Assignment 4.1 Four Classical IPC problems using system V IPC

Dining Philosopher

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#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <pthread.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/ipc.h>
#include <sys/sem.h>
#define NUM_PHILOSOPHERS 5
#define NUM FORKS 5
#define LEFT (i)
#define RIGHT ((i+1)%NUM PHILOSOPHERS)
#define THINKING 0
#define HUNGRY 1
#define EATING 2
int state[NUM_PHILOSOPHERS];
int phil[NUM_PHILOSOPHERS] = {0, 1, 2, 3, 4};
int forks[NUM FORKS];
int semid;
union semun {
   int val;
   struct semid_ds *buf;
   unsigned short *array;
};
void grab_forks(int i) {
    struct sembuf semaphore_operation[2];
    semaphore operation[0].sem num = LEFT;
    semaphore_operation[0].sem_op = -1;
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semaphore operation[0].sem flg = 0;
    semaphore_operation[1].sem_num = RIGHT + NUM_PHILOSOPHERS;
    semaphore operation[1].sem op = -1;
    semaphore_operation[1].sem_flg = 0;
    if (semop(semid, semaphore_operation, 2) == -1) {
        perror("semop");
        exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
void put_away_forks(int i) {
    struct sembuf semaphore_operation[2];
    semaphore_operation[0].sem_num = LEFT;
    semaphore operation[0].sem op = 1;
    semaphore_operation[0].sem_flg = 0;
    semaphore operation[1].sem num = RIGHT + NUM PHILOSOPHERS;
    semaphore operation[1].sem op = 1;
    semaphore_operation[1].sem_flg = 0;
   if (semop(semid, semaphore operation, 2) == -1) {
        perror("semop");
        exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
void test(int i) {
   if (state[i] == HUNGRY && state[LEFT] != EATING && state[RIGHT] !=
EATING) {
        state[i] = EATING;
        printf("Philosopher %d is eating\n", i);
void think(int i) {
   printf("Philosopher %d is thinking\n", i);
    sleep(rand() % 3 + 1); // Simulate thinking
void eat(int i) {
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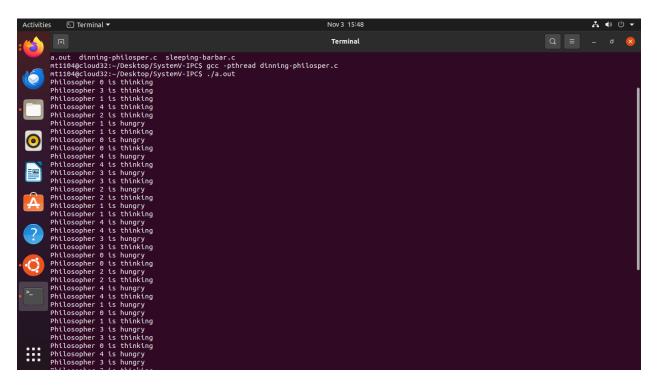
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printf("Philosopher %d is hungry\n", i);
   grab_forks(i);
   test(i);
   put away forks(i);
void *philosopher(void *arg) {
   int i = *((int*)arg);
   while (1) {
       think(i);
        eat(i);
int main() {
   int i;
   semid = semget(IPC_PRIVATE, 2 * NUM_PHILOSOPHERS, 0666 | IPC_CREAT);
   if (semid == -1) {
       perror("semget");
       exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
   union semun arg;
   arg.val = 1;
   for (i = 0; i < NUM_PHILOSOPHERS; i++) {</pre>
        if (semctl(semid, i, SETVAL, arg) == -1) {
            perror("semctl");
            exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
        if (semctl(semid, i + NUM_PHILOSOPHERS, SETVAL, arg) == -1) {
            perror("semctl");
            exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
   for (i = 0; i < NUM_FORKS; i++) {
       forks[i] = 1;
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// Create philosopher threads
pthread_t philosophers[NUM_PHILOSOPHERS];

for (i = 0; i < NUM_PHILOSOPHERS; i++) {
    pthread_create(&philosophers[i], NULL, philosopher, (void
*)&phil[i]);
}

