

# COMPUTER SCIENCE

## Database Management System

### Transaction & Concurrency Control

Lecture\_8



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A graphic of a construction barrier with orange and white diagonal stripes and two yellow bollards at the top.

**TOPICS  
TO BE  
COVERED**

**01 Lock Based Protocol**

**02 Time Stamp Protocol**

## LOCK Based Protocol.

Basic 2PL

Strict 2PL

Rigorous 2PL

Conservative 2PL.

2PL: serializability order determine Based  
on Conflict operation at Run time.

With the Help of LOCK POINT.

# **TIMESTAMP BASED CONCURRENCY CONTROL**

## Time Stamp Protocol : [TSP]

- A Unique Time Stamp Value assigned to each transaction when they arrive in the System.
- Based on this time stamp determines the Serializability Order. [TSP, Predefined Serializability Order based On TimeStamp.

Time Stamp of  $T_1$  : 10

Time Stamp of  $T_2$  : 20

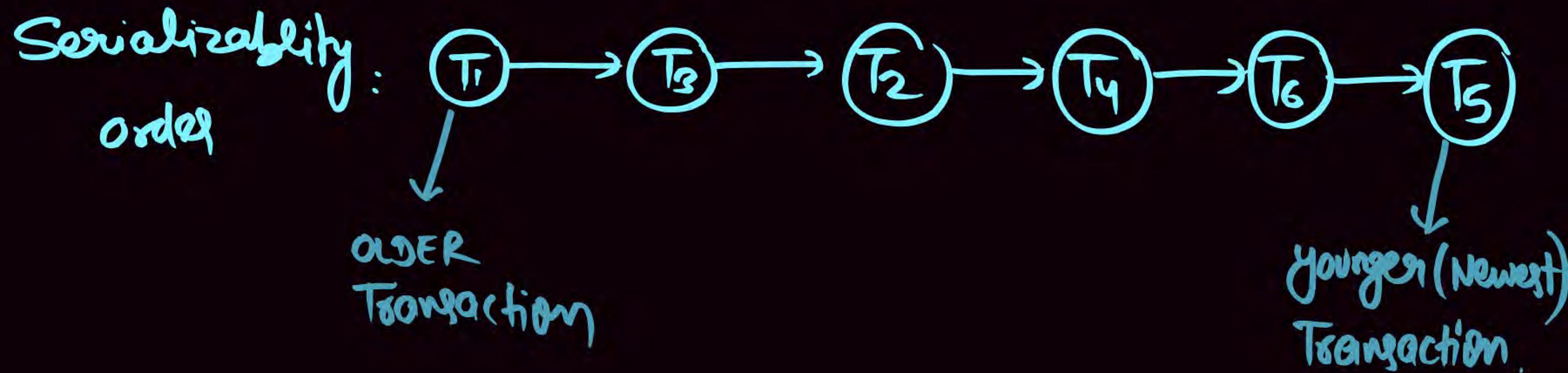
Serializability  
order :  $T_1 \rightarrow T_2$

OLDER  
Transaction

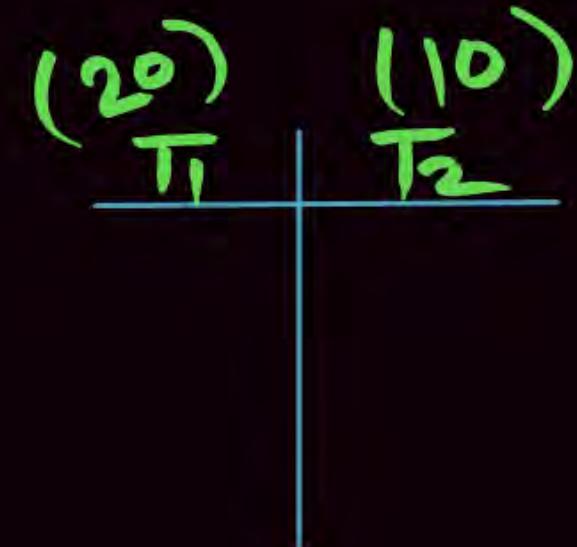
Younger  
Transaction.

Transaction :  $T_1$   $T_2$   $\bar{T}_3$   $T_4$   $T_5$   $\bar{T}_6$

if Time Stamp : 10 30 20 40 60 50  
of Transaction



TS: Time Stamp.



(e3)

$$TS(T_1) > TS(T_2)$$

Serializability  
order :  $T_2 \rightarrow T_1$

↑  
OLDER  
Transaction

$T_1$   
↓  
Younger  
Transaction

(e3)

$$\underline{TS(T_1)} < TS(T_2)$$

Serializability:

order :  $T_1 \rightarrow T_2$

↑  
OLDER  
Transaction

↑  
Younger  
Transaction



# Timestamp-Based Protocols

- Each transaction  $T_i$  is issued a timestamp  $TS(T_i)$  when it enters the system.
  - ❖ Each transaction has a unique timestamp
  - ❖ Newer transaction have timestamp strictly greater than earlier ones (*(youngest)*)
  - ❖ Timestamp could be based on a logical counter
    - Real time may not be unique
    - Can use (wall-clock time, logical counter) to ensure
- Timestamp-based protocols manage concurrent execution such that time-stamp order = serializability order
- Several alternative protocols based on timestamps

There are 2 Types of Time Stamp.

- ① Transaction Time Stamp       $TS(T_i)$  (Fixed)
- ② Data Item Time Stamp.      (Variable)
  - ① Read - Time Stamp( $Q$ );  $RTS(Q)$
  - ② Write Time Stamp( $Q$ );  $WTS(Q)$

(youngest)  
 ① Read-Time Stamp ( $Q$ ) ;  $RTS(Q)$  : Denotes the Highest Transaction Time Stamp that Perform Read ( $Q$ ) operation successfully.

$f_1(10)$	$T_2(20)$	$T_3(30)$
$R(A)$		
	$R(A)$	
		$R(A)$

Initially  $RTS = 0$

$RTS = 10, \max[0, 10]$

$RTS = 20, \max[10, 20]$

$RTS = 30, \max[20, 30]$

$$RTS(A) = 30$$

$T_1(10)$	$T_2(20)$	$T_3(30)$
$R(A)$		
	<u><math>R(A)</math></u>	
		<u><math>R(A)</math></u>

$$RTS(A) = 30$$

$T_1(10)$	$T_2(20)$	$T_3(30)$
$R(A)$		
	$R(A)$	
		$R(A)$

$$RTS(A) = 30$$

Write Time Stamp; WTS(Q)

(younger) largest  
Denotes the Highest Transaction

Timestamp that perform

write(Q) operation successfully.

$\frac{(10)}{T_1}$	$\frac{(20)}{T_2}$	$\frac{(30)}{T_3}$
W(A)	W(A)	W(A)

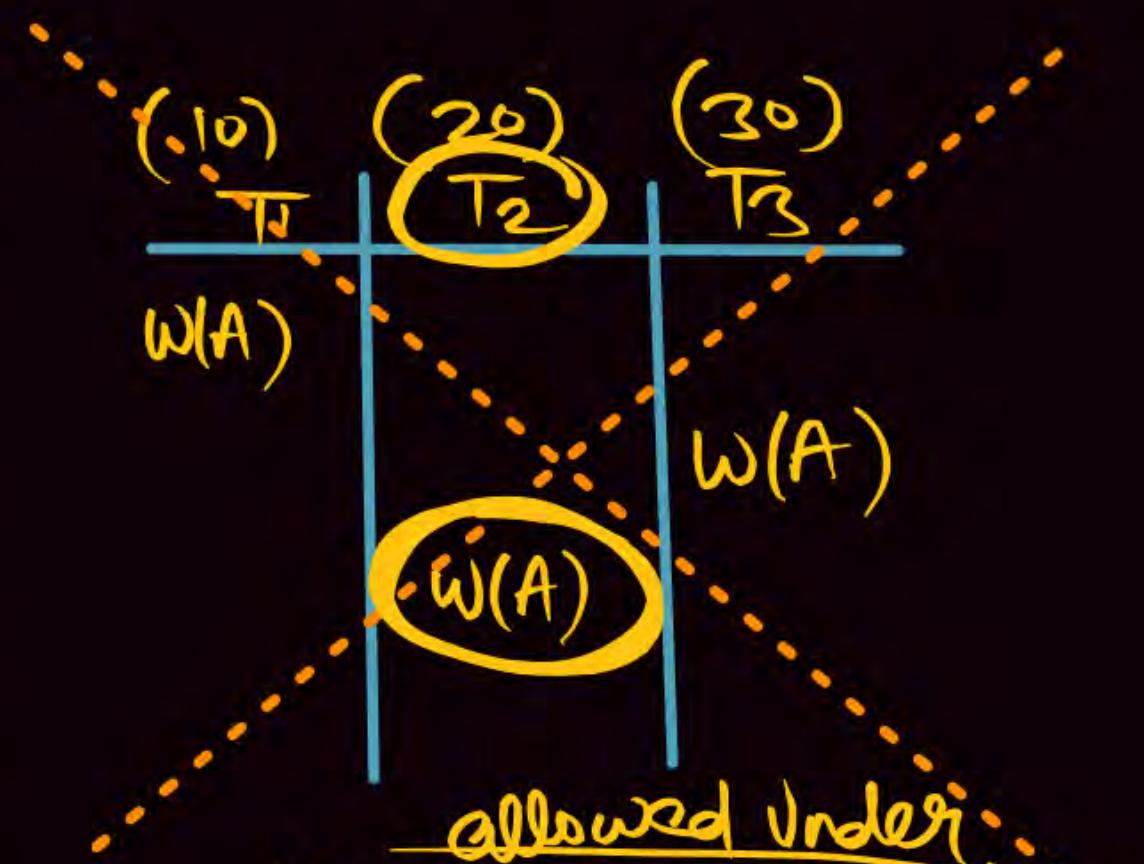
$$WTS = 0$$

$$WTS = 10 \quad \max(0, 10)$$

$$WTS = 20 \quad \max(10, 20)$$

$$WTS = 30 \quad \max(20, 30)$$

$$WTS(A) = 30$$



NOT TSP

$TS(T_2) < WTS(A)$   
 $20 < 30$  Not allowed

# Timestamp-Based Protocols

## The timestamp ordering (TSQ) protocol

- Maintains for each data  $Q$  two timestamp values:
  - ❖ W-timestamp( $Q$ ): is the largest time-stamp of any transaction that executed write ( $Q$ ) successfully.
  - ❖ R-timestamp ( $Q$ ): is the largest time-stamp of any transaction that executed read ( $Q$ ) successfully.

