

## Review (Past year question)

- Consider the relations R1(A,B,C), R2(C,D,E) and R3(E,F), with primary keys A, C, E respectively. Assume that R1 has 10000 tuples, R2 has 15000 tuples and R3 has 7500 tuples. For simplicity, assume that all tuples (including the query result) have the same size, and that each page can contain 10 tuples of R. Consider the query: R1 JOIN R2 JOIN R3. Assume that all attributes are of the same size, and any join output will include all attributes of all relations. Further, assume records do not span pages. Assuming the data are uniformly distributed, estimate the result size of the query.
- List all possible plans assuming only left-deep search space is considered (assuming only one join method). You may assume that cross product are to be avoided.
- Compute the cost for each of the above plans you listed to determine the optimal plan. For simplicity, you may assume that only the nested-block join is supported, the buffer size is 100 pages, and all intermediate results are to be stored in secondary storage.

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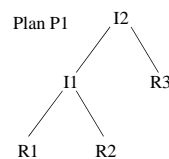
- Consider the relations R1(A,B,C), R2(C,D,E) and R3(E,F), with **primary keys A, C, E** respectively. Assume that R1 has **10000** tuples, R2 has **15000** tuples and R3 has **7500** tuples. For simplicity, assume that **all tuples** (including the query result) have the **same size**, and that **each page can contain 10 tuples of R**. Consider the query: R1 JOIN R2 JOIN R3. Assume that **all attributes are of the same size**, and any join output will include **all attributes of all relations**. Further, assume **records do not span pages**. Assuming the data are uniformly distributed, estimate the result size of the query.
  - Number of tuples = 10000
  - Number of pages = 10000/10 **WRONG!!**
  - Number of attributes per page = 30;
  - Number of result tuples per page = 30/8 = 3
  - Number of resultant pages = 10000/3

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- Assume Left Deep Tree plans and one join method. In total, there are 6 possible plans, but since cross products are not permitted, we end up with 4 plans
  - (R1 JOIN R2) JOIN R3
  - (R2 JOIN R1) JOIN R3
  - (R2 JOIN R3) JOIN R1
  - (R3 JOIN R2) JOIN R1

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- for each plan, compute the cost of each join. there are two points to note: (a) remember to include the cost to write out intermediate results, (b) the number of tuples per page may be different for each intermediate results.



Cost of Plan P1 = Cost (R1 JOIN R2) + Cost (I1 JOIN R3)

Size (I1) = 10000 tuples; 10000/5 pages

Cost (R1 JOIN R2) = 10000/10 + 1000/98\*(15000/15)+ 10000/5

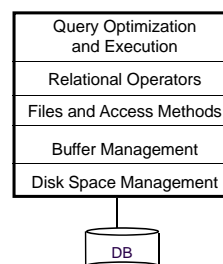
Cost(I1 JOIN R3) = join cost + cost to output I2

## Transaction Management Overview

There are three side effects of acid.  
Enhanced long term memory,  
decreased short term memory, and  
I forget the third.

- Timothy Leary

## Structure of a DBMS



These layers must consider concurrency control and recovery  
(Transaction, Lock, Recovery Managers)



## Transactions

- Transaction (“**xact**”)- DBMS’s abstract view of a user program (or activity):
  - A sequence of **reads** and **writes** of database objects, e.g., a transaction that transfers \$100 from account A to account B can be expressed as:
    - Read Account A;
    - Write Updated Account A (\$100 less);
    - Read Account B;
    - Write Updated Account B (\$100 more);
  - Unit of work that must **commit** or **abort** as an **atomic unit**
- Transaction Manager controls the execution of transactions.
- User’s program logic is invisible to DBMS!
  - Arbitrary computation possible on data fetched from the DB
  - The DBMS only sees data read/written from/to the DB.

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## ACID properties of Transaction Executions

- **Atomicity**: All actions in the Xact happen, or none happen.
- **Consistency**: If each Xact is consistent, and the DB starts consistent, it ends up consistent.
- **Isolation**: Execution of one Xact is isolated from that of other Xacts.
- **Durability**: If a Xact **commits**, its effects persist.

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## Atomicity and Durability

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- A transaction ends in one of two ways:
  - **commit** after completing all its actions
    - “commit” is a contract with the caller of the DB
  - **abort** (or be aborted by the DBMS) after executing some actions.
    - Or **system crash** while the xact is in progress; treat as abort.
- Two important properties for a transaction:
  - **Atomicity**: Either execute all its actions, or none of them
  - **Durability**: The effects of a committed xact must survive failures.
- DBMS ensures the above by **logging** all actions (Recovery):
  - **Undo** the actions of aborted/failed transactions.
  - **Redo** actions of committed transactions not yet propagated to disk when system crashes.

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## Transaction Consistency

A.C.I.D.

- Transactions preserve DB **consistency**
  - Given a consistent DB state, produce another consistent DB state
- DB Consistency expressed as a set of declarative **Integrity Constraints**
  - CREATE TABLE/ASSERTION statements
    - E.g. Each CS186 student can only register in one project group. Each group must have 2 students.
  - Application-level
    - E.g. Bank account total of each customer must stay the same during a “transfer” from savings to checking account
- Transactions that violate ICs are aborted
  - That’s all the DBMS can automatically check!

