

Computer Science & IT

Database Management System



Transaction & concurrency control

Lecture No. 04



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Recap of Previous Lecture

★ Topic Equivalent schedules

★ Topic Serializable schedules ✓



Topics to be Covered



Topic

RW problem



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WR problem



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WW problem



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Lost update problem



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Classification of schedules



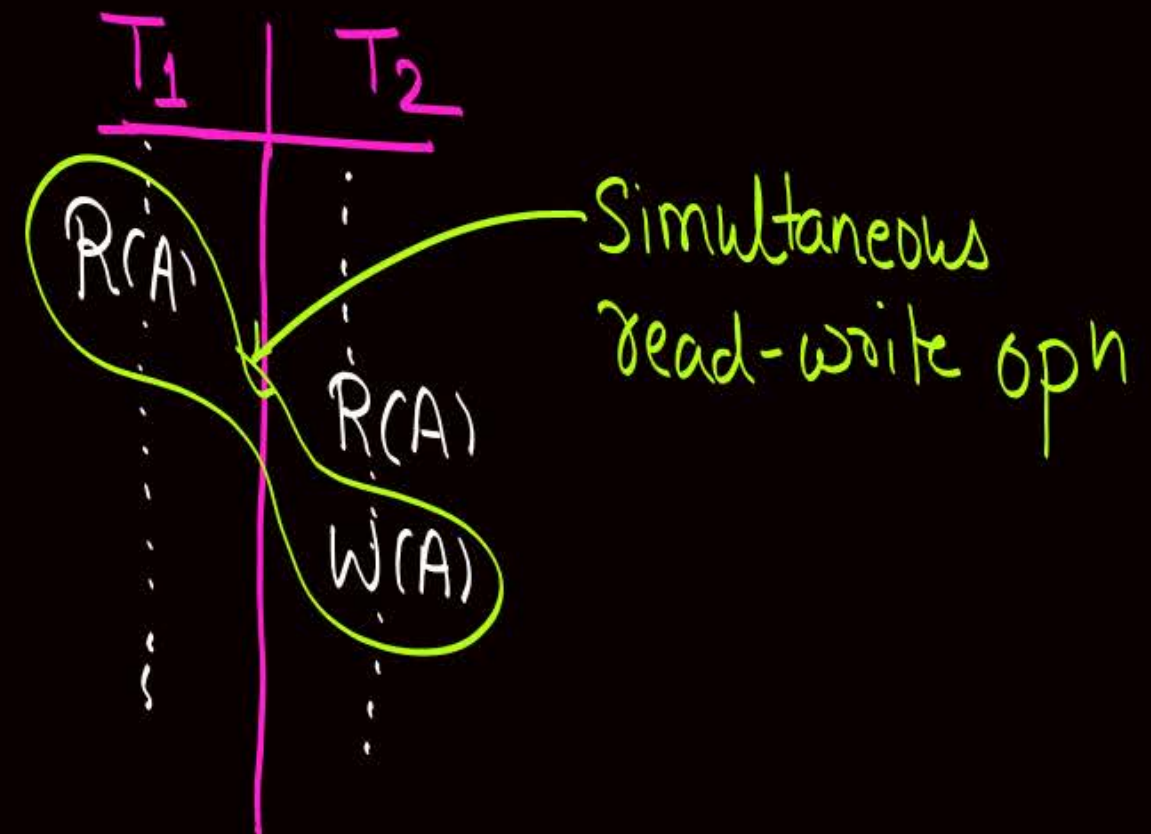
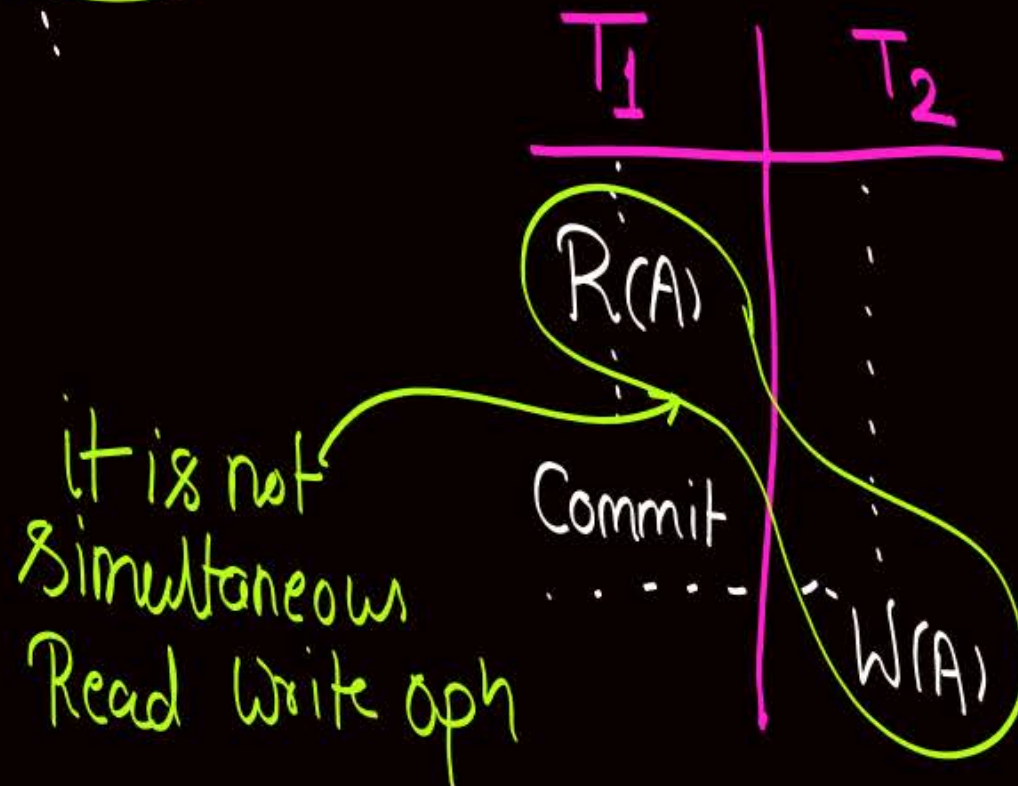
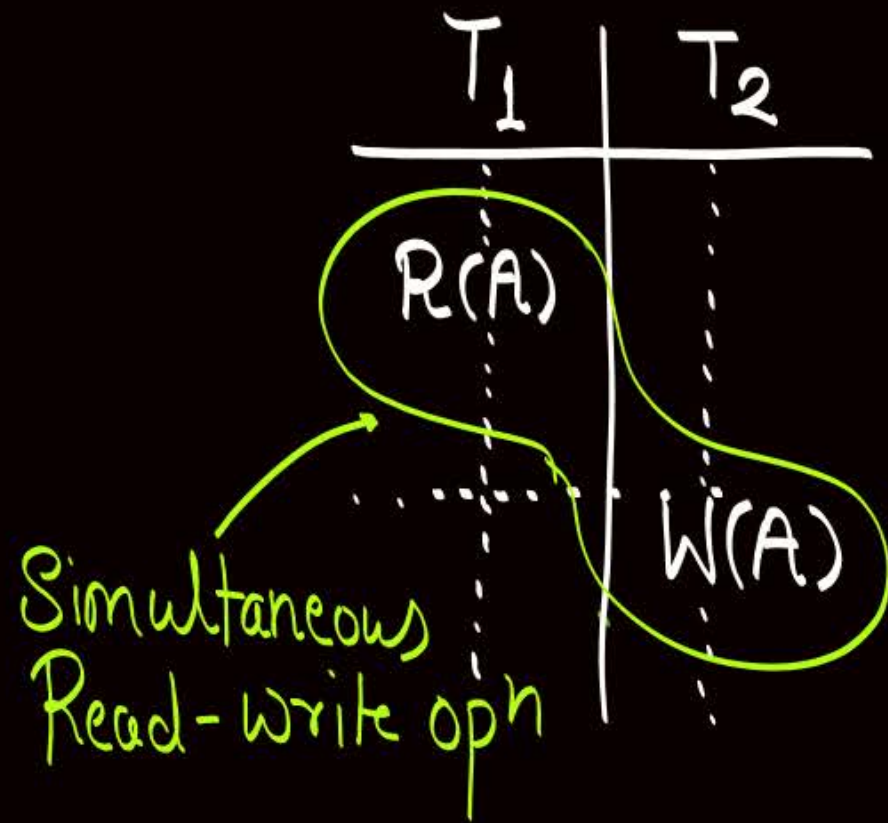


Topic : Problems because of concurrent execution

- ✓ ① RW Problem / Read-Write Problem / Write after Read Problem
Sequence of opⁿ
- ✓ ② WR Problem / Write-Read Problem / Read after Write problem / *Dirty Read Problem*
- ✓ ③ WW Problem / Write-Write Problem / Write-after-Write Problem
- ✓ ④ Lost update problem

RW Problem / Read-Write Problem / Write after Read Problem

If transaction T_2 updates the dataitem 'A' which is already read by an uncommitted transaction T_1 , then that sequence of opn is called simultaneous Read-write opn.



