I. Rajasekhar Reddy - CS20BTECH11020 Programming Assignment-4

First of all, include the libraries in the program and then in the main we open the file "inp-params.txt" and take the values of n, k, λ_1 , λ_2 .

We define these variables globally along with these we also define waiting time and max waiting time globally so that they will be useful for analysis.

After taking input we create n threads and ids of threads and send into the respecting functions "testing Tas", "testing Cas", "testing Cas-bounded".

For getting instant time we write a function "func_Time" so that this function returns a vector<int> value that contains the hours minutes and seconds.

We make two exponential distributions and pass the value of λ_1 , λ_2 in the constructor Later this can be used to obtain random numbers t1 and t2 with values that are exponentially distributed with an average of λ_1 , λ_2 seconds. I used template <class RealType = double> class exponential_distribution this class to generate them.

Testing TAS function:

for tas we use test and set function in the while using atomic_flag named lock and after we calculate the waiting time and max waiting time.

Testing CAS function:

for cas we use atomic<int> named lock and after we calculate the waiting time and max waiting time and at last in the while loop we use

lock.compare_exchange_strong(a,b) to decide whether to break the while loop or not.

Testing CAS-Bounded function:

for cas-bounded we use atomic<int> named lock and after we calculate the waiting time and max waiting time and at last in the while loop we use lock.compare_exchange_strong(a,b) to change the keyvalue and use both keyvalue and waitingarray[prevthreadid] whether to break the while loop or not.

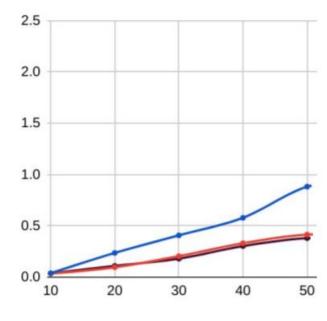
OUTPUT ANALYSIS:

Average waiting time

Black - tas

Red - cas

Blue - casbounded



Number of threads

Analysis:

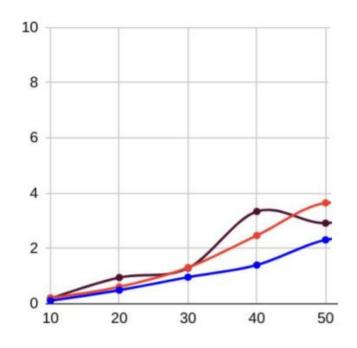
- 1. Average waiting time taken by TAS, and CAS algorithm is almost the same.
- 2. Average waiting time taken by Bounded-CAS is greater than both TAS and CAS as it ensures that no thread starve.

MAX waiting time

Black - tas

Red - cas

Blue - casbounded



Number of threads

Analysis:

- 1. The worst-case waiting time taken by TAS and CAS algorithm is almost the same.
- 2. The worst-case waiting time taken by Bounded-CAS is much less than both TAS and CAS as it ensures that no thread starves.
- 3. The difference between the worst waiting times of Bounded-CAS and (TAS, CAS) increases as the no of threads increases.

Conclusion:

- ** In terms of average waiting time, TAS performs best among all the three ME algorithms whereas CAS-bounded performs worst.
- ** In terms of worst-case waiting time, CAS-bounded performs best among all ME algorithms whereas CAS/TAS performs worse.