

Addis Ababa Science and Technology University																						
1	College: Electrical and Mechanical Engineering					Department: Software Engineering																
2	Course Name		Operating Systems																			
	Course Code:		SWEG3106																			
3	Synopsis:		This course is a general introduction to the design and implementation of modern operating systems. Historical development of operating systems, synchronization, scheduling, deadlocks, paging, virtual memory, input/output devices, and files will be discussed.																			
4	Name(s) of Academic Staff:		Abdi Mulatu																			
5	Semester and Year offered:		Semester:	II				Year:	3													
6	Credit Hour:		4																			
7	Prerequisite/ Co-requisite: (if any)		SWEG3105																			
8	Course Learning Outcome (CLO): At the end of the course the student will be able to do:																					
	CLO1		Demonstrate structure and functionality of modern Operating Systems.																			
	CLO2		Use knowledge of process management and synchronization for software development																			
	CLO3		Explain memory management, I/O, mass storage and file management issues																			
	CLO4		Compare and Contrast the algorithms on which the core functions of the Operating Systems are built on																			
	CLO5		Describe security and protection measures used in operating systems																			
9	Mapping of the course Learning Outcomes to the program Learning Outcomes, Teaching Methods and Assessment:																					
	Course Learning Outcomes (CLO)	Program Learning Outcomes (PO)													Teaching Methods				Assessment			
		PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8	PO9	PO10	PO11	PO12	L T P O				Test	Quiz	Assignment	Project	Lab-report
		CLO1	√												√				√	√	√	
	CLO2				√									√		√		√	√	√		√
	CLO3		√											√		√		√	√	√		√
	CLO4		√											√		√			√		√	
	CLO5	√												√		√			√			
	Indicate the relevancy between the CLO and PO by ticking “√”on the appropriate relevant box																					
	10	Transferable Skills (if applicable) (Skills learned in the course of study which can be useful and utilized in other settings)																				
		1	Be able to convey technical information to individuals of different levels of technical understanding.																			
2		Acquire problem solving skills																				
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11	Distribution of Student Learning Time (SLT)								
	Course Content Outline	CLO	Teaching and Learning Activities						Total (SLT)
			Guided learning (F2F)				Guided Learning (NF2F)	Independent Learning (NF2F)	
			L	T	P	O			
	Chapter 1: Introduction to Operating Systems	1	3		2		0.5	4.5	10
	1.1 What is an Operating System?								
	1.2 History of Operating Systems								
	1.3 Operating System Services								
	1.4 Types of Operating Systems								
	1.5 Operating System Structure								
	Chapter 2: Processes and Threads	2	4.5	0.5	5		1	10	21
	2.1 The Process Concept								
	2.2 Process States								
2.3 Process Control									
2.4 Threads									
Chapter 3: Process Synchronization	2	4.5	1	4.5		1	9	20	
3.1 Concurrency									
3.2 The Critical-Section Problem									
3.3 Mutual Exclusion with Busy Waiting									
3.4 Sleep and Wakeup									
3.5 Semaphores									
3.6 Monitors									
3.7 Classic Problems of Synchronization									
Chapter 4: Scheduling	3, 4	4	1	5		1	10	21	
4.1 Basic concepts									
4.2 Scheduling Criteria									
4.3 Scheduling Algorithms									
4.4 Algorithm Evaluation									
Chapter 5: Deadlocks	2	2	0.5	3			5.5	11	
5.1 Introduction to Deadlocks									
5.2 Deadlock Characterization									

	5.3 Deadlock Detection and Recovery								
	5.4 Deadlock Avoidance								
	5.5 Deadlock Prevention								
	Chapter 6: Memory Management	3	4	1	5		0.5	9.5	20
	6.1 Basic Memory Management								
	6.2 Swapping								
	6.3 Virtual Memory								
	6.4 Page Replacement								
	6.5 Algorithms								
	6.6 Segmentation								
	Chapter 7: File Systems	3	3	1	4		1	8	17
	7.1 Files								
	7.2 Directories								
	7.3 File system Implementation								
	Chapter 8: Input/output Management	3	2	0.5	2		0.5	3	8
	8.1 Principles of I/O Hardware								
	8.2 Principles of I/O Software								
	Chapter 9: Storage Management	3	2	0.5	2		0.5	3	8
	9.1 Disk structure								
	9.2 Disk scheduling								
	9.3 Disk management								
	Chapter 10: Security	5	1.5		1.5		0.5	2.5	6
	10.1 The security Environment								
	10.2 Operating System Security								
	10.3 Controlling Access to Resources								
	Total		30.5	6	34		6.5	65	142

	Assessment					
	Continuous Assessment		Percentage Total-50(%)	F2F	NF2F	SLT
	1	Tests	20	1.5	2	3.5
	2	Quiz	5	0.5		0.5
	3	Assignments	15		3	3
	4	Lab-report	10	1	2	3
	Total					10
	Final Exam		Percentage 50 (%)	F2F	NF2F	SLT
	Final Exam		50	3	5	8
	Grand Total SLT					160
	L = Lecture, T = Tutorial, P = Practical, O = Others, F2F = Face to Face, NF2F = Non Face to Face Note: indicates the CLO based on the CLO's numbering in item 9.					
12	Special requirements and resources to deliver the course	1	Computer Lab			
		2	Software			
13	Text book		Abraham Silberschatz, P.B. Galvin and G. Gagne, Operating Systems Concepts, 10 th Edition, John Wiley & Sons, 2018			
	References	1	Andrew Tanenbaum, Modern Operating Systems, 4 th Edition, Prentice-Hall, 2015			
		2	William Stallings, Operating Systems: Internals and Design Principles, 9 th Edition, Prentice-Hall, 2018			