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7. Thread

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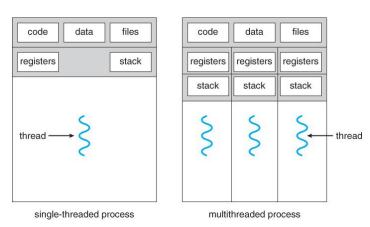
Thread

Multi-threaded program

- Thread: flow of control
- Process: one flow of control + resources (address space, files)
- Multi-threaded program (or process): multiple flow of controls + resources (address space, files)
 - Multiple threads share address space
 - Multiple Processes do not share their address space

Concurrency

- Shared data → race condition → may generate wrong results
- Concurrency: enforce to access shared data in a synchronized way



(Source: A. Silberschatz, "Operating system Concept")

Thread

- Benefit of Thread
 - Fast creation
 - Parallelism
 - Can overlap processing with waiting
 - Data sharing
- Thread management
 - Several stacks in an address space
 - Scheduling entity

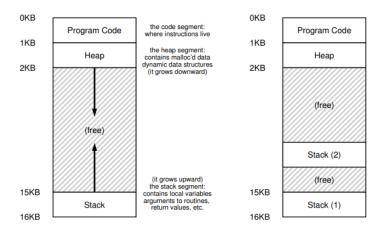
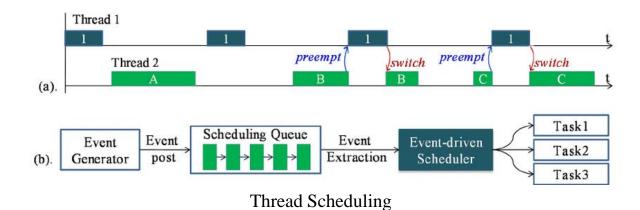


Figure 26.1: Single-Threaded And Multi-Threaded Address Spaces



Thread

- #include <pthread.h>
- int pthread_create(pthread_t *restrict thread, const pthread_attr_t *restrict attr,

```
void *(*start_routine)(void *), void *restrict arg);
```

- similar to fork(), thread exits when the passed function reach the end.
- arg1) thread structure to interact with this thread,
- arg2) attribute of the thread such as priority and stack size, in most case it is NULL (use default)
- arg3) function pointer for start routine
- arg4) arguments
- int pthread_join(pthread_t thread, void **retval);
 - similar to wait(), for synchronization
 - arg1) thread structure, which is initialized by the thread creation routine
 - arg2) a pointer to the return value (NULL means "don't care")

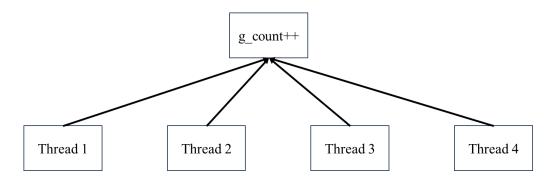
Practice 1: Prepare

- Practice 1 command for prepare
 - > mkdir thread_practice
 - > cd thread_practice
 - > vim thread.c

(디렉토리 생성)

(디렉토리 이동)

(코드 작성)



Practice 1: Code

```
// thread.c
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <assert.h>
#include <pthread.h>
#include <stdint.h>
int g_count = 0; // counter (critical section)
int g_nthd = 0; // num of threads
int g worker loop cnt = 0;
static void *work(void* cnt); // thread routine
int main(int argc, char *argv[]){
    pthread t *thd arr; // thread array
    int thd cnt; // thread count
   if (argc < 3){
        fprintf(stderr, "%s parameter : nthread, worker_loop_cnt\n", argv[0]);
        exit(-1);
    // get num of threads and worker loop count
   g_nthd = atoi(argv[1]);
```

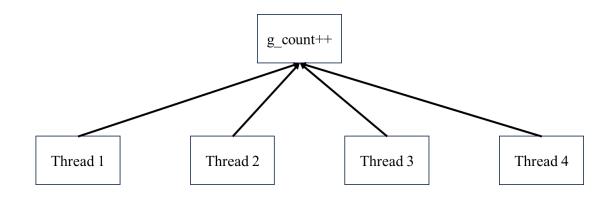
```
// alloc memory for thread
   thd arr = malloc(sizeof(pthread t) * g nthd);
    for(thd_cnt=0; thd_cnt < g_nthd; thd_cnt++){</pre>
        // create thread
        assert(pthread_create(&thd_arr[thd_cnt], NULL,
               work, (void*) (intptr t) thd_cnt) == 0);
    for(thd_cnt=0; thd_cnt < g_nthd; thd_cnt++){</pre>
        // join thread
        assert(pthread join(thd arr[thd cnt], NULL) == 0);
    printf("Complete\n");
static void *work(void* cnt){
    int thd_cnt = (int)(intptr t) cnt;
   int i;
    for(i = 0; i < g worker loop cnt; i++)</pre>
        g count++;
    printf("Thread number %d: %d \n", thd cnt, g count);
    return NULL;
```

Pratice 1: Run

Practice 1 command2

```
> gcc thread.c -lpthread -o thread.out (컴파일)
> ./thread.out 4 10000 (실행1)
> ./thread.out 4 100000 (실행2)
```

```
embedded@embedded:~/thread_test$ ./thread.out 4 10000
Thread number 0: 10000
Thread number 1: 30000
Thread number 3: 40000
Complete
embedded@embedded:~/thread_test$ ./thread.out 4 100000
Thread number 0: 99991
Thread number 2: 218531
Thread number 3: 279583
Thread number 1: 379583
Complete
```



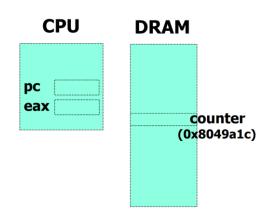
Practice 1: Result

High level viewpoint

```
for (i = 0; i < 1e7; i++) {
counter = counter + 1;
}
```

CPU level viewpoint

```
mov 0x8049a1c, %eax
add $0x1, %eax
mov %eax, 0x8049a1c
```



