

# - Process Synchronization -

- Background
- The Critical-Section Problem
- Semaphores
- Classical Problems of Synchronization
- Monitors

- \* Processes here are co-operative.
- \* Background - Concurrent access to shared data may result in data inconsistency.

Concurrent access anomaly

		500	
		T <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>2</sub>
		(-50)	(+100)
read (A)			
		500	500
A = A - 50		A = A + 100	
= 450		= 600	
Write (A)		WHITE (A)	

Ans. should be 550  
 but here, the race situation occurs & o/p will either be 600 or 450.  
 (Both incorrect)

memory              memory              ∵ Synchronization is required.

→ Maintaining data inconsistency requires mechanisms to ensure the orderly execution of cooperating processes.

→ Race Condition : The situation where several processes access & manipulate shared data concurrently. The final value of the shared data depends on which process finishes last.

→ To prevent  
must be syn

Q. Let T<sub>1</sub> have  
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$$\begin{aligned}
 T_1 &\rightarrow \text{read} \\
 &\rightarrow \text{w}(\text{A}) \\
 A &= A - 50 \\
 W(A) & \\
 R(B) & \\
 B &= B + 50 \\
 W(B) &
 \end{aligned}$$

These are  
This is so  
Let A = 50  
o/p T<sub>1</sub> :

o/p T<sub>2</sub> :

Before (

450

→ To prevent race conditions, concurrent processes must be synchronized.

- d. Let  $T_1$  transfer ₹50 from A to B, &  $T_2$  transfer 10% of the balance from A to B.

<u><math>T_1</math></u>	<u><math>T_2</math></u>
$\cancel{r(A)}$ $w(A)$	$r(A)$
$A = A - 50$	$temp = 0.1 * A$
$w(A)$	$A = A - temp$
$r(B)$	$\cancel{r(B)}$
$B = B + 50$	$B = B + temp$
$w(B)$	$w(B)$

These are the steps of transaction  $T_1$  &  $T_2$ .  
This is Scenario - I (Serial Execution)

Let  $A = 500$ ,  $B = 1000$

O/P  $T_1$  :  $\cancel{r(A)}$  [500]

$$A = 500 - 50 = 450$$

$w(A)$  [450]

$r(B)$  [1000]

$$B = 1000 + 50 = 1050$$

$w(B)$  [1050]

O/P  $T_2$  :  $\cancel{r(A)}$  [450] [450]

$$temp = 0.1 * 450 = 45$$

$$A = 450 - 45 = 405$$

$w(A)$  [405] [405]

$r(B)$  [1050]

$$B = 1050 + 45 = 1095$$

$w(B)$  [1095]

Before  $(A+B) =$  After  $(A+B)$

$$450 + 1050 = 405 + 1095$$

$$1500 = 1500$$

∴ Equal. ∴ Database is in consistent state.

## Scenario - 2

$$A = 500, B = 1000$$

T<sub>1</sub>

Head (A) 500

$$A = A - 50 \quad \boxed{450}$$

T<sub>2</sub>

read(A) 450 1000

$$\text{temp} = A * 0.1 \quad \boxed{45} \quad 50$$

$$A = A - \text{temp} \quad \boxed{405} \quad \text{450} \quad \text{450}$$

w(A) 405 1450

rR(B) 1000

w(A) 405 1450

r(B) 1000

$$B = B + 50 \quad \boxed{1050}$$

w(B) 1050

$$B = B + \text{temp} \quad \boxed{1095}$$

w(B) 1095

$$T_1(A+B) = T_2(A+B)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cancel{405} + 1050 &= 1095 + \cancel{1095} \\ 450 &= 450 \end{aligned}$$

$$\cancel{900}$$

$$\cancel{1500} = 1500$$

∴ DB is inconsistent

$$A = 200, B = 700$$

<u>T<sub>1</sub></u>	<u>T<sub>2</sub></u>
$A = 150$	$A = 200 \quad 180$
$B = 700$	$\text{temp} = 20'$
$\cdot 750$	$B = 700 + 20$
	$= 720$

$$T_1(A+B) \neq T_2(A+B)$$

∴ inconsistent

Scenario - 2 allows both T<sub>1</sub> & T<sub>2</sub> to update the values simultaneously

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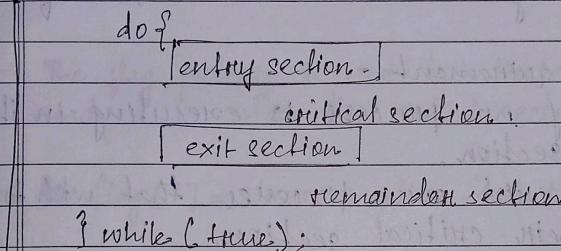
## The Critical-Section Problem -

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- 'n' processes, all competing to use some shared data.
- Each process has a code segment, called critical section, in which the shared data is accessed and modified.
- The problem: ensure that when one process is executing in its critical section, no other process is allowed to execute in its critical section.

### Critical Section -

- general structure of process  $P_i$  :-



- \* entry section: the process makes a request to enter its critical section.
- \* critical section: updates the shared value.
- \* exit section: comes out of critical section.
- \* remainder section: executing the remaining portion of the program.

Algorithm for process $P_i$ - do { while (turn = j); entry only if turn = i; ← critical section turn = i; } while (true)	Algorithm for <del>other</del> processes - while (turn = i); G.S. when false, turn = i; then execute continue the system. } while (true)
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# Solution to a Critical Section Problem

- The sol<sup>n</sup> to designed to solve the CSP should satisfy the following 3 properties:-

## ① Mutual Exclusion

Mutual Exclusion implies that only one process can be inside the critical section at any time. If any of the other processes require the critical section, ~~then~~ they must wait until it ~~is~~ free.

