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### Session 2025-2026

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**Program Educational Objectives of the program (PEO):** (broad statements that describe the professional and career accomplishments)

PEO1	<b>Preparation</b>	<b>P: Preparation</b>	<b>Pep-CL abbreviation pronounce as Pep-si-IL easy to recall</b>
PEO2	<b>Core Competence</b>	<b>E: Environment (Learning Environment)</b>	
PEO3	<b>Breadth</b>	<b>P: Professionalism</b>	
PEO4	<b>Professionalism</b>	<b>C: Core Competence</b>	
PEO5	<b>Learning Environment</b>	<b>L: Breadth (Learning in diverse areas)</b>	

**Program Outcomes (PO):** (statements that describe what a student should be able to do and know by the end of a program)

### Keywords of POs:

Engineering knowledge, Problem analysis, Design/development of solutions, Conduct Investigations of Complex Problems, Engineering Tool Usage, The Engineer and The World, Ethics, Individual and Collaborative Team work, Communication, Project Management and Finance, Life-Long Learning

### PSO Keywords:

Cutting edge technologies, Research

"I am an engineer, and I know how to apply engineering knowledge to investigate, analyse and design solutions to complex problems using tools for entire world following all ethics in a collaborative way with proper management skills throughout my life." to contribute to the development of cutting-edge technologies and Research.

**Integrity:** I will adhere to the Laboratory Code of Conduct and ethics in its entirety.

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Session	2025-26 (ODD)	Course Name	Operating System Lab
Semester	5	Course Code	23IOT1504
Roll No	35	Name of Student	Bhushan Tayade

Practical Number	7
Course Outcome	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand Computer System Configuration and Simulate system resources efficiently using Linux Commands (CO1)</li> <li>Analyse operating system functionalities utilizing system calls, thread programming and process scheduling algorithms (CO2)</li> <li>Apply Synchronization primitives to implement a Deadlock-free solution(CO3)</li> <li>Simulate Disk scheduling, Memory allocation, File allocation, page replacement algorithms (CO4)</li> </ol>
Aim	<b>Implement a program to simulate disk scheduling algorithms.</b> <b>A. FCFS</b> <b>B. SSTF</b>
Problem Definition	<b>Design and implement a program to simulate different disk scheduling algorithms that determine the order in which pending disk I/O requests are processed. The program should calculate the total head movement and display the sequence in which tracks are accessed using the FCFS and SSTF methods.</b>
Theory (100 words)	<p>Disk scheduling algorithms are used in operating systems to decide the order of servicing I/O requests from multiple processes. When several processes request access to different tracks on the disk, the scheduling method determines how the disk head moves to fulfill these requests efficiently.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First Come First Serve (FCFS): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In FCFS, the requests are handled in the exact order they arrive. The disk head moves from one requested track to the next without reordering.</li> <li>Advantage: Simple to implement and fair to all requests.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Disadvantage: Can result in large total head movement if requests are far apart, leading to poor performance.</li></ul> <p>2. Shortest Seek Time First (SSTF):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• In SSTF, the request that is closest to the current head position is selected next. This reduces the overall seek time since the nearest track is always served first.</li><li>• Advantage: Minimizes total head movement and average seek time.</li><li>• Disadvantage: May lead to starvation of requests that are far from the current head position.</li></ul> <p><b>Applications:</b></p> <p>These algorithms are essential in optimizing disk performance, improving throughput, and reducing latency in systems where multiple processes compete for disk access.</p>
Procedure and Execution  (100 Words)	Step for Implementation: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Start the program and input the total number of requests and their track numbers.</li><li>2. Enter the initial position of the disk head.</li><li>3. Implement two functions:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Simulate_fcfs() for the FCFS algorithm.</li><li>○ simulate_sstf() for the SSTF algorithm.</li></ul></li><li>4. In FCFS:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Service requests in the order they are received.</li><li>○ Calculate total head movement.</li></ul></li><li>5. In SSTF:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Select the request closest to the current head each time.</li><li>○ Mark served requests to avoid repetition.</li></ul></li><li>6. Display the order of head movement and the total number of tracks traversed.</li><li>7. End the program after displaying both algorithm results.</li></ol>



Code:

```
#include <stdio.h>

#include <stdlib.h>

#include <limits.h>

#define MAX_REQUESTS 100

void simulate_fcfs(int requests[], int num_requests, int initial_head) {

    int total_seek_time = 0;

    int current_head = initial_head;

    printf("\n--- FCFS Disk
Scheduling Simulation ---\n");

    printf("Head Movement Path:
%d", current_head);

    for (int i = 0; i < num_requests;
        i++) {

        int seek_distance =
        abs(requests[i] - current_head);

        total_seek_time +=
        seek_distance;

        current_head = requests[i];

        printf(" -> %d", current_head);

    }

}
```