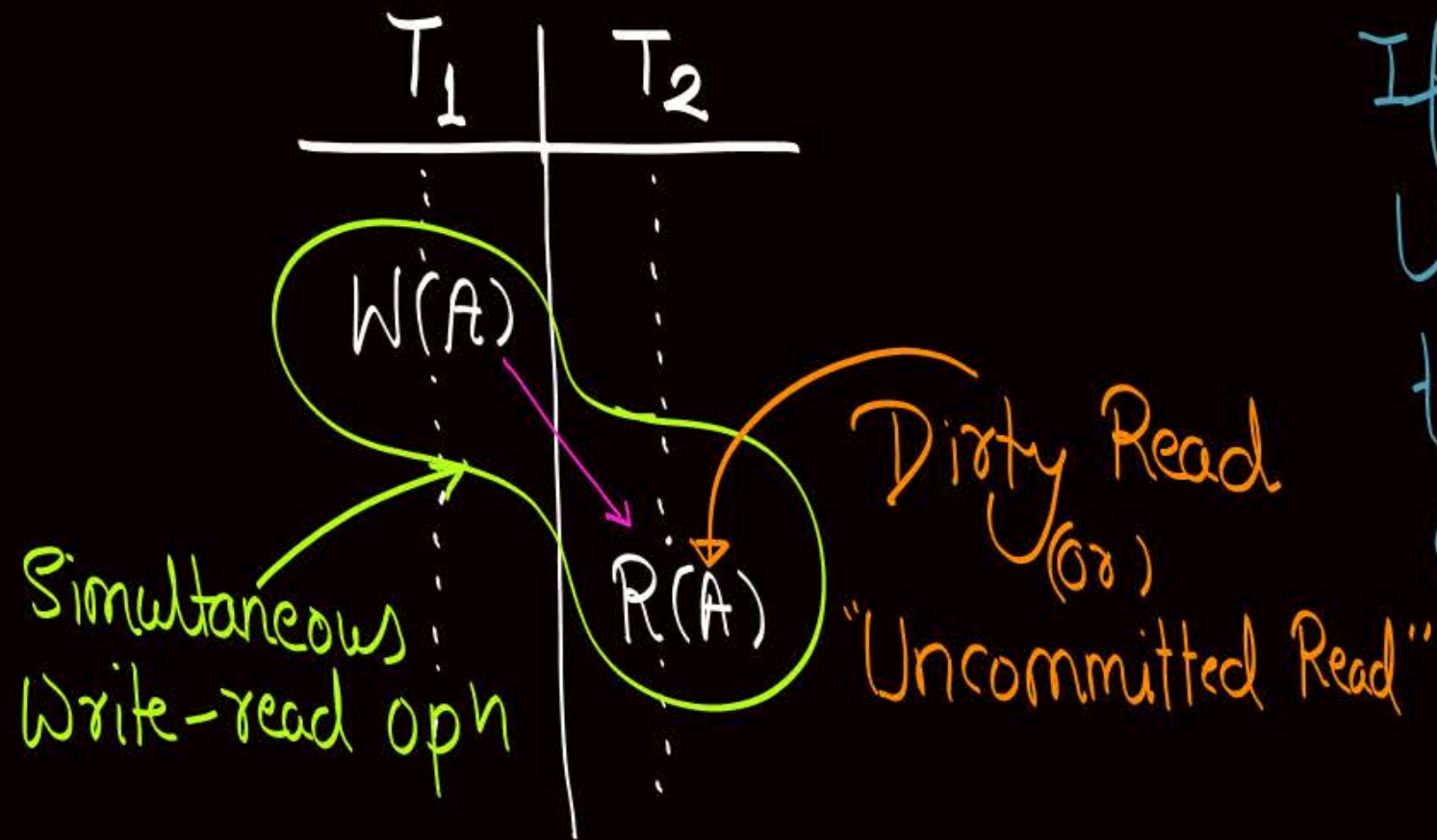


Topic : RW problem

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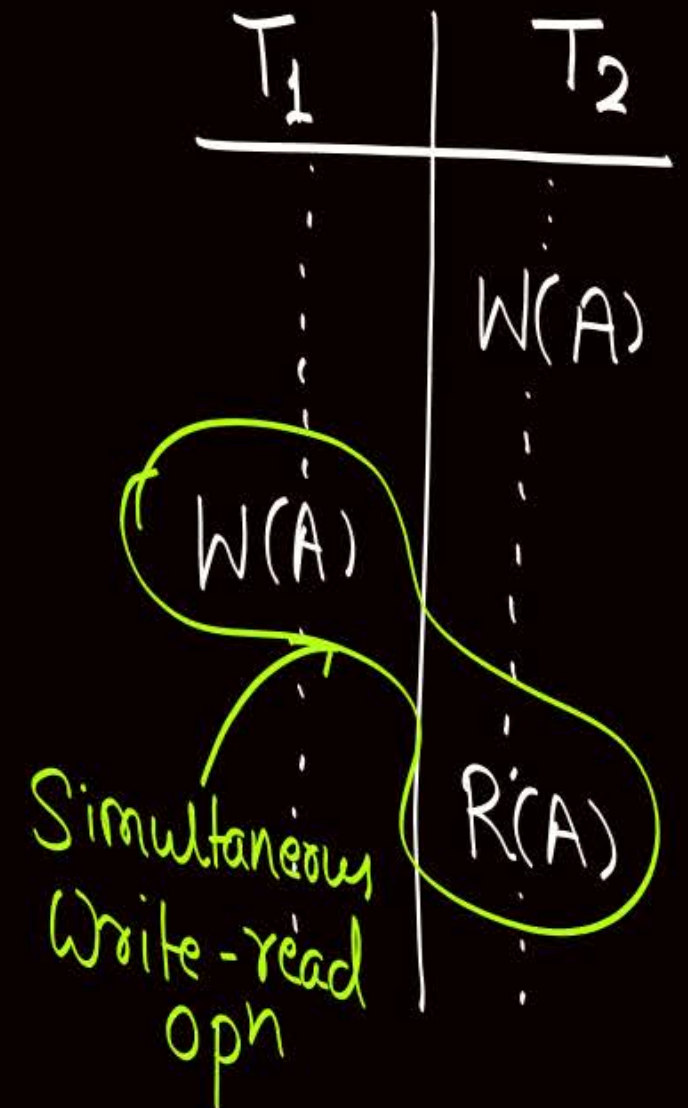
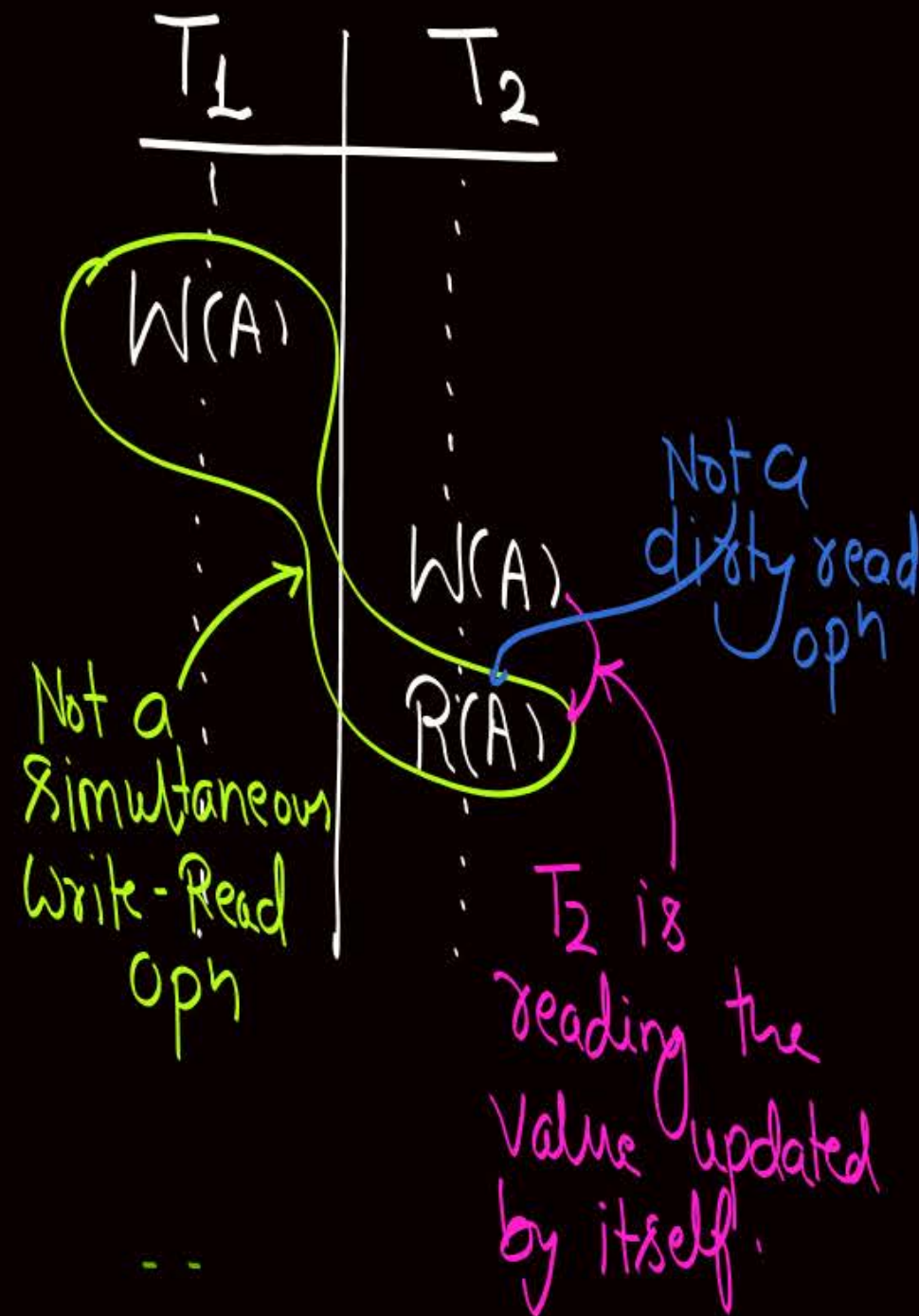
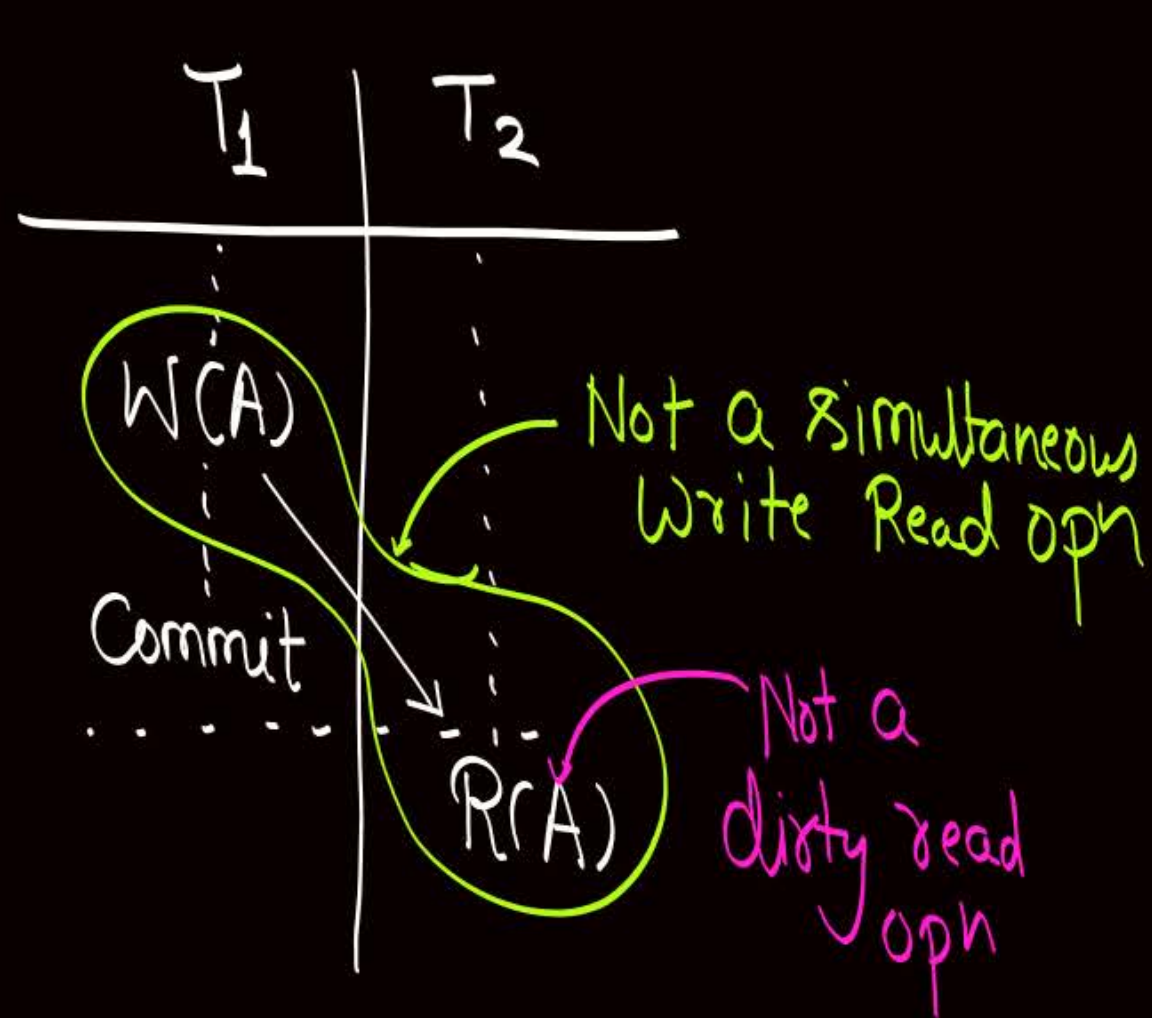
- ① Simultaneous Read-write opⁿ should exist
- and ② Schedule must be a non-serializable schedule