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Note

- Imposes rules on read and write operations to ensure that
  - ❖ any conflicting operations are executed in timestamp order
  - ❖ out of order operations cause transaction rollback

## Conflict operation

Same Data Item

①  $R(A) \rightarrow \underline{w(A)}$

②  $\begin{cases} w(A) \rightarrow \underline{R(A)} \\ w(A) \rightarrow \underline{w(A)} \end{cases}$

## Non Conflict operation

$R(A) \rightarrow R(A)$  &

Different Data Item.

$$\underline{R(A)} \rightarrow \underline{w(B)}$$

$$w(\underline{B}) \rightarrow \underline{R(A)}$$

$$w(\underline{B}) \rightarrow \underline{w(A)}$$

R-W  
W-R  
W-W

TSP

TS( $T_i$ )

$T_i$ : Read

$TS(T_i) < WTS(Q)$

Not allowed.

$T_i$  Rollback

Data Item Time Stamp  $\rightarrow$  RTS( $Q$ )

$T_i$ : Write  $\rightarrow$  WTS( $Q$ )

$TS(T_i) < RTS(Q)$

$TS(T_i) < WTS(Q)$

Not allowed.

① Read(Q) : Ti  
Transaction  $T_i$  wants to perform Read(Q) operation.

$TS(T_i) < WTS(Q)$ ; Read operation &  $T_i$  Rollback.  
Reject & Restart with New stamp.

② Write(Q) : Ti; Transaction  $T_i$  wants to perform Write(Q) operation.

$TS(T_i) < RTS(Q)$ ; Write operation & Transaction  $T_i$  Rollback & Restart with New Timestamp.  
 $TS(T_i) < WTS(Q)$ ; Reject

## I: $T_i$ - Read(Q) (Transaction $T_i$ Issue R(Q) Operation)

- (i) If  $\underline{\text{TS}(T_i) < \text{WTS}(Q)}$ : Not allowed Read operation Reject &  $T_i$  Rollback. *Aabort & Restart with New Transaction*
- (ii) If  $\underline{\text{TS}(T_i) \geq \text{WTS}(Q)}$ : Read operation is allowed  
and Set Read - TS(Q) = max[RTS(Q), TS(T\_i)]

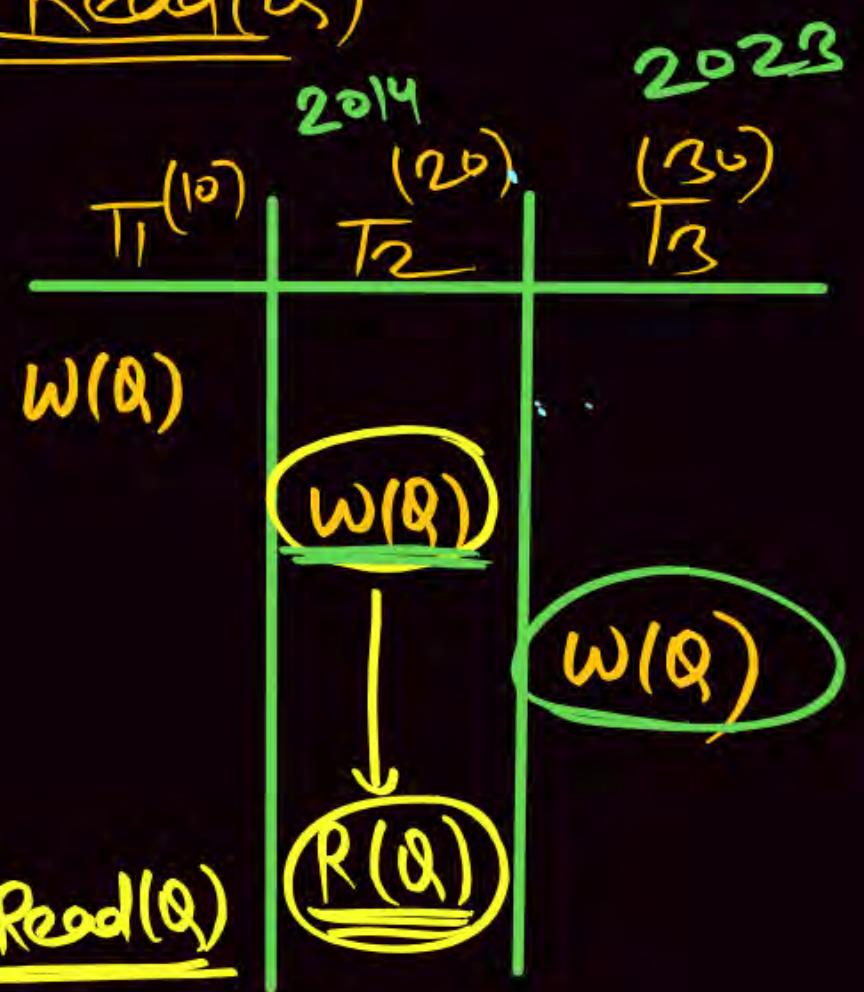
## II: $T_i$ - Write(Q) (Transaction $T_i$ Issue Write(Q) Operation)

- (i) If  $\underline{\text{TS}(T_i) < \text{RTS}(Q)}$ : Write operation Reject &  $T_i$  Rollback.
- (ii) If  $\underline{\text{TS}(T_i) < \text{WTS}(Q)}$ : Write operation Reject &  $T_i$  Rollback.
- (iii) Otherwise execute write (Q) operation  
Set Read WTS(Q) = TS(T\_i)

## Timestamp-Based Protocols (Cont.)

- Suppose a transaction  $T_i$  issues a **read** ( $Q$ )
  1. If  $TS(T_i) \leq W\text{-timestamp}(Q)$ , then  $T_i$  needs to read a value of  $Q$  that was already overwritten.
    - Hence, the read operation is rejected, and  $T_i$  is rolled back. *& Restart with New Timestamp*.
  2. If  $TS(T_i) \geq W\text{-timestamp}(Q)$ , then the **read** operation is executed, and  $R\text{-timestamp}(Q)$  is set to.  
$$\boxed{\max(R\text{-timestamp}(Q), TS(T_i))}.$$

$T_2: \underline{\text{Read}(Q)}$

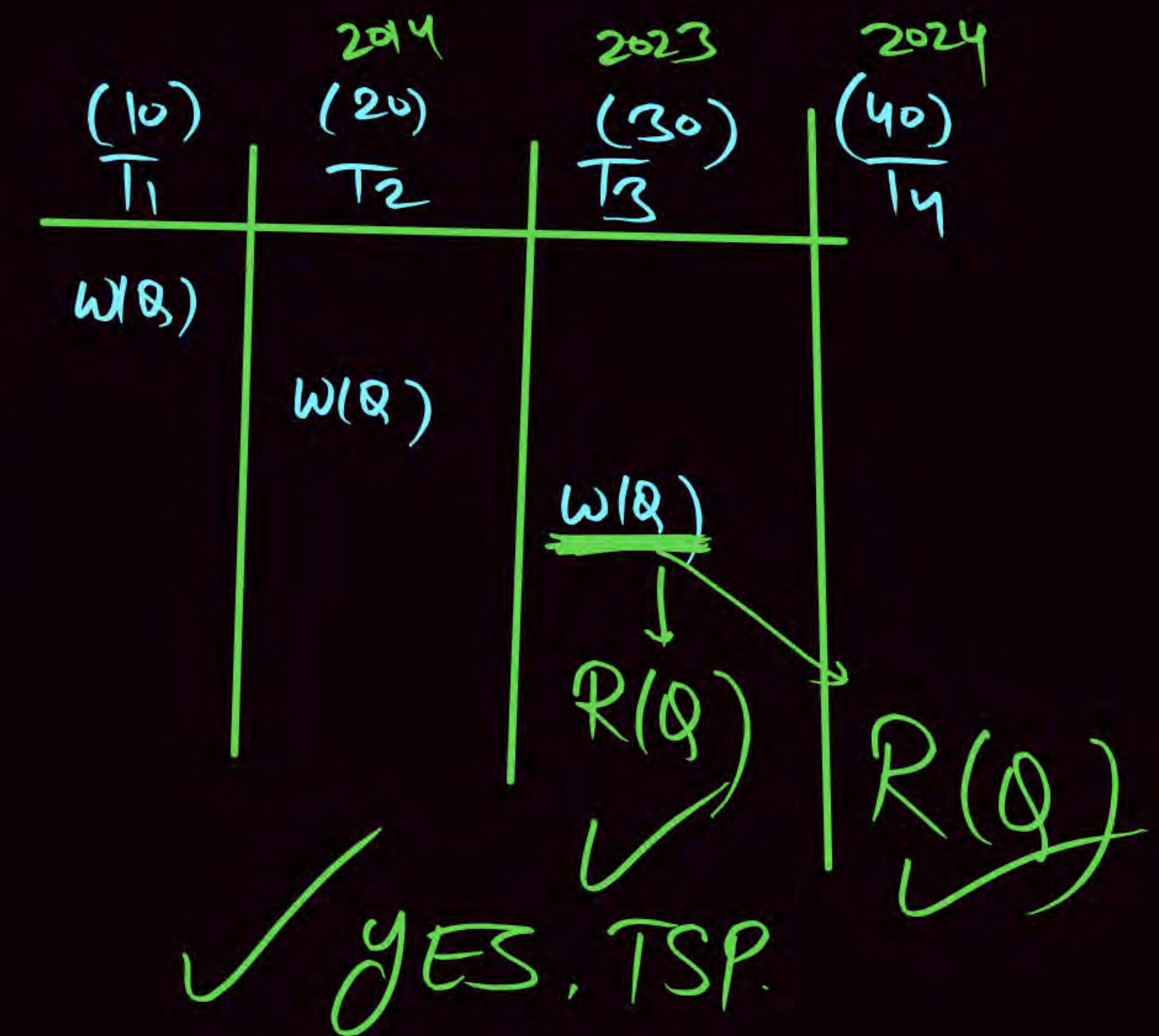


$T_2: \underline{\text{Read}(Q)}$

$$TS(T_2) < WTS(Q)$$

$$(20) < 30$$

Not allowed under TSP.



