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Real-Time Applications and Embedded Systems

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Q1. Select the most correct answer. Write down your final answers in the following table. (18 points)
^{2 each}

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
a	b	b	a	a	b	b	b	b

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- 1) Condition variables can cause the release of the mutex inside the critical section.

a. TRUE b. FALSE
- 2) Marshalling in RPC is performed by the client stub only

a. TRUE b. FALSE
- 3) The Win32 shared memory can be used between different processes on the same network

a. TRUE b. FALSE
- 4) Mailslots in Win32 can receive messages from processes on different machine in the same network

a. True b. False
- 5) A TCP Server can handle more than one client socket without using threads

a. True b. False
- 6) In a real time system the correctness of the system depends only on the timing

a. True b. False output clear
- 7) A pthread can wait for the completion of a nondetached thread by using pthread_wait()

a. TRUE b. FALSE
- 8) The maximum number of message types supported by a message queue is 1024

a. True b. False ^{2¹⁰}
- 9) When a signal is masked (blocked) it will never be delivered

a. True b. False

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Q2. (12 points)

a. What is the main advantage and main disadvantage to using shared memory for IPC?

advantages : its fast since its pointer to address

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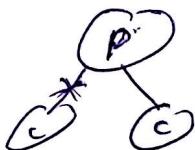
disadvantages : we have to do everything by hand like Mutex, synchronization, security --

b. When a parent process creates a pipe then calls fork twice, what is the status of the pipe in terms of connections?

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the pipe will be connected to ~~both the children~~ ^{one of the children}

ie when parent writes data to pipe one of the children will take it not both. else when



~~one child~~ if both writes it will take from one of them \Rightarrow it will be connected to one of them.

(its randomly to what child it will be connected)

c. What is the main advantage of using a message queue instead of named pipe in IPC?

in Message Queue we can add a "Type" to the message

\Rightarrow when a process requests a Message with type=x \Rightarrow it will get the first Message in the queue with type x . In contrast in named pipes there is no pipe \Rightarrow we can't guarantee which process will

take the message from FIFO pipe

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Q3) (70 points) multipart downloader, The idea is to have the file content distributed amongst clients, the system consists of clients (peers) and a server.

- when the client need to download a file it will connect to the server and send file name the server will respond with text file that contains the information about each part (assume that there is a ready Function GetFileInfo(char*) that does that and save the file in path INFOFILE) 
 - The file format is as follows

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N // number of file parts

Id *size* *IP port* // for each file part

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3. The client then creates a connection for each file part send the id and download the content (each connection in new process).
 4. All processes use a single shared memory to write the different file part
 5. Once all parts are downloaded the main process save it to the final file

Implement the client (under Linux)

- a) You should use sockets for client/client communication
 - b) Only implement the client part responsible for the steps above
 - c) Keep your final code in the specified area

Good Luck

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#define key 200
void downloadPart(int Acksize, int id, int size, char *IP, int port);
int getTotalSize(FILE *f, int N);

int main() {
    char fileName[20] = "file.txt";
    getFileInfo(fileName); (S)
    FILE *f = fopen(INFOFILE, "r");
    int totalSizes; getTotalSize(f)
    int N; fscanf(f, "%d", &N);
    int totalSize = getTotalSize(f, N); (T) } get total size of file
    // Now creating shared Memory
    int shm_id = shmyct(KEY, totalSize, 0); } create shared memory
    char *b = shmat(shm_id, NULL, 0); and attached to it
    Sum sumSum = 0; // Base address for each part (cumulative sum)
    f = fopen(INFOFILE, "r");
    fscanf(f, "%d", &N);
    for (int i = 0; i < N; i++) { // traverse each part
        int id, port, size;
        char IP[20]
        scanf(f, "%d %s %d", &id, &size, &IP, &port);
        if (!fork()) {
            downloadPart(comShm, id, size, IP, port);
(S)
        }
        AckSum += size; // base address for next process
    }
}

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int getTotalSize(FILE *f, int N) {
    int sum = 0;
    for (i=0; i<N; i++) {
        int id, size, part;
        char IP[20];
        fscanf(f, "%d %d %d %s", &id, &size, &part, IP);
        sum += size;
    }
    fclose(f);
    return sum;
}

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~~Shared Part~~

main J1 else

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int j
for(j=0; j< N, j++)
    wait(NULL); // wait until them to finish

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char *totalFile = (char*) malloc(sizeof(char)*
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strcpy(totalFile, b);                                } copy to string
FILE *outfile = fopen("outfile", "w");                } print shared
fprintf(outfile, "%s", totalFile);                   } memory to file
fclose(outfile);
shmdt(b);                                         } detach
shmctl(shm_id, IPC_RMSHM_RM, NULL);          } remove shared memory

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return 0;