## ② Process Requirement -

- Currently no process is executing in its critical section.
- But there exist some processes that wish to enter their critical section.

→ Then, the selection of the processes that wish to enter their critical will enter the critical section next cannot be postponed indefinitely.

## ③ Bounded Waiting Requirement -

- A bound must exist on -
  - The no. of times other processes are allowed to enter their critical sections.
- After a process has made a request to enter its critical section & before that request is granted.

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### - Peterson's Solution -

- It is a 2 process solution. (won't work for more than 2 processes)
- If was the first sol? which solved the previous 3 requirements.
- These 2 processes share 2 variables:
- int turn;
- Boolean flag [2];
- The variable "turn" indicates whose turn it is to enter the critical section.
- The flag array is used to indicate if a process is ready to enter the critical section.
- If  $\text{flag}[i] = \text{true}$  implies that process  $P_i$  is ready.

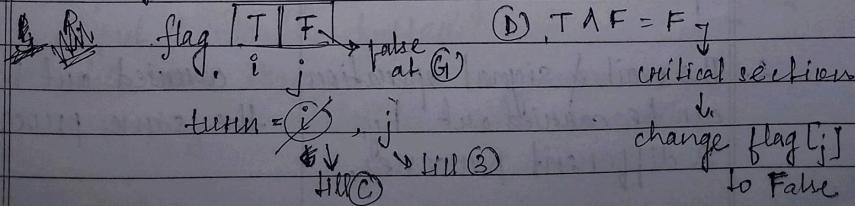
Algorithm for process  $P_i$ :

1. do {
2.    $\text{flag}[i] = \text{true};$
3.    $\text{turn} = j;$
4.   while ( $\text{flag}[j] \&\& \text{turn} == j);$
5.    $\text{turn} = j;$
6.   critical section
7.   if  $\text{flag}[i] = \text{false};$
8.   + remainder function
9. } while ( $\text{true});$

Algo. for process  $P_j$ :

- A. do {
- B.    $\text{flag}[j] = \text{true};$
- C.    $\text{turn} = i;$
- D.   while ( $\text{flag}[i] \&\& \text{turn} == i);$
- E.    $\text{turn} = i;$
- F.   critical section
- G.   if  $\text{flag}[j] = \text{false};$
- H.   + remainder section
- I. } while ( $\text{true});$

(We may start either with  $P_i$  or  $P_j$ )



## - Semaphores -

- It is a synchronization tool.
- Semaphore S - integer variable.
- can only be accessed via 2 indivisible (atomic) operations.

wait (S) :

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while S <= 0 do no-op;  
S--;
```

signal (S) :

```
S++;
```

→ 2 Types of Semaphores -

① Counting Semaphore : integer value can range over an unrestricted domain.

② Binary Semaphore : integer value can range only between 0 & 1.

→ Semaphore (Mutex)

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Q. What's the difference b/w a Binary Semaphore & a Mutex?

Binary Semaphore.

1. Semaphore is a signaling operation.

Mutex

Locking operation

2. The wait & signal operation can be carried out by 2 different processes.

carried out by the same process.

3. Semaphore is used as a synchronization tool.

used when we want exclusive access to a resource.

Q3:

### Deadlock & Starvation -

Deadlock - 2 or more processes are waiting indefinitely for an event that can be caused by only one of the waiting processes.

→ Let 'S' & 'Q' be 2 semaphores initialized to 1

S=1

Q=1

P<sub>0</sub>      ①  
wait(S); (S=0)

wait(Q); ③ waiting

P<sub>1</sub>      ②  
wait(Q); (Q=0)

wait(S); ⑥ waiting

signal(S);

signal(Q);

signal(Q);

signal(S);

Both ③ & ⑥ waiting ∞.

### Classical Problems of Synchronization -

(1) Bounded Buffer Producer-Consumer Problem.

(2) Readers & Writers Problem.

(3) Dining Philosophers Pb".

(1) - B-B P-C Problem -

→ This problem describes 2 processes, the producer & the consumer, who share a common, fixed-size buffer.

→ The producer's job is to generate data & put it into the buffer.

→ At the same time, the consumer is consuming the data one piece at a time.

→ The problem is to make sure that the producer won't try to start add data into the buffer if it's full & that the consumer won't try to remove data from an empty buffer.

→ The solution for the producer is to either go to sleep or discard data if the buffer is full. The next time the consumer removes an item from the buffer, it notifies the producer, who starts to fill the buffer again.

→ Similarly, the consumer can go to sleep if it finds the buffer is empty. The next time the producer puts data into the buffer, it wakes up the ~~existing~~ sleeping consumer.

→ The sleeping can be reached by means of inter process communication, typically using semaphores.

### Shared data

semaphore: full = 0, empty = n, mutex = 1;

→ counting semaphore

→ binary semaphore

→ Full indicates the no. of buffer places that contain the data item, whereas the empty represents the no. of empty spaces in buffer.

→ At the doesn't

producer do {

#pro

wait

wait

#add

sig

sig

#while

consumer do {

wait

wait

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#con

#while

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full = 5

consume

wait (

printed

At the initial state, we'll assume that the buffer doesn't contain any data item.

### Producer Process

do {

# produce an item

wait (empty);

wait (mutex);

# add item to buffer

signal (mutex);

empty decreases by 1

producer gains control over buffer

signal (mutex full);

control is revoked

full = 1 (1 item in buffer)

while (1);

### Consumer Process

do {

wait (full);

wait (empty);

wait (empty); consumer gains control of buffer

# remove an item from buffer

signal (mutex);

control revoked

signal (empty);

empty increases by 1

# consume the item

while (1);

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consumer

wait (full decreases by 1). full = ~~(5, 4, 3, 2, 1)~~

control accessed

control revoked

empty = ~~(n-4), (n-3), (n-2), (n-1), (n-0)~~

producer

empty = ~~(n-4), (n-3), (n-2), (n-1), n~~

control access

control revoked

full = ~~0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5~~

n-5

### Readers- Writers Problem -

A data set is shared among a no. of concurrent processes.

→ Reader: only read the data set; they don't perform any updates.

→ Writer: can both read & write.

\* Problem: allow multiple readers to read at the same time,

→ Only one single writer can access the shared data at the same time.

→ Several variations of how readers & writers are considered - all involve some form of priorities.

\* Readers - Writers Problem is of 2 types.

① First RW Problem (Reader has priority)

② Second RW Problem (Writer has priority)

→ Shared Data:

→ Data set

→ Semaphores + rw-mutex OR (rwMT) initialized to 1

→ Semaphore mutex initialized to 1

→ Integer read-count " " " 0

- Semaphores sol'n to the RW problem -

Writer phase :-

wait (rwMT);

// writing is performed.

signal (rwMT);

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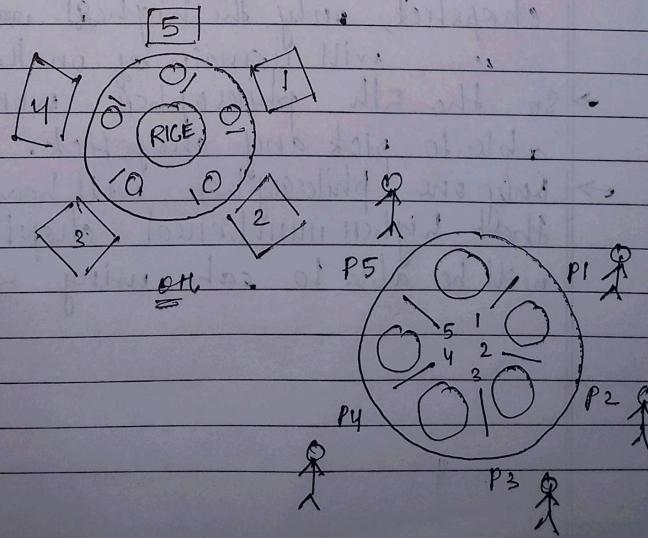
## Reader Process

