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Operating system

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Part 1:

Semaphore theory

- 1. A counting semaphore is initialized to 7. If 10 wait() and 4 signal() operations are performed, find the final value of the semaphore.**

Answer:

Initial value = 7

10 wait() // $7 - 10 = -3$

4 signal() // $-3 + 4 = 1$

Final value of the semaphore = 1

- 2. A semaphore starts with value 3. If 5 wait() and 6 signal() operations occur, calculate the resulting semaphore value.**

Answer:

Initial value = 3

5 wait() :

$$3 - 5 = -2$$

6 signal():

$$-2 + 6 = 4$$

Final semaphore value = 4

- 3. A semaphore is initialized to 0. If 8 signal() followed by 3 wait() operations are executed, find the final value.**

Answer:

Initial value = 0

8 signal() :

$$0 + 8 = 8$$

3 wait() :

$$8 - 3 = 5$$

Final semaphore value = 5

4. A semaphore is initialized to 2. If 5 wait() operations are executed: a) How many processes enter the critical section?
b) How many processes are blocked?

Answer:

Initial value = 2,
wait() operations=5

a) How many processes enter the critical section?

Only 2. The semaphore allows two entries before hitting zero.

b) How many processes are blocked?

$5 - 2 = 3$ processes are blocked.

5. A semaphore starts at 1. If 3 wait() and 1 signal() operations are performed: a) How many processes remain blocked? b) What is the final semaphore value?

Answer:

Initial value = 1
3 wait(), 1 signal()

Step-by-step:

After 3 wait():

$1 - 3 = -2$ two processes blocked

After 1 signal():

$-2 + 1 = -1$; one process is still blocked

a) How many processes remain blocked?

1 process

b) Final semaphore value = -1

6. semaphore S = 3; wait(S); wait(S); signal(S); wait(S); wait(S);
a) How many processes enter the critical section? b) What is the final value of S?

Answer:

semaphore S = 3

wait(S):

=2

wait(S):

=1

signal(S):

= 2

wait(S):

1

wait(S): $\rightarrow 0$

processes enter the critical section:

\rightarrow 4 processes successfully pass wait() while $S \geq 0$.

b) Final value of $S = 0$

7. semaphore $S = 1$; wait(S); wait(S); signal(S); signal(S); a) How many processes are blocked? b) What is the final value of S?

Answer:

Start: $S = 1$

1. wait(S) $\rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 0$

One process enters

2. wait(S) $\rightarrow 0 \rightarrow -1$

One process is blocked

3. signal(S) $-1 \rightarrow 0$

One blocked process wakes up and enters

4. signal(S) $\rightarrow 0 \rightarrow 1$

Extra free spot added

✓ **only one process is blocked** (only the second wait() caused blocking)

✓ **Final value of S: 1**

8. A binary semaphore is initialized to 1. Five wait() operations are executed without any signal(). How many processes enter the critical section and how many are blocked?

Answer:

Five wait() operations, **no signal()**

Binary semaphore means **only one process allowed at a time.**

Start: $S = 1$

- First `wait()` cause one process to enter.
- Remaining 4 `wait()` gets blocked

➤ **4 processes are blocked**

9. A counting semaphore is initialized to 4. If 6 processes execute `wait()` simultaneously, how many proceed and how many are blocked?

Answer:

As the semaphore is initialized to 4 only 4 processes will be allowed to enter the critical section while the remaining two gets blocked

10. A semaphore S is initialized to 2. `wait(S); wait(S); wait(S); signal(S); signal(S); wait(S);` a) Track the semaphore value after each operation. b) How many processes were blocked at any time?

