CSC365

Assignment 4 - Part 1

The Part 2 will be out on coming Thursday..

Q1[10 points]. Create the precedence graph for the schedule: $w_1(X)$, $r_1(X)$, $w_2(Y)$, $r_3(X)$, $w_1(Y)$, $w_1(X)$. Based on the graph, determine whether the schedule is conflict-serializable.

Q2[10 points]. What is the difference between serializable and conflict-serializable schedule. What is the relation between the two (is one of them a subset of the other)?

Q3[10 points]. Consider the following schedule:

$$r_1(A); r_2(B); ??? : w_1(C); w_2(A);$$

What value for ??? will make the schedule not conflict-serializable. Give one such possible value.

Q4[20 points]. Consider the transactions T_1 and T_2 .

$$T_1: r_1(A); w_1(A); r_1(B); w_1(B);$$

$$T_2: r_2(B); w_2(B); r_2(A); w_2(A);$$

Give an example of a conflict-serializable schedule and non conflict-serializable schedule for the eight actions.

Q5[20 points]. Are the following schedules conflict-serializable?

a)
$$r_1(A)$$
; $w_1(B)$; $r_2(B)$; $w_2(C)$; $r_3(C)$; $w_3(A)$;

b)
$$w_3(A)$$
; $r_1(A)$; $w_1(B)$; $r_2(B)$; $w_2(C)$; $r_3(C)$;

Submission

Please submit your work as a PDF file to polylearn OR hand in your work to me in person (you can do so on the final exam's day).