```
wait (mutex);  
headcount++;  
if (headcount == 1)  
    wait (wrt);  
signal (mutex);  
// reading is performed  
wait (mutex);  
headcount--;  
if (headcount == 0)  
    signal (wrt);  
signal (mutex);
```

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## Dining Philosophers Problem

- The dining philosophers problem is a classic synchronizing problem involving the allocation of limited resources among a group of processes in a deadlock-free & starvation-free manner.
- Consider 5 philosophers sitting around a table, in which there are 5 chopsticks evenly distributed & an endless bowl of rice in the center, as shown in the diagram:



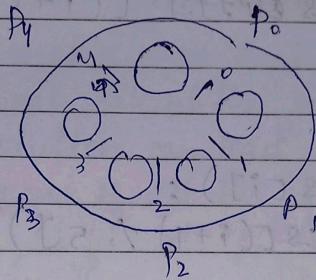
- Chopsticks are placed b/w each pair of adjacent philosophers.
- When it is time for a philosopher to eat, it must first acquire 2 chopsticks - one from their left & one from their right.
- A philosopher can use the chopstick only if it is not being used by another philosopher.
- After an individual philosopher finishes eating, they need to put down both chopsticks so that the chopsticks become available to others.
- The problem is to design a solution such that no philosopher will starve.
- The solution to the problem was originally proposed by Dijkstra.
- It assigns a partial order to the resources (the chopsticks) & establishes the convention that all resources will be requested in order.
- Each of the philosophers will always pickup the lower numbered chopstick first, & then the higher no. chopstick.
- In this case, if 1<sup>st</sup> person of the five philosophers simultaneously picks up their ~~lowest numbers~~ 5 lowest numbered chopstick, only the highest numbered will remain on the table.
- So, the 5<sup>th</sup> philosopher won't be able to pick any chopstick.
- Only one philosopher will have access to that highest numbered chopstick, so he will be able to eat using 2 chopsticks.

Struct  
Problem  
→ Solution

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From implementation point -



Structure of Dining ~~Philosopher~~ Philosophers Problem.

→ Shared ~~data~~ shared data:

- semaphore chopstick [5]; initially all values are

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Chopstick : CS

CS	[	1	1	1	1	1	]
	0	1	2	3	4		

→ all CS on table ✓

wait (CS[0])

→ picked up by either  $P_0$  or  $P_4$ .

CS	[	0	1	1	1	1	]
	0	1	2	3	4		

→ Philosopher  $i \Rightarrow$  (Fork with philosopher)

do {

wait ( $CS[i]$ )

wait ( $CS[(i+1) \% 5]$ )

...

eat

...

signal ( $CS[i]$ );

signal ( $CS[(i+1) \% 5]$ );

think

} while (!);

$P_0 \rightarrow (0, 1) \rightarrow P_0$  picks up  $CS \rightarrow D \& I$

$P_1 \rightarrow (1, 2)$

$P_2 \rightarrow (2, 3)$

$P_3 \rightarrow (3, 4)$

$P_4 \rightarrow (4, 0)$

([0]20) time

→ Philosopher : 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0

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do {

wait ( $CS[1]$ )

wait ( $CS[(1+1) \% 5]$ )

...

eat

...

signal ( $CS[1]$ )

signal ( $CS[(1+1) \% 5]$ )

think

} while (!)

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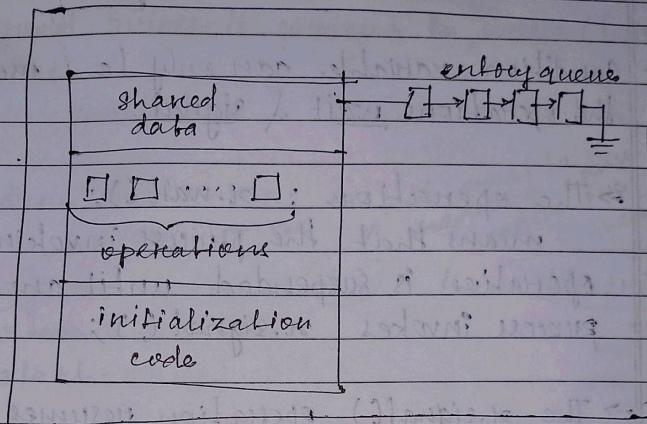
- When all processes are holding all the resources, none can proceed due to lack of further resources & such scenario is called a deadlock.
  - The solution makes sure that no 2 neighbouring philosophers can eat at the same time.
  - But this solution can lead to a deadlock.
  - This will happen if all the philosophers pick their right/left chopstick simultaneously. Then none of them can eat & deadlock occurs.
  - Some of the ways to avoid deadlock are:
  - There should be at most 4 philosophers on the table.
  - And even philosopher should pick the right CS & then he left CS ~~with~~<sup>while</sup> an odd philosopher should pick the left CS if then he right CS.
- Limitation of semaphores -
- Their use is not enforced, but it is by conventionally convention only.
  - The programmer has to keep track of all calls to wait & to signal the semaphore.
  - With improper use, a process may block indefinitely, such situation is called a deadlock.
  - The alternative to semaphore is monitor

