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and Common Mistakes

UNDERSTANDING SEMAPHORES AND LEARNING HOW TO APPLY THEM

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http://www.greenteapress.com/semaphores/LittleBookOfSemaphores.pdf

Basic synchronization patterns

3.1 Signaling

Signaling makes it possible to guarantee that a section of code in one thread will run before a section of code in another thread; in other words, it solves the **serialization problem**.

The semaphore in the next program guarantee that the process $\bf A$ has completed the assignment to the variable $\bf x$ before the process $\bf B$ begins its assignment to the same variable.

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3.1 Signaling (3.1.signaling.pml)

```
15
    #define wait(sem) atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
16
    #define signal(sem) sem++
17
18
   byte sem = 0
19
   byte x = 0
20
21
   proctype A() {
     x = 1
22
23
      signal(sem)
24
    }
25
26
    proctype B() {
27
     wait(sem)
28
     x = 2
29
    }
30
31
   init {
32
    atomic { run A(); run B() }
33
      _nr_pr == 1
      assert( x == 2 )
34
35
    }
```

3.1 Signaling (3.1.signaling.pml)

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3.3 Rendezvous

The idea is that two threads rendezvous at a point of execution, and neither is allowed to proceed until both have arrived.



Claude Lelouch, 1976, 8 min 38 seconds

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01:38 01:38 01:39 02:39

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3.3 Rendezvous (3.3.0.rendezvous.pml)

```
$ cat -n 3.3.0.rendezvous.pml
          The Little Book of Semaphores (2.2.1)
     1 /*
     2
           by A. Downey
     3
     4
           Chapter 3. Basic synchronization patterns
     5
     6
           3.1 Signaling
     7
           3.3 Rendezvous
                                                   Thread 2
     8
                          Thread A
     9
                             statement a1
                                                   1 statement b1
                             statement a2
                                                      statement b2
    10
    11
    12
           We want to guarantee that a1 happens before b2 and b1 happens
before a2:
    13
               a1,b1,b2,a2; a1,b1,a2,b2; b1,a1,a2,b2; b1,a1,b2,a2
    14
           prohibiting
    15
               b1,b2,a1,a2; a1,a2,b1,b2
    16
    17
           3.3.0.rendezvous.pml: all 6 possible sequences
    18 */
    19
```

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3.3 Rendezvous (3.3.0.rendezvous.pml)

```
20 int x = 0
    21
    22 proctype A() {
         x = 10*x + 1
    23
         x = 10*x + 2
    24
    25 }
    26
    27 proctype B() {
         x = 10*x + 3
    28
    29
         x = 10*x + 4
    30 }
    31
    32 init {
         atomic { run A(); run B() }
    33
         _nr_pr == 1
    34
         printf("x = %d\n", x)
    35
         assert(x==1234 || x==1324 || x==1342 || x==3412 || x==3142 ||
    36
x = 3124
    37 /* must be prohibited: 3412 and 1234 */
    38 }
```

3.3 Rendezvous (3.3.0.rendezvous.pml)

```
$ spin 3.3.0.rendezvous.pml
      x = 1342
3 processes created
$ spin 3.3.0.rendezvous.pml
      x = 1234
3 processes created
$ spin 3.3.0.rendezvous.pml
      x = 1234
3 processes created
$ spin 3.3.0.rendezvous.pml
      x = 3142
3 processes created
$ spin 3.3.0.rendezvous.pml
      x = 3412
3 processes created
. . .
```

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3.3 Rendezvous (3.3.0.rendezvous.pml)

Only these 6 sequences are possible, but two of them are prohibited!

3.3.2 Rendezvous (efficient) solution (3.3.2a.rendezvous.pml)

```
$ cat -n 3.3.2a.rendezvous.pml
          The Little Book of Semaphores (2.2.1)
     2
           by A. Downey
     3
           Chapter 3. Basic synchronization patterns
     4
     5
     6
           3.1 Signaling
     7
           3.3 Rendezvous
     8
                           Thread A
                                                    Thread 2
     9
                              statement a1
                                                    1 statement b1
    10
                              statement a2
                                                       statement b2
    11
    12
           We want to guarantee that a1 happens before b2 and b1 happens
before a2:
    13
               a1,b1,b2,a2; a1,b1,a2,b2; b1,a1,a2,b2; b1,a1,b2,a2
    14
           prohibiting
               b1,b2,a1,a2; a1,a2,b1,b2
    15
    16
    17
           3.3.2a Rendezvous solution (efficient)
    18 */
    19
```

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3.3.2 Rendezvous (efficient) solution (3.3.2a.rendezvous.pml)

```
20 #define wait(sem)
                       atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
21 #define signal(sem) sem++
22
23 byte aArrived = 0, bArrived = 0
24 \text{ int } x = 0
25
26 proctype A() {
27
     x = 10*x + 1
     signal(aArrived) # a) "llegaré en 10 minutos"
28
                        # b) llega en 8, debe esperar (context switch)
29
     wait(bArrived)
     x = 10*x + 2
30
31 }
32
33 proctype B() {
     x = 10*x + 3
34
     signal(bArrived) # c) "ya llegué"
35
36
    wait(aArrived)
                        # d) puede seguir sin cambio del contexto (1342)
     x = 10*x + 4
37
38 }
39
```

