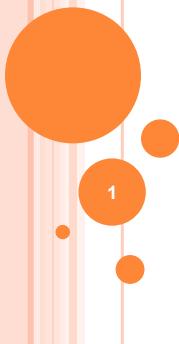


# CONCURRENCY: DEADLOCK

## Chapter 5



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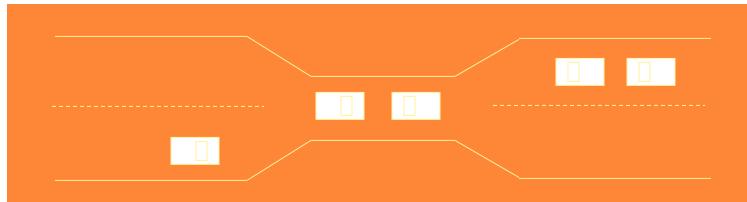
### DEADLOCK

- Permanent blocking of a set of processes that either compete for system resources or communicate with each other
- No efficient solution
- Involve conflicting needs for resources by two or more processes

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## BRIDGE CROSSING EXAMPLE



- Traffic only in one direction.
- Each section of a bridge can be viewed as a resource.
- If a deadlock occurs, it can be resolved if one car backs up (preempt resources and rollback).
- Several cars may have to be backed up if a deadlock occurs.
- Starvation is possible.

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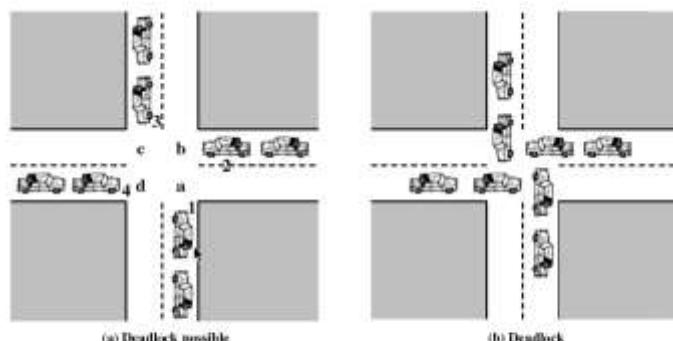


Figure 6.1 Illustration of Deadlock

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## RESOURCES

### Reusable Resources

- Used by only one process at a time and not depleted by that use
- Processes obtain resources that they later release for reuse by other processes
- Processors, I/O channels, main and secondary memory, devices, and data structures such as files, databases, and semaphores
- Deadlock occurs if each process holds one resource and requests the other

### Consumable Resources

- Created (produced) and destroyed (consumed)
- Interrupts, signals, messages, and information in I/O buffers
- Deadlock may occur if a Receive message is blocking
- May take a rare combination of events to cause deadlock

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## DEADLOCK AND STARVATION

- Deadlock – two or more processes are waiting indefinitely for an event that can be caused by only one of the waiting processes
- Let S and Q be two semaphores initialized to 1

$P_1$   
wait (S);  
wait (Q);  
.

signal (S);  
signal (Q);

$P_2$   
wait (Q);  
wait (S);  
.

signal (Q);  
signal (S);

- Starvation – indefinite blocking. A process may never be removed from the semaphore queue in which it is suspended.

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## EXAMPLE OF DEADLOCK

Process P		Process Q	
Step	Action	Step	Action
p <sub>0</sub>	Request (D)	q <sub>0</sub>	Request (T)
p <sub>1</sub>	Lock (D)	q <sub>1</sub>	Lock (T)
p <sub>2</sub>	Request (T)	q <sub>2</sub>	Request (D)
p <sub>3</sub>	Lock (T)	q <sub>3</sub>	Lock (D)
p <sub>4</sub>	Perform function	q <sub>4</sub>	Perform function
p <sub>5</sub>	Unlock (D)	q <sub>5</sub>	Unlock (T)
p <sub>6</sub>	Unlock (T)	q <sub>6</sub>	Unlock (D)

Figure 6.4 Example of Two Processes Competing for Reusable Resources

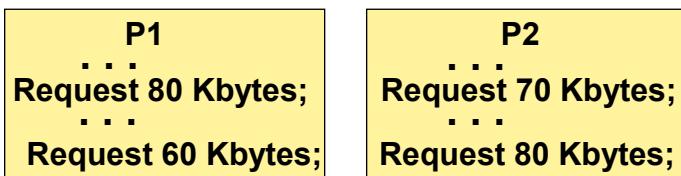
What happen when execution of p<sub>0</sub>p<sub>1</sub>q<sub>0</sub>q<sub>1</sub>p<sub>2</sub>q<sub>2</sub> ?

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## ANOTHER EXAMPLE OF DEADLOCK

- Space is available for allocation of 200Kbytes, and the following sequence of events occur



- If P1 is given 80Kb and P2 gets 70Kb, then...
- Deadlock occurs if both processes progress to their second request – both processes' requests cannot be granted as there is insufficient space.
- Each process must wait for the other to release space → deadlock.

