

Operating System

May 18

Computer Engineering (Semester 4)

Total marks: 80 Total time: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS
(1) Question 1 is compulsory.
(2) Attempt any three from the remaining questions.
(3) Draw neat diagrams wherever necessary.

Attempt any FOUR

| 1.a. Explain the difference between monolithic kernel and micro kernel. | (5 marks) |
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| 1.b. What is mutual exclusion? Explain its significance. | (5 marks) |
| 1.c. Discuss various scheduling criteria. | (5 marks) |
| 1.d. Explain various file allocation techniques. | (5 marks) |
| 1.e. Explain the disk cache. | (5 marks) |
| 2.a. What is operating system? Explain various functions and objectives. | (10 marks) |

b) What is deadlock? Explain the necessary and sufficient condition for deadlock. What is the difference between deadlock avoidance and prevention? (10 marks)



3.a. Explain the following in brief:

(i) Process synchronization (ii) Inter-Process Communication (10 marks)

3.b. Consider the following set of processes, assuming all are arriving at time 0.

| Process | Burst Time | Priority |
|---------|------------|----------|
| P1 | 2 | 2 |
| P2 | 1 | 1 |
| P3 | 8 | 4 |
| P4 | 4 | 5 |
| P5 | 5 | 3 |

Calculate average waiting time and turn-around time for FCFS, SJF (Non-Pre-emptive), Priority and RR (Quantum=2). (10 marks)



4.a. What is paging? Explain LRU, FIFO and Optimal page replacement policy for the following string. Page frame size is 4.

| 1,2,3,4,5,3,4,1,6,7,8,7,8,9,7,8,9,5,4,5,4,2 | (10 marks) |
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| 4.b. Explain banker's algorithms in detail. | (10 marks) |
| 5.a. What is system call? Explain any five system call in details. | (10 marks) |
| 5.b. Explain paging hardware with TLB along with protection bits in page table. | (10 marks) |
| Write short notes on (any two) | |
| 6.a. Linux Virtual file system | (10 marks) |
| 6.b. Process control block | (10 marks) |
| 6.c. Readers and writer problem using Semaphore | (10 marks) |
| 6.d. Explain disk scheduling algorithms | (10 marks) |