

1. Create a data-structure for efficient (log n) retrieval and update of inventory at any time bucket. This data structure should expose an interface to

- AddSupply(int bucket, float delta)
- AddDemand(int bucket, float delta)
- float GetInventory(int bucket)

All in log(n) time.

Inventory in any bucket is given by

$$i_n = i_{n-1} + s_n - d_n$$

where

$i_n$  is Inventory in  $n^{th}$  bucket

$s_n$  is Supply in  $n^{th}$  bucket

$d_n$  is Demand in  $n^{th}$  bucket

The following example shows the successive states after each operation.

AddSupply(2, 50);

Bucket		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Supply				50							
Demand											
Inventory		0	0	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50

AddDemand(3, 25);

Bucket		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Supply				50							
Demand					25						
Inventory		0	0	50	25	25	25	25	25	25	25

AddDemand(2, 30);

Bucket		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Supply				50							
Demand				30	25						
Inventory		0	0	20	-5	-5	-5	-5	-5	-5	-5

2. Following code implements a semaphore of a given capacity using C# class System.Threading.Monitor.

Learn the basics of the System.Threading.Monitor class methods such as

Wait()/Pulse()/Enter()/Exit()

Identify weaknesses/bugs, if any, in the following code (before the interview)

We will discuss during the interview. (10 min)

```
public class Semaphore
{
    private object _mutex = new object;
    private int _currAvail;

    public Semaphore(int capacity)
    {
        _currAvail = capacity;
    }

    public void Wait()
    {
        lock(_mutex)
        {
            if (_currAvail == 0) Monitor.Wait(_mutex);
            _currAvail--;
        }
    }

    public void Signal()
    {
        lock(_mutex)
        {
            _currAvail++;
            Monitor.Pulse(_mutex);
        }
    }
}
```