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Little The Book of Semaphores

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**The Ins and Outs of Concurrency Control
and Common Mistakes**

**UNDERSTANDING SEMAPHORES AND
LEARNING HOW TO APPLY THEM**

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The Little Book of Semaphores

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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 **A** has completed the assignment to the variable **x** before the process **B** begins its assignment to the same variable.

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() {
22     x = 1
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
34     assert( x == 2 )
35 }
```

3.1 Signaling (3.1.signaling.pml)

```
$ spin -run 3.1.signaling.pml
```

```
(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 28 byte, depth reached 11, errors: 0
```

```
...
```

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Basic synchronization patterns

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



3.3 Rendezvous (3.3.0.rendezvous.pml)

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

```

3.3 Rendezvous (3.3.0.rendezvous.pml)

...

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

```
...
```


3.3 Rendezvous (3.3.0.rendezvous.pml)

```
$ spin -run 3.3.0.rendezvous.pml
```

```
(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 36 byte, depth reached 12, errors: 0
```

```
...
```

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

```

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 int x = 0
25
26 proctype A() {
27     x = 10*x + 1
28     signal(aArrived)    # a) "llegaré en 10 minutos"
29     wait(bArrived)      # b) llega en 8, debe esperar (context switch)
30     x = 10*x + 2
31 }
32
33 proctype B() {
34     x = 10*x + 3
35     signal(bArrived)    # c) "ya llegué"
36     wait(aArrived)      # d) puede seguir sin cambio del contexto (1342)
37     x = 10*x + 4
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 }
```

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

```
$ spin -run 3.3.2a.rendezvous.pml
```

```
(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 36 byte, depth reached 15, errors: 0
```

```
...
```

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

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

```


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 int x = 0
25
26 proctype A() {
27     x = 10*x + 1
28     wait(bArrived)      # a) "¿cuándo llegarás?" (context switch)
29     signal(aArrived)    # d) "pardon, ya estoy" (1324 o 1342)
30     x = 10*x + 2
31 }
32
33 proctype B() {
34     x = 10*x + 3
35     signal(bArrived)    # b) "ya llegué"
36     wait(aArrived)      # c) "pero tú no estás" (context switch extra)
37     x = 10*x + 4
38 }
39
```

...

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
```

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

```
$ spin -a 3.3.2b.rendezvous.pml
```

```
(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 36 byte, depth reached 15, errors: 0
```

```
...
```

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

```
$ cat -n 3.2.3.rendezvous.pml
 1 /* 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
 9           Thread A           Thread 2
10           1 statement a1      1 statement b1
11           2 statement a2      2 statement b2
12
13 We want to guarantee that a1 happens before b2 and b1 happens
before a2:
14           a1,b1,b2,a2; a1,b1,a2,b2; b1,a1,a2,b2; b1,a1,b2,a2
15           prohibiting
16           b1,b2,a1,a2; a1,a2,b1,b2
17
18 3.2.3 Deadlock #1
19 */
...

```

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 int x = 0
25
26 proctype A() {
27     x = 10*x + 1
28     wait(bArrived)
29     signal(aArrived)
30     x = 10*x + 2
31 }
32
33 proctype B() {
34     x = 10*x + 3
35     wait(aArrived)
36     signal(bArrived)
37     x = 10*x + 4
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 }
```

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

```
$ spin -run 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml
pan:1: invalid end state (at depth 3)
pan: wrote 3.3.3.rendezvous.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      +
    cycle checks              - (disabled by -DSAFETY)
    invalid end states       +
```

```
State-vector 36 byte, depth reached 4, errors: 1
...
```

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

```
$ spin 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml
```

```
    timeout
```

```
#processes: 3
```

```
    aArrived = 0
```

```
    bArrived = 0
```

```
    x = 31
```

```
4:    proc 2 (B:1) 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml:35 (state 4)
```

```
4:    proc 1 (A:1) 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml:28 (state 4)
```

```
4:    proc 0 (:init::1) 3.3.3.rendezvous.pml:42 (state 4)
```

```
3 processes created
```

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

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

```
1  /* 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
8         Thread A           Thread B
9         1 count = count + 1 1 count = count + 1
10
11 3.4.0.shared_var.pml
12 */
```

...