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## RESOURCE ALLOCATION GRAPHS

- Directed graph that depicts a state of the system of resources and processes



(a) Resource is requested



(b) Resource is held

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## RESOURCE-ALLOCATION GRAPH (CONT.)

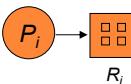
- Process



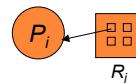
- Resource Type with 4 instances



- $P_i$  requests instance of  $R_j$



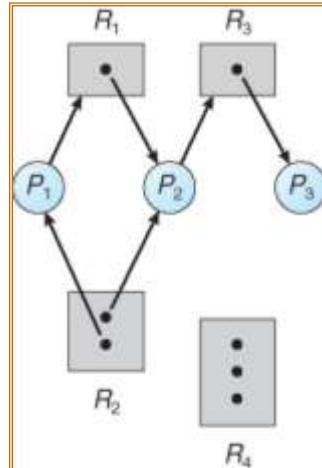
- $P_i$  is holding an instance of  $R_j$



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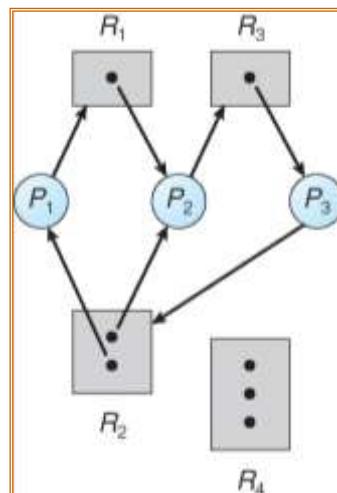
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## EXAMPLE OF A RESOURCE ALLOCATION GRAPH



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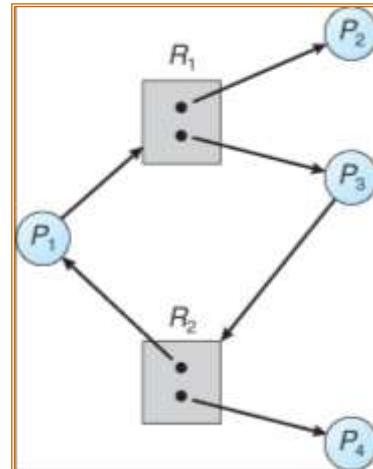
## RESOURCE ALLOCATION GRAPH WITH A DEADLOCK



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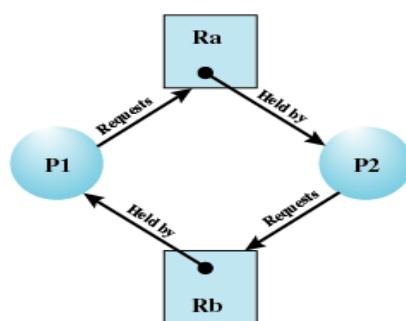
## RESOURCE ALLOCATION GRAPH WITH A CYCLE BUT NO DEADLOCK



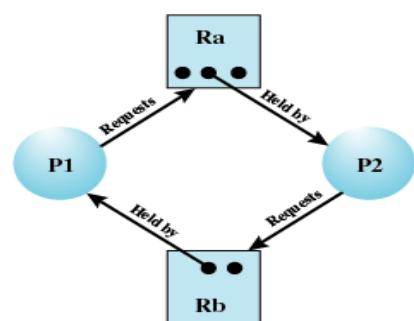
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## RESOURCE ALLOCATION GRAPHS



(c) Circular wait



(d) No deadlock

**Figure 6.5 Examples of Resource Allocation Graphs**

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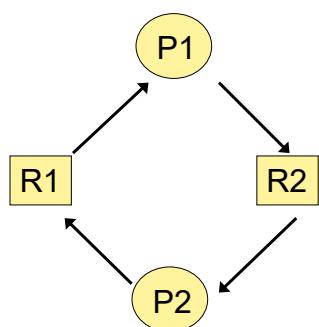
## WAIT-FOR GRAPHS

- Simplified resource allocation graphs
- Only shows processes, no resources shown, i.e. which process is waiting for which.

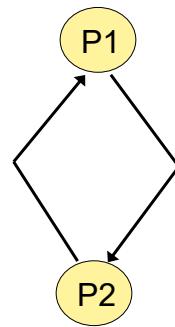
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## WAIT-FOR GRAPHS



Resource allocation graph

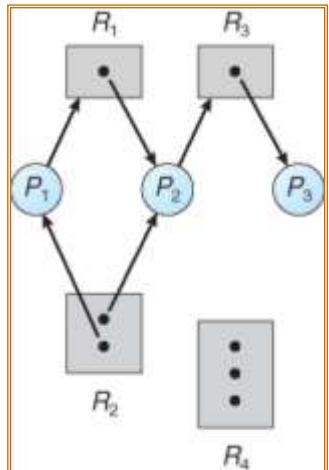


Wait-for graph

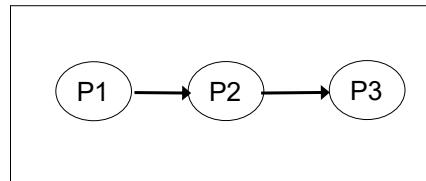
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## WAIT-FOR GRAPHS



