

2. Three tasks, labelled T1; T2; T3, exist in a computer system. They enter the system at times  $t = 3\text{ms}$ ;  $2\text{ms}$ ;  $0\text{ms}$  respectively. The execution profile of each process is as follows:

- Task T1 executes normal code for  $1\text{ms}$ , followed by the execution of a critical section for  $3\text{ms}$ . After exiting the critical section, it executes for another  $1\text{ms}$ . The deadline is  $9\text{ms}$ .
- Task T2 executes normal code for  $5\text{ms}$ . The deadline is  $13\text{ms}$ .
- Task T3 executes normal code for  $1\text{ms}$ , followed by the execution of a critical section for  $2\text{ms}$ . The deadline is  $15\text{ms}$ .
- The critical sections of tasks T1 and T3 are protected by a semaphore, S.
- The priority of the tasks is as follows:  $\text{Priority}(\text{T1}) > \text{Priority}(\text{T2}) > \text{Priority}(\text{T3})$ .

- (a) Develop a schedule for the task set using a generic priority-based scheduling algorithm. Is there any task that misses its deadline? If so, which? [10]
- (b) Develop a schedule for the task set using a generic priority-based scheduling algorithm extended with priority inheritance. Is there any task that misses its deadline? If so, which? [10]
- (c) Using an appropriate example, explain one weakness of priority inheritance. [5]