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Experiment Name: Implementation of SJF Scheduling Algorithm.

Shortest job first (SJF) is a scheduling algorithm, that is used to schedule processes in an operating system. It is a very important topic in Scheduling when compared to roundrobin and FCFS Scheduling. In this article, we will discuss the Shortest Job First Scheduling in the following order:

- Types of SJF
- Non-Preemptive SJF
- Code for Non-Preemptive SJF Scheduling
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There are two types of SJF

- Pre-emptive SJF
- Non-Preemptive SJF

These algorithms schedule processes in the order in which the shortest job is done first. It has a minimum average waiting time.

There are 3 factors to consider while solving SJF, they are

- 1. BURST Time
- 2. Average waiting time
- 3. Average turnaround time

Non-Preemptive Shortest Job First

Here is an example

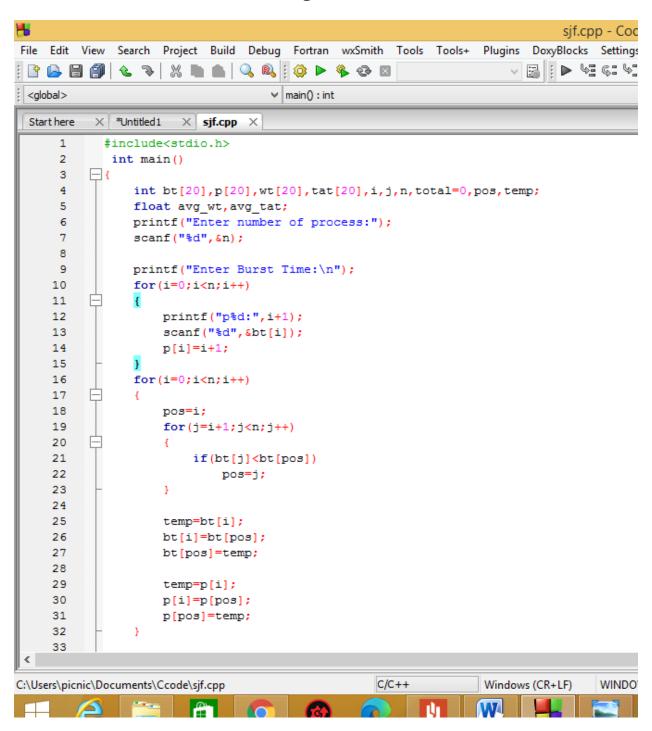
Processes Id	Burst Time	Waiting Time	Turn Around Time
4	3	0	3
1	6	3	9
3	7	9	16
2	8	16	25