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## Isolation (Concurrency)

A.C.I.D.

- DBMS interleaves actions of many xacts concurrently
  - Actions = reads/writes of DB objects
- DBMS ensures xacts do not “step onto” one another.
- Each xact executes **as if** it were running **by itself**.
  - Concurrent accesses have no effect on a Transaction’s behavior
  - Net effect **must be** identical to executing all transactions for **some serial order**.
  - Users & programmers think about transactions in isolation
    - Without considering effects of other concurrent transactions!

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## Concurrency Control & Recovery

- Concurrency Control
  - Provide **correct** and **highly available** data access in the presence of concurrent access by many users
- Recovery
  - Ensures database is **fault tolerant**, and not corrupted by software, system or media failure
  - 24x7 access to mission critical data
- A boon to application authors!
  - Existence of CC&R allows applications to be written without explicit concern for concurrency and fault tolerance

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## Concurrency Control

Smile, it is the key that fits the lock of everybody's heart.

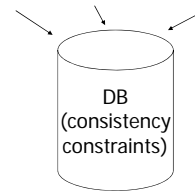
Anthony J. D'Angelo,  
The College Blue Book

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## Concurrency Control

T1 T2 ... Tn



Improves  
latency and  
throughput

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## Example:

T1: Read(A)      T2: Read(A)  
        $A \leftarrow A+100$        $A \leftarrow A \times 2$   
       Write(A)      Write(A)  
       Read(B)      Read(B)  
        $B \leftarrow B+100$        $B \leftarrow B \times 2$   
       Write(B)      Write(B)  
 Constraint:  $A=B$

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## Schedule A: Serial Schedule

T1	T2	A	B
Read(A); $A \leftarrow A+100$		25	25
Write(A);		125	
Read(B); $B \leftarrow B+100$ ;			
Write(B);			125
	Read(A); $A \leftarrow A \times 2$ ;		
	Write(A);	250	
	Read(B); $B \leftarrow B \times 2$ ;		
	Write(B);		250
		250	250

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## Schedule B

T1	T2	A	B
Read(A); $A \leftarrow A+100$		25	25
Write(A);		125	
	Read(A); $A \leftarrow A \times 2$ ;		
	Write(A);	250	
			125
Read(B); $B \leftarrow B+100$ ;			
Write(B);			
	Read(B); $B \leftarrow B \times 2$ ;		
	Write(B);		250
		250	250

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## Schedule C

T1	T2	A	B
Read(A); $A \leftarrow A+100$		25	25
Write(A);		125	
	Read(A); $A \leftarrow A \times 2$ ;		
	Write(A);	250	
	Read(B); $B \leftarrow B \times 2$ ;		
	Write(B);		50
			150
Read(B); $B \leftarrow B+100$ ;			
Write(B);			
		250	150

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### Schedule D

Same as Schedule C  
but with new T2'

T1	T2'	A	B
Read(A); A ← A+100		25	25
Write(A);		125	
	Read(A); A ← A×1;	125	
	Write(A);		
	Read(B); B ← B×1;		25
	Write(B);		125
Read(B); B ← B+100;			125
Write(B);		125	125

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### What are good schedules?

- Want schedules that are “good”, regardless of
- Only look at order of read and writes

Example:

$S_b = r_1(A)w_1(A)r_2(A)w_2(A)r_1(B)w_1(B)r_2(B)w_2(B)$

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- Want schedules that are “good”, regardless of
  - initial state and
  - transaction semantics
- Only look at order of read and writes

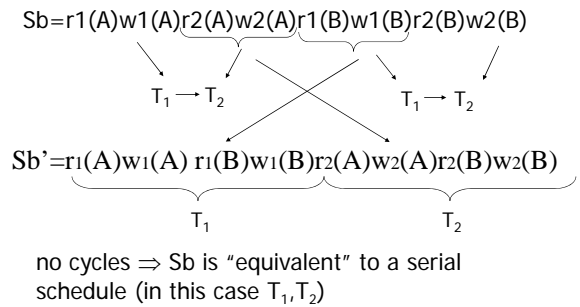
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### Example:



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### Example (Cont)

$S_d = r_1(A)w_1(A)r_2(A)w_2(A)r_2(B)w_2(B)r_1(B)w_1(B)$

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### Example (Cont)

$S_d = r_1(A)w_1(A)r_2(A)w_2(A)r_2(B)w_2(B)r_1(B)w_1(B)$

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### Example (Cont)

$S_d = r_1(A)w_1(A)r_2(A)w_2(A) r_2(B)w_2(B)r_1(B)w_1(B)$

$T_1 \rightarrow T_2$   
Also,  $T_2 \rightarrow T_1$

$T_1 \rightarrow T_2$   $S_d$  cannot be rearranged into a serial schedule  
 $T_2 \rightarrow T_1$   $S_d$  is not "equivalent" to any serial schedule  
 $S_d$  is "bad"

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### Concepts

**Transaction:** sequence of  $r_i(x)$ ,  $w_i(x)$  actions

**Conflicting actions:**  $\begin{matrix} r_1(A) & & w_1(A) & & w_1(A) \\ & \swarrow & & \swarrow & \\ w_2(A) & & r_2(A) & & w_2(A) \end{matrix}$

**Schedule:** represents chronological order in which actions are executed

**Serial schedule:** no interleaving of actions or transactions

**Serializable schedule:** a schedule whose effect on any consistent database instance is guaranteed to be identical to that of some complete serial schedule

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### Definition

$S_1, S_2$  are conflict equivalent schedules  
if  $S_1$  can be transformed into  $S_2$  by a series of swaps on non-conflicting actions.