Answer:

Semaphore initial value is 2

- `Wait()` = $2-1 \Rightarrow 1$ (one process enters the critical section)
 - `Wait()` = $1-1 \Rightarrow 0$ (second process enters the critical section)
 - `Wait()` = $0-1 \Rightarrow -1$ (next process is blocked)
 - `Signal()` = $-1+1 \Rightarrow 0$ (one process leaves the critical section)
 - `Signal()` = $0+1 \Rightarrow 1$ (another process leaves the critical section)
 - `Wait()` = $1-1 \Rightarrow 0$ (Third process enters the critical section)
- ❖ One process was blocked at the third operation

11. A semaphore is initialized to 0. Three processes execute `wait()` before any `signal()`. Later, 5 `signal()` operations are executed. a) How many processes wake up? b) What is the final semaphore value?

Answer:

`Wait()` $0-1 \Rightarrow -1$

`Wait()` $-1-1 \Rightarrow -2$

Wait() $-2-1 \Rightarrow -3$
Signal() $-3+1 \Rightarrow -2$
Signal() $-2+1 \Rightarrow -1$
Signal() $-1+1 \Rightarrow 0$
Signal() $0+1 \Rightarrow 1$
Signal() $1+1 \Rightarrow 2$

Thress process gets wake up during first 3 signals and final semaphore value is 2.

Part 2:

Semaphore Coding Consider the Producer-Consumer problem using semaphores as implemented in Lab-10 (Lab-plan attached).

Rewrite the program in your own coding style, compile and execute it successfully, and explain the working of the code in your own words.

Submission Requirements: • Your rewritten source code • A brief description of how the code works • Screenshots of the program output showing successful execution

Code:

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <pthread.h>
#include <semaphore.h>
#include <unistd.h>

#define BUFFER_SIZE 5
#define ITEMS_PER_THREAD 3

int shared_buffer[BUFFER_SIZE];
int write_index = 0;
int read_index = 0;
```

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sem_t slots_available;
sem_t items_ready;
pthread_mutex_t buffer_lock;

void* producer_workflow(void* thread_id_ptr) {
    int producer_id = *(int*)thread_id_ptr;

    for (int i = 0; i < ITEMS_PER_THREAD; i++) {
        int new_item = (producer_id * 100) + i;

        sem_wait(&slots_available);

        pthread_mutex_lock(&buffer_lock);

        shared_buffer[write_index] = new_item;
        printf("[PRODUCER %d] Created item %d at slot %d\n", producer_id,
new_item, write_index);
        write_index = (write_index + 1) % BUFFER_SIZE;

        pthread_mutex_unlock(&buffer_lock);
        sem_post(&items_ready);

        sleep(1);
    }
    return NULL;
}

void* consumer_workflow(void* thread_id_ptr) {
    int consumer_id = *(int*)thread_id_ptr;

    for (int i = 0; i < ITEMS_PER_THREAD; i++) {

        sem_wait(&items_ready);

        pthread_mutex_lock(&buffer_lock);

        int item_received = shared_buffer[read_index];

```

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        printf("[CONSUMER %d] Picked up item %d from slot %d\n",
consumer_id, item_received, read_index);
        read_index = (read_index + 1) % BUFFER_SIZE;

        pthread_mutex_unlock(&buffer_lock);
        sem_post(&slots_available);

        sleep(2);
    }
    return NULL;
}

int main() {
    pthread_t producers[2], consumers[2];
    int thread_ids[2] = {1, 2};

    sem_init(&slots_available, 0, BUFFER_SIZE);
    sem_init(&items_ready, 0, 0);
    pthread_mutex_init(&buffer_lock, NULL);

    for (int i = 0; i < 2; i++) {
        pthread_create(&producers[i], NULL, producer_workflow,
&thread_ids[i]);
        pthread_create(&consumers[i], NULL, consumer_workflow,
&thread_ids[i]);
    }

    for (int i = 0; i < 2; i++) {
        pthread_join(producers[i], NULL);
        pthread_join(consumers[i], NULL);
    }

    sem_destroy(&slots_available);
    sem_destroy(&items_ready);
    pthread_mutex_destroy(&buffer_lock);

    printf("\nAll items produced and consumed. System shutting down
safely.\n");
    return 0;
}

```


Output:

