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event channels

2 queues

a) queue of events

name

data word

b) queue of waiting processes

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a) place an event on a channel
in all cases, what happened is returned

i) if process queue of the channel empty,

place your name

and data word on the event queue

ii) if process queue non empty,

~~get~~ give up process

Your name

data word

and wake up

check event queue
if an event is already
present, then you
do not enter the
event

what!
it full!

(full-1)
if almost full,
a special entry
goes in saying
"you lose"

if full, with goes in
in all cases, the
"event" is
informed

b) get an event from an event channel

i) if event queue empty, ~~keep~~^{get} on process queue

ii) if event queue non empty

get 1st event consisting of

a process name

a data word

c) get an event from an event channel if any
i. if event queue empty, ~~get~~^{get}