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## LAB-4 EXERCISE

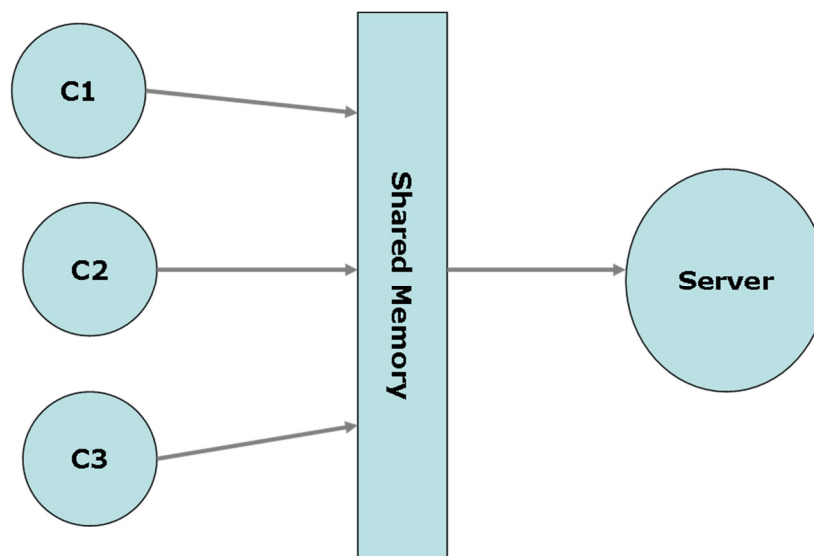
Course No.: IS F462

Deadline: 10th Mar 2020

Course Title: Network Programming

Maximum Marks: 20M

Write C programs client.c and server.c that do the following.



C1 and C2 and C3 are process instances of client program. Client writes the following data item to shared memory for N (taken as CLA) times. Server reads the data from shared memory in an infinite loop and sums up a, b and prints as stated below.

Since shared memory is limited, there is a need for synchronization. Create shared memory of size M (taken as CLA on server) bytes. Use semaphores to synchronize the use of shared memory among the clients and the server.

```
struct data_item{
    pid_t pid; //clients pid
    int slno; // incremented for every item
    int a; //any number
    int b; //any number
};
```

Print client's pid, slno, a and b, shmid, semaphore value for every item the client puts in. Print server's pid (with label "server"), slno, a, b, sum of a and b, shmid, and semaphore value for every item it processes. When server is exited through ctrl-c, it prints pid wise count of data items it processed.



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**Files Expected:** A tar file `<idno>_lab4.tar` containing `shm_client.c`, `shm_server.c` and `makefile` to compile your program.

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