A schedule is conflict serializable if it is conflict equivalent to some serial schedule.

Note: (a) Some "serializable" schedules are NOT conflict serializable.  
A price we pay to achieve efficient enforcement.  
(b) There are alternative (weaker) notions of serializability.

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### Conflict-Serializability is NOT necessary for Serializability

- $S_1: w_1(Y); w_1(X); w_2(Y); w_2(X); w_3(X)$ 
  - Serial schedule
- $S_2: w_1(Y); w_2(Y); w_2(X); w_1(X); w_3(X)$ 
  - Serializable schedule since effect is same as  $S_1$
- $S_1, S_2$  not conflict equivalent

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### Precedence graph $P(S)$ ( $S$ is schedule)

Nodes: transactions in  $S$

Arcs:  $T_i \rightarrow T_j$  whenever

- $p_i(A), q_j(A)$  are actions in  $S$
- $p_i(A) <_S q_j(A)$
- at least one of  $p_i, q_j$  is a write

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### Exercise:

- What is  $P(S)$  for  
 $S = w_3(A) w_2(C) r_1(A) w_1(B) r_1(C) w_2(A) r_4(A) w_4(D)$
- Is  $S$  serializable?

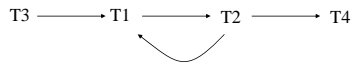
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### Theorem

$P(S_1)$  acyclic  $\iff S_1$  conflict serializable

$S_1, S_2$  conflict equivalent  $\Rightarrow P(S_1)=P(S_2)$  ???

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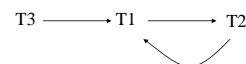
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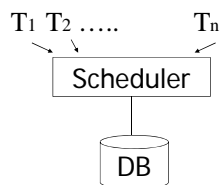
$P(S_1)=P(S_2) \not\Rightarrow S_1, S_2$  conflict equivalent

- $S_1 = w_3(A) w_2(C) r_1(C) r_1(A) w_2(B) w_1(B) w_2(A)$
- $S_2 = w_3(A) r_1(A) r_2(B) w_1(B) r_1(C) w_2(C) w_2(A)$



### How to enforce serializable schedules?

prevent  $P(S)$  cycles from occurring

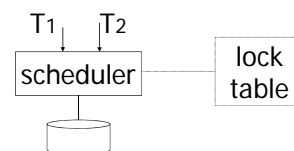


### A locking protocol

Two new actions:

lock (exclusive):  $li(A)$

unlock:  $ui(A)$





## Rules

### Rule #1: Well-formed transactions

Ti: ... li(A) ... pi(A) ... ui(A) ...

Rule #2: Legal scheduler

$$S = \dots \text{li}(A) \longleftrightarrow \text{ui}(A) \dots$$

$$\text{no lj}(A)$$

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*Exercise:*

- What schedules are legal?  
What transactions are well-formed?

$S1 = l1(A)l1(B)r1(A)w1(B)l2(B)u1(A)u1(B)$   
 $r2(B)w2(B)u2(B)l3(B)r3(B)u3(B)$  Not legal

$S2 = l_1(A)r_1(A)w_1(B)u_1(A)u_1(B)$  Not well-formed

$l_2(B)r_2(B)w_2(B)l_3(B)r_3(B)u_3(B)$  Not legal

$$S3 = l_1(A)r_1(A)u_1(A)l_1(B)w_1(B)u_1(B) \\ l_2(B)r_2(B)w_2(B)u_2(B)l_3(B)r_3(B)u_3(B)$$

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*Schedule F (Schedule C with locking)*

		A	B
T1	T2	25	25
l1(A);Read(A)			
A ← A+100;Write(A);u1(A)	l2(B);Read(B)	125	
	B ← Bx2;Write(B);u2(B)	250	50
l1(B);Read(B)			150
B ← B+100;Write(B);u1(B)		250	150

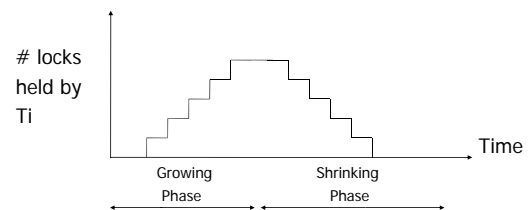
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*Rule #3 Two phase locking (2PL)  
for transactions*

$$T_i = \dots \text{li}(A) \dots \text{ui}(A) \dots$$

$\xleftarrow{\text{no unlocks}}$ 
 $\xrightarrow{\text{no locks}}$



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*Schedule G*

T1	T2
$l_1(A); \text{Read}(A)$	
$A \leftarrow A + 100; \text{Write}(A)$	
$l_1(B); u_1(A)$	
	$l_2(A); \text{Read}(A)$
	$A \leftarrow A \times 2; \text{Write}(A); l_2(B)$
$\text{Read}(B); B \leftarrow B + 100$	
$\text{Write}(B); u_1(B)$	
	$l_2(B); u_2(A); \text{Read}(B)$
	$B \leftarrow B \times 2; \text{Write}(B); u_2(B);$

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*Schedule H (T2 reversed)*

T1	T2
l <sub>1</sub> (A); Read(A)	l <sub>1</sub> (B); Read(B)
A ← A + 100; Write(A)	B ← B x 2; Write(B)

Diagram illustrating a scenario where a write operation by T1 is delayed due to a read operation by T2. T1's write operation is delayed because T2 is reading B, which is part of the same cache line. The delay is indicated by a dashed circle and the label "delayed".

