

Agenda

- i) Synchronised keyword
- ii) Semaphores

⇒ SYNCHRONISED KEYWORD:-

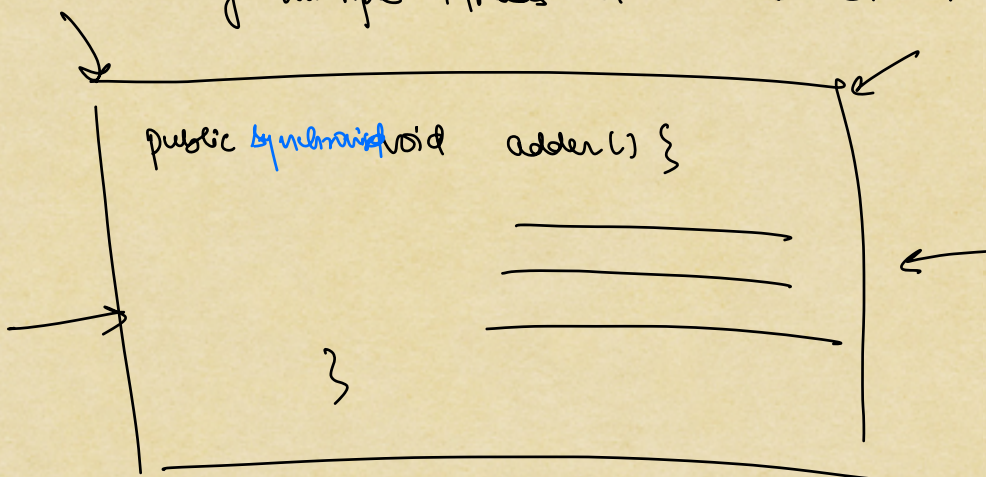
Synchronised keyword helps us to solve synchronisation issues.

There are 2 ways:-

- i) Synchronised method
- ii) Synchronised block

i) Synchronised method

We put synchronised keyword in the method name, so that the method is not accessible by multiple threads at the same time.



