

4. Write a C/C++ program which demonstrates interprocess communication between a reader process and a writer process. Use mkfifo, open, read, write and close APIs in your program.

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/*Writer Process*/

#include <stdio.h>
#include <fcntl.h>
#include <sys/stat.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main()
{
    int fd;
    char buf[1024];

    /* create the FIFO (named pipe) */
    char * myfifo = "/tmp/myfifo";
    mkfifo(myfifo, 0666);
    printf("Run Reader process to read the FIFO File\n");
    fd = open(myfifo, O_WRONLY);
    write(fd,"Hi", sizeof("Hi"));

    /* write "Hi" to the FIFO */
    close(fd);
    unlink(myfifo); /* remove the FIFO */
    return 0;
}
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/* Reader Process */

#include <fcntl.h>
#include <sys/stat.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <stdio.h>

#define MAX_BUF 1024

int main()
{
    int fd;

    /* A temp FIFO file is not created in reader */
    char *myfifo = "/tmp/myfifo";
    char buf[MAX_BUF];

    /* open, read, and display the message from the FIFO */
    fd = open(myfifo, O_RDONLY);
    read(fd, buf, MAX_BUF);
    printf("Writer: %s\n", buf);
    close(fd);
    return 0;
}
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