Transactions are *deadlocked*

- Some deadlocked transactions are *rolled back* (and all their actions undone)

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## Theorem

Rules #1,2,3 (2PL)  $\Rightarrow$  conflict serializable schedule

## What else?

- Beyond this simple 2PL protocol, it is all a matter of improving performance and allowing more concurrency....
  - Shared locks
  - Multiple granularity
  - Inserts, deletes and phantoms
  - Other types of CC mechanisms**

## Shared locks

So far (exclusive lock):

$S1 = \dots l_1(A) \ r_1(A) \ u_1(A) \ \dots \ l_2(A) \ r_2(A) \ u_2(A) \ \dots$

Do not conflict

Instead:

$S2 = \dots l_{s1}(A) \ r_1(A) \ l_{s2}(A) \ r_2(A) \ \dots \ u_{s1}(A) \ u_{s2}(A)$

## Lock actions

$l_{-t_i}(A)$ : lock A in t mode (t is S or X)

$u_{-t_i}(A)$ : unlock t mode (t is S or X)

## Shorthand:

$u_i(A)$ : unlock whatever modes  $T_i$  has locked A

## Rule #1 Well formed transactions

$T_i = \dots l_{-S_1}(A) \ \dots \ r_1(A) \ \dots \ u_1(A) \ \dots$

$T_i = \dots l_{-X_1}(A) \ \dots \ w_1(A) \ \dots \ u_1(A) \ \dots$

## What about transactions that read and write same object?

Option 1: Request exclusive lock

$T_i = \dots l_{-X_1}(A) \ \dots \ r_1(A) \ \dots \ w_1(A) \ \dots \ u(A) \ \dots$

Option 2: Upgrade

(E.g., need to read, but don't know if will write...)

$T_i = \dots l_{-S_1}(A) \ \dots \ r_1(A) \ \dots \ l_{-X_1}(A) \ \dots \ w_1(A) \ \dots \ u(A) \ \dots$

Think of  
- Get 2nd lock on A, or  
- Drop S, get X lock



### Rule #2 Legal scheduler

$S = \dots l-S_i(A) \dots \dots u_i(A) \dots$

←→  
no  $l-X_j(A)$

$S = \dots l-X_i(A) \dots \dots u_i(A) \dots$

←→  
no  $l-X_j(A)$   
no  $l-S_j(A)$

### A way to summarize Rule #2

Compatibility matrix

		New request	
		S	X
Lock already held in	S	true	false
	X	false	false

### Rule #3 2PL transactions

No change except for upgrades:

(I) If upgrade gets more locks

(e.g.,  $S \rightarrow \{S, X\}$ ) then no change!

(II) If upgrade releases read (shared)

lock (e.g.,  $S \rightarrow X$ )

- can be allowed in growing phase

### Theorem

Rules 1,2,3  $\Rightarrow$  Conf.serializable  
for S/X locks schedules

### Example

T1	T2
$l-S_1(A); r_1(A)$	
	$l-S_2(A); r_2(A)$
	$l-S_2(B); r_2(B)$
<b><math>l-X_1(B)</math> (Denied)</b>	
	$u_2(A); u_2(B)$
$l-X_1(B); r_1(B); w_1(B)$	
$u_2(A); u_2(B)$	

### Lock types beyond S/X

Examples:

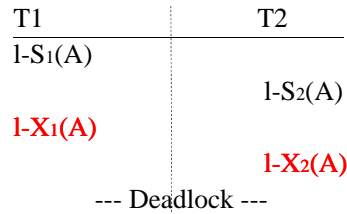
(1) update lock

(2) increment lock



## Update locks

A common deadlock problem with upgrades:



**Solution: Update Locks - If  $T_i$  wants to read  $A$  and knows it may later want to write  $A$ , it requests update lock (not shared)**

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New request

Comp		S	X	U
	S	T	F	<b>T</b>
	X	F	F	F
	U	<b>ForF?</b>	F	F

Lock already held in

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New request

Comp		S	X	U
	S	T	F	<b>T</b>
	X	F	F	F
	U	<b>F</b>	F	F

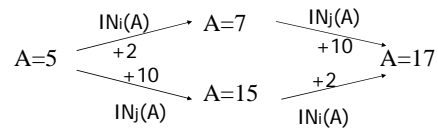
Lock already held in

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## Increment Locks

- Atomic increment action:  $IN_i(A)$   
 $\{Read(A); A \leftarrow A+k; Write(A)\}$
- $IN_i(A), IN_j(A)$  do not conflict!



