

Lab Report

Objective

- The 5.3.1.5 lab is aimed at exploring the peculiarities of the Task Manager and managing the Task Manager processes.
- The 5.3.1.7 lab is aimed at the peculiarities of the Task Manager and managing the Task Manager processes.
- The In 5.3.2.5 lab is aimed at learning how to create Windows XP Professional user accounts.

Procedures

The equipment required for the lab 5.3.1.5 is a computer with installed Windows 7. During the lab we learnt how to use the Windows Task Manager in order to switch to the browser, how a new task can be added and what the procedure of ending up is. We got to know the statuses of each service from the Windows task Manager, i.e. stopped or running. Furthermore, we got aware of the preferences that show System, Physical Memory and Kernel Memory. The task manager displays the network link speed. In addition, we know that it is possible to see the statuses of the displayed users. Finally, we learnt how to log off.

We used “show process all users” among the clickable processes in Task Manager and saw all of them. We also tried changing the task manager mode into compact and changed the order from descending to ascending and visa versa. Having located the Internet Explorer, we learnt how to change the normal priority to the above normal one. I was supposed also to select the columns; however, my version did not support that function.

The equipment required for the lab 5.3.1.7 is a computer with installed Windows XP Professional. This lab provided for the same procedures as it was at our work during the lab 5.3.1.5 with Windows 7. The final stage was performed in Windows XP. Performing the final stage, we changed the priority for above normal and then we selected the appropriate

columns (User Name, Base Priority, CPU Usage, and Memory Usage). Having selected the base priority, we saw the notification of “System Idle Process” or n/a.

The equipment required for the lab 5.3.2.5 is a computer with installed Windows XP Professional. Our first step was logging on to the computer using the account of the Administrator. Afterwards, the control panel was located and the icon of user accounts was accessed. It was possible to create a new account in the user accounts. We could choose any name and the type of account (computer administration or limited). We learnt the consequences of limiting the account related to viewing the created files, viewing the shared files, the change of password, theme, picture, and other settings of the desktop. Thus, we created new accounts and got to know how to implement changes related to the account type, name, passwords, and pictures. Finally, we learnt how to delete the account and make it disappear.