

A1_P2

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Written Brief:

A) Single vs. Multiple instances:

- Single: A sequential execution of your task, just one process/thread is running the task

- Multiple instances:
~~Parallel~~ Parallel execution where multiple Processes/threads are running concurrently to divide the work load.

Processes vs. threads

	Processes	Threads
isolation	Fully isolated, independent memory	No Isolation share memory
	No Direct sharing	share memory
	slow	Fast
	secure	Less secure
	one crash is o.k	A crash affect process
	Best for independent tasks	Best for tasks requiring shared memory

Implementation

Time

V1

Sequential

14.483s

Parent & child (Processes)

V2

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32.473s

V3

Threads

32.389s

V4

Mixed

1:34:00 (94.40s)