Resource allocation graph

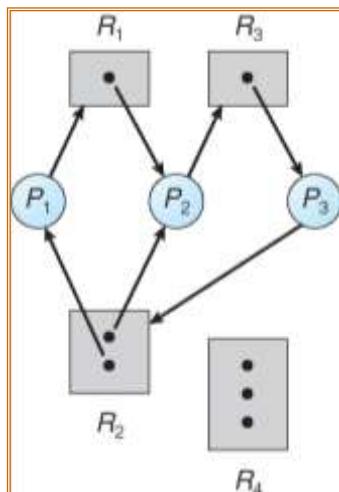


Wait-for graph

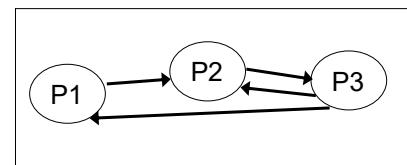
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## WAIT-FOR GRAPHS



Resource allocation graph



Wait-for graph

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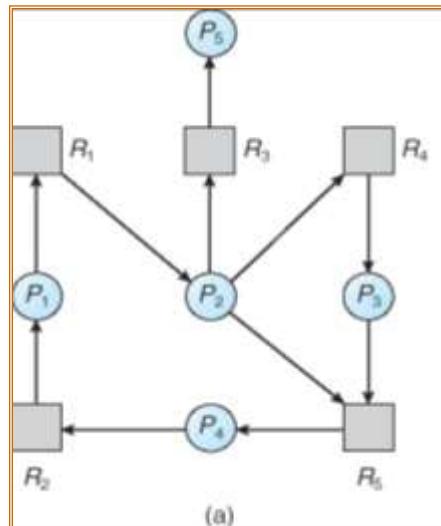
## RESOURCE-ALLOCATION GRAPH AND WAIT-FOR GRAPH

- P1 holds R2, and requests R1
- P2 holds R1, and requests R3, R4 & R5
- P3 holds R4, and requests R5
- P4 holds R5, and requests R2
- P5 holds R3
  
- Draw the resource allocation graph – combined in ONE graph

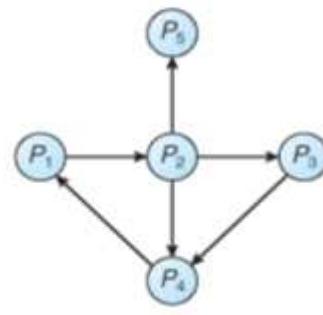
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## RESOURCE-ALLOCATION GRAPH AND WAIT-FOR GRAPH



Resource-Allocation Graph



Corresponding wait-for graph

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## CONDITIONS FOR DEADLOCK

### 1. Mutual exclusion

- At least one resource must be held in a non-sharable mode; that is only one process at a time can use the resource.

### 2. Hold-and-wait

- A process must be holding at least one resource and waiting to acquire additional resources that are currently being held by other processes.

### 3. No preemption

- No resource can be forcibly removed from a process holding it; a resource can be released only voluntarily by the process holding it.

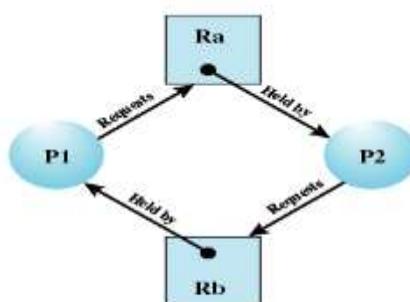
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## CONDITIONS FOR DEADLOCK

### 4. Circular wait

- A closed chain of processes exists, such that each process holds at least one resource needed by the next process in the chain ( $P_0 \rightarrow P_1, P_1 \rightarrow P_2, \dots, P_{n-1} \rightarrow P_n$ , and  $P_n \rightarrow P_0$ )



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## POSSIBILITY OF DEADLOCK

1. Mutual Exclusion
2. No preemption
3. Hold and wait

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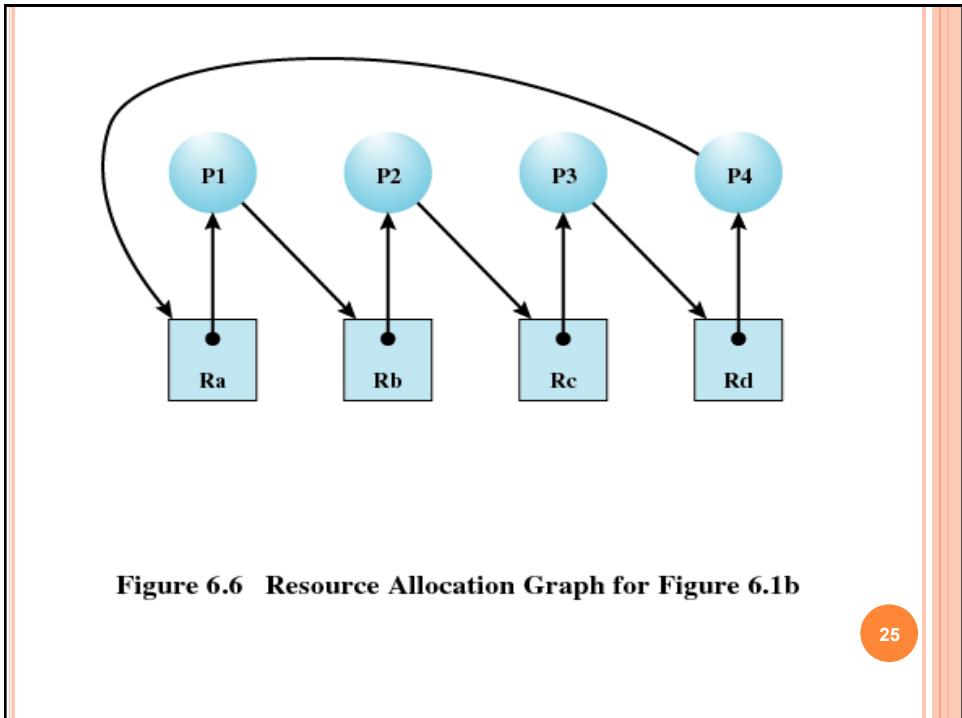
## EXISTENCE OF DEADLOCK

