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Trace of testfork

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% gcc217 testfork.c -o testfork
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int main(void)
{
    printf("%d parent\n",
           (int) getpid());
    fflush(stdin);
    fflush(stdout);
    fork();
    printf("%d parent and child\n",
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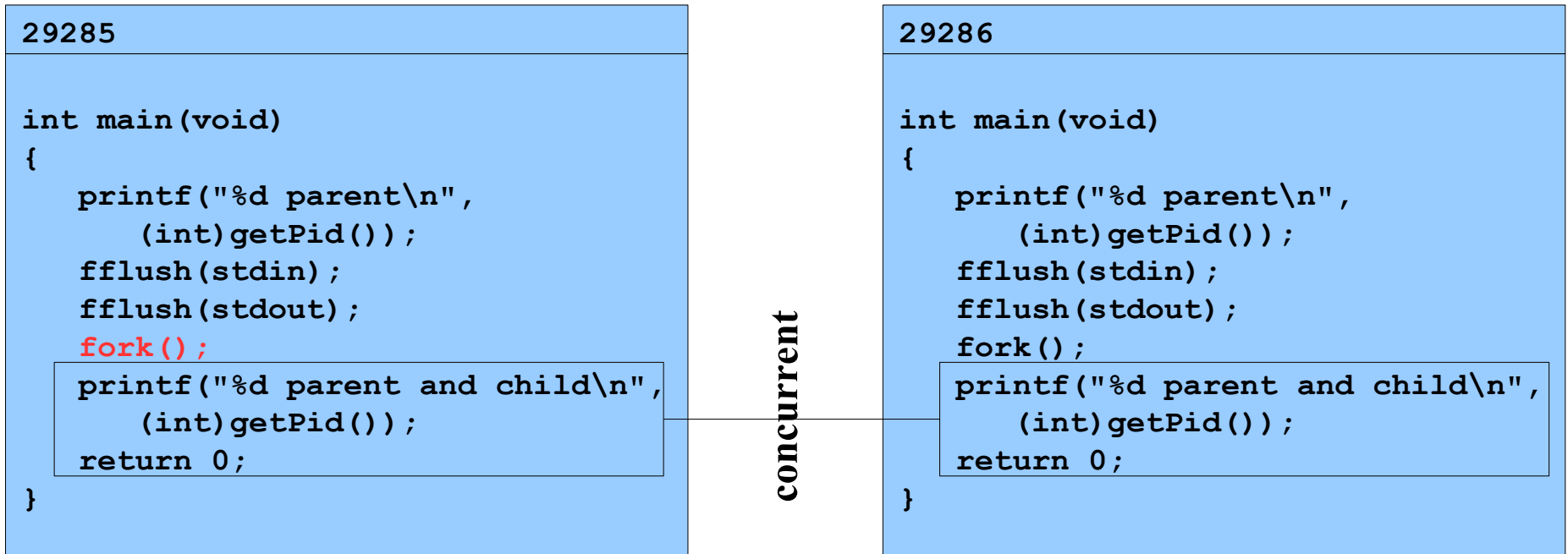
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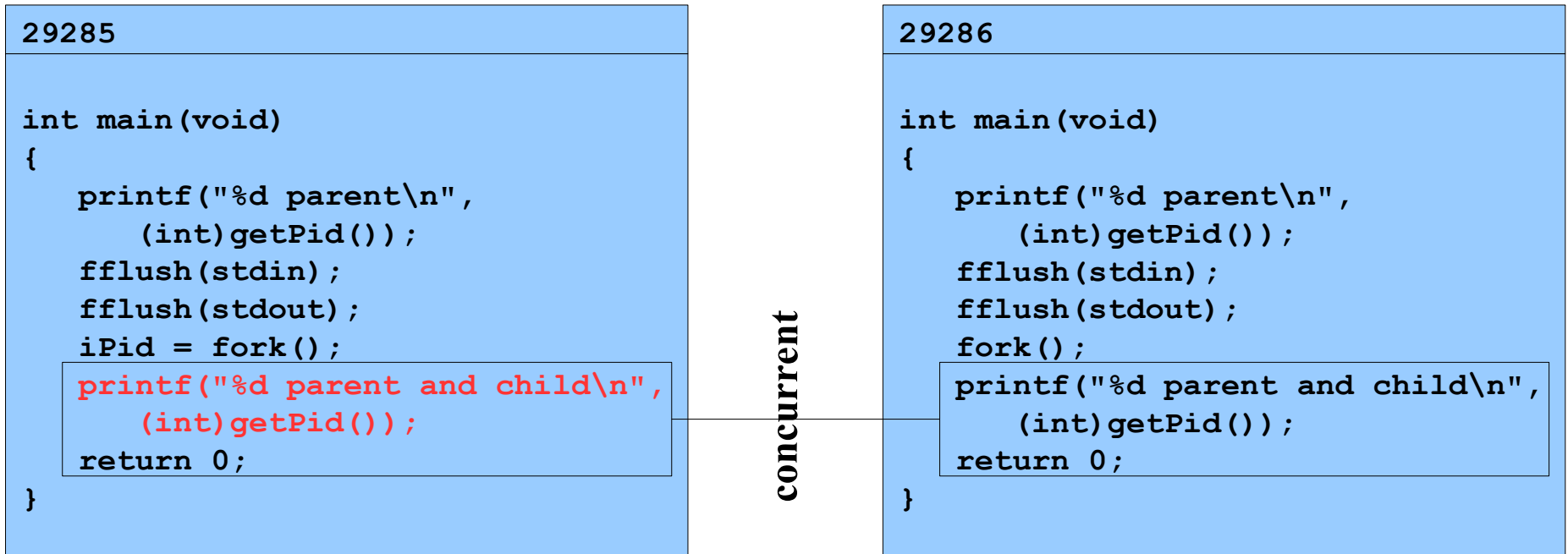
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    printf("%d parent\n",  
          (int) getpid());  
    fflush(stdin);  
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    fork();  
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          (int) getpid());  
    fflush(stdin);  
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    fork();  
    printf("%d parent and child\n",  
          (int) getpid());  
    return 0;  
}
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