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New request

Comp		S	X	I
	S	T	F	
	X	F	F	
	I			

Lock already held in

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New request

Comp		S	X	I
	S	T	F	F
	X	F	F	F
	I	F	F	T

Lock already held in

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Note: object A may be locked in different modes at the same time...

$$S_1 = \dots I-S_1(A) \dots I-S_2(A) \dots \begin{cases} I-X_3(A) \dots ? \\ I-S_3(A) \dots ? \\ I-U_3(A) \dots ? \end{cases}$$

To grant a lock in mode t, mode t must be compatible with all currently held locks on object

## Review (Past year exam question)

- Consider a relation databases with the following pages and tuples:
  - Page 1: t1, t2, t3, t4
  - Page 2: t5, t6, t7
  - Page 3: t8, t9, t10
  - Page 4: t11, t12, t13, t14
- Suppose the system supports ONLY exclusive lock. We define a “convoy” as a point in time in which one transaction T holds a lock on an object O (O can be a tuple, or page), and at least two other transactions are waiting for the lock on object O. We further define a “deadlock” as a point in time in which there is a sequence of transactions T1, T2, ..., Tn, such that for all i such that i < n, T1 waits for T(i+1), and also Tn waits for T1.
- Assume that transactions acquire locks at **page-level**, i.e., to access a tuple, the entire page must be locked. Consider the following three transactions (Note: L = lock, U = unlock, R = Read, W = Write)
  - T1: L(t6), R(t6), L(t9), R(t9), W(t6), U(t6), U(t9)
  - T2: L(t2), R(t2), L(t6), R(t6), W(t2), U(t2), U(t6)
  - T3: L(t8), R(t8), L(t3), R(t3), W(t3), U(t3), U(t8)
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- For the same scenario in (1), is there a schedule where a deadlock could occur? If so, draw the wait-for graph that shows the deadlock. Label the edge in the graph with the page that is being waited for. (A wait-for graph shows a deadlock if there is a cycle in the graph.) If not, explain why not.

## Review

- Consider a relation databases with the following pages and tuples:
  - Page 1: t1, t2, t3, t4
  - Page 2: t5, t6, t7
  - Page 3: t8, t9, t10
  - Page 4: t11, t12, t13, t14
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- Assume that transactions acquire locks at **page-level**, i.e., to access a tuple, the entire page must be locked. Consider the following three transactions (Note: L = lock, U = unlock, R = Read, W = Write)
  - T1: L(t6), R(t6), L(t9), R(t9), W(t6), U(t6), U(t9)
  - T2: L(t2), R(t2), L(t6), R(t6), W(t2), U(t2), U(t6)
  - T3: L(t8), R(t8), L(t3), R(t3), W(t3), U(t3), U(t8)
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**No convoy, since no more than two transactions accesses the same page**

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- As **There is a part 2 to this question: What if we are dealing with tuple-level locking?**
- T3: L(t8), R(t8), L(t3), R(t3), W(t3), U(t3), U(t8)
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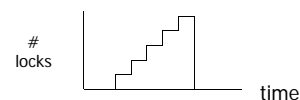
**T1 locks Page 2; T2 locks Page 1; T3 locks Page 3; T1 attempts to lock Page 3 (T1 -> T3); T2 attempts to lock Page 2 (T2 -> T1); T3 attempts to lock Page 1 (T3 -> T1). Deadlock.**

## How does locking work in practice?

- Every system is different  
(E.g., may not even provide CONFLICT-SERIALIZABLE schedules)
- But here is one (simplified) way ...

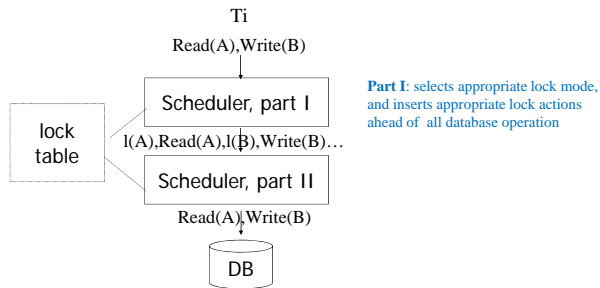
## Sample Locking System:

- Don't trust transactions to request/release locks
- Hold all locks until transaction commits





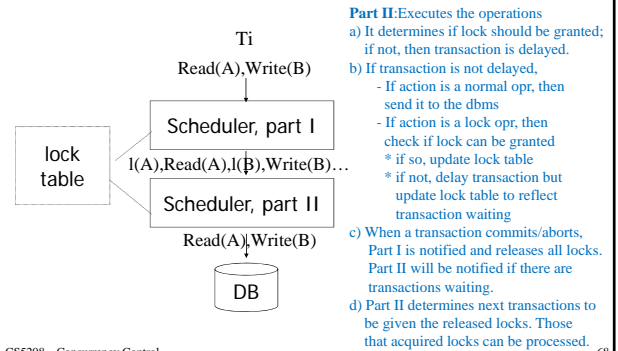
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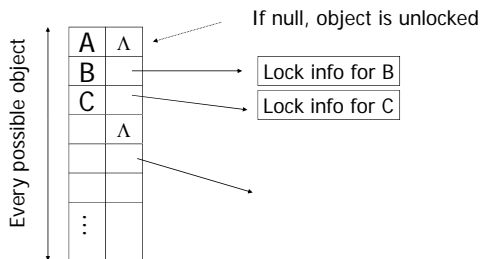
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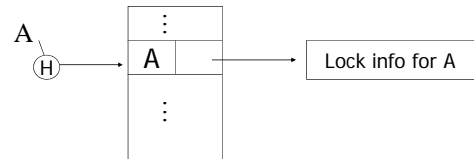
## Lock table (Conceptually)



