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# What



## Thread X

spin\_lock A

spin\_lock B

$A\_data = A\_data + B\_data$

spin\_unlock B

spin\_unlock A

## Thread Y

spin\_lock B

spin\_lock A

$B\_data = A\_data * B\_data$

spin\_unlock A

spin\_unlock B

# Deadlock ?

## Thread X

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spin\_unlock A

spin\_unlock B

# Deadlock ?



## Thread X

spin\_lock A // Acquired successfully

spin\_lock B // Wait for B to be unlocked

A\_data = A\_data + B\_data

spin\_unlock B

spin\_unlock A

## Thread Y

spin\_lock B // Acquired successfully

spin\_lock A

B\_data = A\_data \* B\_data

spin\_unlock A

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spin\_unlock A

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spin\_lock A // Wait for A to be unlocked

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# Deadlock ?



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spin\_lock A // Acquired successfully

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spin\_unlock B

spin\_unlock A

## Thread Y

spin\_lock B // Acquired successfully

spin\_lock A // Wait for A to be unlocked

$B\_data = A\_data * B\_data$

spin\_unlock A

spin\_unlock B

# Obvious Deadlock !

## Thread X

spin\_lock A

spin\_lock B

$A\_data = A\_data + B\_data$

spin\_unlock B

spin\_unlock A

## Thread Y

spin\_lock B

spin\_lock A

$B\_data = A\_data * B\_data$

spin\_unlock A

spin\_unlock B

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spin\_lock A

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spin\_unlock B

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A\_data = A\_data + B\_data  
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spin\_unlock A

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spin\_unlock B

# What if ?

## Thread X

spin\_lock A // Acquired successfully  
spin\_lock B // Acquired successfully  
A\_data = A\_data + B\_data  
spin\_unlock B // Released successfully  
spin\_unlock A

## Thread Y

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spin\_unlock A  
spin\_unlock B

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## Thread Y

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B\_data = A\_data \* B\_data  
spin\_unlock A  
spin\_unlock B

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spin\_lock A // Acquired successfully  
B\_data = A\_data \* B\_data  
spin\_unlock A // Released successfully  
spin\_unlock B // Released successfully

# No Problem ?

### Thread X

```
spin_lock A // Acquired successfully  
spin_lock B // Acquired successfully  
A_data = A_data + B_data  
spin_unlock B // Released successfully  
spin_unlock A // Released successfully
```

### Thread Y

```
spin_lock B // Acquired successfully  
spin_lock A // Acquired successfully  
B_data = A_data * B_data  
spin_unlock A // Released successfully  
spin_unlock B // Released successfully
```

# Problematic Code !



```
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

```
spin_lock A

spin_lock B

A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B

spin_lock A

B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

```
spin_lock A

spin_lock B

A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B

spin_lock A

B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B

spin_lock A
spin_lock B
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

# Problematic Code !

```
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

# Problematic Code !



```
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

```
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
```

```
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B
```

```
spin_lock A
```

```
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

```
spin_lock A
```

```
spin_lock B
```

```
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
```

```
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

```
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

# Problematic Code !

```
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

```
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
```

```
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B
```

```
spin_lock A
```

```
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

```
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

```
spin_lock A
spin_lock B
A_data = A_data + B_data
spin_unlock B
spin_unlock A
```

