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Question **1**

Incorrect

Mark 0.00 out of 10.00

For the Ricart Agarwala's Algorithm discussed; does the algorithm require a heap data structure?

- ☒ a. Yes ✗
- ☐ b. No
- ☐ c. Only to store the timestamps of those processes who are neither in Critical Section nor waiting to enter the critical section

Your answer is incorrect.

The correct answer is:

No

Question **2**

Correct

Mark 10.00 out of 10.00

Mark all that are true

- ☒ a. The Ricart Agrawala's algorithm with work for non-FIFO system of messages ✓
- ☐ b. The Ricart Agrawala's algorithm with work only for FIFO system of messages
- ☒ c. The Lamport Algorithm for Mutual Exclusion works only on FIFO system of messaging ✓
- ☐ d. The Lamport Algorithm for Mutual Exclusion can work on a non-FIFO system of messaging

Your answer is correct.

The correct answers are:

The Ricart Agrawala's algorithm with work for non-FIFO system of messages,

The Lamport Algorithm for Mutual Exclusion works only on FIFO system of messaging

Question 3

Partially correct

Mark 5.00 out of 10.00

Consider the case where process P_i would like to re-enter the CS immediately after exit. Prof A proposes a modified version of Ricart Agarwala's algorithm where: if a process P_i would like to re-enter CS immediately; then Prof A's algorithm allows it to do so without sending out request messages at all. It quietly enters CS and then sends out the reply messages to all processes P_j for which $RD_j=1$. For such an algorithm; mark the correct choices

GMT is greenwich mean time or Global understanding of time.

- ☐ a. The algorithm is incorrect since two processes might enter the CS at the same time
- ☒ b. The algorithm ensures that no two process enter the CS at the same time ✔
- ☐ c. In Ricart Agarwala's algorithm the process who raised the request first by GMT gets the CS first but Prof A's algorithm does not ensure this.
- ☐ d. Both Ricart Agarwala's algorithm and Prof A's algorithm ensures that the process who raised the request first by GMT gets the CS first
- ☐ e. Both Ricart Agarwala's algorithm and Prof A's algorithm do not ensure that the process who raised the request first by GMT gets the CS first

Your answer is partially correct.

You have correctly selected 1.

The correct answers are:

The algorithm ensures that no two process enter the CS at the same time,

Both Ricart Agarwala's algorithm and Prof A's algorithm do not ensure that the process who raised the request first by GMT gets the CS first

Question 4

Not answered

Marked out of 10.00

Consider a system of 10 processes where only two processes want to enter CS. A process P_k has a lot of local events and hence high scalar time when it sends out its broadcast for CS. However, another process P_j has very low scalar time when he requests CS but Process P_j needs to request CS ten times which P_k requires CS only once. By global time or GMT; the first broadcast of P_j and P_k are sent out at the same time. When using the Lamport algorithm which among the below are true

- ☐ a. P_k will get its turn after P_j can enter CS 10 times.
- ☐ b. P_k enters CS after P_j 's first entry into CS. The remaining 9 entries of P_j into CS can happen only after P_j makes its entry into CS.
- ☐ c. Either of P_j or P_k might enter CS first. However, the last 9 entries of P_j into CS can happen only after P_j makes its entry into CS.
- ☐ d. The single entry of P_k into CS can be first or second or third or..... or 11th among the total 11 requests raised in the system

Your answer is incorrect.

The correct answer is:

P_k enters CS after P_j 's first entry into CS. The remaining 9 entries of P_j into CS can happen only after P_j makes its entry into CS.

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