OS LAB MANUAL (CS23431)

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PRODUCER CONSUMER USING SEMAPHORES

Aim: To write a C program to do Inter Process Communication (IPC) using shared memory between sender process and receiver process

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Program:
#include<stdio.h>
#include<stdlib.h>
int mutex = 1, full = 0, empty = 3, x = 0;
int wait(int s) {
  return (--s);
int signal(int s) {
  return (++s);
void producer() {
  mutex = wait(mutex);
  full = signal(full);
  empty = wait(empty);
  χ++;
  printf("\nProducer produces item %d", x);
  mutex = signal(mutex);
void consumer() {
  mutex = wait(mutex);
  full = wait(full);
  empty = signal(empty);
  printf("\nConsumer consumes item %d", x);
  X--;
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mutex = signal(mutex);
}
int main() {
  int n;
  printf("\n1.Producer\n2.Consumer\n3.Exit");
  while(1) {
    printf("\nEnter your choice: ");
    scanf("%d", &n);
    switch(n) {
      case 1:
         if ((mutex == 1) && (empty != 0))
           producer();
         else
           printf("Buffer is full!!");
         break;
      case 2:
         if ((mutex == 1) && (full != 0))
           consumer();
         else
           printf("Buffer is empty!!");
         break;
      case 3:
         exit(0);
      default:
         printf("Invalid choice!");
    }
  }
  return 0;
}
```

Input:

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praveen@LAPTOP-Q0D806DB:~$ gcc producerconsumer.c
praveen@LAPTOP-Q0D806DB:~$ ./a.out

1.Producer
2.Consumer
3.Exit
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Output:

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praveen@LAPTOP-Q0D806DB:~$ gcc producerconsumer.c
praveen@LAPTOP-00D806DB:~$ ./a.out
1.Producer
2.Consumer
3.Exit
Enter your choice:1
Producer produces the item 1
Enter your choice:2
Consumer consumes item 1
Enter your choice:1
Producer produces the item 1
Enter your choice:1
Producer produces the item 2
Enter your choice:2
Consumer consumes item 2
Enter your choice:2
Consumer consumes item 1
Enter your choice:2
Buffer is empty!!
```