WR Problem / Write-Read Problem / Read after Write Problem (or) Dirty Read Problem



If transaction T_2 reads the value updated by an uncommitted transaction T_1 , then that sequence of operation is called Simultaneous write-read opn and that read opn is called "dirty read" or "uncommitted read".

WR Problem / Write-Read Problem / Read after Write Problem (or) Dirty Read Problem





Topic : WR problem

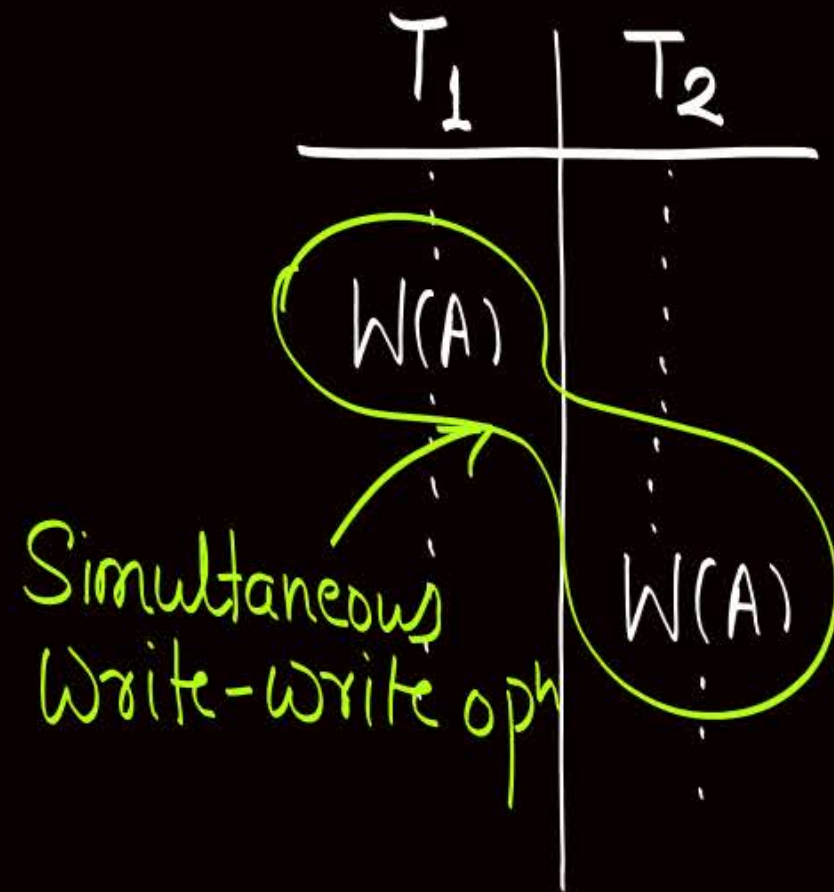
/ Read after Write Problem / Dirty Read Problem