SemaphoreMonitor

- (1) Semaphore is an integer variable.
- (2) The value of semaphore indicates the no. of shared resources available in the system.
- (3) When any process access the shared resources it performs wait() operation & when it releases the resources it performs signal() operation.
- (4) Semaphores do not have condition variables.
- (1) Monitor is an abstract data type.
- (2) The monitor type contains shared variables & the set of procedures that operate on the shared variable.
- (3) When any process wants to access the shared variables in the monitor, it needs to access it through the procedures.
- (4) Monitors has condition variable.

## Monitors

- High level synchronization construct that allows the safe sharing of an abstract data type among concurrent processes.



Schematic view of a monitor

Programming structures:

monitor monitor-name

{ shared variable declarations

procedure body P1 (...) { ... }

procedure body P2 (...) { ... }

procedure body Pn (...) { ... }

initialization code { ... }



## Monitors with

- To allow a process to wait within the monitor, a condition variable must be declared, as conditions  $x, y$ :
- Condition variable can only be used with the operations wait & signal.
- The operation:  $x.wait()$  means that the process invoking this operation is suspended until another process invokes  $x.signal()$ .
- The  $x.signal()$  operation resumes exactly one suspended process. If no process is suspended, then the signal operation has no effect.

## Monitors solution to the R-W Problem -

monitor readers-writer:

begin

headcount : integer;

busy : boolean;

oktoread, oktowrite : conditions;

Procedure:

begin

white.read if (busy) then (oktoread.wait);  
 procedure  
 is ranging on  
 readcount = readcount + 1;  
 oktoread.signal; → oktoread allowed to execute

end start-head;

(start-head) → this procedure is to start reading

oktoread suspended

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Assignment.  
Write  
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Procedures end-read;

begin

headcount = headcount - 1;

if headcount = 0 then oktowrite.signal;

// no read process is present so write() is allowed.

end end-read;

Procedures start-write;

begin writer is active

if busy or headcount  $\leq 0$  then oktowrite.wait;

busy = true;

end start-write;

not equal to some active  
readers are then

write  
process  
is

suspended

Procedures end-write;

begin

busy = false; readers are waiting in queue

if oktoread.queue then oktoread.signal;

else oktowrite.signal

end end-write;

reader is allowed  
to execute.

begin (\* Initialization code \*)

headcount = 0; busy = false;

end;

end readers-writers;

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Ques. Write the monitor solution to the producer-consumer problem & the dining-philosophers problem.

## - Deadlock -

- In concurrent computing, a deadlock is a state in which each member of a group is waiting for some other member to take action.
- In OS, a deadlock occurs when a process enters a waiting state because the requested system resource is held by another waiting process, which in turn is waiting for another resource held by another waiting process.

## - System Model -

- Resource types  $R_1, R_2, \dots, R_m$
- Each resource type  $R_i$  has  $M_i$  instances.
- Each process utilizes a resource as follows:
  - request
  - use
  - release

## - Deadlock Characterization -

- Deadlock can arise if four conditions hold simultaneously.

- ① Mutual Exclusion: only one process at a time can use a resource.
- ② Hold & Wait: a process is holding at least one resource & is waiting to acquire additional resources held by other processes.
- ③ No preemption: a resource can be released

voluntarily by the process holding it - after the process has completed its task.

- (ii) Circular wait : there exists a ~~shaded~~ set  $\{P_1, P_2, \dots, P_n\}$  of waiting processes such that  $P_0$  is waiting for a resource that is held by  $P_1$ ,  $P_1$  is waiting for a free resource that is held by  $P_2, \dots, \dots, P_{n-1}$  is waiting for a resource that is held by  $P_n$  &  $P_n$  is waiting for a resource that is held by  $P_0$ .

