

Introduction to Information Systems

- Understanding the digital world

7 Operating System and Software Systems

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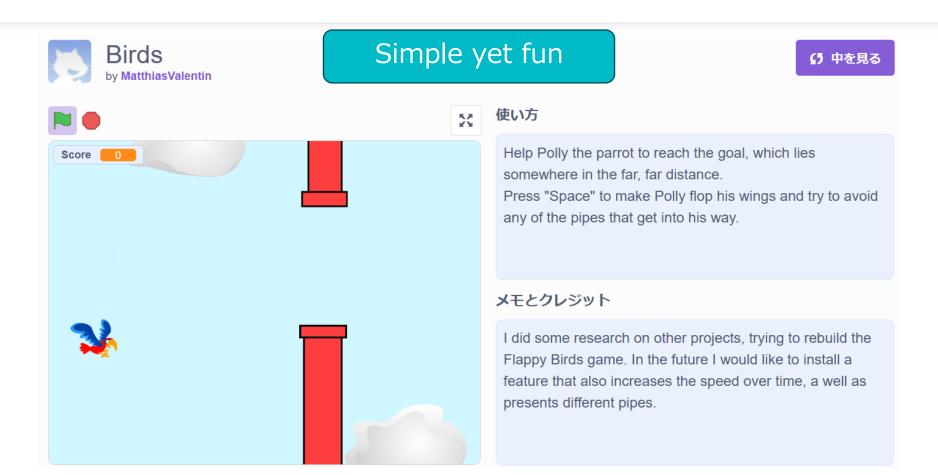
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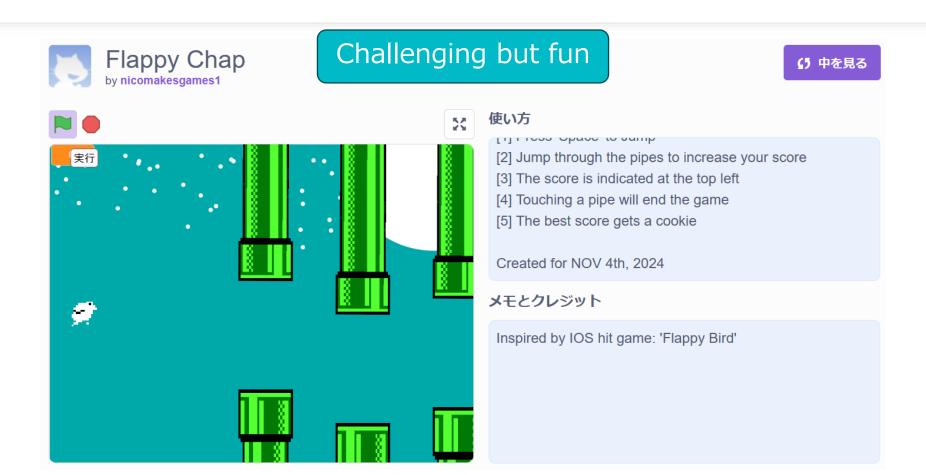
- Review of the Scratch game (10')
- BIOS (5')
- Operating System & Software (55')
- Mini test (15')
- Information and homework (5')