# Timestamp-Based Protocols (Cont.)

- Suppose a transaction  $T_i$  issues write(Q)
  1. If  $TS(T_i) < R\text{-timestamp}(Q)$ , then the value of Q that  $T_i$  is producing was needed previously, and the system assumed that the value would never be produced.
    - Hence, the write operation is rejected, and  $T_i$  is rolled back.
  2. If  $TS(T_i) < W\text{-timestamp}(Q)$ , then  $T_i$  is attempting to write an obsolete value of Q. [Obsolete write]
    - Hence, this write operation is rejected, and  $T_i$  is rolled back.
  3. Otherwise, the write operation is executed, and  $W\text{-timestamp}(Q)$  is set to  $TS(T_i)$ .

T<sub>2</sub> : write(Q)



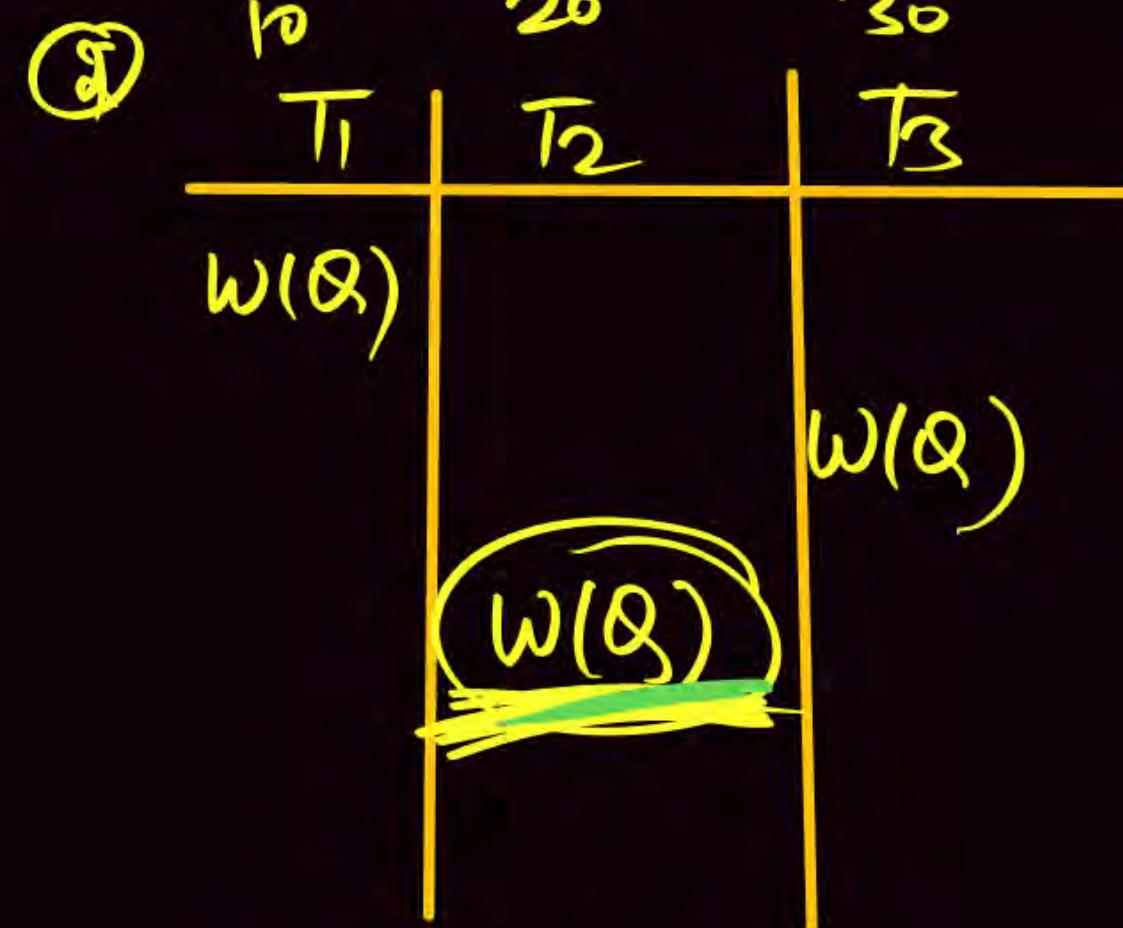
TS(T<sub>2</sub>) : 20

RTS(Q) : 30

TS(T<sub>2</sub>) < RTS(Q)

20 < 30

X Not allowed



TS(T<sub>2</sub>) < RTS(Q)

20 < 30

X Not TSP

## SUMMARY

$T_i : R(Q)$

$T_i [Read(Q)]$

$$TS(T_i) < WTS(Q)$$

Read operation Not allowed Under TSP.

↳ Transaction  $T_i$  Abort  
Rollback, Restart with New(Higher) Timestamp.

$T_i \text{ write } (Q)$

- ①  $TS(T_i) < RTS(Q)$
- ②  $TS(T_i) < WTS(Q)$

then write operation Not allowed Under TSP &  $T_i$  Abort,  
Restart( $T_i$ ) with Higher timestamp.

Alternate Approach to  
check allowed under TSP or NOT.

TSP

$TS(T_1) < TS(T_2)$

Serializable

If  $TS(T_1)$ : 10

Order:  $\underline{T_1 \rightarrow T_2}$

If  $TS(T_2)$ : 20

$T_1$  followed by  $T_2$ .

Note

Then all conflicting operation must be executed

in the order  $T_1$  followed by  $T_2$  [Same as Serializability order]  
if YES then allowed under TSP

if NO then Not allowed Under TSP.



Serializability order  
 $T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$

YES TSP



Serializability order  
 $T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$

YES



Serializability order  
 $T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$

YES TSP

	(10) $T_1$	(20) $T_2$	(30) $T_3$
$R(A)$			
$R(B)$			
$w(B)$			
$w(A)$			

Serializability order

$$T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$$

YES

	(10) $T_1$	(20) $T_2$	(30) $T_3$
$R(A)$			
$w(A)$			
$w(A)$			

Serializability order

$$T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$$

YES

	(10) $T_1$	(20) $T_2$	(30) $T_3$
$R(A)$			
$w(A)$			
$w(A)$			

Serializability order

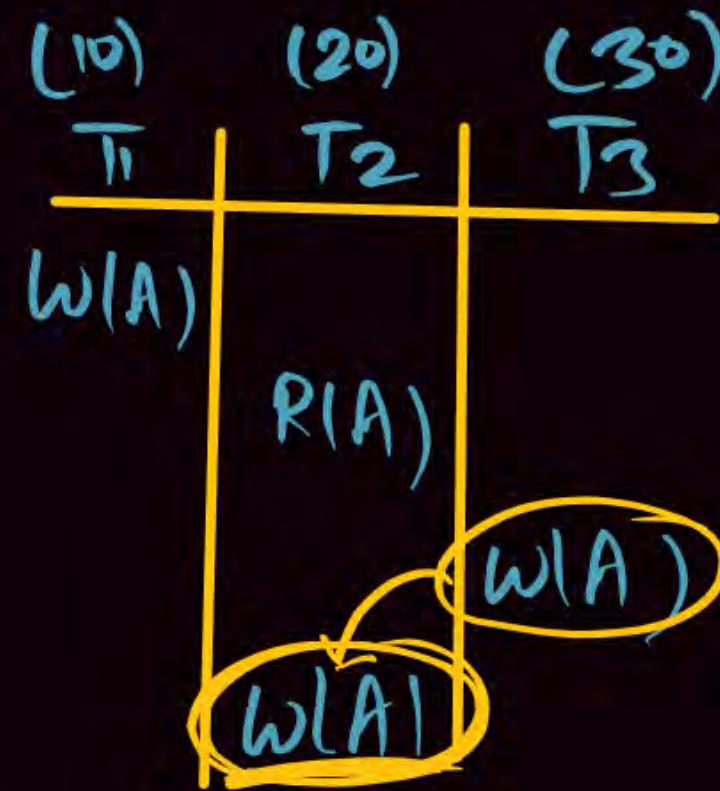
$$T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$$

YES

$\frac{(10)}{T_1}$	$\frac{(20)}{T_2}$	$\frac{(30)}{T_3}$
<u>w(A)</u>		<u>w(A)</u>
$w(B)$ $R(B)$		

serializability order  
 $T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$

YES



serializability order

$T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$

Not allowed.