3.3.2 Rendezvous (efficient) solution (3.3.2a.rendezvous.pml)

```
40 init {
41   atomic { run A(); run B() }
42   _nr_pr == 1
43   assert(x!=1234 && x!=3412)
44 }
```

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3.3.2 Rendezvous (efficient) solution (3.3.2a.rendezvous.pml)

3.3.2 Rendezvous (less efficient) solution (3.3.2b.rendezvous.pml)

```
$ cat -n 3.3.2b.rendezvous.pml
          The Little Book of Semaphores (2.2.1)
     2
           by A. Downey
     3
           Chapter 3. Basic synchronization patterns
     4
     5
     6
           3.1 Signaling
     7
           3.3 Rendezvous
     8
                          Thread A
                                                   Thread 2
     9
                           1 statement a1
                                                   1 statement b1
    10
                              statement a2
                                                      statement b2
    11
    12
           We want to guarantee that a1 happens before b2 and b1 happens
before a2:
    13
               a1,b1,b2,a2; a1,b1,a2,b2; b1,a1,a2,b2; b1,a1,b2,a2
    14
           prohibiting
               b1,b2,a1,a2; a1,a2,b1,b2
    15
    16
    17
           3.3.2b Rendezvous solution (less efficient)
    18 */
    19
```

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3.3.2 Rendezvous (less efficient) solution (3.2.2b.rendezvous.pml)

```
20 #define wait(sem)
                       atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
21 #define signal(sem) sem++
22
23 byte aArrived = 0, bArrived = 0
24 \text{ int } x = 0
25
26 proctype A() {
27
    x = 10*x + 1
                       # a) "¿cuándo llegaras?" (context switch)
28
    wait(bArrived)
                         # d) "pardon, ya estoy" (1324 o 1342)
     signal(aArrived)
29
    x = 10*x + 2
30
31 }
32
33 proctype B() {
34
    x = 10*x + 3
     signal(bArrived) # b) "ya llegué"
35
36
    wait(aArrived)
                        # c) "pero tú no estás" (context switch extra)
    x = 10*x + 4
37
38 }
39
```

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3.3.2 Rendezvous (less efficient) solution (3.3.2b.rendezvous.pml)

```
40 init {
41   atomic { run A(); run B() }
42   _nr_pr == 1
43   assert(x!=1234 && x!=3412)
44 }
45
```

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3.3.2 Rendezvous (less efficient) solution (3.3.2b.rendezvous.pml)

3.3.3 Rendezvous Deadlock #1 (3.3.3.rendezvous.pml)

```
$ cat -n 3.2.3.rendezvous.pml
          The Little Book of Semaphores (2.1.5)
     2
           by A. Downey
     3
     4
           Chapter 3. Basic synchronization patterns
     5
     6
           3.1 Signaling
     7
           3.2 Rendezvous
     8
                           Thread A
                                                    Thread 2
     9
                              statement a1
                                                    1 statement b1
    10
                              statement a2
                                                       statement b2
    11
    12
           We want to guarantee that a1 happens before b2 and b1 happens
before a2:
    13
               a1,b1,b2,a2; a1,b1,a2,b2; b1,a1,a2,b2; b1,a1,b2,a2
    14
           prohibiting
               b1,b2,a1,a2; a1,a2,b1,b2
    15
    16
    17
           3.2.3 Deadlock #1
    18 */
    19
```

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3.3.3 Rendezvous Deadlock #1 (3.3.3.rendezvous.pml)

```
20 #define wait(sem)
                        atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
21 #define signal(sem) sem++
22
23 byte aArrived = 0, bArrived = 0;
24 \text{ int } x = 0
25
26 proctype A() {
27
     x = 10*x + 1
     wait(bArrived)
28
29
     signal(aArrived)
     x = 10*x + 2
30
31 }
32
33 proctype B() {
34
     x = 10*x + 3
35
     wait(aArrived)
36
     signal(bArrived)
     x = 10*x + 4
37
38 }
39
```

3.3.3 Rendezvous Deadlock #1 (3.3.3.rendezvous.pml)

```
40 init {
41    atomic { run A(); run B() }
42    _nr_pr == 1
43    assert(x!=1234 && x!=3412)
44 }
```

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3.3.3 Rendezvous Deadlock #1 (3.3.3.rendezvous.pml)

