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LAB:5

(Readers & Writers Problem)

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#include <semaphore.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <pthread.h>
sem_t x, y;
pthread_t tid;
pthread_t writerthreads[100], readerthreads[100];
int readercount = 0;
void *reader(void *param) {
  sem_wait(&x);
  readercount++;
  if (readercount == 1)
    sem_wait(&y);
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sem_post(&x);
  printf("%d reader is inside\n", readercount);
  usleep(3);
  sem_wait(&x);
  readercount--;
  if (readercount == 0) {
    sem_post(&y);
  }
  sem_post(&x);
  printf("%d Reader is leaving\n", readercount + 1);
  return NULL;
}
void *writer(void *param) {
  printf("Writer is trying to enter\n");
  sem_wait(&y);
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printf("Writer has entered\n");
  usleep(3);
  sem_post(&y);
  printf("Writer is leaving\n");
  return NULL;
}
int main() {
  int n2, i;
  printf("Enter the number of readers: ");
  scanf("%d", &n2);
  printf("\n");
  sem_init(&x, 0, 1);
  sem_init(&y, 0, 1);
  for (i = 0; i < n2; i++) {
    pthread_create(&readerthreads[i], NULL, reader, NULL);
    pthread_create(&writerthreads[i], NULL, writer, NULL);
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for (i = 0; i < n2; i++) {
    pthread_join(readerthreads[i], NULL);
    pthread_join(writerthreads[i], NULL);
}

sem_destroy(&x);
sem_destroy(&y);

return 0;
}</pre>
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Enter the number of readers: 4
1 reader is inside
3 reader is inside
2 Reader is leaving
Writer is trying to enter
2 reader is inside
3 Reader is leaving
Writer is trying to enter
Writer is trying to enter
2 reader is inside
1 Reader is leaving
2 Reader is leaving
Writer is trying to enter
Writer has entered
Writer is leaving
Process exited after 3.555 seconds with return value 0
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