$TS(T_2) < WTS(A)$  Not allowed

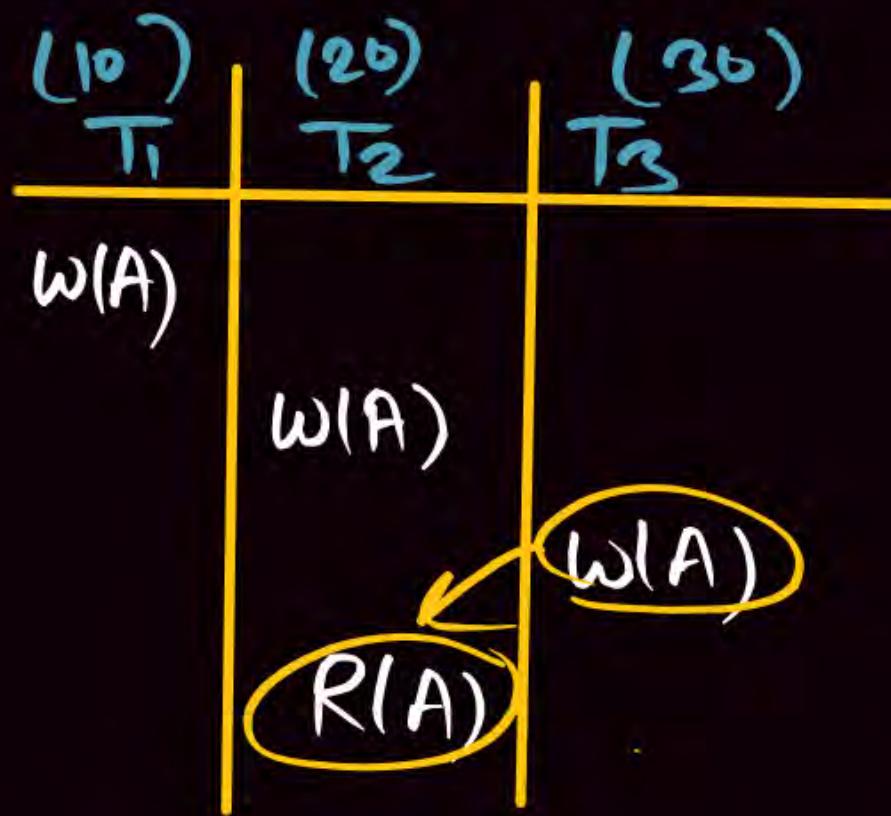
$T_2$  Rollback & Restart



serializability order  
 $T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$

NOT TSP

$T_1$  Rollback

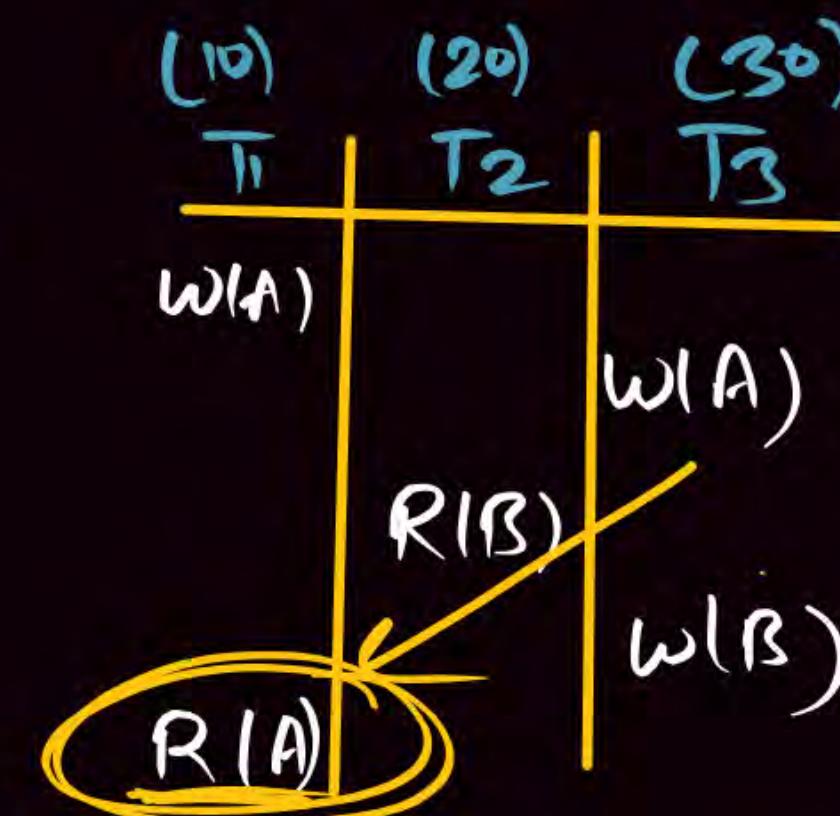


Serializability order

$T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$

Not TSP

$T_2$  Rollback



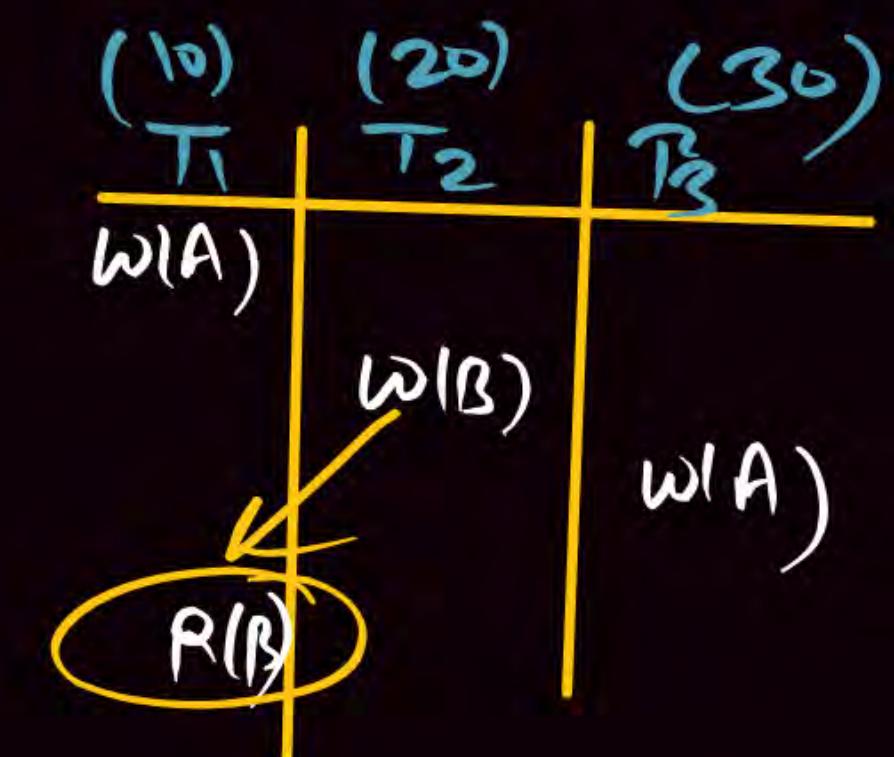
Serializability order

$T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$

Not TSP

$TS(T_1) < WTS(A)$

$IO<30; T_1$  Rollback



Serializability order

Not TSP  $T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow \overline{T_3}$

$T_1$  Restart

with New(Highest  
Time stamp)

$\frac{(10)}{T_1}$	$\frac{(20)}{T_2}$	$\frac{(30)}{T_3}$
$w(A)$		
$w(A)$	$w(A)$	

serializability order  
 $T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$

Not TSP  
 $T_2$  Rollback

$\frac{(10)}{T_1}$	$\frac{(20)}{T_2}$	$\frac{(30)}{T_3}$
$w(A)$		
	$R(B)$	
$w(A)$		$w(B)$

Serializability order  
 $T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$

YES ✓  
TSP

$\frac{(10)}{T_1}$	$\frac{(20)}{T_2}$	$\frac{(30)}{T_3}$
$w(B)$		
	$w(A)$	
$w(B)$		$R(A)$

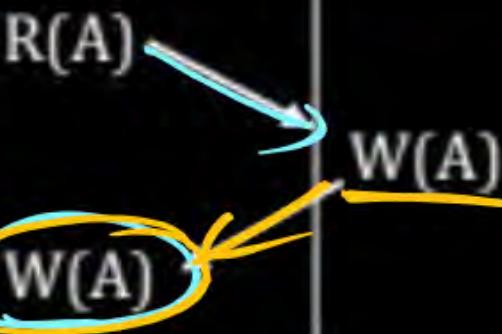
Serializability order  
 $T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_3$

YES  
TSP

P  
W

(1)

T <sub>1</sub> (10)	T <sub>2</sub> (20)
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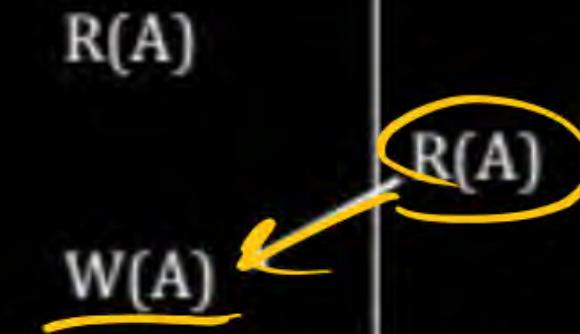
NOT TSP

$$\text{TS}(T_1) < \text{TS}(T_2)$$

T<sub>1</sub> → T<sub>2</sub>

(2)

T <sub>1</sub> (10)	T <sub>2</sub> (20)
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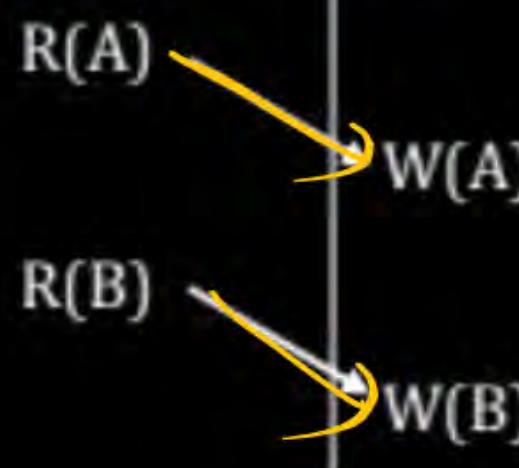
NOT TSP

$$\text{TS}(T_1) < \text{TS}(T_2)$$

T<sub>1</sub> → T<sub>2</sub>

(3)