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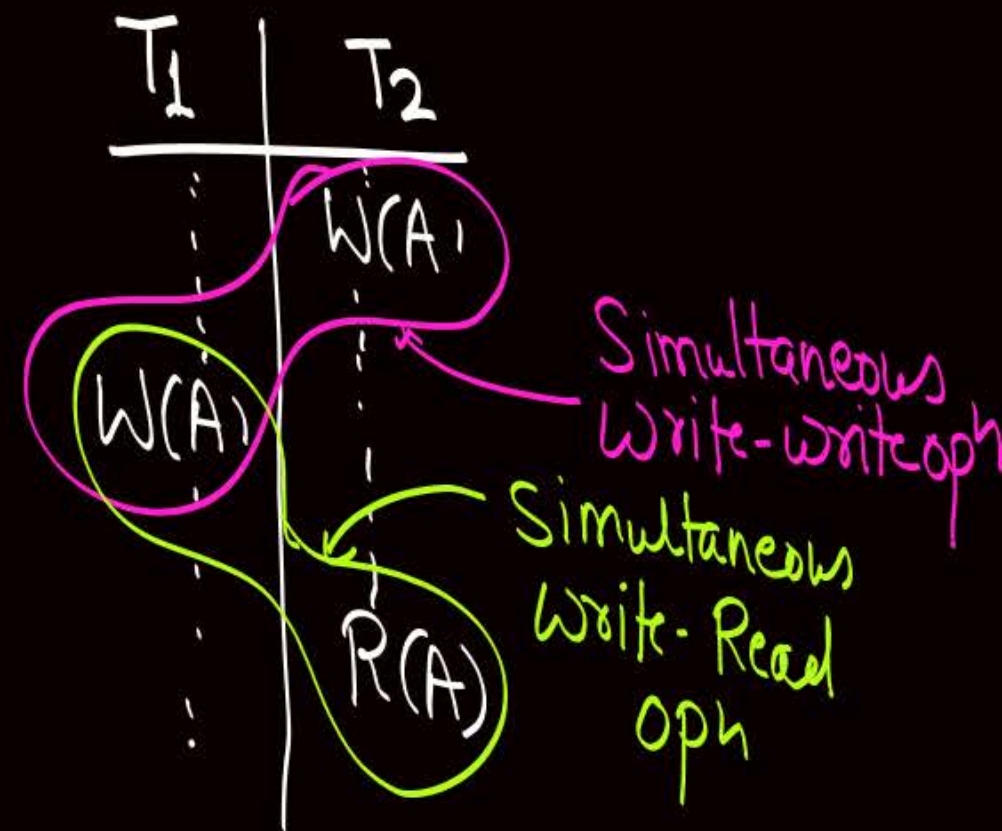
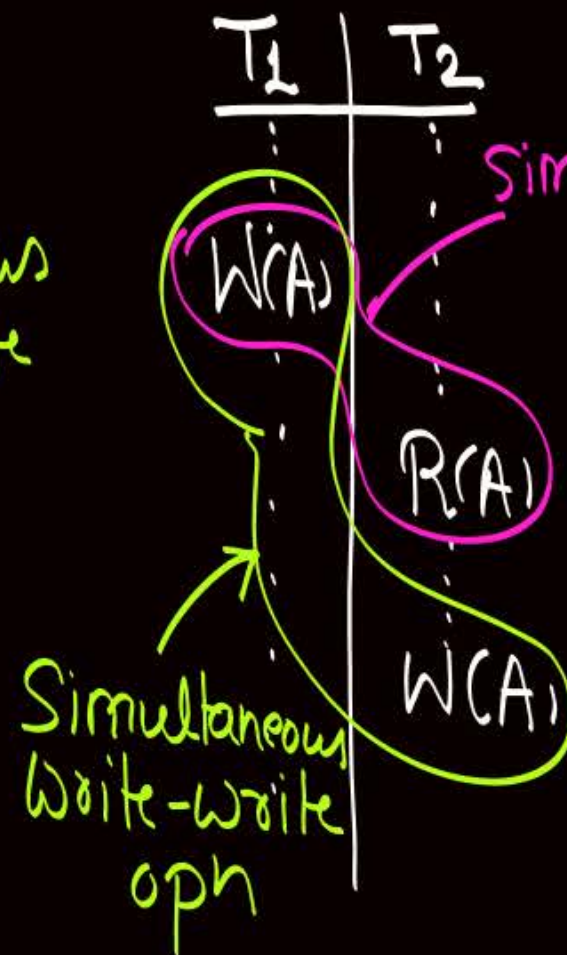
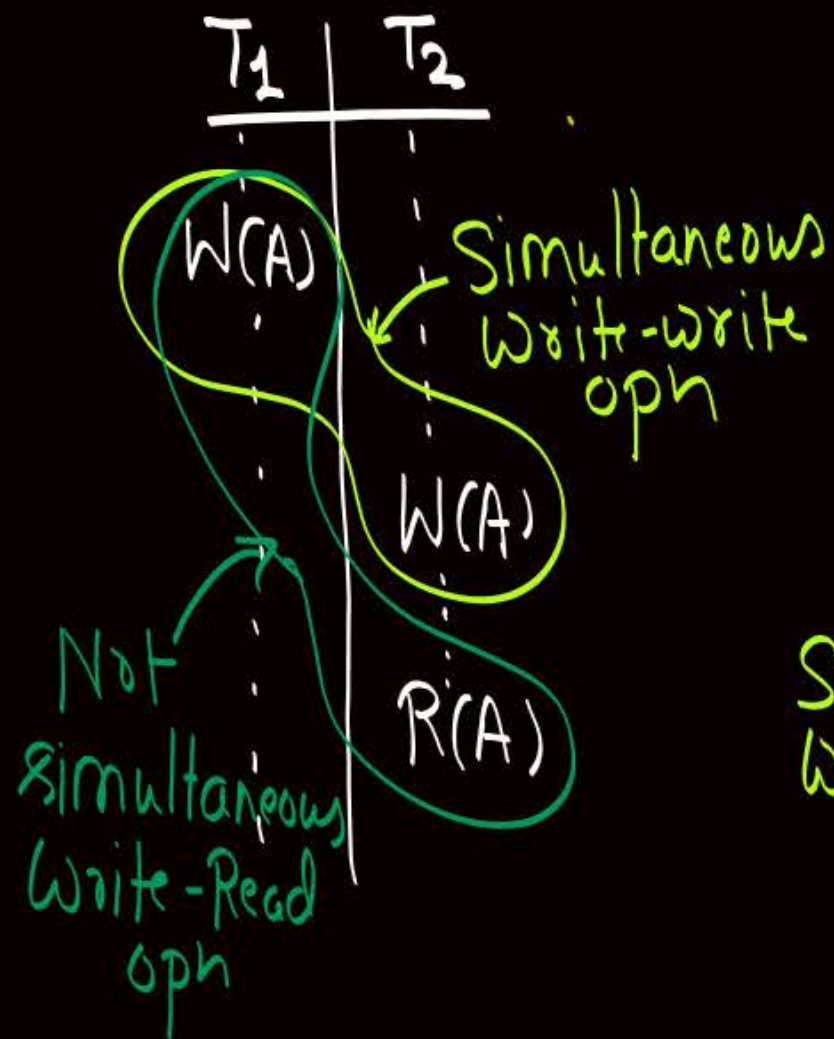
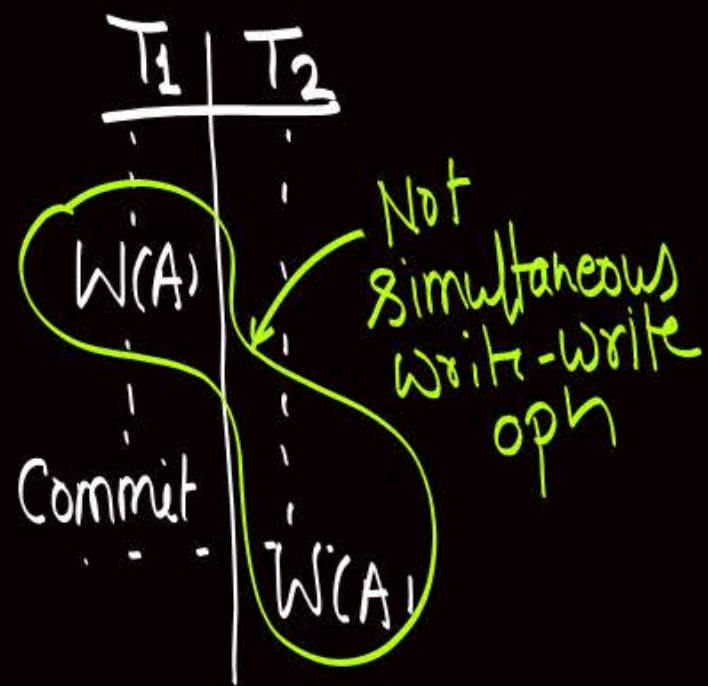
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Topic : WW problem



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 - ✓ ④ Lost update problem
- ← Lost update problem is possible with serializable as well as non-serializable schedules
- These problems are possible only if schedule is non-serializable

Note:-

If schedule is serializable schedule,

then none of RW Problem, WR problem

Or WW problem can exist in the schedule,

but lost update problem is still possible



Topic : Lost update problem

A schedule is said to have lost-update problem if and only if simultaneous Write-Write opⁿ exists in the schedule. { does not matter whether the schedule is serializable or non-serializable }