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printf("\nTotal Head Movement
(FCFS): %d tracks\n",
total_seek_time);

printf("-----
-----\n");

}

void simulate_sstf(int requests[], int
num_requests, int initial_head) {

    int total_seek_time = 0;

    int current_head = initial_head;

    int served[MAX_REQUESTS] =
{0};

    int served_count = 0;

    printf("\n--- SSTF Disk
Scheduling Simulation ---\n");

    printf("Head Movement Path:
%d", current_head);

    while (served_count <
num_requests) {

        int min_seek_distance =
INT_MAX;

        int next_index = -1;

        for (int i = 0; i < num_requests;
i++) {
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if (served[i] == 0) {  
  
    int seek_distance =  
    abs(requests[i] - current_head);  
  
    if (seek_distance <  
        min_seek_distance) {  
  
        min_seek_distance =  
        seek_distance;  
  
        next_index = i;  
  
    }  
  
}  
  
total_seek_time +=  
min_seek_distance;  
  
current_head =  
requests[next_index];  
  
served[next_index] = 1;  
  
served_count++;  
  
  
printf(" -> %d", current_head);  
}  
  
printf("\nTotal Head Movement  
(SSTF): %d tracks\n",  
total_seek_time);  
printf("-----")
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-----\n");  
}  
  
int main() {  
  
    int num_requests, initial_head;  
  
    int requests[MAX_REQUESTS];  
  
  
  
  
    printf("Enter the number of disk  
requests: ");  
  
    scanf("%d", &num_requests);  
  
  
  
  
    printf("Enter the request  
sequence: ");  
  
    for (int i = 0; i < num_requests;  
         i++) {  
  
        scanf("%d", &requests[i]);  
  
    }  
  
  
  
  
    printf("Enter the initial head  
position: ");  
  
    scanf("%d", &initial_head);  
  
  
  
  
    simulate_fcfs(requests,  
                  num_requests, initial_head);  
  
    simulate_sstf(requests,  
                  num_requests, initial_head);
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        return 0;
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}
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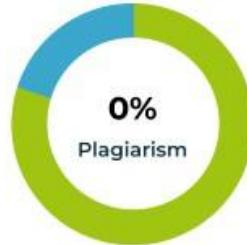
	<b>Output:</b> <pre>iot1@localhost ~]\$  iot1@localhost ~]\$ vi practical7.c  iot1@localhost ~]\$ gcc practical7.c  iot1@localhost ~]\$ ./a.out  Enter the number of disk requests (max 100): 10  Enter the request queue (e.g., 98 183 37 122 14 124 65 67):  1 31 26 03 16 13 28 74 61 59  Enter the initial head position: 21   -- FCFS Simulation ---  Head Movement Path: 21 -&gt; 21 -&gt; 31 -&gt; 26 -&gt; 3 -&gt; 16 -&gt; 13 -&gt; 28 -&gt; 74 -&gt; 61 -&gt; 59  Total Head Movement (FCFS): 130 tracks  -----   -- SSTF Simulation ---  Head Movement Path: 21 -&gt; 21 -&gt; 26 -&gt; 28 -&gt; 31 -&gt; 16 -&gt; 13 -&gt; 3 -&gt; 59 -&gt; 61 -&gt; 74  Total Head Movement (SSTF): 109 tracks  -----</pre>
Output Analysis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• FCFS services requests in the arrival order, resulting in higher total head movement.</li><li>• SSTF chooses the nearest track each time, significantly reducing the total seek time.</li></ul>
Link of student Github profile where lab assignment has been uploaded	<a href="https://github.com/Bhushan-Tayade/YCCN-23071391.git">“<a href="https://github.com/Bhushan-Tayade/YCCN-23071391.git">https://github.com/Bhushan-Tayade/YCCN-23071391.git</a>”</a>
Conclusion	<p>The simulation demonstrates how different disk scheduling algorithms affect disk performance.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>FCFS</b> is simple and fair but not efficient in minimizing head movement.</li><li>• <b>SSTF</b> improves efficiency by always selecting the closest request, leading to faster disk access.</li></ul> <p>Thus, proper selection of disk scheduling algorithms can improve system throughput and overall performance.</p>



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Aug 1, 2023 ◆ Calculate waiting time by subtracting the arrival time of a process from the sum of the burst times of all previous processes. ◆ Turnaround time◆...

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