3.4.0 Shared variable (3.4.0.shared_var.pml)

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

3.4.0 Shared variable (3.4.0.shared_var.pml)

```
$ spin 3.4.0.shared_var.pml
```

```
    B: count=1
```

```
    A: count=2
```

```
3 processes created
```

```
$ spin 3.4.0.shared_var.pml
```

```
    B: count=1
```

```
    A: count=1
```

```
spin: 3.4.0.shared_var.pml:26, Error: assertion violated
```

```
spin: text of failed assertion: assert((count==2))
```

```
#processes: 1
```

```
    count = 1
```

```
10:    proc 0 (:init::1) 3.4.0.shared_var.pml:26 (state 5)
```

```
3 processes created
```

3.4.2 Mutex (3.4.2.mutex.pml)

```
$ cat -n 3.4.2.mutex.pml
```

```
1  /*  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
8          Thread A                      Thread B
9          1  mutex.wait()                1  mutex.wait()
10         2    # critical section        2    # critical section
11         3    count = count + 1          3    count = count + 1
12         4  mutex.signal()              4  mutex.signal()
13
14  3.4.2.mutex.pml
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) {
23     byte temp
24
25     wait(mutex)
26     temp = count
27     count = temp + 1
28     signal(mutex)
29 }
30
31 init {
32     atomic { run Th('A'); run Th('B') }
33     _nr_pr == 1
34     assert(count==2)
35 }
```

3.4.2 Mutex (3.4.2.mutex.pml)

```
$ spin -run 3.4.2.mutex.pml
```

```
(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 28 byte, depth reached 15, errors: 0
```

```
...
```

3.5.1 Multiplex (3.5.1.multiplex.pml)

```
$ cat -n 3.5.1.multiplex.pml | expand
```

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

...

3.5.1 Multiplex (3.5.1.multiplex.pml)

...

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

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

```
$ cat -n 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.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
7     3.6.2 Barrier non-solution
8
9     vk, 2017
10 */
11
12 #define THREADS 10    /* value for threads number */
13 #define N        5    /* value for barrier limit */
14
15 #define wait(sem)    atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
16 #define signal(sem) sem++
17
```

...

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

```
...  
18 byte count=0, mutex=1, barrier=0
```

```
19
```

```
20 proctype Th(byte i) {
```

```
21     byte temp
```

```
22
```

```
23     do
```

```
24         :: wait(mutex)
```

```
25             temp=count
```

```
26             count=temp+1
```

```
27             signal(mutex)
```

```
28             if
```

```
29                 :: count == N ->
```

```
30                     signal(barrier)
```

```
31                 :: else
```

```
32             fi
```

```
33             wait(barrier)
```

```
34             printf("Th(%d): count = %d\n",i,count)
```

```
35             break
```

```
36     od
```

```
37 }
```

```
38
```

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

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

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

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

```
Th(8): count = 5
```

timeout

```
#processes: 11
```

```
count = 10
```

```
mutex = 1
```

```
barrier = 0
```

```
109:    proc 10 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
109:    proc  9 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
109:    proc  8 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 20) <valid end
```

```
state>
```

```
109:    proc  7 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
109:    proc  6 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
109:    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:    proc  3 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
109:    proc  2 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
109:    proc  1 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
109:    proc  0 (:init::1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:47 (state 11) <valid end
```

```
state>
```

```
11 processes created
```

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:    proc  9 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
109:    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:    proc  6 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
109:    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:    proc  3 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
109:    proc  2 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
109:    proc  1 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 20) <valid end
```

```
state>
```

```
109:    proc  0 (:init::1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:47 (state 11) <valid end
```

```
state>
```

```
11 processes created
```

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

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

timeout

```
#processes: 11
```

```
count = 10
```

```
mutex = 1
```

```
barrier = 0
```

```
104:      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:      proc  3 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
104:      proc  2 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
104:      proc  1 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
104:      proc  0 (:init::1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:47 (state 11) <valid end state>
```

```
11 processes created
```


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)
```

```
114: proc 9 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
114: proc 8 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 20) <valid end
```

```
state>
```

```
114: proc 7 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
114: proc 6 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
114: proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 20) <valid end
```

```
state>
```

```
114: proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
114: proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
114: proc 2 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
114: proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 14)
```

```
114: proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.2a.barrier_nonsol.pml:47 (state 11) <valid end
```

```
state>
```

```
11 processes created
```

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

```
$ cat -n 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.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
7     3.6.2 Barrier non-solution
8
9     vk, 2017
10 */
11
12 #define THREADS 5 /* value for threads number */
13 #define N      5 /* value for barrier limit */
14
15 #define wait(sem)  atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
16 #define signal(sem) sem++
17
```

...