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## But use hash table:

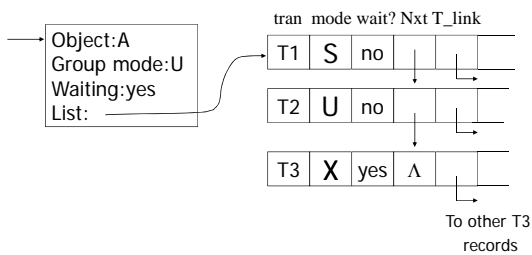


If object not found in hash table, it is unlocked

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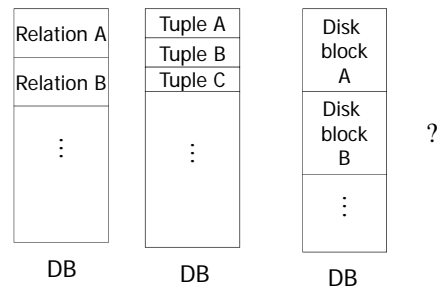
## Lock info for A - example



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## What are the objects we lock?



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- Locking works in any case, but should we choose small or large objects?

If we lock large objects (e.g., Relations)

Need few locks

Low concurrency

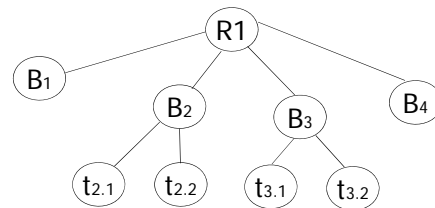
If we lock small objects (e.g., tuples, fields)

Need more locks

More concurrency

We can have it both ways!!

## Managing Hierarchies of Database Elements

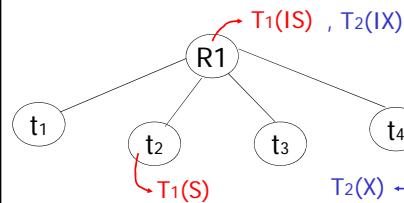


Database  
Tables  
Pages  
Tuples

## Warning Protocol

		Requestor					
		IS	IX	S	SIX	X	
Comp Holder	IS	T	T	T		F	
	IX	T	T	F		F	
	S	T	F	T		F	
	SIX						
	X	F	F	F		F	

## Multiple Granularity: Warning Protocol



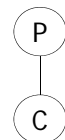
- ❖ IS - Intent to get S lock(s) at finer granularity.
- ❖ IX - Intent to get X lock(s) at finer granularity.
- ❖ SIX mode: Like S & IX at the same time.

## Warning Protocol

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Comp Holder	IS	T	T	T	T	F	
	IX	T	T	F	F	F	
	S	T	F	T	F	F	
	SIX	T	F	F	F	F	
	X	F	F	F	F	F	

Does it make sense to have SIX?

Parent locked in	Child can be locked in
IS	IS, S
IX	IS, S, IX, X, SIX
S	[S, IS] not necessary
SIX	X, IX, [SIX]
X	none





## Rules

- (1) Follow multiple granularity comp function
- (2) Lock root of tree first, any mode
- (3) Node Q can be locked by Ti in S or IS only if parent(Q) locked by Ti in IX or IS
- (4) Node Q can be locked by Ti in X,SIX,IX only if parent(Q) locked by Ti in IX,SIX
- (5) Ti is two-phase
- (6) Ti can unlock node Q only if none of Q's children are locked by Ti

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## Examples – 2 level hierarchy

Tables

Tuples

- T1 scans R, and updates a few tuples:
  - T1 gets an SIX lock on R, then get X lock on tuples that are updated.
- T2 uses an index to read only part of R:
  - T2 gets an IS lock on R, and repeatedly gets an S lock on tuples of R.
- T3 reads all of R:
  - T3 gets an S lock on R.
  - OR, T3 could behave like T2; can use [lock escalation](#) to decide which.
  - Lock escalation dynamically asks for coarser-grained locks when too many low level locks acquired

	IS	IX	SIX	S	X
IS	✓	✓	✓	✓	
IX	✓	✓	✓		
SIX	✓				
S	✓				✓
X					

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## Insert + delete operations

A
⋮
Z
α

← Insert

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## Modifications to locking rules:

- (1) Get exclusive lock on A before deleting A
- (2) At insert A operation by Ti, Ti is given exclusive lock on A

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## Still have a problem: **Phantoms**

Example: relation R (E#,name,...)  
 constraint: E# is key  
 use tuple locking

R	E#	Name	...
o1	55	Smith	
o2	75	Jones	

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T1: Insert <99,Gore,...> into R

T2: Insert <99,Bush,...> into R

T1	T2
S1(o1)	S2(o1)
S1(o2)	S2(o2)
Check Constraint	Check Constraint
⋮	⋮
Insert o3[99,Gore,..]	Insert o4[99,Bush,..]