}

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int shmid = shmidt("key", S_IWUSR | S_IRUSR, 0);
char *b = shmat(shmid, NULL, 0); // original base address
b += offset; // move to its location
char *org = b;

void downloadPart(int cum_size, int id, int size, char *b, int part) {
    int fd = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_STREAM, 0);

    struct sockaddr_in peer;
    Peer.sin_family = AF_INET;
    Peer.sin_port = htons(part);
    Peer.sin_addr.s_addr = inet_addr(IP);

    if ((connect(fd, (struct sockaddr *)&Peer, sizeof(Peer)) < 0)) {
        perror("connect");
        exit(1);
    }

    if ((write(fd, &id, sizeof(id)) < 0)) { // 5
        perror("write");
        exit(2);
    }

    char Buff[1024];
    while (size > 0) { // read until the size finishes
        if ((numBytes = read(fd, Buff, 1024)) < 0) { // 6
            perror("read");
            exit(3);
        }

        size -= numBytes; // 7
        sprintf(b, "%s", buff); // 8
        b += numBytes; // shift shmemory address
    }

    shmdt(org);
    close(fd);
}

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attach to shared memory

create sockaddr_in object

connection

send id to peer

read data and store it to shared memory

detach and close file

Signals & Processes

```
typedef void (*sighandler_t)(int);  
  
sighandler_t signal(int signum,  
sighandler_t handler);  
  
int raise(int sig);  
  
int kill(pid_t pid, int sig);
```

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pid_t getpid(void);
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pid_t getppid(void);  
pid_t fork(void);
```

pipes

```
int pipe(int* fd);  
  
int close(int fd);  
  
Int read(int fd ,void* buf, int bufsize);  
  
Int write(int fd ,void* buf, int bufsize);
```

fifo

```
int mknod( char *pathname, mode_t mode, dev_t dev);  
  
int fopen(FIFO_name, "rw");  
  
int fclose(int fd);
```

Message queue

```
int msgget ( key_t key, int msgflg );  
  
int msgsnd ( int msqid, struct msgbuf *msgp, int msgsz, int msgflg );  
  
int msgrcv ( int msqid, struct msgbuf *msgp, int msgsz, long mtype, int  
msgflg );  
  
int msgctl( int msgqid, int cmd, struct msqid_ds *buf );, IPC_RMID
```

```
struct msgbuf {  
    long mtype; /* type of message */  
    char mtext[1]; /* message data */  
};
```

Shared memory

```
int shmget ( key_t key, int size, int shmflg );
int shmat ( int shmid, char *shmaddr, int flg);
int shmctl ( int shmid, int cmd, struct shmid_ds *buf );
int shmdt ( char *shmaddr );
```

Semaphore

```
int semget ( key_t key, int nsems, int semflg );
int semop ( int semid, struct sembuf *sops, unsigned nsops);
int semctl ( int semid, int semnum, int cmd, union semun arg );
union semun {
    int val; /* value for SETVAL */
    struct semid_ds *buf; // buffer for IPC_
    ushort *array; // array for GETALL & SETALL
    struct seminfo *__buf; // buffer for IPC_INFO
    void * __pad;
}
```

```
struct sembuf {
    ushort sem_num;
    short sem_op;
    short sem_flg; };
    acquire = {0, -1, SEM_UNDO},
    release = {0, 1, SEM_UNDO};
```

sockets

```
fd = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_STREAM, 0);
bind(fd, (struct sockaddr*) &srv,
sizeof(srv));
listen(fd, 5);
accept(fd, (struct sockaddr*) &cli,
&cli_len);
connect(fd, (struct sockaddr*) &srv,
sizeof(srv));
```

```
struct sockaddr_in {
    u_char sin_family; /* Address Family */
    u_short sin_port; /* UDP or TCP Port# */
    /* network byte ordered */
    struct in_addr sin_addr; /* Internet Address */
    char sin_zero[8]; /* unused */
};
```

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nbytes = recvfrom(fd, buf,
sizeof(buf), 0 , (struct sockaddr*)
cli, &cli_len);

sendto(fd, buf, sizeof(buf), 0 ,
(struct sockaddr*) &srv, sizeof(srv));

unsigned long htonl(unsigned long hostlong);
unsigned short htons(unsigned short hostshort)
unsigned long ntohl(unsigned long netlong);

unsigned short ntohs(unsigned short netshort);
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Threads

```
int pthread_create (pthread_t * id, const pthread_attr_t **attrib ,
void (*thread_fun)(void*), void *arguments);

pthread_join (pthread_t thread, void **status)

pthread_exit( );

pthread_mutex_t lock;

pthread_mutex_lock( &lock ) ;

pthread_mutex_unlock( &lock )

pthread_cond_t SpaceAvailable;

pthread_cond_init (&SpaceAvailable, NULL );

pthread_cond_wait (&condition, &mutex)

pthread_cond_signal(&condition)

pthread_cond_broadcast(&condition)
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