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

...

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

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

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

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	+
cycle checks	- (disabled by -DSAFETY)
invalid end states	- (disabled by -E flag)

State-vector 64 byte, depth reached 74, **errors: 1**

...

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

```
$ spin -t -p -g -l 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml | expand
using statement merging
 1:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:47 (state 1)      [i = 1]
      :init:(0):i = 1
 2:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:47 (state 2)      [((i<=5))]
Starting Th with pid 1
 3:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:48 (state 3)      [(run Th(i))]
 4:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:47 (state 4)      [i = (i+1)]
      :init:(0):i = 2
...
      :init:(0):i = 6
17:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:49 (state 5)      [else]
18:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:49 (state 6)      [goto :b1]
19:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:49 (state 9)      [break]

20:   proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 1)          [((mutex>0))]
20:   proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 2)          [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
22:   proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:27 (state 5)          [count = (temp+1)]
      count = 1
23:   proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:28 (state 6)          [mutex = (mutex+1)]
      mutex = 1
24:   proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:29 (state 7) [bar[i] = 0]
...
```

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

...

```
25:  proc  4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 1)  [((mutex>0))]
25:  proc  4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 2)  [mutex = (mutex-1)]
      mutex = 0
26:  proc  4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:26 (state 4)  [temp = count]
      Th(4):temp = 1
27:  proc  4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:27 (state 5)  [count = (temp+1)]
      count = 2
28:  proc  4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:28 (state 6)  [mutex = (mutex+1)]
      mutex = 1
29:  proc  4 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:29 (state 7)  [bar[i] = 0]
```

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

...

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

...

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

40:  proc  1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 1)  [((mutex>0))]
40:  proc  1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:25 (state 2)  [mutex = (mutex-1)]
      mutex = 0
41:  proc  1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:26 (state 4)  [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
```

...

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

...

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

...

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

...

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

...

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

...

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

...

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

...

```
64:    proc  2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:31 (state 8)  [((count==5))]
65:    proc  2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:32 (state 9)  [bar[i] = 1]
        bar[0] = 0
        bar[1] = 0
        bar[2] = 1
        bar[3] = 1
        bar[4] = 1
        bar[5] = 1
66:    proc  2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:33 (state 10) [assert((((!(bar[1]))||!(
(bar[2]))||!(bar[3]))||!(bar[4]))||!(bar[5])))]
67:    proc  2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:34 (state 11)  [barrier = (barrier+1)]
        barrier = 1
68:    proc  2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 15)  [((barrier>0))]
68:    proc  2 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:37 (state 16)  [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
```

...

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:   proc  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]))
```

```
75:   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
```

...

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

...

#processes: 2

```
count = 5
mutex = 1
barrier = 0
bar[0] = 0
bar[1] = 1
bar[2] = 1
bar[3] = 1
bar[4] = 1
bar[5] = 1
```

```
75:   proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:34 (state 11)
```

```
75:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.3.barrier_nonsol.pml:51 (state 11) <valid end state>
```

6 processes created

3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4a.barrier_sol.pml)

```
$ cat -n 3.6.4a.barrier_sol.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
7     3.6.4 Barrier solution
8
9     vk, 2017
10 */
11
12 #define THREADS 5    /* value for threads number */
13 #define N       5    /* value for barrier limit */
14
15 #define wait(sem)    atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
16 #define signal(sem) sem++
17
```

...

3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4a.barrier_sol.pml)

...

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

...