T <sub>1</sub> (10)	T <sub>2</sub> (20)
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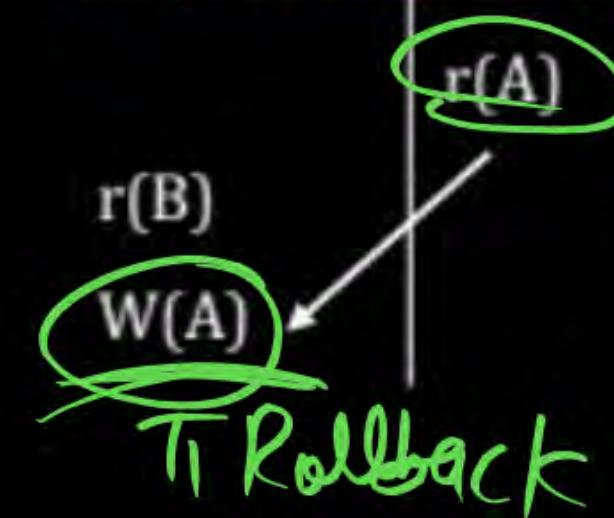
YES its allowed  
Under TSP

$$\text{TS}(T_1) < \text{TS}(T_2)$$

T<sub>1</sub> → T<sub>2</sub>

(4)

T <sub>1</sub> (10)	T <sub>2</sub> (20)
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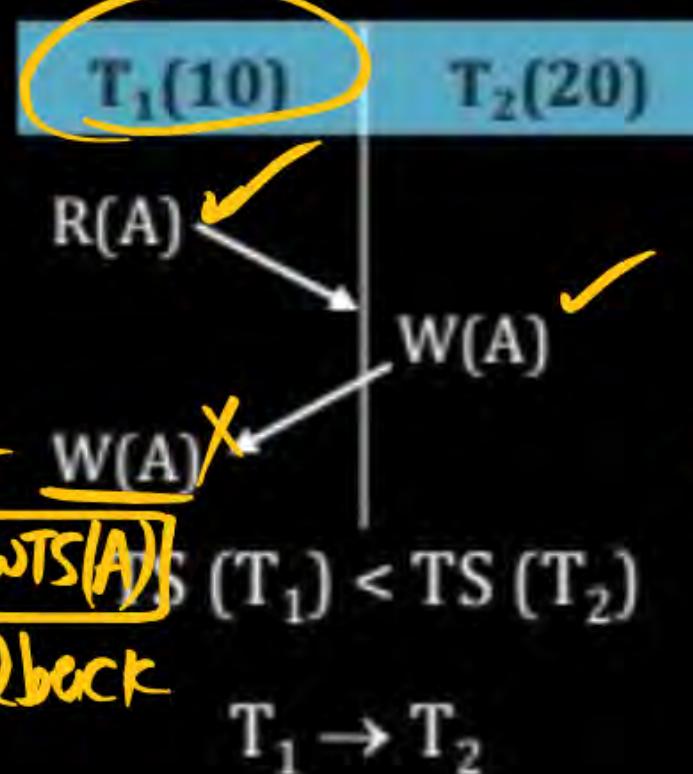


Not allowed  
Under TSP.

$$\text{TS}(T_1) < \text{TS}(T_2)$$

T<sub>1</sub> → T<sub>2</sub>

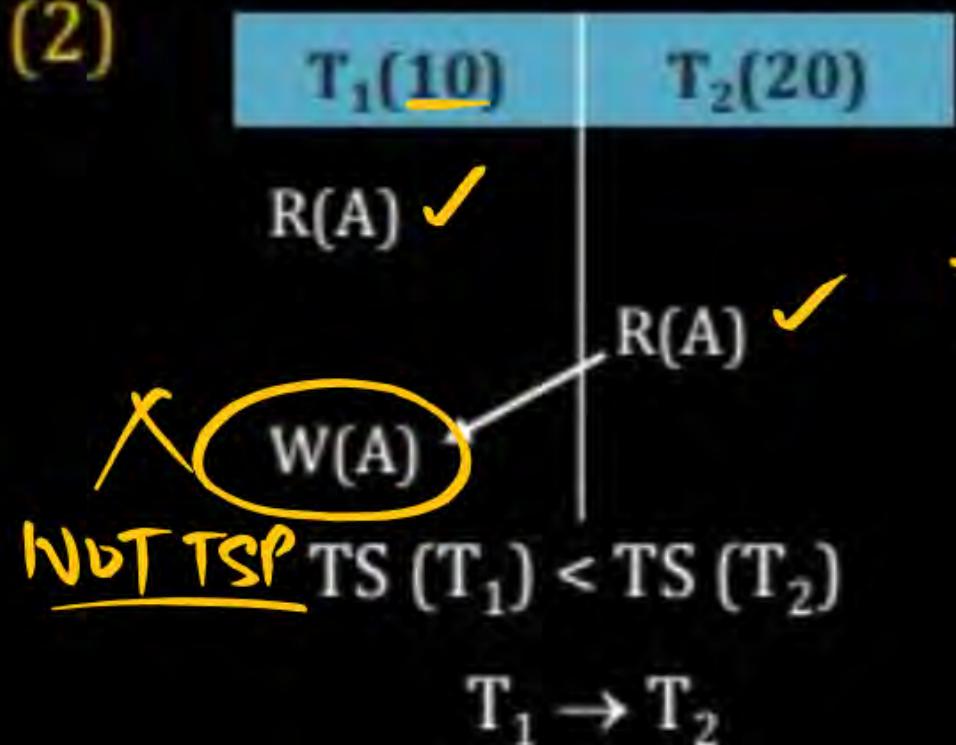
(1)



Not TSP

Reject W(A)  
 $\overline{TS(T_1) < wTS(A)}$   
 $TS(T_1) < TS(T_2)$   
 $T_1$  Rollback  
 $T_1 \rightarrow T_2$

(2)

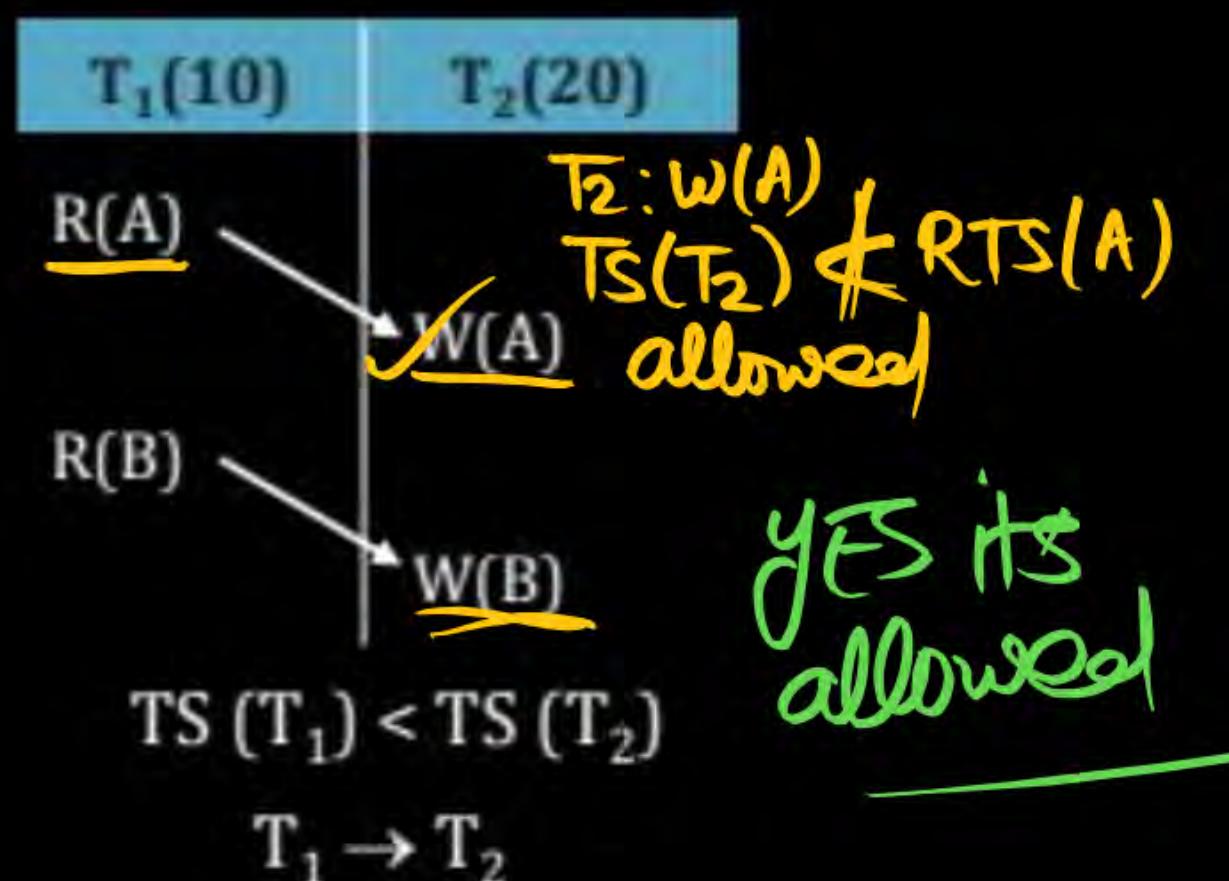


$TS(T_1) < RTS(A)$

$10 < 20$

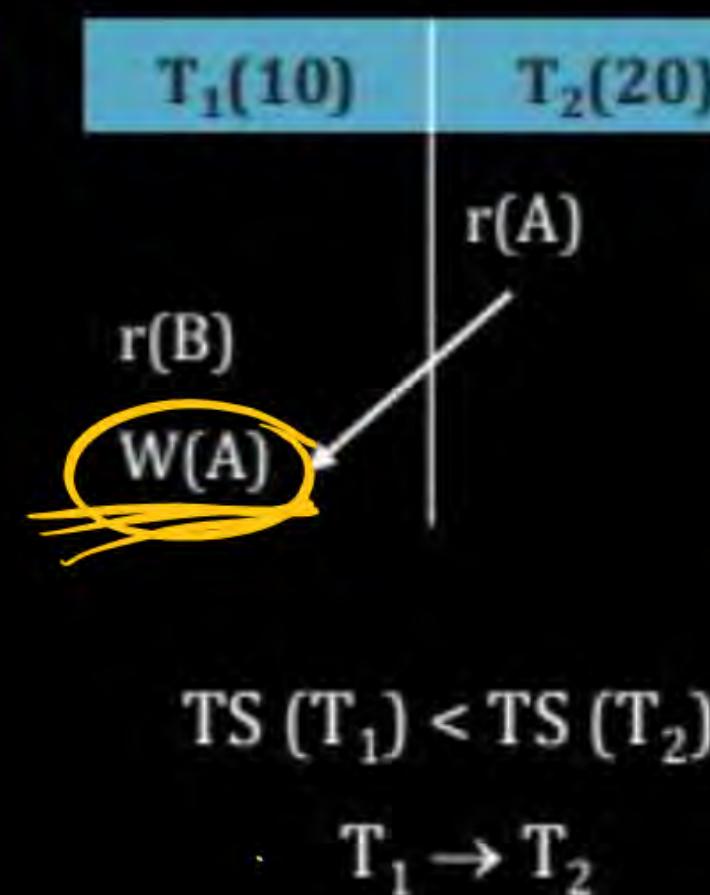
Reject &  
 $T_1$  Restart

(3)