```
spin_lock B
spin_lock A
B_data = A_data * B_data
spin_unlock A
spin_unlock B
```

# Problematic Code !



Lockdep should detect and report,

- Not only obvious deadlock.
- But also problematic code.

# What Lockdep Does

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Lockdep should detect and report,

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- But also **problematic code**.

# What Lockdep Does

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Lockdep should detect and report,

and... works in kernel

- But also problematic code.

# What Lockdep Does

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spin\_lock A

...

...

...

...

...

...

...

...

...

...

...

...

spin\_unlock A

# Kernel Lockdep



spin\_lock A

Interrupt

spin\_lock A

...

spin\_unlock A

...

...

...

...

...

...

...

spin\_unlock A

# Kernel Lockdep

spin\_lock A

Interrupt

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_unlock B

...

...

...

...

...

...

...

spin\_unlock A

# Kernel Lockdep



spin\_lock A

Interrupt

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_unlock B

**bottom-half**

spin\_lock A

...

spin\_unlock A

...

...

...

spin\_unlock A

# Kernel Lockdep

spin\_lock A

Interrupt

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_unlock B

**bottom-half**

spin\_lock C

...

spin\_unlock C

...

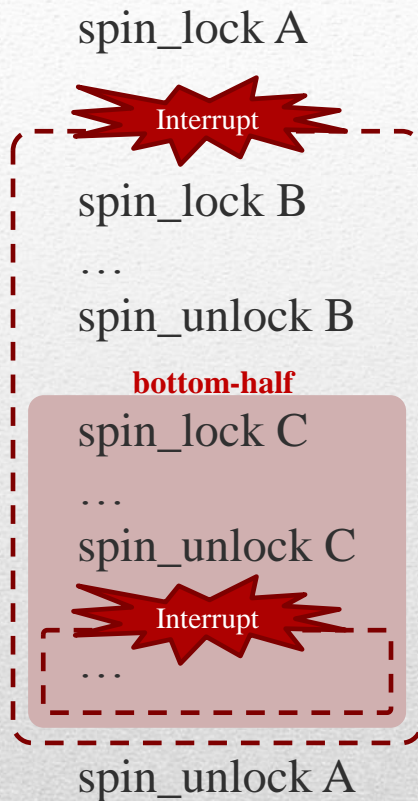
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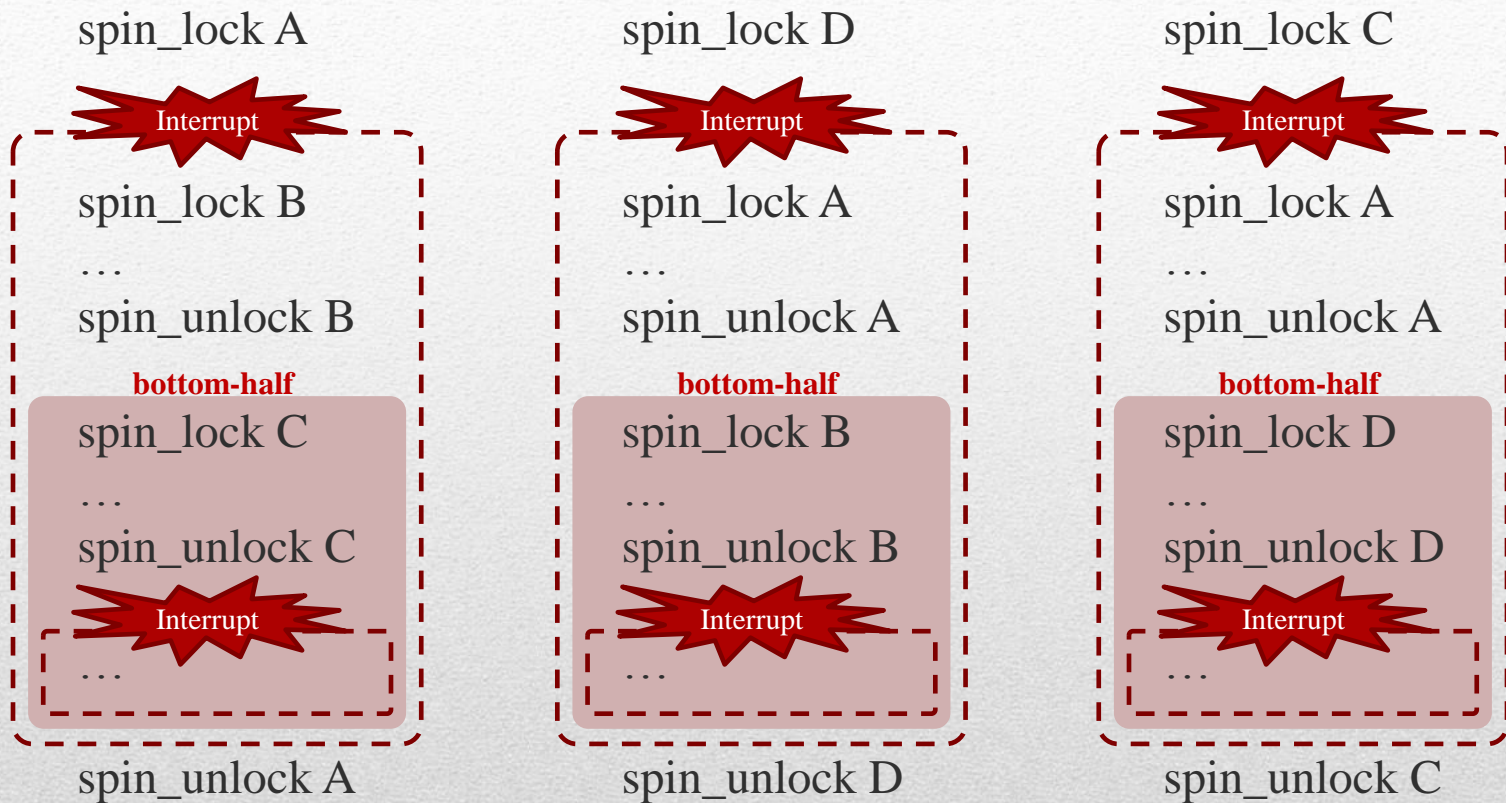
spin\_unlock A

# Kernel Lockdep





# Kernel Lockdep



# Kernel Lockdep



# Kernel Lockdep,

- considers all type of contexts,
- considers all possible scenarios,
- detects and reports problematic code.

## What Kernel Lockdep Does

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# How



Incorrect relationship between  
dependencies causes a deadlock.

# Deadlock Comes From

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Incorrect relationship between  
dependencies causes a deadlock.

## Deadlock Comes From

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**Incorrect** relationship between  
dependencies causes a deadlock.

# **Deadlock Comes From**

lock A

lock B (while holding A.)

= A depends on B. ( $A \rightarrow B$ )

# Define Dependency

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spin\_lock A  
spin\_lock B  
...  
spin\_unlock B  
spin\_unlock A

# Example

spin\_lock A

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_unlock B

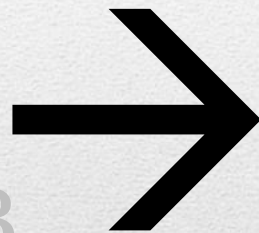
spin\_unlock A

# Example



spin\_lock A  
spin\_lock B  
...  
spin\_unlock B  
spin\_unlock A

A



B

# Example

Global Space



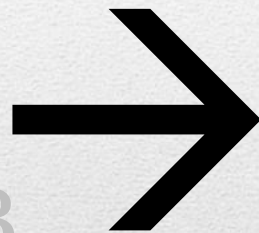
# Build Dependency Graph

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spin\_lock A  
spin\_lock B  
...  
spin\_unlock B  
spin\_unlock A

A



B

# Example

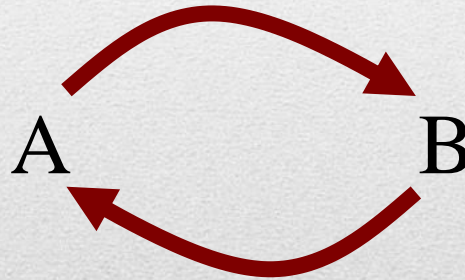
spin\_lock B  
spin\_lock A  
...  
spin\_unlock A  
spin\_unlock B

**B** → **A**

# Example



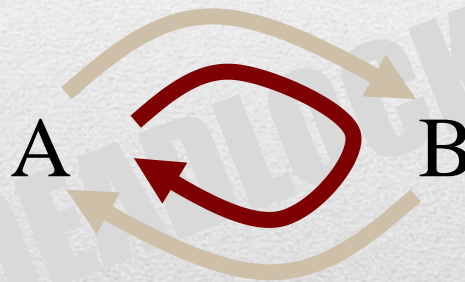
