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# MLFQ — Operating System

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## Solution

1) Constructing Gantt Chart

#### **Queue Configuration**

• Q0: Round Robin, Time Quantum = 2

• Q1: Round Robin, Time Quantum = 4

• **Q2:** FCFS

#### Per-queue timeline

#### **Gantt Chart (merged view):**

```
| P1 | P2 | P3 | P4 | P1 | P2 | P3 | P4 | P1 | P3 | 
0 2 4 8 12 14 18 21 22 25
```

#### 2) Queue Transitions

• **P1:** Q0 → Q1 → Q2

• **P2:** Q0 → Q1

• **P3:** Q0 → Q1 → Q2

• **P4:** Q0 → Q1

### 3) Calculations

Let TAT = CT - Arrival Time, WT = TAT - Burst Time.

Process	Arrival	Burst	<b>Completion Time</b>	<b>Turnaround Time</b>	<b>Waiting Time</b>	Transitions
			(CT)	(TAT)	(WT)	

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Process	Arrival	Burst	Completion Time (CT)	Turnaround Time (TAT)	Waiting Time (WT)	Transitions
P1	0	7	22	22	15	Q0 → Q1 → Q2
P2	1	4	14	13	9	Q0 → Q1
P3	2	9	25	23	14	$Q0 \rightarrow Q1 \rightarrow Q2$
P4	3	5	21	18	13	Q0 → Q1

#### **Averages**

- Average TAT = (22 + 13 + 23 + 18) / 4 = **19.00**
- Average WT = (15 + 9 + 14 + 13) / 4 = **12.75**
- 4) Promotions (wait > 10 time units)
  - **None** no process waited more than 10 time units in Q1 or Q2, so no promotion was triggered.

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