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3.3.3 Rendezvous Deadlock #1 (3.3.3.rendezvous.pml)

```
$ spin -p 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml
        proc - (:root:) creates proc 0 (:init:)
Starting A with pid 1
        proc 0 (:init::1) creates proc 1 (A)
  1:
        proc 0 (:init::1) 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml:41 (state 1)  [(run A())]
Starting B with pid 2
        proc 0 (:init::1) creates proc 2 (B)
  2:
  2:
               0 (:init::1) 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml:41 (state 2)
                                                                     [(run B())]
        DLOC
               1 (A:1) 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml:27 (state 1) [x = ((10*x)+1)] 2 (B:1) 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml:34 (state 1) [x = ((10*x)+3)]
  3:
        DLOC
  4:
        proc
      timeout
#processes: 3
                 aArrived = 0
                 bArrived = 0
                 x = 13
               2 (B:1) 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml:35 (state 4)
  4:
        DLOC
               1 (A:1) 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml:28 (state 4)
  4:
        ргос
  4:
        DLOC
               0 (:init::1) 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml:42 (state 4)
3 processes created
```

3.4.0 Shared variable (3.4.0.shared_var.pml)

```
$ cat -n 3.4.0.shared_var.pml
           The Little Book of Semaphores (2.2.1)
     2
           by A. Downey
     3
     4
           Chapter 3. Basic synchronization patterns
     5
     6
           3.4 Mutex
     7
                           Thread A
                                                        Thread B
     8
                             count = count + 1
                                                        1 \quad count = count + 1
     9
    10
           3.4.0.shared_var.pml
    11 */
    12
```

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3.4.0 Shared variable (3.4.0.shared_var.pml)

```
13 byte count = 0
14
15 proctype Th(byte i) {
     byte temp
16
17
18
     temp = count
     count = temp + 1
19
     printf("%c: count=%d\n",i,count)
20
21 }
22
23 init {
     atomic { run Th('A'); run Th('B') }
     _nr_pr == 1
25
     assert(count==2)
26
27 }
```

3.4.0 Shared variable (3.4.0.shared_var.pml)

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\$ cat -n 3.4.2.mutex.pml

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3.4.2 Mutex (3.4.2.mutex.pml)

```
The Little Book of Semaphores (2.2.1)
       by A. Downey
 2
 3
 4
       Chapter 3. Basic synchronization patterns
 5
 6
       3.4 Mutex
 7
                   Thread A
                                                Thread B
 8
                   1 mutex.wait()
                                                1 mutex.wait()
                        # critical section 2
count = count + 1 3
                                                     # critical section
 9
                   3
10
                                                     count = count + 1
                   4 mutex.signal()
                                                4 mutex.signal()
11
12
       3.4.2.mutex.pml
13
```

. . .

14 */ 15

3.4.2 Mutex (3.4.2.mutex.pml)

```
16 #define wait(sem) atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
17 #define signal(sem) sem++
18
19 byte mutex = 1
20 byte count = 0
21
22 proctype Th(byte i) {
    byte temp
23
24
25
    wait(mutex)
26
       temp = count
       count = temp + 1
27
    signal(mutex)
28
29 }
30
31 init {
     atomic { run Th('A'); run Th('B') }
     _nr_pr == 1
33
    assert(count==2)
34
35 }
```

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3.4.2 Mutex (3.4.2.mutex.pml)

3.5.1 Multiplex (3.5.1.multiplex.pml)

\$ cat -n 3.5.1.multiplex.pml | expand The Little Book of Semaphores (2.2.1) 2 by A. Downey 3 4 Chapter 3. Basic synchronization patterns 5 6 3.4 Multiplex 7 Thread i 8 multiplex.wait() 1 9 2 # critical section 10 3 multiplex.signal() 11 3.5.1.multiplex.pml 12 13 */ 14

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3.5.1 Multiplex (3.5.1.multiplex.pml)

```
15
    #define wait(sem)
                         atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
16
    #define signal(sem) sem++
17
   #define LIMIT 3
18
19
20
   byte multiplex=LIMIT, cs=0
21
22
    proctype Th(byte i) {
23
      wait(multiplex)
24
        CS++
             /* atomic inc by Promela */
        assert(cs <= LIMIT)</pre>
25
               /* atomic dec by Promela */
26
27
      signal(multiplex)
    }
28
29
30
    init {
      byte i
31
32
      atomic {
33
        for (i : 1 .. 9) {
34
35
          run Th(i)
36
37
38
```

3.5.1 Multiplex (3.5.1.multiplex.pml)

```
$ spin -run 3.5.1.multiplex.pml | expand
(Spin Version 6.4.8 -- 2 March 2018)
        + Partial Order Reduction
Full statespace search for:
        never claim
                                - (none specified)
        assertion violations
        cycle checks
                                (disabled by -DSAFETY)
        invalid end states
State-vector 84 byte, depth reached 86, errors: 0
unreached in proctype Th
        (0 of 8 states)
unreached in init
        (0 of 11 states)
pan: elapsed time 0.35 seconds
pan: rate 1372128.6 states/second
                                                                         35
```

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3.6.2 Barrier non-solution (3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml)

