

## PROBLEM IN FOLLOWING C PROGRAM

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main(int argc, char **argv)
{
    printf("Hello World\n");
    return 0;
}
```

- hello.c:5: warning: implicit declaration of function 'printf'
- This introduces some interesting questions:
  - Where is the file `stdio.h` located, and how is it found?
  - Where is the `printf()` function object code stored on your system, and how is this reference resolved in the binary executable?

- **HOST SYSTEM REQUIREMENT**
- Cross toolchain and libraries
- Target system packages, including programs, utilities, and libraries
- Host tools such as editors, debuggers, and utilities
- Servers for hosting your target board, as covered in the next section

- `sudo apt-get install tftpd-hpa`

## **TFTP Configuration**

- `#Defaults for tftpd-hpa`
- `RUN_DAEMON="yes"`
- `OPTIONS="-l -c -s /tftpboot"`

# HOSTING TARGET BOARDS

- `sudo /etc/init.d/tftpd-hpa restart`
- `/etc/init.d/dhcpd start`
- `/etc/init.d/nfs start`

# A Universal Bootloader: Das U-Boot

- The official name for this bootloader is Das U-Boot.
- It is maintained by Wolfgang Denk and hosted on SourceForge at <http://u-boot.sourceforge.net/>.
- U-Boot has support for multiple architectures and has a large following of embedded developers and hardware manufacturers who have adopted it for use in their projects and have contributed to its development.

# System Configuration: U-Boot

- When configuring U-Boot for one of its supported platforms, issue this command:  
**\$ make <platform>\_config**
- These platform-configuration targets are listed in the top level U-Boot makefile.
- For example, to configure for the Spectrum Digital OSK, which contains a TI OMAP 5912 processor, issue this command:  
**\$ make omap5912osk\_config**

# U-Boot Command Sets

- **Command Set Commands**
- CFG\_CMD\_FLASH : Flash memory commands
- CFG\_CMD\_MEMORY : Memory dump, fill, copy, compare, and
- so on
- CFG\_CMD\_DHCP : DHCP Support
- CFG\_CMD\_PING : Ping support
- CFG\_CMD\_EXT2 : EXT2 File system support

# Network Operations

- BOOTP (Bootstrap Protocol) and DHCP(Dynamic Host Control Protocol) are protocols that enable a target device with an Ethernet port to obtain an IP address and other network-related configuration information from a central server.
- TFTP(Trivial File Transfer Protocol) allows the target device to download files (such as a Linux kernel image) from a TFTP server.



# DHCP Target Specification on DHCP server

- host coyote {
- hardware ethernet 00:0e:0c:00:82:f8;
- netmask 255.255.255.0;
- fixed-address 192.168.1.21;
- server-name 192.168.1.9;
- filename "coyote-zImage";
- option root-path "/home/chris/sandbox/coyote-target";
- }
- ...
- //This example is from Fedora DHCP implementation

# DHCP Target Parameters

| DHCP Target Parameter | Purpose                   | Comments  |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|---|
| host                  | Hostname                  | Symbolic label from DHCP configuration file   |
| hardware ethernet     | Ethernet hardware address | Low-level Ethernet hardware address of the target's Ethernet interface                                  |
| fixed-address         | Target IP address         | The IP address that the target will assume  |
| netmask               | Target netmask            | The IP netmask that the target will assume  |
| server-name           | server-name               | The IP address to which the target will direct requests for file transfers, root file system, and so on |
| filename              | TFTP filename             | The filename that the bootloader can use to boot a secondary image (usually a Linux kernel)             |

# Storage Subsystems

- Many boot loaders support the capability of booting images from a variety of nonvolatile storage devices in addition to the usual Flash memory.
- U-Boot can load an image from a specified raw partition or from a partition with a file system structure.
- The board must have a supported hardware device (an IDE subsystem) and Uboot must be so configured.
- Adding `CFG_CMD_IDE` to the board-specific configuration file enables support for an IDE interface.
- Adding `CFG_CMD_BOOTD` enables support for booting from a raw partition.

# Booting from Disk: U-Boot

- U-Boot supports several methods for booting a kernel image from a disk subsystem
  - => **diskboot 0x400000 0:0**
- The 0:0 in this example specifies the device and partition.
- In this simple example, U-Boot performs a raw binary load of the image found on the first IDE device (IDE device 0) from the first partition found on this device.
- The image is loaded into system memory at physical address 0x400000.
- After the kernel image has been loaded into memory, the U-Boot bootm command (boot from memory) is used to boot the kernel:
  - => **bootm 0x400000**