Lost update problem

Let initially the value of dataitem 'A' in the database is $A = 100$

$S = W_1(A), W_2(A), R_1(B), R_2(C)$

initially $A = 100$

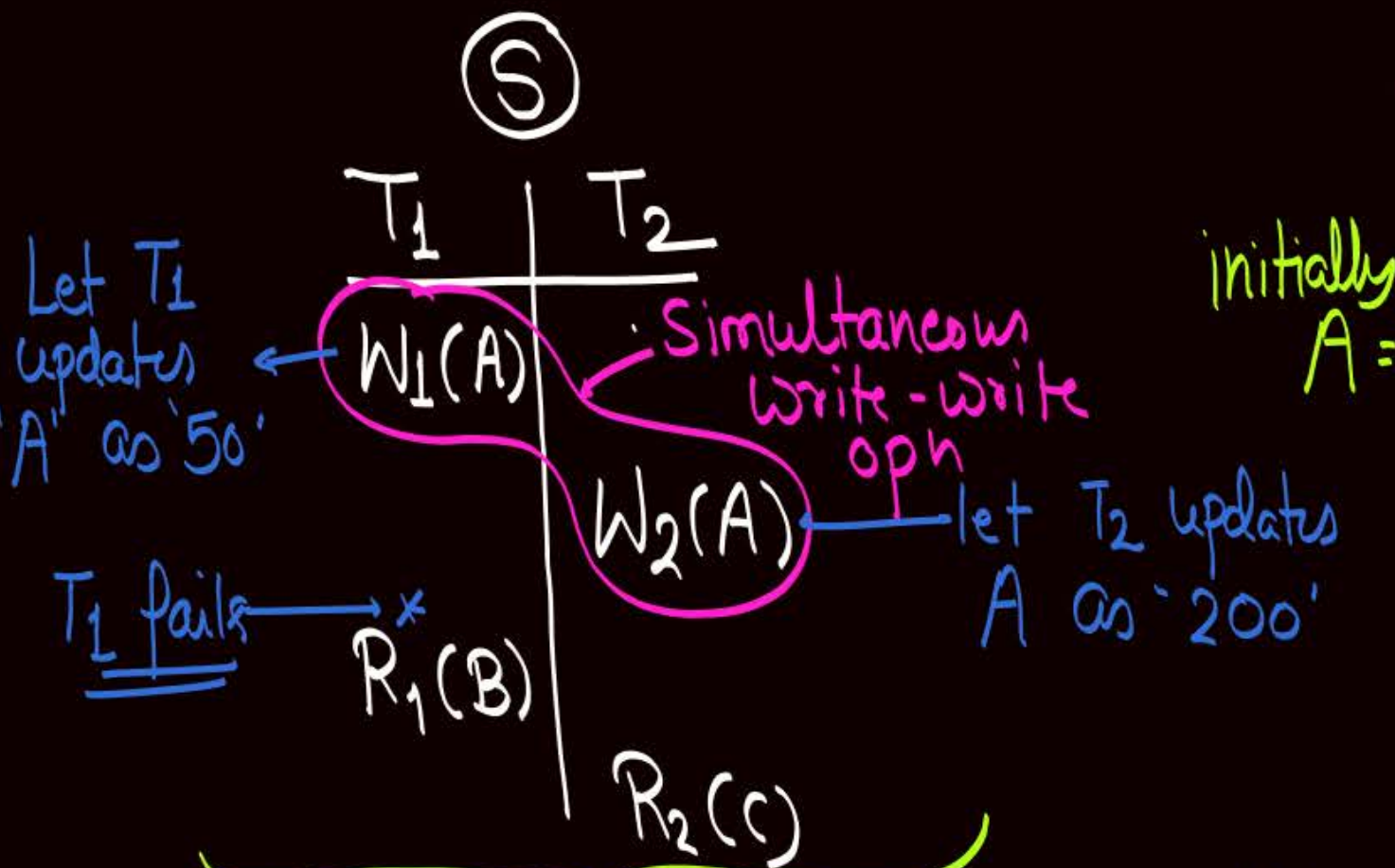
~~50~~ ~~200~~

If T_1 fails then we will roll-back T_1 so we will update the value of dataitem A in the database by 100 wrt

T_2 still thinks that value of 'A' in the database = 200 but it is not i.e., Update of T_2 is lost

Transaction log

Start T_1 .
 $(T_1, A, 100, 50)$
 Start T_2
 $(T_2, A, 50, 200)$
 T_1 fails



Schedule 'S' is a serializable schedule and simultaneous write-write opn exist

Similar problem can exist in a non-serializable schedule as well (eg. Just change $R_1(B)$ by $R_1(A)$)

Schedules with
lost update problem

Schedules
with
WW problem



Topic : Classification of schedule

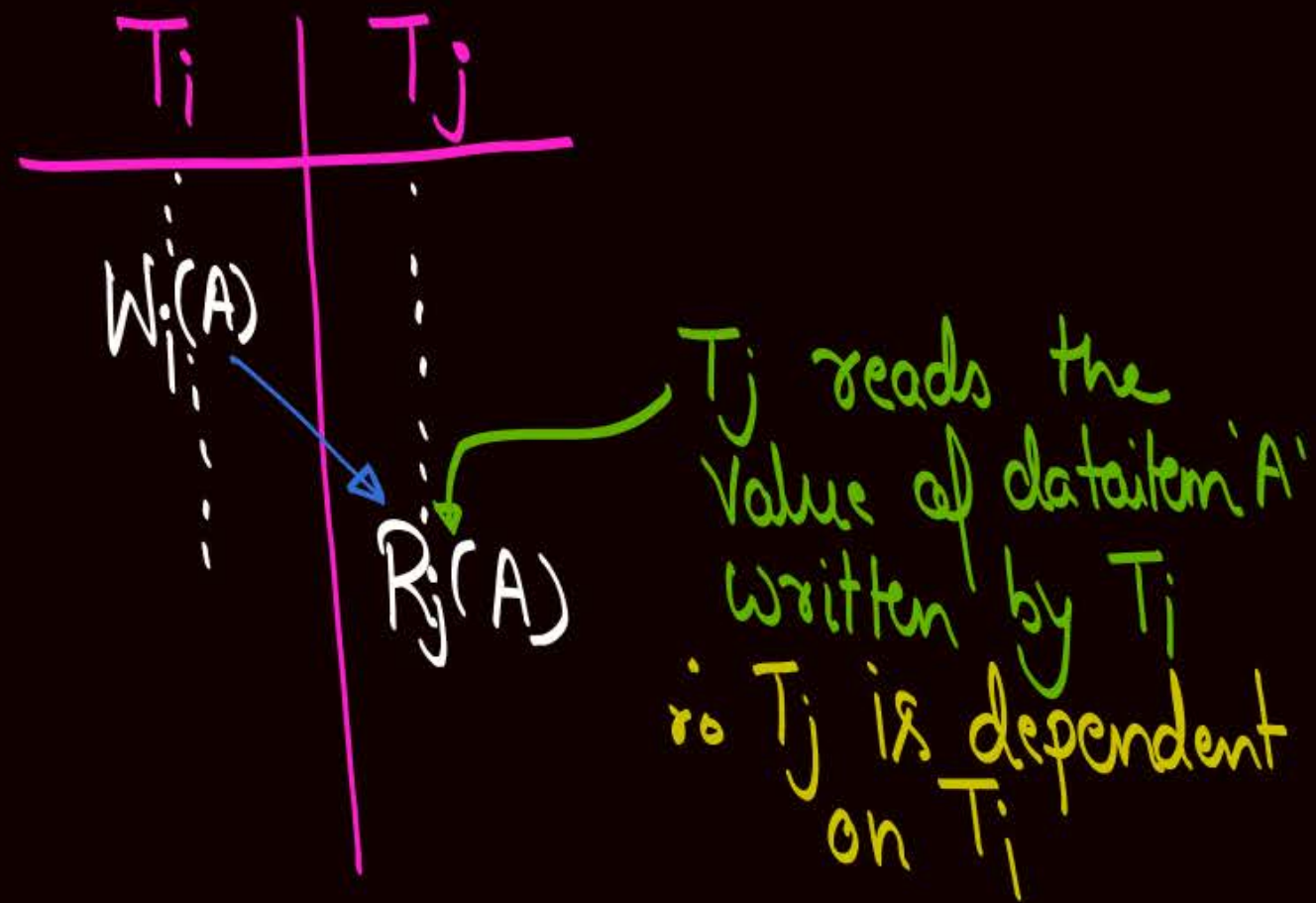
Classification based on
Recoverability

- ① Irrecoverable schedule
- ② Recoverable schedule
- ③ Cascadeless rollback recoverable schedule
- ④ Strict recoverable schedule

Classification based on
Serializability

- ① Conflict serializable schedule
- ② View serializable schedule

Note :- If transaction T_j reads the value written by an uncommitted transaction T_i , then transaction T_j is dependent on transaction T_i .



If transaction T_j is dependent on T_i , and for some reason if we rollback transaction T_i , then we must rollback transaction T_j as well.

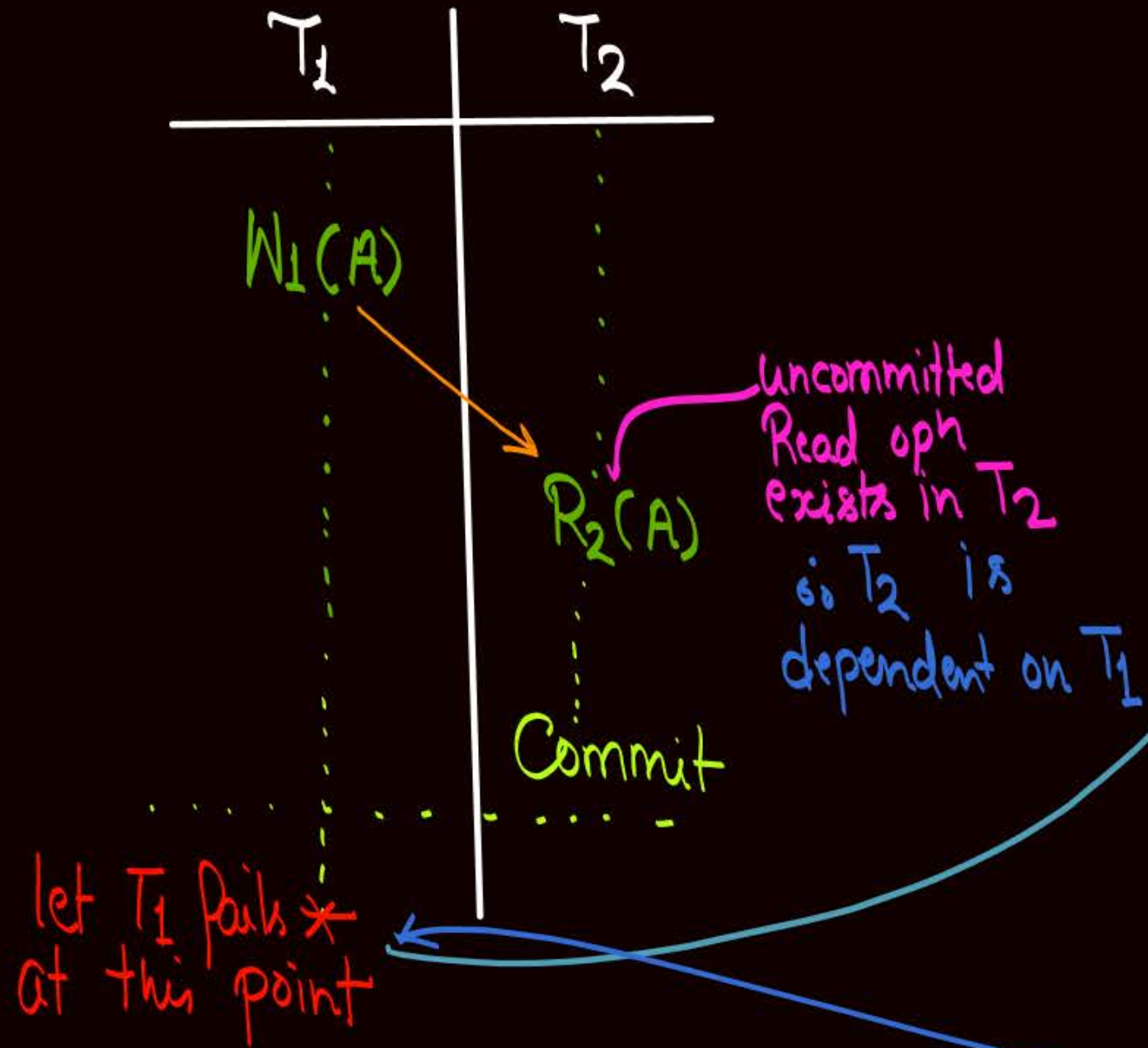
We can rollback the transaction only if it has not executed its commit opⁿ successfully.
We can not rollback a committed transaction.