Global Space



# Build Dependency Graph

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Global Space



# Circular Dependencies





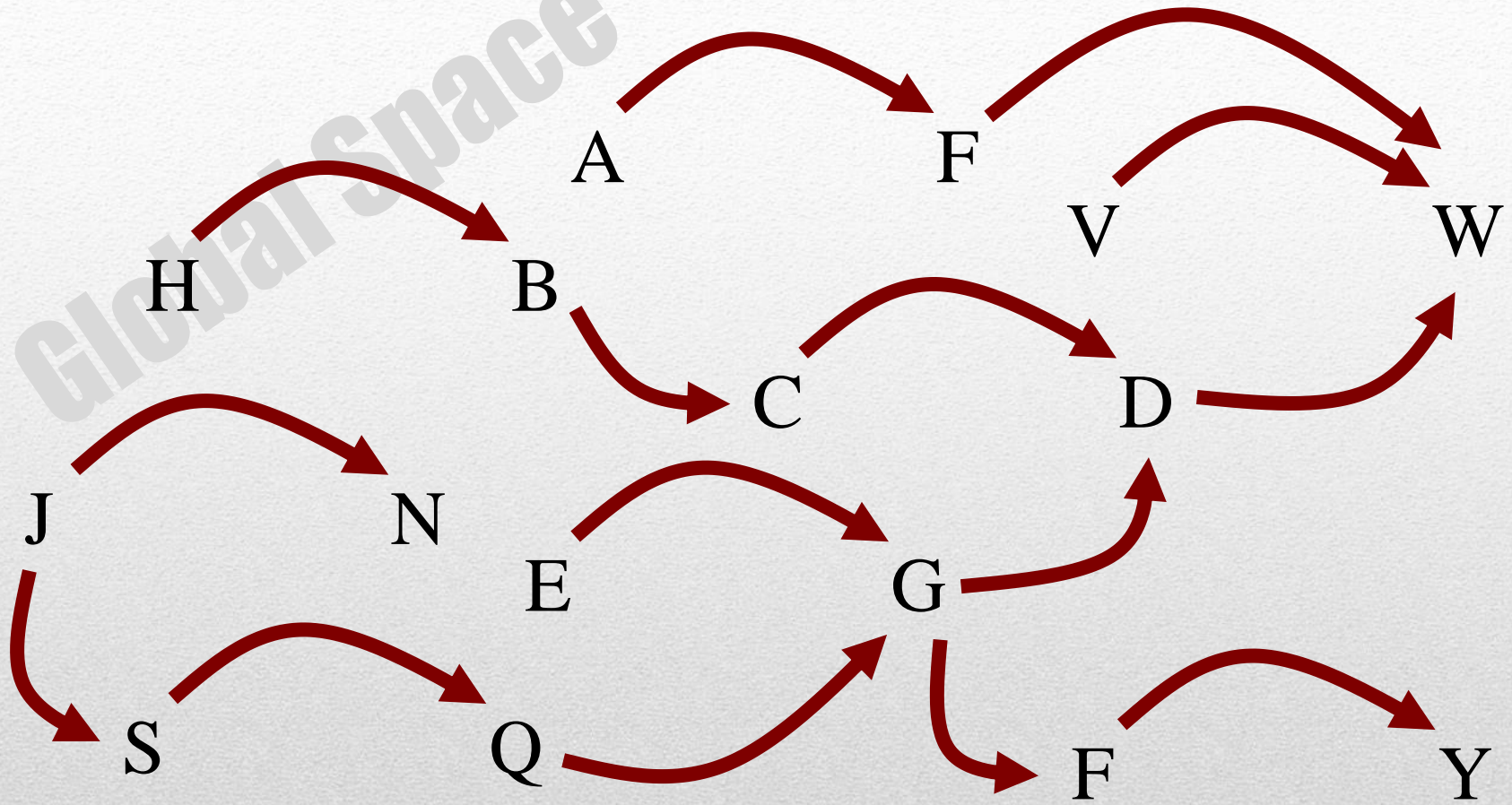
**Report it !**



**Circular Dependencies**

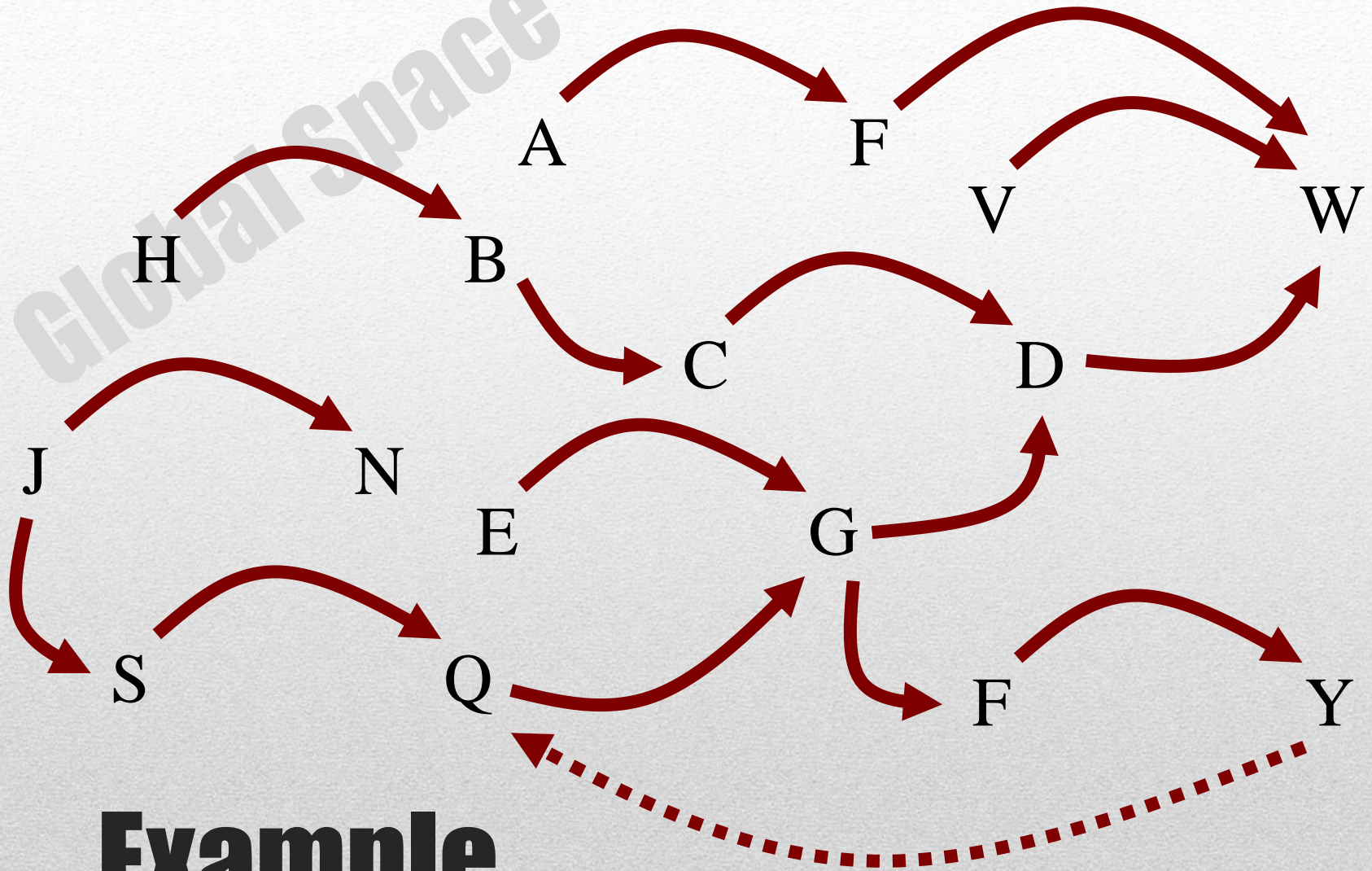
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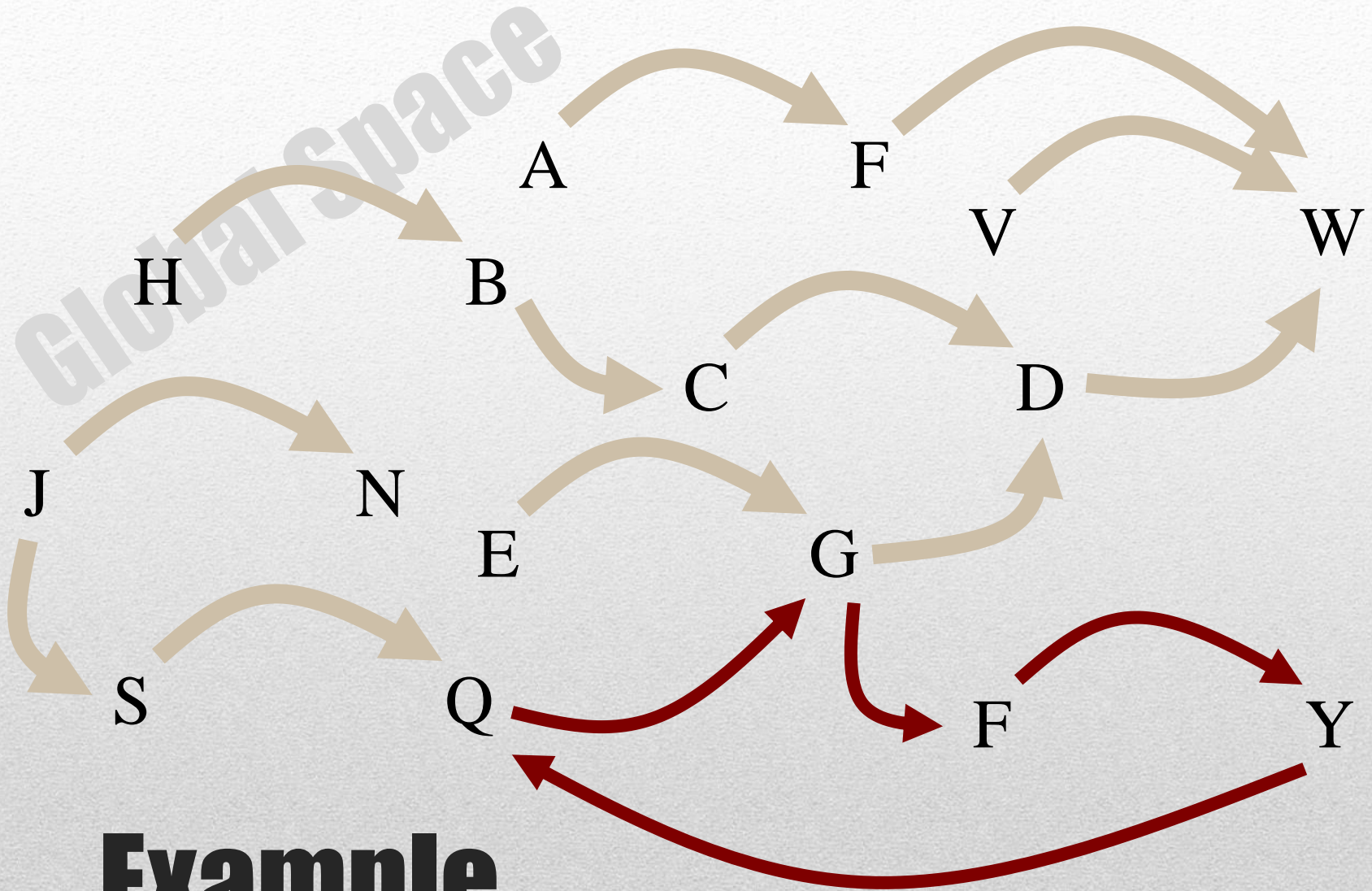


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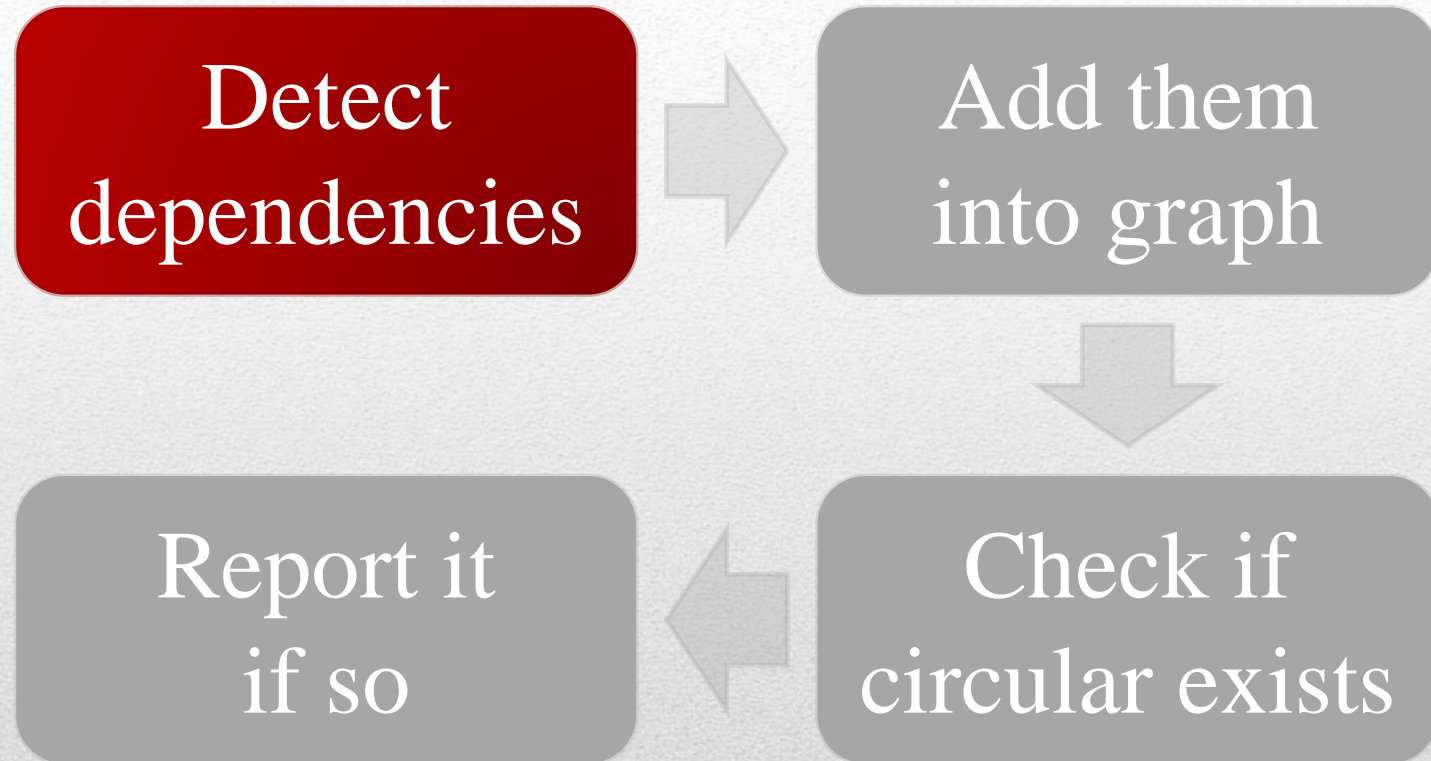


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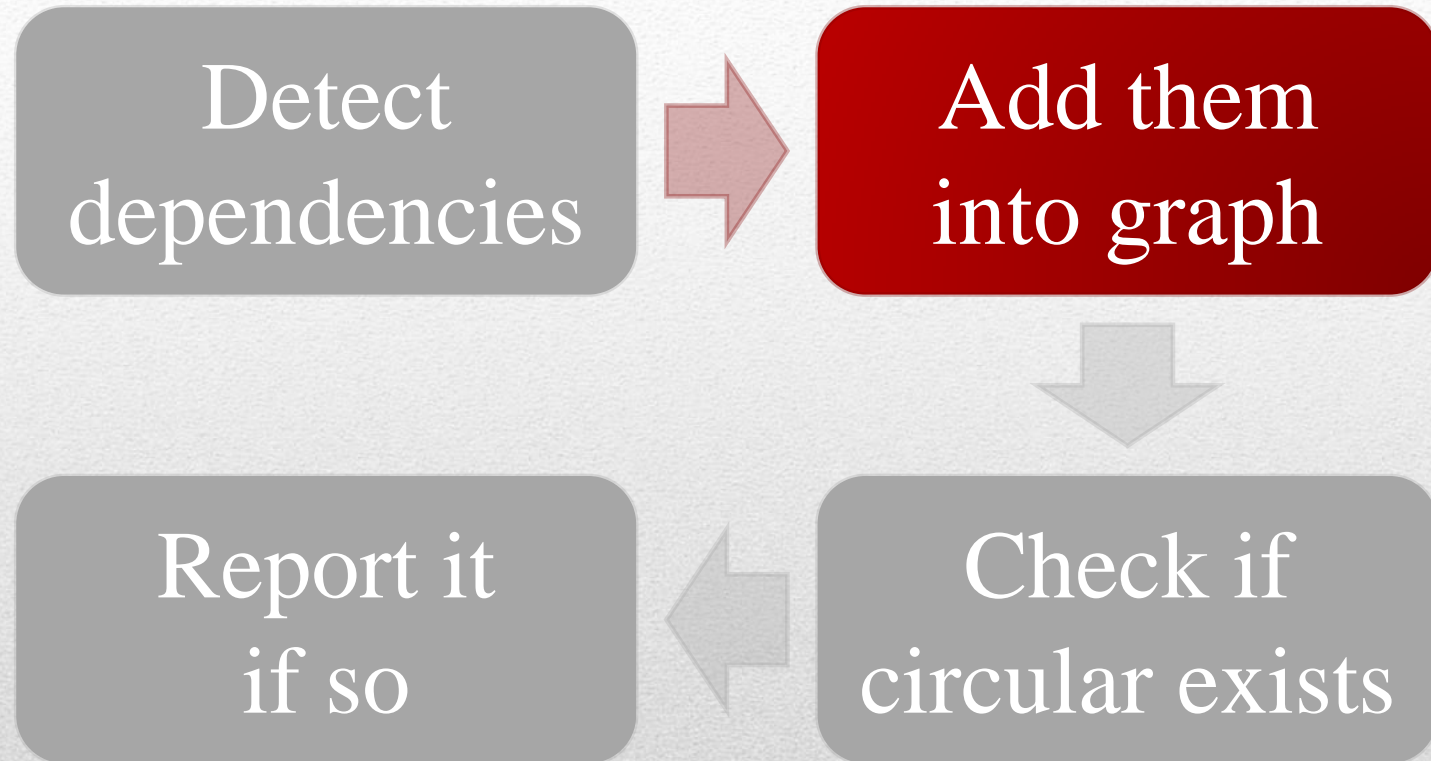


# Example



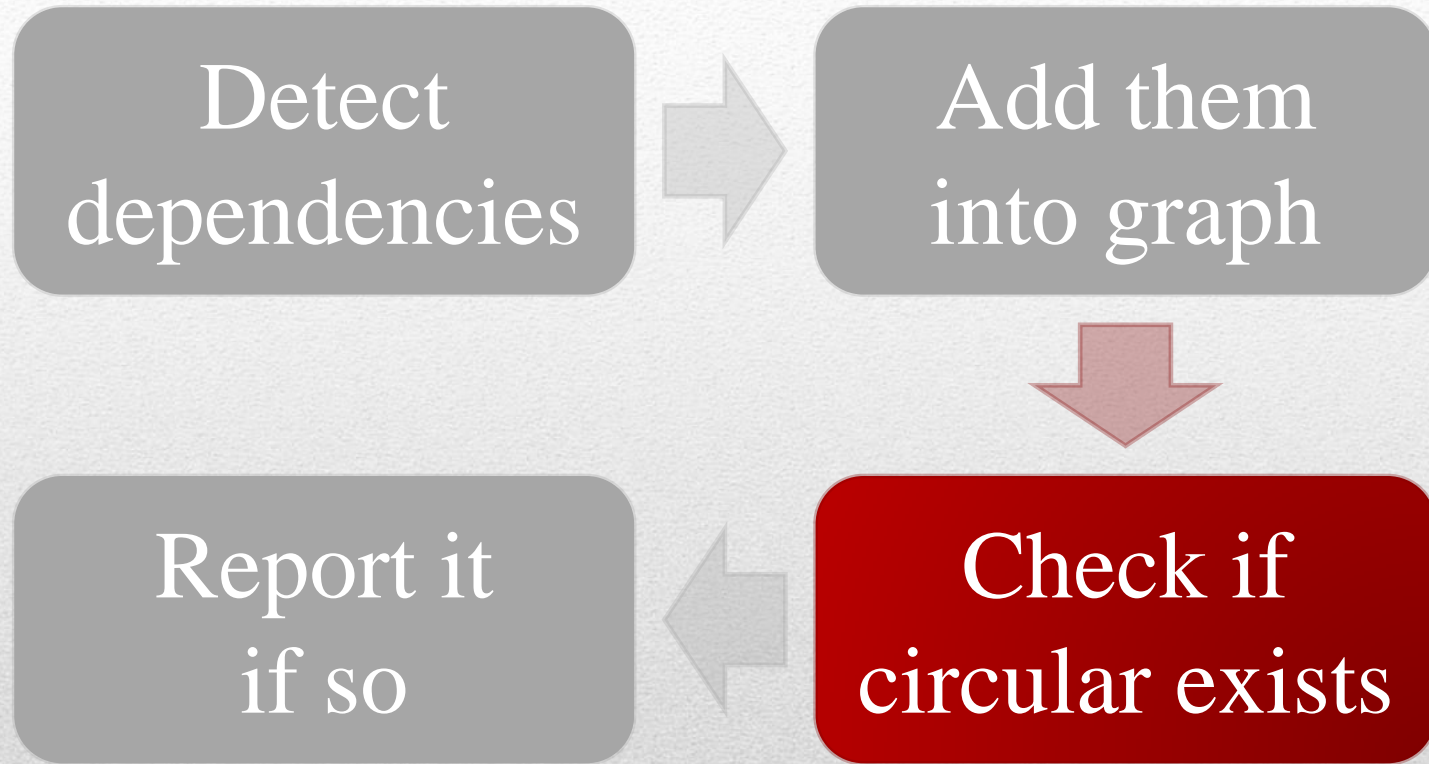


# How Lockdep Works

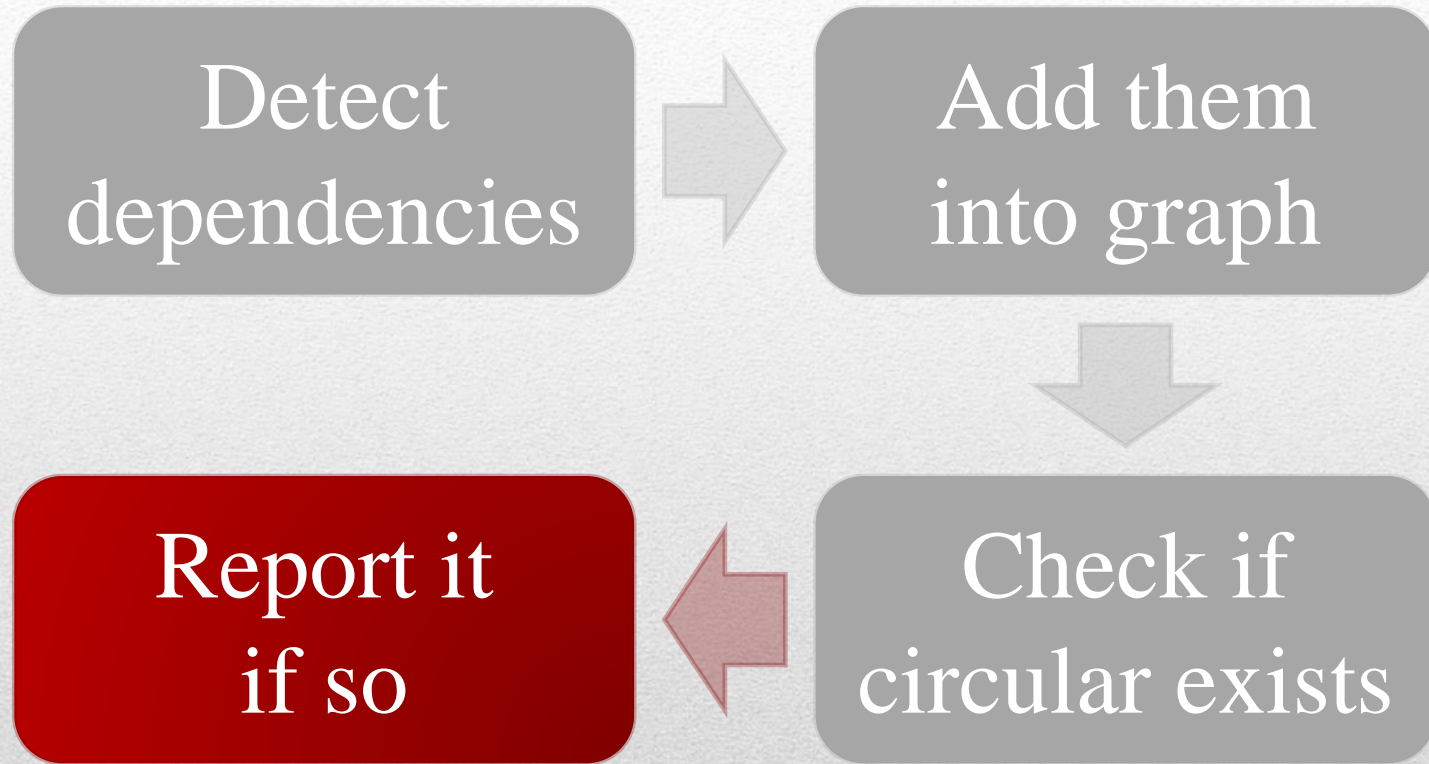


# How Lockdep Works





# How Lockdep Works



# How Lockdep Works



spin\_lock A

...

spin\_lock A

...

spin\_unlock A

...

spin\_unlock A

# Example



A

# AA Deadlock



spin\_lock A

...

spin\_lock A

...

spin\_unlock A

...

spin\_unlock A

# Example

spin\_lock A

...

...

...

...

...

spin\_unlock A

# Example



spin\_lock A



Interrupt

spin\_lock A

...

spin\_unlock A

spin\_unlock A

# Example

spin\_lock A

...

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_unlock B

...

spin\_unlock A

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_lock A

...

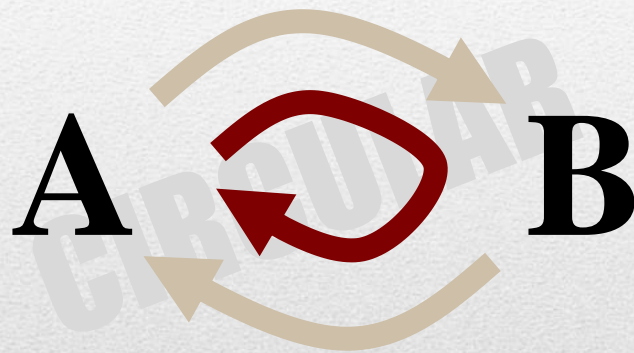
spin\_unlock A

...

spin\_unlock B

# Example





# ABBA Deadlock

spin\_lock A

...

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_unlock B

...

spin\_unlock A

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_lock A

...

spin\_unlock A

...

spin\_unlock B

# Example



spin\_lock A

...

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_unlock B

...

spin\_unlock A

spin\_lock B

...

...

...

...

...

spin\_unlock B

# Example

spin\_lock A  
...  
spin\_lock B  
...  
spin\_unlock B  
...  
spin\_unlock A

spin\_lock B

Interrupt

spin\_lock A  
...  
spin\_unlock A

spin\_unlock B

# Example



spin\_lock A

...

...

...

...

...

spin\_unlock A

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_lock A

...

spin\_unlock A

...

spin\_unlock B

# Example

spin\_lock A

Interrupt

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_unlock B

spin\_unlock A

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_lock A

...

spin\_unlock A

...

spin\_unlock B

# Example



spin\_lock A

...

...

...

...

...

spin\_unlock A

spin\_lock B

...

...

...

...

...

spin\_unlock B

# Example

spin\_lock A

Interrupt

spin\_lock B

...

spin\_unlock B

spin\_unlock A

spin\_lock B

Interrupt

spin\_lock A

...

spin\_unlock A

spin\_unlock B

# Example



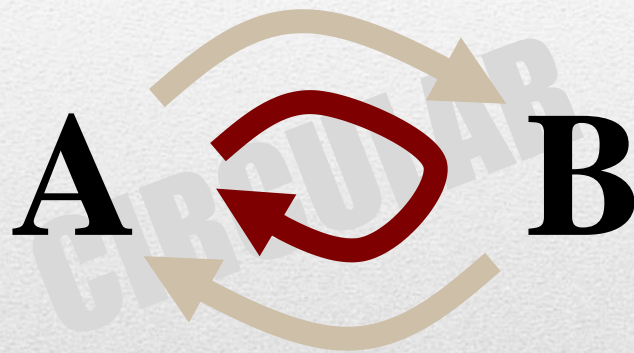
A



# AA Deadlock

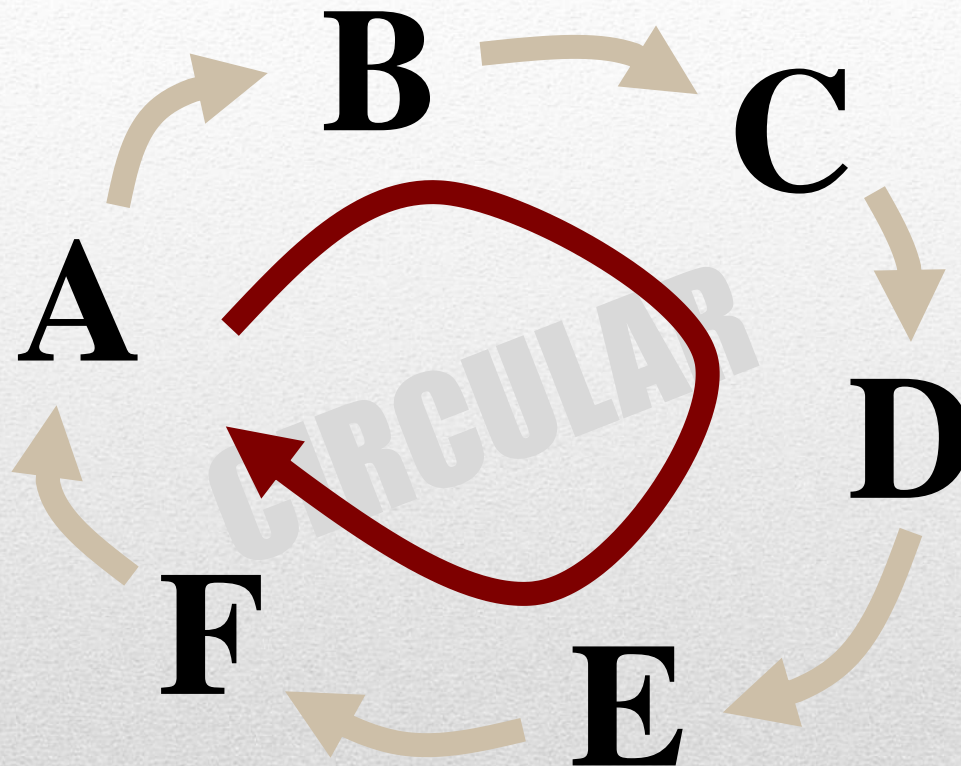
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# ABBA Deadlock

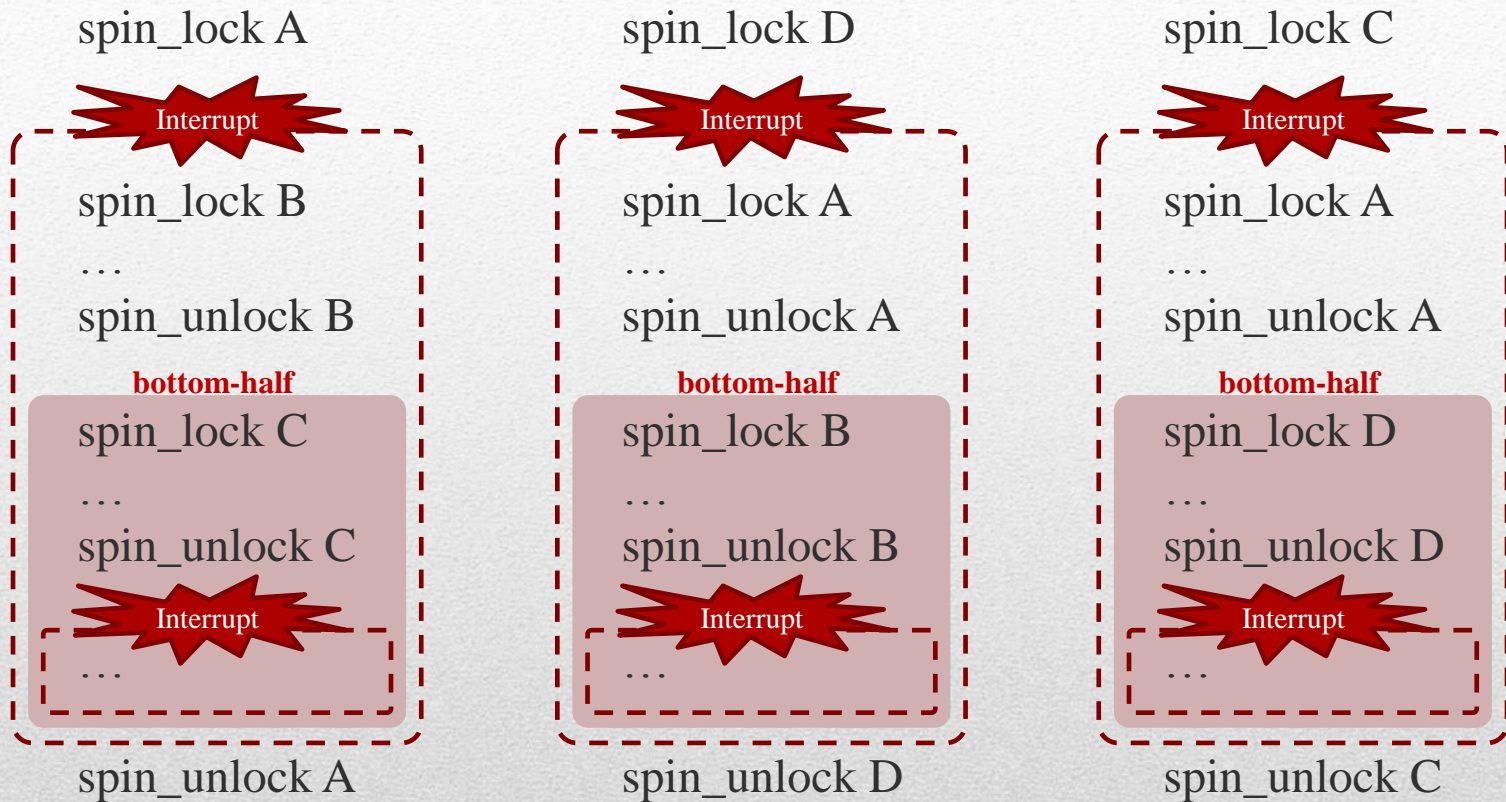




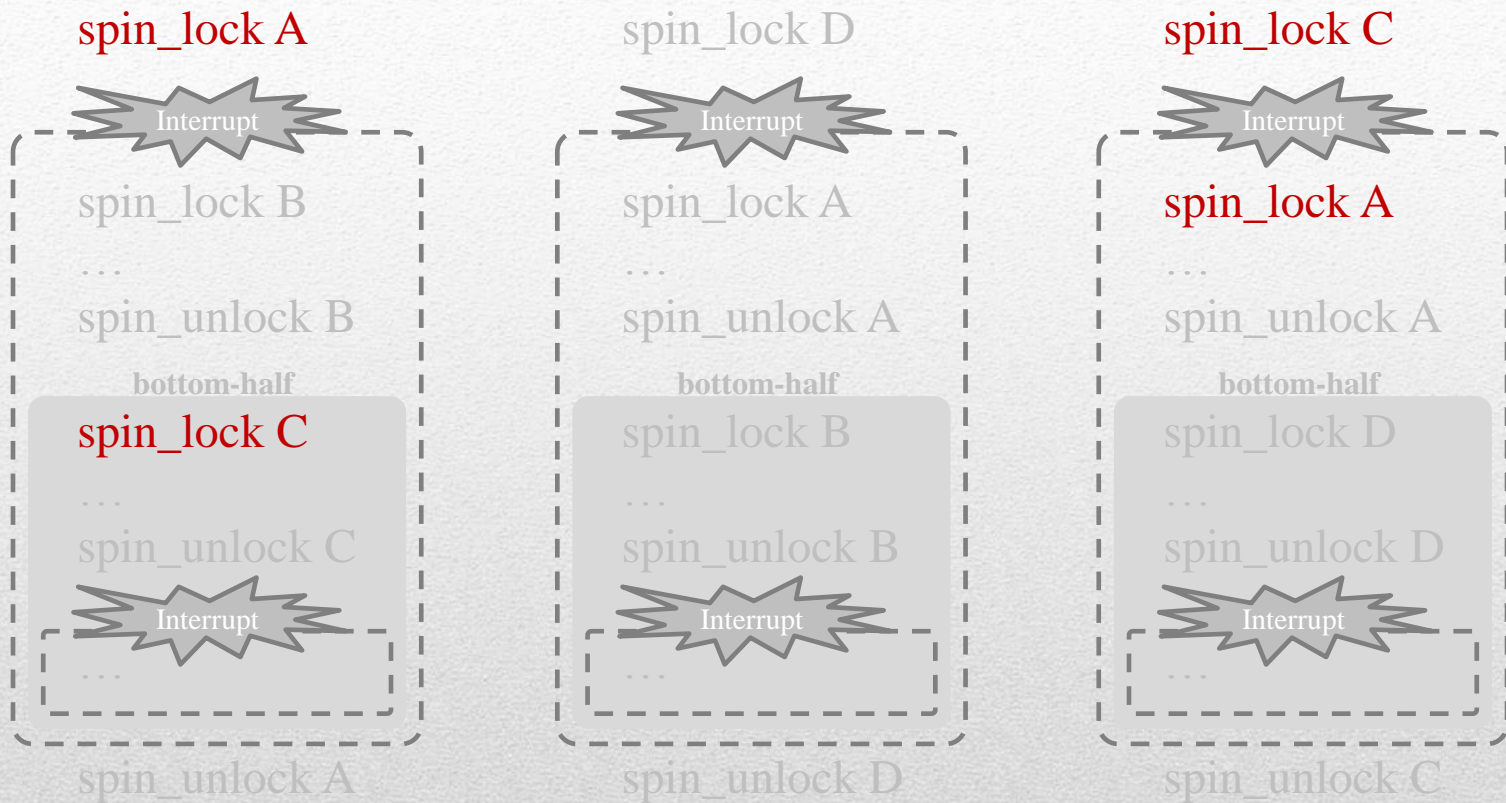
# General Deadlock

# Why



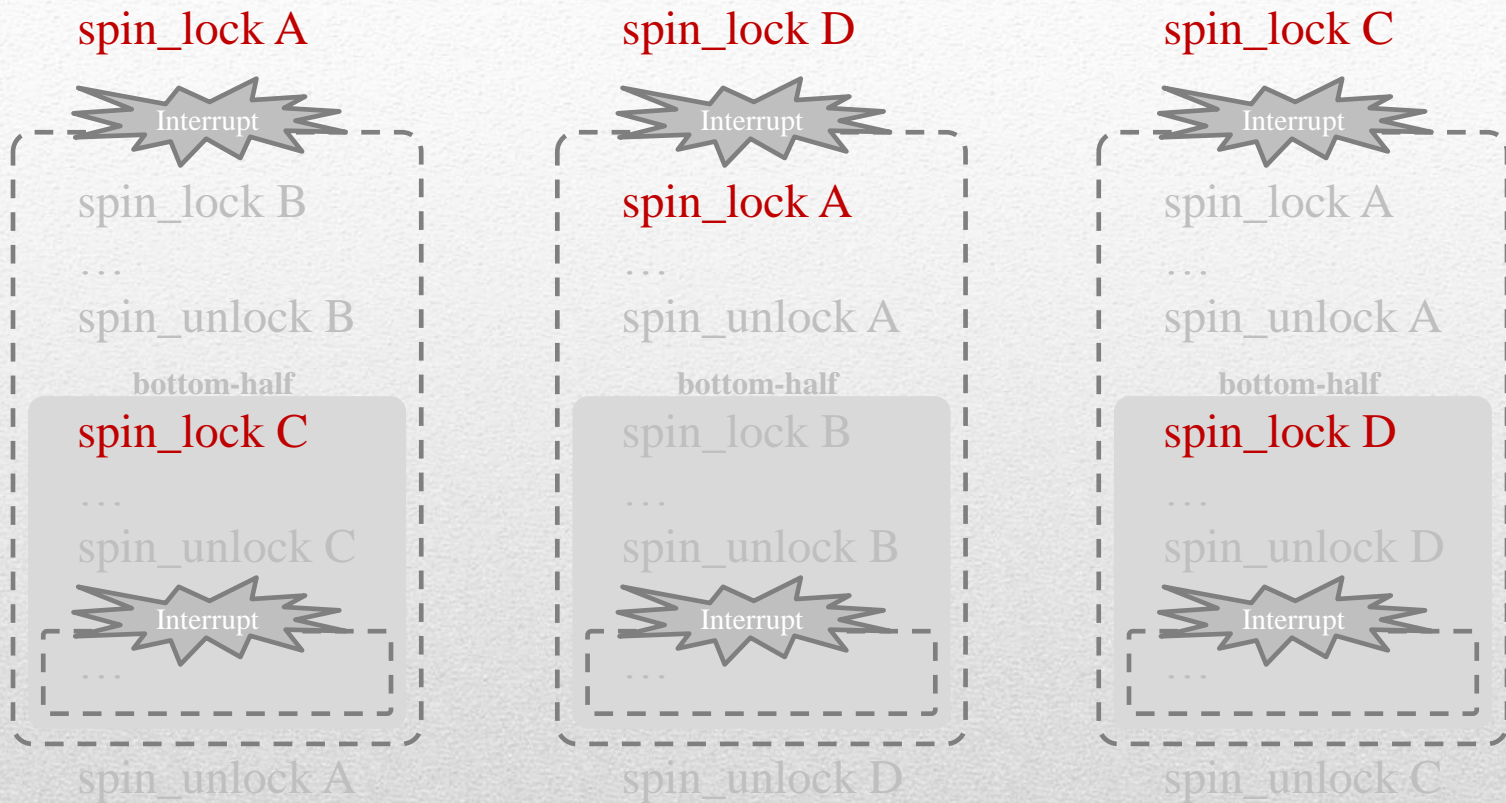


# Deadlock ?



# Deadlock !





# Deadlock !

