

5600

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## HW1 - Chapter 4

Q1: By running the process-run.py file using the flag `./process-run.py -l 5:100,5:100`, I got the following result:

```
(otherwise states are not printed)
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -l 5:100,5:100.
Produce a trace of what would happen when you run these processes:
Process 0
  cpu
  cpu
  cpu
  cpu
  cpu
Process 1
  cpu
  cpu
  cpu
  cpu
  cpu
Important behaviors:
  System will switch when the current process is FINISHED or ISSUES AN IO
  After IOs, the process issuing the IO will run LATER (when it is its turn)
```

From this it seems that the cpu is constantly being used. So, the percent of time the CPU is in use is 100%.

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -l 5:100,5:100 -c
Time    PID: 0    PID: 1    CPU    IOs
  1     RUN:cpu  READY     1
  2     RUN:cpu  READY     1
  3     RUN:cpu  READY     1
  4     RUN:cpu  READY     1
  5     RUN:cpu  READY     1
  6       DONE  RUN:cpu     1
  7       DONE  RUN:cpu     1
  8       DONE  RUN:cpu     1
  9       DONE  RUN:cpu     1
 10       DONE  RUN:cpu     1
```

```

PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -l 5:100,5:100 -c -p
Time    PID: 0    PID: 1    CPU    IOs
  1    RUN:cpu  READY    1
  2    RUN:cpu  READY    1
  3    RUN:cpu  READY    1
  4    RUN:cpu  READY    1
  5    RUN:cpu  READY    1
  6      DONE  RUN:cpu    1
  7      DONE  RUN:cpu    1
  8      DONE  RUN:cpu    1
  9      DONE  RUN:cpu    1
 10      DONE  RUN:cpu    1

Stats: Total Time 10
Stats: CPU Busy 10 (100.00%)
Stats: IO Busy  0 (0.00%)

```

But adding -c and -p command, it proves that CPU is 100% in use.

Q2: When running with `./process-run.py -l 4:100,1:0`, I got this result:

```

PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -l 4:100,1:0
Produce a trace of what would happen when you run these processes:
Process 0
  cpu
  cpu
  cpu
  cpu

Process 1
  io

Important behaviors:
  System will switch when the current process is FINISHED or ISSUES AN IO
  After IOs, the process issuing the IO will run LATER (when it is its turn)

```

But after running it with -c and -p, it turns out:

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -l 4:100,1:0 -c -p
```

Time	PID: 0	PID: 1	CPU	IOs
1	RUN:cpu	READY	1	
2	RUN:cpu	READY	1	
3	RUN:cpu	READY	1	
4	RUN:cpu	READY	1	
5	DONE	RUN:io	1	
6	DONE	WAITING		1
7	DONE	WAITING		1
8	DONE	WAITING		1
9	DONE	WAITING		1
10*	DONE	DONE		

```
Stats: Total Time 10
```

```
Stats: CPU Busy 5 (50.00%)
```

```
Stats: IO Busy 4 (40.00%)
```

Process took 4, since it has 4 instructions, while process took 5, plus 1 final step. So the total time is  $5+4+1 = 10$ .

Q3: After running the file with: `./process-run.py -l 1:0,4:100`, I got:

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -l 1:0,4:100
```

```
Produce a trace of what would happen when you run these processes:
```

```
Process 0
```

```
io
```

```
Process 1
```

```
cpu
```

```
cpu
```

```
cpu
```

```
cpu
```

```
Important behaviors:
```

```
System will switch when the current process is FINISHED or ISSUES AN IO
```

```
After IOs, the process issuing the IO will run LATER (when it is its turn)
```

My guess was: because from Q2 we know process 0 has 5 instructions in total. So, when process 0 started waiting for IO, it held, and switched to process 1. After process 1 was finished, it returned back to process 0. I assumed the total time should stay the same, which is 10. However, after I run the file with `-c -p`, I got:

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -l 1:0,4:100 -c -p
```

Time	PID: 0	PID: 1	CPU	IOs
1	RUN:io	READY	1	
2	WAITING	RUN:cpu	1	1
3	WAITING	RUN:cpu	1	1
4	WAITING	RUN:cpu	1	1
5	WAITING	RUN:cpu	1	1
6*	DONE	DONE		

Stats: Total Time 6

Stats: CPU Busy 5 (83.33%)

Stats: IO Busy 4 (66.67%)

The total time was reduced to 6. Once process 0 was waiting for IO, CPU was not used by process 0 anymore, so it started running process1. From 2 to 5, I/O and cpu were running at the same time. Which saved a lot of time. So, the order switch matters.

