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     Construct a C program to simulate producer-consumer
problem using semaphores.
Program:
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <pthread.h>
#include <semaphore.h>
#define BUFFER SIZE 5
int buffer[BUFFER SIZE];
int in = 0, out = 0;
sem t empty, full;
pthread mutex t mutex;
void* producer(void* arg) {
  int item;
  for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++) { // Produce 10 items
    item = rand() % 100; // Random item
    sem wait(&empty); // Wait if buffer is full
    pthread mutex lock(&mutex);
    buffer[in] = item; // Add item to buffer
    printf("Producer produced: %d\n", item);
    in = (in + 1) \% BUFFER SIZE;
    pthread mutex unlock(&mutex);
    sem post(&full); // Signal that buffer is not empty
  return NULL;
}
void* consumer(void* arg) {
  int item:
  for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++) { // Consume 10 items
    sem wait(&full);
                       // Wait if buffer is empty
    pthread mutex lock(&mutex);
    item = buffer[out]; // Remove item from buffer
    printf("Consumer consumed: %d\n", item);
    out = (out + 1) \% BUFFER SIZE;
    pthread mutex unlock(&mutex);
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sem post(&empty); // Signal that buffer has space
  }
  return NULL;
}
int main() {
  pthread t prod, cons;
  sem init(&empty, 0, BUFFER SIZE); // Initialize semaphore for
empty slots
  sem init(&full, 0, 0);
                            // Initialize semaphore for full slots
  pthread mutex init(&mutex, NULL); // Initialize mutex
  pthread create(&prod, NULL, producer, NULL); // Create
producer thread
  pthread create(&cons, NULL, consumer, NULL); // Create
consumer thread
  pthread join(prod, NULL); // Wait for producer to finish
  pthread join(cons, NULL); // Wait for consumer to finish
  sem destroy(&empty);
  sem destroy(&full);
  pthread mutex destroy(&mutex);
  return 0;
Output:
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Producer produced: 41 Producer produced: 67 Producer produced: 34 Producer produced: 0 Producer produced: 69 Consumer consumed: 41 Consumer consumed: 67 Consumer consumed: 34 Consumer consumed: 0 Consumer consumed: 69 Producer produced: 24 Producer produced: 78 Producer produced: 58 Producer produced: 62 Producer produced: 64 Consumer consumed: 24 Consumer consumed: 78 Consumer consumed: 58 Consumer consumed: 62 Consumer consumed: 64