Scheduling viewpoint

					(after instruction)		
OS	Thread 1	Thre	ead 2	PC	eax	counter	
	before critical section			100	0	50	
	mov 8049a1c, %ea	X		105	50	50	
	add \$0x1,%eax			108	51	50	
interrupt	:						
save TĪ							
restore T	2			100	0	50	
		mov	8049a1c,%eax	105	50	50	
		add	\$0x1,%eax	108	51	50	
		mov	%eax,8049a1c	113	51	51	
interrupt							
save T2							
restore T	1			108	51	51	
	mov %eax,8049a1	С		113	51	51	
Figure 26.7: The Problem: Up Close and Personal							

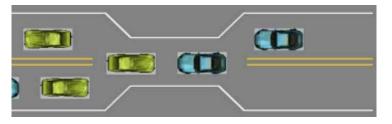
Thread Problem

Reason

- Numerous threads access shared data(critical section) at the same time
 - → race condition
- Uncontrolled scheduling
 - → Results are different at each execution depending on scheduling order

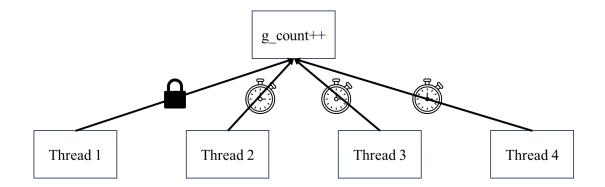
Solution

- Controlled scheduling: Do all or nothing (indivisible) → atomicity
- The code that can result in the race condition → critical section
- Allow only one thread in the critical section → mutual exclusion



Thread Problem

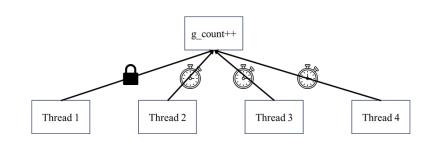
- Mutual exclusion API (mutex_***)
 - #include <pthread.h>
 - pthread_mutex_t lock;
 - int pthread_mutex_init(pthread_mutex_t *restrict mutex,
 - const pthread_mutexattr_t *restrict attr);
 - int pthread_mutex_lock(pthread_mutex_t *mutex);
 - int pthread_mutex_unlock(pthread_mutex_t *mutex);

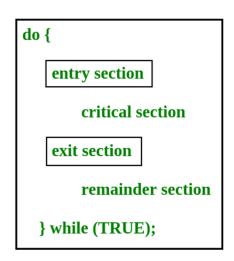


```
do {
    entry section Lock
    critical section
    exit section Unlock
    remainder section
} while (TRUE);
```

Practice 2: Prepare

- Practice 2 command for prepare
 - > cp thread.c thread_lock.c (파일 복사)
 - > vim thread_lock.c (코드 작성)





Practice 2: Code

```
// thread_lock.c
   // ...
pthread_mutex_t lock;
   int main(int argc, char *argv[]){
      // ...
       thd_arr = malloc(sizeof(pthread_t) * g_nthd);
   pthread_mutex_init(&lock, NULL);
       for(thd_cnt=0; thd_cnt < g_nthd; thd_cnt++){</pre>
           // create thread
           assert(pthread_create(&thd_arr[thd_cnt], NULL,
                  work, (void*) thd_cnt) == 0);
       // ...
```

```
static void *work(void* cnt){
   int thd_cnt = (int)cnt;
   int i;

for(i = 0; i < g_worker_loop_cnt; i++){
     pthread_mutex_lock(&lock);
        g_count++;
     pthread_mutex_unlock(&lock);
}

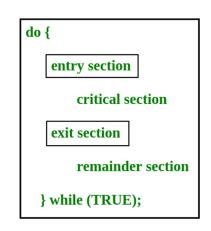
printf("Thread number %d: %d \n", thd_cnt, g_count);
   return NULL;
}</pre>
```

Practice 2: Result

Practice 1 command2

```
> gcc -o thread_lock.out thread_lock.c -lpthread (컴파일)
> ./thread.out 4 10000 (실행1)
> ./thread_lock.out 4 10000 (실행2)
```

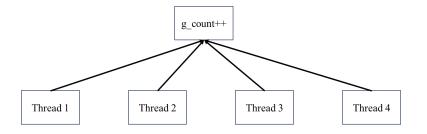
```
embedded@embedded:~/thread test$ ./thread.out 4 100000
Thread number 0: 99991
Thread number 2: 218531
Thread number 3: 279583
Thread number 1: 379583
Complete
embedded@embedded:~/thread_test$ ./thread_lock.out 4 100000
Thread number 1: 235328
                                                                              g count+
Thread number 2: 379740
Thread number 3: 380224
Thread number 0: 400000
                                                                Thread 1
                                                                          Thread 2
                                                                                    Thread 3
                                                                                              Thread 4
```



Complete

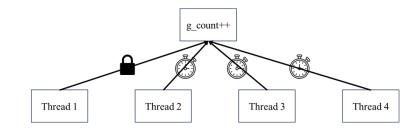


Practice 1: Multi-threading without lock





Practice 2: Multi-threading with lock





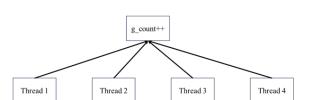
Which one would be faster?

> time ./thread.out 4 10000000

> time ./thread_lock.out 4 10000000



Practice 1: Multi-threading without lock





Which one would be faster?

> time ./thread.out 4 10000000

• mingu@server:~/TABA_OS_2023/thread_practice\$ time ./thread.out 4 10000000

Thread number 2: 10509904 Thread number 1: 12437601 Thread number 0: 12486358 Thread number 3: 13135124 Complete

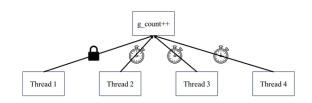
real 0m0.176s user 0m0.665s sys 0m0.000s



14x slower



Practice 2: Multi-threading with lock



> time ./thread_lock.out 4 10000000

mingu@server:~/TABA_OS_2023/thread_practice\$ time ./thread_lock.out 4 10000000

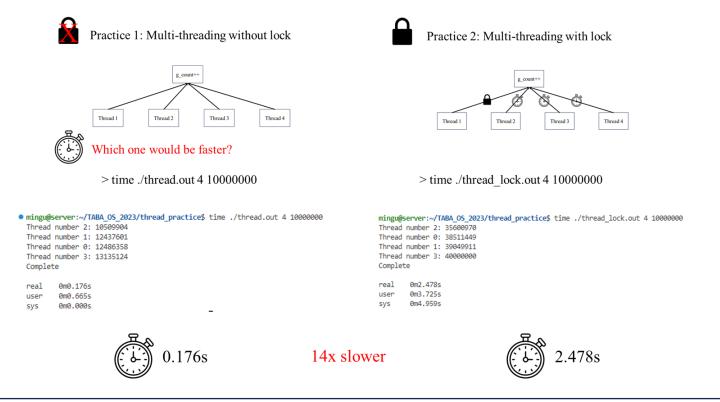
Thread number 2: 35600970 Thread number 0: 38511449 Thread number 1: 39049911 Thread number 3: 40000000