Q4:

Here is the result I got:

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -l 1:0,4:100 -c -S SWITCH_ON_END
```

Time	PID: 0	PID: 1	CPU	IOs
1	RUN:io	READY	1	
2	WAITING	READY		1
3	WAITING	READY		1
4	WAITING	READY		1
5	WAITING	READY		1
6*	DONE	RUN:cpu	1	
7	DONE	RUN:cpu	1	
8	DONE	RUN:cpu	1	
9	DONE	RUN:cpu	1	

Process 1 didn't start until process 0 was finished, even when process 0 was not using the cpu.

Q5:

Here is the result I got:

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -l 1:0,4:100 -c -S SWITCH_ON_IO
Time    PID: 0    PID: 1    CPU    IOs
 1     RUN:io  READY    1
 2     WAITING RUN:cpu    1    1
 3     WAITING RUN:cpu    1    1
 4     WAITING RUN:cpu    1    1
 5     WAITING RUN:cpu    1    1
 6*     DONE   DONE
```

We achieved the same result as we did from Q3. Process 1 started as soon as process 0 started waiting.

Q6:

Here is the result I got,

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -l 3:0,5:100,5:100,5:100 -S SWITCH_ON_IO -I IO_RUN_LATER -c -p
Time    PID: 0    PID: 1    PID: 2    PID: 3    CPU    IOs
 1     RUN:io  READY    READY    READY    1
 2     WAITING RUN:cpu    READY    READY    1    1
 3     WAITING RUN:cpu    READY    READY    1    1
 4     WAITING RUN:cpu    READY    READY    1    1
 5     WAITING RUN:cpu    READY    READY    1    1
 6*     READY  RUN:cpu    READY    READY    1
 7     READY  DONE     RUN:cpu    READY    1
 8     READY  DONE     RUN:cpu    READY    1
 9     READY  DONE     RUN:cpu    READY    1
10     READY  DONE     RUN:cpu    READY    1
11     READY  DONE     RUN:cpu    READY    1
12     READY  DONE     DONE     RUN:cpu    1
13     READY  DONE     DONE     RUN:cpu    1
14     READY  DONE     DONE     RUN:cpu    1
15     READY  DONE     DONE     RUN:cpu    1
16     READY  DONE     DONE     RUN:cpu    1
17     RUN:io  DONE     DONE     DONE     1
18     WAITING DONE     DONE     DONE           1
19     WAITING DONE     DONE     DONE           1
20     WAITING DONE     DONE     DONE           1
21     WAITING DONE     DONE     DONE           1
22*     RUN:io  DONE     DONE     DONE          1
23     WAITING DONE     DONE     DONE           1
24     WAITING DONE     DONE     DONE           1
25     WAITING DONE     DONE     DONE           1
26     WAITING DONE     DONE     DONE           1
27*     DONE   DONE     DONE     DONE

Stats: Total Time 27
Stats: CPU Busy 18 (66.67%)
Stats: IO Busy 12 (44.44%)
```

From this we can tell that, when process 0 first started waiting for IO, process 1 started, after process 1 ended, process 2 started, after process 2 ended, process 3 started, and after process 3, the rest of process 0 continued. And it is not a very efficient way to use system resources, since between the end of process 1 and the start of process 2, we can run process 0 once, and let it wait for IO, while process 2 runs. And do the same thing again between process 2 and process 3, this way it can save us at least 4 running time.

Q7: Here is what I got:

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -l 3:0,5:100,5:100,5:100 -S SWITCH_ON_IO -I IO_RUN_IMMEDIATE -c -p
Time  PID: 0    PID: 1    PID: 2    PID: 3    CPU    IOs
1     RUN:io    READY    READY    READY    1
2     WAITING  RUN:cpu   READY    READY    1    1
3     WAITING  RUN:cpu   READY    READY    1    1
4     WAITING  RUN:cpu   READY    READY    1    1
5     WAITING  RUN:cpu   READY    READY    1    1
6*    RUN:io    READY    READY    READY    1
7     WAITING  RUN:cpu   READY    READY    1    1
8     WAITING  DONE     RUN:cpu   READY    1    1
9     WAITING  DONE     RUN:cpu   READY    1    1
10    WAITING  DONE     RUN:cpu   READY    1    1
11*   RUN:io    DONE     READY    READY    1
12    WAITING  DONE     RUN:cpu   READY    1    1
13    WAITING  DONE     RUN:cpu   READY    1    1
14    WAITING  DONE     DONE     RUN:cpu   1    1
15    WAITING  DONE     DONE     RUN:cpu   1    1
16*   DONE     DONE     DONE     RUN:cpu   1
17    DONE     DONE     DONE     RUN:cpu   1
18    DONE     DONE     DONE     RUN:cpu   1

Stats: Total Time 18
Stats: CPU Busy 18 (100.00%)
Stats: IO Busy 12 (66.67%)
```

The differences between this time and last time are: process 0 got the priority to run first. After process 0 finished one execution, all the other processes needed to wait until process 0 started the next one. It might be a good idea simply because, comparing to last time, this one saved a lot of time, and the cpu was constantly being used. No resource was wasted.

