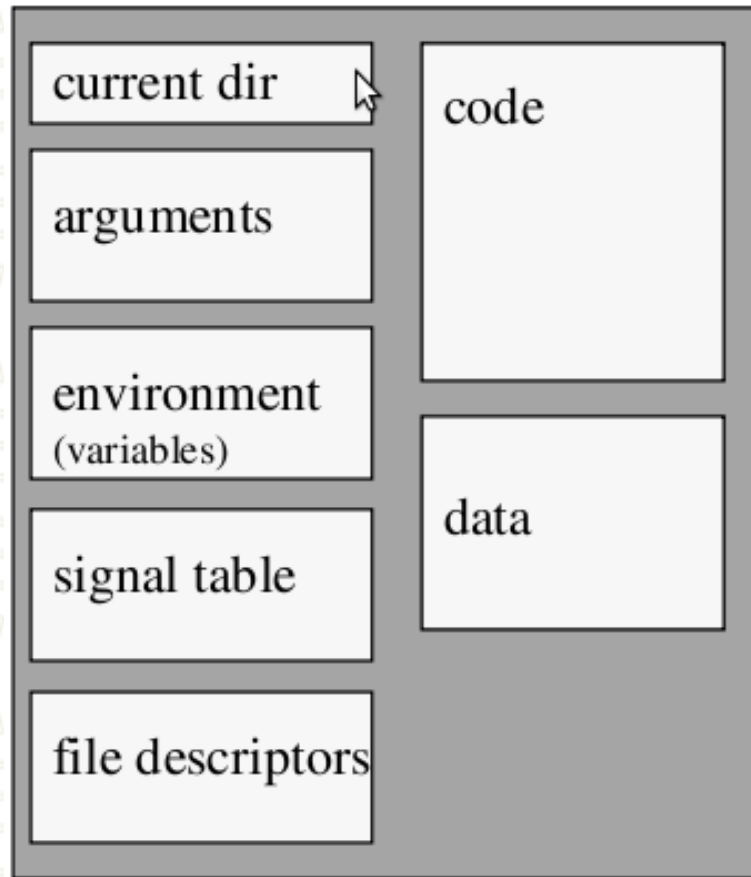
# Process Handling

- OS keeps track of all processes
  - Process table/array/list
  - Elements are process descriptors (aka control blocks)
  - Descriptors reference code & data





# Single process in Unix (consolidated view)



- Some important properties
  - code
  - data
  - current directory
  - argument list
  - environment list
  - responses to signals
  - list of open files

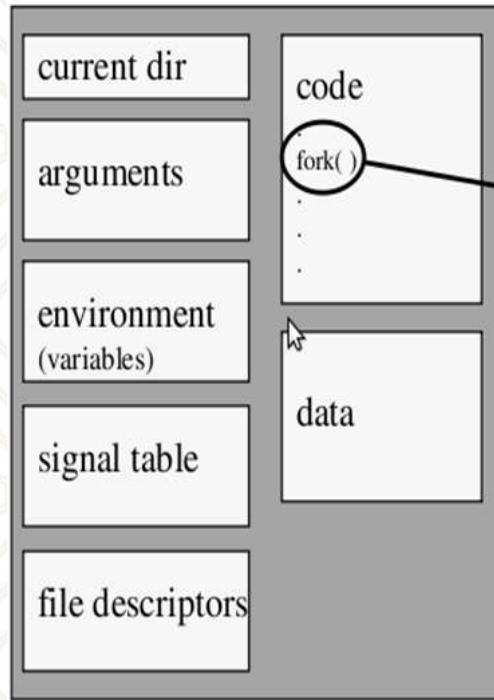
# Process Creation

- OS perspective
  - find empty slot in process table
  - write a process descriptor and
  - put it there
  - read in program code from disk
- User perspective
  - System calls
    - `fork()`, `exec()`

