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optype stream = (int);  # type of data stream operations

module Merge[i = 1 to n]
    op in1 stream, in2 stream;  # input streams
    op initialize(cap stream);  # link to output stream
body
    int v1, v2;      # input values from streams 1 and 2
    cap stream out; # capability for output stream
    sem empty1 = 1, full1 = 0, empty2 = 1, full2 = 0;

    proc initialize(output) {  # provide output stream
        out = output;
    }

    proc in1(value1) {  # produce next value for stream 1
        P(empty1); v1 = value1; V(full1);
    }

    proc in2(value2) {  # produce next value for stream 2
        P(empty2); v2 = value2; V(full2);
    }

    process M {
        P(full1); P(full2);  # wait for two input values
        while (v1 != EOS and v2 != EOS)
            if (v1 <= v2)
                { call out(v1); V(empty1); P(full1); }
            else  # v2 < v1
                { call out(v2); V(empty2); P(full2); }
        # consume the rest of the non-empty input stream
        if (v1 == EOS)
            while (v2 != EOS)
                { call out(v2); V(empty2); P(full2); }
        else  # v2 == EOS
            while (v1 != EOS)
                { call out(v1); V(empty1); P(full1); }
        call out(EOS);  # append sentinel
    }
end Merge

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Figure 8.3 Merge-sort filters using RPC.

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