// Wait for threads to finish (this won't happen)
for (i = 0; i < NUM_PHILOSOPHERS; i++) {
    pthread_join(philosophers[i], NULL);
}

// Clean up semaphores
semctl(semid, 0, IPC_RMID);
return 0;
}</pre>
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Sleeping Barber

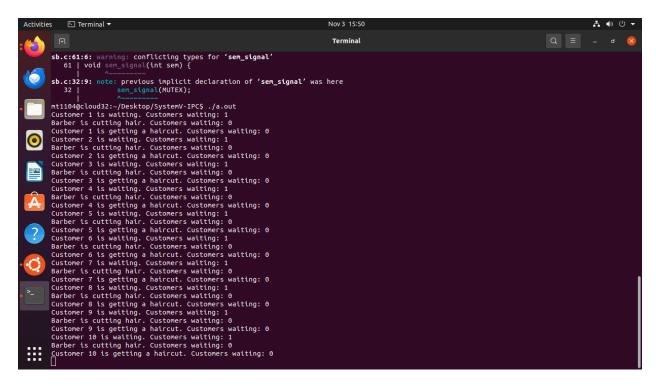
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#include <stdio.h>
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#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/ipc.h>
#include <sys/sem.h>
#include <sys/shm.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <pthread.h>
#define KEY 1234
#define WAITING_ROOM_SIZE 5
union semun {
      int val;
      struct semid ds *buf;
      unsigned short *array;
      struct seminfo *__buf;
};
int create_semaphore_set(int n, int initial_value) {
      int semid = semget(KEY, n, IPC_CREAT | 0666);
      if (semid == -1) {
      perror("semget");
      exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
      union semun arg;
      arg.val = initial_value;
      for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
      if (semctl(semid, i, SETVAL, arg) == -1) {
            perror("semctl");
            exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
      return semid;
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int create shared memory(size t size) {
      int shmid = shmget(KEY, size, IPC_CREAT | 0666);
     if (shmid == -1) {
     perror("shmget");
     exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
     return shmid;
int main() {
     int barber_chair = create_semaphore_set(1, 1);
     int customers = create semaphore set(1, ∅);
     int barber_sleeping = create_semaphore_set(1, 0);
      int barber_awake = create_semaphore_set(1, 0);
     int waiting_room = create_shared_memory(WAITING ROOM SIZE *
sizeof(int));
     pid_t barber_pid = fork();
     if (barber pid == -1) {
     perror("fork");
     exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
     if (barber_pid == 0) {
     while (1) {
            sem_wait(customers);
            sem_wait(barber_chair);
            int *waiting_room_ptr = shmat(waiting_room, NULL, 0);
            int customer id = waiting room ptr[0];
            shmdt(waiting_room_ptr);
            printf("Barber is cutting hair of customer %d\n", customer id);
            sleep((rand() % 3) + 1);
            printf("Barber finished cutting hair of customer %d\n",
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customer id);
            sem_post(barber_awake);
     } else {
     for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++) {
            pid_t customer_pid = fork();
            if (customer pid == -1) {
                  perror("fork");
                  exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
            if (customer_pid == 0) {
                  sem_wait(barber_chair);
                  sem post(customers);
                  int *waiting_room_ptr = shmat(waiting_room, NULL, 0);
                  for (int j = 0; j < WAITING_ROOM_SIZE; j++) {</pre>
                  if (waiting_room_ptr[j] == 0) {
                        waiting_room_ptr[j] = i;
                        printf("Customer %d is waiting in the waiting
room.\n", i);
                        break;
                  shmdt(waiting_room_ptr);
                  sem_wait(barber_awake);
                  printf("Customer %d is having a haircut.\n", i);
                  exit(EXIT_SUCCESS);
     for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++) {
            wait(NULL);
      semctl(barber_chair, 0, IPC_RMID);
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semctl(customers, 0, IPC_RMID);
semctl(barber_sleeping, 0, IPC_RMID);
semctl(barber_awake, 0, IPC_RMID);
shmctl(waiting_room, IPC_RMID, NULL);
}
return 0;
}
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Reader Writer