### - Resources Allocation Graph -

- A set of vertices  $V$  and a set of edges  $E$
- $V$  is
- $V$  is partitioned into 2 types:
  - $P = \{P_1, P_2, \dots, P_m\}$ , the set consisting of all the processes in the system.
  - $R = \{R_1, R_2, \dots, R_n\}$ , the set consisting of all resource types in the system.
- request edge : directed edge from  $P_i \rightarrow R_j$
- assignment edge : " " " "  $R_j \rightarrow P_i$

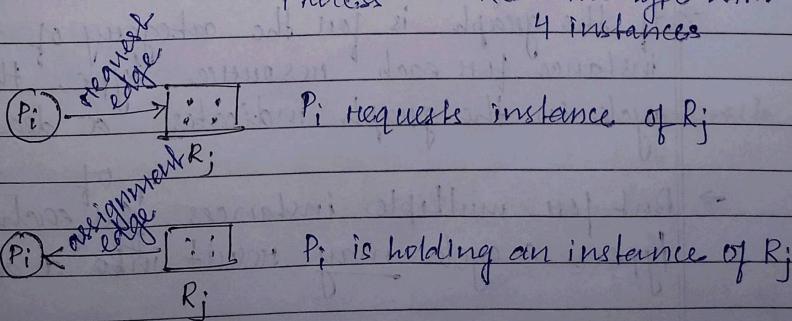
Representation :



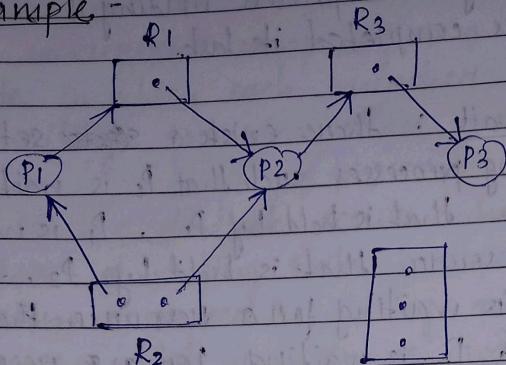
Process



Resource Type with  
4 instances



example -



(resource type

R2 has 2

instances out of

which one is

assigned to P1 & the  
other is assigned to P2)

→ If in the resource allocation graph, we find at least one resource having more than one instances, then that graph belongs to the category of multiple instances of each resource type. otherwise the graph belongs to the category of single instance of each resource type.

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Concluding Remarks -

- If the graph is for the category of single instance for each resource type, then, a cycle in the graph indicates a deadlock.
- But for multiple instances ~~for~~ each resource type, a cycle may result into a deadlock.

→ For multiple instances, we'll use Banker's Algorithm, to conclude if the system is in a deadlock state, or not.

### Basic Fact -

1. If the graph has no cycle  $\Rightarrow$  No deadlock
2. If the graph contains a ~~deadlock~~ cycle  $\Rightarrow$ 
  - $\rightarrow$  if only one instance per resource type, then deadlock
  - $\rightarrow$  if several instances per resource type, then possibility of deadlock.

### \* Methods to handle Deadlock -

- (1) Deadlock Prevention
- (2) Deadlock Avoidance
- (3) Deadlock Detection & Recovery

#### (1) Deadlock Prevention

→ This strategy states that deadlock can be prevented if any one of the "necessary conditions for deadlock" is made to false.

- (i) → Mutual Exclusion : not required for sharable resources ; must be held for non-sharable resources.  $\therefore$  It can't be made false.
- (ii) → Hold & wait : must guarantee that whenever a process requests a resource, it doesn't hold any other resources.
- (iii) → No Preemption :
  - $\rightarrow$  If a process that is holding some ~~requested~~ resources requests another resource that cannot be immediately allocated to it, then all resources currently being held are released.
  - $\rightarrow$  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.

(iv) → Circular wait:

To make the circular wait condition to be false, let us impose a partial ordering among the resources & the process should request the resources in the increasing order of enumeration.

$$f: R \rightarrow N$$

e.g. every resource is given a number.

$$f(\text{CPU}) = 3$$

$$f(\text{Printer}) = 4 \rightarrow$$

$$f(\text{Scanner}) = 5$$

→ let's assume a process is using Resource(1), then this process can request resources ~~2, 3, 4~~ > (1)

these are resources

- let us define a funcn:  $f: R \rightarrow N$ .
- This funcn will assign unique +ve integer values to the resources.
- To prove, that the circular wait condition doesn't exist, we will use the method of contradiction.

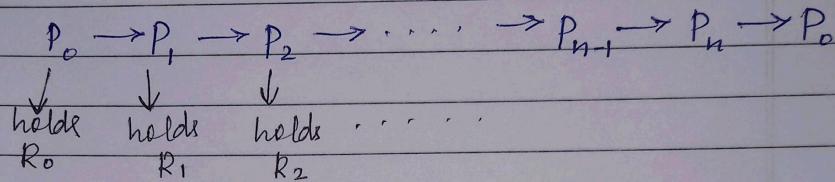
Proof

→ Suppose, a circular wait condition exists between a set of processes  $\{P_0, P_1, \dots, P_n\}$ , that means

→ let the process  $P_i$  is holding the resource  $R_i$  & since, a circular wait condition exists,



$P_0$  is waiting for  $P_1$  etc.  $\cancel{P_0 \rightarrow}$   
 $P_1$  " " "  $P_2$



From here, we can say:  $f(R_0) < f(R_1)$

$$f(R_1) < \dots < f(R_n)$$

$$< f(R_0)$$

From above:  $f(R_0) < f(R_0)$  ↙  
 which is not possible. ↘

By transitivity, we can write ↗ which is false, hence our assumption is wrong & hence a circular wait condition doesn't exist.

(2) Deadlock Avoidance -

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## (2) Deadlock Avoidance -