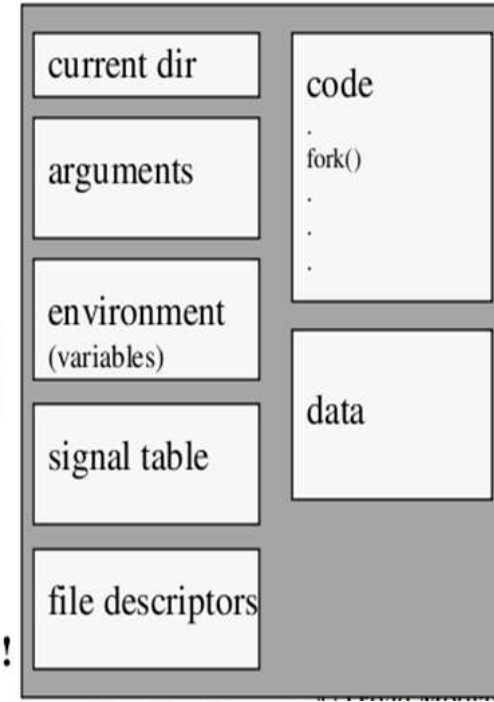


# fork() system call

process ID #1001



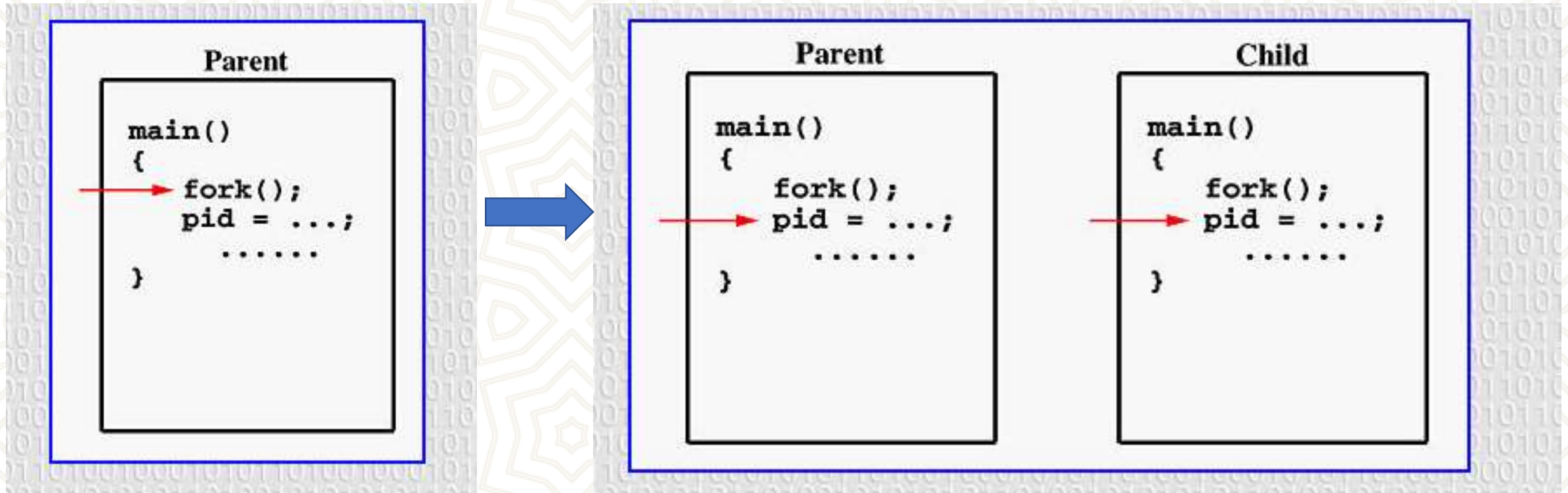
process ID #1002



**same dir!**  
**same args!**  
**same vars!**  
**same sigs!**  
**same files!**

**even...**  
**same code!!**

# fork() system call





# A Simple fork() Example

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main ( void ) {
    printf("Message before fork\n");
    fork();
    printf("Message after fork\n");
    return 0;
}
```

- **Ex\_1\_fork1.c**

- a simple fork example
- Message after fork is printed **twice** !!

