# Programming in C/C++ Exercises set seven: multi-threading 2

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# Exercise 47, semaphore design

We designed a semaphore as shown in the annotations. This semaphore was upgraded for exercise 49.

## **Code listings**

#### Listing 1: main.cc

```
1 #include "semaphore.h"
2 #include <thread>
4 using namespace std;
6 void waiter(Semaphore &semaphore)
7
8
     semaphore.wait();
9 }
10
11 int main(int argc, char **argv)
12 {
13
     Semaphore semaphore;
14
15
     thread wait1(waiter, std::ref(semaphore));
16
17
     semaphore.notify_all();
```

```
18
19
     wait1.join();
20 }
                        Listing 2: semaphore.ih
1 #include "semaphore.h"
2
3 using namespace std;
                        Listing 3: semaphore.h
1 #ifndef SEMAPHORE H
2 #define SEMAPHORE_H
4 #include <condition_variable>
5 #include <mutex>
6 #include <cstddef>
8 class Semaphore
9 {
10
     std::mutex d_mutex;
     std::condition_variable d_condition;
11
12
     std::size_t d_nAvailable = 0;
13
14
     public:
15
       Semaphore() = default;
16
       Semaphore(std::size_t nAvailable);
17
18
       std::size_t size() const;
19
20
       void notify();
21
       void notify_all();
22
       void wait();
23 };
24
25 #endif
                        Listing 4: constructor.cc
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
```

```
3 Semaphore::Semaphore(size_t nAvailable)
4:
5 d_nAvailable(nAvailable)
7 }
                        Listing 5: notify.cc
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
3 void Semaphore::notify()
4 {
    lock_guard<mutex> lock(d_mutex);
    if (d_nAvailable++ == 0)
7
      d_condition.notify_one();
                       Listing 6: notify_all.cc
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
3 void Semaphore::notify_all()
5
    lock_guard<mutex> lock(d_mutex);
6
    if (d_nAvailable++ == 0)
7
      d_condition.notify_all();
8 }
                         Listing 7: size.cc
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
3 size_t Semaphore::size() const
   return d_nAvailable;
                         Listing 8: wait.cc
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
3 void Semaphore::wait()
```

```
5  unique_lock<mutex> lock(d_mutex);
6  while (d_nAvailable == 0)
7   d_condition.wait(lock);
8  
9  --d_nAvailable;
10 }
```

# Exercise 48, async quicksort

Here is a quicksort algorithm using async threads called quickersort. Because async always returns something we decided to return the start of the array.

## **Code listings**

```
Listing 9: main.ih
1 #include "main.h"
3 using namespace std;
                          Listing 10: main.h
1 #ifndef MAIN_H
2 #define MAIN_H
4 #include <future>
5 #include <algorithm>
6 #include <iostream>
8 int* quickersort(int *beg, int *end);
10 #endif
                         Listing 11: main.cc
  #include "main.ih"
3 int main(int argc, char **argv)
4 {
5
       int ia[] = \{2,4,6,2,3,7,9,1,12\};
       size_t iaSize = 9;
```

```
auto fut = async(launch::async, quickersort, ia,
      ia + iaSize);
8
        fut.get();
9
10
       for (size_t i = 0; i != iaSize; ++i)
11
            cout << ia[i] << ' ';
12
       cout << '\n';
13 }
                        Listing 12: quickersort.cc
1 #include "main.ih"
3 int* quickersort(int *beg, int *end)
4 {
       if (end - beg <= 1)</pre>
 5
6
            return beg;
7
8
       int lhs = *beg;
9
        int *mid = partition(beg + 1, end,
10
            [&] (int arg)
11
            {
12
                return arg < lhs;</pre>
13
            }
14
       );
15
16
        swap(*beg, *(mid - 1));
17
18
       auto leftPart = async(launch::async, quickersort,
19
            beg, mid);
20
       auto rightPart = async(launch::async, quickersort,
21
            mid, end);
22
23
       rightPart.get();
24
25
       return leftPart.get();
26 }
```

# Exercise 49, async quicksort

Here is a quicksort algorithm using async threads called quickersort. Because async always returns something we decided to return the start of the array.

