Lab Assignment 3: Synchronization and Mutual Exclusion

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(1) Code Orgnization:

Station:

pass_waiting_board : empty seats in the train
seats_left : empty seats on the train
mutex.

Conditions:

available_seats,train_on_board ,pass_wait_board

Functions:

void station load train:

- 1- to notify passengers of the arrival of the train
- 2- to leave when seats are full or all passengers have boarded

void station_wait_for_train:

- 1- Increases number of waiting passengers.
- 2- Increases number of passengers waiting for boarding.
- 3- Decreases number of empty seats.

void station_on_board:

- 1- passenger got a seat and is ready to board
- 2- notify train when all passengers have boarded

(2) Mutex and condition variables:

1- Available_seats:

- passenger waits when no available seats.
- Train signals passengers waiting there is available seats.

2- Pass wait board: (not necessarily)

- waits if no passengers are ready to board.
- signals when a waiting passenger got a seat and is ready to board

3- Train on board:

- waits when there exist empty seats and waiting passengers, and also if there exist passengers that haven't boarded yet.
- signals train when all passengers has boarded , and all seats are taken or no passengers are waiting.