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Write a "Hello World" program using OpenMP library also display number of threads created during execution.

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Aim: Write a "Hello World" program using OpenMP library also display number of threads created during execution.

Objective: The objective of this task is to create a "Hello World" program using the OpenMP library in C, which will also display the number of threads created during execution.

Theory: The OpenMP API is a widely-used programming interface for parallel programming in shared-memory architectures, such as multicore CPUs. It provides a set of compiler directives, library routines, and environment variables that allow developers to create parallel programs in C, C++, and Fortran.

One of the simplest examples of a parallel program using OpenMP is a "Hello World" program that prints a message from multiple threads in parallel. In this program, we can use the #pragma omp parallel directive to create a parallel region, which is a block of code that will be executed by multiple threads in parallel. The omp_get_thread_num() function can then be used to determine the ID of the current thread within the parallel region, and the omp_get_num_threads() function can be used to determine the total number of threads that are created within the parallel region.

Here is a sample "Hello World" program using OpenMP in C that displays the number of threads created during execution:

#include <stdio.h>

#include <omp.h>

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int main() {
    #pragma omp parallel
    {
        int thread_id = omp_get_thread_num();
        int num_threads = omp_get_num_threads();
        printf("Hello World from thread %d of %d\n", thread_id, num_threads);
    }
    return 0;
}
```

Output:

```
Hello World from thread 2 of 4
Hello World from thread 1 of 4
Hello World from thread 0 of 4
Hello World from thread 3 of 4
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Conclusion: In conclusion, the "Hello World" program using OpenMP library in C provides a basic example of parallel programming using shared memory architecture. By using the #pragma omp parallel directive, we create a parallel region that executes a block of code in parallel. The omp_get_thread_num() and omp_get_num_threads() functions are used to get the ID of the current thread and the total number of threads created within the parallel region, respectively.



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