#### **Code listings**

```
Listing 13: main.ih
1 #include "main.h"
2
3 using namespace std;
                          Listing 14: main.h
1 #ifndef MAIN_H
2 #define MAIN_H
3
4 #include <future>
5 #include <algorithm>
6 #include <iostream>
7 #include "semaphore.h"
9 void quickerSort(Semaphore &nextRange);
10 void quickerSorter(Semaphore &nextRange);
11
12 #endif
                          Listing 15: main.cc
1 #include "main.ih"
2 #include <thread>
4 int main(int argc, char **argv)
5
6
     Semaphore nextRange;
7
8
     int ia[] = \{2, 4, 6, 2, 3, 7, 9, 1, 12\};
9
       size_t iaSize = 9;
10
11
     nextRange.push(Range(ia, ia + iaSize));
12
```

```
13
     thread sorter1 (quickerSorter,
14
       std::ref(nextRange.subscribeThread()));
15
     thread sorter2 (quickerSorter,
16
       std::ref(nextRange.subscribeThread()));
17
     thread sorter3 (quickerSorter,
18
       std::ref(nextRange.subscribeThread()));
19
20
     sorter1.join();
21
     sorter2.join();
22
     sorter3.join();
23
24
     for (size_t i = 0; i != iaSize; ++i)
25
           cout << ia[i] << ' ';
26
       cout << '\n';
27 }
```

## The sorter and the sorting algorithm

#### Listing 16: quickersorter.cc

```
1 #include "main.ih"
3 void quickerSorter(Semaphore &nextRange)
4 {
5
     while (true)
6
7
       nextRange.wait();
8
9
       if (nextRange.size() == 0 &&
10
         nextRange.waiters() == nextRange.subscribers())
11
12
         nextRange.desubscribeThread();
13
         nextRange.notify_all();
14
         return;
15
16
17
       quickerSort(nextRange);
18
19 }
```

#### Listing 17: quickersort.cc

```
1 #include "main.ih"
3 void quickerSort(Semaphore &nextRange)
4 {
5
     Range range = nextRange.next();
6
     int* beg = range.beg;
7
     int* end = range.end;
8
9
       if (end - beg <= 1)</pre>
10
            return;
11
12
       int lhs = *beg;
13
       int *mid = partition(beg + 1, end,
14
            [&](int arg)
15
            {
16
                return arg < lhs;</pre>
17
18
       );
19
20
       swap(*beg, *(mid - 1));
21
22
     Range newRange1(beg, mid);
23
     Range newRange2(mid, end);
24
25
       nextRange.push (newRange1);
26
       nextRange.push (newRange2);
27 }
```

#### Semaphore 2.0, please like and subscribe to our queue

#### Listing 18: semaphore.ih

```
1 #include "semaphore.h"
2 #include <iostream>
3
4 using namespace std;

Listing 19: semaphore.h
1 #ifndef SEMAPHORE_H
2 #define SEMAPHORE_H
```

```
3
4 #include <condition_variable>
5 #include <mutex>
6 #include <queue>
7 #include <cstddef>
9 struct Range
10 {
11
     int *beg = 0;
12
     int *end = 0;
13
     Range() = default;
14
           Range(int *b, int *e)
15
16
                beg(b),
17
                end(e)
18
            { }
19 };
20
21 class Semaphore
22 {
23
     std::mutex d mutex;
24
     std::condition_variable d_condition;
25
     std::size_t d_nAvailable = 0;
26
27
     std::size_t d_subscribers = 0;
28
     std::size_t d_waiters = 0;
29
30
     std::queue<Range> d_queue;
31
32
     public:
33
       Semaphore() = default;
34
       Semaphore(std::size_t nAvailable);
35
36
       Semaphore &subscribeThread();
37
       void desubscribeThread();
38
39
       std::size_t size() const;
40
       std::size_t subscribers() const;
       std::size_t waiters() const;
41
42
```

```
43
       void push(Range range);
44
       Range next();
45
46
       void notify();
47
       void notify_all();
48
       void wait();
49 };
50
51 #endif
                     Listing 20: desubscribethread.cc
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
3 void Semaphore::desubscribeThread()
    --d_subscribers;
5
6
     --d_waiters;
7 }
                          Listing 21: next.cc
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
2
3 Range Semaphore::next()
4 {
5
    Range range = d_queue.front();
6
     d_queue.pop();
7
     return range;
8 }
                        Listing 22: notify_all.cc
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
3 void Semaphore::notify_all()
4 {
     lock_guard<mutex> lock(d_mutex);
     d_condition.notify_all();
7 }
```

```
Listing 23: push.cc
```

```
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
3 void Semaphore::push(Range range)
4 {
5
6
       lock_guard<mutex> lock(d_mutex);
7
       d_queue.push(range);
8
       ++d_nAvailable;
9
     }
10
     notify_all();
11 }
                       Listing 24: subscribers.cc
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
2
3 size_t Semaphore::subscribers() const
    return d_subscribers;
                     Listing 25: subscribethread.cc
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
3 Semaphore &Semaphore::subscribeThread()
4 {
5
     ++d_subscribers;
     return *this;
7 }
                         Listing 26: wait.cc
1 #include "semaphore.ih"
3 void Semaphore::wait()
4 {
5
     ++d_waiters;
     unique_lock<mutex> lock(d_mutex);
7
     while (d_nAvailable == 0)
```

```
9
       if (d_waiters == d_subscribers)
10
         return;
11
       d_condition.wait(lock);
12
13
14
     --d waiters;
15
     --d_nAvailable;
16 }
                        Listing 27: waiters.cc
  #include "semaphore.ih"
3 size_t Semaphore::waiters() const
4 {
   return d_waiters;
```