```
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lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ ./Fork1
Message before fork
Message after fork
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ Message after fork
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$
```

# Self Identification

- **Ex\_2\_fork2.c**
- for the parent process fork returns **child's pid**
- for the child process fork returns **0**

```
1#include <stdio.h>
2#include <unistd.h>
3
4int main ( void ) {
5
6    int forkResult;
7
8    printf("process id: %i - parent process id: %i\n",getpid(),getppid());
9    forkResult = fork();
10    printf("process id: %i - result : %d - parent process id:
%i\n",getpid(),forkResult,getppid());
11
12    return 0;
13}
```

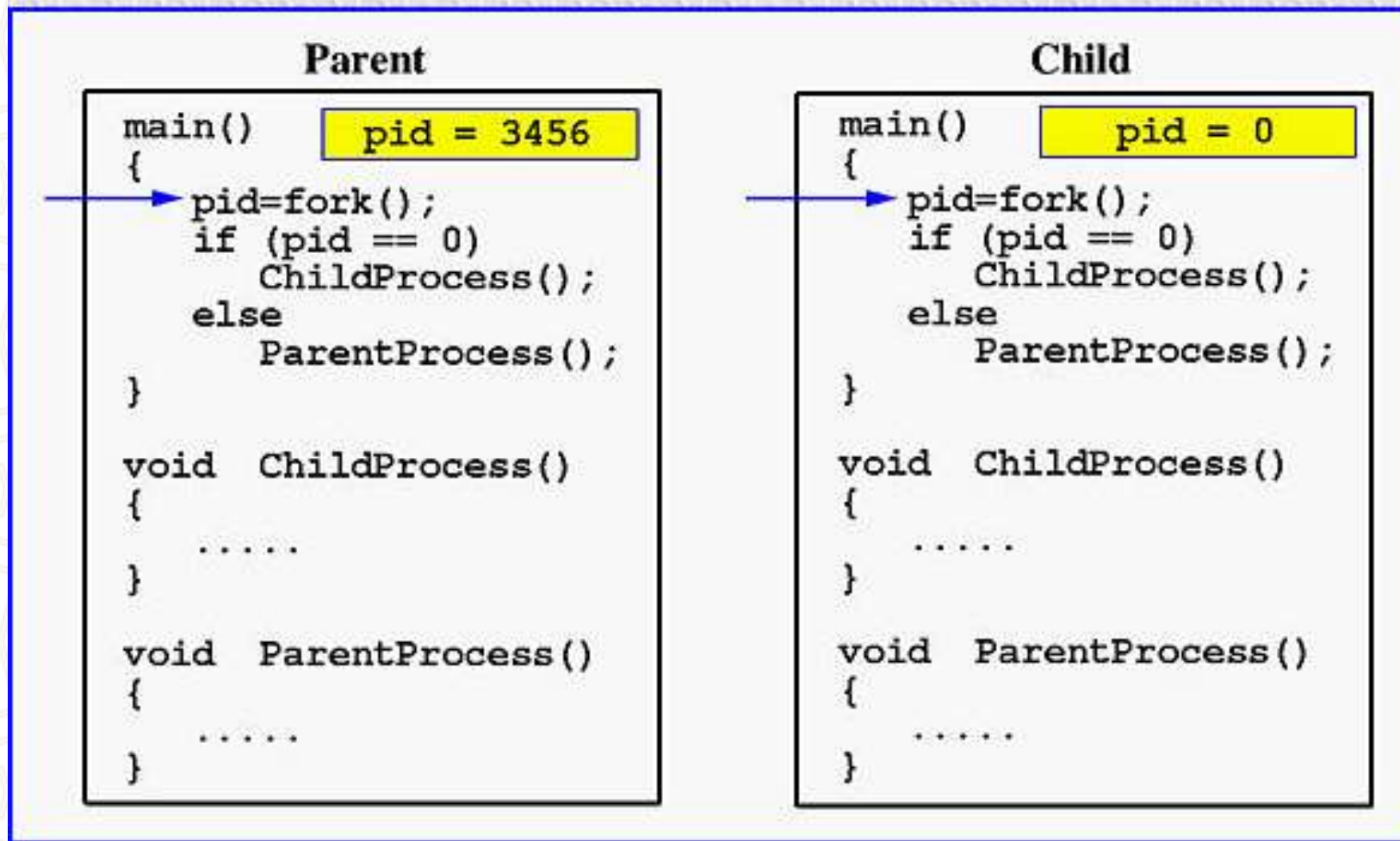
```
process id: 2703 - parent process id: 2512
process id: 2703 - result : 2704 - parent process id: 2512
process id: 2704 - result : 0 - parent process id: 2703
```



# Process Differentiation

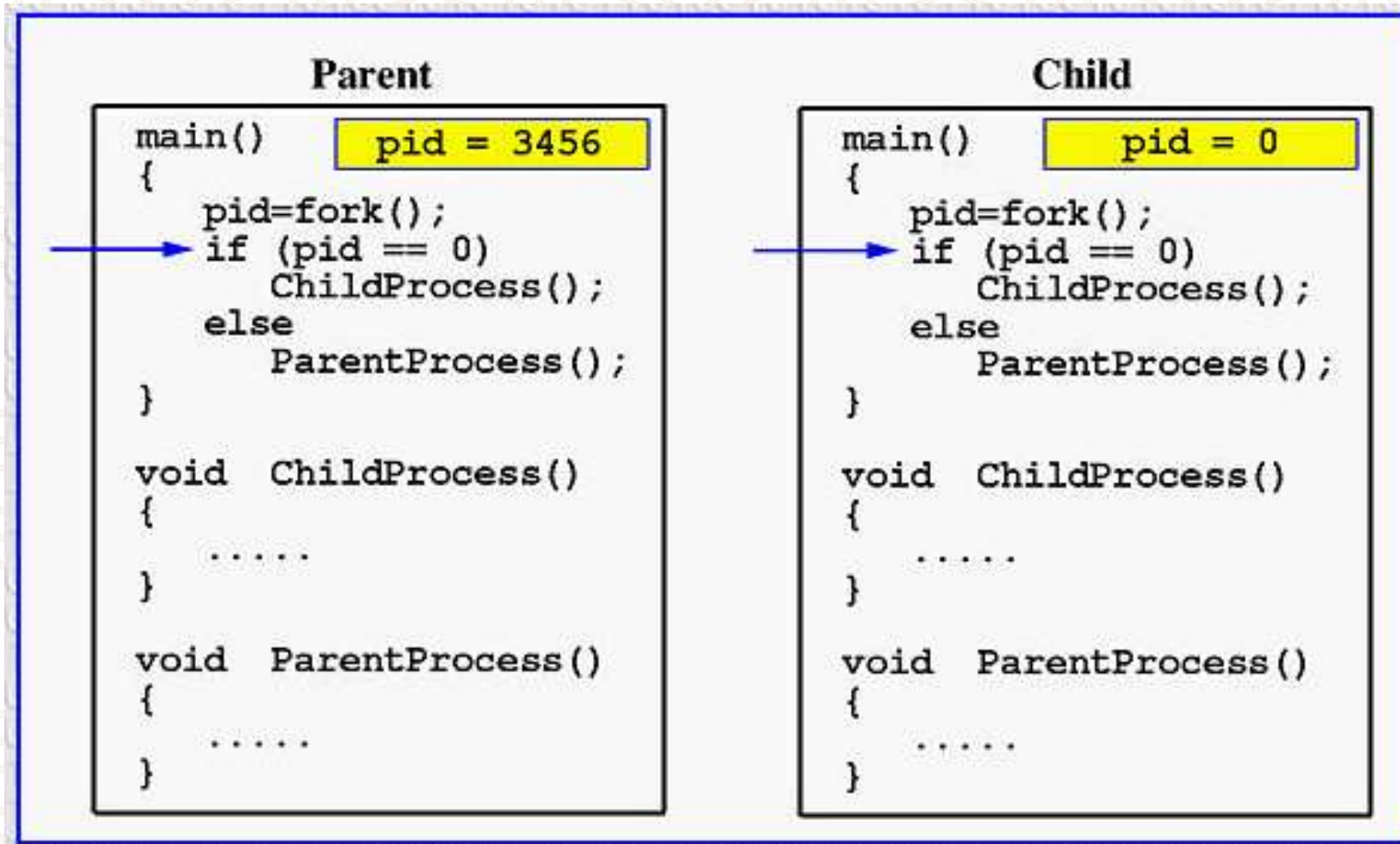
- **identical?** not what we had in mind!
- more useful if child does different stuff
- can we give it **different** behaviour?
  - in the form of source code
