

**Santa Clara University**  
Department of Computer Engineering  
Midterm Grading (COEN 383)  
Time: 75 minutes

**Answer All Questions (30 points)**

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**Grades**

<i>Problem 1</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>4</i>
<i>Problem 2</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>Problem 3</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>Problem 4</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>Problem 5</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>Total</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>28</i>

- Q1 [6 pts]: received 4 pts  
Incomplete Answer  
If each job has 50% I/O wait, then it will take 40 minutes to complete in the absence of competition. If run sequentially, the second one will finish 80 minutes after the first one starts. With two jobs running in parallel, the approximate CPU utilization is  $= \{1 - (\text{IO wait})^{\# \text{ of Processes}}\} = 1 - 0.5^2 = 0.75$ . Thus, each one gets  $(0.75/2 = 0.375)$  CPU minute per minute of real time. To accumulate 20 minutes of CPU time, a job must run for  $20/0.375$  minutes, or about 53.33 minutes. Thus running sequentially the jobs finish after 80 minutes, but running in parallel they finish after 53.33 minutes.
- Q2 [6 pts]: received 6 pts  
Correct
- Q3 [6 pts]: received 6 pts  
Correct
- Q4 [6 pts]: received 6 pts  
Correct
- Q5 [6 pts]: received 6 pts  
Correct

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Total = 28/30