

(a) arrival $\lambda=10$

System A $\mu=6$ M/M/3

System B $\mu=18$ M/M/1

(b)

System A

$$(i) L = \frac{\rho(m\rho)^m \pi_0}{m!(1-\rho)^2} + \frac{\lambda}{\mu} \quad \rho = \frac{\lambda}{m\mu} = \frac{10}{3 \times 6} = \frac{5}{9} \quad m=3$$

$$m\rho = \frac{5}{9} \times 3 = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$L = \frac{\frac{5}{9} \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^3 \pi_0}{3!(1-\frac{5}{9})^2} + \frac{10}{6}$$

$$= \frac{1135}{556} = 2.0414$$

$$\pi_0 = \left[\frac{(m\rho)^m}{m!(1-\rho)} + \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \frac{(m\rho)^k}{k!} \right]^{-1}$$
$$= \frac{24}{139}$$

(ii)

$$Q = L - \frac{\lambda}{\mu} = \frac{625}{1668} = 0.3747$$

(iii)

$$W = \frac{L}{\lambda} = \frac{\frac{1135}{556}}{10} = 0.20414$$

(iv)

$$D = \frac{Q}{\lambda} = 0.03747$$

System B

$$(i) L = \frac{\rho}{1-\rho} = \frac{\lambda}{\mu-\lambda} = \frac{10}{18-10} = \frac{5}{4} = 1.25$$

$$(ii) Q = \frac{\lambda^2}{\mu(\mu-\lambda)} = \frac{100}{18 \times 8} = \frac{25}{36} = 0.694$$

$$(iii) W = \frac{L}{\lambda} = \frac{\frac{5}{4}}{10} = \frac{1}{8} = 0.125$$

$$(iv) D = \frac{Q}{\lambda} = \frac{\frac{25}{36}}{10} = \frac{5}{72} = 0.0694$$

(c)

because

$$L_B < L_A$$

$$W_B < W_A$$

choose System B