  - in the form of an existing binary executable
    - exec() family of functions

# Process Differentiation

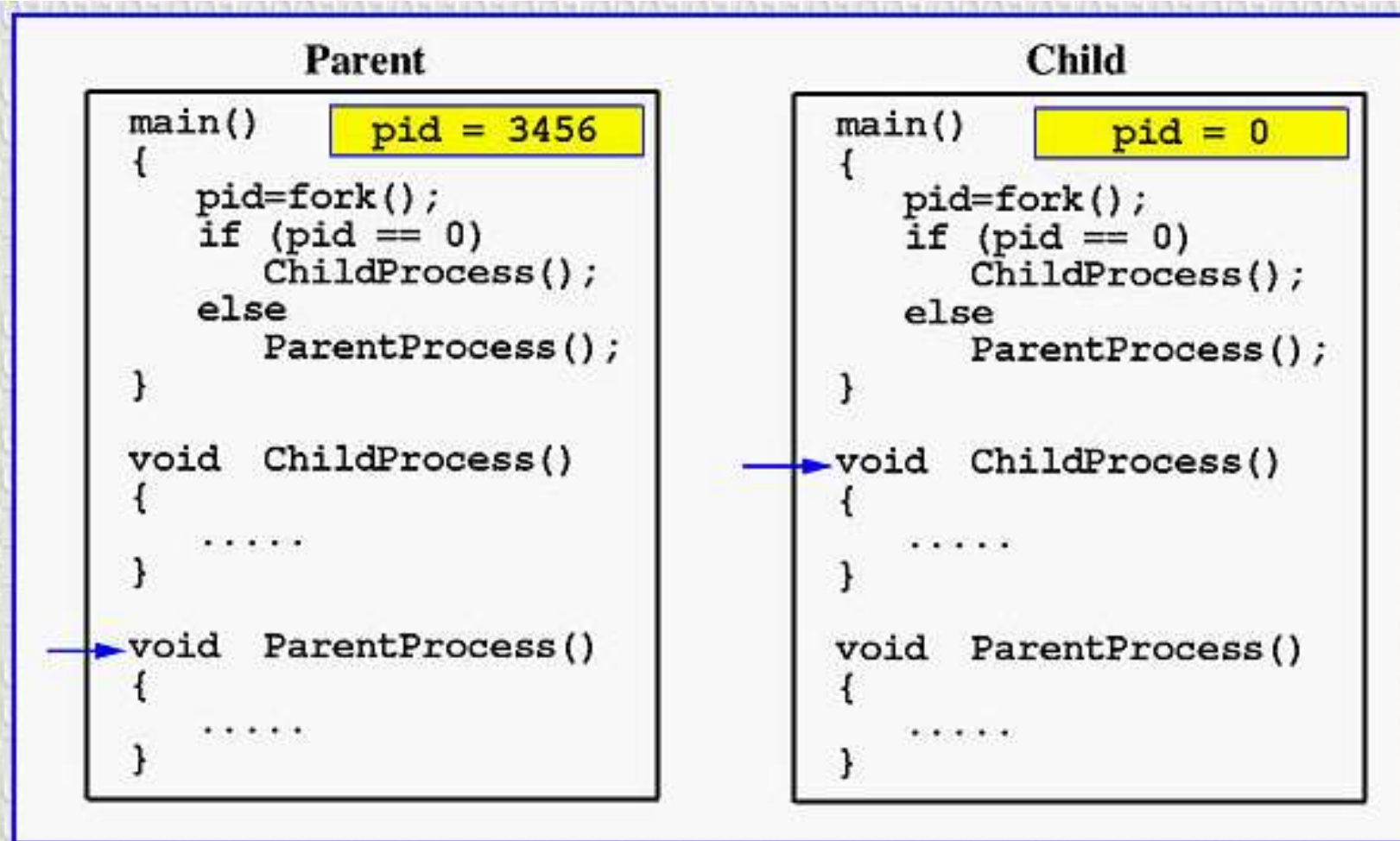




# Process Differentiation



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# Process Differentiation by source code

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main ( void ) {

    printf("(%i) Parent does something...\n", getpid());

    if(fork()) { // Parent
        printf("(%i) Parent do completely different stuff\n",getpid());
    } else {    // Child
        printf("(%i) Child can do some stuff\n",getpid());
    }

    exit(0);
}
```