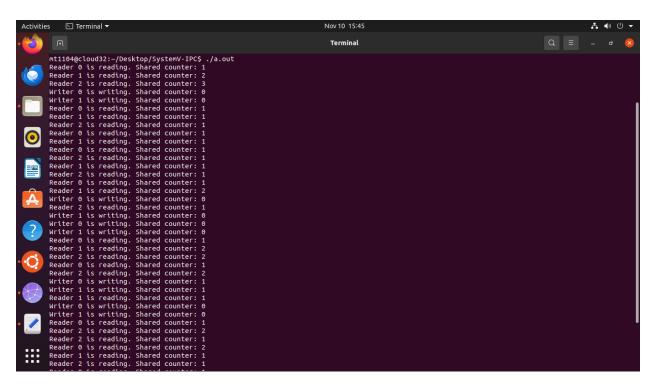
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#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/ipc.h>
#include <sys/sem.h>
#include <sys/wait.h>
#include <sys/shm.h>
#define SHM_KEY ftok(".", 'R')
#define SEM_KEY ftok(".", 'S')
#define NUM_READERS 3
#define NUM_WRITERS 2
int shmid;
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int semid;
void reader(int id);
void writer(int id);
void initialize();
void destroy();
union semun {
int val;
struct semid ds *buf;
unsigned short *array;
};
int main() {
int i;
pid_t pid;
initialize();
for (i = 0; i < NUM READERS; i++) {</pre>
if ((pid = fork()) == 0) {
reader(i);
exit(0);
for (i = 0; i < NUM WRITERS; i++) {
if ((pid = fork()) == 0) {
writer(i);
exit(0);
for (i = 0; i < NUM_READERS + NUM_WRITERS; i++) {</pre>
wait(NULL);
destroy();
return 0;
void initialize() {
if ((shmid = shmget(SHM_KEY, sizeof(int), IPC_CREAT | 0666)) == -1) {
perror("shmget");
exit(1);
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int *shared_counter = shmat(shmid, NULL, 0);
*shared counter = 0;
if ((semid = semget(SEM_KEY, 3, IPC_CREAT | 0666)) == -1) {
perror("semget");
exit(1);
union semun arg;
arg.val = 1; // semaphore for controlling access to shared_counter
if (semctl(semid, 0, SETVAL, arg) == -1) {
perror("semctl");
exit(1);
arg.val = 0; // semaphore for counting the number of readers
if (semctl(semid, 1, SETVAL, arg) == -1) {
perror("semctl");
exit(1);
arg.val = 1; // semaphore for controlling access to shared resource
if (semctl(semid, 2, SETVAL, arg) == -1) {
perror("semctl");
exit(1);
void destroy() {
int *shared_counter = shmat(shmid, NULL, 0);
shmdt(shared_counter);
if (shmctl(shmid, IPC RMID, NULL) == -1) {
perror("shmctl");
exit(1);
if (semctl(semid, 0, IPC_RMID) == -1) {
perror("semctl");
exit(1);
void reader(int id) {
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int *shared counter = shmat(shmid, NULL, ∅);
while (1) {
struct sembuf wait sem = {0, -1, 0};
semop(semid, &wait_sem, 1);
(*shared counter)++;
if (*shared counter == 1) {
struct sembuf lock_resource_sem = {2, -1, 0};
semop(semid, &lock_resource_sem, 1);
struct sembuf signal sem = {0, 1, 0};
semop(semid, &signal_sem, 1);
printf("Reader %d is reading. Shared counter: %d\n", id, *shared counter);
semop(semid, &wait sem, 1);
(*shared counter)--;
if (*shared_counter == 0) {
struct sembuf release resource sem = {2, 1, 0};
semop(semid, &release_resource_sem, 1);
semop(semid, &signal_sem, 1);
sleep(rand() % 3);
void writer(int id) {
int *shared_counter = shmat(shmid, NULL, 0);
while (1) {
struct sembuf wait resource sem = {2, -1, 0};
semop(semid, &wait_resource_sem, 1);
printf("Writer %d is writing. Shared counter: %d\n", id, *shared counter);
struct sembuf signal_resource_sem = {2, 1, 0};
semop(semid, &signal_resource_sem, 1);
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// Sleep for a random period before writing again
sleep(rand()%5);
}
}
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Producer Consumer

