

# Solutions to Selected Problems

## Chapter 2

(2.1) Cyclic Scheduler For a given periodic task, a frame size is chosen when it satisfies all the constraints.

Constraint #1:  $\max \{e_i\} \leq F$

$$\Rightarrow \max \{1, 1, 1, 2\} = 2$$

So,  $F$  should be at least 2

Const #2: major cycle  $M = \text{LCM}(4, 5, 20)$

$$\Rightarrow M = 20$$

$M$  should be an integral multiple of  $F$ ,

i.e.,  $M \bmod F = 0$ . We can then check

for possible values of  $F$ , i.e.,

$$F \in \{2, 4, 5, 10, 20\}$$

Const #3: We need to check

$$\rightarrow 2F - \gcd(F, p_i) \leq d_i \text{ for each } p_i$$

We need to consider  $d_i$  as  $p_i$  for each task. Hence we have:

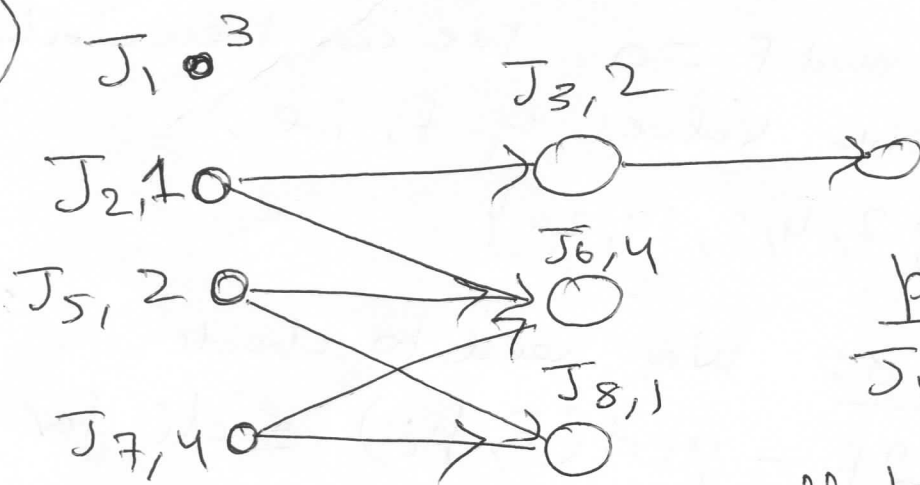
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F	T <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>2</sub>	T <sub>3</sub>	T <sub>4</sub>	Remarks
2	✓	✓	✓	✓	Satisfied by all tasks
4	✓	X	—	—	T <sub>2</sub> fails
5	X	—	—	—	T <sub>1</sub> fails
20	X	—	—	—	T <sub>1</sub> fails

Example:  $\underbrace{2 * 2 - \gcd(2, 4)}_2 \leq 4$

Thus,  $F=2$  is a suitable frame size for scheduling the given set.

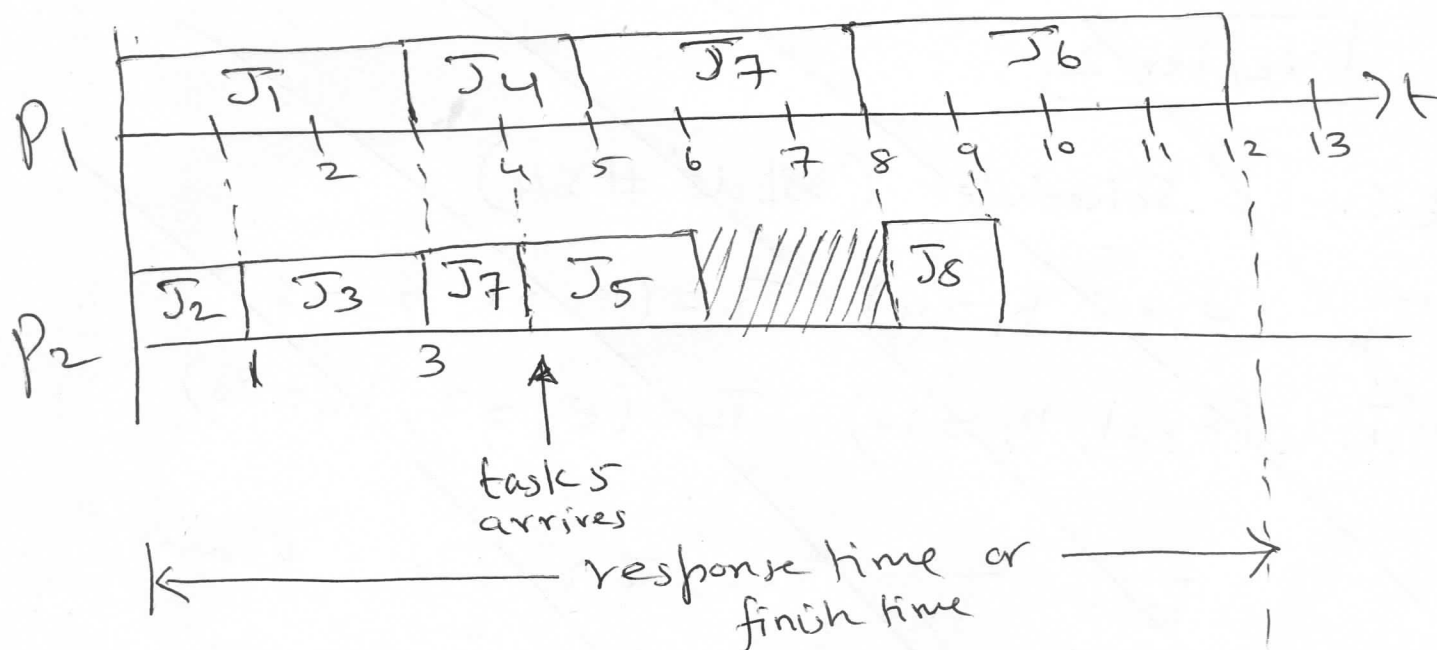
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priority order,  
J<sub>1</sub>, J<sub>2</sub>, ..., J<sub>8</sub>