- Ex\_3\_fork3.c

```
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lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ ./Fork3
(2767) Parent does something...
(2767) Parent do completely different stuff
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ (2768) Child can do some stuff
```

# Fork Practice Question

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main()
{
    if (fork()) {
        if (!fork()) {
            fork();
            printf("1 ");
        }
        else {
            printf("2 ");
        }
    }
    else {
        printf("3 ");
    }
    printf("4 ");
    return 0;
}
```

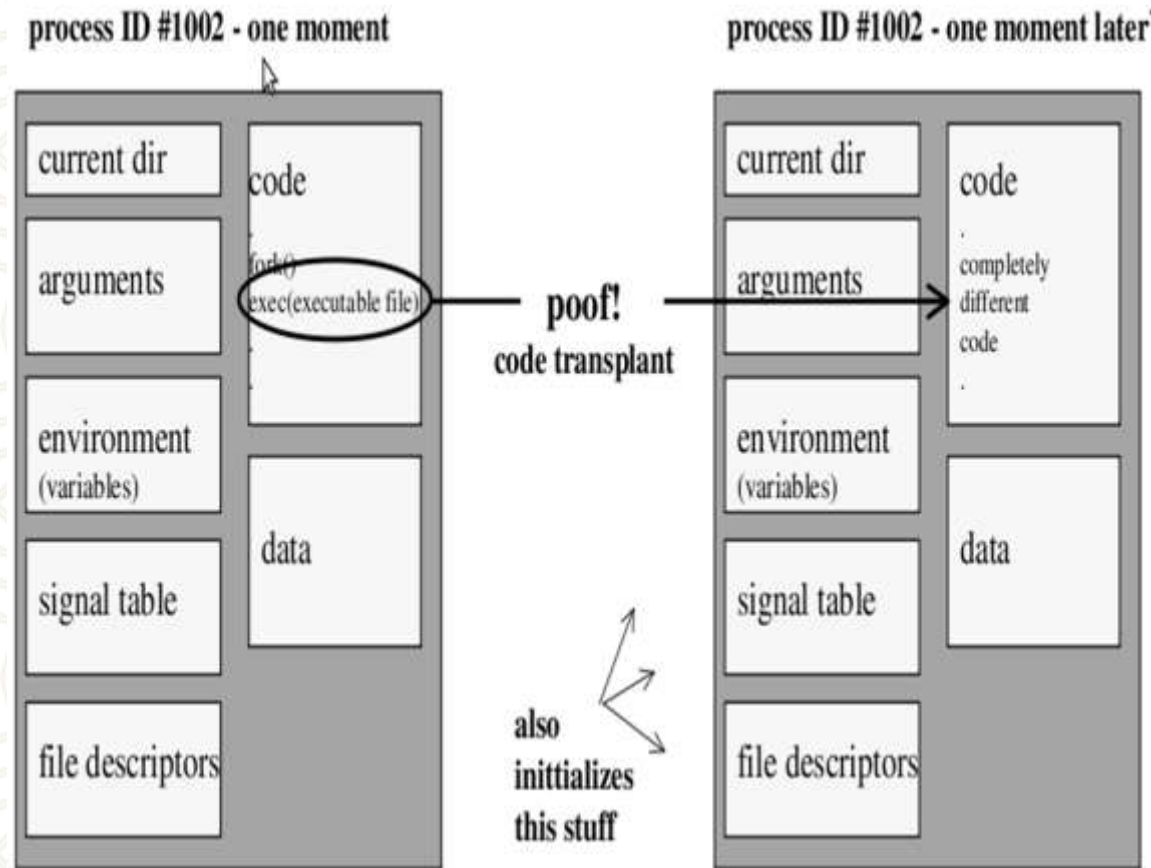
- Ex\_4\_fork4.c



# Output

