# EX –7 IPC USING SHARED MEMORY

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### **Program:**

```
Sender.c
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <sys/ipc.h>
#include <sys/shm.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#define SHM_SIZE 1024
int main() {
  key_t key = ftok("shmfile", 65);
  int shmid = shmget(key, SHM_SIZE, 0666 | IPC_CREAT);
  if (shmid == -1) {
     perror("shmget failed");
     exit(1);
  char *str = (char *)shmat(shmid, (void *)0, 0);
  if (str == (char *)-1) {
    perror("shmat failed");
     exit(1);
  }
  sprintf(str, "Welcome to Shared Memory");
  printf("Message Sent: %s\n", str);
  sleep(10);
  shmdt(str);
  return 0;
}
```

#### Receiver.c

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <sys/ipc.h>
#include <sys/shm.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#define SHM_SIZE 1024 // Define the size of the shared memory
int main() {
  key t \text{ key} = \text{ftok}("\text{shmfile}", 65);
  int shmid = shmget(key, SHM_SIZE, 0666);
  if (shmid == -1) {
     perror("shmget failed");
     exit(1);
  }
  char *str = (char *)shmat(shmid, (void *)0, 0);
  if (str == (char *)-1) {
     perror("shmat failed");
     exit(1);
  }
  printf("Message Received: %s\n", str);
  shmdt(str);
  shmctl(shmid, IPC RMID, NULL);
  return 0;
}
```

## **Output:**

#### Sender:

```
-bash-4.4$ vi sender.c

-bash-4.4$ gcc sender.c

-bash-4.4$ ./a.out

Message Sent: Welcome to Shared Memory
```

## **Receiver:**

```
-bash-4.4$ vi receiver.c
-bash-4.4$ gcc receiver.c
-bash-4.4$ ./a.out
Message Received: Welcome to Shared Memory
```