11) Synchronised block

We put a block of code inside "synchronised", to make the code accessible only by a single thread at a time.

```
public void adder() {
```

```
    synchronised (
```

```
    ) {
```

```
        data.add();
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

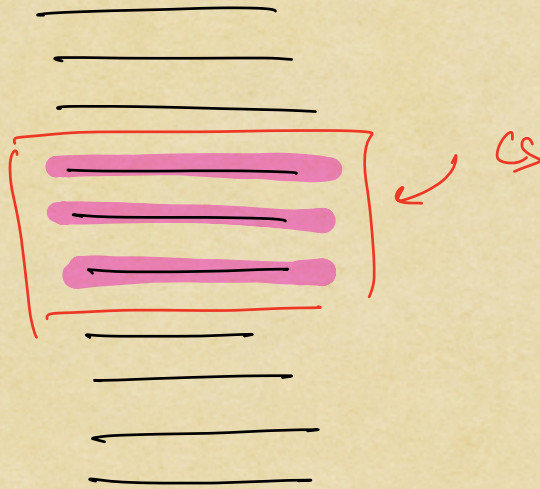
object name / class name
(this) (Adder.class)

→ Use Case wise both are same,

→ Synchronised method puts the entire method under lock, we can't optimise on lines of code

→ Prefer sync. block until atleast 90%+ part of the method requires synchronisation.

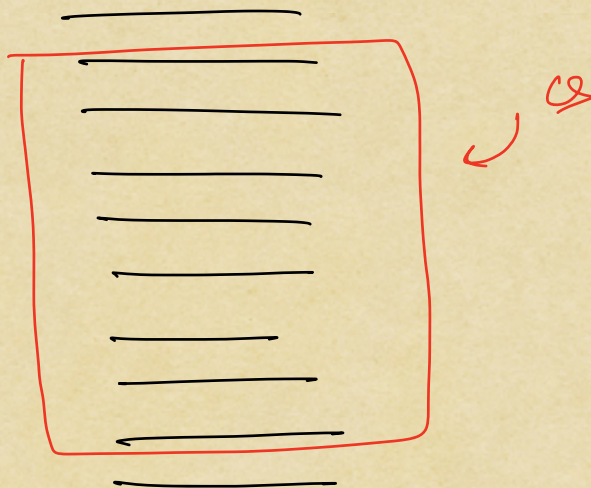
ex → method A {



}

↑
synchronised block

method B {



}

↑
synchronised method

Class → classname → Object [meta-data of class]
↓
Objects [instances]

[synchronized (className.class)]

→ lock taken on entire class Object

→ all methods calls via any object will be synchronized

class Count

incrementCount

synchronized (Count.class)

print() {

synchronized (Count.class)

}

class Counter {

implements Runnable {

Count c;

run() {