```
2  
4  
3  
4  
1  
4  
1  
4
```

# Process Differentiation by **exec()** function





# Process Differentiation by **exec()** function

- **exec()** family of functions

- int **execl** (const char \*pathname, const char \*arg0, ... );
- int **execv** (const char \*pathname, char \*const argv[]);
- int **execle** (const char \*pathname, const char \*arg0, ..., 0, char \*const envp[]);
- int **execlp** (const char \*filename, const char \*arg0, ... );
- int **execvp** (const char \*filename, char \*const argv[]);
- int **execve** (const char \*pathname, char \*const argv[], char \*const envp[]);



# A Simple exec() Example

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main ( void ) {

    printf("Parent does stuff and then calls fork...\n");

    if(fork()) { // Parent
        printf("... parent do something completely different\n");
    } else {    // Child
        printf("Child runs an executable...\n");
        execl("/bin/ls", "/bin/ls", "-l", "/etc/apache2/conf.d/", NULL);
    }

    exit(0);
}
```

- **Ex\_5\_exec.c**

```
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ ./Exec
Parent does stuff and then calls fork...
... parent do something completely different
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ Child runs an executable...
/bin/ls: cannot access /etc/apache2/conf.d/: No such file or directory
█
```



# Process Termination

- **void exit** (int status);
  - exits a process
  - normally return with status 0
- **int atexit** (void (\*function)(void) );
  - registers function to be executed on exit
- **int wait** (int \*child\_status)
  - suspends current process until one of its children terminates



# exit() vs return

- **return**
  - is an instruction of the language that returns from a function call.
- **exit**
  - is a system call (not a language statement) that terminates the current process.



# atexit() example

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>

void parentCleaner ( void );

int main ( void ) {

    if(fork()) { // parent process
        atexit(parentCleaner);
        printf("this is parent %i\n",getpid());
    } else {    // child process
        printf("this is child %i\n",getpid());
    }
    exit(0);
}

void parentCleaner ( void ) {

    printf("cleaning up parent...\n");

}
```

```
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lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ ./Exit1
this is parent 3262
cleaning up parent...
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ this is child 3263
```

- registers a function to clean up resource at process termination

• **Ex\_6\_atexit.c**



# Zombie Process

- When process terminates, still consumes system resources
  - Various tables maintained by OS
  - Called a zombie; living corpse, half alive, half dead
- **Reaping**
  - Performed by parent on terminated child
  - Parent is given exit status information
  - Kernel discards process
- What if parent does not reap ?
  - if any parent terminates without reaping a child, then child will be reaped by **“init”** process
  - so, only need explicit reaping in long-running processes



# Zombie example

## non-terminating parent

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main ( void ) {

    if(fork()) { // Parent
        printf("Running parent, pid : %i\n",getpid());
        while(1);
    } else { // Child
        printf("Terminating child, pid : %i\n", getpid());
        exit(0);
    }

    exit (0);
}
```

```
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ ps -ef | grep Zombie
lucid      3380   2182  71  03:42 pts/0      00:00:21 ./Zombie1
lucid      3381   3380   0  03:42 pts/0      00:00:00 [Zombie1] <defunct>
lucid      3402   3382   0  03:43 pts/1      00:00:00 grep --color=auto Zombie
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$
```