\$ cat -n 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml | expand

```
The Little Book of Semaphores (2.2.1)
 1
 2
       by A. Downey
 3
4
       Chapter 3. Basic synchronization patterns
5
6
       3.6 Barrier
        3.6.2 Barrier non-solution
7
8
9
       vk, 2017
10
   */
11
   #define THREADS 10
                       /* value for threads number */
12
                        /* value for barrier limit */
   #define N 5
13
14
15
   #define wait(sem)
                       atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
   #define signal(sem) sem++
16
17
```

```
byte count=0, mutex=1, barrier=0
18
19
    proctype Th(byte i) {
20
        byte temp
21
22
23
        do
        ::
            wait(mutex)
24
                 temp=count
25
                 count=temp+1
26
            signal(mutex)
27
            if
28
29
             :: count == N ->
                               signal(barrier)
30
            :: else
31
            fi
32
            wait(barrier)
33
            printf("Th(%d): count = %d\n",i,count)
34
            break
35
36
        od
37
    }
38
```

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3.6.2 Barrier non-solution (3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml)

```
init {
39
        byte i
40
41
42
        atomic {
             for (i: 1 .. THREADS) {
43
44
                 run Th(i)
45
             }
46
        }
    }
47
```

```
$ spin 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml | expand
```

```
Th(8): count = 5
      timeout
#processes: 11
                count = 10
                mutex = 1
                barrier = 0
        proc 10 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
              9 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        DLOC
              8 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:37 (state 20) <valid end
109:
        DLOC
state>
             7 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        ргос
              6 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        proc
        proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
             3 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        ргос
              2 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        ргос
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        ргос
109:
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:47 (state 11) <valid end
        ргос
state>
11 processes created
```

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3.6.2 Barrier non-solution (3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml)

```
$ spin 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml | expand
```

```
Th(1): count = 7
      timeout
#processes: 11
                count = 10
                mutex = 1
                barrier = 0
109:
        proc 10 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
              9 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
        proc
        proc 8 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        proc 7 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
              6 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        proc
        proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        ргос
              2 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
109:
        ргос
109:
        ргос
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:37 (state 20) <valid end
state>
109:
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:47 (state 11) <valid end
        ргос
state>
11 processes created
```

\$ spin 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml | expand

```
timeout
#processes: 11
                count = 10
                mutex = 1
                barrier = 0
        proc 10 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
104:
        proc 9 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
104:
        proc 8 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
104:
        proc 7 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
104:
        proc 6 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
104:
        proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
104:
        proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
104:
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
        ргос
104:
              2 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
104:
        ргос
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
104:
        ргос
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:47 (state 11) <valid end
104:
        ргос
state>
11 processes created
```

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3.6.2 Barrier non-solution (3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml)

```
$ spin 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml | expand
                                      Th(8): count = 5
                          Th(5): count = 5
      timeout
#processes: 11
                count = 10
                mutex = 1
                barrier = 0
114:
        proc 10 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
              9 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
114:
        proc
        proc 8 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 20) <valid end
114:
state>
114:
              7 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
        proc
114:
        ргос
              6 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
             5 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier nonsol.pml:37 (state 20) <valid end
114:
        ргос
state>
114:
              4 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
        ргос
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
114:
        DLOC
              2 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
114:
        proc
114:
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
        proc
114:
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:47 (state 11) <valid end
        proc
state>
11 processes created
```

```
$ cat -n 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml | expand
            The Little Book of Semaphores (2.2.1)
     1
     2
            by A. Downey
     3
     4
            Chapter 3. Basic synchronization patterns
     5
     6
            3.6 Barrier
     7
            3.6.2 Barrier non-solution
     8
     9
            vk, 2017
        */
    10
    11
                              /* value for threads number */
        #define THREADS 5
    12
                              /* value for barrier limit */
        #define N
    13
    14
        #define wait(sem)
                             atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
    15
        #define signal(sem) sem++
    16
    17
```

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3.6.2 Barrier non-solution (3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml)

```
byte count=0, mutex=1, barrier=0
18
19
    bit bar[THREADS+1]
20
21
    proctype Th(byte i) {
22
        byte temp
23
24
        do
            wait(mutex)
25
        ::
26
                 temp=count
27
                 count=temp+1
            signal(mutex)
28
            bar[i]=false
29
            if
30
31
            :: count == N ->
32
                 bar[i]=true
                 assert(!bar[1]||!bar[2]||!bar[3]||!bar[4]||!bar[5])
33
                 signal(barrier)
34
            :: else
35
36
            fi
37
            wait(barrier)
            printf("Th(%d): count = %d\n",i,count)
38
39
            break
40
        od
41
```

```
42
43
    init {
44
        byte i
45
46
        atomic {
47
             for (i: 1 .. THREADS) {
                 run Th(i)
48
49
             }
        }
50
   }
51
```