1. Mutual Exclusion
2. No preemption
3. Hold and wait
4. Circular wait

Deadlock exists

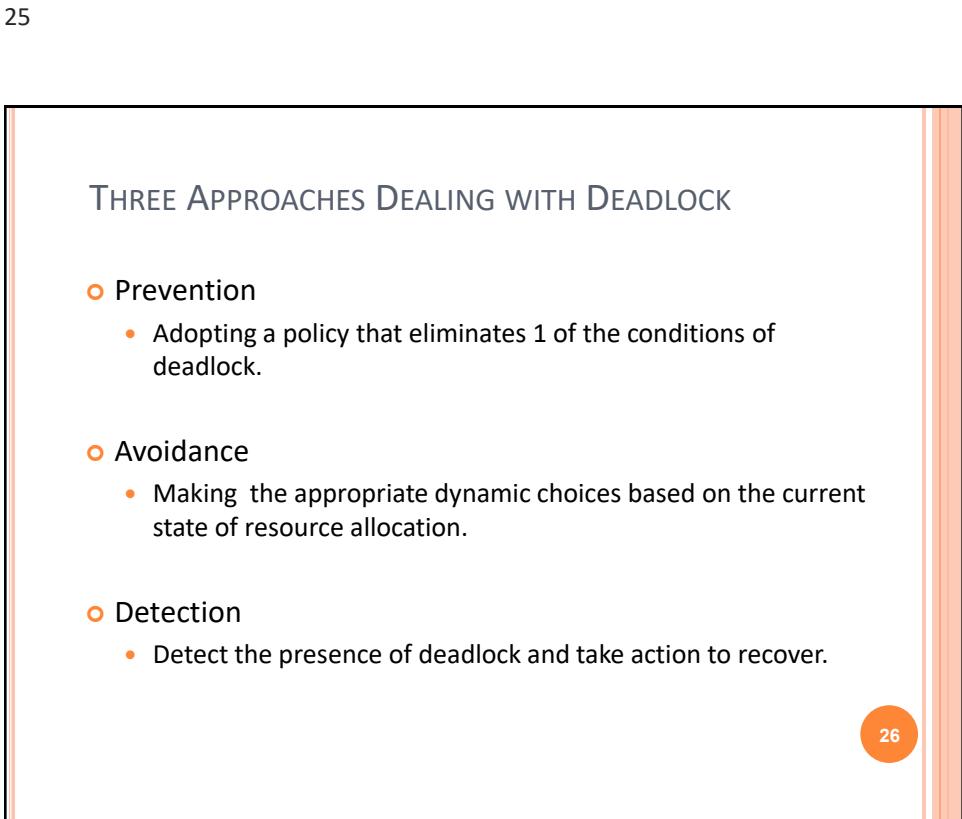
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**Figure 6.6 Resource Allocation Graph for Figure 6.1b**

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### EXISTENCE OF DEADLOCK

1. Mutual Exclusion
2. No preemption
3. Hold and wait
4. Circular wait

## DEADLOCK PREVENTION

Restrain the ways request can be made.

### 1. Mutual Exclusion

- Must be supported by the operating system
- not required for sharable resources; must hold for nonsharable resources.

### 2. Hold and Wait

- must guarantee that whenever a process requests a resource, it does not hold any other resources.
- Require a process request all of its required resources at one time, i.e. to request and be allocated all its resources before it begins execution, or allow process to request resources only when the process has none.
- Low resource utilization; starvation possible.

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## DEADLOCK PREVENTION

### 3. No Preemption

- Process must release resource and request again
- Operating system may preempt a process to require it releases its resources
- If a process that is holding some resources requests another resource that cannot be immediately allocated to it, then all resources currently being held are released.
- Preempted resources are added to the list of resources for which the process is waiting.
- Process will be restarted only when it can regain its old resources, as well as the new ones that it is requesting.

