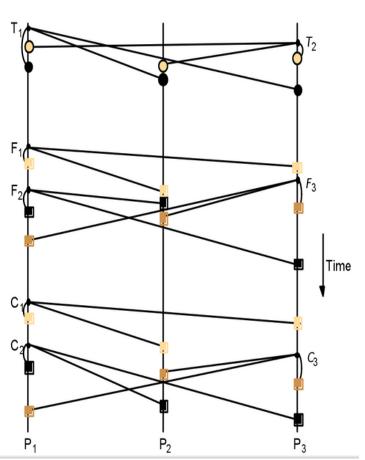


2.



T1 and T2 – totally ordered messages.

F1 and F2 – FIFO related questions.

C1 and C3 – Causally related messages.

Causal-ordering implies FIFO.

Causal ordering does not imply total ordering.

Thus, Causal-ordering and FIFO together does not imply total-ordering.

3. (a)

[X] = $[(1/3)(2/3)]^2$ [X] [Y] [(2/3)(1/3)] [Y]

The square because there is one iteration.

Thus on solving we get

[X] = [(1/3)(2/3)][(1/3)(2/3)][X][Y] [(2/3)(1/3)][(2/3)(1/3)][Y]

[X] = [(5/9) (4/9)] [X] [Y] [(4/9) (5/9)] [Y]

X = (5X/9) + (4Y/9)Y = (4X/9) + (5Y/9)

3. (b)

[a] = [(1/6) (1/3) (1/3)] [a] [b] = [(1/3) (1/6) (1/3)] [b] [c] = [(1/3) (1/3) (1/6)] [c]