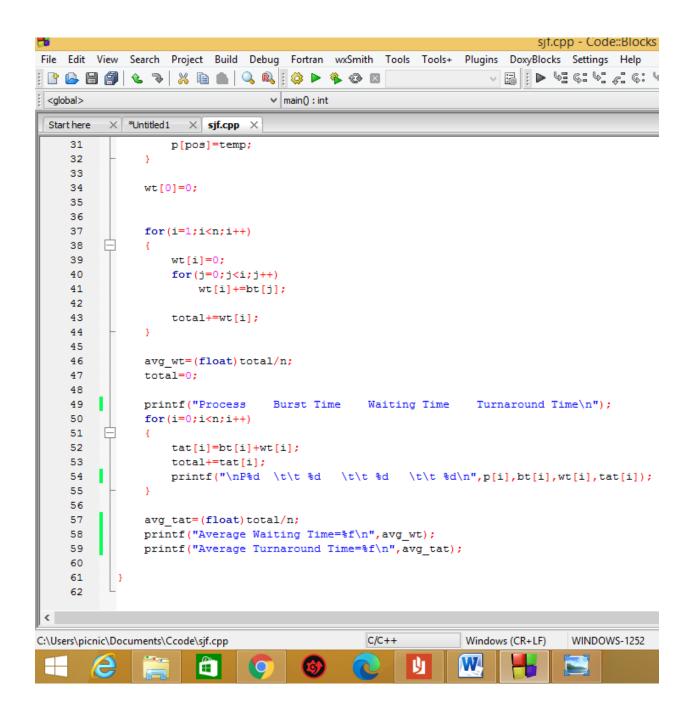
Average waiting time = **7**

Average turnaround time = **13**

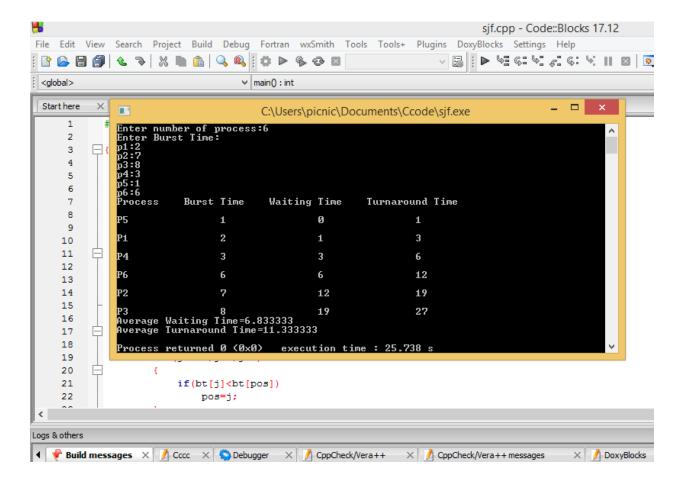
T.A.T= waiting time + burst time

Code for Shortest Job First Scheduling:





Output:



In the above program, we calculate the average waiting and average turn around times of the jobs. We first ask the user to enter the number of processes and store it in n. We then accept the burst times from the user. It is stored in the bt array.

After this, the burst times are sorted in the next section so the shortest one can be executed first. Here selection sort is used to sort the array of burst time bt.

Waiting time of the first element is zero, the remaining waiting time is calculated by using two for loop that runs from 1 to in that controls the outer loop and the inner loop is controlled by another for loop that runs from j=0 to j<i. Inside the loop, the waiting time is calculated by adding the burst time to the waiting time.

Code for Pre-emptive SJF Scheduling:

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         #include <stdio.h>
    2
         int main()
    3
    4
               int arrival_time[10], burst_time[10], temp[10];
    5
               int i, smallest, count = 0, time, limit;
    6
               double wait time = 0, turnaround time = 0, end;
    7
               float average_waiting_time, average_turnaround_time;
   8
               printf("\nEnter the Total Number of Processes:");
   9
               scanf("%d", &limit);
  10
               printf("\nEnter Details of %d Processes\n", limit);
  11
               for(i = 0; i < limit; i++)</pre>
  12
  13
                    printf("\nEnter Arrival Time:");
  14
                    scanf("%d", &arrival time[i]);
  15
                    printf("Enter Burst Time:");
  16
                    scanf("%d", &burst time[i]);
  17
                    temp[i] = burst_time[i];
  18
  19
               burst_time[9] = 9999;
  20
               for(time = 0; count != limit; time++)
  21
  22
                    smallest = 9;
   23
                    for (i = 0; i < limit; i++)
  24
   25
                           if(arrival time[i] <= time && burst time[i] < burst time[smallest] && burst time[i] > 0)
   26
                                                int main::time
   27
                                smallest = i;
   28
   29
                  burst time[smallest]--;
                  if(burst time[smallest] == 0)
                         count++;
                         end = time + 1;
                         wait_time = wait_time + end - arrival_time[smallest] - temp[smallest];
                         turnaround_time = turnaround_time + end - arrival_time[smallest];
           average waiting time = wait time / limit;
           average_turnaround_time = turnaround_time / limit;
           printf("\n\nAverage Waiting Time:%lf\n", average waiting time);
           printf("\nAverage Turnaround Time:%lf\n", average turnaround time);
           return 0;
```

Output:

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C:\Users\picnic\Documents\Ccode\premitiviesjf.exe

Enter the Total Number of Processes:4

Enter Details of 4 Processes

Enter Arrival Time:1
Enter Burst Time:4

Enter Arrival Time:2
Enter Burst Time:4

Enter Arrival Time:3
Enter Burst Time:4

Enter Burst Time:4

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Enter Burst Time:8

Average Waiting Time:4.759000

Average Vaiting Time:10.000000

Process returned 0 (0x0) execution time: 20.625 s

Press any key to continue.
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Discussion:

The only difference in preemptive and non-preemptive is that when two burst times are same the algorithm evaluates them on first come first serve basis. Hence there is an arrival time variable.

With this, we come to an end of this Shortest Job Scheduling in C article. I hope you got an idea of how this scheduling works.