Complete

real 0m2.478s user 0m3.725s sys 0m4.959s



2.478s

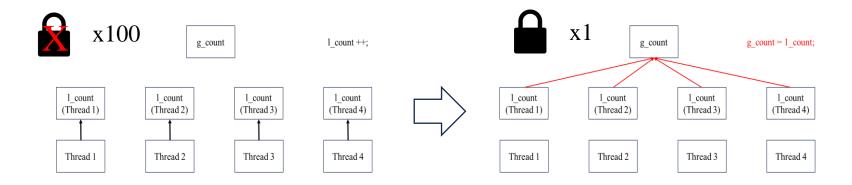


Execution time becomes too long due to lock contention ...

Do we have to lock **g_count** every time?

Or wouldn't it be okay to lock **g_count** just a few times?

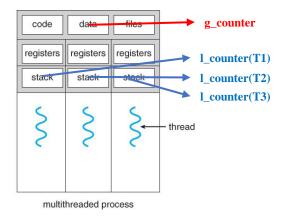
- Sloppy counter
 - a.k.a Scalable counter or Approximate counter
 - Quite higher performance
 - A single global counter + Several local counters
 - Usually, one per CPU core
 - Update local counter → periodically update global counter
 - Less contention → Scalable



- Sloppy counter
 - A single global counter + Several local counters
 - Update local counter → periodically update global counter

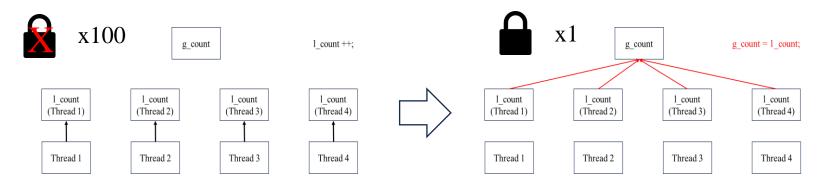
Time	L_1	L_2	L_3	L_4	G
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	1	1	0
2	1	0	2	1	0
3	2	0	3	1	0
4	3	0	3	2	0
5	4	1	3	3	0
6	$5 \rightarrow 0$	1	3	4	5 (from L_1)
7	0	2	4	$5 \rightarrow 0$	10 (from L_4)

Figure 29.3: Tracing the Approximate Counters



Practice 3: Prepare

- Practice 2 command for prepare
 - > cp thread_lock.c thread_sloppy.c (파일 복사)
 - > vim thread_ sloppy.c (코드 작성)



Practice 3: Code

```
#include <pthread.h>
#include <stdint.h>
int g count = 0; // counter (critical section)
int g nthd = 0; // num of threads
int g worker loop cnt = 0;
int sloppy = 0;
pthread mutex t lock;
static void *work(void* tno); // thread routine
int main(int argc, char *argv[]){
    pthread t *thd arr; // thread array
   int thd cnt; // thread count
   if (argc < /*fill the blanks */){
        fprintf(stderr, "%s parameter : nthread, worker loop cnt,
sloppy\n", argv[0]);
        exit(-1);
    // get num of threads and worker loop count
    g nthd = atoi(argv[1]);
    g_worker_loop_cnt = atoi(argv[2]);
    sloppy = /*fill the blanks */;
   // ...
```

```
static void *work(void* cnt){
    int thd cnt = (int)(intptr_t)cnt;
    int i, j;
    int 1 count = 0;
    for(i = 0; i < /^*fill the blanks */; i++){
        for(j = 0; j < /*fill the blanks */ ; j++){</pre>
            l count++;
        pthread mutex lock(&lock);
         '*fill the blanks */
         /*fill the blanks *
         /*fill the blanks *
    printf("Thread number %d: %d \n", thd cnt, g count);
    return NULL;
```

Practice 3: Run

- Practice 3 command 2
 - ➤ gcc -o thread_sloppy.out thread_sloppy.c -lpthread(컴파일)
 - > time ./thread_sloppy.out 1 100000 1000
 - > time ./thread_sloppy.out 2 100000 1000
 - > time ./thread_sloppy.out 3 100000 1000
 - > time ./thread_sloppy.out 4 100000 1000
 - > time ./thread_lock.out 1 100000
 - > time ./thread_lock.out 2 100000
 - > time ./thread_lock.out 3 100000
 - > time ./thread_lock.out 4 100000

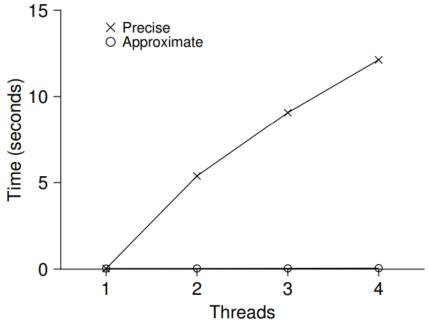


Figure 29.5: Performance of Traditional vs. Approximate Counters

Practice 3: Run

- Practice 3 command 3
 - ➤ gcc -o thread_sloppy.out thread_sloppy.c -lpthread(컴파일)
 - > time ./thread_sloppy.out 4 100000 1
 - > time ./thread_sloppy.out 4 100000 4
 - > time ./thread_sloppy.out 4 100000 16
 - > time ./thread_sloppy.out 4 100000 64
 - > time ./thread_sloppy.out 4 100000 256
 - > time ./thread_sloppy.out 4 100000 1024

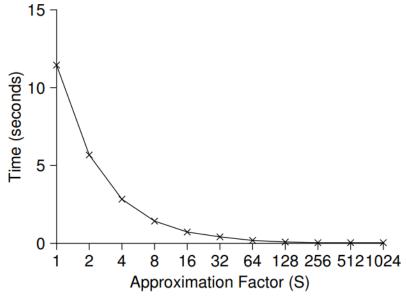


Figure 29.6: Scaling Approximate Counters

Practice 4: Accuracy

- Bigger the S, shorter the time
 - Then large S(update frequency) is sliver bullet?
 - Are there any other considerations?
 - Accuracy of counter during increment

