

# Operating System

## CPU Scheduling

DPP 01

**[MCQ]**

1. Process can complete its execution from \_\_\_\_
- (a) Ready state      (b) Running state  
(c) Block State      (d) All of the above

**[MCQ]**

2. Consider a system with n number of processes, s is time when each process terminates, and t is the time each process arrives to the ready queue. What will be the average time for n processes to complete their execution?

(a)  $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(t_i - s_i)}{n}$       (b)  $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(n_i - t_i)}{s}$   
(c)  $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(s_i - n_i)}{t}$       (d)  $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(s_i - t_i)}{n}$

**[MSQ]**

3. Which of the following statement is/ are INCORRECT regarding total number of schedules if the system has n number of processes?
- (a) Total number of schedules possible in non-preemptive system are n.  
(b) Total number of schedules possible in non-preemptive system are  $n^2$ .  
(c) Total number of schedules possible in preemptive system are  $n^2$ .  
(d) Total number of schedules possible in non-preemptive system are  $n!$ .

**[NAT]**

4. Consider a system with three non-preemptive processes, first process arrives at time unit 4 and executes for 12 ms, while first process was executing second process arrives at time 6 with burst time 8 ms and third process arrives at time 19 with burst time 8 ms. Assume X is the schedule length of the above system and Y is the amount of time CPU is idle and waiting for processes, calculate  $X + Y$ ?

Note: CPU time started at 0.

**[MSQ]**

5. Which of the following statements are CORRECT regarding process state transition diagram?
- (a) A process can move from ready to suspend blocked state.  
(b) A blocked process can move to suspend ready state.  
(c) A blocked process can move to running state.  
(d) A running process can move to blocked state.

**[NAT]**

6. Consider the following processes, with their respective arrival time and burst times:

Processes	Arrival Time	Burst Time
P1	3	4
P2	5	6
P3	2	5
P4	0	3

Calculate the average turnaround time of all the processes scheduled using First come first serve algorithm. [Upto two decimal places]

**Note:** Scheduling overhead is negligible

**[NAT]**

7. Consider the following processes, with their respective arrival time and burst times:

Processes	Arrival Time	Burst Time
P1	2	5
P2	5	4
P3	4	6
P4	0	4

Calculate the sum of average waiting time and average turn around time of all the processes scheduled using First come first serve algorithm. [Upto two decimal places]

**Note:** Scheduling overhead is negligible.

[NAT]

8. Consider a pre-emptive system with 6 processes, each process executes for 2 ms and leaves the system, and again enters the system(in any order) after all other processes has executed its first 2 ms. Each process has a burst time of 5 ms. What will be the total schedule length. Assuming no process went in block state.



## Answer Key

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|--------------|------------|
| 1. (b)       | 5. (b, d)  |
| 2. (d)       | 6. (7.75)  |
| 3. (a, b, c) | 7. (13.25) |
| 4. (32)      | 8. (30)    |



## Hint & Solutions

1. (b)

Process can terminate or complete its execution from running state only. The termination may be normal or abnormal, but a process will always terminate from running state only.

2. (d)

Given,

n number of processes

s is time when each process terminates = Completion time

t is the time each process arrives to the ready queue = Arrival time

Average time for n processes to complete their execution = Average turnaround time

Average Turnaround time for n processes is given as

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(s_i - t_i)}{n}$$

Therefore, option D is the correct answer.

3. (a, b, c)

For n processes, the total number of schedules possible in non-pre-emptive system are n! And Total number of schedules possible in pre-emptive system are infinite.

Therefore, option A, B, C all are incorrect statements and correct options.

4. (32)

Gantt Chart:

IDLE	P1	P2	P3	
0	4	16	24	32

Schedule length = completion time of last process - arrival time of first process.

$$X = 32 - 4$$

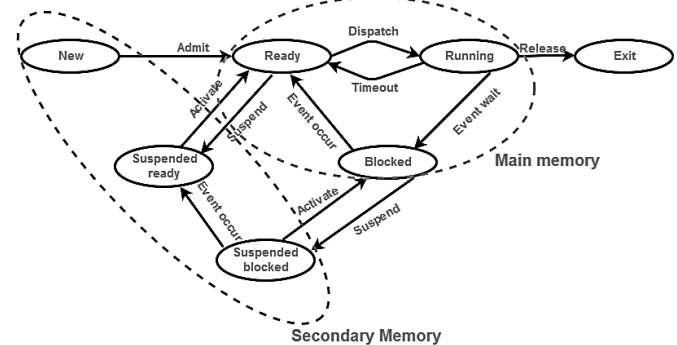
$$= 28$$

CPU is idle for 4 units from time 0 to 4. Y = 4

Therefore, X + Y = 32.

5. (b, d)

According to process transition diagram



A blocked process can move to suspend ready state.

And, A running process can move to blocked state.

Therefore, option B, D are correct.

6. (7.75)

P4	P3	P1	P2	
0	3	8	12	18

Processes	Arrival Time	Burst Time	Completion Time	Turn Around Time
P1	3	4	12	9
P2	5	6	18	13
P3	2	5	8	6
P4	0	3	3	3

Average Turnaround time =  $(9 + 13 + 6 + 3) / 4 = 7.75$

7. (13.25)

P4	P1	P3	P2	
0	4	9	15	19

Processes	Arrival Time	Burst Time	Completion Time	Turn Around Time	Waiting time
P1	2	5	9	7	2
P2	5	4	19	14	10
P3	4	6	15	11	5
P4	0	4	4	4	0

Average Waiting time =  $(2 + 10 + 5 + 0) / 4 = 4.25$

Average Turnaround time =  $(7 + 14 + 11 + 4) / 4 = 9$

Sum of average waiting time and average turnaround time of all the processes =  $9 + 4.25 = 13.25$