### 4. Circular Wait

- impose a total ordering of all resource types, and require that each process requests resources in an increasing order of enumeration.
- Define a linear ordering of resource types  
e.g  $R_1=2, R_2=5, R_3=6, R_4=8$

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## DEADLOCK AVOIDANCE

- A decision is made dynamically whether the current resource allocation request will, if granted, potentially lead to a deadlock
- Requires knowledge of future process request

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## TWO APPROACHES TO DEADLOCK AVOIDANCE

1. Do not start a process if its demands might lead to deadlock
2. Do not grant an incremental resource request to a process if this allocation might lead to deadlock

○ Space is available for allocation of 200Kbytes, and the following sequence of events occur

P1 ... <b>Request 80 Kbytes;</b> ... <b>Request 60 Kbytes;</b>	P2 ... <b>Request 70 Kbytes;</b> ... <b>Request 80 Kbytes;</b>
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○ If P1 is given 80Kb and P2 gets 70Kb, then...

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## RESOURCE ALLOCATION DENIAL

- Referred to as the banker's algorithm
- State of the system is the current allocation of resources to process
- Safe state is where there is at least one sequence that does not result in deadlock
- Unsafe state is a state that is not safe

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## SAFE, UNSAFE , DEADLOCK STATE

- If a system is in safe state  $\Rightarrow$  no deadlocks.
- If a system is in unsafe state  $\Rightarrow$  possibility of deadlock.
- Avoidance  $\Rightarrow$  ensure that a system will never enter an unsafe state.

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## DETERMINATION OF A SAFE STATE INITIAL STATE

	R1	R2	R3
P1	3	2	2
P2	6	1	3
P3	3	1	4
P4	4	2	2

Claim matrix C

	R1	R2	R3
P1	1	0	0
P2	6	1	2
P3	2	1	1
P4	0	0	2

Allocation matrix A

	R1	R2	R3
	9	3	6

Resource vector R

	R1	R2	R3
	0	1	1

Available vector V

(a) Initial state

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## DETERMINATION OF A SAFE STATE INITIAL STATE

	R1	R2	R3
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Claim matrix C

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P1	1	0	0
P2	6	1	2
P3	2	1	1
P4	0	0	2

Allocation matrix A

	R1	R2	R3
P1	2	2	2
P2	0	0	1
P3	1	0	3
P4	4	2	0

C-A

	R1	R2	R3
	9	3	6

Resource vector R

	R1	R2	R3
	0	1	0

Available vector V

(a) Initial state

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## DETERMINATION OF A SAFE STATE P2 RUNS TO COMPLETION

	R1	R2	R3
P1	3	2	2
P2	0	0	0
P3	3	1	4
P4	4	2	2

Claim matrix C

	R1	R2	R3
P1	1	0	0
P2	0	0	0
P3	2	1	1
P4	0	0	2

Allocation matrix A

	R1	R2	R3
P1	2	2	2
P2	0	0	0
P3	1	0	3
P4	4	2	0

C-A

	R1	R2	R3
	9	3	6

Resource vector R

	R1	R2	R3
	4	0	1

Available vector V

(b) P2 runs to completion

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## DETERMINATION OF A SAFE STATE P1 RUNS TO COMPLETION

	R1	R2	R3
P1	0	0	0
P2	0	0	0
P3	3	1	4
P4	4	2	2

Claim matrix C

	R1	R2	R3
P1	0	0	0
P2	0	0	0
P3	2	1	1
P4	0	0	2

Allocation matrix A

	R1	R2	R3
P1	0	0	0
P2	0	0	0
P3	1	0	3
P4	4	2	0

C-A

	R1	R2	R3
	9	3	6

Resource vector R

	R1	R2	R3
	6	2	0

Available vector V

(c) P1 runs to completion

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## DETERMINATION OF A SAFE STATE P3 RUNS TO COMPLETION

	R1	R2	R3
P1	0	0	0
P2	0	0	0
P3	0	0	0
P4	4	2	2

Claim matrix C

	R1	R2	R3
P1	0	0	0
P2	0	0	0
P3	0	0	0
P4	0	0	2

Allocation matrix A

	R1	R2	R3
P1	0	0	0
P2	0	0	0
P3	0	0	0
P4	4	2	0

C-A

	R1	R2	R3
	9	3	6

Resource vector R

	R1	R2	R3
	5	1	4

Available vector V

(d) P3 runs to completion

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## DETERMINATION OF AN UNSAFE STATE

	R1	R2	R3
P1	3	2	2
P2	6	1	3
P3	3	1	4
P4	4	2	2

Claim matrix C

	R1	R2	R3
P1	1	0	0
P2	5	1	1
P3	2	1	1
P4	0	0	2

Allocation matrix A

	R1	R2	R3
P1	2	2	2
P2	1	0	2
P3	1	0	3
P4	4	2	0

C-A

	R1	R2	R3
	9	3	6

Resource vector R

	R1	R2	R3
	1	1	2

Available vector V

If P1 requests (1,0,1), and the request is granted...

