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Project #2 Preview

Process Scheduling Algorithms

We will build simulation written in C or Java programming language that experiment with different runs using different process scheduling algorithms:

The total simulation time is 150 quantum/time-units. First generate your workload. A process is represented by

<arrival time, runtime, priority>

- Use specific seed value for your random number generator.
- Unix rand() function returns random number between 0 and RAND_MAX (32767).

• Generate ~10 jobs, sort them based on arrival time. Run and verify that CPU is never idle more than 2 quanta waiting for work to do. Otherwise increase number of jobs.

- No process is allowed if start time > 149, but a job can complete after time = 150 quantum.
- CPU is scheduled at quanta boundary, i.e., if processes completed before end of quanta then CPU will be idle the remaining of this quantum
- Generate 5 sets of workloads. Each algorithm is run 5 times and get average per algorithm.

Definitions:

- Turnarund time: Time required for a particular process to complete, from submission time to completion. It is equal to the sum total of *Waiting time* and *Execution time*.
- Response time: The time taken in a program from the issuance of a command to the commence/beginning of a response to that command (i.e., the time-interval between submission of a request, and the start of execution).