Topic : Irrecoverable schedule

- It is not possible to rollback a committed transaction
- If there arise a situation when we are required to rollback a committed transaction, then it will not be possible to rollback that transaction. and hence we will not be able to recover from that failure, such schedules are called irrecoverable schedule

Irrecoverable Schedule

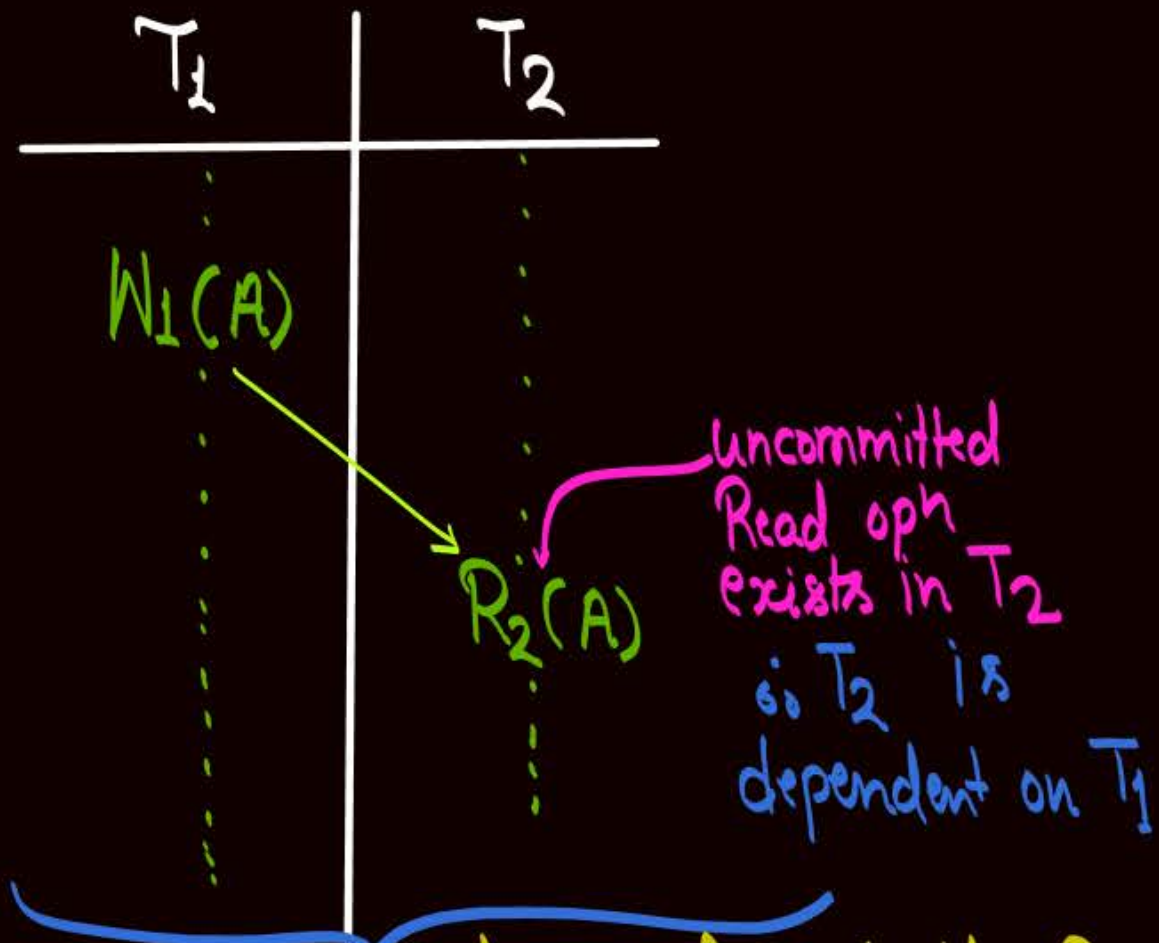


T_1 failed, so we will rollback T_1 .
Because of rollback of T_1 , we need to rollback all the transactions that are dependent on T_1 .
{ in our eg: T_2 is dependent on T_1 ,
so we must rollback T_2 as well }

But T_2 has already executed its commit opn, so we can not rollback T_2 .

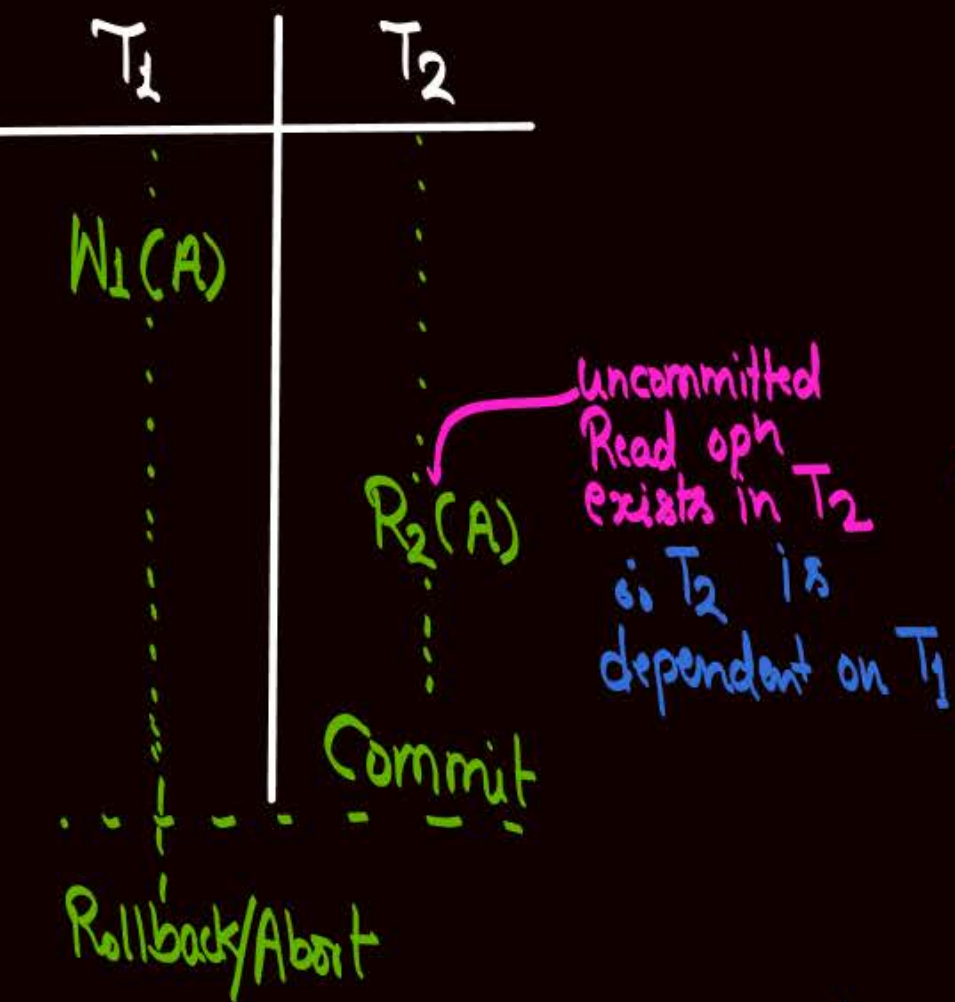
Hence we can not recover from this failure.

