

Practical - 5

Aim : Write the following programs using inter process communication – shared memory.

The program ‘writer.c’ will print 1 to 100 in shared memory region. Another program ‘reader.c’ that will read all the numbers from shared memory to make addition of it and display it.

writer.c :

```
#include<bits/stdc++.h>
#include<sys/types.h>
#include<stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <time.h>
#include<sys/ipc.h>
#include<sys/shm.h>

int main(){
    // key_t somekey;
    // somekey = 12345;
    key_t k = ftok("./", 'x');
    // printf("%d\n", somekey);
    printf("generated key : %d\n", k);
    int shm_id = shmget(k, 100*sizeof(int), IPC_CREAT | 0666);
    if(shm_id == -1){
        printf("Error in shmget!!!\n");
    }
    printf("shared area key : %d\n", shm_id);
    int *shm_ptr = (int*)shmat(shm_id, NULL, 0);
    if(shm_ptr == (int*) -1){
        printf("Error in shmat!!!\n");
    }
    int *s = shm_ptr;
    for(int i = 1 ; i <= 100 ; i++){
        *s++ = i;
    }
    while(*shm_ptr != '*'){
        sleep(1);
    }
    printf("End!!!\n");
    shmdt(shm_ptr);
    return 0;
}
```

reader.c :

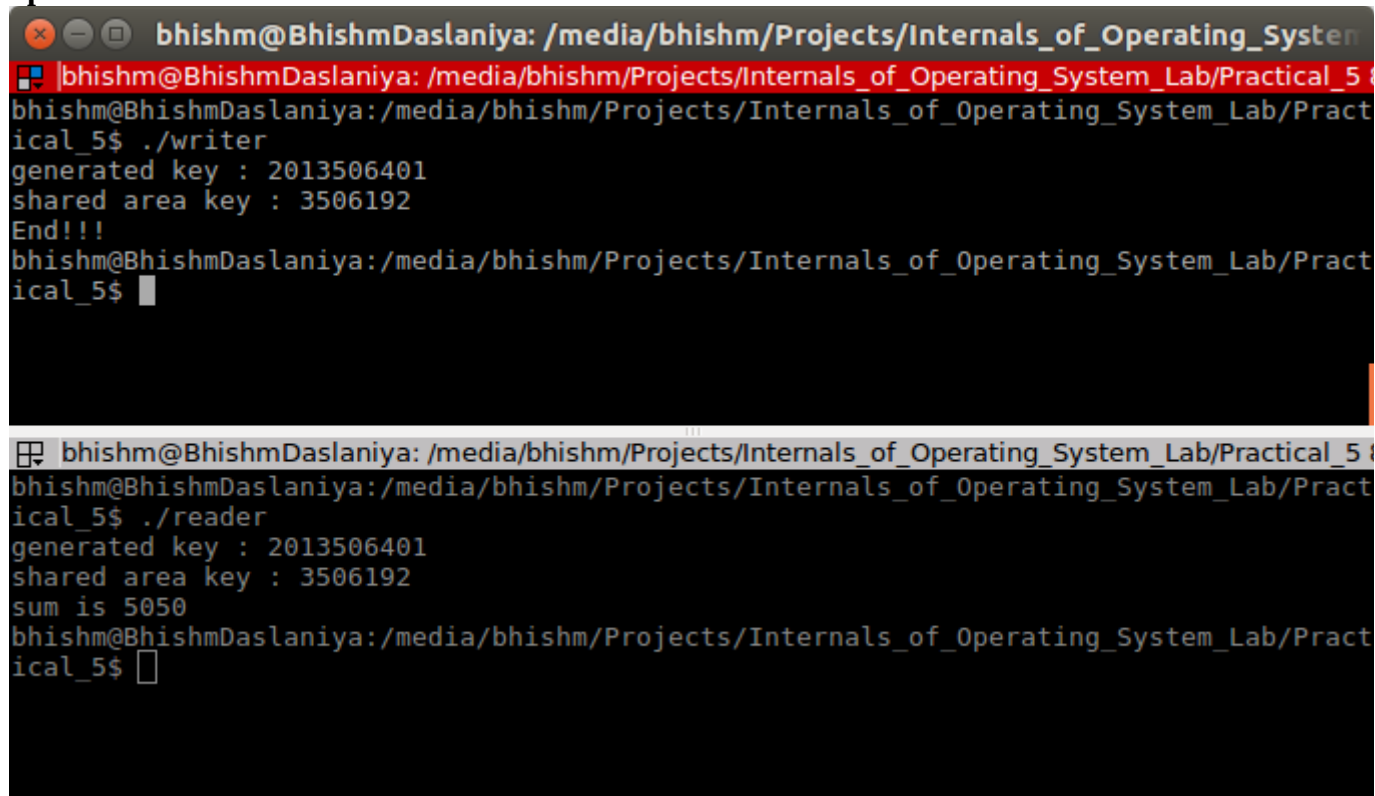
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#include<bits/stdc++.h>
#include<stdlib.h>
#include<sys/types.h>
#include<sys/ipc.h>
#include<sys/shm.h>
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if (shm_id == -1) {
    printf("Error in shmget!!!\n");
}
printf("shared area key : %d\n", shm_id);
int *shm_ptr = (int *)shmat(shm_id, NULL, 0);
if (shm_ptr == (int *) -1) {
    printf("Error in shmat!!!\n");
}
int a[100];
int sum = 0;
int *s;
s = shm_ptr;
for (int i = 0; i < 100; i++) {
    a[i] = *s++;
    sum += a[i];
}
printf("sum is %d\n", sum);
*shm_ptr = '*';
shmdt(shm_ptr);
shmctl(shm_id, IPC_RMID, NULL);
return 0;
}

```

Output:


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bhishm@BhishmDaslaniya: /media/bhishm/Projects/Internals_of_Operating_System_Lab/Practical_5$ ./writer
generated key : 2013506401
shared area key : 3506192
End!!!
bhishm@BhishmDaslaniya: /media/bhishm/Projects/Internals_of_Operating_System_Lab/Practical_5$

bhishm@BhishmDaslaniya: /media/bhishm/Projects/Internals_of_Operating_System_Lab/Practical_5$ ./reader
generated key : 2013506401
shared area key : 3506192
sum is 5050
bhishm@BhishmDaslaniya: /media/bhishm/Projects/Internals_of_Operating_System_Lab/Practical_5$

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Assignment: Solve above issue using pipe().

Code:

