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**B. Tech.****(SEM. VI) EXAMINATION, 2008-09****OPERATING SYSTEMS***Time : 3 Hours]**[Total Marks : 100***1 Attempt any four :**

- (a) Compare multitasking and multiuser operating system.
- (b) What are the desirable and essential characteristics of an operating system ?
- (c) Explain in brief real time operating systems. Illustrate some areas where they are used.
- (d) What are the different services provided by an operating system?
- (e) Draw the layered structure of an operating system
- (f) What do you mean by system Protection? How it is achieved?

**2 Attempt any four :**

- (a) What is PCB (Process Control Block) ?
- (b) Explain principle of concurrency.

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- (c) Demonstrate process synchronization using procedure-consumer problem.
- (d) What is critical section ? Design algorithm to solve this problem.
- (e) How can the interprocess communication be achieved?
- (f) Define following:
  - (i) Dispatch.
  - (ii) Context switching.

**3** Attempt any **four** :

**5×4=20**

- (a) Define following terms:
  - (i) Average waiting time.
  - (ii) Time Slice or quantum.
  - (iii) Resposne time.
  - (iv) Turn Around Time.
  - (v) CPU Utilization.
- (b) What should be the selection criteria for scheduling algorithm ?
- (c) Calculate turn around time and average waiting time for following set of processes, if these processes are scheduled using :
  - (i) SJF

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(ii) Priority (both preemptive)

<i>Process</i>	<i>Burst Time</i>	<i>Priority</i>	<i>Arrival Time</i>
P1	7	1	0
P2	3	2	4
P3	9	3	7

- (d) What is dead lock and its conditions ?
- (e) How dead lock can be avoided ?
- (f) Explain the difference between busy waiting and blocking.

4 Attempt any **two** :

**10×2=20**

- (a) Explain the difference between internal fragmentation and external fragmentation? Which one occurs in paging system? Which one occurs in systems using pure segmentation? Discuss various ways of removing fragmentation.
- (b) Explain the concept of virtual memory and how it is obtained by Demand Paging and segmentation ?
- (c) Write short notes on the following:
- (i) Thrashing.
  - (ii) Cache memory.
  - (iii) Allocation of frame.
  - (iv) Dining-Philosopher-Problem.



- (a) Define following terms.
  - (i) Seek time
  - (ii) Rotational latency
  - (iii) File Sharing.
- (b) Explain Indexed allocation method of disk allocation.
- (c) What is DMA ?
- (d) What are the functions of a file system ?
- (e) Draw the file structure for UNIX operating system or Disk operating system (DOS).
- (f) List five system calls related to file system.