```
PROBLEMS  OUTPUT  DEBUG CONSOLE  TERMINAL  PORTS
● itsgivingtech@DESKTOP-65N72IV:~/OperatingSystemLabs/Lab 10$ ./Task2-sec2
[PRODUCER 1] Created item 100 at slot 0
[PRODUCER 2] Created item 200 at slot 1
[CONSUMER 1] Picked up item 100 from slot 0
[CONSUMER 2] Picked up item 200 from slot 1
[PRODUCER 2] Created item 201 at slot 2
[PRODUCER 1] Created item 101 at slot 3
[CONSUMER 1] Picked up item 201 from slot 2
[PRODUCER 2] Created item 202 at slot 4
[PRODUCER 1] Created item 102 at slot 0
[CONSUMER 2] Picked up item 101 from slot 3
[CONSUMER 1] Picked up item 202 from slot 4
[CONSUMER 2] Picked up item 102 from slot 0

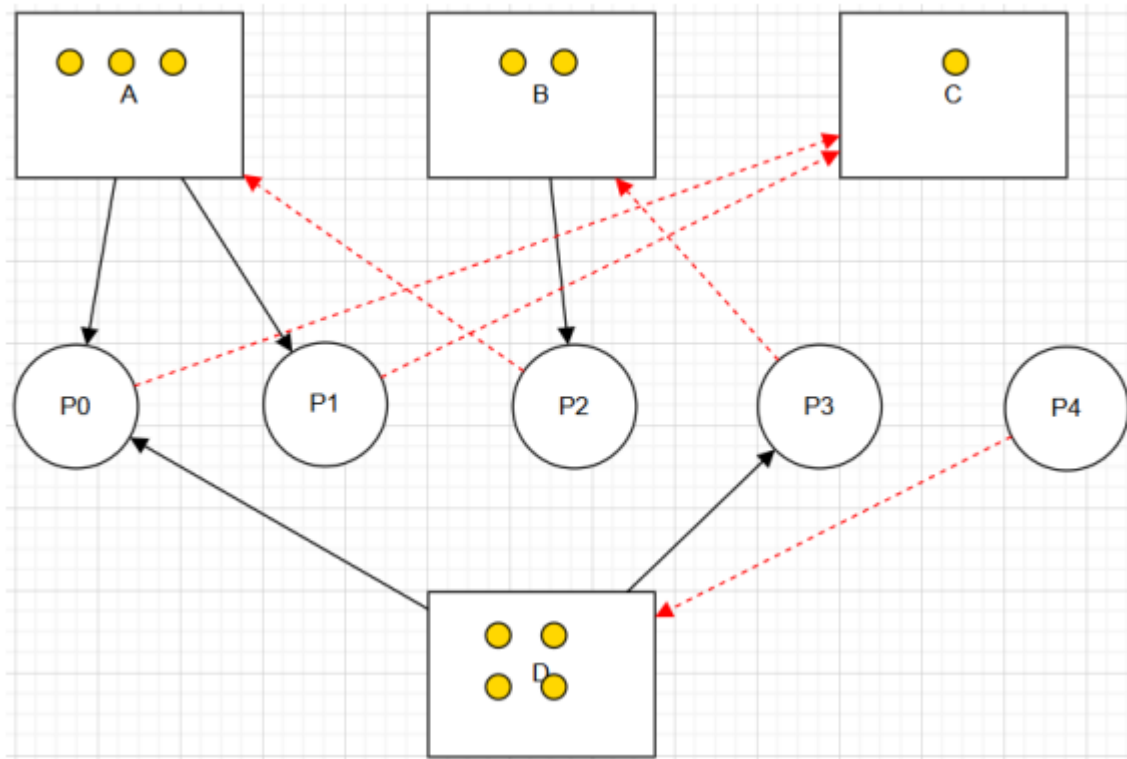
All items produced and consumed. System shutting down safely.
○ itsgivingtech@DESKTOP-65N72IV:~/OperatingSystemLabs/Lab 10$
```

Remarks:

This program simulates a factory where producers create items and consumers use them through a shared buffer. Semaphores are used to make sure producers do not add items when the buffer is full and consumers do not remove items when it is empty. A mutex lock ensures that only one thread accesses the buffer at a time, preventing errors. By coordinating producers and consumers safely, the program ensures that all items are produced and consumed correctly without conflicts or data loss.

Part 3:

RAG (Recurse Allocation Graph) • Convert the following graph into matrix table.



	Allocation				
	A	B	C	D	
P0	1	0	0	1	
P1	1	0	0	0	
P2	0	1	0	0	
P3	0	0	0	1	
P4	0	0	0	0	

Waiting:

	A	B	C	D
P0	0	0	1	0
P1	0	0	1	0
P2	1	0	0	0
P3	0	1	0	0
P4	0	0	0	1

Part 4:

Part 4: Banker's Algorithm System Description: • The system comprises five processes (P0–P3) and four resources (A,B,C,D).