- The simplest model states that each process should declare the maximum no. of resources of each type that it may need.
- The deadlock-avoidance algorithm dynamically examines the resource-allocation state to ensure that there can never be a circular-wait condition.
- Resource-allocation state is defined by the no. of available, & allocated resources, & the maximum demands of the processes.

Safe-state: When a process requests an available resource, system must decide if immediate allocation leaves the system in a safe-state.

→ System is in safe-state if there's exists a

safe-sequence of all processes.

Basic Facts.

- If a system is in safe state.  $\Rightarrow$  no deadlock  
 → " " " unsafe."  $\Rightarrow$  possibility of deadlock.

→ Avoidance  $\Rightarrow$  ensure that a system will never enter into an unsafe state.

Data Structures for the Banker's Algorithm-

let  $n = \text{no. of processes}$ .

$m = \text{no. of resource types.}$

Processes                          Resource Types

	$R_1$	$R_2$	$\dots$	$R_n$
$P_1$	$x$	$y$	$\dots$	$z$
$P_2$	$a$	$b$	$\dots$	$c$
$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\ddots$	$\vdots$
$P_n$				

$\Rightarrow$  Available : Vector of length ' $m$ '.

If  $\text{available}[j] = k$ ,  
 there are  $k$  instances of  
 resources type  $R_j$  available

AVL:	0	1	0	7	3	1	
	$R_1$	$R_2$	$\dots$	$R_j$		$m$	

$\Rightarrow$  Max :  $(n \times m)$  matrix.

If  $\text{Max}[i, j] = k$ , then process  $P_i$   
 may request at most ' $k$ ' instances of

Process

$\rightarrow$  Allocation

$\rightarrow$  Need

Safe

① let L  
Available

Initial

② Find

(a)

(b)

\* If

③ Work

Finish

go to

④

resource type  $R_j$ .

→ Allocation:  $(n \times m)$  matrix.

If  $\text{Allocation}[i, j] = k$ , then

$P_i$  may is currently allocated  
'k' instances of  $R_j$ .

→ Need:  $(n \times m)$  matrix.

If  $\text{Need}[i, j] = k$ , then

$P_i$  may need  $k$  more instances of  $R_j$   
to complete its task.

$$\text{Need}[i, j] = \text{Max}[i, j] - \text{Allocation}[i, j]$$

Safety Algorithm (Safety-state algo):

① Let Work & Finish be vectors of length ' $m$ ' & ' $n$ ', respectively.

$m \rightarrow \text{Work} \rightarrow \text{resource type}$

$n \rightarrow \text{Finish} \rightarrow \text{process}$

Initialize:

$\text{work} = \text{Available}$  // resources that are available  
are put into 'Work'.

$\text{Finish}[i] = \text{false}$  for  $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$

none of the processes have completed their execution.

② Find an ' $i$ ' such that both:

(a)  $\text{Finish}[i] = \text{false}$ .

(b)  $\text{Need}[i] \leq \text{Work}$

\* If no such ' $i$ ' exists, go to step-4

③  $\text{Work} = \text{Work} + \text{Allocation}[i]$

$\text{Finish}[i] = \text{true}$ .

go to step ②.

Q) If  $\text{Finish}[i] = \text{true}$  for all 'i', then the system is in a safe state.

- Example of Banker's Algorithm -

Given Q. Check if the system is in the safe state.

5 processes  $P_0$  through  $P_4$   
 3 resource types A (10 instances)  
 B (5 " )  
 C (7 " )

Given, snapshot at time T<sub>0</sub> :

Allocation	Max	Available	
A    B    C	A    B    C	A    B    C	A    B    C

	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
$P_0$	0	1	0	7	5	3	3	3	2
$P_1$	2	0	0	3	2	2		1	2
$P_2$	3	0	2	4	0	2		6	0
$P_3$	2	1	1	2	2	2		0	1
$P_4$	0	0	2	4	3	3		4	3

Step ① : None of the  $P_i$  has 000 in 'Need'

: No  $P_i$  has finished its execution.

Step ② We have AVL : 3 3 2

Step ③ We can fulfill  $P_1$  which has 1 2 2 in need

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{WANK} = 3 \ 3 \ 2 \\ + 2 \ 0 \ 0 \\ \hline = 5 \ 3 \ 2 \end{array}$$

Similarly, now  $P_1$  is done.

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{WANK for } P_3 : 5 \ 3 \ 2 \\ + 2 \ 1 \ 1 \\ \hline = 7 \ 4 \ 3 \end{array}$$

( $P_3$  done)

$$\text{For } P_0 : \begin{array}{r} 743 \\ + 010 \\ \hline 753 \end{array} (P_0 \text{ done})$$

$$\text{For } P_4 : \begin{array}{r} 753 \\ + 002 \\ \hline 755 \end{array} (P_4 \text{ done})$$

$$\text{For } P_2 : \begin{array}{r} 755 \\ + 302 \\ \hline 1057 \end{array} (P_2 \text{ done})$$

