

Write a C program to simulate producer-consumer problem.

DESCRIPTION

Producer-consumer problem, is a common paradigm for cooperating processes. A producer process produces information that is consumed by a consumer process. One solution to the producer-consumer problem uses shared memory. To allow producer and consumer processes to run concurrently, there must be available a buffer of items that can be filled by the producer and emptied by the consumer. This buffer will reside in a region of memory that is shared by the producer and consumer processes. A producer can produce one item while the consumer is consuming another item. The producer and consumer must be synchronized, so that the consumer does not try to consume an item that has not yet been produced.

- **Producer:** Generates data and places it into the shared buffer.
- **Consumer:** Retrieves data from the shared buffer and processes it.
- **Shared Buffer:** A fixed-size memory area used for communication between the producer and consumer.
- **Synchronization:** Mechanisms like semaphores are used to control access to the buffer and prevent race conditions.

OUTPUT

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1. Produce 2. Consume 3. Exit
Enter your choice: 2
Buffer is Empty
1. Produce 2. Consume 3. Exit
Enter your choice: 1
Enter the value: 100
1. Produce 2. Consume 3. Exit
Enter your choice: 2
The consumed value is 100
1. Produce 2. Consume 3. Exit
Enter your choice: 3
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