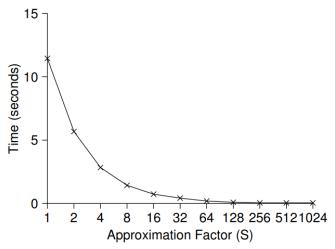


Figure 29.6: Scaling Approximate Counters



Practice 4: Prepare

Practice 4 command for prepare

```
> cp thread_sloppy.c thread_ accuracy.c (파일 복사)
```

> vim thread_ accuracy.c

(코드 작성)

Practice 4: Code

```
int main(int argc, char *argv[]){
    // ...
    for(thd_cnt=0; thd_cnt < g_nthd; thd_cnt++){</pre>
        // create thread
        assert(pthread create(&thd arr[thd cnt], NULL,
               work, (void*) (intptr t) thd cnt) == 0);
        pthread mutex lock(&lock);
        printf("After create %d: %d \n", thd_cnt, g_count);
        pthread mutex unlock(&lock);
    for(thd cnt=0; thd cnt < g nthd; thd cnt++){</pre>
        // join thread
        pthread mutex lock(&lock);
        printf("Before join %d: %d \n", thd_cnt, g_count);
        pthread mutex unlock(&lock);
        assert(pthread join(thd arr[thd cnt], NULL) == 0);
    printf("Complete\n");
```

Practice 4: Run

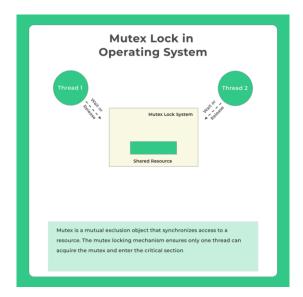
- Practice 4 command 2
 - > gcc -o thread_accuracy.out thread_ accuracy.c -lpthread (컴파일)
 - > ./thread_accuracy.out 2 100000 1
 - > ./thread_ accuracy.out 2 100000 10
 - > ./thread_ accuracy.out 2 100000 100
 - > ./thread_ accuracy.out 2 100000 1000

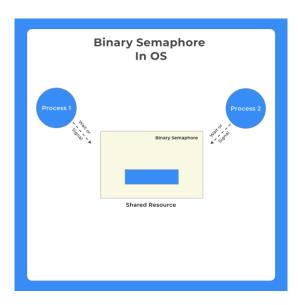
```
mingu@server:~/TABA OS 2023/thread practice$ ./thread accuracy.out 2 100000 1
 After create 0: 0
 After create 1: 906
 Before join 0: 1025
 Thread number 1: 160644
 Thread number 0: 200000
 Before join 1: 200000
 Complete
mingu@server:~/TABA OS 2023/thread practice$ ./thread accuracy.out 2 100000 10
 After create 0: 0
 After create 1: 2840
 Before join 0: 3810
 Thread number 0: 157120
 Before join 1: 186960
 Thread number 1: 200000
 Complete
```

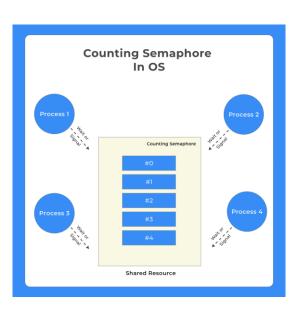
```
• mingu@server:~/TABA_OS_2023/thread_practice$ ./thread_accuracy.out 2 100000 100
 After create 0: 0
 After create 1: 7200
 Before join 0: 8200
 Thread number 0: 184200
 Before join 1: 196100
 Thread number 1: 200000
 Complete
mingu@server:~/TABA OS 2023/thread practice$ ./thread accuracy.out 2 100000 1000
 After create 0: 0
 After create 1: 6000
 Before join 0: 7000
 Thread number 0: 187000
 Before join 1: 199000
 Thread number 1: 200000
 Complete
```

Semaphore

- Well-known structure for concurrency control
 - Can be used as both a lock and a condition variable
 - Binary semaphore, Counting semaphore
 - Can be employed by various concurrency problems including
 - 1) producer/consumer, 2) reader/writer and 3) dining philosophers







Semaphore definition

- An object with an integer value manipulated by three routines
 - sem_init(semaphore, p_shared, initial_value)
 - sem_wait(): also called as P(), down() ...

Decrease the value of the semaphore (S). Then, either return right away (when $S \ge 0$) or cause the caller to suspend execution waiting for a subsequent post (when S < 0)

- sem_post(): also called as V(), up(), sem_signal() ...
 Increment the value of the semaphore and then, if there is a thread waiting to be woken, wakes one of them up
- Others: sem_trywait(), sem_timewait(), sem_destroy()

```
#include <semaphore.h>
sem_t s;
sem_init(&s, 0, 1);
Figure 31.1: Initializing A Semaphore
```

```
int sem_wait(sem_t *s) {
    decrement the value of semaphore s by one
    wait if value of semaphore s is negative
}

int sem_post(sem_t *s) {
    increment the value of semaphore s by one
    if there are one or more threads waiting, wake one
}
```

Figure 31.2: Semaphore: Definitions Of Wait And Post

- Using a semaphore as a lock
 - Binary semaphore

```
sem_t m;
sem_init(&m, 0, X); // initialize to X; what should X be?

sem_wait(&m);
// critical section here
sem_post(&m);
```

Figure 31.3: A Binary Semaphore (That Is, A Lock)

