

1. Explain why implementing synchronization primitives by disabling interrupts is not appropriate in a single-processor system if the synchronization primitives are to be used in user-level programs.

用户级程序不可以赋予禁用中断, 否则他就可以通过这一权限阻止上下文切换, 从而独自占有CPU资源以及当前线程。

2. Explain why interrupts are not appropriate for implementing synchronization primitives in multiprocessor systems.

进程只能关闭当前处理器的中断但多处理器只关一个处理器显然不够, 且进程停止中断不能保证互斥进入程序状态。

3. A university wants to show off how politically correct it is by applying the "Separate but equal is inherently unequal" doctrine to gender as well as race, ending its long-standing practice of gender-segregated bathrooms on campus. However, as a concession to tradition, it decrees that when a woman is in a bathroom, other women may enter, but no men, and vice versa. A sign with a sliding marker on the door of each bathroom indicates which of three possible states it is currently in: Empty, Women present, and Men present. Write the following procedures: woman_wants_to_enter, man_wants_to_enter, woman_leaves, man_leaves, using semaphore.

int man, woman //定义男女性数目

Boolean IsMan, IsWoman //定义2个布尔类型的量以进行标志

Boolean mutex //定义信号量

woman_wants_to_enter:

P(IsWoman)

woman++

IF(Woman=0)

P(mutex)

V(IsWoman)

woman bath

Woman_leaves:

P(IsWoman)

woman--

IF(woman=0)

V(mutex)

V(IsWoman)

man_wants_to_enter:

P(IsMan)

man++

IF(man=0)

P(mutex)

V(IsMan)

man bath

man_leaves:

P(IsMan)

man--

IF(man=0)

V(mutex)

V(IsMan)