- **Ex\_8\_zombie1.c**

# Zombie example

## non-terminating child

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main ( void ) {

    if(fork()) { // Parent
        printf("Running parent, pid : %i\n",getpid());
        exit(0);
    } else { // Child
        printf("Terminating child, pid : %i\n", getpid());
        while(1);
    }

    exit (0);
}
```

```
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ ps -ef | grep Zombie
lucid      3467      1 77 03:45 pts/0    00:00:29 ./Zombie2
lucid      3473    3382  0 03:46 pts/1    00:00:00 grep --color=auto Zombie
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$
```

- Ex\_9\_zombie2.c



# Synchronizing with child

- `int wait(int *child_status)`
  - suspends current process until one of its children terminates
  - return value is the pid of the child process that terminated
  - If the child has already terminated, then wait returns its pid immediately
  - If `child_status != NULL`, then the object it points to will be set to a status indicating why the child process terminated

# wait() Example

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/wait.h>

#define numOfChlds 5
int main ( void ) {

    int i;
    int child_status;
    pid_t pid[numOfChlds];
    pid_t wpid;

    for (i = 0; i < numOfChlds; i++) {
        if ((pid[i] = fork()) == 0) {
            exit(100+i);          // create & exit child
        }
    }

    for (i = 0; i < numOfChlds; i++) {
        wpid = wait(&child_status);    // wait for child
        if (WIFEXITED(child_status)) { // check exit status
            printf("Child %d terminated with exit status %d\n",
                wpid, WEXITSTATUS(child_status));
        } else {
            printf("Child %d terminate abnormally\n", wpid);
        }
    }
    exit(0);
}
```

```
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ ./Wait1
Child 3630 terminated with exit status 100
Child 3631 terminated with exit status 101
Child 3633 terminated with exit status 103
Child 3634 terminated with exit status 104
Child 3632 terminated with exit status 102
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$
```

- Ex\_10\_wait1.c



# wait() Example

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/wait.h>

#define numOfChlds 5
int main ( void ) {

    int i;
    int child_status;
    pid_t pid[numOfChlds];
    pid_t wpid;

    for (i = 0; i < numOfChlds; i++) {
        if ((pid[i] = fork()) == 0) {
            exit(100+i);          // create & exit child
        }
    }

    for (i = 0; i < numOfChlds+1; i++) {
        wpid = wait(&child_status);    // wait for child
        if (WIFEXITED(child_status)) { // check exit status
            printf("Child %d terminated with exit status %d\n",
                wpid, WEXITSTATUS(child_status));
        } else {
            printf("Child %d terminate abnormally\n", wpid);
        }
    }
    exit(0);
}
```

```
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$ ./Wait2
Child 3656 terminated with exit status 101
Child 3657 terminated with exit status 102
Child 3658 terminated with exit status 103
Child 3659 terminated with exit status 104
Child 3655 terminated with exit status 100
Child -1 terminated with exit status 100
lucid@ubuntu:~/Downloads$
```

- Ex\_11\_wait2.c

# kill() Example

```
1#include <stdio.h>
2#include <stdlib.h>
3#include <unistd.h>
4#include <signal.h>
5#include <sys/types.h>
6
7void childProcess() {
8    printf("Child process (PID: %d) is running.\n", getpid());
9    sleep(2); // Child process 2 saniye uyusun
10   printf("Child process (PID: %d) has finished.\n", getpid());
11}
12
13int main() {
14    pid_t childPid;
15
16    // Child process oluşturun
17    if ((childPid = fork()) == 0) {
18        // Child process
19        childProcess();
20    } else if (childPid > 0) {
21        // Parent process
22        printf("Parent process (PID: %d) created child process (PID: %d).\n", getpid(), childPid);
23
24        // Parent, child process'i öldür
25        sleep(2); // Ölmeyen önce biraz bekleyelim
26        if (kill(childPid, SIGTERM) == 0) {
27            printf("Parent process killed child process (PID: %d).\n", childPid);
28        } else {
29            perror("kill");
30        }
31    } else {
32        perror("fork");
33        exit(1);
34    }
35
36    return 0;
}
```

Parent process (PID: 5033) created child process (PID: 5034).  
Child process (PID: 5034) is running.  
Child process (PID: 5034) has finished.  
Parent process killed child process (PID: 5034).

• **Ex\_12\_kill.c**



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