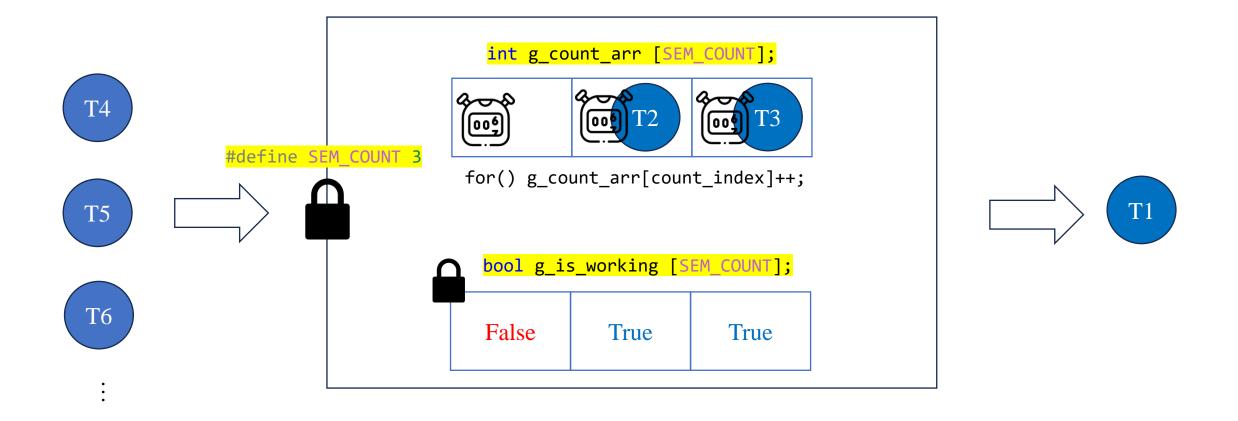
Counting semaphore

- Using a semaphore as a lock
 - Running example

Val	Thread 0	State	Thread 1	State
1		Run		Ready
1	call sem_wait()	Run		Ready
O	sem_wait() returns	Run		Ready
O	(crit sect begin)	Run		Ready
O	Interrupt; Switch \rightarrow T1	Ready		Run
O	,	Ready	<pre>call sem_wait()</pre>	Run
-1		Ready	decr sem	Run
-1		Ready	$(sem<0) \rightarrow sleep$	Sleep
-1		Run	$Switch \rightarrow T0$	Sleep
-1	(crit sect end)	Run		Sleep
-1	call sem_post()	Run		Sleep
O	incr sem	Run		Sleep
O	wake(T1)	Run		Ready
O	sem_post() returns	Run		Ready
O	Interrupt; Switch \rightarrow T1	Ready		Run
O	•	Ready	sem_wait() returns	Run
0		Ready	(crit sect)	Run
0		Ready	call sem_post()	Run
1		Ready	sem_post() returns	Run

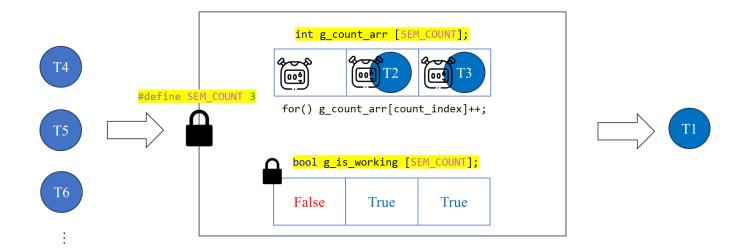
Figure 31.5: Thread Trace: Two Threads Using A Semaphore

Practice 5



Practice 5: Prepare

- Practice 5 command for prepare
 - > cp thread.c semaphore.c (파일 복사)
 - > vim semaphore.c (코드 작성)



Practice 5: Code

```
#define SEM COUNT 3
int g count = 0; // counter (critical section)
int g count arr [SEM COUNT]; // counter array (critical section)
bool g is working [SEM COUNT]; // check if g count arr is working
sem t b semaphore; // semaphore for alloc counter index
sem t c semaphore; // semaphore for checking # of worker
int main(int argc, char *argv[]){
   // ...
    thd_arr = malloc(sizeof(pthread_t) * g_nthd);
    sem_init(&b_semaphore, //fill the blanks */); // init sem
    sem_init(&c_semaphore, //fill the blanks */); // init sem
   // ...
   for(thd cnt=0; thd cnt<g nthd; thd cnt++) {</pre>
        assert(pthread join(thd arr[thd cnt], NULL) == 0);
    // check result of counter array
    printf("Counter array: ");
    for (int i = 0; i < SEM COUNT; i++){</pre>
        printf("%d\t", g_count_arr[i]);
    printf("\n");
```

```
static void *work (void* cnt){
   int thd cnt = (int)(intptr t)cnt;
   int count index = -1; // index for count arr
   sem wait(/*fill the blanks */);
   sem_wait(/*fill the blanks */);
   for (int i=0; i < SEM COUNT; i++){</pre>
        if(g is working[i] == false){ // check if counter is not working
            g_is_working[i] = /fill the blanks **; // this counter will be used
            count index = /*fill the blanks */;  // remember counter index
            break;
   sem post(/*fill the blanks */);
   if(count index == -1) {
        fprintf(stderr, "Thread number %d: count_index < 0", thd_cnt);</pre>
        exit(-1);
   for(int i = 0; i < g worker loop cnt; i++)</pre>
        g count arr[count index]++;
   sem wait(
/*fill the blanks */);
   g_is_working[count_index] = [fill the hlanks 1/2; // free counter
   sem post(/*fill the blanks */);
   sem_post(/*fill the blanks */);
    return NULL;
```

Practice 5: Run

- Command
 - > gcc -o semaphore.out semaphore.c -lpthread (컴파일)
 - > ./semaphore.out 10 10
 - > ./semaphore.out 10 100000

Deadlock

- Deadlock
 - A situation where two or more threads wait for events that never occur.

```
Thread 1: Thread 2: pthread_mutex_lock(L1); pthread_mutex_lock(L2); pthread_mutex_lock(L2);
```

E.g.) When a thread (say Thread 1) is holding a lock (L1) and waiting for another one (L2);
 unfortunately, the thread (Thread 2) that holds lock L2 is waiting for L1 to be released.