```
#include<bits/stdc++.h>
#include<unistd.h>
using namespace std;

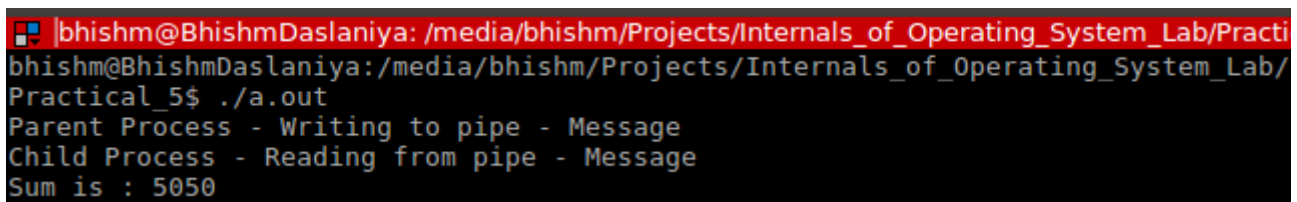
int main() {
    int pipefds[2],status,pid,sum = 0;
    int count=101,writeArray[101] = {0},readArray[101] = {0};
    for(int i=1;i<=100;i++){
        writeArray[i]=i;
    }
    status = pipe(pipefds);
    if (status == -1) {
        perror("Error in creating pipe\n");
        return 1;
    }
    pid = fork();

    // Child process
    if (pid != 0) {
        printf("Parent Process - Writing to pipe - Message \n");
        write(pipefds[1], writeArray, (count*sizeof(int)));

    } else { //Parent process

        read(pipefds[0], readArray, (count*sizeof(int)));
        printf("Child Process - Reading from pipe - Message\n");
        for(int i=1;i<=100;i++){
            sum+=readArray[i];
        }
        printf("Sum is : %d\n",sum);
    }
    return 0;
}
```

Output:



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bhishm@BhishmDaslaniya:/media/bhishm/Projects/Internals_of_Operating_System_Lab/
Practical_5$ ./a.out
Parent Process - Writing to pipe - Message
Child Process - Reading from pipe - Message
Sum is : 5050

```

Conclusion: From this practical I have learnt about Interprocess communication and also learnt about how to use shared resources in program.