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3.6.2 Barrier non-solution (3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml)

```
$ spin -run (-E)3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml | expand
pan:1: assertion violated (((( !(bar[1])|| !(bar[2]))|| !(bar[3]))|| !
(bar[4]))|| !(bar[5])) (at depth 74)
pan: wrote 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml.trail
(Spin Version 6.4.8 -- 2 March 2018)
Warning: Search not completed
        + Partial Order Reduction
Full statespace search for:
        never claim
                                - (none specified)
        assertion violations
                                - (disabled by -DSAFETY)
        cycle checks
        invalid end states
                                - (disabled by -E flag)
State-vector 64 byte, depth reached 74, errors: 1
```

```
$ spin -t -p -g -l 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml | expand
using statement merging
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:47 (state 1)
  1:
        ргос
                                                                        [i = 1]
                :init:(0):i = 1
        proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:47 (state 2)
                                                                        [((i<=5))]
  2:
Starting Th with pid 1
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:48 (state 3)
                                                                        [(run Th(i))]
  3:
        ргос
  4:
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:47 (state 4)
                                                                        [i = (i+1)]
        proc
                :init:(0):i = 2
                :init:(0):i = 6
        ргос
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:49 (state 5)
 17:
                                                                        [else]
        ргос
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:49 (state 6)
                                                                        [goto:b1]
 18:
        proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:49 (state 9)
 19:
                                                                        [break]
 20:
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 1)
                                                                [((mutex>0))]
        ргос
             5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 2)
 20:
        ргос
                                                                [mutex = (mutex-1)]
                mutex = 0
 21:
        proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:26 (state 4)
                                                               [temp = count]
                Th(5):temp = 0
        proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:27 (state 5)
 22:
                                                               [count = (temp+1)]
                count = 1
                                                               [mutex = (mutex+1)]
 23:
        proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:28 (state 6)
                mutex = 1
                                                               [bar[i] = 0]
 24:
        proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:29 (state 7)
```

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3.6.2 Barrier non-solution (3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml)

```
25:
             4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:25 (state 1)
                                                               [((mutex>0))]
             4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 2)
                                                               [mutex = (mutex-1)]
25:
       ргос
               mutex = 0
26:
             4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:26 (state 4)
                                                               [temp = count]
       ргос
               Th(4):temp = 1
27:
             4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:27 (state 5)
                                                               [count = (temp+1)]
       ргос
               count = 2
            4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:28 (state 6)
                                                               [mutex = (mutex+1)]
28:
       ргос
               mutex = 1
       proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:29 (state 7)
29:
                                                               [bar[i] = 0]
       ргос
30:
             3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 1)
                                                               [((mutex>0))]
             3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 2)
30:
       ргос
                                                               [mutex = (mutex-1)]
               mutex = 0
            3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:26 (state 4)
31:
                                                               [temp = count]
       DLOC
               Th(3):temp = 2
32:
            3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:27 (state 5)
                                                               [count = (temp+1)]
       DLOC
               count = 3
       proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:28 (state 6)
                                                               [mutex = (mutex+1)]
33:
               mutex = 1
       proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:29 (state 7)
                                                               [bar[i] = 0]
34:
```

```
[((mutex>0))]
35:
             2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:25 (state 1)
35:
       ргос
             2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:25 (state 2)
                                                               [mutex = (mutex-1)]
               mutex = 0
36:
             2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:26 (state 4)
                                                               [temp = count]
       DLOC
               Th(2):temp = 3
37:
            2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:27 (state 5)
                                                               [count = (temp+1)]
       DLOC
               count = 4
       proc 2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:28 (state 6)
                                                               [mutex = (mutex+1)]
38:
               mutex = 1
39:
       proc 2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:29 (state 7)
                                                               [bar[i] = 0]
40:
             1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 1)
                                                               [((mutex>0))]
       DLOC
             1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 2)
40:
                                                               [mutex = (mutex-1)]
       proc
               mutex = 0
       proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:26 (state 4)
41:
                                                               [temp = count]
               Th(1):temp = 4
42:
       proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:27 (state 5)
                                                               [count = (temp+1)]
               count = 5
```

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3.6.2 Barrier non-solution (3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml)

```
43:
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:31 (state 8)
                                                                 [((count==5))]
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:32 (state 9)
                                                                 \lceil bar[i] = 1 \rceil
 44:
        ргос
                bar[0] = 0
                bar[1] = 0
                bar[2] = 0
                bar[3] = 0
                bar[4] = 0
                bar[5] = 1
        proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 10) [assert(((((!(bar[1])||:
 45:
(bar[2]))||!(bar[3]))||!(bar[4]))||!(bar[5])))]
             5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:34 (state 11) [barrier = (barrier+1)]
 46:
        DLOC
                barrier = 1
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 15)
 47:
        ргос
                                                                 [((barrier>0))]
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 16) [barrier = (barrier-1)]
 47:
        DLOC
                barrier = 0
                           Th(5): count = 5
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:38 (state 18) [printf('Th(%d): count = %d\\
 48:
        ргос
n',i,count)]
 49: proc 5 terminates
```

```
50:
              4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:31 (state 8)
                                                                [((count==5))]
 51:
              4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:32 (state 9)
                                                                [bar[i] = 1]
                bar[0] = 0
                bar[1] = 0
                bar[2] = 0
                bar[3] = 0
                bar[4] = 1
                bar[5] = 1
        proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 10) [assert(((((!(bar[1])||!
 52:
(bar[2]))||!(bar[3]))||!(bar[4]))||!(bar[5])))]
        proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:34 (state 11) [barrier = (barrier+1)]
 53:
                barrier = 1
              4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 15)
 54:
                                                               [((barrier>0))]
        ргос
        proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 16)
 54:
                                                               [barrier = (barrier-1)]
                barrier = 0
                      Th(4): count = 5
 55:
              4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:38 (state 18) [printf('Th(%d): count = %d\\
        ргос
n',i,count)]
56: proc 4 terminates
```