(a) Initial state

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## DETERMINATION OF AN UNSAFE STATE

	R1	R2	R3
P1	3	2	2
P2	6	1	3
P3	3	1	4
P4	4	2	2

Claim matrix C

P1	R1	R2	R3
P2	5	1	1
P3	2	1	1
P4	0	0	2

Allocation matrix A

P1	R1	R2	R3
P2	1	0	2
P3	1	0	3
P4	4	2	0

C-A

R1	R2	R3
9	3	6

Resource vector R

R1	R2	R3
0	1	1

Available vector V

(b) P1 requests one unit each of R1 and R3

Not a deadlock,  
but has the potential

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## DEADLOCK AVOIDANCE

- Maximum resource requirement must be stated in advance
- Processes under consideration must be independent; no synchronization requirements
- There must be a fixed number of resources to allocate
- No process may exit while holding resources

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## DEADLOCK DETECTION

- Deadlock detection do not limit resource access or restrict process action. Resources are allocated whenever demanded.
- Periodically, OS checks for circular wait condition using some sort of algorithm for detection.

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## DEADLOCK DETECTION

- Allow system to enter deadlock state
- Detection algorithm
- Recovery scheme

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## DEADLOCK DETECTION

- The steps with the assumption that all processes are marked initially indicating not deadlocked:

1. Mark each process for which all the elements are zeros in the allocation matrix.
2. Initialize a matrix  $w$  equal to the Available matrix.
3. Recursively, find an index  $i$ , such that process  $i$  is currently unmarked and the  $i$ -th row of  $Q$  is less than or equal to  $W$  meaning:

$$Q_{ik} \leq W_k \text{ for } 1 \leq k \leq m$$

If true:

$$W_k = W_k + A_{ik} \text{ for } 1 \leq k \leq m$$

If false:

Terminate

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## DEADLOCK DETECTION

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	0	1	0	0	1
P2	0	0	1	0	1
P3	0	0	0	0	1
P4	1	0	1	0	1

Request matrix Q

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	1	0	1	1	0
P2	1	1	0	0	0
P3	0	0	0	1	0
P4	0	0	0	0	0

Allocation matrix A

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
Resource vector	2	1	1	2	1

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
Available vector	0	0	0	0	1

Figure 6.10 Example for Deadlock Detection

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## DEADLOCK DETECTION

Let us see an example to demonstrate deadlock detection strategy:

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	0	1	0	0	1
P2	0	0	1	0	1
P3	0	0	0	0	1
P4	1	0	1	0	1

Request Matrix Q

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	1	0	1	1	0
P2	1	1	0	0	0
P3	0	0	0	1	0
P4	0	0	0	0	0

Allocation Matrix

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
	0	0	0	0	1

Available Vector

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
	2	1	1	2	1

Resource Vector

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## DEADLOCK DETECTION – STEP 1

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	0	1	0	0	1
P2	0	0	1	0	1
P3	0	0	0	0	1
P4	1	0	1	0	1

Request Matrix Q

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	1	0	1	1	0
P2	1	1	0	0	0
P3	0	0	0	1	0
P4	0	0	0	0	0

Allocation Matrix

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
	0	0	0	0	1

Available Vector

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
	2	1	1	2	1

Resource Vector

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## DEADLOCK DETECTION – STEP 2

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	0	1	0	0	1
P2	0	0	1	0	1
P3	0	0	0	0	1
P4	1	0	1	0	1

Request Matrix Q

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	1	0	1	1	0
P2	1	1	0	0	0
P3	0	0	0	1	0
P4	0	0	0	0	0

Allocation Matrix

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
	0	0	0	0	1
	0	0	0	0	1
	0	0	0	0	1
	0	0	0	0	1

Available Vector

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
	2	1	1	2	1
	2	1	1	2	1
	2	1	1	2	1
	2	1	1	2	1

Resource Vector

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
	0	0	0	0	1
	0	0	0	0	1
	0	0	0	0	1
	0	0	0	0	1

Temporary Vector W

Set W to Available

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## DEADLOCK DETECTION – STEP 3

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	0	1	0	0	1
P2	0	0	1	0	1
P3	0	0	0	0	1
P4	1	0	1	0	1

Request Matrix Q

$Q(P3) \leq W$ , so mark P3

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	1	0	1	1	0
P2	1	1	0	0	0
P3	0	0	0	1	0
P4	0	0	0	0	0

Allocation Matrix

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
	0	0	0	0	1
	0	0	0	0	1
	0	0	0	0	1
	0	0	0	0	1

Available Vector

$W = W + A(P3)$

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
	0	0	0	1	1
	0	0	0	1	1
	0	0	0	1	1
	0	0	0	1	1

Temporary Vector W

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## DEADLOCK DETECTION – STEP 4

Request Matrix Q

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	0	1	0	0	1
P2	0	0	1	0	1
P3	0	0	0	0	1
P4	1	0	1	0	1

Allocation Matrix

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
P1	1	0	1	1	0
P2	1	1	0	0	0
P3	0	0	0	1	0
P4	0	0	0	0	0

$Q(P1) \leq W? \text{ No}$

$Q(P2) \leq W? \text{ No}$

$\rightarrow \text{Terminate algo.}$

Available Vector

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
	0	0	0	0	1

Resource Vector

	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5
	2	1	1	2	1

P1 & P2 are deadlocked.