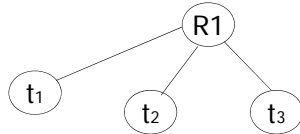
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### Solution

- Use multiple granularity tree
- Before insert of node Q,  
lock parent(Q) in  
X mode



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### Back to example

T1: Insert<99,Gore>

T2: Insert<99,Bush>

T1

T2

X1(R)



Check constraint

Insert<99,Gore>

U(R)

X2(R)

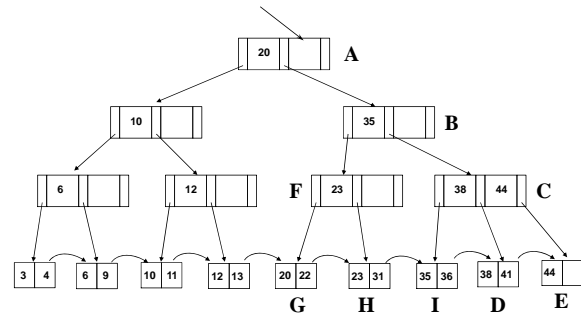
Check constraint

Oops! e# = 99 already in R!

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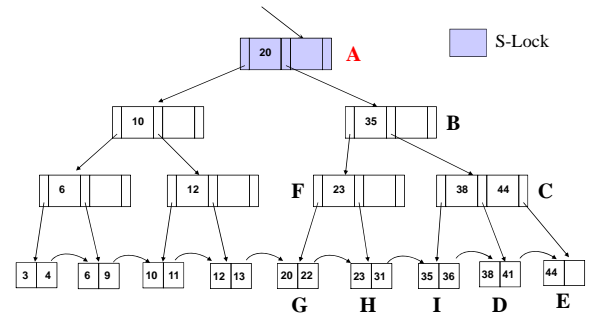
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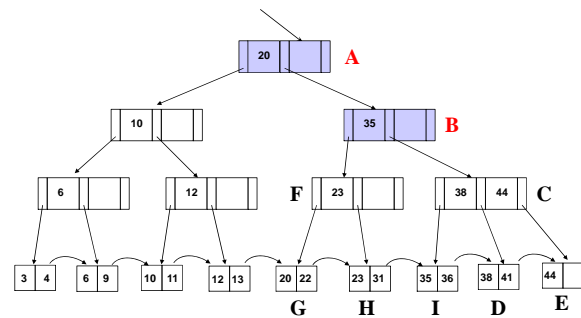
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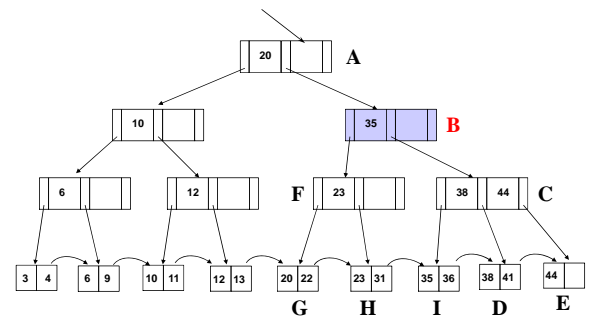
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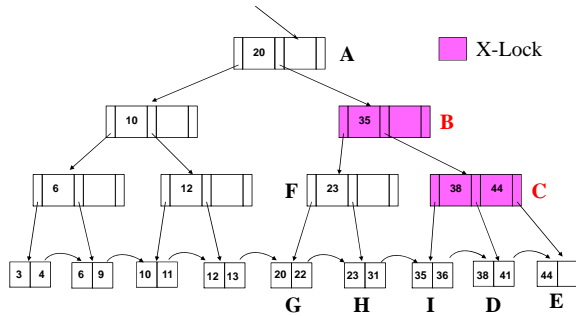
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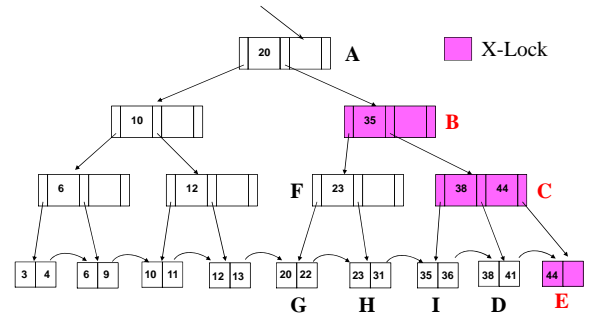
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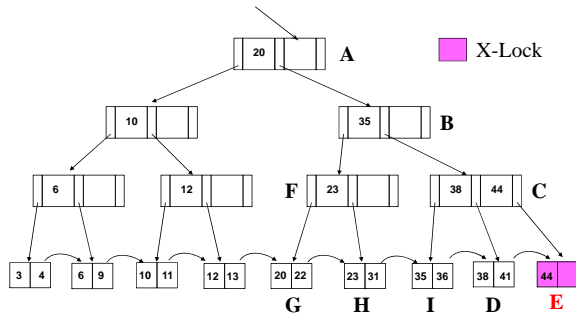
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## B+-tree Locking (Insert 45)



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## B+-tree Locking

- Can further optimize using S-Lock or Intention Lock for insertion
  - In this case, you may need to upgrade the lock and there is possibility of deadlock arising
- 2PL is *not* used for index locking
- Deletion can be done “efficiently” at the expense of violating the minimum utilization requirement

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## Deadlocks

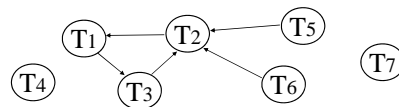
- Detection
  - Wait-for graph
- Prevention
  - Wait-die
  - Wound-wait

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## Deadlock Detection

- Build Wait-For graph
- Use lock table structures
- Build incrementally or periodically
- When cycle found, rollback victim
  - How to determine the victim?