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3.6.2 Barrier non-solution (3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml)

```
57:
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:31 (state 8)
                                                                [((count==5))]
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:32 (state 9)
                                                                \lceil bar[i] = 1 \rceil
 58:
                bar[0] = 0
                bar[1] = 0
                bar[2] = 0
                bar[3] = 1
                bar[4] = 1
                bar[5] = 1
        proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 10) [assert(((((!(bar[1])||:
 59:
(bar[2]))||!(bar[3]))||!(bar[4]))||!(bar[5])))]
        proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:34 (state 11) [barrier = (barrier+1)]
 60:
                barrier = 1
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 15)
        ргос
 61:
                                                                [((barrier>0))]
             3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 16) [barrier = (barrier-1)]
 61:
        DLOC
                barrier = 0
                  Th(3): count = 5
        proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:38 (state 18) [printf('Th(%d): count = %d\
 62:
n',i,count)]
63: proc 3 terminates
```

```
64:
             2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:31 (state 8)
                                                               [((count==5))]
        proc 2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:32 (state 9)
 65:
                                                               [bar[i] = 1]
                bar[0] = 0
                bar[1] = 0
                bar[2] = 1
                bar[3] = 1
                bar[4] = 1
                bar[5] = 1
             2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 10) [assert(((((!(bar[1])||!
(bar[2]))||!(bar[3]))||!(bar[4]))||!(bar[5])))]
       proc 2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:34 (state 11) [barrier = (barrier+1)]
 67:
                barrier = 1
             2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 15)
 68:
                                                               [((barrier>0))]
        ргос
        proc 2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 16)
 68:
                                                               [barrier = (barrier-1)]
                barrier = 0
              Th(2): count = 5
 69:
        proc 2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:38 (state 18) [printf('Th(%d): count = %d\
n',i,count)]
70: proc 2 terminates
```

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3.6.2 Barrier non-solution (3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml)

```
71:
        proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:28 (state 6)
                                                               [mutex = (mutex+1)]
                mutex = 1
 72:
        ргос
             1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier nonsol.pml:29 (state 7)
                                                                [bar[i] = 0]
 73:
        proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:31 (state 8)
                                                                [((count==5))]
 74:
        proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:32 (state 9)
                                                               [bar[i] = 1]
                bar[0] = 0
                bar[1] = 1
                bar[2] = 1
                bar[3] = 1
                bar[4] = 1
                bar[5] = 1
spin: 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:33, Error: assertion violated
spin: text of failed assertion: assert(((((!(bar[1])||!(bar[2]))||!(bar[3]))||!(bar[4]))||!
(bar[5])))
        proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 10) [assert(((((!(bar[1])||!
(bar[2]))||!(bar[3]))||!(bar[4]))||!(bar[5])))]
spin: trail ends after 75 steps
```

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3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4a.barrier_sol.pml)

\$ cat -n 3.6.4a.barrier_sol.pml | expand

```
The Little Book of Semaphores (2.2.1)
 1
       by A. Downey
 2
 3
4
       Chapter 3. Basic synchronization patterns
5
6
       3.6 Barrier
       3.6.4 Barrier solution
7
8
9
       vk, 2017
10
   */
11
   #define THREADS 5 /* value for threads number */
12
   #define N 5
                        /* value for barrier limit */
13
14
15
   #define wait(sem)
                       atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
   #define signal(sem) sem++
16
17
```

```
byte count=0, mutex=1, barrier=0 /* barrier is locked */
18
19
20
    proctype Th(byte i) {
21
        byte temp
22
23
        do
24
        ::
            wait(mutex)
                temp=count
25
26
                count=temp+1
            signal(mutex)
27
            if
28
29
            :: count == N ->
                signal(barrier)
30
            :: else
31
            fi
32
            wait(barrier)
33
            printf("Th(%d): count = %d\n",i,count)
34
            signal(barrier)
35
36
            break /* one only iteration */
37
        od
38
    }
39
```