Irrecoverable Schedule

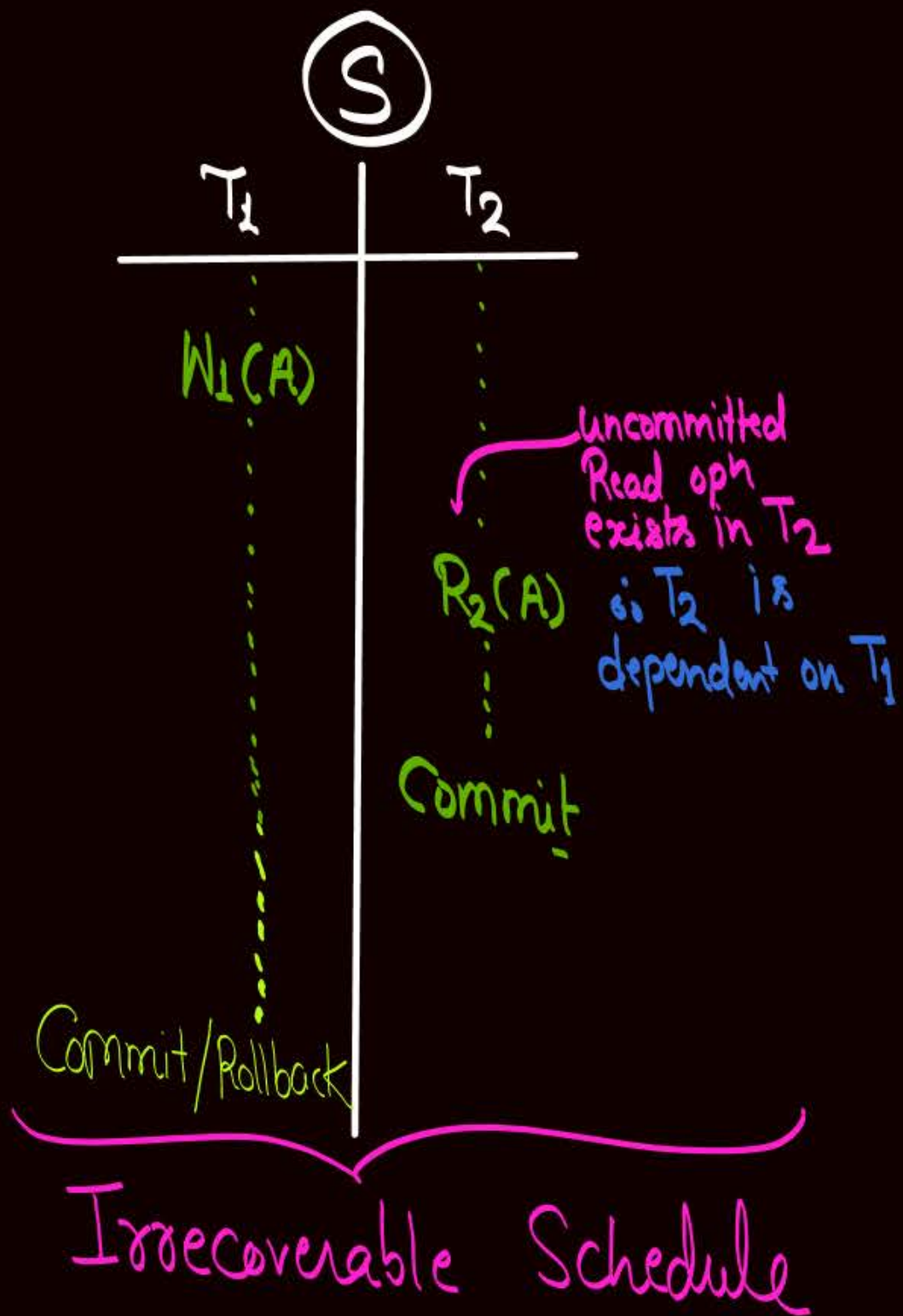
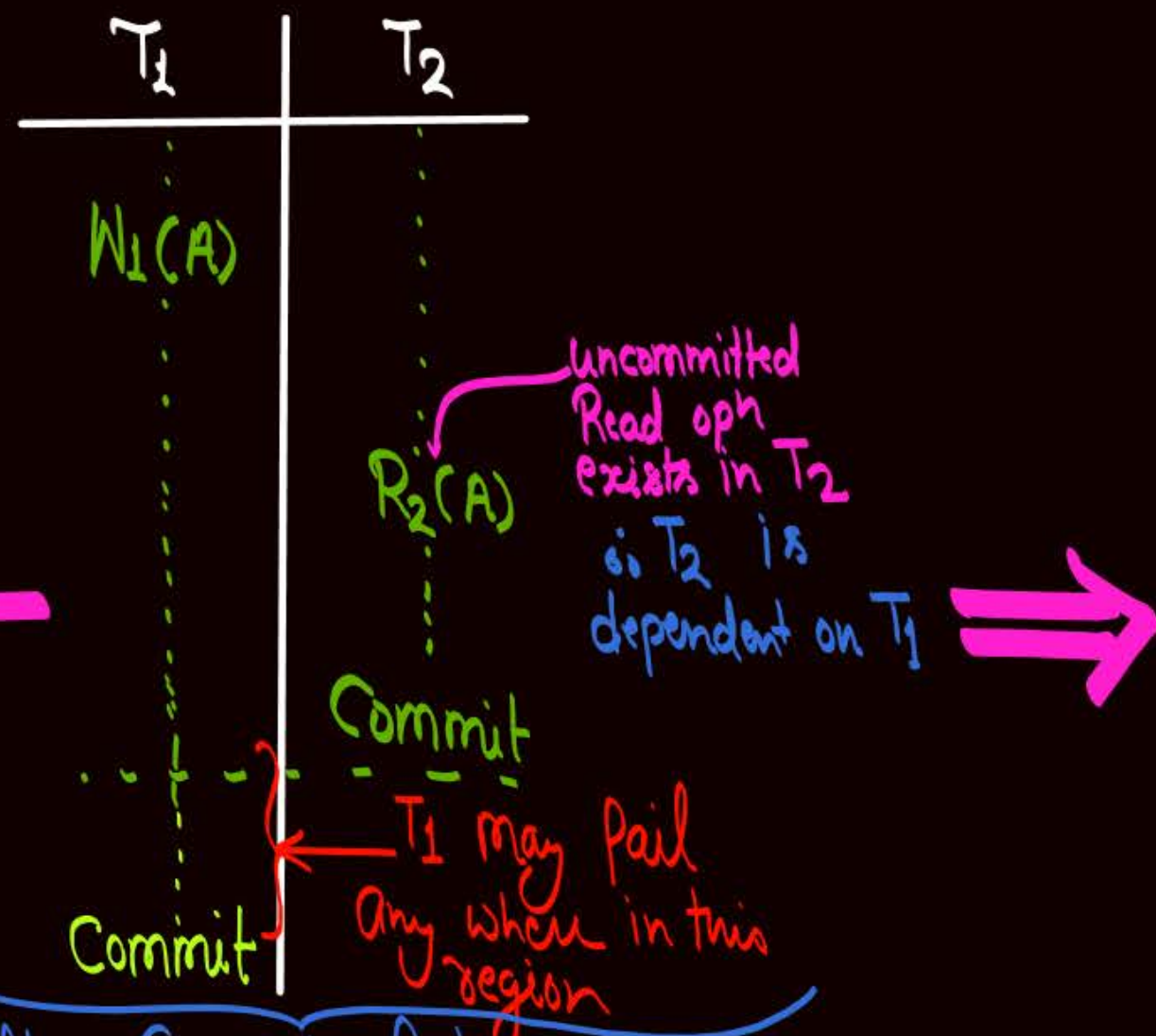


- No transaction has performed its Commit opⁿ
∴ If any failure occur, then we can
rollback both transactions.
ie, we will be able to recover from failure
Hence, Schedule is recoverable schedule

Irrecoverable Schedule



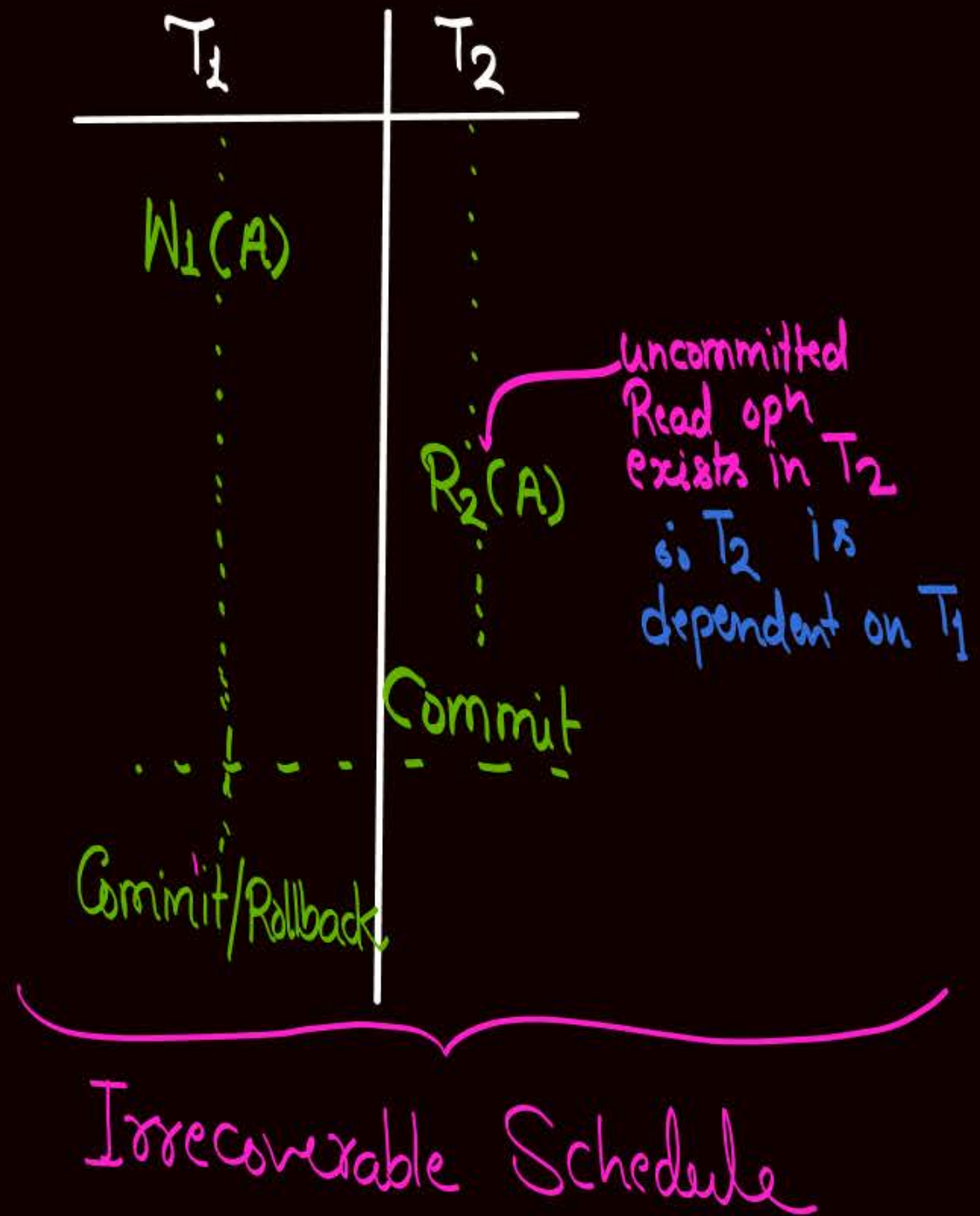
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After Commit of transaction T₂ schedule becomes unsafe, because T₁ may fail anywhere after the Commit of T₂ and before Commit of T₁. If this happens then we will not be able to recover from that failure. Hence, Schedule is "irrecoverable Schedule".