P1 & P2 unmarked  $\rightarrow$  deadlocked

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## EXAMPLE OF DETECTION ALGORITHM

- Five processes  $P_0$  through  $P_4$ ; three resource types A (7 instances), B (2 instances), and C (6 instances).
- Snapshot at time  $T_0$ :

	<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Request</u>	<u>Available</u>
	A B C	A B C	A B C
$P_0$	0 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
$P_1$	2 0 0	2 0 2	
$P_2$	3 0 3	0 0 0	
$P_3$	2 1 1	1 0 0	
$P_4$	0 0 2	0 0 2	

- Sequence  $\langle P_0, P_2, P_3, P_1, P_4 \rangle$  will result in  $Finish[i] = \text{true}$  for all  $i$ .

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### EXAMPLE OF DETECTION ALGORITHM

	<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Request</u>	<u>Available</u>
	A B C	A B C	A B C
$P_0$	0 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
$P_1$	2 0 0	2 0 2	
$P_2$	3 0 3	0 0 0	
$P_3$	2 1 1	1 0 0	
$P_4$	0 0 2	0 0 2	

$$W = \text{Available} = (0 \ 0 \ 0)$$

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### EXAMPLE OF DETECTION ALGORITHM

	<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Request</u>	<u>Available</u>
	A B C	A B C	A B C
$P_0$	0 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
$P_1$	2 0 0	2 0 2	
$P_2$	3 0 3	0 0 0	
$P_3$	2 1 1	1 0 0	
$P_4$	0 0 2	0 0 2	

$$W = \text{Available} = (0 \ 0 \ 0)$$

$$Q(P_0) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P_0, W = (0 \ 0 \ 0) + (0 \ 1 \ 0) = (0 \ 1 \ 0)$$

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## EXAMPLE OF DETECTION ALGORITHM

	<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Request</u>	<u>Available</u>
	A B C	A B C	A B C
$P_0$	0 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
$P_1$	2 0 0	2 0 2	
$P_2$	3 0 3	0 0 0	
$P_3$	2 1 1	1 0 0	
$P_4$	0 0 2	0 0 2	

$$W = \text{Available} = (0 \ 0 \ 0)$$

$$Q(P_0) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P_0, W = (0 \ 0 \ 0) + (0 \ 1 \ 0) = (0 \ 1 \ 0)$$

$$Q(P_2) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P_2, W = (0 \ 1 \ 0) + (3 \ 0 \ 3) = (3 \ 1 \ 3)$$

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## EXAMPLE OF DETECTION ALGORITHM

	<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Request</u>	<u>Available</u>
	A B C	A B C	A B C
$P_0$	0 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
$P_1$	2 0 0	2 0 2	
$P_2$	3 0 3	0 0 0	
$P_3$	2 1 1	1 0 0	
$P_4$	0 0 2	0 0 2	

$$W = \text{Available} = (0 \ 0 \ 0)$$

$$Q(P_0) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P_0, W = (0 \ 0 \ 0) + (0 \ 1 \ 0) = (0 \ 1 \ 0)$$

$$Q(P_2) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P_2, W = (0 \ 1 \ 0) + (3 \ 0 \ 3) = (3 \ 1 \ 3)$$

$$Q(P_3) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P_3, W = (3 \ 1 \ 3) + (2 \ 1 \ 1) = (5 \ 2 \ 4)$$

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## EXAMPLE OF DETECTION ALGORITHM

	<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Request</u>	<u>Available</u>
	A B C	A B C	A B C
$P_0$	0 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
$P_1$	2 0 0	2 0 2	
$P_2$	3 0 3	0 0 0	
$P_3$	2 1 1	1 0 0	
$P_4$	0 0 2	0 0 2	

$$W = \text{Available} = (0 \ 0 \ 0)$$

$$Q(P0) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P0, W = (0 \ 0 \ 0) + (0 \ 1 \ 0) = (0 \ 1 \ 0)$$

$$Q(P2) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P2, W = (0 \ 1 \ 0) + (3 \ 0 \ 3) = (3 \ 1 \ 3)$$

$$Q(P3) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P3, W = (3 \ 1 \ 3) + (2 \ 1 \ 1) = (5 \ 2 \ 4)$$

$$Q(P1) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P1, W = (5 \ 2 \ 4) + (2 \ 0 \ 0) = (7 \ 2 \ 4)$$

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## EXAMPLE OF DETECTION ALGORITHM

	<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Request</u>	<u>Available</u>
	A B C	A B C	A B C
$P_0$	0 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
$P_1$	2 0 0	2 0 2	
$P_2$	3 0 3	0 0 0	
$P_3$	2 1 1	1 0 0	
$P_4$	0 0 2	0 0 2	

$$W = \text{Available} = (0 \ 0 \ 0)$$

$$Q(P0) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P0, W = (0 \ 0 \ 0) + (0 \ 1 \ 0) = (0 \ 1 \ 0)$$

$$Q(P2) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P2, W = (0 \ 1 \ 0) + (3 \ 0 \ 3) = (3 \ 1 \ 3)$$

$$Q(P3) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P3, W = (3 \ 1 \ 3) + (2 \ 1 \ 1) = (5 \ 2 \ 4)$$

$$Q(P1) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P1, W = (5 \ 2 \ 4) + (2 \ 0 \ 0) = (7 \ 2 \ 4)$$

$$Q(P4) \leq W \rightarrow \text{Mark } P4, W = (7 \ 2 \ 4) + (0 \ 0 \ 2) = (7 \ 2 \ 6)$$

=> No deadlock

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## EXAMPLE (CONT.)