YES its allowed

(4)



$TS(T_1) < TS(T_2)$   
 $T_1 \rightarrow T_2$

$T_1: W(A)$

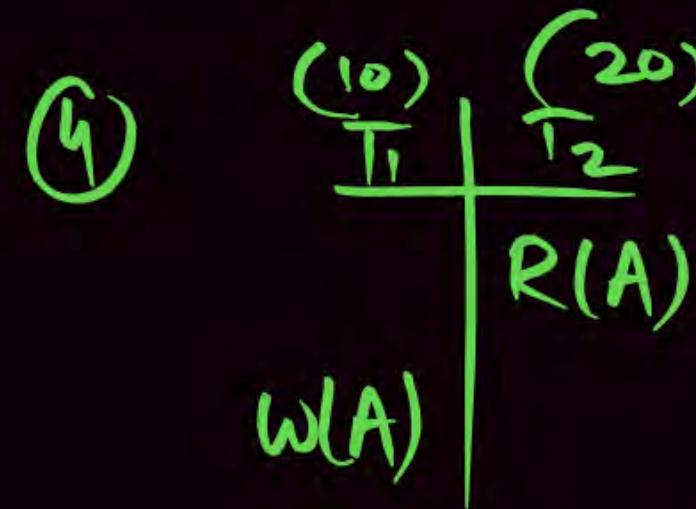
$TS(T_1) < RTS(A)$

Reject & Rollback

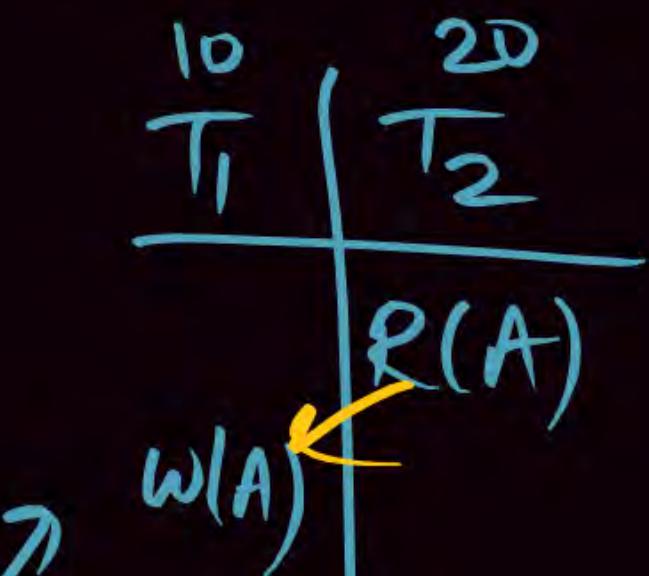
& T<sub>1</sub> Restart with  
 New TimeStamp.

⑥ Why Restart

New (Higher) Time Stamp ?

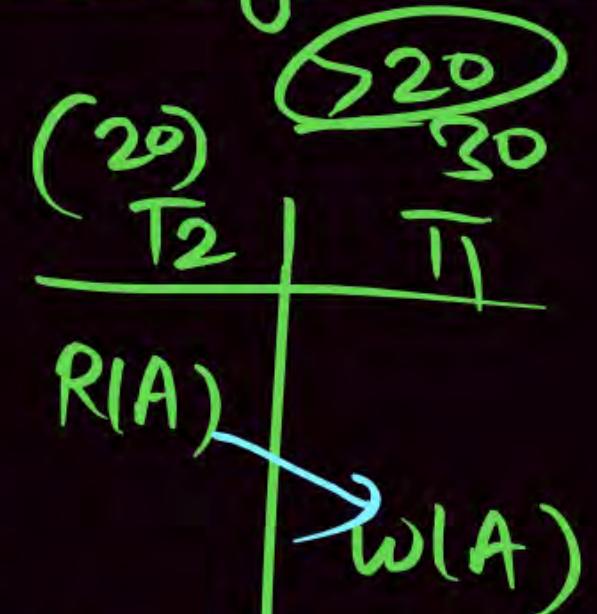


if again Restart with  
same TimeStamp



again Not allowed  
Under TSP  
again Rollback

if Higher time stamp



YES allowed  
Under TSP.

$T_2 \rightarrow T_1$

2 conflict operation  
 $T_2 \rightarrow T_1$

# Important Point about TSP

- ① If Schedule followed by TSP then  
Ensure conflict serializable
- ② TSP Not Ensure  
Recoverability.  
& Cascading Rollback  
possible.



allowed under TSP  
But Recoverable  
Schedule

## Important Point about TSP

- ③ TSP Free from Deadlock.
- ④ Starvation May  $\otimes$  May Not occur.

(W-W allowed) (TWR)

## Thomas write Rule (View Serializability)

Some Little Modification in TSP.

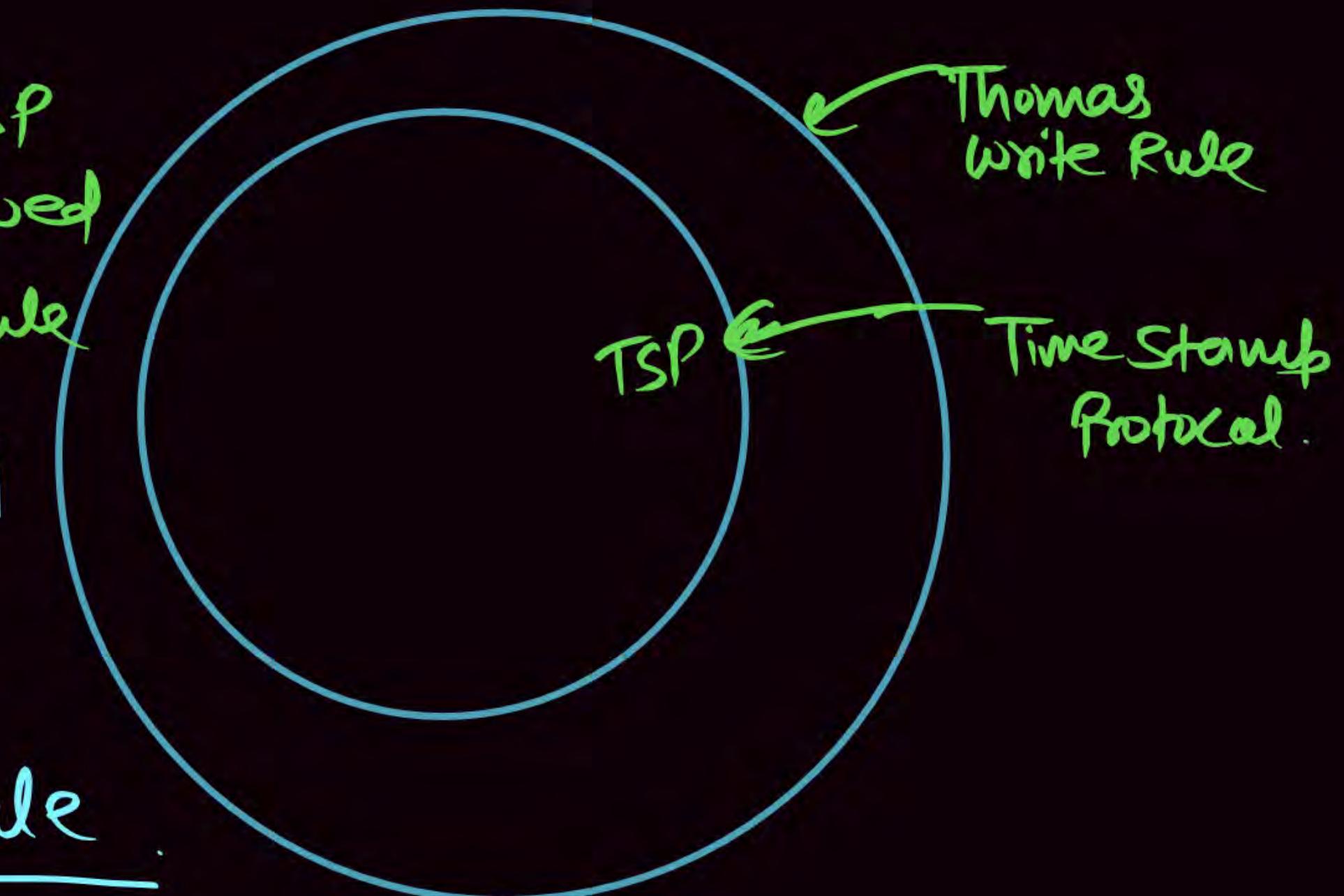
allowed obsolete write . But obsolete write Not allowed under TSP

$T_i : \text{Read}(Q) \rightarrow \text{Same as TSP.}$

$TS(T_i) < WTS(Q)$ ; Read operation Reject &  $T_i$  Rollback .

