

**Important:** This is an open book test. You can use any books, notes, or paper but no electronic device. *Do not log into the computer during the test, or use any electronic or communications device. Your cell phones must be on silent mode.* Any other device with an ON-OFF switch should have its switch in the OFF position. Any calculations and rough work can be done on the back side of the test pages. You will lose five points for not writing your name.

1. [6 pt] What is the difference between `clone(2)` and `fork(2)` system calls in Linux?

2. [6 pt] What is a spin lock? Why is a spin lock not useful in a uniprocessor environment?

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6. [10 pt] Assume a system with four resource types,  $C = \langle 7, 6, 6, 5 \rangle$  (this is the total number of resources in the system, and not what is currently available), and the maximum claim table shown below.

Process	$R_0$	$R_1$	$R_2$	$R_3$
$p_0$	3	0	3	1
$p_1$	2	3	0	4
$p_2$	3	0	0	4
$p_3$	4	0	2	3
$p_4$	0	1	2	0

The resource allocator is considering allocating resources according to the following table:

Process	$R_0$	$R_1$	$R_2$	$R_3$
$p_0$	2	0	3	1
$p_1$	2	0	0	0
$p_2$	3	0	0	0
$p_3$	0	0	1	1
$p_4$	0	0	1	0

Run the safety algorithm on this system to determine if this state is safe. If it is safe, give the sequence in which processes can be run. If it is unsafe, enumerate the processes that may get involved in a deadlock. Show your steps from the algorithm.