↓ ↓ ↓  
instance of  $\langle A, B, C \rangle$  completed.

$\therefore$  The safe sequence is:  $\langle P_1, P_3, P_0, P_4, P_2 \rangle$

$\therefore$  There exists a safe-sequence, the system is in the safe-state.

Sometimes, we may have more than one safe sequence & so

$\Rightarrow$  Order of execution is irrelevant.  
(We can start with any process)

Resource - Request Algorithm for Process  $P_i$  -

Request<sub>i</sub> : Request vector for process  $P_i$ .

$\Rightarrow$  If there Request<sub>i</sub>[j] = k, then process  $P_i$  wants 'k' instances of resource type  $R_j$ .

- ① If Request<sub>i</sub> < Need<sub>i</sub>, go to step ②.
- Otherwise, raise error.

(2) If Request;  
     $\leq$  Available , go to step (3),  
    otherwise,  $P_i$  must wait , since resources  
    are not available.

(3) Pretend to allocate requested resources to  $P_i$   
    by modifying the state as follows :

$$\text{Available}_i = \text{Available} - \text{Request}_i$$

$$\text{Allocation}_i = \text{Allocation}_i + \text{Request}_i$$

$$\text{Need}_i = \text{Need}_i - \text{Request}_i$$

- If safe  $\Rightarrow$  the resources are allocated to  $P_i$ ,
- If unsafe  $\Rightarrow P_i$  must wait, & the old  
    resource-allocation state is restored.

- If safe  $\Rightarrow$  the resources are allocated.
- If unsafe  $\Rightarrow P_i$  must wait, & the old resource allocation state is restored.

8/5/23 (referring to previous question)

Q. Suppose the process  $P_1$  makes a request  $(1, 0, 2)$

	Need			AvL
$P_1:$ $(1 \ 0 \ 2)$	1	2	2	3 3 2

- Step ①  $\rightarrow$  Request  $\leq$  Need, i.e.  $(1 \ 0 \ 2) \leq (1 \ 2 \ 2)$
- Step ②  $\rightarrow$  Request  $\leq$  Available, i.e.  $(1 \ 0 \ 2) \leq (3 \ 3 \ 2)$
- Step ③ Both True

After virtual allocation, the new state is obtained as -

	Allocation			Need			Available		
	A	B	C	A	B	C	(A)	(B)	(C)
$P_0$	0	1	0	7	4	3	2	3	0
$P_1$	3	0	2	10	2	0			
$P_2$	3	0	2	6	0	0			
$P_3$	2	1	1	0	1	1			
$P_4$	0	0	2	4	3	1			

We have avl: (2 3 0)

→ We can fulfill  $P_1$

work:

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \ 3 \ 0 \\ + 0 \ 2 \ 0 \\ \hline 2 \ 5 \ 0 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 2 \ 3 \ 0 \\ + 3 \ 0 \ 2 \\ \hline 5 \ 3 \ 2 \end{array}$$

( $P_1$  alone)

$P_2$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \ 5 \ 0 \\ + 0 \ 1 \ 1 \\ \hline 2 \ 6 \ 1 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 5 \ 3 \ 2 \\ + 2 \ 1 \ 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

( $P_2$  done) ( $\cancel{P_4}$  4 3)

$P_4$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \ 6 \ 0 \\ + 0 \ 0 \ 0 \\ \hline 2 \ 6 \ 0 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 7 \ 4 \ 3 \\ 0 \ 0 \ 2 \\ \hline ( = 45) \end{array}$$

( $P_4$  done)

0, 2)

$P_1$

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \ 6 \ 0 \\ + 4 \ 3 \ 1 \\ \hline 12 \ 9 \ 1 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 7 \ 4 \ 5 \\ + 3 \ 0 \ 2 \\ \hline 10 \ 4 \ 7 \end{array}$$

( $P_1$  done) ( $P_2$  done)

$P_0$

$$\begin{array}{r} 12 \ 9 \ 1 \\ - 1 \ 4 \ 3 \\ \hline 18 \ 13 \ 1 \end{array} \quad (P_0 \text{ done})$$

2 2)  
3 3 2)

=

$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \ 4 \ 7 \\ + 0 \ 1 \ 0 \\ \hline 10 \ 5 \ 7 \end{array}$$

( $P_0$  done)

∴ Safe sequence:  $\langle P_1, P_3, P_4, P_2, P_0 \rangle$

∴ There exists a safe sequence, the system is in the safe state & hence, the virtual allocation is converted into actual allocation & ~~left~~.

Q. Can request for (0, 20) by  $P_0$  be granted.



	Allocation			Need	Avl
	P <sub>0</sub>	P <sub>1</sub>	P <sub>2</sub>	P <sub>3</sub>	P <sub>4</sub>
✓ P <sub>0</sub>	0	3	0	7 2 3	2 1 0
✓ P <sub>1</sub>	3	0	2	0 2 0	
P <sub>2</sub>	3	0	2	6 0 0	
✓ P <sub>3</sub>	2	1	1	0 1 1	
P <sub>4</sub>	0	0	2	4 3 1	

$$\begin{array}{r}
 P_1 \\
 \underline{+} \quad 2 \ 1 \ 0 \\
 + \quad 3 \ 0 \ 2 \\
 \hline
 5 \ 1 \ 2
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 P_3 \\
 \underline{+} \quad 5 \ 1 \ 2 \\
 + \quad 2 \ 1 \ 1 \\
 \hline
 7 \ 2 \ 3
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 P_4 \\
 \underline{+} \quad 2 \ 3 \\