for(—————) {

c.incrementCount();

}

}

→ Count c1 = new Count();
 → c2
 → Counting Cin1 (1)
 → Cin2 (2)

t1 → Cin1

t2 → Cin2

{ t1.start(); → 10000
 { t2.start(); → 10000

{ t1 → c1
 { t2 → c2

Sequential

Class Printer Implement Runnable C3

run() {
 print();
 }

C3

C4

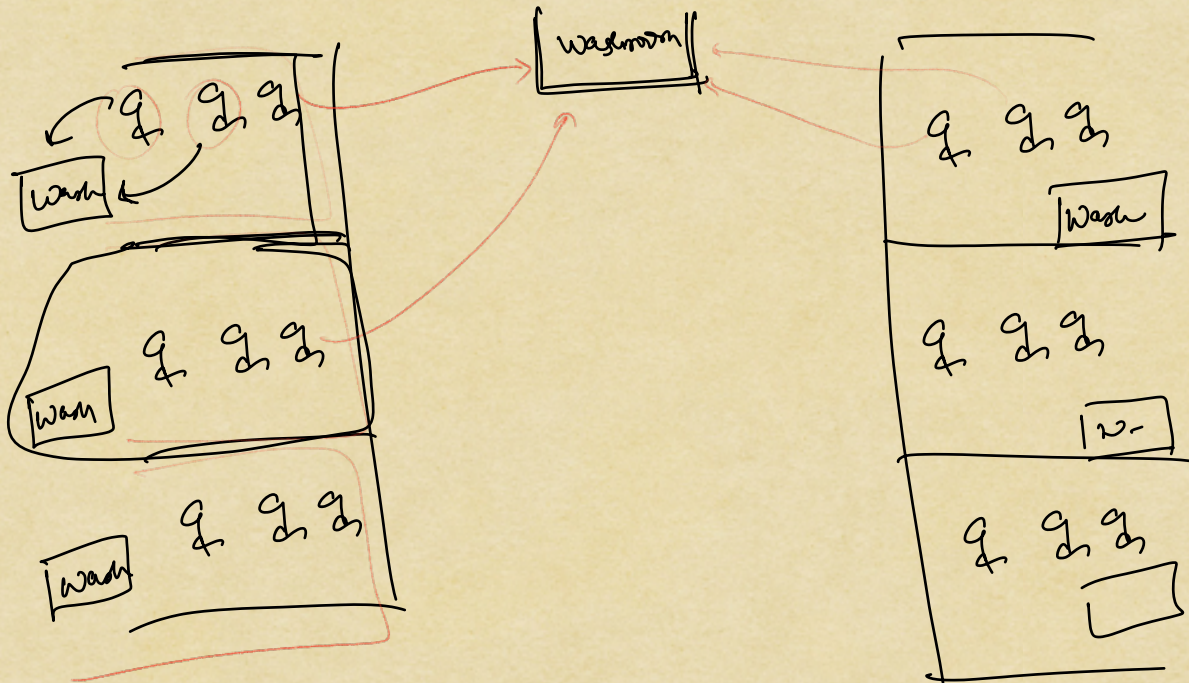
p1 → (C3)

p2 → (C4)

t3 → p1

t4 → p2

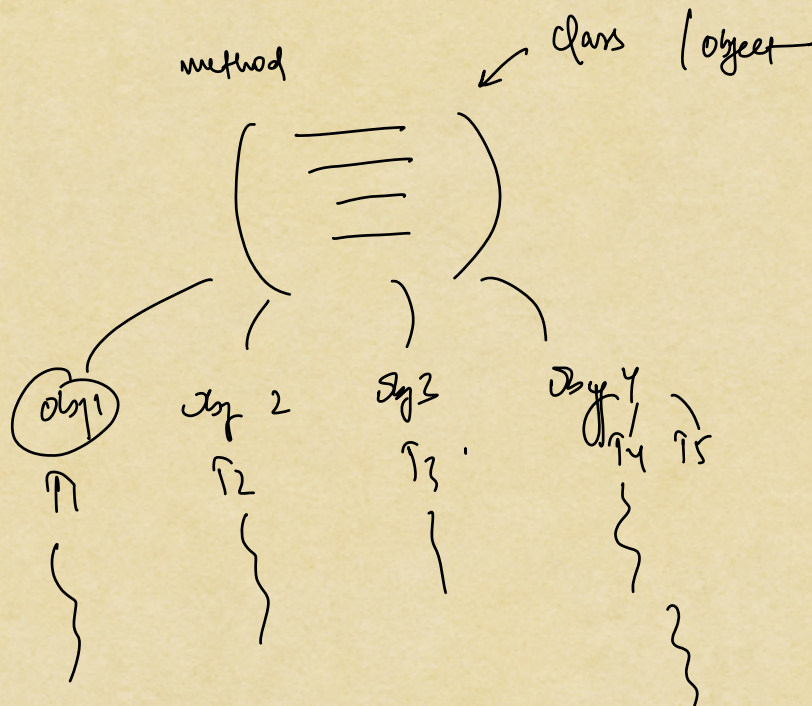
+3. start
 +4. start(), } all 4 will execute
 sequential



of name
 synchronised (this) {

}

Class



⇒ Semaphores

Producer-Consumer problem

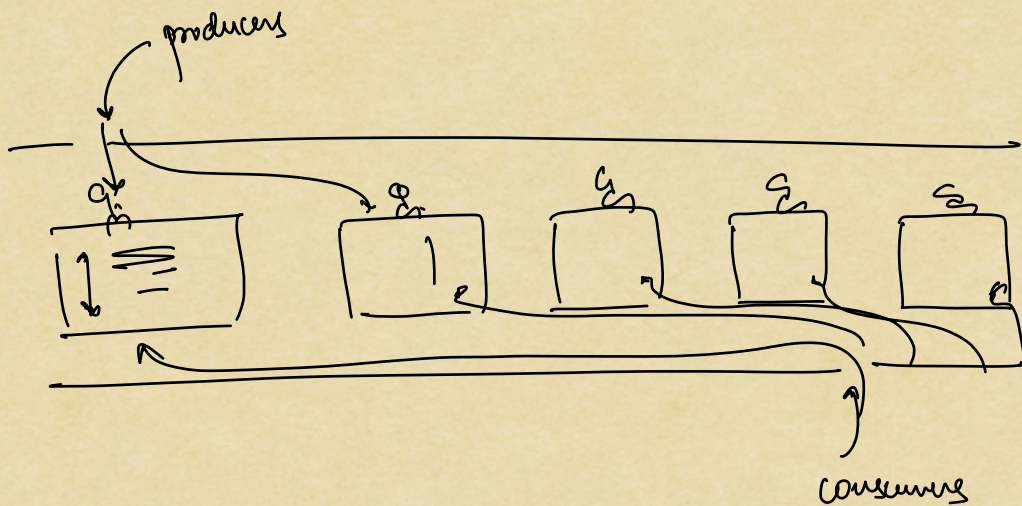
(ex ⇒ where/what ⇒ H.W)

Tailor store sell the shirts that they have made, the shop has counters, where each tailor can sell a shirt

* each tailor can sell 1 shirt at a time at a particular counter

* Customer only enters the shop if atleast 1 shirt available for them.

⇒ as fast as possible



→ No. of producers that can enter the store
= no. of empty slots

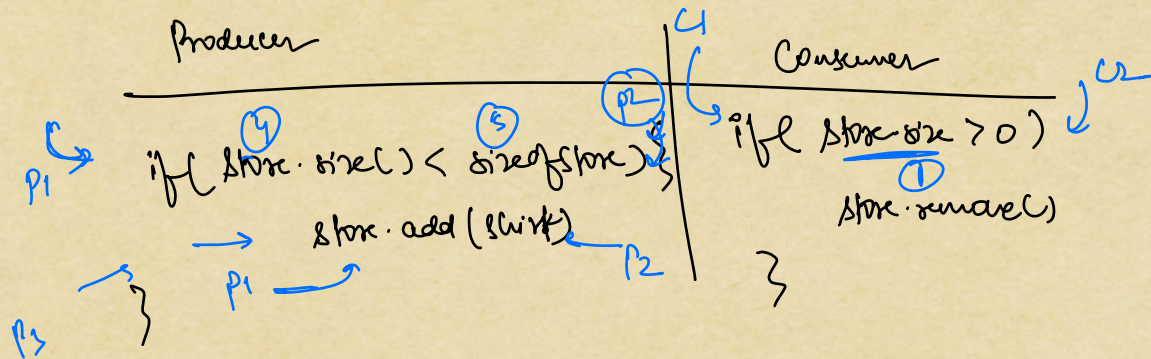
→ No. of consumers that can enter the store
= no. of filled slots

⇒ Implementation :-

