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main.c
                                                                                 Run
                                                                                            Output
1 #include <stdio.h>
                                                                                          Reader 1 is reading
2 #include <stdlib.h>
                                                                                          Reader 3 is reading
                                                                                          Reader 4 is reading
                                                                                          Reader 5 is reading
                                                                                          Reader 2 is reading
                                                                                          Writer 1 is writing
   #define READERS 5
                                                                                          Writer 2 is writing
                                                                                          Reader 1 is reading
                                                                                          Reader 3 is reading
                                                                                          Reader 4 is reading
10 sem_t mutex, writeBlock;
   int readCount = 0;
                                                                                          Reader 2 is reading
                                                                                          Reader 5 is reading
                                                                                          Writer 1 is writing
   void* reader(void* arg) {
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        int f = *((int*)arg);
                                                                                          Writer 2 is writing
                                                                                          Reader 1 is reading
        while (1) {
                                                                                          Reader 3 is reading
           sem_wait(&mutex); // Enter critical section
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                                                                                          Reader 4 is reading
17
           readCount++;
           if (readCount == 1) {
18
                                                                                          Reader 2 is reading
                sem_wait(&writeBlock); // First reader blocks writers
                                                                                          Reader 5 is reading
                                                                                          Writer 1 is writing
20
           sem_post(&mutex); // Exit critical section
                                                                                          Writer 2 is writing
                                                                                          Reader 1 is reading
                                                                                          Reader 3 is reading
           printf("Reader %d is reading\n", f);
                                                                                          Reader 4 is reading
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            sleep(1); // Simulate reading time
                                                                                          Reader 2 is reading
                                                                                          Reader 5 is reading
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Writer 1 is writing

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sem_wait(&mutex); // Enter critical section