```
printk("something...");
console_lock();
    spin_lock(&sem->lock);
    spin_unlock(&sem->lock);
console_unlock();
    spin_lock(&sem->lock);
    wake_up_process(task);
    spin_lock(&task->pi_lock);
    spin_dump(&task->pi_lock, "WARN");
    printk("WARN");
    console_lock();
        spin_lock(&sem->lock);
    spin_unlock(&sem->lock);
```

# Deadlock ?



```
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    printk("WARN");
    console_lock();
    spin_lock(&sem->lock);
    ↓
spin_unlock(&sem->lock);
```

# Deadlock !

```
int count;
spin_lock_t a;

void print_genius(void)
{
    spin_lock(&a);
    printk("I am %dth genius!\n", ++count);
    spin_unlock(&a);
}

void kthread_mycode(void)
{
    print_genius();
}
```

# Deadlock ?



```
int count;
spin_lock_t a;

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}

void kthread_mycode(void)
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}
```

...


```
extern void print_genius(void);
```

```
void who_am_I(void)
{
    print_genius();
}
```

```
void foo_interrupt_handler(void)
{
    who_am_I();
}
```

# Deadlock ?

```
int count;
spin_lock_t a;

void print_genius(void)
{
    spin_lock(&a);
    
    print_genius("\n", ++count);
    spin_unlock(&a);
}

void kthread_mycode(void)
{
    print_genius();
}
```

...

```
extern void print_genius(void);
```

```
void who_am_I(void)
{
    print_genius();
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```

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void foo_interrupt_handler(void)
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}
```

# Deadlock !



```
void task_migration(struct q *a,  
                   struct q *b)  
{  
    spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);  
    spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);  
    ...  
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);  
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);  
}
```

```
void load_balance(void)  
{  
    ...  
    if (condition 1)  
        task_migration(&q0, &q1);  
    else if (condition 2)  
        task_migration(&q1, &q0);  
    ...  
}
```

# Deadlock ?

```
void task_migration(struct q *a,  
                   struct q *b)  
{  
    spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);  
    spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);  
    ...  
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);  
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);  
}
```

```
void load_balance(void)  
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    ...  
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    ...  
}
```

# Deadlock ?



```
void task_migration(struct q *a,  
                   struct q *b)  
{  
    spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);  
    spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);  
    ...  
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);  
    spin_unlock_irq(q0->lock);  
}
```

```
void load_balance(void)  
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```



# Deadlock ?

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    spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);  
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    ...  
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);  
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);  
}
```

```
void load_balance(void)  
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    if (condition 1)  
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    ...  
}
```

# Deadlock ?



```

void task_migration(struct q *a,
                   struct q *b)
{
    spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(q0->lock);
}

```

```

void load_balance(void)
{
    ...
    if (condition 1)
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        task_migration(&q1, &q0);
    ...
}

```



# Deadlock ?

```
void task_migration(struct q *a,  
                   struct q *b)  
{  
    spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);  
    spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);  
    ...  
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);  
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);  
}
```

```
void load_balance(void)  
{  
    ...  
    if (condition 1)  
        task_migration(&q0, &q1);  
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        task_migration(&q1, &q0);  
    ...  
}
```

# Deadlock ?



```

void task_migration(struct q *a,
                   struct q *b)
{
    spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(q0->lock);
}

```

```

void load_balance(void)
{
    ...
    if (condition 1)
        task_migration(&q0, &q1);
    else if (condition 2)
        task_migration(&q1, &q0);
    ...
}

```

q0->lock

q1->lock

# Deadlock !

```

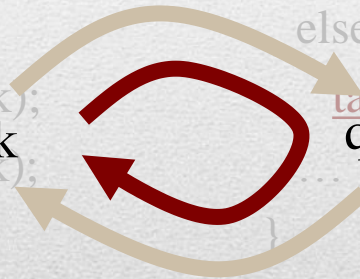
void task_migration(struct q *a,
                   struct q *b)
{
    spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(q0->lock);
}

```

```

void load_balance(void)
{
    ...
    if (condition 1)
        task_migration(&q0, &q1);
    else if (condition 2)
        task_migration(&q1, &q0);
    ...
}

```



# Deadlock !



```
void task_migration(struct q *a,  
                    struct q *b)  
{  
    if (a < b) {  
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);  
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);  
    else {  
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);  
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);  
    }  
    ...  
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);  
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);  
}
```

# Deadlock ?

```
void task_migration(struct q *a,
                   struct q *b)
{
    if (a < b) {
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    }
    else {
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
    }
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
}
```

```
void foo_tasks(struct q *a,
              struct q *b)
{
    if (a->q_id < b->q_id) {
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    }
    else {
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
    }
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
}
```

# Deadlock ?



```
void task_migration(struct q *a,
                   struct q *b)
{
    if (a < b) {
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    }
    else {
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
    }
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
}
```


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void foo_tasks(struct q *a,
              struct q *b)
{
    if (a->q_id < b->q_id) {
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    }
    else {
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
    }
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
}
```

# Deadlock ?

```

void task_migration(struct q *a,
                   struct q *b)
{
    if (a < b) {
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    }
    else {
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
        a->lock_lock_irq(&a->lock);
    }
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
}

```



```

void foo_tasks(struct q *a,
               struct q *b)
{
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        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    }
    else {
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
    }
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
}

```


# Deadlock ?



```

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                   struct q *b)
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    if (a < b) {
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    }
    else {
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
        a->lock_lock_irq(&a->lock);
    }
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
}


```



```

void foo_tasks(struct q *a,
               struct q *b)
{
    if (a->q_id < b->q_id) {
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    }
    else {
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
    }
    a->lock
    b->lock
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
}

```



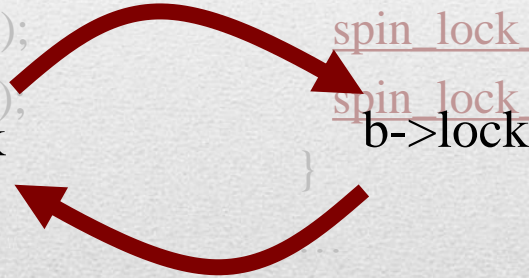
# Deadlock ?

```
void task_migration(struct q *a,  
                   struct q *b)
```

```
{  
    if (a < b) {  
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);  
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);  
    else {  
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);  
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);  
        a->lock  
    }  
    ...  
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);  
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);  
}
```

```
void foo_tasks(struct q *a,  
              struct q *b)
```

```
{  
    if (a->q_id < b->q_id) {  
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);  
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);  
    else {  
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);  
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);  
        b->lock  
    }  
    ...  
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);  
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);  
}
```



# Deadlock !

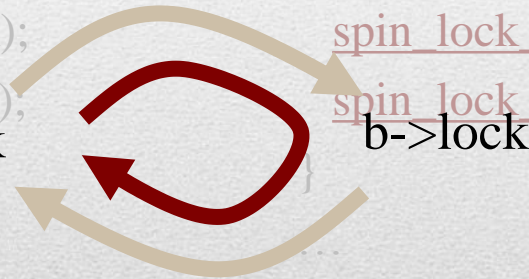


```
void task_migration(struct q *a,
                   struct q *b)
```

```
{
    if (a < b) {
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
    } else {
        spin_lock_irq(&b->lock);
        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
        a->lock
    }
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);
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}
```

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        spin_lock_irq(&a->lock);
        b->lock
    }
    ...
    spin_unlock_irq(&a->lock);
    spin_unlock_irq(&b->lock);
}
```




# Deadlock !

...	...	...
spin_lock (&rq);	spin_lock (&console);	spin_lock (&sem);
...	...	...
spin_lock (&task);	spin_lock (&terminal);	spin_lock (&rq);
...	...	...
...	...	...
spin_lock (&console);	spin_lock (&terminal);	spin_lock (&task);
...	...	...
spin_lock (&sem);	spin_lock (&serial);	spin_lock (&console);
...	...	...

# Deadlock ?



```
...
rq
spin_lock (&rq);
...
spin_lock (&task);
...
```



```
...
spin_lock (&console);
...
spin_lock (&terminal);
...
```

```
...
spin_lock (&sem);
...
spin_lock (&rq);
...
```

```
...
spin_lock (&console);
...
spin_lock (&sem);
...
```

```
...
spin_lock (&terminal);
...
spin_lock (&serial);
...
```


```
...
spin_lock (&task);
...
spin_lock (&console);
...
```

# Deadlock ?

```

...
rq
spin_lock (&rq);
...
spin_lock (&task);
...


```



```

...
console
spin_lock (&console);
...
spin_lock (&terminal);
...

```



```

...
spin_lock (&sem);
...
spin_lock (&rq);
...

```

```

...
spin_lock (&console);
...
spin_lock (&sem);
...

```

```

...
spin_lock (&terminal);
...
spin_lock (&serial);
...

```

```

...
spin_lock (&task);
...
spin_lock (&console);
...

```

# Deadlock ?



...  
rq  
spin\_lock (&rq);  
...  
spin\_lock (&task);  
task  
...

...  
console  
spin\_lock (&console);  
...  
spin\_lock (&terminal);  
terminal  
...

...  
sem  
spin\_lock (&sem);  
...  
spin\_lock (&rq);  
rq  
...

...  
spin\_lock (&console);  
...  
spin\_lock (&sem);  
...

...  
spin\_lock (&terminal);  
...  
spin\_lock (&serial);  
...


...  
spin\_lock (&task);  
...  
spin\_lock (&console);  
...

# Deadlock ?

```

...
rq
spin_lock (&rq);
...
spin_lock (&task);
...


```



```

...
console
spin_lock (&console);
...
spin_lock (&terminal);
...


```



```

...
sem
spin_lock (&sem);
...
spin_lock (&rq);
...


```



```

...
console
spin_lock (&console);
...
spin_lock (&sem);
...

```



```

...
spin_lock (&terminal);
...
spin_lock (&serial);
...

```

```

...
spin_lock (&task);
...
spin_lock (&console);
...

```


# Deadlock ?



```

...
rq
spin_lock (&rq);
...
spin_lock (&task);
...


```



```

...
console
spin_lock (&console);
...
spin_lock (&terminal);
...


```



```

...
sem
spin_lock (&sem);
...
spin_lock (&rq);
...


```



```

...
console
spin_lock (&console);
...
spin_lock (&sem);
...


```



```

...
terminal
spin_lock (&terminal);
...
spin_lock (&serial);
...

```



```

...
spin_lock (&task);
...
spin_lock (&console);
...


```

# Deadlock ?