- Total Existing Resources

Total			
A	B	C	D
6	4	4	2

- Snapshot at the initial time stage:

	Allocation				Max				Need			
	A	B	C	D	A	B	C	D	A	B	C	D
P0	2	0	1	1	3	2	1	1				
P1	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	2				
P2	1	0	1	0	3	2	1	0				
P3	0	1	0	1	2	1	0	1				

Need matrix:

	A	B	C	D
P0	1	2	0	0
P1	0	1	0	2
P2	2	2	0	0
P3	2	0	0	0

Available resources:

A :2

B:2

C:2

D:0

Available vector is (2,2,2,0)

Safety check:

. Check P0

- **Need:** (1, 2, 0, 0)
- **Available:** (2, 2, 2, 0)
- **Can it run? Yes,** (1, 2, 0, 0) \leq (2, 2, 2, 0)
- **New Available:** (2, 2, 2, 0) + Allocation (2, 0, 1, 1) = **(4, 2, 3, 1)**

2. Check P1

- **Need:** (0, 1, 0, 2)
- **Available:** (4, 2, 3, 1)
- **Can it run? No,** because Need for Resource D (2) is greater than Available D (1).

3. Check P2

- **Need:** (2, 2, 0, 0)
- **Available:** (4, 2, 3, 1)
- **Can it run? Yes,** (2, 2, 0, 0) \leq (4, 2, 3, 1).
- **New Available:** (4, 2, 3, 1) + Allocation (1, 0, 1, 0) = **(5, 2, 4, 1)**

Check P3

- **Need:** (2, 0, 0, 0)
- **Available:** (5, 2, 4, 1)
- **Can it run? Yes,** (2, 0, 0, 0) \leq (5, 2, 4, 1).
- **New Available:** (5, 2, 4, 1) + Allocation (0, 1, 0, 1) = **(5, 3, 4, 2)**

. Return to P1 (The only remaining process)

- **Need:** (0, 1, 0, 2)
- **Available:** (5, 3, 4, 2)
- **Can it run? Yes,** (0, 1, 0, 2) \leq (5, 3, 4, 2).
- **New Available:** (5, 3, 4, 2) + Allocation (1, 1, 0, 0) = **(6, 4, 4, 2)**

Sequence of processes : **P0→P2→P3→P1**

Step	Process	Work (Available)	Release (Allocation)	New Available
1	P0	(2, 2, 2, 0)	(2, 0, 1, 1)	(4, 2, 3, 1)
2	P2	(4, 2, 3, 1)	(1, 0, 1, 0)	(5, 2, 4, 1)
3	P3	(5, 2, 4, 1)	(0, 1, 0, 1)	(5, 3, 4, 2)
4	P1	(5, 3, 4, 2)	(1, 1, 0, 0)	(6, 4, 4, 2)