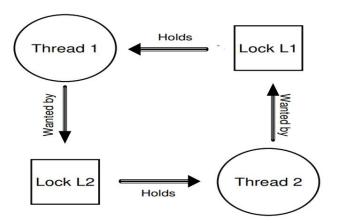


Figure 32.2: The Deadlock Dependency Graph

- Deadlock: 4 Conditions
 - Mutual exclusion
 - Hold-and-Wait
 - No preemption for resource
 - Circular wait

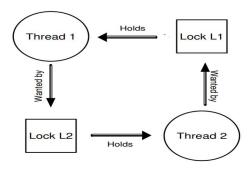
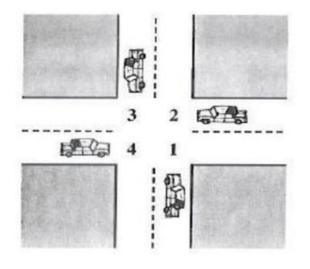
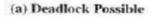
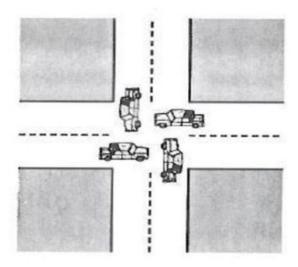


Figure 32.2: The Deadlock Dependency Graph

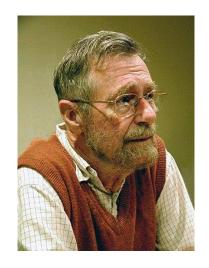






(b) Deadlock

Dining philosophers problem

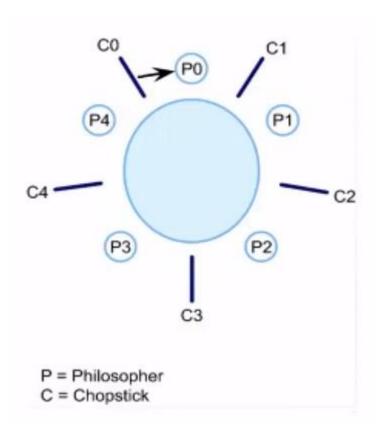


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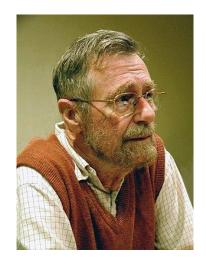


Problem Definition

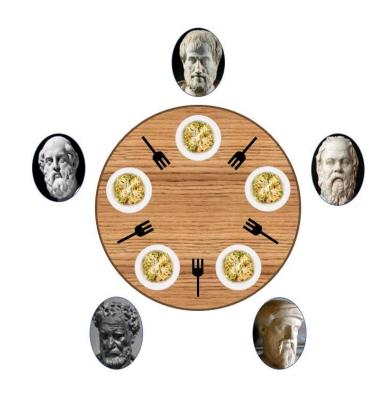
- There are five "philosophers" sitting around a table.
- Between each pair of philosophers is a single fork (thus, five total)
- The philosophers each have times for thinking or for eating
- In order to eat, a philosopher needs two forks, both the one on their left and the one on their right → shared resource → concurrency

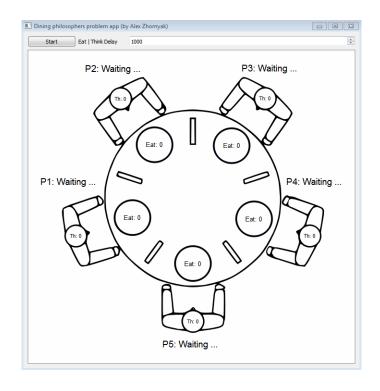


Dining philosophers problem



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P6: Dining philosophers problem

- Prepare
 - > cd ~
 - > mkdir philosophers
 - > cd philosophers
 - > vim philosophers.c

P6: Dining philosophers problem

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <pthread.h>
#define NUM PHILS 5
pthread_mutex_t forks[NUM_PHILS];
void init();
int leftOf(int i);
int rightOf(int i);
void* philosopher(void* param);
void think(int id);
void eat(int id);
void get forks(int id);
void put_forks(int id);
int main(){
    pthread t *thd arr; // thread array
    thd arr = malloc(sizeof(pthread t) * NUM PHILS);
    for(int i = 0; i < NUM_PHILS; i++){</pre>
        pthread_mutex_init(/*fill blanks*/, NULL);
    for(int i = 0; i < NUM_PHILS; i++){</pre>
        pthread create(/*fill blanks*/, NULL,
                         philosopher, (void*) &i);
        usleep((1 + rand() \% 50) * 10000);
    for(int i = 0; i < NUM_PHILS; i++){</pre>
        pthread join(/*fill blanks*/, NULL);
    return 0;
```

```
int leftOf(int i){
                                            void get forks(int id){
    return (i) % NUM PHILS;
                                                pthread mutex lock(/*fill blanks*/);
                                                pthread mutex lock(/*fill blanks*/);
int rightOf(int i){
    return (i + 1) % NUM PHILS;
                                            void put forks(int id){
                                                pthread mutex unlock(/*fill blanks*/);
                                                pthread mutex unlock(/*fill blanks*/);
void* philosopher(void* param){
    int id = *((int *) param);
    while(1){
        think(id);
        get forks(id);
        eat(id);
        put forks(id);
void think(int id){
    printf("%d: Now, I'm thinking...\n", id);
void eat(int id){
    printf("%d: Now, I'm eating...\n", id);
```

P6: Dining philosophers problem

- Run
 - > gcc -o philosophers.out philosophers.c -lpthread
 - > ./philosophers.out

```
mingu@server:~/TABA OS 2023/philosophers$ gcc -o philosophers philosophers.c -lpthread
1: Now, I'm thinking...
 3: Now, I'm thinking...
 0: Now, I'm thinking...
 2: Now, I'm eating...
 2: Now, I'm thinking...
 2: Now, I'm eating...
 2: Now, I'm thinking...
 1: Now, I'm eating...
 1: Now, I'm thinking...
 0: Now, I'm eating...
 3: Now, I'm eating...
 3: Now, I'm thinking...
 4: Now, I'm thinking...
 4: Now, I'm eating...
 0: Now, I'm thinking...
 2: Now, I'm eating...
 4: Now, I'm thinking...
 1: Now, I'm eating...
 2: Now, I'm thinking...
 0: Now, I'm eating...
 1: Now, I'm thinking...
 0: Now, I'm thinking...
```

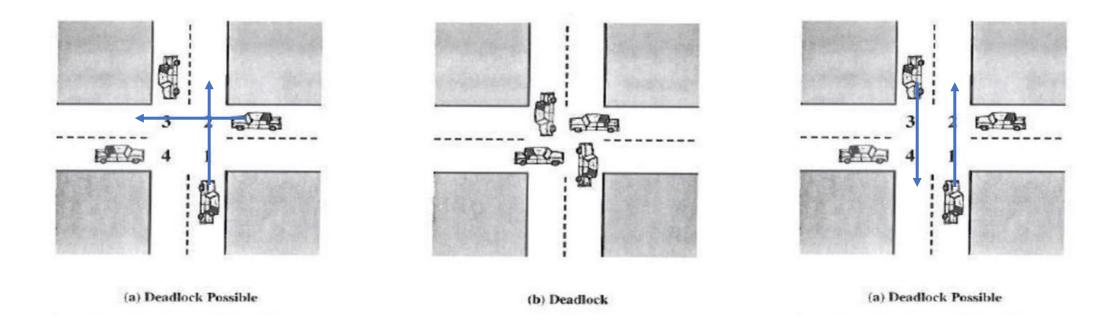
- How to handle Deadlock: three strategies
 - 1. Deadlock Prevention
 - 2. Deadlock Avoidance via Scheduling
 - 3. Deadlock Detection and Recovery

- Deadlock prevention
 - This strategy seeks to prevent one of the 4 Deadlock conditions
 - 1. Hold-and-wait
 - Acquire all locks at once, atomically