```

...
rq
spin_lock (&rq);
...
spin_lock (&task);
...


```



```

...
console
spin_lock (&console);
...
spin_lock (&terminal);
...


```



```

...
sem
spin_lock (&sem);
...
spin_lock (&rq);
...


```



```

...
console
spin_lock (&console);
...
spin_lock (&sem);
...


```



```

...
terminal
spin_lock (&terminal);
...
spin_lock (&serial);
...


```



```

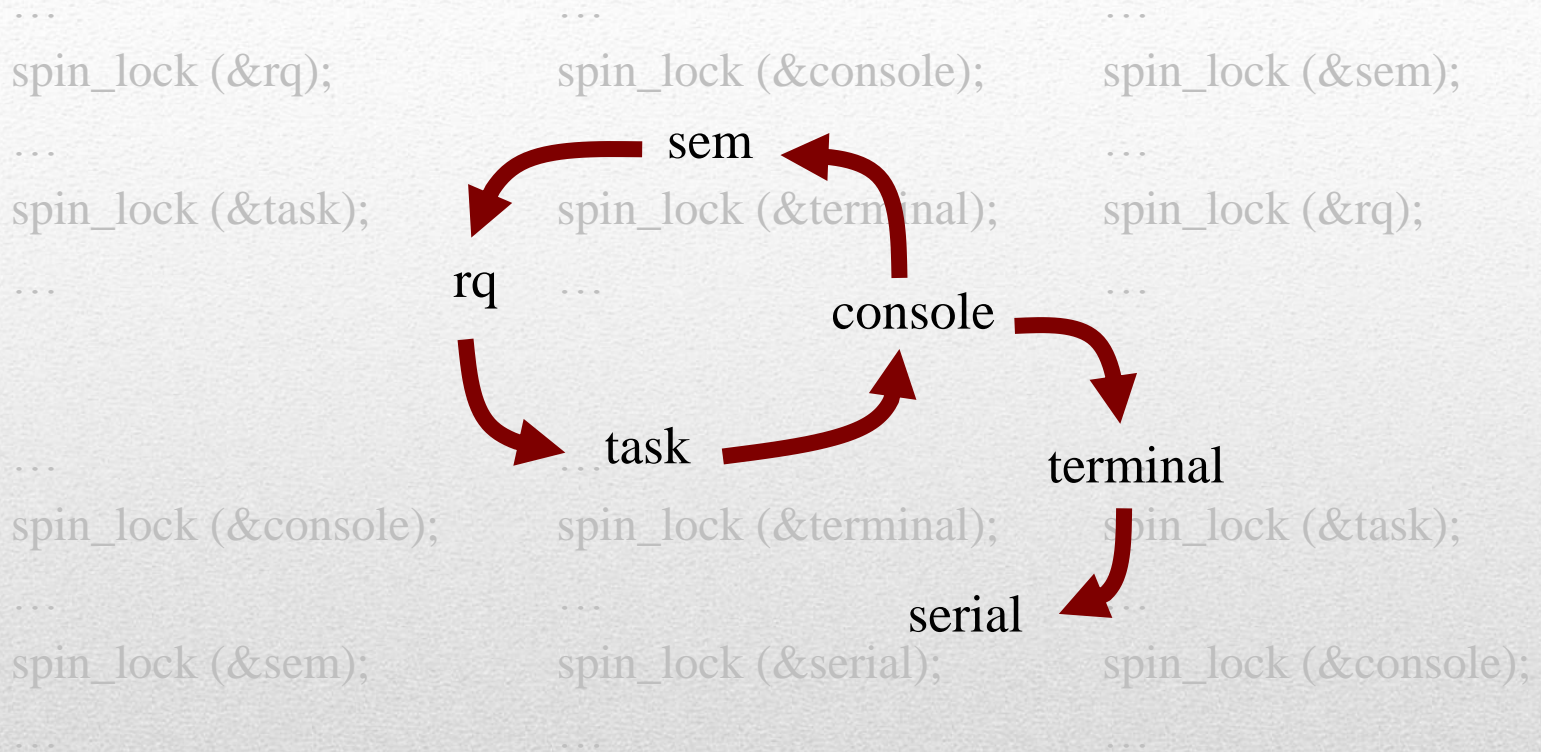
...
task
spin_lock (&task);
...
spin_lock (&console);
...

```



# Deadlock ?





# Deadlock !

Terribly hard to find out,  
problematic code in head.

# Why Use Lockdep

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# Config

CONFIG TRACE IRQFLAGS SUPPORT

CONFIG STACKTRACE SUPPORT

CONFIG LOCKDEP SUPPORT

(Depending on architectures)

CONFIG DEBUG KERNEL

Kernel hacking

Kernel debugging

CONFIG PROVE LOCKING

Kernel hacking

Lock Debugging (spinlocks, mutexes, etc...)

Lock debugging: prove locking correctness

# Kconfig



# Practice

```
[ 0.030236] =====
[ 0.030732] [INFO: inconsistent lock state]
[ 0.031000] 4.9.0+ #15 Not tainted
[ 0.031000] -----
[ 0.031000] inconsistent {IN-HARDIRQ-W} -> {HARDIRQ-ON-W} usage.
[ 0.031000] swapper/0/1 [HC0[0]:SC0[0]:HE1:SE1] takes:
[ 0.031000] (&rq->lock){?.....}, at: [<fffff8108cc0e>] wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[IN-HARDIRQ-W] state was registered at:
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810ace95>] __lock_acquire+0xaf5/0x1220
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810ad9c0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff819e2e9c>] __raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff8108e26c>] scheduler_tick+0x3c/0xc0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810d2e52>] update_process_times+0x42/0x50
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810e158a>] tick_periodic+0x2a/0xc0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810e1640>] tick_handle_periodic+0x20/0x70
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff8101e930>] timer_interrupt+0x10/0x20
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810bf47>] __handle_irq_event_perq+0x37/0x300
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c022e>] handle_irq_event_perq+0x1e/0x50
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c0294>] handle_irq_event+0x34/0x60
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c3353>] handle_level_irq+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff8101e376>] handle_irq+0xa6/0x130
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff8101da2e>] do_IRQ+0x5e/0x120
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff819e40c9>] ret_from_intr+0x0/0x19
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c1f30>] __setup_irq+0x440/0x5e0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c211f>] setup_irq+0x4f/0xc0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8b442>] setup_default_timer_irq+0x1e/0x20
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8b45b>] hpet_time_init+0x17/0x19
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8b41d>] x86_late_time_init+0xa/0x11
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f84f7f>] start_kernel+0x389/0x438
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8458c>] x86_64_start_reservations+0x2a/0x2c
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f84678>] x86_64_start_kernel+0xea/0xed
[ 0.031000] irq event stamp: 837
[ 0.031000] hardirqs last enabled at (837): [<fffff810b03dc>] __raw_spin_lock_init+0x1c/0x50
[ 0.031000] hardirqs last disabled at (836): [<fffff810b03dc>] __raw_spin_lock_init+0x1c/0x50
[ 0.031000] softirqs last enabled at (588): [<fffff81064cde>] __do_softirq+0x32e/0x430
[ 0.031000] softirqs last disabled at (583): [<fffff81065065>] irq_exit+0xb5/0xc0
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] other info that might help us debug this:
[ 0.031000] Possible unsafe locking scenario:
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000]         cpu0
[ 0.031000]         ----
[ 0.031000]    lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.031000]    <Interrupt>
[ 0.031000]    lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] *** DEADLOCK ***
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] 2 locks held by swapper/0/1:
[ 0.031000] #0: (cpu_hotplug.dep_map){.+.+.}, at: [<fffff8105dd0f>] get_online_qs+0x1f/0x70
[ 0.031000] #1: (smpboot_threads_lock){+.+.+.}, at: [<fffff810858e3>] smpboot_register...qmask+0x33/0x100
```

```
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] stack backtrace:
[ 0.031000] cpu: 0 PID: 1 Comm: swapper/0 Not tainted 4.9.0+ #15
[ 0.031000] Hardware name: QEMU Standard PC (i440FX + PIIX, 1996), BIOS Bochs 01/01/2011
[ 0.031000] ffff90000d3a00 ffff8138ab4e ffff88001e370000 ffffffff827a8aa0
[ 0.031000] ffff90000d3a50 ffff81150aa2 0000000000000000 0000000000000001
[ 0.031000] 0000000000000001 0000000000000000 ffff88001e370000 ffffffff810aa630
[ 0.031000] Call Trace:
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8138ab4e>] dump_stack+0x67/0x99
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81150aa2>] print_usage_bug+0x1f2/0x203
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810aa630>] ? print_shortest_lock_dependencies+0x1c0/0x1c0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810abdf2>] mark_lock+0x212/0x2a0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810acd63>] __lock_acquire+0x9c3/0x1220
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810ad9c0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81085570>] ? sort_range+0x20/0x20
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819e2e9c>] __raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8108cc0e>] wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81081a88>] __kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810aa6a0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810aa6a0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81081bb4>] kthread_create_on_node+0x34/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<fffff811ac750>] ? kmem_cache_alloc_node_trace+0x1c0/0x230
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81085825>] __smpboot_create_thread.part.3+0x65/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81085950>] smpboot_register_perq_thread_qmask+0xa0/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81f9e1ac>] ? trace_event_define_fields_irq_handler_exit+0x6a/0x6a
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81f9e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8102e0e3>] ? print_q_info+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8516c>] kernel_init_freeable+0x13e/0x27e
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819dbb19>] ? kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819dbb10>] ? rest_init+0x130/0x130
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819dbb19>] kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819e3987>] ret_from_fork+0x27/0x40
```

# Report Example 1



```
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[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810e1640>] tick_handle_periodic+0x20/0x70
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff8101e930>] timer_interrupt+0x10/0x20
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810bf47>] __handle_irq_event_perq+0x37/0x300
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c022e>] handle_irq_event_perq+0x1e/0x50
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c0294>] handle_irq_event+0x34/0x60
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c3353>] handle_level_irq+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff8101e376>] handle_irq+0xa6/0x130
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff8101da2e>] do_IRQ+0x5e/0x120
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff819e40c9>] ret_from_intr+0x0/0x19
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c1f30>] __setup_irq+0x440/0x5e0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c211f>] setup_irq+0x4f/0xc0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8b442>] setup_default_timer_irq+0x1e/0x20
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8b45b>] hpet_time_init+0x17/0x19
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8b41d>] x86_late_time_init+0xa/0x11
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f84f7f>] start_kernel+0x389/0x438
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8458c>] x86_64_start_reservations+0x2a/0x2c
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f84678>] x86_64_start_kernel+0xea/0xed
[ 0.031000] irq event stamp: 837
[ 0.031000] hardirqs last enabled at (837): [<fffff810b03dc>] __raw_spin_lock_init+0x1c/0x50
[ 0.031000] hardirqs last disabled at (836): [<fffff810b03dc>] __raw_spin_lock_init+0x1c/0x50
[ 0.031000] softirqs last enabled at (588): [<fffff81064cde>] __do_softirq+0x32e/0x430
[ 0.031000] softirqs last disabled at (583): [<fffff81065065>] irq_exit+0xb5/0xc0
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] other info that might help us debug this:
[ 0.031000] Possible unsafe locking scenario:
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000]      cpu0
[ 0.031000]      ----
[ 0.031000]      lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.031000]      <Interrupt>
[ 0.031000]      lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] *** DEADLOCK ***
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] 2 locks held by swapper/0/1:
[ 0.031000] #0: (cpu_hotplug.dep_map){.+.+.}, at: [<fffff8105dd0f>] get_online_qs+0x1f/0x70
[ 0.031000] #1: (smpboot_threads_lock){+.+.+.}, at: [<fffff810858e3>] smpboot_register...qmask+0x33/0x100
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[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] stack backtrace:
[ 0.031000] cpu: 0 PID: 1 Comm: swapper/0 Not tainted 4.9.0+ #15
[ 0.031000] Hardware name: QEMU Standard PC (i440FX + PIIX, 1996), BIOS Bochs 01/01/2011
[ 0.031000] ffff90000d3a00 ffffff8138ab4e ffff88001e370000 ffffffff827a8aa0
[ 0.031000] ffff90000d3a50 ffffff81150aa2 0000000000000000 0000000000000001
[ 0.031000] 0000000000000001 0000000000000000 ffff88001e370000 ffffffff810aa630
[ 0.031000] Call Trace:
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8138ab4e>] dump_stack+0x67/0x99
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81150aa2>] print_usage_bug+0x1f2/0x203
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810aa630>] ? print_shortest_lock_dependencies+0x1c0/0x1c0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810abdf2>] mark_lock+0x212/0x2a0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810acd63>] __lock_acquire+0x9c3/0x1220
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810ad9c0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81085570>] ? sort_range+0x20/0x20
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819e2e9c>] _raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8108cc0e>] wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81081a88>] __kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810aa6a0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810aa6a0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81081bb4>] kthread_create_on_node+0x34/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<fffff811ac750>] ? kmem_cache_alloc_node_trace+0x1c0/0x230
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81085825>] __smpboot_create_thread.part.3+0x65/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81085950>] smpboot_register_perq_thread_qmask+0xa0/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81f9e1ac>] ? trace_event_define_fields_irq_handler_exit+0x6a/0x6a
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81f9e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8102e0e3>] ? print_q_info+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8516c>] kernel_init_freeable+0x13e/0x27e
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819dbb19>] ? kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819dbb10>] ? rest_init+0x130/0x130
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819dbb19>] kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819e3987>] ret_from_fork+0x27/0x40
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[ 0.030236] =====
[ 0.030732] [INFO: inconsistent lock state]
[ 0.031000] 4.9.0: #15 Not tainted

[ 0.031000] swapper/0/1 [HC0[0]:SC0[0]:HE1:SE1] takes:
[ 0.031000] (&rq->lock){?.....}, at: [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] {IN-HARDIRQ-W} state was registered at:
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108e26c>] scheduler_tick+0x3c/0xc0 (CALL STACK)
[ 0.031000] cpu0
[ 0.031000] lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.031000] <Interrupt>
[ 0.031000] lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.031000] *** DEADLOCK ***
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] 3 locks held by swapper/0/1:
[ 0.031000] #0: (<cpu_hotplug_dep_map>[?.....]), at: [<ffffffff8105dd01>] get_online_gsi+0x1f/0x70
[ 0.031000] #1: (<snpboot_threads_lock>[?.....]), at: [<ffffffff810858e3>] snpboot_register_qmask+0x33/0x100
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] stack backtrace:
[ 0.031000] cpu: 0 PID: 1 Comm: swapper/0 Not tainted 4.9.0+ #15
[ 0.031000] Hardware name: QEMU Standard PC (i440FX + PIIX, 1996), BIOS Bochs 01/01/2011
[ 0.031000] ffff90000d3a00 ffff8138ab4e ffff8001e370000 ffff827a8aa0
[ 0.031000] ffff90000d3a50 ffff81150aa2 0000000000000000 0000000000000001
[ 0.031000] 0000000000000001 0000000000000000 ffff8001e370000 ffff8110aa630
[ 0.031000] ffff8138ab4e> dump_stack+0x67/0x99
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81150aa2>] print_usage_bug+0x1f2/0x203
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810aa630>] ? print_shortest_lock_dependencies+0xc0/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810acd65>] ? lock_acquire+0x9c3/0x1220
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810ad9c0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81085570>] ? sort_range+0x20/0x20
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819e2e9c>] __raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81081a88>] ? kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810aa6a0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81085570>] ? sort_range+0x20/0x20
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff811ac750>] ? kmem_cache_alloc_node_trace+0x1c0/0x230
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81085825>] __snpboot_create_thread.part.3+0x65/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81085950>] snpboot_register_perq_thread_qmask+0xa0/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819e1ac>] ? trace_event_define_fields_irq_handler_exit+0x6a/0x6a
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8102e0e3>] ? print_q_info+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff818516c>] kernel_init_freeable+0x13e/0x27e
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819dbb19>] ? kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819dbb10>] ? ret_init+0x130/0x130
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819dbb19>] kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819e3987>] ret_from_fork+0x27/0x40

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[ 0.030236] -----
[ 0.030732] [INFO: inconsistent lock state]
[ 0.031000] 4.9.0: #15 Not tainted