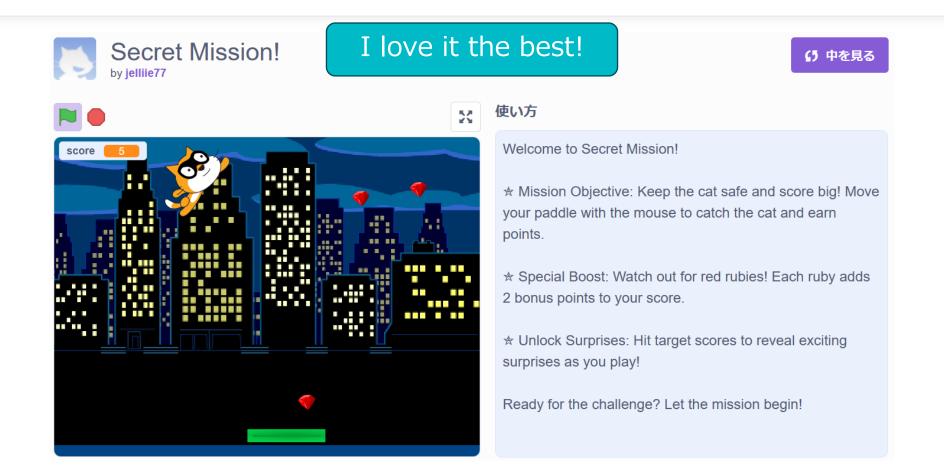
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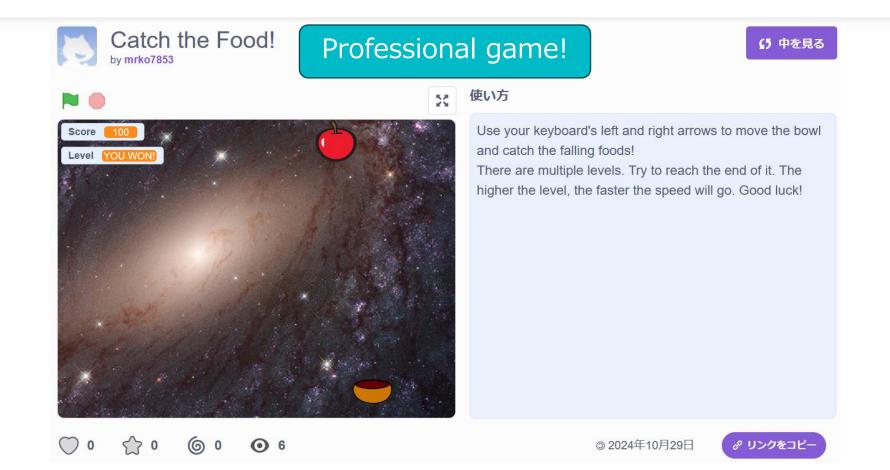
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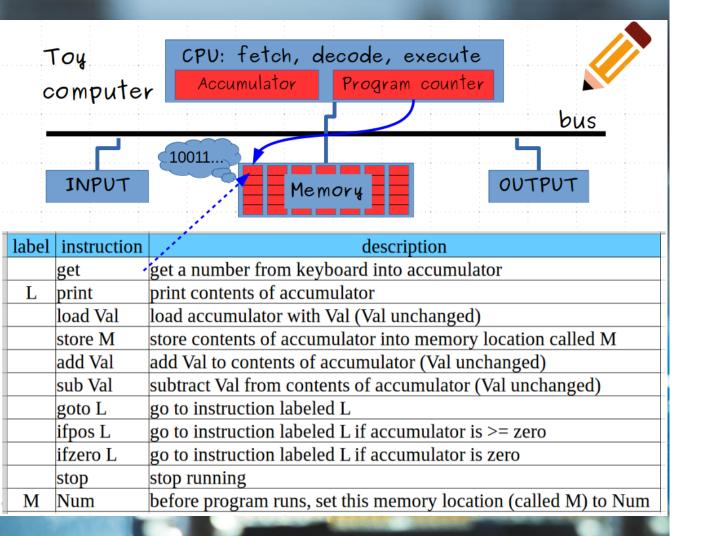
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BIOS

- Basic Input/Output System (BIOS):
 firmware used to perform hardware
 initialization during the booting
 process (power-on startup), and to
 provide runtime services for
 operating systems and programs.
 (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/BIOS)
- In short, the firmware that connects hardware and software.
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=
 DIR2ttrvbdl (6', optional)

OS (Operating System)

With OS, we don't need to write millions of lines of code by ourselves in order to use a computer.