```
pthread_mutex_lock(prevention); // begin lock acquistion
pthread_mutex_lock(L1);
pthread_mutex_lock(L2);
...
pthread_mutex_unlock(prevention); // end
```

Acquire all locks atomically (Super-Lock)

- Deadlock prevention
 - This strategy seeks to prevent one of the 4 Deadlock conditions
 - 2. Circular Wait
 - A total ordering on lock acquisition



P7: Circular Wait

- Prepare
 - > cp philosophers.c cp philosophers_circular.c
 - > vim philosophers_circular.c

P7: Circular Wait

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <pthread.h>
#define NUM PHILS 5
pthread_mutex_t forks[NUM_PHILS];
void init();
int leftOf(int i);
int rightOf(int i);
void* philosopher(void* param);
void think(int id);
void eat(int id);
void get forks(int id);
void put_forks(int id);
int main(){
    pthread t *thd arr; // thread array
    thd arr = malloc(sizeof(pthread t) * NUM PHILS);
    for(int i = 0; i < NUM PHILS; i++){</pre>
        pthread_mutex_init(/*fill blanks*/, NULL);
    for(int i = 0; i < NUM_PHILS; i++){</pre>
        pthread_create(/*fill blanks*/, NULL,
                         philosopher, (void*) &i);
        usleep((1 + rand() \% 50) * 10000);
    for(int i = 0; i < NUM_PHILS; i++){</pre>
        pthread_join(/*fill blanks*/, NULL);
    return 0;
```

```
int leftOf(int i){
                                            void get forks(int id){
    return (i) % NUM PHILS;
                                                if (/*fill blanks*/){
int rightOf(int i){
                                                } else{
    return (i + 1) % NUM PHILS;
                                                pthread mutex lock(/*fill blanks*/);
                                                pthread mutex lock(/*fill blanks*/);
void* philosopher(void* param){
    int id = *((int *) param);
    while(1){
                                            void put forks(int id){
        think(id);
                                                pthread mutex unlock(/*fill blanks*/);
       get forks(id);
                                                pthread mutex unlock(/*fill blanks*/);
        eat(id);
        put_forks(id);
void think(int id){
    printf("%d: Now, I'm thinking...\n", id);
void eat(int id){
    printf("%d: Now, I'm eating...\n", id);
```

P7: Circular Wait

- Run
 - > gcc -o philosophers_circular.out philosophers_circular.c -lpthread
 - > ./ philosophers_circular.out

- Deadlock prevention
 - This strategy seeks to prevent one of the 4 Deadlock conditions
 - 3. No Preemption
 - Release lock if it can not hold another lock
 - Concern: 1) may cause Livelock, 2) sometimes require undo
 - Two threads could both be repeatedly attempting this sequence and repeatedly failing to acquire both locks → add random delay

```
1 top:
2 pthread_mutex_lock(L1);
3 if (pthread_mutex_trylock(L2) != 0) {
4 pthread_mutex_unlock(L1);
5 goto top;
6 }
```

Release lock if it can not hold another lock

P8: No Preemption

- Prepare
 - > cp philosophers.c cp philosophers_no_preempthion.c
 - > vim philosophers_no_preempthion.c

P8: No Preemption

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <pthread.h>
#define NUM PHILS 5
pthread_mutex_t forks[NUM_PHILS];
void init();
int leftOf(int i);
int rightOf(int i);
void* philosopher(void* param);
void think(int id);
void eat(int id);
void get forks(int id);
void put_forks(int id);
int main(){
    pthread t *thd arr; // thread array
    thd arr = malloc(sizeof(pthread t) * NUM PHILS);
    for(int i = 0; i < NUM_PHILS; i++){</pre>
        pthread_mutex_init(/*fill blanks*/, NULL);
    for(int i = 0; i < NUM_PHILS; i++){</pre>
        pthread_create(/*fill blanks*/, NULL,
                         philosopher, (void*) &i);
        usleep((1 + rand() \% 50) * 10000);
    for(int i = 0; i < NUM_PHILS; i++){</pre>
        pthread_join(/*fill blanks*/, NULL);
    return 0;
```

```
int leftOf(int i){
    return (i) % NUM PHILS;
int rightOf(int i){
    return (i + 1) % NUM PHILS;
void* philosopher(void* param){
    int id = *((int *) param);
    while(1){
        think(id);
        get forks(id);
        eat(id);
        put_forks(id);
void think(int id){
    printf("%d: Now, I'm thinking...\n", id);
void eat(int id){
    printf("%d: Now, I'm eating...\n", id);
```

P8: No Preemption

• Run

- > gcc -o philosophers_no_preemption.out philosophers_no_preemption.c
 -lpthread
- > ./ philosophers_no_preemption.out

- Deadlock prevention
 - This strategy seeks to prevent one of the 4 Deadlock conditions
 - 4. Mutual Exclusion:
 - "lock free" approach: no lock but support mutual exclusion
 - Using powerful hardware instructions, we can build data structures in a manner that does not require explicit locking
 - Atomic integer operation with compare-and-swap (chapter 28.9 in LN 4)

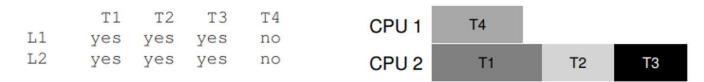
```
void increment(counter_t *c) {
    Pthread_mutex_lock(&c->lock);
    c->value++;
    Pthread_mutex_unlock(&c->lock);
}
Using Lock
```