[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] inconsistent [IN-HARDIRQ-W] => [HARDIRQ-ON-W] usage:
[ 0.031000] swapper/0/1 [HC0[0]:SC0[0]:HE1:SE1] takes:
[ 0.031000] (&rq->lock){?.....}, at: [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] dump_stack+0x67/0x99
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81150aa2>] print_usage_bug+0x1f2/0x203
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810a630>] ? print_shortest_lock_dependencies+0x0/0x60
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810a630>] ? lock_acquire+0x9c3/0x1220
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810a9c0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81085570>] ? sort_range+0x20/0x20
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819e2e9c>] __raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81081a88>] ? kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810a60a0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810819e1ac>] ? kmem_cache_alloc_node_trace+0x1c0/0x230
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81085825>] __snpboot_create_thread.part.3+0x65/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81085950>] snpboot_register_perq_thread_qmask+0xa0/0x100
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819e1ac>] ? trace_event_define_fields_irq_handler_exit+0x6a/0x6a
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8102e0e3>] ? print_q_info+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff818516c>] kernel_init_freeable+0x13e/0x27e
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819dbb19>] ? kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819dbb10>] ? rest_init+0x130/0x130
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819dbb19>] kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819e3987>] ret_from_fork+0x27/0x40

[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] stack backtrace:
[ 0.031000] cpu: 0 PID: 1 Comm: swapper/0 Not tainted 4.9.0+ #15
[ 0.031000] Hardware name: QEMU Standard PC (i440FX + PIIX, 1996), BIOS Bochs 01/01/2011
[ 0.031000] ffff90000d3a00 ffff8138ab4e ffff8001e370000 ffff827a8aa0
[ 0.031000] ffff90000d3a50 ffff81150aa2 0000000000000000 0000000000000001
[ 0.031000] 0000000000000001 0000000000000000 ffff8001e370000 ffff8110aa630
[ 0.031000] -----
[ 0.031000] 3 locks held by swapper/0/1:
[ 0.031000] #0: (<cpu_hotplug_dep_map>){-.-.-}, at: [<ffffffff8105dd01>] get_online_cpus+0x1f/0x70
[ 0.031000] #1: (<snpboot_threads_lock>){-.-.-}, at: [<ffffffff810858e3>] snpboot_register_qmask+0x33/0x100

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[ 0.030236] =====
[ 0.030732] [INFO: inconsistent lock state]
[ 0.031000] 4.9.0+ #15 Not tainted
[ 0.031000] -----
[ 0.031000] inconsistent {IN-HARDIRQ-W} -> {HARDIRQ-ON-W} usage.
[ 0.031000] swapper/0/1 [HC0[0]:SC0[0]:HE1:SE1] takes:
[ 0.031000] (&rq->lock){?.....}, at: [<fffff8108cc0e>] wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[IN-HARDIRQ-W] state was registered at:
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810ace95>] __lock_acquire+0xaf5/0x1220
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810ad9c0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff819e2e9c>] __raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff8108e26c>] scheduler_tick+0x3c/0xc0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810d2e52>] update_process_times+0x42/0x50
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810e158a>] tick_periodic+0x2a/0xc0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810e1640>] tick_handle_periodic+0x20/0x70
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff8101e930>] timer_interrupt+0x10/0x20
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810bf47>] __handle_irq_event_percq+0x37/0x300
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c022e>] handle_irq_event_percq+0x1e/0x50
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c0294>] handle_irq_event+0x34/0x60
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c3353>] handle_level_irq+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff8101e376>] handle_irq+0xa6/0x130
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff8101da2e>] do_IRQ+0x5e/0x120
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff819e40c9>] ret_from_intr+0x0/0x19
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c1f30>] __setup_irq+0x440/0x5e0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff810c211f>] setup_irq+0x4f/0xc0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8b442>] setup_default_timer_irq+0x1e/0x20
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8b45b>] hpet_time_init+0x17/0x19
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8b41d>] x86_late_time_init+0xa/0x11
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f84f7f>] start_kernel+0x389/0x438
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8458c>] x86_64_start_reservations+0x2a/0x2c
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<fffff81f84678>] x86_64_start_kernel+0xea/0xed
[ 0.031000] irq event stamp: 837
[ 0.031000] hardirqs last enabled at (837): [<fffff810b03dc>] __raw_spin_lock_init+0x1c/0x50
[ 0.031000] hardirqs last disabled at (836): [<fffff810b03dc>] __raw_spin_lock_init+0x1c/0x50
[ 0.031000] softirqs last enabled at (588): [<fffff81064cde>] __do_softirq+0x32e/0x430
[ 0.031000] softirqs last disabled at (583): [<fffff81065065>] irq_exit+0xb5/0xc0
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] other info that might help us debug this:
[ 0.031000] Possible unsafe locking scenario:
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000]         cpu0
[ 0.031000]         ----
[ 0.031000]    lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.031000]    <Interrupt>
[ 0.031000]    lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] *** DEADLOCK ***
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] 2 locks held by swapper/0/1:
[ 0.031000] #0: (cpu_hotplug.dep_map){.+.+.}, at: [<fffff8105dd0f>] get_online_qs+0x1f/0x70
[ 0.031000] #1: (smpboot_threads_lock){+.+.+.}, at: [<fffff810858e3>] smpboot_register...qmask+0x33/0x100
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[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] stack backtrace:
[ 0.031000] cpu: 0 PID: 1 Comm: swapper/0 Not tainted 4.9.0+ #15
[ 0.031000] Hardware name: QEMU Standard PC (i440FX + PIIX, 1996), BIOS Bochs 01/01/2011
[ 0.031000] ffff90000d3a00 ffff8138ab4e ffff88001e370000 ffffffff827a8aa0
[ 0.031000] ffff90000d3a50 ffff81150aa2 0000000000000000 0000000000000001
[ 0.031000] 0000000000000001 0000000000000000 ffff88001e370000 ffffffff810aa630
[ 0.031000] Call Trace:
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8138ab4e>] dump_stack+0x67/0x99
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81150aa2>] print_usage_bug+0x1f2/0x203
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810aa630>] ? print_shortest_lock_dependencies+0x1c0/0x1c0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810abdf2>] mark_lock+0x212/0x2a0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810acd63>] __lock_acquire+0x9c3/0x1220
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810ad9c0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81085570>] ? sort_range+0x20/0x20
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819e2e9c>] __raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8108cc0e>] wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81081a88>] __kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810aa6a0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.031000] [<fffff810aa6a0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81081bb4>] kthread_create_on_node+0x34/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<fffff811ac750>] ? kmem_cache_alloc_node_trace+0x1c0/0x230
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81085825>] __smpboot_create_thread.part.3+0x65/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81085950>] smpboot_register_percpu_thread_qmask+0xa0/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81f9e1ac>] ? trace_event_define_fields_irq_handler_exit+0x6a/0x6a
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81f9e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
[ 0.031000] [<fffff8102e0e3>] ? print_q_info+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [<fffff81f8516c>] kernel_init_freeable+0x13e/0x27e
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819dbb19>] ? kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819dbb10>] ? rest_init+0x130/0x130
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819dbb19>] kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.031000] [<fffff819e3987>] ret_from_fork+0x27/0x40
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[ 0.030236] =====
[ 0.030732] [ INFO: inconsistent lock state ]
[ 0.031000] 4.9.0+ #15 Not tainted
[ 0.031000] -----
[ 0.031000] inconsistent {IN-HARDIRQ-W} -> {HARDIRQ-ON-W} usage.
[ 0.031000] swapper/0/1 [HC0[0]:SC0[0]:HE1:SE1] takes:
[ 0.031000] (&rq->lock){?.....}, at: [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
{IN-HARDIRQ-W} state was registered at:
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810ace95>] __lock_acquire+0xaf5/0x1220
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810ad9c0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819e2e9c>] _raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108e26c>] scheduler_tick+0x3c/0xc0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810d2e52>] update_process_times+0x42/0x50
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810e158a>] tick_periodic+0x2a/0xc0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810e1640>] tick_handle_periodic+0x20/0x70
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8101e930>] timer_interrupt+0x10/0x20
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810bff47>] __handle_irq_event_perq+0x37/0x300
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810c022e>] handle_irq_event_perq+0x1e/0x50
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810c0294>] handle_irq_event+0x34/0x60
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810c3353>] handle_level_irq+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8101e376>] handle_irq+0xa6/0x130
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8101da2e>] do_IRQ+0x5e/0x120
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819e40c9>] ret_from_intr+0x0/0x19
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810c1f30>] __setup_irq+0x440/0x5e0

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[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81f8b41d>] x86_late_time_init+0xa/0x11
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81f84f7f>] start_kernel+0x389/0x438
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81f8458c>] x86_64_start_reservations+0x2a/0x2c
[ 0.031000] [ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81f84678>] x86_64_start_kernel+0xea/0xed
[ 0.031000] irq event stamp: 837
[ 0.031000] hardirqs last enabled at (837): [<ffffffff810b03dc>] __raw_spin_lock_init...
[ 0.031000] hardirqs last disabled at (836): [<ffffffff810b03dc>] __raw_spin_lock_init...
[ 0.031000] softirqs last enabled at (588): [<ffffffff81064cde>] __do_softirq+0x32e/0x430
[ 0.031000] softirqs last disabled at (583): [<ffffffff81065065>] irq_exit+0xb5/0xc0
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] other info that might help us debug this:
[ 0.031000] Possible unsafe locking scenario:
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000]      cpu0
[ 0.031000]      ----
[ 0.031000]  lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.031000]  <Interrupt>
[ 0.031000]  lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] *** DEADLOCK ***
[ 0.031000]
[ 0.031000] 2 locks held by swapper/0/1:
[ 0.031000] #0: (cpu_hotplug.dep_map){.+.+.}, at: [<ffffffff8105dd0f>] get_online_qs...
[ 0.031000] #1: (smpboot_threads_lock){.+.+.}, at: [<ffffffff810858e3>] smpboot_register...

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[ 0.031000] stack backtrace:
[ 0.031000] cpu: 0 PID: 1 Comm: swapper/0 Not tainted 4.9.0+ #15
[ 0.031000] Hardware name: QEMU Standard PC (i440FX + PIIX, 1996), BIOS...
[ 0.031000] ffffc900000d3a00 ffffffff8138ab4e ffff88001e370000 ffffffff827a8aa0
[ 0.031000] ffffc900000d3a50 ffffffff81150aa2 0000000000000000 0000000000000001
[ 0.031000] 0000000000000001 0000000000000000 ffff88001e370000 ffffffff810aa630
[ 0.031000] Call Trace:
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8138ab4e>] dump_stack+0x67/0x99
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81150aa2>] print_usage_bug+0x1f2/0x203
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810aa630>] ? print_shortest_lock_dependencies+0x1c0/0x1c0
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810abdf2>] mark_lock+0x212/0x2a0
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810acd63>] __lock_acquire+0x9c3/0x1220
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810ad9c0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81085570>] ? sort_range+0x20/0x20
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff819e2e9c>] _raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] ? wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff8108cc0e>] wake_up_process+0x2e/0x60
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81081a88>] __kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810aa6a0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff810aa6a0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81081bb4>] kthread_create_on_node+0x34/0x40
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff811ac750>] ? kmem_cache_alloc_node_trace+0x1c0/0x230
[ 0.031000] [<ffffffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
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[ 0.031237] =====
[ 0.031946] [INFO: possible circular locking dependency detected]
[ 0.032000] 4.9.0+ #16 Not tainted
[ 0.032000] -----
[ 0.032000] swapper/0/1 is trying to acquire lock:
[ 0.032000] (&p->pi_lock){.....}, at: [<fffff8108cc1b>] wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] but task is already holding lock:
[ 0.032000] (&rq->lock){-.....}, at: [<fffff8108cc10>] wake_up_process+0x30/0x70
[ 0.032000] which lock already depends on the new lock.
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] the existing dependency chain (in reverse order) is:
[ 0.032000]
-> #1 (&rq->lock){-.....}:
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad471>] __lock_acquire+0x10c1/0x1220
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad9d0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff819e2e9c>] _raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8109ba57>] task_fork_fair+0x27/0xf0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8108d9fd>] sched_fork+0x24d/0x3d0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8105ad02>] copy_process.part.47+0x622/0x1e10
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8105c6d2>] _do_fork+0xe2/0x6e0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8105ccf4>] kernel_thread+0x24/0x30
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff819db9fe>] rest_init+0x1e/0x130
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81f85021>] start_kernel+0x42b/0x438
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81f8458c>] x86_64_start_reservations+0x2a/0x2c
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81f84678>] x86_64_start_kernel+0xea/0xed
[ 0.032000]
-> #0 (&p->pi_lock){.....}:
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810ab4f3>] check_prev_add+0x723/0x730
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad471>] __lock_acquire+0x10c1/0x1220
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad9d0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff819e3017>] _raw_spin_lock_irqsave+0x37/0x50
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8108cc1b>] wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81081a88>] kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81081bb4>] kthread_create_on_node+0x34/0x40
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81085825>] __smpboot_create_thread.part.3+0x65/0xf0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81085950>] smpboot_register_perq_thread_qmask+0xa0/0x100
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81f9e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81f8516c>] kernel_init_freeable+0x13e/0x27e
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff819dbb19>] kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff819e3987>] ret_from_fork+0x27/0x40
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] other info that might help us debug this:
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] Possible unsafe locking scenario:
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000]         cpu0             cpu1
[ 0.032000]         ----             ----
[ 0.032000] lock(&rq->lock);

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[ 0.032000] lock(&p->pi_lock);
[ 0.032000] lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.032000] lock(&p->pi_lock);
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] *** DEADLOCK ***
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] 3 locks held by swapper/0/1:
[ 0.032000] #0: (cpu_hotplug.dep_map){+..+}, at: [<fffff8105dd0f>] get_online_qs+0x1f/0x70
[ 0.032000] #1: (smpboot_threads_lock){+..+}, at: [<fffff810858e3>] smpboot_register...qmask+0x33/0x100
[ 0.032000] #2: (&rq->lock){-.....}, at: [<fffff8108cc10>] wake_up_process+0x30/0x70
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] stack backtrace:
[ 0.032000] q: 0 PID: 1 Comm: swapper/0 Not tainted 4.9.0+ #16
[ 0.032000] Hardware name: QEMU Standard PC (i440FX + PIIX, 1996), BIOS Bochs 01/01/2011
[ 0.032000] ffff90000d39b8 ffff801138ab5e ffff8001e370870 ffff801e37a8a0
[ 0.032000] ffff90000d39f8 ffff8011506fa ffff90000d3a20 ffff8001e370870
[ 0.032000] ffff8001e3708a0 ffff8001e370000 a579d3845e226952 ffff801810a8dd0
[ 0.032000] Call Trace:
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8138ab5e>] dump_stack+0x67/0x99
[ 0.032000] [<fffff811506fa>] print_circular_bug+0x2f0/0x2fe
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810a8dd0>] ? graph_unlock+0x80/0x80
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810ab4f3>] check_prev_add+0x723/0x730
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad471>] __lock_acquire+0x10c1/0x1220
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810a8dd0>] ? graph_unlock+0x80/0x80
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad9d0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8108cc1b>] ? wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81085570>] ? sort_range+0x20/0x20
[ 0.032000] [<fffff819e3017>] _raw_spin_lock_irqsave+0x37/0x50
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8108cc1b>] ? wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8108cc1b>] wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81081a88>] kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810aa6b0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810aa6b0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81081bb4>] kthread_create_on_node+0x34/0x40
[ 0.032000] [<fffff811ac760>] ? kmem_cache_alloc_node_trace+0x1c0/0x230
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81085825>] __smpboot_create_thread.part.3+0x65/0xf0
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81085950>] smpboot_register_perq_thread_qmask+0xa0/0x100
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81f9e1ac>] ? trace_event_define_fields_irq_handler_exit+0x6a/0x6a
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81f9e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81020e3>] ? print_q_info+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81f8516c>] kernel_init_freeable+0x13e/0x27e
[ 0.032000] [<fffff819dbb19>] ? kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.032000] [<fffff819dbb10>] ? rest_init+0x130/0x130
[ 0.032000] [<fffff819dbb19>] kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.032000] [<fffff819e3987>] ret_from_fork+0x27/0x40

