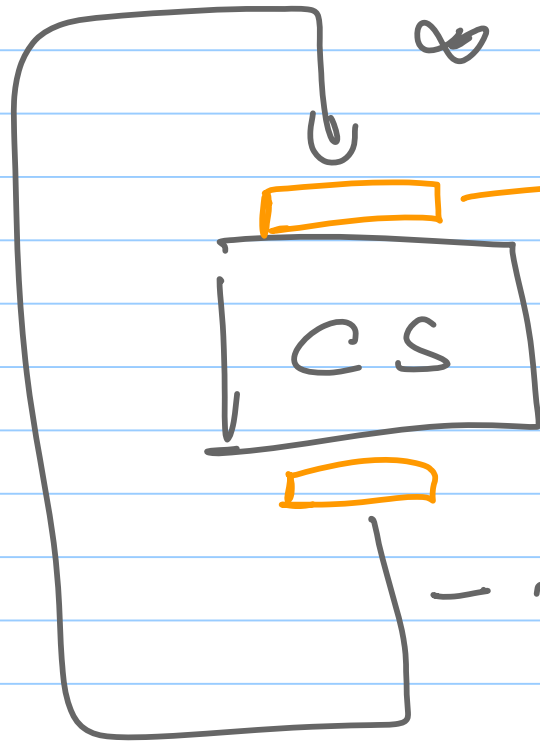


Critical sections

- mutex
 - progress
 - bounded waiting
- if no process in CS
& 1 or more want to enter
→ select from those that want to enter
+ do not delay for ever

2 processes

∞ loops



software → is almost identical in both processes

- non critical

2 processes, i & j
~ 0 & 1

flag[i] = 1

while (flag[j] == 1);

CS

→ mutex ✓

flag[i] = 0

→ progress ✗

(deadlock)

|||

$flag[i] = 1$

$while(flag[j] == 1) \{$

no deadlock

→ starvation

→ livelock

$flag[i] = 0;$

$flag[i] = 1;\}$

CS

$flag[i] = 0$

✓ mutex ✓
✓ progress ✗
✗ may delay
✗ bounded wait

while flag[j] == 1;
flag[i] = 1

CS

flag[j] = 0

turn = i or j // init

while (turn == j);

CS

turn = i

process i

mutex ✓

progress ✗

```
flag[0] = 1
while flag[1] == 1 {
  if turn  $\neq$  0 {
    flag[0] = 0;
    while turn  $\neq$  0 {
    }
    flag[0] = 1
  }
}
```

// critical section

...

turn = 1;

flag[0] = 0;

// remainder section

Dekker's Solution

1965

Peterson's Solution 1981

Process[0]

flag[0] = 1;

turn = 1;

while (flag[1]==1 && turn == 1);

Critical Section

flag[0] = 0;

Process[1]

flag[1] = ~~true~~; 1

turn = 0;

while (flag[0]==1 &&
turn == 0);

Critical Section

flag[1] = 0;

multiple processes . . .

Peterson's solution
cannot be extended

Bakery Algorithm (1974)

process i (by Lamport)

~~choosing[i] = 1;~~

num[i] = max(num[0], num[1]...num[n-1]) + 1;

~~choosing[i] = 0;~~

for j = 0 to n-1 {

~~while (choosing[j] == 1) <no-op>;~~

while (num[j] <> 0 and (num[j], j) < (num[i], i) <no-op>;

};

Critical Section

num[i] = 0;

n processes



fixed #

n items

(num[j] < num[i])

