



Operating Systems CMPSC 473

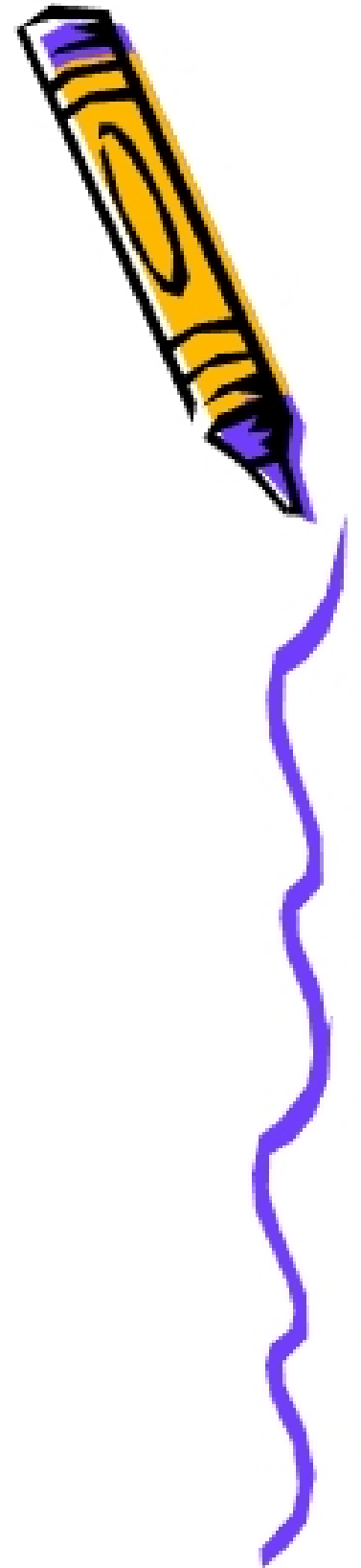
Input/Output

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- Last class:
 - File System Implementation
- Today:
 - I/O



OS role in I/O

- Share the same device across different processes/users
- User does not see the details of how hardware works
- Device-independent interface to provide uniformity across devices.