$T_i : \text{Write}(Q)$  →  $TS(T_i) < WTS(Q)$ ; write operation & No Rollback (allowed)  
Ignored  
obsolete write allowed  $TS(T_i) < RTS(Q)$ ; Reject &  $T_i$  Rollback  
Under TWR but Not TSP

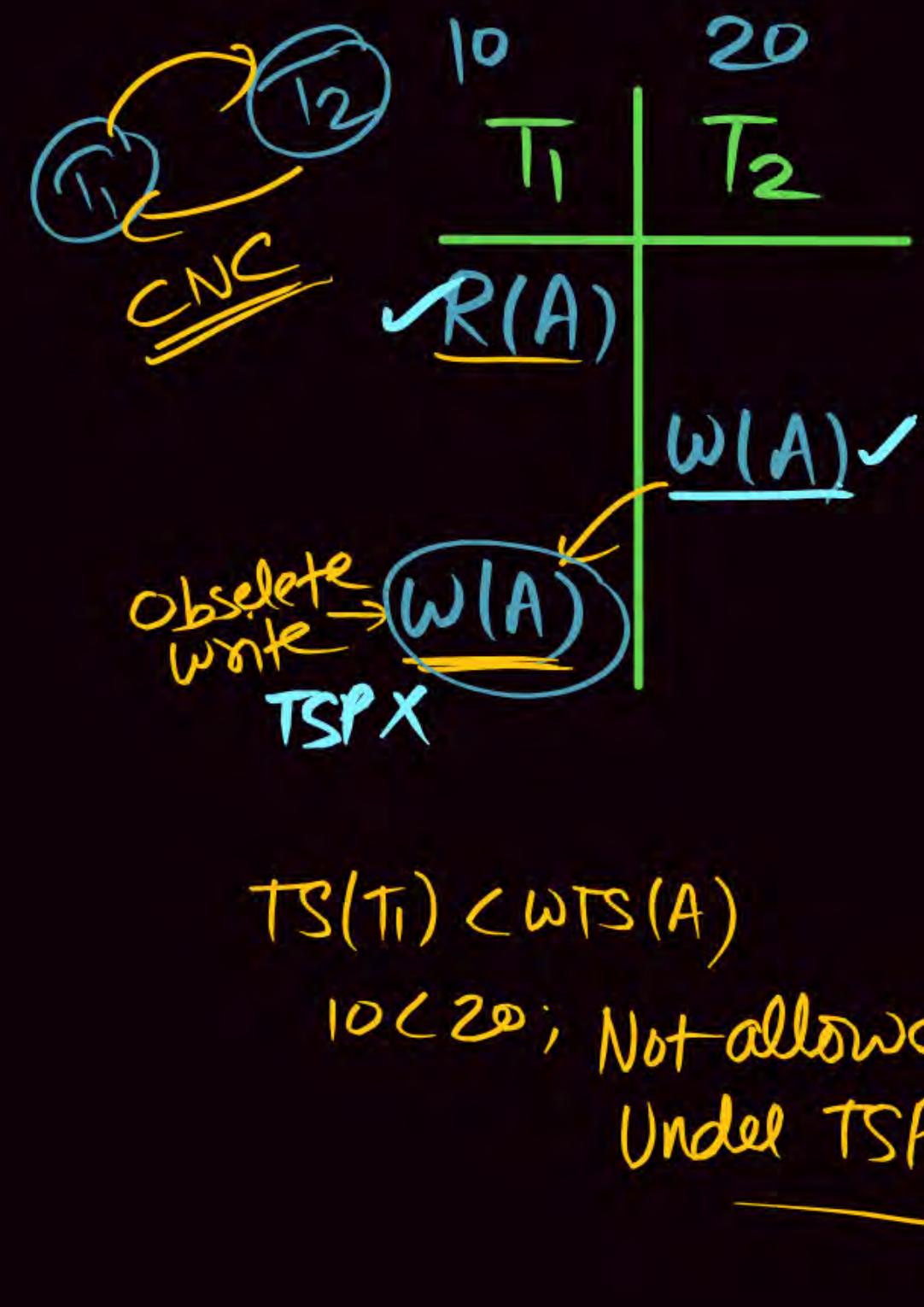
- ① If allowed by TSP  
then already allowed  
by Thomas Write Rule
- ② If Not allowed  
by TSP, then it  
may allowed by  
Thomas Write Rule



# Thomas' Write Rule

- Modified version of the timestamp-ordering protocol in which obsolete **write** operations may be ignored under certain circumstances.
- When  $T_i$  attempts to write data item  $Q$ , if  $TS(T_i) < W\text{-timestamp}(Q)$ , then  $T_i$  is attempting to write an obsolete value of  $\{Q\}$ .
  - ❖ Rather than rolling back  $T_i$  as the timestamp ordering protocol would have done, this **{write}** operation can be ignored.
- Otherwise this protocol is the same as the timestamp ordering protocol. *(Some or TSP)*
- Thomas' Write Rule allows greater potential concurrency.
  - ❖ Allows some view-serializable schedules that are not conflict-serializable.

*Not Conflict those also allowed*



But allowed  
 Under Thomas  
 write Rule.

$T_1 \Rightarrow W(A)$ : Ignored,  
 No Rollback

$T_1$	$T_2$
<u>R(A)</u>	<u>W(A)</u>
	W(A)

allowed Under TWR

More concurrency means this Schedule is  
 Not Conflict Serializable, this Not allowed  
 Under TSP But allowed by Thomas Write  
 Rule.

(Q1)

	$T_1$	$T_2$	$T_3$
$R(A)$			
$w(A)$			
$w(A)$			
	$T_1$	$T_2$	

CNC (Not Conflict)

But its View Serializable  
 $(T_1, T_2, T_3)$

Check TSP?

$$TS(T_1) \subset WTS(A)$$

Reject  $T_1$  Rollback

Not allowed under TSP.

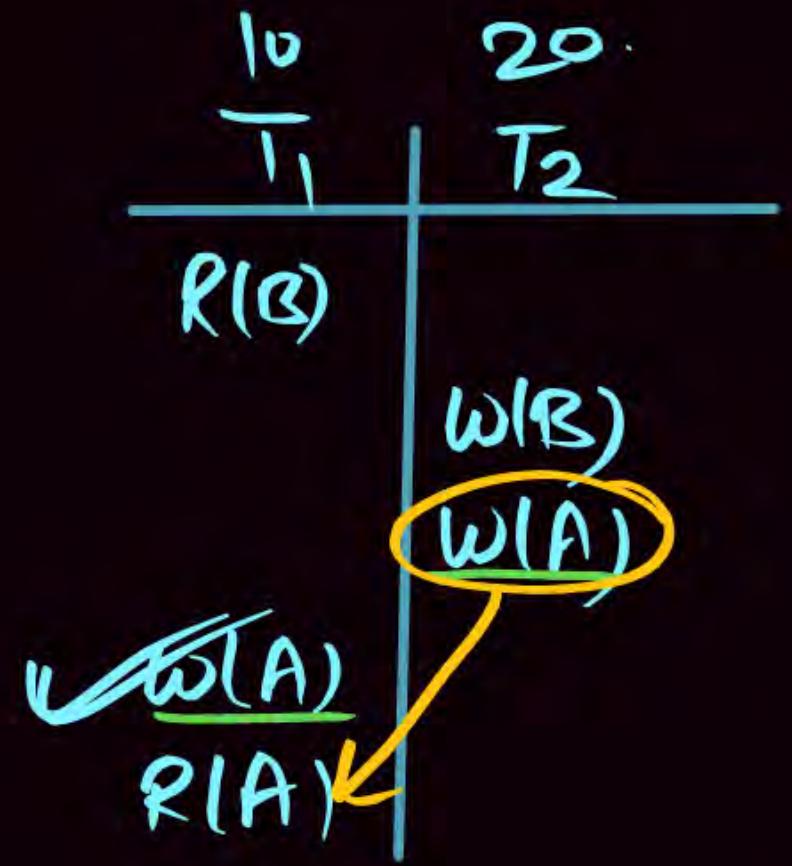
But allowed under  
Thomas Write Rule.

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Q.1

	$T_1$	$T_2$	$T_3$
<u>R(A)</u>			
<u>Obsolete write W(A)</u>		<u>W(A)</u>	
			<u>W(A)</u>

This is allowed under Thomas work Rule.



CHECK TWR ?

$T_L : w(A)$        $TS(T_1) < WTS(A)$       YES  
allowed in TWR

$T_L : R(A) \Rightarrow TS(T_1) < WTS(A)$  Not in TWR.

NOT TSP

NOT TWR

$T_1 \rightarrow T_2$

Not TSP.