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# Report Example 2



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[ 0.032000] lock(&p->pi_lock);
[ 0.032000] lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.032000] lock(&p->pi_lock);
[ 0.032000] *** DEADLOCK ***
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] 3 locks held by swapper/0/1:
[ 0.032000] #0: (cpu_hotplug_dep_map){+..+., at: [<fffff8105dd0f>] get_online_qs+0x1f/0x70
[ 0.032000] #1: (smptboot_threads_lock){+..+., at: [<fffff810858e3>] smptboot_register...qmask+0x33/0x100
[ 0.032000] #2: (&rq->lock){-....., at: [<fffff8108cc10>] wake_up_process+0x30/0x70
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] stack traceback:
[ 0.032000] q: 0 PID: 1 Comm: swapper/0 Not tainted 4.9.0+ #16
[ 0.032000] Hardware name: QEMU Standard PC (440FX + PIIX, 1996), BIOS Bochs 01/01/2011
[ 0.032000] ffff90000d39b8 ffffff8138ab5e ffff8001e370870 ffffff81085827a8a0
[ 0.032000] ffff90000d39f8 ffffff811506fa ffff90000d3a20 ffff8001e370870
[ 0.032000] ffff8001e3708a0 ffff8001e370000 a579d3845e226952 ffffff810a8dd0
[ 0.032000] Call Trace:
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8138ab5e>] dump_stack+0x67/0x99
[ 0.032000] [<fffff811506fa>] print_circular_bug+0x2f0/0x2fe
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810a8dd0>] ? graph_unlock+0x80/0x80
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810ab4fd>] check_prev_add+0x723/0x730
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad471>] __lock_acquire+0x10c1/0x1220
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810a8dd0>] ? graph_unlock+0x80/0x80
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad9d0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8108cc1b>] ? wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81085570>] ? sort_range+0x20/0x20
[ 0.032000] [<fffff819e3017>] _raw_spin_lock_irqsave+0x37/0x50
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8108cc1b>] ? wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8108cc1b>] wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81081a88>] __kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810aa6b0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810aa6b0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81081bb4>] kthread_create_on_node+0x34/0x40
[ 0.032000] [<fffff811ac760>] ? kmem_cache_alloc_node_trace+0x1c0/0x230
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81085825>] ? smptboot_create_thread.part.3+0x65/0xf0
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81085950>] smptboot_register_perq_thread_qmask+0xa0/0x100
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81f9e1ac>] ? trace_event_define_fields_irq_handler_exit+0x6a/0x6a
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81f9e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8102e0e3>] ? print_q_info+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81f8516c>] kernel_init_freeable+0x13e/0x27e
[ 0.032000] [<fffff819dabb19>] ? kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.032000] [<fffff819dabb10>] ? rest_init+0x130/0x130
[ 0.032000] [<fffff819dabb19>] kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.032000] [<fffff819e3987>] ret_from_fork+0x27/0x40
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swapper/0/1 is trying to acquire lock:

(&p->pi\_lock){.....}, at: [<ffffffff8108cc1b>] wake\_up\_process+0x3b/0x70

but task is already holding lock:

(&rq->lock){-.....}, at: [<ffffffff8108cc10>] wake\_up\_process+0x30/0x70

which lock already depends on the new lock.

the existing dependency chain (in reverse order) is:

-> #1 (&rq->lock){-.....};

[<ffffffff8109ba57>] task\_fork\_fair+0x27/0xf0 (CALL STACK)

-> #0 (&p->pi\_lock){.....};

[<ffffffff8108cc1b>] wake\_up\_process+0x3b/0x70 (CALL STACK)

cpu0	cpu1
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lock(&rq->lock);	
	lock(&p->pi_lock);
	lock(&rq->lock);
lock(&p->pi_lock);	

# Report Example 2



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[ 0.031237] =====
[ 0.031946] [INFO: possible circular locking dependency detected]
[ 0.032000] 4.9.0+ #16 Not tainted
[ 0.032000] -----
[ 0.032000] swapper/0/1 is trying to acquire lock:
[ 0.032000] (&p->pi_lock){.....}, at: [<fffff8108cc1b>] wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] but task is already holding lock:
[ 0.032000] (&rq->lock){-.....}, at: [<fffff8108cc10>] wake_up_process+0x30/0x70
[ 0.032000] which lock already depends on the new lock.
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] the existing dependency chain (in reverse order) is:
[ 0.032000]
-> #1 (&rq->lock){-.....}:
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad471>] __lock_acquire+0x10c1/0x1220
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad9d0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8109e2e9c>] _raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8109ba57>] task_fork_fair+0x27/0xf0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8108d9fd>] sched_fork+0x24d/0x3d0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8105ad02>] copy_process.part.47+0x622/0x1e10
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8105c6d2>] _do_fork+0xe2/0x6e0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8105ccf4>] kernel_thread+0x24/0x30
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8109db9fe>] rest_init+0x1e/0x130
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8105021>] start_kernel+0x42b/0x438
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810f8458c>] x86_64_start_reservations+0x2a/0x2c
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810f84678>] x86_64_start_kernel+0xea/0xed
[ 0.032000]
-> #0 (&p->pi_lock){.....}:
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810ab4f3>] check_prev_add+0x723/0x730
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad471>] __lock_acquire+0x10c1/0x1220
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad9d0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8109e3017>] _raw_spin_lock_irqsave+0x37/0x50
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8108cc1b>] wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81081a88>] kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81081bb4>] kthread_create_on_node+0x34/0x40
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81085825>] __smpboot_create_thread.part.3+0x65/0xf0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81085950>] smpboot_register_perq_thread_qmask+0xa0/0x100
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8109e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff810f8516c>] kernel_init_freeable+0x13e/0x27e
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8109dbb19>] kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<fffff8109e3987>] ret_from_fork+0x27/0x40
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] other info that might help us debug this:
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] Possible unsafe locking scenario:
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000]         cpu0             cpu1
[ 0.032000]         ----             ----
[ 0.032000] lock(&rq->lock);

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[ 0.032000] lock(&p->pi_lock);
[ 0.032000] lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.032000] lock(&p->pi_lock);
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] *** DEADLOCK ***
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] 3 locks held by swapper/0/1:
[ 0.032000] #0: (cpu_hotplug.dep_map){+...+}, at: [<fffff8105dd0f>] get_online_qs+0x1f/0x70
[ 0.032000] #1: (smpboot_threads_lock){+...+}, at: [<fffff810858e3>] smpboot_register...qmask+0x33/0x100
[ 0.032000] #2: (&rq->lock){-.....}, at: [<fffff8108cc10>] wake_up_process+0x30/0x70
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] stack backtrace:
[ 0.032000] q: 0 PID: 1 Comm: swapper/0 Not tainted 4.9.0+ #16
[ 0.032000] Hardware name: QEMU Standard PC (i440FX + PIIX, 1996), BIOS Bochs 01/01/2011
[ 0.032000] ffff900000d39b8 ffffff8138ab5e ffff88001e370870 ffffff827a8aa0
[ 0.032000] ffff900000d39f8 ffffff811506fa ffff900000d3a20 ffff88001e370870
[ 0.032000] ffff88001e3708a0 ffff88001e370000 a579d3845e226952 ffffff810a8dd0
[ 0.032000] Call Trace:
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8138ab5e>] dump_stack+0x67/0x99
[ 0.032000] [<fffff811506fa>] print_circular_bug+0x2f0/0x2fe
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810a8dd0>] ? graph_unlock+0x80/0x80
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810ab4f3>] check_prev_add+0x723/0x730
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad471>] __lock_acquire+0x10c1/0x1220
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810a8dd0>] ? graph_unlock+0x80/0x80
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810ad9d0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8108cc1b>] ? wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81085570>] ? sort_range+0x20/0x20
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8109e3017>] _raw_spin_lock_irqsave+0x37/0x50
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8108cc1b>] ? wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8108cc1b>] wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81081a88>] kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810aa6b0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810aa6b0>] ? check_usage_backwards+0x70/0x120
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81081bb4>] kthread_create_on_node+0x34/0x40
[ 0.032000] [<fffff811ac760>] ? kmem_cache_alloc_node_trace+0x1c0/0x230
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81085825>] __smpboot_create_thread.part.3+0x65/0xf0
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81085950>] smpboot_register_perq_thread_qmask+0xa0/0x100
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8109e1ac>] ? trace_event_define_fields_irq_handler_exit+0x6a/0x6a
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8109e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<fffff81020e3>] ? print_q_info+0x83/0xf0
[ 0.032000] [<fffff810f8516c>] kernel_init_freeable+0x13e/0x27e
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8109dbb19>] ? kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8109dbb10>] ? rest_init+0x130/0x130
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8109dbb19>] kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.032000] [<fffff8109e3987>] ret_from_fork+0x27/0x40

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# Report Example 2



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[ 0.031237] =====
[ 0.031946] [ INFO: possible circular locking dependency detected ]
[ 0.032000] 4.9.0+ #16 Not tainted
[ 0.032000] -----
[ 0.032000] swapper/0/1 is trying to acquire lock:
[ 0.032000] (&p->pi_lock){.....}, at: [<ffffffff8108cc1b>] wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] but task is already holding lock:
[ 0.032000] (&rq->lock){-.....}, at: [<ffffffff8108cc10>] wake_up_process+0x30/0x70
[ 0.032000] which lock already depends on the new lock.
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] the existing dependency chain (in reverse order) is:
[ 0.032000]
-> #1 (&rq->lock){-.....}:
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff810ad471>] __lock_acquire+0x10c1/0x1220
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff810ad9d0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff819e2e9c>] _raw_spin_lock+0x2c/0x40
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff8109ba57>] task_fork_fair+0x27/0xf0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff8108d9fd>] sched_fork+0x24d/0x3d0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff8105ad02>] copy_process.part.47+0x622/0x1e10
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff8105c6d2>] _do_fork+0xe2/0x6e0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff8105ccf4>] kernel_thread+0x24/0x30
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff819db9fe>] rest_init+0x1e/0x130
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81f85021>] start_kernel+0x42b/0x438

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[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81f84678>] x86_64_start_kernel+0xea/0xed
[ 0.032000]
-> #0 (&p->pi_lock){.....}:
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff810ab4f3>] check_prev_add+0x723/0x730
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff810ad471>] __lock_acquire+0x10c1/0x1220
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff810ad9d0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff819e3017>] _raw_spin_lock_irqsave+0x37/0x50
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff8108cc1b>] wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81081a88>] __kthread_create_on_node+0x128/0x220
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81081bb4>] kthread_create_on_node+0x34/0x40
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81082449>] kthread_create_on_q+0x29/0x70
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81085825>] __smpboot_create_thread.part.3...
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81085950>] smpboot_register_perq_thread_qmask...
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81f9e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81f8516c>] kernel_init_freeable+0x13e/0x27e
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff819dbb19>] kernel_init+0x9/0x100
[ 0.032000] [ 0.032000] [<ffffffff819e3987>] ret_from_fork+0x27/0x40
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] other info that might help us debug this:
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] Possible unsafe locking scenario:
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000]      cpu0      cpu1

