

db_{sol3}

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Exercise 3

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1) Recoverability

1. Prove the following

a) Every schedule belonging to avoid cascading abort (ACA) is also recoverable (RC)

Supposing that s fulfills the requirements for **ACA** and given that:

- a commit action must be always the last of the transaction
- reads x from t_j in $s \rightarrow c_j < r_i(x)$

We directly have that also $c_j < c_i$, which is the requirement for RC. So $s \in ACA \rightarrow s \in RC$

b) Each schedule that is strict is also in ACA

2. Test if in RC, ACA, ST

a) $s1 = r3(y) \ r1(x) \ w1(x) \ r2(x) \ c1 \ w3(y) \ w2(x) \ c3 \ c2$

- **RC** Yes, $t2$ reads from $t1$ and $c1 < c2$
- **ACA** No, $t2$ reads from $t1$ but $c1 > r2(x)$. In case of abort of the transaction $t1$ we could still have problems here. So it's also not **ST**

b) $s2 = r2(x) \ r3(y) \ w2(x) \ c2 \ r3(x) \ w3(x) \ c3 \ r1(x) \ w1(x) \ c1$

- **RC** Yes, $t3$ reads from $t2$ and $c2 < c3$, $t1$ reads from $t3$ and $c3 < c1$
- **ACA** Yes, $t3$ reads from $t2$ and $c2 < r3(x)$, $t1$ reads from $t3$ and $c3 < r1(x)$
- **ST** Yes, we can check easily that after every write of $w_i(x)$ we have a c_i , there are no writes or reads of x between last write and commit.

c) $s3 = r1(x) \ w1(x) \ r3(x) \ w3(x) \ c3 \ r2(x) \ w2(x) \ c2 \ a1$

- **RC** No, because $t3$ reads from $t1$ but there is not a commit $c1$. So as logical consequence $s3$ it's not also **ACA** or **ST**

2) 2PL / S2PL / Deadlock handling

1. Prove that schedules produced by 2PL are conflict serializable.

The complete proof of this is given at page 70. In other words we

- take the rules for the application of locking
- see that if two transactions are in conflict we must negate one of the constraint of 2PL
- see that the graph generated by 2PL is acyclic

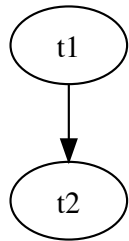
2. Given

- $s1 = w1(x) \ r2(y) \ r1(x) \ c1 \ r2(x) \ w2(y) \ c2$
- $s2 = w1(x) \ r2(y) \ r1(x) \ c1 \ r2(x) \ w2(y) \ a2$
- $s3 = r1(x) \ r2(x) \ w3(x) \ w4(x) \ w1(x) \ c1 \ w2(x) \ c2 \ c3 \ c4$

a) Compute the conflict graphs of the schedules above.

- $s1$

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digraph s1 {
  t1 -> t2;
}
```



Which is an acyclic graph, so $s1 \in CSR$

- s2

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digraph s1 {
  t1;
  t2;
}
  
```



Would be the same as s1, but there's an abort action which deletes the conflict between t1 and t2, so $s2 \in CSR$

- s3

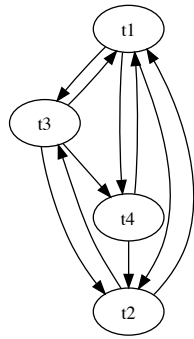
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digraph s3 {
  t1 -> t3;
  t1 -> t2;
  t1 -> t4;
  t2 -> t3;
  t2 -> t1;
  t3 -> t1;
}
  
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t3 -> t2;
t3 -> t4;
t4 -> t2;
t4 -> t1;
}

```



This is a cyclic graph, so $s3 \notin CSR$

b) For each input schedule write down the corresponding schedule indicating the necessary locking (rl/wl) and unlocking (ru/wu) operations.

Write down the resulting output schedules for 2PL (transactions must unlock resources as soon as possible) and S2PL. In case of a deadlock the transaction with the lowest index is aborted. Once aborted, transactions are restarted anew at the end of the original schedule (abort- restart)

- s1

- **2PL:** wl1(x) w1(x) wu1(x) r1(x) c1 rl2(y) wl2(y) r2(y) ru2(y) r2(x) ru2(x) wu2(y) c2

- **S2PL:**

- s2

- **2PL:** wl1(x) w1(x) r1(x) wu1(x) c1

- s3

- **2PL:** There are not possible scheduling, the conflict graph is not acyclic.