Process Synchronization

Scenario Statement:

Suppose there are four processes (P1, P2, P3, P4), and three semaphore variables (A, B, C).

- I) Process P2 must execute before process P1.
- II) Process P4 must execute after process P3.
- III) Process P3 executes after process P2.

Initial values of each semaphore are as

$$A = 0$$
, $B = 0$, $C = 0$

Execute all the processes successfully using process synchronization operations wait() and signal().

P2 > P1

P3 > P4

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P2	P3	P1	P4
Signal(A); Print(P2);	Wait(A); Signal(A); Print(P3); Signal(B);	Wait(B); Signal(B); Print(P1); Signal(C);	Wait(C); Signal(C); Print(P4);

Solution:

P1	P2	P3	P4
Wait(B);		Wait(A);	Wait(C);
Signal(B); Print(P1); Signal(C);	Signal(A); Print(P2);	Signal(A); Print(P3); Signal(B);	Signal(C); Print(P4);

Wait(S): while S<=0 do nothing

S = S-1

Signal(S): S = S-1