Q8:

Here is what I got from random generation:

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -s 1 -l 3:50,3:50, -s 2 -l 3:50,3:50, -s 3 -l 3:50,3:50 -c -p
Time  PID: 0    PID: 1    CPU    IOs
1     RUN:cpu  READY    1
2     RUN:io  READY    1
3     WAITING RUN:io    1    1
4     WAITING WAITING    2
5     WAITING WAITING    2
6     WAITING WAITING    2
7*    RUN:cpu  WAITING    1    1
8*    DONE    RUN:io    1
9     DONE    WAITING    1
10    DONE    WAITING    1
11    DONE    WAITING    1
12    DONE    WAITING    1
13*   DONE    RUN:cpu    1

Stats: Total Time 13
Stats: CPU Busy 6 (46.15%)
Stats: IO Busy 9 (69.23%)
```

From this we can tell that: process 0 is: cpu, io, cpu, and process 1 is: io, io, cpu.

If I use "-I IO\_RUN\_IMMEDIATE", nothing changes.

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -s 1 -l 3:50,3:50, -s 2 -l 3:50,3:50, -s 3 -l 3:50,3:50 -I IO_RUN_IMMEDIATE -c -p
Time  PID: 0  PID: 1  CPU  IOs
1  RUN:cpu  READY  1
2  RUN:io   READY  1
3  WAITING  RUN:io   1      1
4  WAITING  WAITING   2
5  WAITING  WAITING   2
6  WAITING  WAITING   2
7*  RUN:cpu  WAITING   1      1
8*  DONE    RUN:io   1
9  DONE    WAITING   1
10  DONE    WAITING   1
11  DONE    WAITING   1
12  DONE    WAITING   1
13*  DONE    RUN:cpu   1

Stats: Total Time 13
Stats: CPU Busy 6 (46.15%)
Stats: IO Busy 9 (69.23%)
```

If I use "-I IO RUN LATER",

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -s 1 -l 3:50,3:50, -s 2 -l 3:50,3:50, -s 3 -l 3:50,3:50 -I IO_RUN_LATER -c -p
Time  PID: 0  PID: 1  CPU  IOs
1  RUN:cpu  READY  1
2  RUN:io   READY  1
3  WAITING  RUN:io   1      1
4  WAITING  WAITING   2
5  WAITING  WAITING   2
6  WAITING  WAITING   2
7*  RUN:cpu  WAITING   1      1
8*  DONE    RUN:io   1
9  DONE    WAITING   1
10  DONE    WAITING   1
11  DONE    WAITING   1
12  DONE    WAITING   1
13*  DONE    RUN:cpu   1

Stats: Total Time 13
Stats: CPU Busy 6 (46.15%)
Stats: IO Busy 9 (69.23%)
```

Nothing changes as well.

If I use "-S SWITCH\_ON\_IO", nothing changes.

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -s 1 -l 3:50,3:50, -s 2 -l 3:50,3:50, -s 3 -l 3:50,3:50 -S SWITCH_ON_IO -c -p
Time  PID: 0  PID: 1  CPU  IOs
1  RUN:cpu  READY  1
2  RUN:io   READY  1
3  WAITING  RUN:io   1      1
4  WAITING  WAITING   2
5  WAITING  WAITING   2
6  WAITING  WAITING   2
7*  RUN:cpu  WAITING   1      1
8*  DONE    RUN:io   1
9  DONE    WAITING   1
10  DONE    WAITING   1
11  DONE    WAITING   1
12  DONE    WAITING   1
13*  DONE    RUN:cpu   1

Stats: Total Time 13
Stats: CPU Busy 6 (46.15%)
Stats: IO Busy 9 (69.23%)
```

If I use "-S SWITCH\_ON\_END", when process 0 issued its first IO, process 1 had to wait until it ended.

```
PS D:\NEU\5600\hw1> python ./process-run.py -s 1 -l 3:50,3:50, -s 2 -l 3:50,3:50, -s 3 -l 3:50,3:50 -S SWITCH_ON_END -c -p
Time  PID: 0    PID: 1    CPU    IOs
1     RUN:cpu   READY    1
2     RUN:io    READY    1
3     WAITING   READY    1
4     WAITING   READY    1
5     WAITING   READY    1
6     WAITING   READY    1
7*    RUN:cpu   READY    1
8     DONE     RUN:io    1
9     DONE     WAITING   1
10    DONE     WAITING   1
11    DONE     WAITING   1
12    DONE     WAITING   1
13*   DONE     RUN:io    1
14    DONE     WAITING   1
15    DONE     WAITING   1
16    DONE     WAITING   1
17    DONE     WAITING   1
18*   DONE     RUN:cpu    1

Stats: Total Time 18
Stats: CPU Busy 6 (33.33%)
Stats: IO Busy 12 (66.67%)
```