

Quiz 3 (Sep 24, 2025)

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Please write your answers clearly and keep them brief.

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1. The program below contains concurrency bugs (including violations of the class's concurrency coding standard). Identify and fix them by modifying the listing as appropriate. Note, the function `main` and `t` has no bugs. [8 points]

```
1  struct Node {
2      int id, iter;
3      mutex_t m;
4      cond_var c;
5  };
6
7  void node_signal(Node *node, Node *succ) {
8
9      mutex_lock(&node->m);
10     mutex_lock(&succ->m);
11     succ->iter++;
12
13     cond_signal(&succ->c, &node->m&succ->m);
14
15     mutex_unlock(&node->m);
16     mutex_unlock(&succ->m);
17 }
18
19
20 void node_wait(Node *node, int until) {
21     mutex_lock(&node->m);
22
23     ifwhile (node->iter < until) {
24
25         cond_wait(&node->c, &node->m);
26
27     }
28
29     mutex_unlock(&node->m);
30 }
31
32
33
34 void node_display(Node *node) {
35     mutex_lock(&node->m);
36     printf("Node %d Iteration %d\n", node->id, node->iter);
37     mutex_unlock(&node->m);
38 }
39
40 struct ThreadArg {
41     Node *node, *succ;
42 };
43
44 void t(void *a) {
45     ThreadArg *arg = (ThreadArg*)a;
46
47     int current = 1;
48
49     while (1) {
50
51         node_wait(a->node, current);
52
53         node_display(a->node);
54
55     }
```

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56         node_signal(a->node, a->succ);
57
58         current++;
59
60     }
61
62 }
63
64 /* There are no bugs in this function. */
65 int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
66     tid_t tids[3];
67     Node nodes[3];
68     ThreadArg args[3];
69     for (int i = 0; i < 3; i++) {
70         memset(&nodes[i], 0, sizeof(Node));
71         mutex_init(&nodes[i].m);
72         cond_var_init(&nodes[i].c);
73         nodes[i].id = i;
74         nodes[i].iter = 0;
75     }
76
77     for (int i = 0; i < 3; i++) {
78         args[i].node = &nodes[i];
79         args[i].succ = &nodes[(i+1)%3];
80         tids[i] = thread_create(t, (void*)&args[i]);
81     }
82
83     node_signal(&nodes[0], &nodes[0]);
84
85     for (int i = 0; i < 3; i++) {
86         thread_join(tids[i]);
87     }
88 }

```

2. What are the first five lines printed when the program above is run? If the precise sequence of lines is non-deterministic, i.e., it might change from one execution to another, state that this is the case as a part of your answer.[2 points]

```
Node 0 iteration 1
Node 1 iteration 1
Node 2 iteration 1
Node 0 iteration 2
Node 1 iteration 2
```