- all tasks available from  $t=0$  except task 5
- task 5 from  $t=4$

# (a) Preemptive with task migration

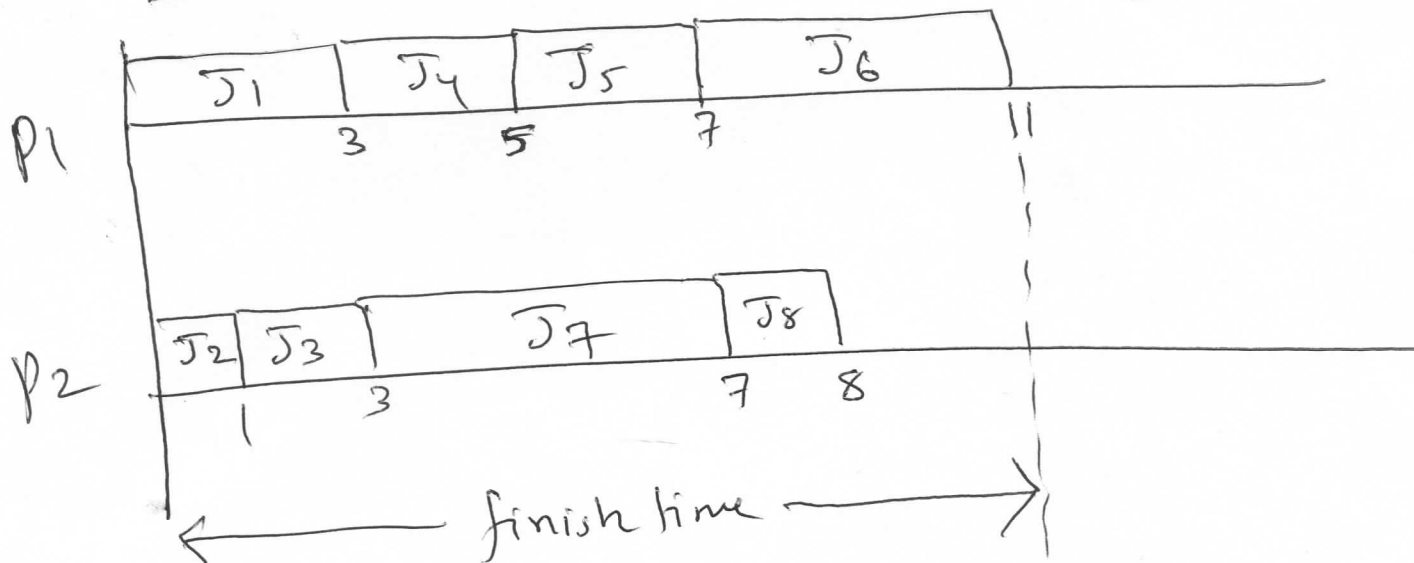


# (b) Preemptive without task migration

This will yield finish time as 13  
(recall we showed the solution in the class)

J7 should be held in P2

# (c) Non-preemptive



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• Average Response time (ART)

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (f_i - a_i)$$

• Total Completion time

$$= \max_i \{f_i\} - \min_i \{a_i\}$$

• Weighted sum of completion times

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n w_i f_i$$

• Maximum lateness ( $L_{\max}$ )

$$= \max_i (f_i - d_i)$$

• Maximum # of late tasks ( $N_{\text{late}}$ )

$$N_{\text{late}} = \sum_{i=1}^n \text{miss}(f_i)$$

where,

$$\text{miss}(f_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } f_i \leq d_i \\ 1 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$$

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