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[ 0.032000]      cpu0          cpu1
[ 0.032000]      ----          ----
[ 0.032000] lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.032000]                lock(&p->pi_lock);
[ 0.032000]                lock(&rq->lock);
[ 0.032000] lock(&p->pi_lock);
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] *** DEADLOCK ***
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] 3 locks held by swapper/0/1:
[ 0.032000] #0: (cpu_hotplug.dep_map){.+.+.}, at: [<ffffffff8105dd0f>] get_online_qs...
[ 0.032000] #1: (smpboot_threads_lock){+.+.}, at: [<ffffffff810858e3>] smpboot_register...
[ 0.032000] #2: (&rq->lock){-.....}, at: [<ffffffff8108cc10>] wake_up_process+0x30/0x70
[ 0.032000]
[ 0.032000] stack backtrace:
[ 0.032000] q: 0 PID: 1 Comm: swapper/0 Not tainted 4.9.0+ #16
[ 0.032000] Hardware name: QEMU Standard PC (i440FX + PIIX, 1996), BIOS Bochs...
[ 0.032000] ffffc900000d39b8 ffffffff8138ab5e ffff88001e370870 ffffffff827a8aa0
[ 0.032000] ffffc900000d39f8 ffffffff811506fa ffffc900000d3a20 ffff88001e370870
[ 0.032000] ffff88001e3708a0 ffff88001e370000 a579d3845e226952 ffffffff810a8dd0
[ 0.032000] Call Trace:
[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff8138ab5e>] dump_stack+0x67/0x99
[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff811506fa>] print_circular_bug+0x2f0/0x2fe
[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff810a8dd0>] ? graph_unlock+0x80/0x80
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[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff810ad471>] __lock_acquire+0x10c1/0x1220
[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff810a8dd0>] ? graph_unlock+0x80/0x80
[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff810ad9d0>] lock_acquire+0xb0/0x1d0
[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff8108cc1b>] ? wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81085570>] ? sort_range+0x20/0x20
[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff819e3017>] _raw_spin_lock_irqsave+0x37/0x50
[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff8108cc1b>] ? wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff8108cc1b>] wake_up_process+0x3b/0x70
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[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81f9e1e2>] spawn_ksoftirqd+0x36/0x40
[ 0.032000] [<ffffffff81000408>] do_one_initcall+0x38/0x150
```



# Appendix

Typical locks

e.g. spin lock, mutex

# What Lockdep Covers

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No more dependencies?

**Enough ?**

More dependencies exist!

**Not Enough !**



Not only locks but any waiters  
can also cause a deadlock.

## **What We Missed**

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## Thread X

wait for event A

event B

## Thread Y

wait for event B

event A

# Example



## Thread X

wait for event A

event B

## Thread Y

wait for event B

event A

# Example

lock A

lock B (while holding A.)

= A depends on B. ( $A \rightarrow B$ )

# Redefine Dependency

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In case that two waiters for A and B exist, B should be triggered to trigger A.

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### Thread X

mutex\_lock A

...

wait\_for\_event B

...

mutex\_unlock A

### Thread Y

mutex\_lock A

...

mutex\_unlock A

...

event B

# Example

mutex\_lock A

...

wait\_for\_event B

...

mutex\_unlock A

# Dependency ?



mutex\_lock A

...

wait\_for\_event B

...

mutex\_unlock A

# Dependency ?

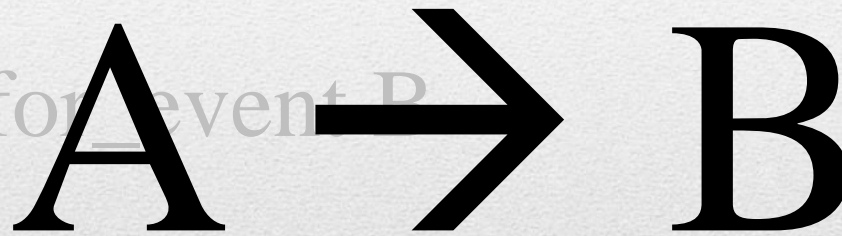
mutex\_lock A

...

wait\_for\_event B

...

mutex\_unlock A



# Dependency !



Global Space



# Dependency Graph

mutex\_lock A

...

mutex\_unlock A

...

event B

# Dependency ?



mutex\_lock A

...

mutex\_unlock A

...

event B

# Dependency ?

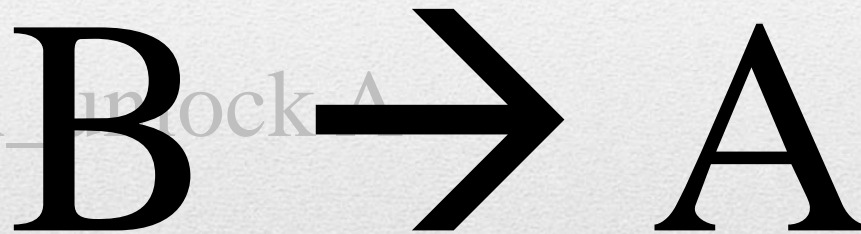
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...

mutex\_lock A

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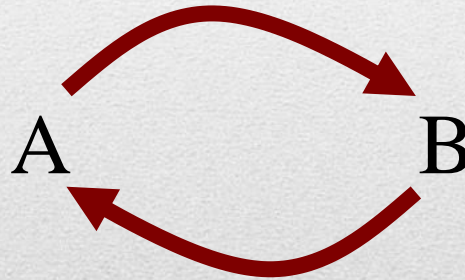
event B



# Dependency !

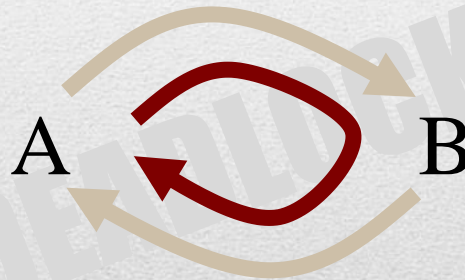


Global Space



# Dependency Graph

Global Space

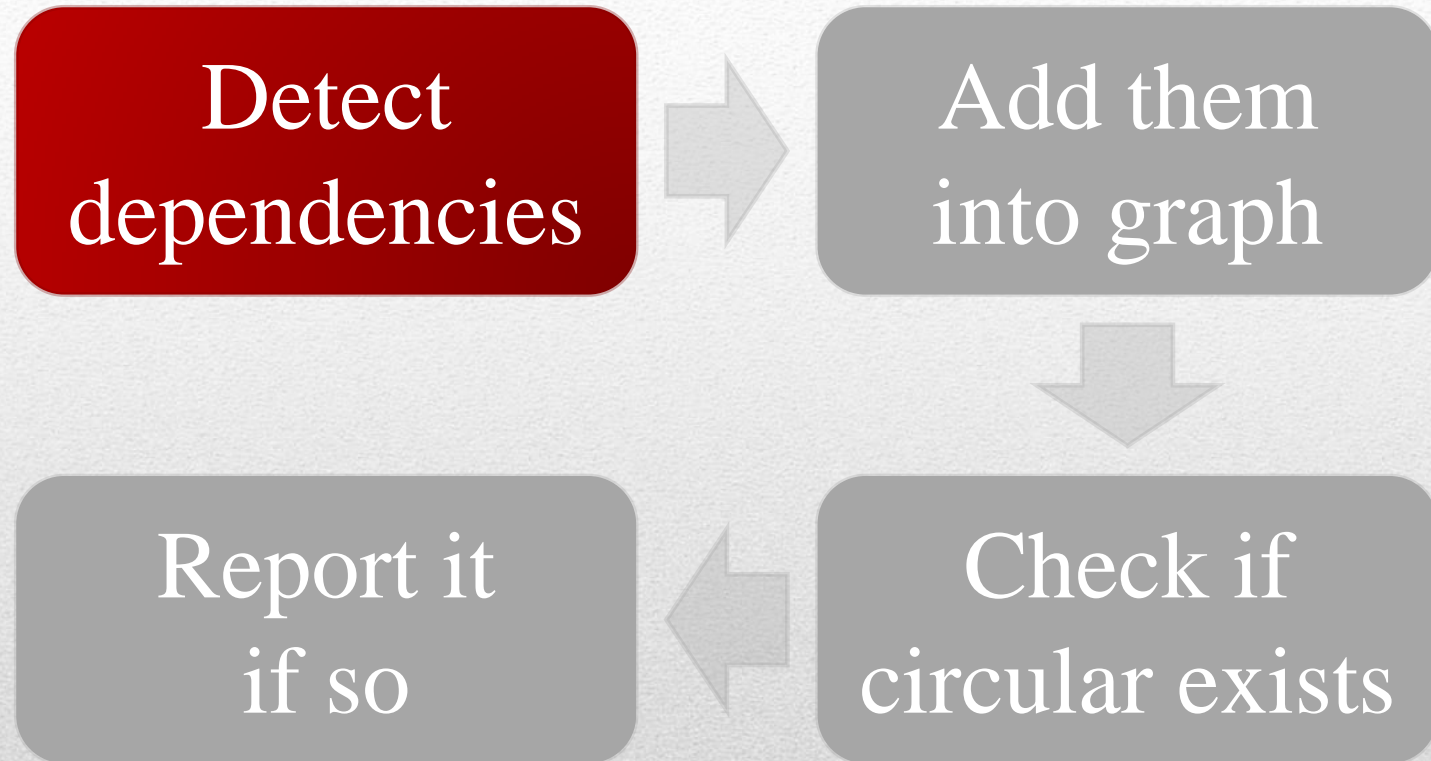


# Circular Dependencies



Why not?

**Generalize Lockdep**



# How Lockdep Works



Detect  
dependencies



Add them  
into graph



Check if  
circular exists



Report it  
if so

Lockdep strongly assumes,  
acquire context = release context

# How Lockdep Works

## Thread X

mutex\_lock A

...

wait\_for\_event B

acquire context

...

mutex\_unlock A

## Thread Y

mutex\_lock A

...

mutex\_unlock A

...

event B

release context

# Example



acquire context = release context



acquire context  $\neq$  release context

# Generalize Lockdep

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acquire context = release context

**Crossrelease** solves the issue!

acquire context  $\neq$  release context

# Solution



**Crossrelease  
Works on**

Detect  
dependencies



Add them  
into graph



Report it  
if so



Check if  
circular exists

# What Crossrelease Does

**Crossrelease  
Works on**

Detect  
dependencies



Add them  
into graph



Check if  
circular exists

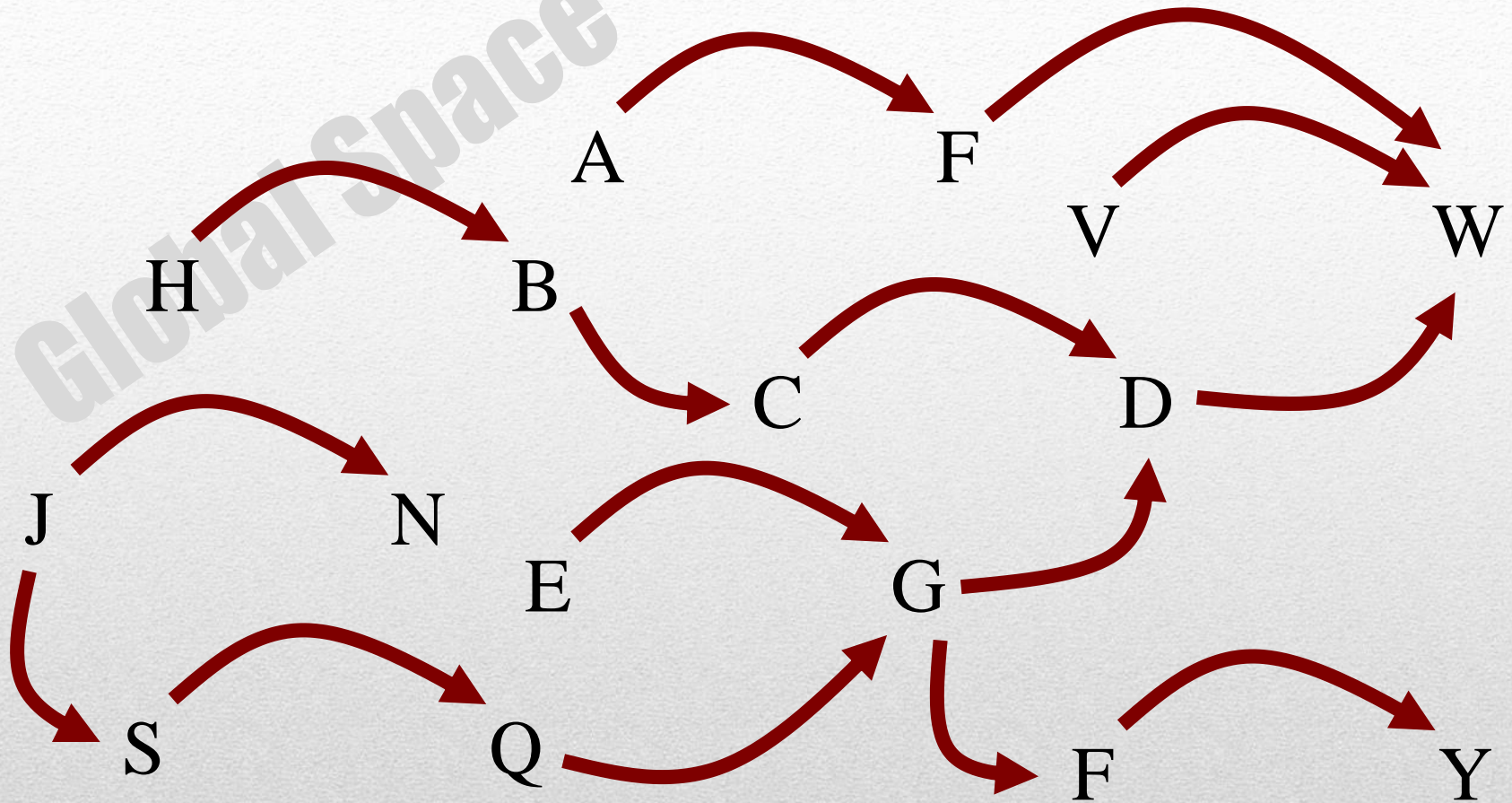


Report it  
if so

Add additional dependencies

# What Crossrelease Does

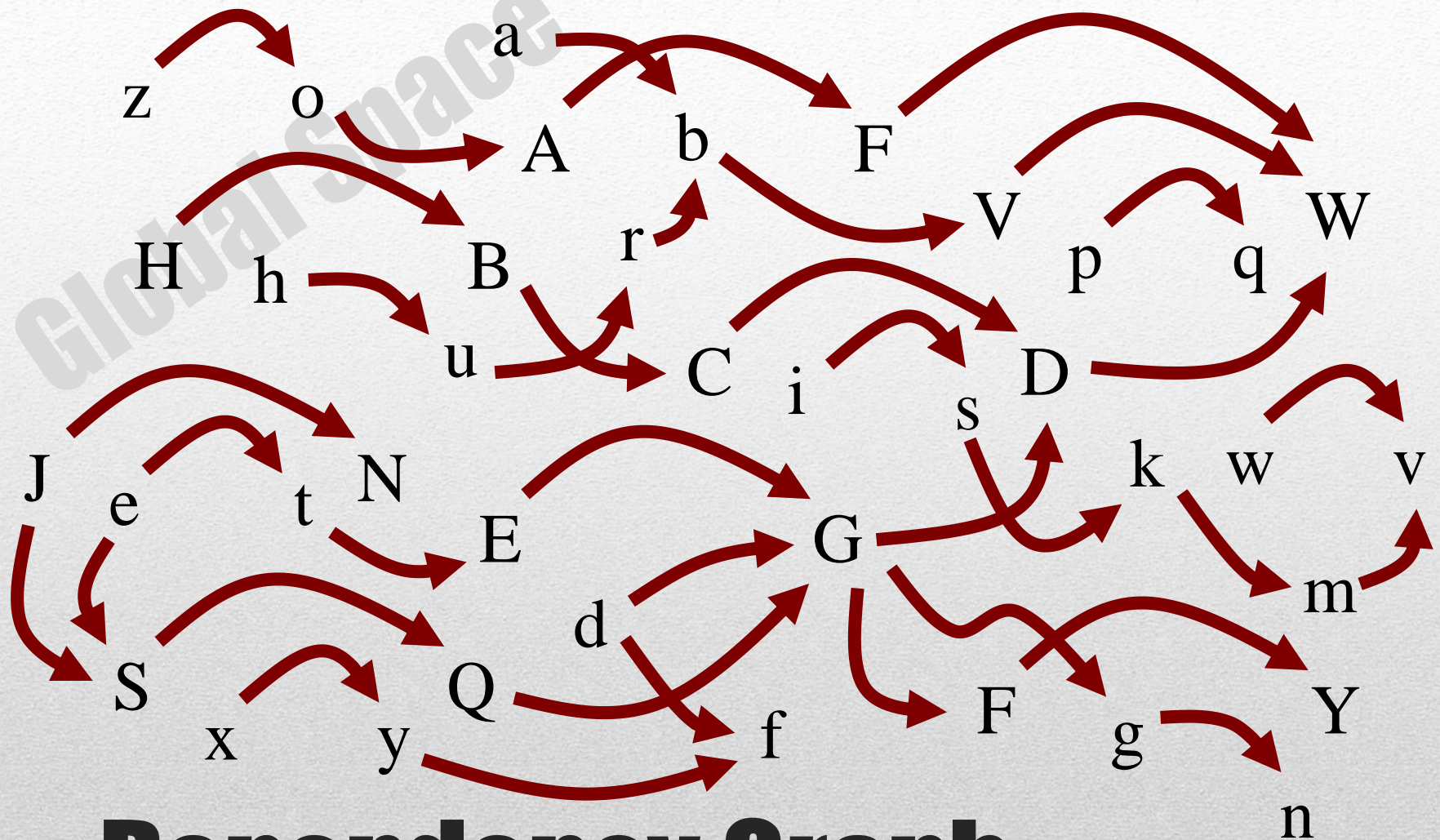




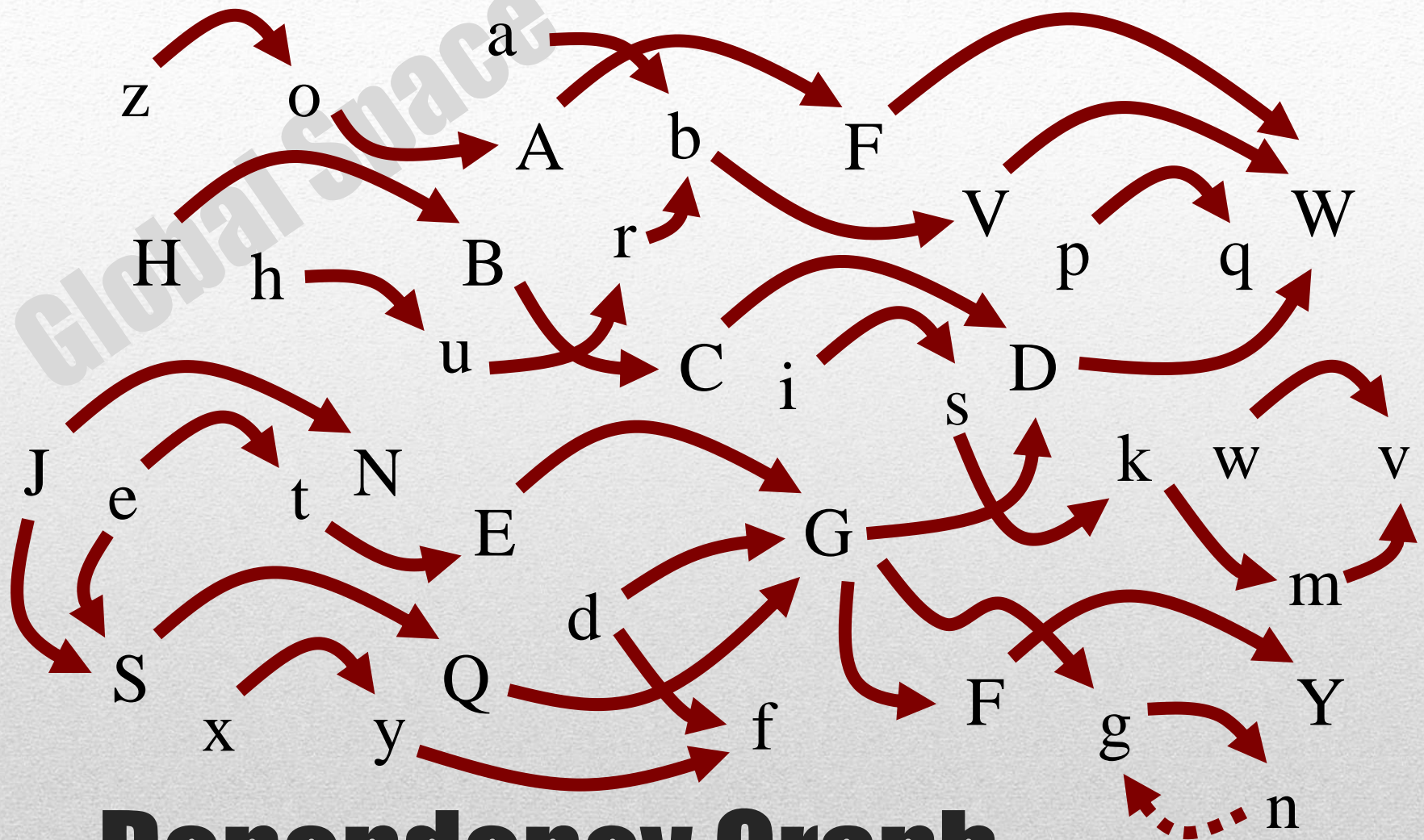
# Dependency Graph







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# Dependency Graph



Crossrelease  
Works on

Detect  
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Add them  
into graph



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Check if  
circular exists

# Original Lockdep Works

Makes Lockep stronger.

# Why Crossrelease

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Works with typical locks

Works with any waiters

Works with page locks

Overhead

Internal implementation

What users should do

Without crossrelease	With crossrelease
Possible	Possible
Impossible	Possible
Impossible	Possible
Small	Large
Simple	Complicated
Nothing	Nothing

# Before / After

# Question