- $P_2$  requests an additional instance of type C.

### Request

	A	B	C
$P_0$	0	0	0
$P_1$	2	0	1
$P_2$	0	0	1
$P_3$	1	0	0
$P_4$	0	0	2

- State of system?

- Can reclaim resources held by process  $P_0$ , but insufficient resources to fulfill other processes' requests.
- Deadlock exists, consisting of processes  $P_1, P_2, P_3$ , and  $P_4$ .

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## EXAMPLE OF DETECTION ALGORITHM

	<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Request</u>	<u>Available</u>
	A	B	C
$P_0$	0	1	0
$P_1$	2	0	0
$P_2$	3	0	3
$P_3$	2	1	1
$P_4$	0	0	2

$$W = \text{Available} = (0 \ 0 \ 0)$$

$$\text{Mark } P_0, W = (0 \ 0 \ 0) + (0 \ 1 \ 0) = (0 \ 1 \ 0)$$

⇒ Not enough to satisfy any other request

⇒ Deadlock

⇒  $P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4$  are deadlocked

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## DEADLOCK RECOVERY

Strategies once deadlock is detected:

1. Abort all deadlocked processes
2. Back up each deadlocked process to some previously defined checkpoint, and restart all process
  - Original deadlock may occur
3. Successively abort deadlocked processes until deadlock no longer exists
4. Successively preempt resources until deadlock no longer exists

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## SELECTION CRITERIA DEADLOCKED PROCESSES

- Least amount of processor time consumed so far
- Least number of lines of output produced so far
- Most estimated time remaining
- Least total resources allocated so far
- Lowest priority

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## DEADLOCK HANDLING APPROACHES

### ○ Prevention

- do not allow deadlock at all (by eliminating any one of the conditions leading to deadlock)

### ○ Avoidance

- deadlock may occur, but avoid it (using deadlock avoidance algo). Need to know future resource demands.

### ○ Detection

- allow deadlock to occur, then detect it, and perform deadlock recovery.

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## STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES OF THE STRATEGIES

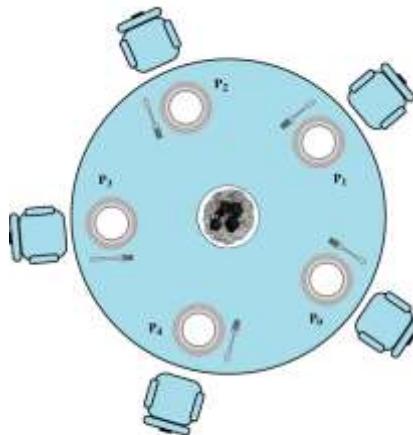
Table 6.1 Summary of Deadlock Detection, Prevention, and Avoidance Approaches for Operating Systems [ISLO80]

Approach	Resource Allocation Policy	Different Schemes	Major Advantages	Major Disadvantages
Prevention	Conservative; underestimates resources	Requesting all resources at once	• Works well for processes that perform a single burst of activity • No preemption necessary	• Inefficient • Delays process initiation • Future resource requirements must be known by processes
		Free preemption	• Convenient when applied to resources whose state can be saved and restored easily	• Preempts more often than necessary
		Resources ordering	• Feasible to enforce via complete-tree checks • Needs no run-time computation since problem is solved in system design	• Disallows incremental resource requests
Avoidance	Middleway between that of detection and prevention	Manipulate to find at least one safe path	• No preemption necessary	• Future resource requirements must be known by OS • Processes can be blocked for long periods
Detection	Very liberal; requested resources are granted where possible	Invoke periodically to test for deadlock	• Never delays process initiation • Facilitates on-line handling	• Inherent preemption losses

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## DINING PHILOSOPHERS PROBLEM



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Figure 6.11 Dining Arrangement for Philosophers

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## DINING PHILOSOPHERS PROBLEM

- Important in mutual exclusion strategy to avoid deadlock and starvation and in coordination of shared resources.
- This problem is standard test for evaluating approaches to synchronization:
  - First attempt could be that each philosopher picks up the fork on his left and then picks the right fork, after eating he puts both forks on the table. Imagine if all the philosophers gets hungry at the same time it, they will sit and each one of them will pick the fork on the left and hence all of them will starve as no second fork.
  - So we can spend more money and bring another set of five forks (expensive solution).
  - Why not provide training so they should be able to eat with just one fork.
  - Another solution could be to have a guard posted at the door who only allows maximum of 4 philosophers at one time, which at least ensure that one of the philosopher will be able to eat. Which ensures deadlock and starvation solution.

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