notified = false; **Root Cause:** while(!notified) { A data race between signal and rc = pthread\_cond\_timedwait( timedwait. Two possible situation: &cond, &lock, &timeToWait); 1.signal -> timedwait: timedwait if(rc == ETIMEDOUT) { return ETIMEDOUT(>0) in the break; last iteration. 2. timedwait -> signal: Apache3278 timedwait will always return 0.