# Exercise 50, package task design

We are asked to pack a function that calculates inner products of a matrix multiplication and send it to 24 detached threads.

## **Code listings**

#### Listing 28: main.cc

```
1 #include <thread>
2 #include <iostream>
3 #include <future>
4 #include <utility>
5 #include <iomanip>
7 double lhs[4][5] = \{\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},
8
                \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},\
9
                \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},\
10
                {1, 2, 3, 4, 5}};
11
12 double rhsT[6][5] = \{\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},
13
                \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},\
14
                \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},\
```

```
15
                \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},\
16
                \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},\
17
                {1, 2, 3, 4, 5}};
18
19 double innerProduct(int row, int col)
20 {
21
       double sum = 0;
22
23
       for (int idx = 0; idx != 5; ++idx)
24
          sum += lhs[row][idx] *
25
            rhsT[col][idx];
26
27
       return sum;
28 }
29
30 int main()
31 {
32
33
       std::future<double> fut[4][6];
34
35
       for (int row = 0; row != 4; ++row)
36
37
         for (int col = 0; col != 6; ++col)
38
39
              std::packaged_task<double(int,int)>
40
                Task (innerProduct);
41
              fut[row][col] = Task.get_future();
42
              std::thread(std::move(Task), row,
43
                col).detach();
44
         }
45
46
       for (int row = 0; row != 4; ++row)
47
48
49
         for (int col = 0; col != 6; ++col)
50
              std::cout << fut[row][col].get()</pre>
51
                << std::setw(6);
52
          std::cout << '\n';</pre>
53
       }
54 }
```

# Exercise 52, std::promise

This exercise is the same as 50 but using std::promise instead of package task.

## **Code listings**

### Listing 29: main.cc

```
1 #include <thread>
2 #include <iostream>
3 #include <future>
4 #include <utility>
5 #include <iomanip>
7 double lhs[4][5] = \{\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},
8
                {1, 2, 3, 4, 5},
9
                \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},\
10
                {1, 2, 3, 4, 5}};
11
12 double rhsT[6][5] = \{\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},
13
                \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},\
14
                \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},\
15
                \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},\
16
                \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\},\
17
                {1, 2, 3, 4, 5}};
18
19 void innerProduct(std::promise<double> &ref, int row,
      int col)
20 {
21
       double sum = 0;
22
       for (int idx = 0; idx != 5; ++idx)
23
         sum += lhs[row][idx] * rhsT[col][idx];
24
25
       ref.set_value(sum);
26 }
27
28 int main()
29 {
       std::promise<double> result[4][6];
30
31
```

```
32
       for (int row = 0; row != 4; ++row)
33
34
         for (int col = 0; col != 6; ++col)
35
             std::thread(innerProduct,
36
               ref(result[row][col]),
37
               row, col).detach();
38
       }
39
40
       for (int row = 0; row != 4; ++row)
41
42
         for (int col = 0; col != 6; ++col)
43
             std::cout
44
               << result[row][col].get_future().get()</pre>
45
               << std::setw(6);
46
         std::cout << '\n';
47
       }
48 }
```