# Thomas Write Rule (View Serializability)

1.  $\text{TS}(T_i) < \text{RTS}(Q)$  : Rollback
2.  $\text{TS}(T_i) < \text{WTS}(Q)$  : Write operation is Ignored and No Roll back

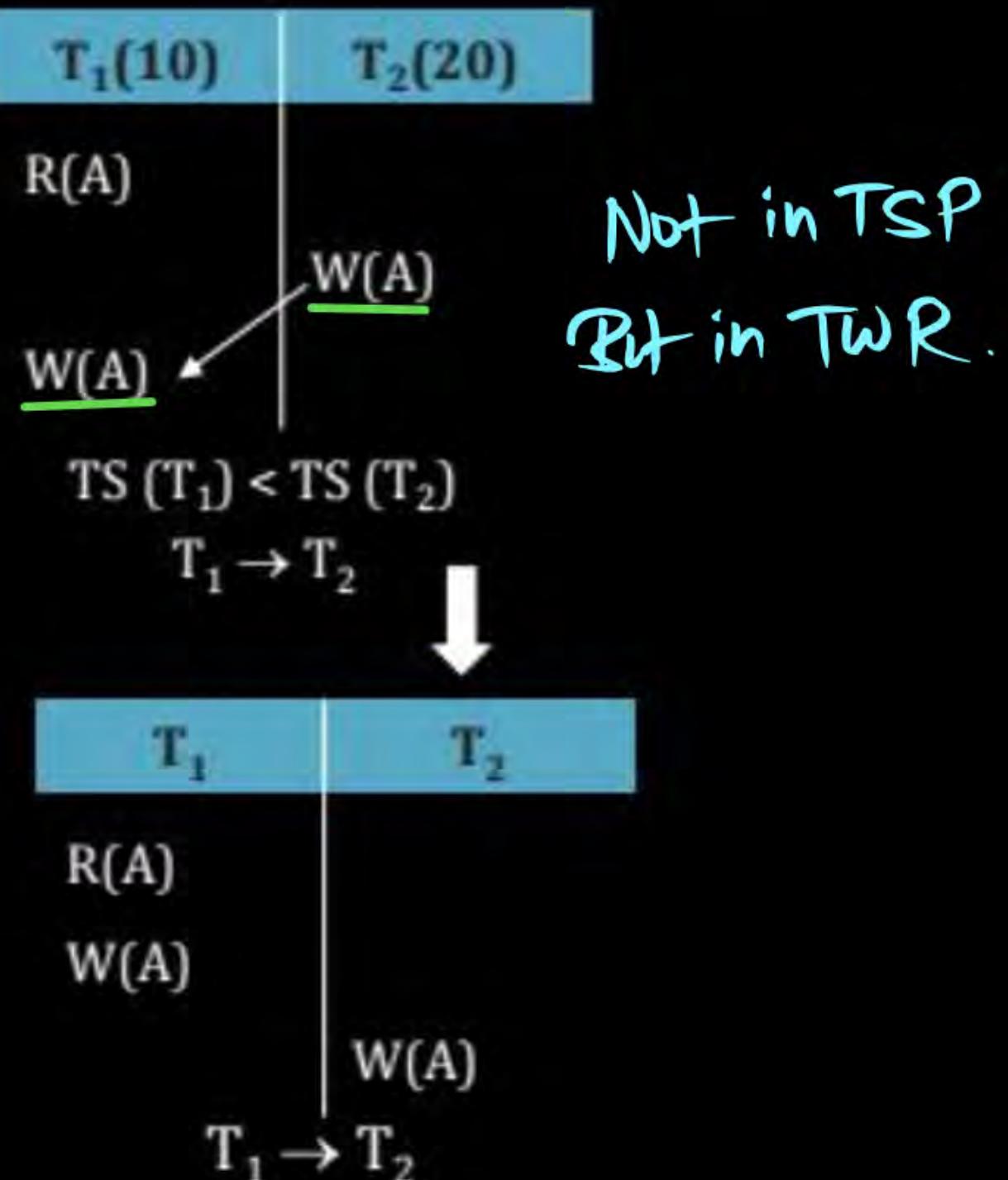
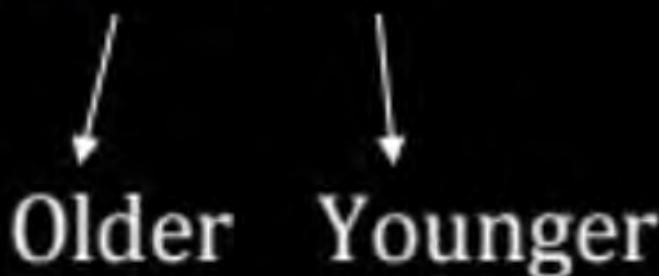
Same as TSP

Time Stamp Protocol: Ensure serializability  
deadlock free but starvation possible

Deadlock Prevention Algorithm

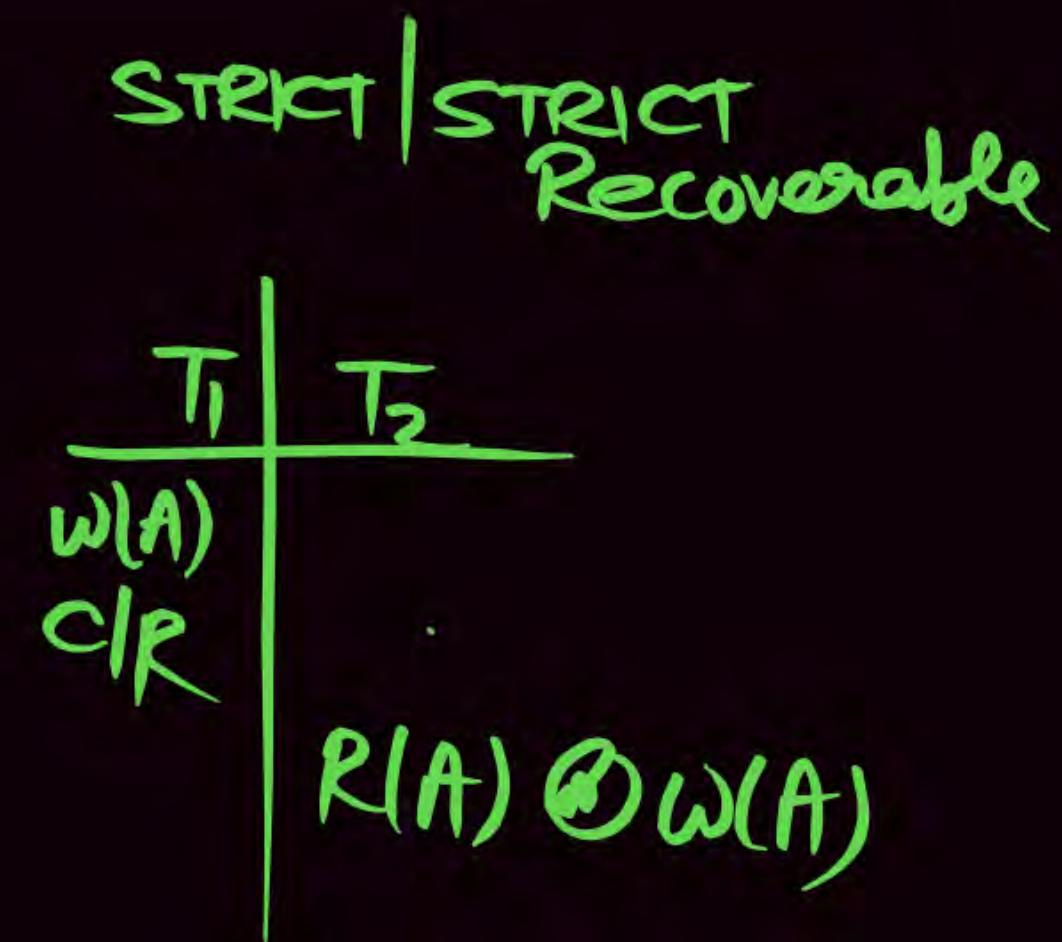
(1) Wait-Die

(2) Wound-wait



**STRICT Time Stamp** = TSP + Strict Schedule.  
ordering Protocol

- ↳ Ensure Serializability
- ↳ Ensure Recoverability
- ↳ Cascading (No cascading Rollback)
- ↳ Strict Recoverable





YES TSP.

YES TWR

Q.

In which one of the following Lock Scheme Deadlock cannot occur?

[MCQ]

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- A Basic 2PL
- B Strict 2PL
- C Conservative 2PL
- D Rigorous 2PL

Q.

Consider the following statement about lock-based protocol

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- (A) 2 PL (2phase locking) protocol Ensure view serializability
- (B) 2PL ensure recoverability & No cascading rollback.
- (C) Strict 2 PL ensure recoverability & no cascading rollback.
- (D) Strict 2 PL avoids deadlock (not suffering from deadlock).

How many numbers of above statement are correct?

A 1

[MCQ]

B 2

C 3

D 4

**Q.**

Consider the following Schedule:

$r_1(x) \ r_2(y) \ r_2(x) \ w_1(z) \ r_1(y) \ w_3(y) \ r_3(z) \ w_2(y) \ w_3(x)$

which of the following time stamp ordering Not allows to execute schedule using Thomas Write rule time stamp Ordering Protocol?

**[MSQ]**

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**A**  $(T_1, T_2, T_3) = (20, 30, 10)$

**B**  $(T_1, T_2, T_3) = (10, 20, 30)$

**C**  $(T_1, T_2, T_3) = (10, 30, 20)$

**D**  $(T_1, T_2, T_3) = (30, 20, 10)$

Consider the following two statements about database transaction schedules:

- I. Strict two-phase locking protocol generates conflict serializable schedules that are also recoverable.
- II. Timestamp-ordering concurrency control protocol with Thomas Write Rule can generate view serializable schedules that are not conflict serializable.

Which of the above statements is/are True?

[GATE-2019-CS: 1M]

A I only

B II only

C Both I and II

D Neither I nor II

Consider the following partial Schedule S involving two transactions T1 and T2. Only the read and the write operations have been shown. The read operation on data item P is denoted by read (P) and the write operation on data item P is denoted by write (P).

Suppose that the transaction T1 fails immediately after time instance 9. Which one of the following statements is correct?

Time	Transaction-id	
	T 1	T 2
1.	read(A)	
2.	write(A)	
3.		read(C)
4.		write(C)
5.		read(B)
6.		write(B)
7.		read(A)
8.		commit
9.	read(B)	

[GATE-2015-CS: 2M]

- A T2 must be aborted and then both T1 and T2 must be restarted to ensure transaction atomicity
- B Schedule S is non recoverable and cannot ensure transaction atomicity
- C One T2 must be aborted and then restarted to ensure transaction atomicity
- D Schedule S is recoverable and can ensure atomicity and nothing else needs to be done

Which of the following concurrency control protocols ensure both conflict serializability and freedom from deadlock?

- I. 2-phase locking
- II. Time-stamp ordering

[GATE-2010-CS: 1M]

- A I only
- B II only 
- C Both I and II
- D Neither I nor II

**THANK  
YOU!**