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3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4a.barrier_sol.pml)

```
init {
40
41
        byte i
42
43
        atomic {
            for (i: 1 .. THREADS) {
44
                run Th(i)
45
            }
46
47
48
        _nr_pr == 1 ->
            assert(barrier != 0) /* barrier (turnstile) is open! */
49
            printf("barrier = %d\n",barrier)
50
51
   }
```

```
$ spin 3.6.4a.barrier_sol.pml | expand
                  Th(3): count = 5
                      Th(4): count = 5
              Th(2): count = 5
                          Th(5): count = 5
          Th(1): count = 5
      barrier = 1
6 processes created
$ spin 3.6.4a.barrier_sol.pml | expand
                      Th(4): count = 5
                  Th(3): count = 5
          Th(1): count = 5
              Th(2): count = 5
                          Th(5): count = 5
      barrier = 1
6 processes created
```

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3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4a.barrier_sol.pml)

```
40
    init {
41
        byte i
42
43
        atomic {
44
            for (i: 1 .. THREADS) {
45
                 run Th(i)
46
47
        }
48
        _nr_pr == 1 ->
49
             assert(0 < barrier && barrier < 5)</pre>
            printf("barrier = %d\n",barrier)
50
51
   }
```

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3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml)

```
$ spin -t -p -g -l 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml | expand
using statement merging
        proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:44 (state 1) [i = 1]
                :init:(0):i = 1
        proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier sol.pml:44 (state 2) [((i<=5))]
  2:
Starting Th with pid 1
        proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:45 (state 3)
                                                                 [(run Th(i))]
  3:
        proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:44 (state 4)
                                                                 [i = (i+1)]
  4:
                :init:(0):i = 2
  5:
        proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:44 (state 2) [((i<=5))]</pre>
Starting Th with pid 2
                :init:(0):i = 6
 17:
        ргос
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:46 (state 5)
                                                                 [else]
 18:
        ргос
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:46 (state 6)
                                                                 [goto:b1]
 19:
             0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:46 (state 9)
                                                                 [break]
        ргос
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 1)
 20:
        ргос
                                                                 [((mutex>0))]
 20:
        ргос
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 2)
                                                                 [mutex = (mutex-1)]
                mutex = 0
 21:
        ргос
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:25 (state 4)
                                                                 [temp = count]
                Th(5):temp = 0
 22:
             5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:26 (state 5)
                                                                 [count = (temp+1)]
        DLOC
                count = 1
 23:
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:27 (state 6)
                                                                 [mutex = (mutex+1)]
        proc
                mutex = 1
```

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3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml)

```
24:
             4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 1)
                                                                 [((mutex>0))]
       ргос
24:
             4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 2)
                                                                 [mutex = (mutex-1)]
       ргос
               mutex = 0
25:
             4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:25 (state 4)
                                                                [temp = count]
       ргос
               Th(4):temp = 1
             4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:26 (state 5)
                                                                [count = (temp+1)]
26:
       ргос
               count = 2
27:
             4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:27 (state 6)
                                                                 [mutex = (mutex+1)]
       ргос
               mutex = 1
             3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 1)
28:
       ргос
                                                                 [((mutex>0))]
             3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 2)
28:
       ргос
                                                                 [mutex = (mutex-1)]
               mutex = 0
29:
            3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:25 (state 4)
                                                                [temp = count]
       ргос
               Th(3):temp = 2
       proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:26 (state 5)
                                                                 [count = (temp+1)]
30:
               count = 3
             3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:27 (state 6)
                                                                 [mutex = (mutex+1)]
31:
       ргос
               mutex = 1
32:
             2 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier sol.pml:24 (state 1)
                                                                 [((mutex>0))]
             2 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier sol.pml:24 (state 2)
32:
                                                                 [mutex = (mutex-1)]
       DLOC
               mutex = 0
33:
             2 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier sol.pml:25 (state 4)
                                                                 [temp = count]
       proc
               Th(2):temp = 3
       proc 2 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier sol.pml:26 (state 5)
34:
                                                                 [count = (temp+1)]
               count = 4
35:
             2 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:27 (state 6)
                                                                 [mutex = (mutex+1)]
       DLOC
               mutex = 1
```