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(barrier != 0)    /* barrier (turnstile) is open! */
50          printf("barrier = %d\n",barrier)
51  }
...
```

3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4a.barrier_sol.pml)

```
$ 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
```

3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4a.barrier_sol.pml)

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

3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4b.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)
50          printf("barrier = %d\n",barrier)
51  }
...
```

3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml)

```
$ spin -run 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml | expand
pan:1: assertion violated ((0<barrier)&&(barrier<5)) (at depth 70)
pan: wrote 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.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	+
cycle checks	- (disabled by -DSAFETY)
invalid end states	+

State-vector 64 byte, depth reached 72, **errors: 1**

...

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
  1:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:44 (state 1) [i = 1]
      :init:(0):i = 1
  2:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:44 (state 2) [((i<=5))]
Starting Th with pid 1
  3:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:45 (state 3) [(run Th(i))]
  4:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:44 (state 4) [i = (i+1)]
      :init:(0):i = 2
  5:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:44 (state 2) [((i<=5))]
Starting Th with pid 2
...
      :init:(0):i = 6
17:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:46 (state 5) [else]
18:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:46 (state 6) [goto :b1]
19:   proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:46 (state 9) [break]

20:   proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 1)      [((mutex>0))]
20:   proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 2)      [mutex = (mutex-1)]
      mutex = 0
21:   proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:25 (state 4)      [temp = count]
      Th(5):temp = 0
22:   proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:26 (state 5)      [count = (temp+1)]
      count = 1
23:   proc 5 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:27 (state 6)      [mutex = (mutex+1)]
      mutex = 1
...
```

3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml)

```
...
24:  proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 1)      [((mutex>0))]
24:  proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 2)      [mutex = (mutex-1)]
      mutex = 0
25:  proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:25 (state 4)      [temp = count]
      Th(4):temp = 1
26:  proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:26 (state 5)      [count = (temp+1)]
      count = 2
27:  proc 4 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:27 (state 6)      [mutex = (mutex+1)]
      mutex = 1

28:  proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 1)      [((mutex>0))]
28:  proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 2)      [mutex = (mutex-1)]
      mutex = 0
29:  proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:25 (state 4)      [temp = count]
      Th(3):temp = 2
30:  proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:26 (state 5)      [count = (temp+1)]
      count = 3
31:  proc 3 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:27 (state 6)      [mutex = (mutex+1)]
      mutex = 1

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

3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml)

```
...
36:  proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 1)      [((mutex>0))]
36:  proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:24 (state 2)      [mutex = (mutex-1)]
      mutex = 0
37:  proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:25 (state 4)      [temp = count]
      Th(1):temp = 4
38:  proc 1 (Th:1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:26 (state 5)      [count = (temp+1)]
      count = 5

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

```


3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml)

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

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

...
```

3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml)

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

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

3.6.4 Barrier solution (3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml)

```
...
70:    proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:48 (state 11) [((_nr_pr==1))]
spin: 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:49, Error: assertion violated
spin: text of failed assertion: assert(((0<barrier)&&(barrier<5)))
71:    proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:49 (state 12)
[assert(((0<barrier)&&(barrier<5)))]
spin: trail ends after 71 steps
#processes: 1
        count = 5
        mutex = 1
        barrier = 5
71:    proc 0 (:init::1) 3.6.4b.barrier_sol.pml:50 (state 13)
6 processes created
```

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
7    3.6.5 Bad barrier solution (deadlock)
8
9    vk, 2017
10 */
11
12 #define THREADS 3    /* value for threads number */
13 #define N      3    /* value for barrier limit */
14
15 #define wait(sem)    atomic { sem > 0; sem-- }
16 #define signal(sem) sem++
17
18 byte count=0, mutex=1, barrier=0    /* barrier is locked */
19
```

...

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)
31                  :: else
32                      fi
33              wait(barrier)
34              printf("Th(%d): count = %d\n",i,count)
35              signal(barrier)
36          signal(mutex)
37          break      /* one only iteration */
38      od
39  critical_point:
40  }
...
```

3.6.5 Bad barrier solution (3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml)

```
...
41
42 init {
43     byte i
44
45     atomic {
46         for (i: 1 .. THREADS) {
47             run Th(i)
48         }
49     }
50 }
```

```
$ spin 3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml | expand
```

timeout

```
#processes: 4
```

```
count = 1
mutex = 0
barrier = 0
```

```
19:    proc  3 (Th:1) 3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml:24 (state 18)
```

```
19:    proc  2 (Th:1) 3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml:24 (state 18)
```

```
19:    proc  1 (Th:1) 3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml:33 (state 13)
```

```
19:    proc  0 (:init::1) 3.6.5.bad_barrier.pml:50 (state 11) <valid end
state>
```

```
4 processes created
```