CPU (task management)

Disk (HDD, SSD, etc) and file

RAM (memory)

Devices (monitor, keyboard, mice, printer, etc)

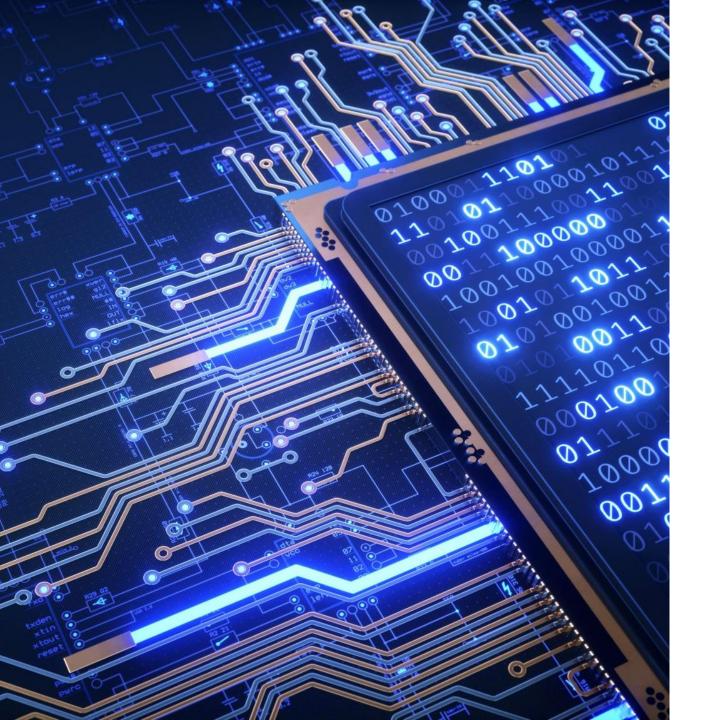


Memory (RAM) management

Loads programs and data into memory.

Swaps them to disk when memory is low.

Protects the programs from interfering.



CPU (task management)

Single-task (DOS, etc)

Multi-task (Unix/Linux, Windows, Mac OS, etc)

Crash course -> Computer Science #18 (14')
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=26QPDBe-NB8



Disk and file management

- File System (FAT, FAT32, NTFS, ext4, APFS, etc)
- Directory (folder): special container file
- Executable files (Word, Photoshop, etc)
- Documents (txt, doc, jpg, mp3, html, etc)
- System files (lib, sys, etc)
- Extension distinguishes types: doc/docx ->
 Word document, jpg -> JPEG file (editable by
 Photoshop etc), exe -> executable file, ...

Crash Course -> Computer Science #20 (12')

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KN8YgJnShPM

Comment of "path" and location of a file



Absolution path: e.g., **C:\Users\U**



Relative path: path that is related to the **working directory** (W.D., directory where we are working with). E.g., if W.D. is **C:¥Users¥liang**, then **Desktop¥book.docx** means **C:¥Users¥liang¥Desktop¥book.docx**.





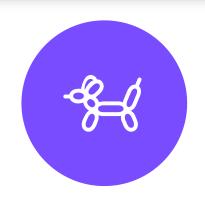
Shell

User <-> OS interface software

Crash course -> Computer Science 22 (11')

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4RPtJ9UyHS0

Homework



WATCH VIDEOS

Watch the movies mentioned so far if you have not (You are not expected to understand everything)



READ CHAPTERS 1-6 (IF YOU HAVE NOT)

Appendix: Advanced topics



Device driver: program for a special hardware. Ex: printer drivers provide detailed control (two-sided printing, etc).



System call: function provided by the OS to apps. Ex: input, drawing on the display (DirectX, OpenGL), network function, etc.



Memory management: Crash
Course -> Computer Science #19
https://www.youtube.com/watc
h?v=TQCr9RV7twk



Other Oses: Linux, FreeBSD, Android, etc