num

0	0	2	3	0	3
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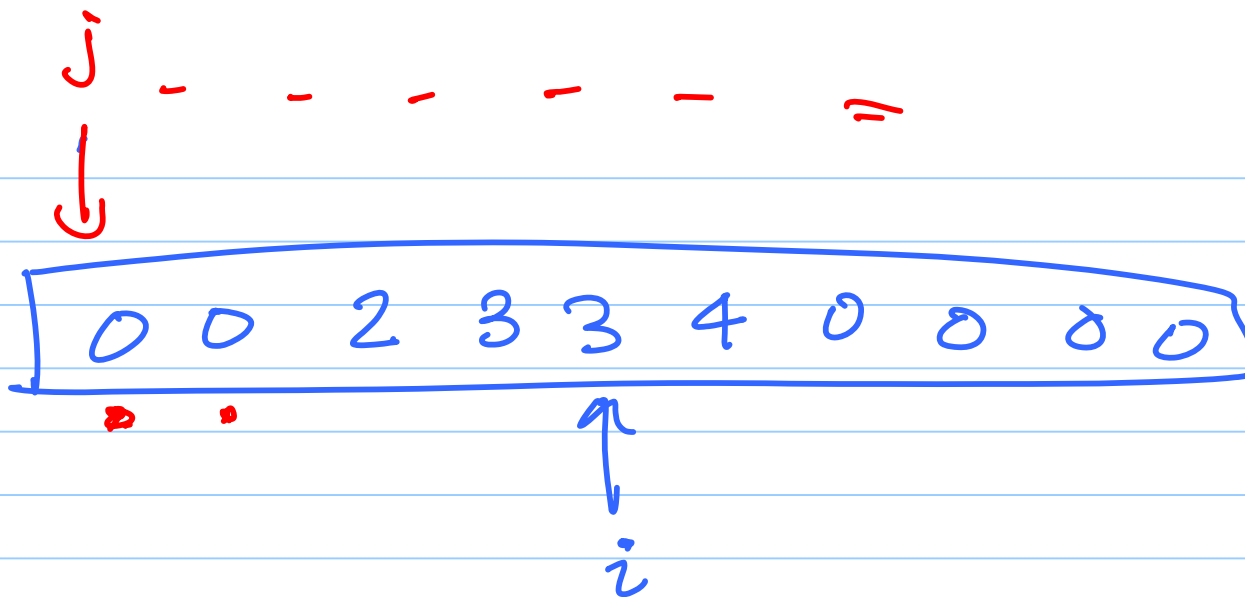


lower index

$$(num(j), j) < num(i), i)$$

\Rightarrow if $(num[j] < num[i])$
then true

else if $num[j] == num[i]$
then $i < j \rightarrow T$



Practical solutions ...

Peterson - 2 processes only

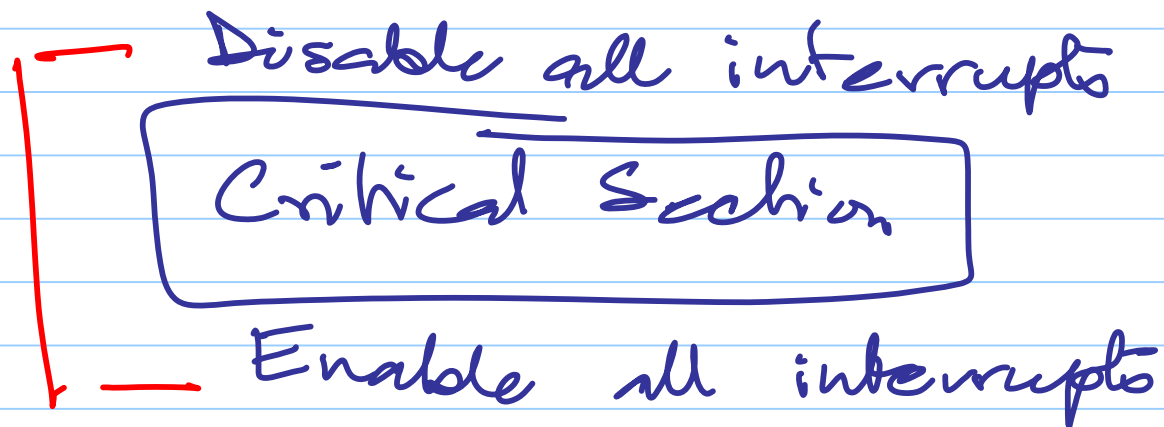
Lamport - N is fixed & cannot be changes

↳ Both use busy waiting

→ error prone, hard to comprehend

Hardware based

- UNIProcessor Systems



Disabling Interrupts

- Overkill

- used for VERY short critical sections (order of microseconds)

↳ used to build longer

- CANNOT be used on millions other techniques.
- Critical sections - using