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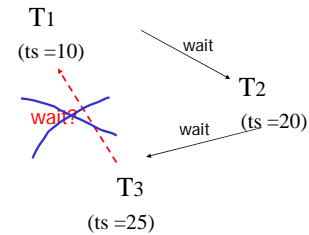
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## Deadlock Prevention: Wait-die

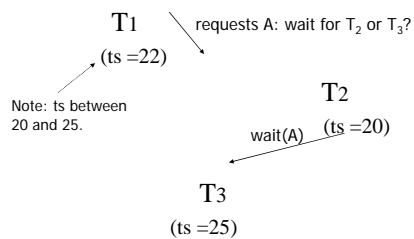
- Transactions given a timestamp when they arrive ....  $ts(T_i)$
- $T_i$  can only wait for  $T_j$  if  $ts(T_i) < ts(T_j)$   
...else die (i.e., abort)

## Example:



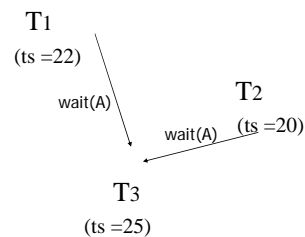
- Important detail: If a transaction re-starts, make sure it gets its original timestamp. Why?

## Second Example:



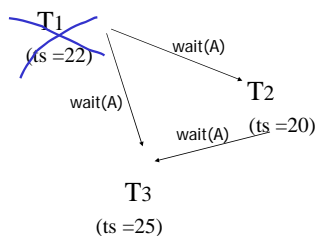
## Second Example (continued):

One option:  $T_1$  waits just for  $T_3$ , transaction holding lock. But when  $T_2$  gets lock,  $T_1$  will have to die!



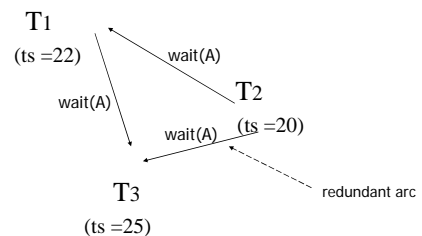
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## Second Example (continued):

Yet another option:  $T_1$  preempts  $T_2$ , so  $T_1$  only waits for  $T_3$ ;  $T_2$  then waits for  $T_3$  and  $T_1 \dots \Rightarrow T_2$  may starve?





## Deadlock Prevention: Wound-wait

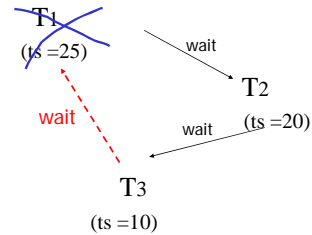
- Transactions given a timestamp when they arrive ...  $ts(T_i)$
- $T_i$  wounds  $T_j$  if  $ts(T_i) < ts(T_j)$   
else  $T_i$  waits

“Wound”:  $T_j$  rolls back and gives lock to  $T_i$

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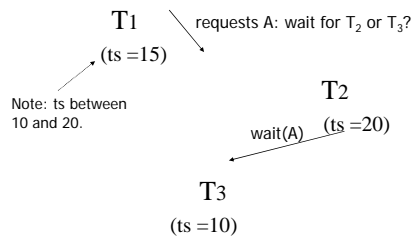
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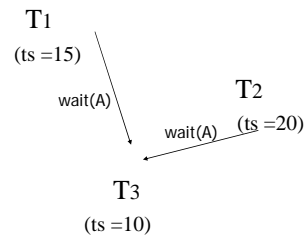


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One option:  $T_1$  waits just for  $T_3$ , transaction holding lock. But when  $T_2$  gets lock,  $T_1$  waits for  $T_2$  and wounds  $T_2$ .

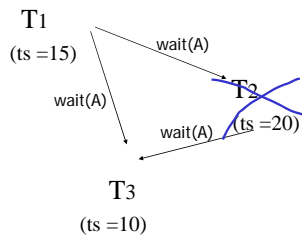


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Another option:  $T_1$  only gets A lock after  $T_2, T_3$  complete, so  $T_1$  waits for both  $T_2, T_3 \Rightarrow T_2$  wounded right away!

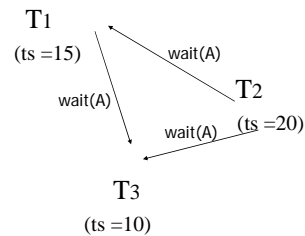


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## *Summary*

- Have studied lock-based CC mechanisms
  - 2 PL
  - Multiple granularity
  - Deadlock
- Did not cover non-locking based CC (timestamp/validation-based) schemes