Description of Lab5

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- 1.Design decisions
- (1)Deadlock Detection: every time a transaction try to get a lock, I use DFS to search for the cycle if the lock can be got. It says, the transaction can only get the lock after it is committed/aborted. If it is, abort the transaction. To avoid a long-time detection, if the chain is too long, just abort the transaction.
- (2)Locking granularity is on page. That is I get the read/write lock on page. The lock is based on transaction, not thread. So it is a little hard to keep the writelock exclusive with other writelocks and readlocks.
- (3)Using fair lock in Java to keep sequence of acquiring lock.
- (4) Fix some bugs in lab4.
- 2.Some methods in BufferPool are restrict by synchronized to avoid competition when acquiring and releasing lock.