Concurrent Quicksort

In this question i do the normal quicksort, the concurrent quicksort (with shared memory) and the threaded quicksort.

Functions:

-->>partition function:

It fixes the pivot as the rightmost element and then places smaller elements than the pivot to the left of the pivot and greater elements to the right;

-->>concurrent_qsort function:

It first sets the pivot by calling the pivot function and then create two processes and then recursively sorts the left part and the left part in the two different processes using the same shared

memory;

```
void concurrent qsort(int *arr, int l, int r){
    if(l>r) _exit(1);
    if(r-l+1<5){
        for(int i=l;i<r;i++){
            int j=i+1;
            for(;j<=r;j++)
                if(arr[j]<arr[i] && j<=r) {
                    int temp = arr[i];
                    arr[i] = arr[j];
                    arr[j] = temp;
        return;
   int piv=pivot partition(arr, l, r);
    int pid1 = fork();
    int pid2;
    if(pid1==0){
        concurrent qsort(arr, l, piv-1);
        exit(1);
    else{
        pid2 = fork();
        if(pid2==0){
            concurrent qsort(arr,piv+1,r);
            exit(1);
        else{
            int status;
            waitpid(pid1, &status, 0);
```

-->>threaded_quicksort In this function first I create a struct a1 and a2 which contains the left and the right index of the two subarrays to consider and the array and then sort both parts of the array in separate threads;

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void *threaded qsort(void* a){
    struct arg *args = (struct arg*) a;
   int l = args->l;
   int r = args->r;
   int *arr = args->arr;
    if(l>r) return NULL;
    if(r-l+1<5){
        int a[5], mi=INT_MAX, mid=-1;
        for(int i=l;i<r;i++){
            int j=i+1;
            for(;j<=r;j++)
                if(arr[j]<arr[i] && j<=r)
                    int temp = arr[i];
                    arr[i] = arr[j];
                    arr[j] = temp;
        return NULL;
   int piv= pivot partition(arr,l,r);
    struct arg al;
   a1.l = l;
   a1.r = piv-1;
    al.arr = arr;
    pt'--//sort rignt nait array
        struct arg a2;
        a2.l = piv+1;
        a2.r = r;
        a2.arr = arr;
        pthread t tid2;
        pthread_create(&tid2, NULL, threaded_qsort, &a2);
        pthread join(tid1, NULL);
        pthread join(tid2, NULL);
```

-->>launch function:

Here i create the shared memory for concurrent quick sort. Then I run all the three quick sort types(viz. normal quick sort, concurrent quick sort and threaded quicksort) and compare their running times.

```
void launch(long long int n){
   struct timespec ts;
   //getting shared memory
   int *arr = shareMem(sizeof(int)*(n+1));
    for(int i=0;i<n;i++) scanf("%d", arr+i);
   int brr[n+1];
    for(int i=0;i<n;i++) brr[i] = arr[i];</pre>
    printf("Running concurrent qsort for n = %lld\n", n);
    printf("\nbefore sorting\n");
    for(int i=0;i<n;i++) printf("%d ",arr[i]);</pre>
    printf("\n");
    clock gettime(CLOCK MONOTONIC RAW, &ts);
    long double st = ts.tv nsec/(1e9)+ts.tv sec;
    //multiprocess concurrent qsort
    concurrent qsort(arr, 0, n-1);
    clock gettime(CLOCK MONOTONIC RAW, &ts);
    long double en = ts.tv nsec/(1e9)+ts.tv sec;
    printf("time = %Lf\n", en - st);
    long double t1 = en-st;
    printf("\nafter sorting\n");
        for(int i=0;i<n;i++) printf("%d ",arr[i]);</pre>
        printf("\n");
     for(int i=0;i<n;i++) arr[i] = brr[i];
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pthread t tid;
struct arg a;
a.l = 0;
a.r = n-1;
a.arr = brr;
printf("Running threaded concurrent qsort for n = %lld\n", n);
printf("\nbefore sorting\n");
for(int i=0;i<n;i++) printf("%d ",brr[i]);</pre>
printf("\n");
clock gettime(CLOCK MONOTONIC RAW, &ts);
st = ts.tv nsec/(le9)+ts.tv sec;
//multithreaded concurrent qsort
pthread create(&tid, NULL, threaded qsort, &a);
pthread join(tid, NULL);
clock gettime(CLOCK MONOTONIC RAW, &ts);
en = ts.tv nsec/(le9)+ts.tv sec;
printf("time = %Lf\n", en - st);
long double t2 = en-st;
    printf("\nafter sorting\n");
    for(int i=0;i<n;i++) printf("%d ",brr[i]);</pre>
    printf("\n");
 for(int i=0;i<n;i++) brr[i] = arr[i];</pre>
printf("Running normal_qsort for n = %lld\n", n);
 printf("\nbefore sorting\n");
```

Main function:>> In main function we scan length of array and just call the launch function.

```
int main(){
   long long int n;
   scanf("%lld", &n);
   launch(n);
   return 0;
}
```

Time taken by threaded_quicksort is less than concurrent quicksort because in concurrent quicksort we create two process which

require th os to make virtual space which is overhead but in thread we create thread for each process and the share data between each

other but this not a case in concurrent process in that we have to create shared

memory area so that the process can share data and accessing data will take time so

overall concurrent quicksort requires morre time.

The reason why both the above sort are slower as compare to normal quicksort is

because here the value of n(vo. of element to be sorted) is small so for small value it is

wastage of time and resource for CPU to create thread or forking a process .But as n

get larger the become faster as compered to normal quicksort .Threaded quicksort will take less time compared to concurrent quicksort.