

Assignment 5 OS.

A) False.

Like we saw during the lectures, in the claim 5.17 :

Peterson's algorithm is 1-bounded but is not 0-bounded.

That means that if the process 0 wait in the entry of the <CS> before the process 1, it's possible that the process 1 actually enter in the <CS> before the process 0.

We can show this with the next scenario :

- 1) The process 1 sets the turn_to_wait variable to 1.
- 2) The process 0 sets the turn_to_wait variable to 0 and enters wait area.
- 3) The process 1 enter in the <CS> and so bypass process 0.



B)

shared : boolean flag_for_p = False

Algorithm for q:

//Entry code

1. while (flag == True);
 2. Peterson_Enter_0(q, r)
 3. // useless line
- <CS>

//Exit code

1. flag = True
2. Peterson_Leave_0(q, r)

Algorithm for r:

//Entry code

1. while (flag == True);
 2. Peterson_Enter_1(r, q)
 3. // useless line
- <CS>

//Exit code

1. flag = True
2. Peterson_Leave_1(r, q)

Algorithm for p:

//Entry code

1. while (flag == False);
- <CS>

//Exit code

1. flag = False