```
store ⇒ List<shirt> store;  
int sizeofstore = 5;
```

Producer	Consumer
<pre>if (store.size() < sizeofstore) { store.add(shirt); }</pre>	<pre>if (store.size() > 0) { store.remove(); }</pre>

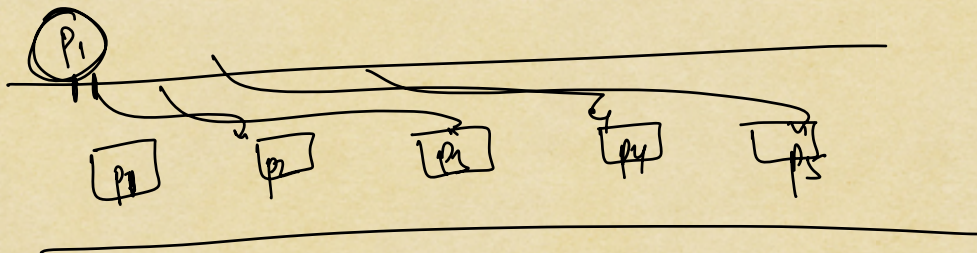
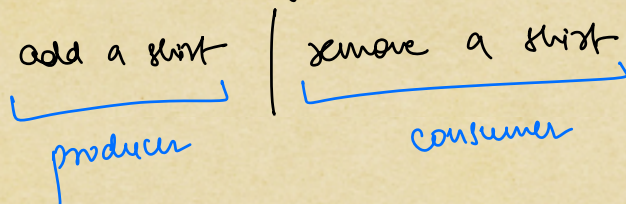
There are 1000s of parallelly running producers & consumers.



Solution

1) Mutex / Synchronised :-

At a time only 1 thread would be allowed to



H.W find scenario

→ ability → ~~not to allow 100s threads~~
~~not to only allow 1 thread~~

allow a certain number of
threads executing parallelly

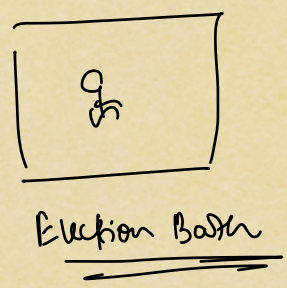
↓
Semaphore

Semaphore s = new Semaphore(N);
↓
no. of threads

↙
Mutex

Semaphore s = new Semaphore(1).

Mutex / Synchronised



Semaphore

