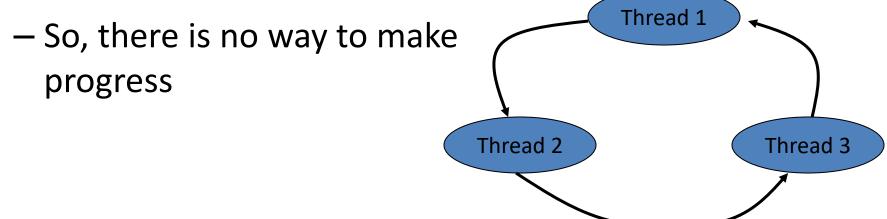
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Each thread is waiting on a resource held by another thread



Necessary Conditions for Deadlock

Mutual exclusion

- Resources cannot be shared
 - e.g., buffers, locks

• Hold and wait (subset property)

- A thread must hold a *subset* of its resource needs
 - And, the thread is waiting for more resources

• No preemption

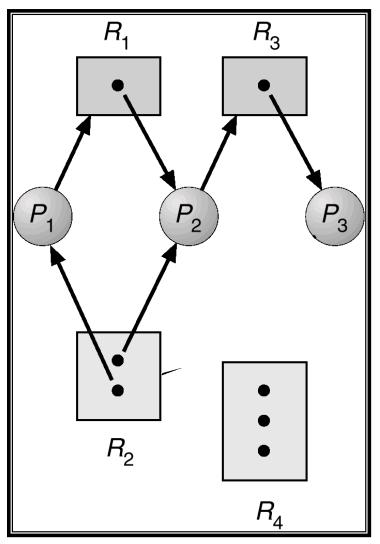
Resources cannot be taken away

• Circular wait

- A needs a resource that B has
- B has a resource that A has

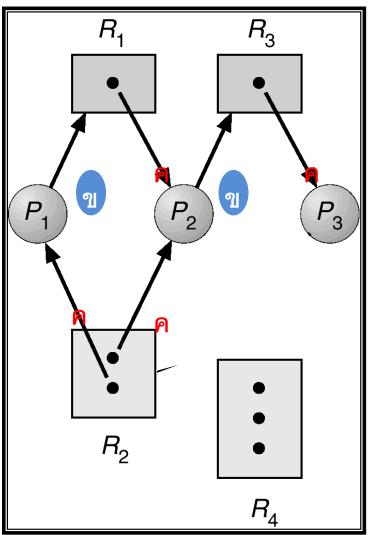
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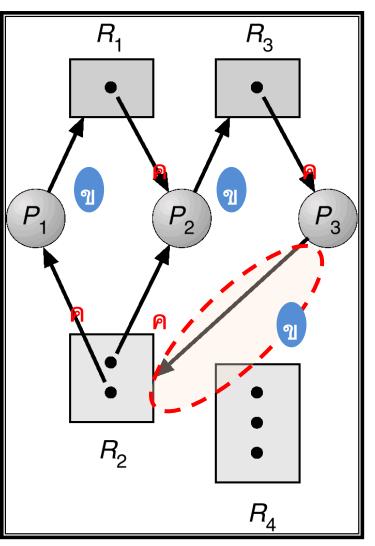
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Approaches to Deadlock

- 1. Avoid threads
- 2. Deadlock prevention
 - Break up one of the four necessary conditions
- 3. Deadlock avoidance
 - Stay live even in the presence of the four conditions
- 4. Detect and recover

Deadlock Prevention

Can we eliminate:

- Mutual exclusion?
- Hold and wait (subset property)?
- No Preemption?
- Circular waiting?

Deadlock Avoidance : Bankers Algorithm

- Basic idea: ensure that we always have an "escape route"
 - The resource graph is reducible
- This can be enforced with the bankers algorithm:
 - When a request is made
 - Pretend you granted it
 - Pretend all other legal requests were made
 - Can the graph be reduced?
 - If so, allocate the requested resource
 - If not, block the thread

Deadlock Detection and Recovery

- Not commonly used
 - Detection is expensive
 - Recovery is tricky
- Possible exception: databases