Irrecoverable Schedule

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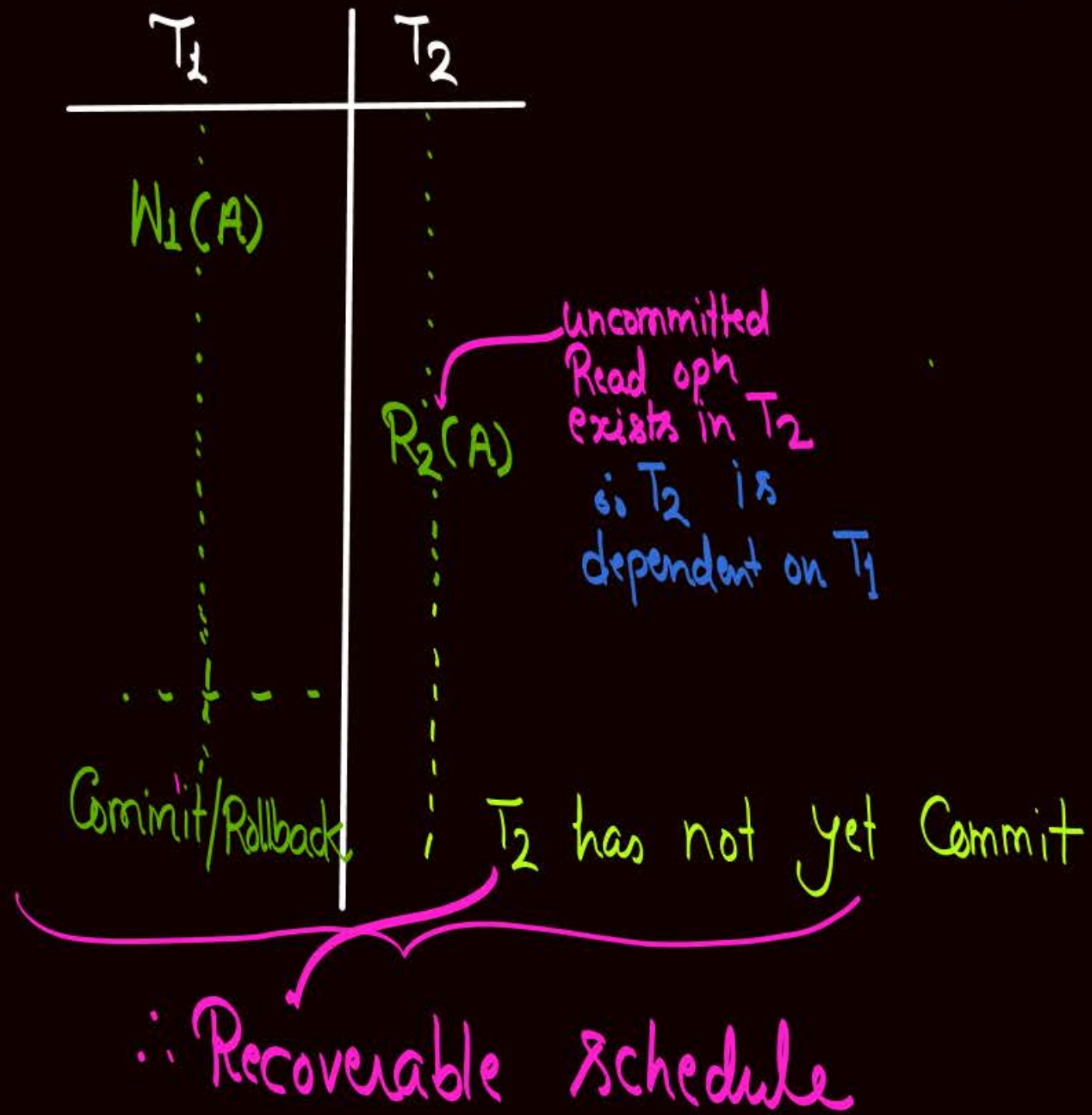


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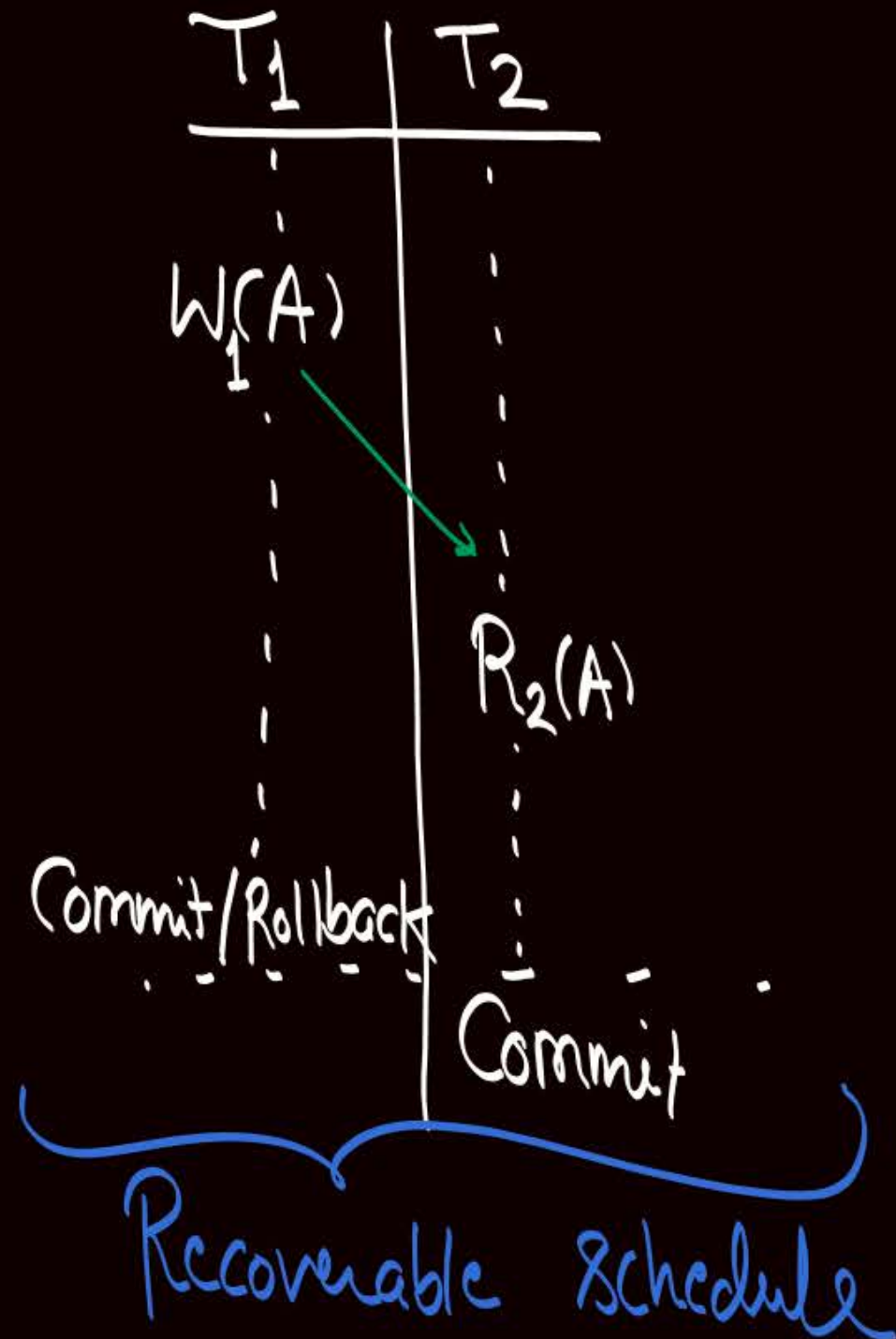
Irrecoverable Schedule

Uncommitted read opⁿ are necessary (but not sufficient) for a schedule to be irrecoverable schedule.

i.e, ① If uncommitted read opⁿ does not exist in a schedule, then that schedule is always recoverable

And ② If uncommitted read opⁿ exists in a schedule then that schedule may or may not be an irrecoverable schedule.

Recoverable Schedule



For a schedule to be called recoverable schedule,

Either Uncommitted read opn should not exist in the schedule

Or if any uncommitted read opn exist, then Commit opn of dependent transaction must appear after the Commit/Rollback of the transaction on which it depends



2 mins Summary



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