 + \quad 1 \ 2 \\
 \hline
 3 \ 5 \ 4
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 P_0 \\
 \underline{+} \quad 10 \ 2 \ 7 \\
 + \quad 0 \ 3 \ 0 \\
 \hline
 10 \ 5 \ 7
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 P_2 \\
 \begin{array}{c|ccc}
 & 9 & 5 & 4 \\ \hline
 & 6 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline
 & 15 & 5 & 4
 \end{array}
 \end{array}
 \begin{array}{r}
 7 \ 2 \ 5 \\
 3 \ 0 \ 2 \\
 \hline
 10 \ 2 \ 7
 \end{array}$$

→ Limit was 10 : unsafe state

P<sub>0</sub>

∴ Roll back to previous safe state

- Can request (3, 3, 0) by P<sub>4</sub> be granted.

## - Deadlock Detection -

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

Single instance of each resource type

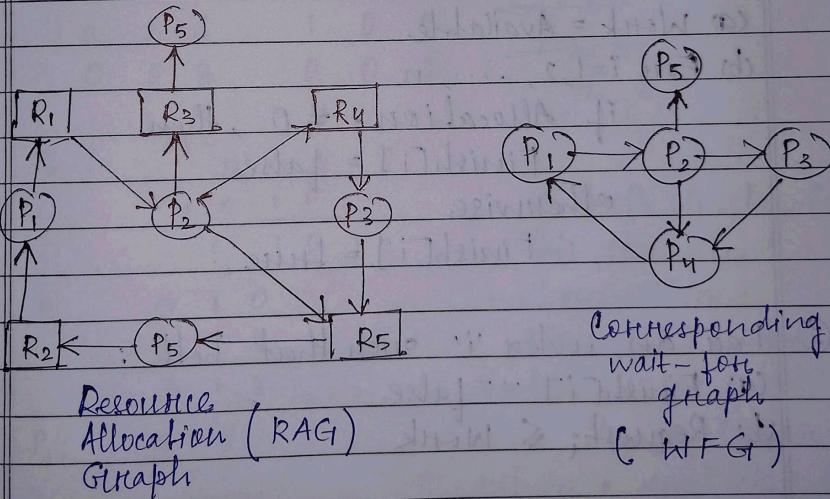
→ Maintain wait-for graph.

→ Nodes are processes

→  $P_i \rightarrow P_j$  if  $P_i$  is waiting for  $P_j$

→ Periodically invoke an algorithm that searches for a cycle in the graph.

→ An algorithm to detect a cycle in a graph requires an order of  $n^2$  operations, where 'n' is the no. of vertices in the graph.



10/5/23 - Several instances of a Resource Types -  
(Variant of Banker's Algorithm)

→ Available: A vector of length ' $m$ ' indicates the no. of available resources of each type.

→ Allocation: An  $(n \times m)$  matrix defines the no. of resources of each type currently allocated to each process.

→ Request: An  $(n \times m)$  matrix indicates the current request of each process.  
If  $\text{Request}[i, j] = k$ , then process  $P_i$  is requesting ' $k$ ' more instances of resource type  $R_j$ .

### - Detection Algorithm -

① Let 'Work' & 'Finish' be vectors of length ' $m$ ' & ' $n$ ', respectively.

Initialize:

(a) Work = Available

(b) For all  $i=1, 2, \dots, n$

    if Allocation $[i, :]$  ≠ 0, then  
        Finish $[i] = \text{false}$

    otherwise

        Finish $[i] = \text{true}$ .

② For an index ' $i$ ' such that both :

(a) Finish $[i] = \text{false}$

(b) Request $[i, :] \leqslant \text{Work}$

If no such ' $i$ ' exists, go to step ④.

③ Work = Work + Allocation;

Finish $[i] = \text{true}$ .

go to step ②

⑪ If  $\text{Finish}[i] = \text{false}$  for some  $i$ , ( $1 \leq i < n$ )  
then the system is in deadlock state.

- Example of detection algorithm -

d. Five processes  $P_0$  through  $P_4$ :

3 resource types : A( 7 instances)

B( 2 " )

C( 6 " )

S snapshot at time  $T_0$  :

	Allocation			Request			Available (work)		
	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
✓ $P_0$	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	0	0
✓ $P_1$	2	0	0	2	0	2	5	1	0
✓ $P_2$	3	0	3	0	0	0	5	1	3
✓ $P_3$	2	1	1	1	0	0	5	1	3
✓ $P_4$	0	0	2	0	0	2	7	2	6

$$P_0 : \begin{array}{r} \text{Avl} \\ \begin{array}{r} 0 \ 0 \ 0 \\ + 0 \ 1 \ 0 \\ \hline 0 \ 1 \ 0 \end{array} \end{array} \therefore \langle P_0, P_2, P_1, P_3, P_4 \rangle$$

This sequence will result in:

$$P_2 : \begin{array}{r} 0 \ 1 \ 0 \\ + 3 \ 0 \ 3 \\ \hline 3 \ 1 \ 3 \end{array} \quad \text{Finish if } T = \text{true}$$

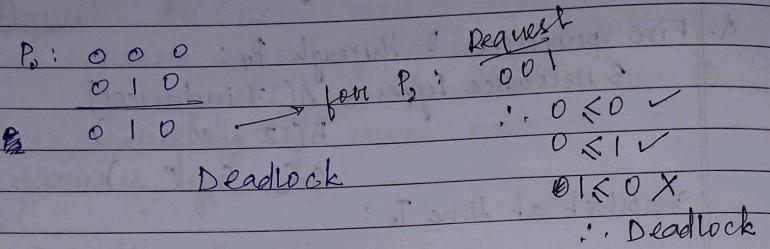
for all " ; hence, the system is not in a deadlock state.

$$P_3 : \begin{array}{r} 5 \ 1 \ 3 \\ 2 \ 1 \ 1 \\ \hline 7 \ 2 \ 4 \end{array}$$

$$P_4 : \begin{array}{r} 7 \ 2 \ 4 \\ 0 \ 0 \ 2 \\ \hline 7 \ 2 \ 6 \end{array}$$

- Q. Suppose  $P_2$  requests an additional instance of type 'C'. (0 0 1)

∴ Allocation



Recovery

- Recovery from deadlock -

### (1) Process Termination -

- Abort all deadlocked processes.
- Abort one process at a time until the deadlock cycle is eliminated.
- In which order should we choose to abort?

### (2) Priority of the process.

- ② How long the process has computed & how much longer to completion.
- ③ Resources the process has used.
- ④ Resources that the process needs to complete.
- ⑤ How many processes will need to be terminated.
- ⑥ Is process interactive or batch.

### (2) Resource Preemption -

- Selecting a victim - minimize cost.
- Rollback - return to some safe state, restart process from that state.
- Starvation - same process may always be picked as victim, include no. of rollback in cost factor.