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About \rightarrow This program doesn't expect more than 2 functional arguments. It would work for the math library, for those functions which need at most 2 double/integer arguments and return 1 double/integer. The program has successfully worked for the following functions \rightarrow sqrt, floor, ceil, pow, log10.

FLOW OF THE PROGRAM \rightarrow

- An AF_LOCAL socket will be used for incoming sessions.
- Initially, a queue of max_capacity of 50 has been taken, (which one can change by changing the value of variable queue_size(line-22)) and a Thread pool of size 8 (which one can change by changing the value of variable thread_pool (line-26)).
- server socket is started by calling the function start_server_socket(), all the threads in the thread pool are initialized by calling pthread_create API, in which thread function is passed, and they start waiting for the connection.
- As the client requests hit, this is enqueued in a queue. Pthread condition initializer is used to signal the threads about the requests.
- Threads keep on dequing and process the requests until the queue is empty. Meanwhile pthread_mutex_initializer to avoid bad pointers (as multiple threads try to deque at the same time i.e race condition).
- The requests are sent to handle_connection function which extracts the dll_name, function_name, and function_arguments.
- The handle_connection function further checks the validity of arguments before casting them into double.
- Handle_connection further calls the dll_invoker function, which returns the double data type for valid arguments. dll_invoker uses dlopen, dlsym etc, APIs.
- The valid result is written back into the file and the server sends the result back to the client.

COMPILATION→

For the compilation of the main file \rightarrow

gcc main.c -lpthread -ldl -o main

 $Run \rightarrow$

Server \rightarrow

• for starting server socket run the following command → ./main server file_path example→ ./main server ./cs303_sock

Client \rightarrow

for the client socket run the following command →
 this expects a dll_name, function name, and function arguments (all three commas separated)

The request should strictly be in the comma-separated format as mentioned below

/main client file_path DLL_NAME,FUNTION_NAME,Funtion_Arguments
example→ ./main client ./cs303_sock /lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/libm.so.6,pow,2,4

For the compilation of the test file \rightarrow

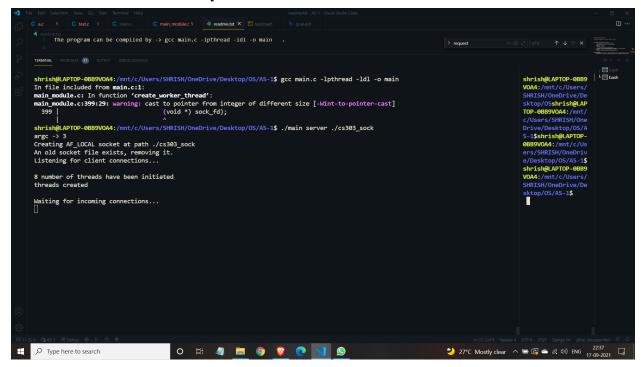
In this file, various functions have been called and tested.

For compilation \rightarrow gcc test.c -lpthread -ldl -o test

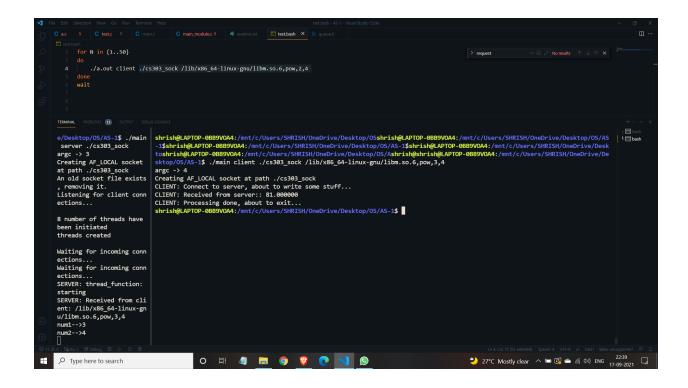
 $Run \rightarrow ./test$

Here the program has been successfully compiled.