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#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/ipc.h>
#include <sys/sem.h>
#include <sys/shm.h>
#define SHARED_MEMORY_KEY 1234
#define SEMAPHORE_KEY 5678
#define BUFFER_SIZE 5
// Structure of the shared circular buffer
struct CircularBuffer {
int buffer[BUFFER_SIZE];
int in;
int out;
};
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void producer(int shmid, int sem id, int totalItems) {
struct CircularBuffer *buffer = (struct CircularBuffer *)shmat(shmid, 0,
0);
int itemsProduced = 0;
while (itemsProduced < totalItems) {</pre>
struct sembuf wait_produce[1] = {{0, -1, SEM_UNDO}}; // Wait for space in
semop(sem id, wait produce, 1);
int item = rand() % 100; // Generate random item
printf("Producing item: %d\n", item);
buffer->buffer[buffer->in] = item;
buffer->in = (buffer->in + 1) % BUFFER SIZE;
struct sembuf signal_produce[1] = {{1, 1, SEM_UNDO}}}; // Signal that an
semop(sem_id, signal_produce, 1);
itemsProduced++;
void consumer(int shmid, int sem id, int totalItems) {
struct CircularBuffer *buffer = (struct CircularBuffer *)shmat(shmid, 0,
0);
int itemsConsumed = 0;
while (itemsConsumed < totalItems) {</pre>
struct sembuf wait_consume[1] = {{1, -1, SEM_UNDO}}; // Wait for an item in
semop(sem id, wait consume, 1);
int item = buffer->buffer[buffer->out];
printf("Consuming item: %d\n", item);
buffer->out = (buffer->out + 1) % BUFFER SIZE;
struct sembuf signal_consume[1] = {{0, 1, SEM_UNDO}}}; // Signal that an
semop(sem id, signal consume, 1);
itemsConsumed++;
int main() {
int shmid = shmget(SHARED_MEMORY_KEY, sizeof(struct CircularBuffer), 0666 |
IPC CREAT);
if (shmid == -1) {
perror("Shared memory creation failed");
exit(EXIT FAILURE);
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int sem_id = semget(SEMAPHORE_KEY, 2, 0666 | IPC_CREAT);
if (sem_id == -1) {perror("Semaphore creation failed");
exit(EXIT FAILURE);
structCircularBuffer *buffer = (struct CircularBuffer *)shmat(shmid, 0, 0);
buffer->in = 0;
buffer->out = 0;
int totalItems = 10; // Define the total number of items to be produced and
semctl(sem_id, 0, SETVAL, BUFFER_SIZE); // Initialize semaphore 0 to buffer
available space)
semctl(sem_id, 1, SETVAL, 0); // Initialize semaphore 1 to 0 (indicating no
int pid = fork();
if (pid == 0) {
producer(shmid, sem_id, totalItems);
} else if (pid > 0) {
consumer(shmid, sem_id, totalItems);
perror("Fork failed");
exit(EXIT_FAILURE);}
shmdt(buffer);
shmctl(shmid, IPC_RMID, NULL);
semctl(sem_id, 0, IPC_RMID);
return 0;
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