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```
36:
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 1)
                                                                  [((mutex>0))]
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 2)
                                                                  [mutex = (mutex-1)]
 36:
        ргос
                mutex = 0
 37:
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:25 (state 4)
        ргос
                                                                  [temp = count]
                Th(1):temp = 4
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:26 (state 5)
 38:
        ргос
                                                                  [count = (temp+1)]
                count = 5
 39:
        proc
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:29 (state 7)
                                                                  [((count==5))]
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:30 (state 8)
 40:
        proc
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier+1)]
                barrier = 1
 41:
        ргос
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:33 (state 12)
                                                                  [((barrier>0))]
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:33 (state 13)
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier-1)]
 41:
        ргос
                barrier = 0
                          Th(5): count = 5
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:34 (state 15)
                                                                  [printf('Th(%d): count = %d\\
 42:
        ргос
n',i,count)]
        ргос
              5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:35 (state 16)
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier+1)]
 43:
 44: proc 5 terminates
. . .
```

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```
45:
        ргос
              4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:29 (state 7)
                                                                  [((count==5))]
              4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:30 (state 8)
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier+1)]
 46:
        ргос
                barrier = 2
 47:
              4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:33 (state 12)
                                                                  [((barrier>0))]
        DLOC
              4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:33 (state 13)
 47:
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier-1)]
        DLOC
                barrier = 1
                      Th(4): count = 5
 48:
              4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:34 (state 15)
                                                                  [printf('Th(%d): count = %d\\
        DLOC
n',i,count)]
              4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:35 (state 16)
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier+1)]
 49:
        DLOC
                barrier = 2
 50: proc 4 terminates
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:29 (state 7)
 51:
                                                                  [((count==5))]
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier sol.pml:30 (state 8)
 52:
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier+1)]
        proc
                barrier = 3
 53:
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:33 (state 12)
                                                                  [((barrier>0))]
        proc
 53:
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:33 (state 13)
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier-1)]
        proc
                barrier = 2
                  Th(3): count = 5
 54:
        ргос
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:34 (state 15)
                                                                  [printf('Th(%d): count = %d\\
n',i,count)]
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:35 (state 16)
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier+1)]
        ргос
                barrier = 3
 56: proc 3 terminates
```

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```
57:
              2 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:29 (state 7)
                                                                  [((count==5))]
              2 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:30 (state 8)
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier+1)]
 58:
        ргос
                barrier = 4
              2 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier sol.pml:33 (state 12)
 59:
        ргос
                                                                  [((barrier>0))]
              2 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:33 (state 13)
 59:
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier-1)]
        DLOC
                barrier = 3
              Th(2): count = 5
              2 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:34 (state 15)
                                                                  [printf('Th(%d): count = %d\\
 60:
        DLOC
n',i,count)]
              2 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier sol.pml:35 (state 16)
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier+1)]
 61:
        ргос
                barrier = 4
 62: proc 2 terminates
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier sol.pml:27 (state 6)
                                                                  [mutex = (mutex+1)]
 63:
                mutex = 1
 64:
        DLOC
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:29 (state 7)
                                                                  [((count==5))]
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier sol.pml:30 (state 8)
 65:
        ргос
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier+1)]
                barrier = 5
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:33 (state 12)
 66:
                                                                  [((barrier>0))]
        proc
 66:
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:33 (state 13)
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier-1)]
                barrier = 4
          Th(1): count = 5
        proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:34 (state 15)
                                                                  [printf('Th(%d): count = %d\\
 67:
n',i,count)]
        ргос
             1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:35 (state 16)
                                                                  [barrier = (barrier+1)]
 68:
                barrier = 5
 69: proc 1 terminates
. . .
```

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3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml)

3.6.5 Bad barrier solution (3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml)

```
$ cat -n 3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml | expand
     1
            The Little Book of Semaphores (2.2.1)
     2
            by A. Downey
     3
     4
            Chapter 3. Basic synchronization patterns
     5
     6
            3.6 Barrier
            3.6.5 Bad barrier solution (deadlock)
     7
     8
            vk, 2017
     9
    10
        */
    11
    12
        #define THREADS 3
                            /* value for threads number */
                             /* value for barrier limit */
    13
       #define N
                        3
    14
    15
       #define wait(sem)
                            atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
       #define signal(sem) sem++
    16
    17
    18
        byte count=0, mutex=1, barrier=0 /* barrier is locked */
    19
```

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3.6.5 Bad barrier solution (3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml)

```
20
    proctype Th(byte i) {
21
        byte temp
22
23
    rendezvous:
24
        do
25
        ::
            wait(mutex)
26
                 temp=count
27
                 count=temp+1
28
                 if
29
                 :: count == N ->
30
                     signal(barrier)
                 :: else
31
32
                 fi
                 wait(barrier)
33
                 printf("Th(%d): count = %d\n",i,count)
34
35
                 signal(barrier)
36
            signal(mutex)
                     /* one only iteration */
37
            break
38
        od
    critical_point:
39
40
```

3.6.5 Bad barrier solution (3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml)

```
41
        init {
    42
            byte i
    43
    44
            atomic {
    45
                 for (i: 1 .. THREADS) {
    46
    47
                     run Th(i)
    48
            }
    49
    50 }
$ spin 3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml | expand
      timeout
#processes: 4
                 count = 1
                 mutex = 0
                 barrier = 0
              3 (Th:1) 3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml:24 (state 18)
 19:
        ргос
              2 (Th:1) 3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml:24 (state 18)
 19:
        ргос
 19:
              1 (Th:1) 3.6.5.bad barrier.pml:33 (state 13)
        ргос
              0 (:init::1) 3.6.5.bad barrier.pml:50 (state 11) <valid end
 19:
        ргос
state>
4 processes created
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                             VK, 2018 - The Little Book of Semaphores
                                                                             71
```