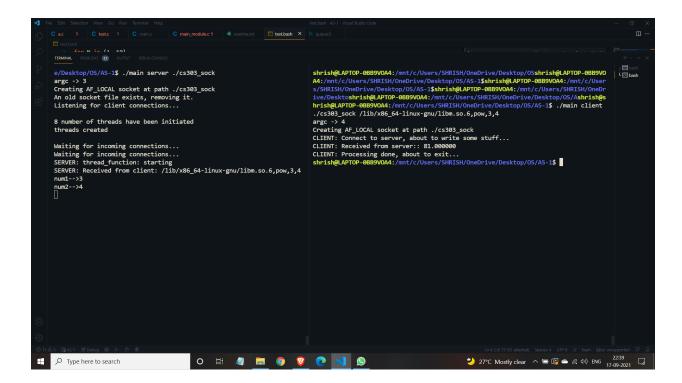
The server has been successfully initialized→



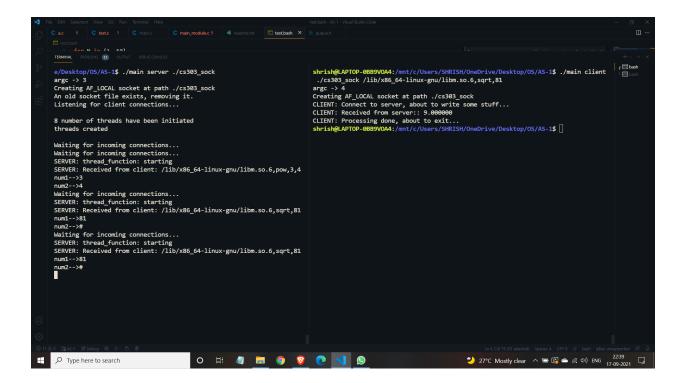
Here the client request has been successfully sent and the server has responded successfully to the request.



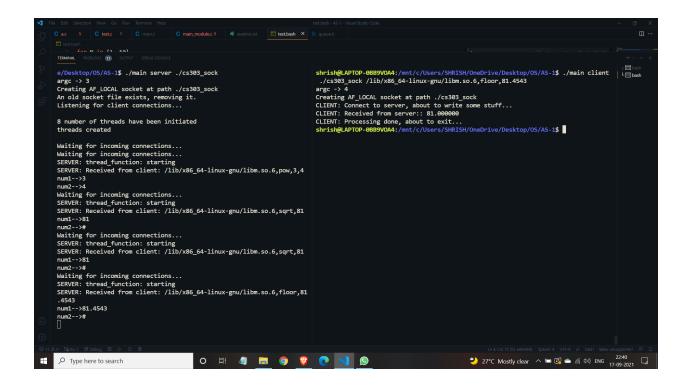
Here the client has requested for power function for arguments $3,4 \rightarrow 3^4$. From the server, the client has received 81.0000 which is the expected result.



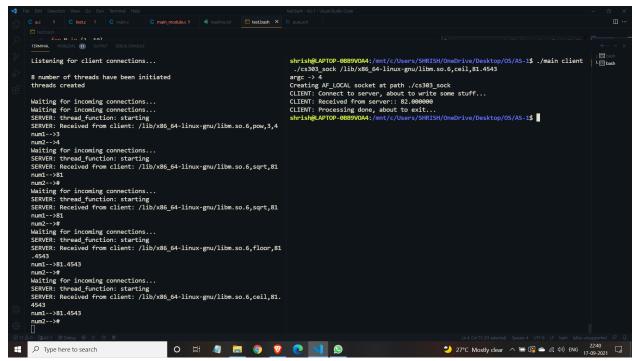
Here the client has requested for square root function for arguments 81. From the server, the client has received 9.0000 which is the expected result.



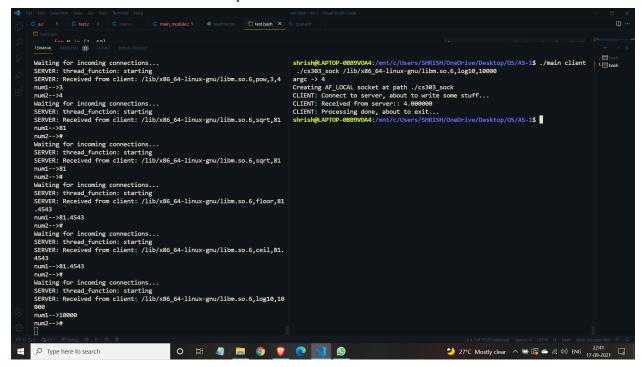
Here the client has requested for floor function for argument 81.4543. From the server, the client has received 81.0000 which is the expected result.



Here the client has requested for ceil function for arguments 81.4543. From the server, the client has received 82.0000 which is the expected result.



Here the client has requested for log10 function for arguments 10000. From the server, the client has received 4.0000 which is the expected result.



The server has received 500 client requests using the bash file (visible in the image) and it responded→