```
void AtomicIncrement(int *value, int amount) {
do {
  int old = *value;
} while (CompareAndSwap(value, old, old + amount) == 0);
}
Lock free
```

- Deadlock Avoidance via Scheduling
 - Instead of prevention, try to avoid by scheduling threads in a way as to guarantee no deadlock can occur.
 - E.g.) two CPUs, four threads, T1 wants to use L1 and L2, T2 also wants both, T3 wants L1 only, T4 wants nothing



• E.g. 2) more contention (negative for load balancing)

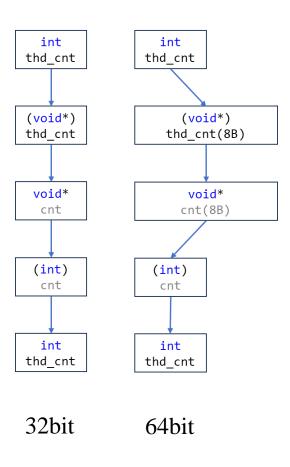


No deadlock, but under-utilization → A conservative approach

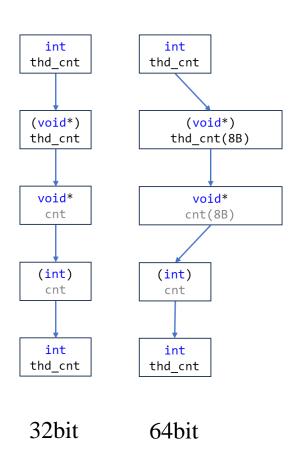
```
// thread.c
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <assert.h>
#include <pthread.h>
#include <stdint.h>
int g_count = 0; // counter (critical section)
int g_nthd = 0; // num of threads
int g worker loop cnt = 0;
static void *work(void* cnt); // thread routine
int main(int argc, char *argv[]){
    pthread t *thd arr; // thread array
    int thd cnt; // thread count
   if (argc < 3){
        fprintf(stderr, "%s parameter : nthread, worker loop cnt\n", argv[0]);
        exit(-1);
    // get num of threads and worker loop count
   g_nthd = atoi(argv[1]);
```

```
// alloc memory for thread
   thd arr = malloc(sizeof(pthread t) * g nthd);
    for(thd_cnt=0; thd_cnt < g_nthd; thd_cnt++){</pre>
        // create thread
        assert(pthread create(&thd arr[thd cnt], NULL,
               work, (void*) (intptr t) thd_cnt) == 0);
    for(thd cnt=0; thd cnt < g nthd; thd cnt++){</pre>
        // join thread
        assert(pthread join(thd arr[thd cnt], NULL) == 0);
    printf("Complete\n");
static void *work(void* cnt){
    int thd cnt = (int)(intotr t) cnt;
   int i;
    for(i = 0; i < g worker loop cnt; i++)</pre>
        g count++;
    printf("Thread number %d: %d \n", thd cnt, g count);
    return NULL;
```

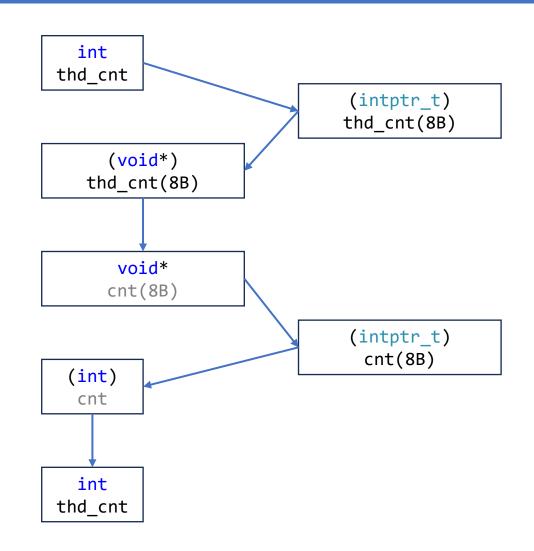
```
int main(int argc, char *argv[]){
     pthread t *thd arr; // thread array
     int thd cnt; // thread count
     // ...
     for(thd cnt=0; thd cnt < g nthd; thd cnt++){</pre>
           // create thread
           assert(pthread_create(&thd_arr[thd_cnt], NULL,
                    work, (void*) thd cnt) == 0);
     static void *work(void* cnt){
          int thd cnt = (int)cnt;
          // ...
    mingu@server:~/TABA OS 2023/thread practice$ gcc thread.c -lpthread -o thread.out
    In file included from thread.c:5:
    thread.c: In function 'main':
    thread.c:34:22: warning: cast to pointer from integer of different size [-Wint-to-pointer-cast]
                      work, (void*) thd_cnt) == 0);
    thread.c:34:22: warning: cast to pointer from integer of different size [-Wint-to-pointer-cast]
                      work, (void*) thd cnt) == 0);
    thread.c: In function 'work':
    thread.c:46:19: warning: cast from pointer to integer of different size [-Wpointer-to-int-cast]
             int thd_cnt = (int)cnt;
```



- 포인터의 크기
 - 시스템에 따라 다름
 - 32bit : 4byte64bit : 8byte
- 포인터 -> 정수 -> 포인터
 - 컴파일러
 - 변수 크기가 다를 경우 경고
 - 데이터 손실 방지 등을 위해 안전한 형변환 요구
- intptr_t
 - Int-to-pointer-cast로 인한 에러를 해결해주는 자료형
 - #include <stdint.h>



```
int main(int argc, char *argv[]){
    pthread t *thd arr; // thread array
    int thd cnt; // thread count
    // ...
   for(thd_cnt=0; thd_cnt < g_nthd; thd_cnt++){</pre>
        // create thread
        assert(pthread_create(&thd_arr[thd_cnt], NULL,
               work, (void*) (intptr t) thd cnt) == 0);
   static void *work(void* cnt){
       int thd cnt = (int) (intptr t) cnt;
       // ...
```



Appendix2: Assert()

- Assert()
 - expression이 false(0)이면, stderr에 진단 메세지를 인쇄하고 프로그램을 중단.
 - 버그 예방
 - 정상적인 범위의 값을 검증하기 위해 사용
 - 개발 과정에서 버그를 빠르게 찿아낼 수 있음