

## O. 1 Choose the Best Answer

**1) Identify the odd thing in the services of operating system.**

- a) Accounting
- b) Protection
- c) Error detection and correction
- d) Dead lock handling

**2) In\_OS, the response time is very critical.**

- a) Multitasking
- b) Batch
- c) Online
- d) Real-time

**3) Real time systems are\_.**

- a) Primarily used on mainframe computers
- b) Used for monitoring events as they occur
- c) Used for program development
- d) Used for real time interactive users

**4) When Interrupt occurs, control is immediately transferred to \_\_\_\_\_**

- a) Interrupt Vector
- b) Interrupt Request
- c) Interrupt Handler
- d) All of the above

**5) Services Provided by the Operating System:**

- a) Collect statistics
- b) Error detection
- c) Grant request
- d) all of the above

**6) Software is a program that directs the overall operation of the computer facilitates its use and interacts with the user.**

- a) Kernel
- b) Shell
- c) Utilities
- d) All of the above



**7) A\_\_\_\_\_is a software that manages the time of a microprocessor to ensure that all time critical events are processed as efficiently as possible. This software allows the system activities to be divided into multiple independent elements called tasks.**

- a) Kernel
- b) Shell
- c) Processor
- d) Device Driver

**8) The primary job of the operating system of a computer is to\_.**

- a) Command Resources
- b) Manage Resources

- c) Provide Utilities                      d) be user friendly

**9) Super computers typically employ\_\_.**

- a) Real time Operating system    b) Multiprocessors OS  
c) Desktop OS                      d) None of the above

**10) The operating system manages\_\_.**

- a) Memory                      b) Processor  
c) Disk and I/O devices        d) All of the above

**11) The Hardware mechanism that enables a device to notify the CPU is called\_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) Polling                      b) Interrupt  
c) System Call                d) None of the above

**12) \_\_\_\_ OS pays more attention on the meeting of the time limits.**

- a) Distributed                      b) Network  
c) Real time                      d) Online

**13) The kernel of the operating system remains in the primary memory because\_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) It is mostly called (used)    b) It manages all interrupt calls  
c) It controls all operations in process    d) It is low level

**14) The technique, for sharing the time of a computer among several jobs, which switches jobs so rapidly such that each job appears to have the computer to itself, is called\_.**

- a) Time Sharing                      b) Time out  
c) Time domain                      d) Multitasking

**15) An operating system is driven.**

- a) Trap.                      b) an instruction .  
c) an interrupt.                      d) none of the above.

**16) In Simple Batch System, programs are submitted in \_\_\_\_**

- a) groups.                      b) batches.  
c) queues.                      d) all of the above.

**17) \_\_\_\_\_ is a computer program because o which higher-level**

**computer programs can interact with a hardware device.**

- a) Device Driver
- b) CD-ROM
- c) Mother Board
- d) Registers

**18) The CPU is in monitor mode when the control is given to the user application.**

- a. True
- b. False

**19) \_\_\_\_\_ access is used to transfer blocks of data from buffer storage directly to main memory without CPU intervention.**

- a) Main memory access
- b) cache memory access
- c) Direct memory access
- d) virtual memory access

**1) Information about a process is maintained in a\_.**

- a) Stack
- b) Translation Lookaside Buffer
- c) Process Control Block
- d) Program Control Block

**2) Inter process communication can be done through\_\_.**

- a) Mails
- b) Messages
- c) System calls
- d) Traps

**3) Which of the following is contained in Process Control Block (PCB)?**

- a) Process Number
- b) List of Open files
- c) Memory Limits
- d) All of the Above

**4) What is a shell?**

- a) It is a hardware component
- b) It is a command interpreter
- c) It is a part in compiler
- d) It is a tool in CPU scheduling

**5) Process State is stored in.**

- a) Process Control block
- b) Inode
- c) File Allocation Table
- d) None of the above

**6) A program at the time of executing is called\_\_.**

- a) Dynamic program
- b) Static program
- c) Binded Program
- d) A Process

**7) It is not the layer of the Operating system.**

- a) Kernel
- c) Application program
- b) Shell
- d) Critical Section

**8) The state of a process after it encounters an I/O instruction is**

- \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) Ready
  - c) Idle
  - b) Blocked/Waiting
  - d) Running

**9) Which is not the state of the process ?**

- a) Wailing
- c) Ready
- b) Running
- d) Privileged

**10) The number of processes completed per unit time is known as**\_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Output
- c) Efficiency
- b) Throughput
- d) Capacity

**11) Switching the CPU to another Process requires to save state of the old process and loading new process state is called as**\_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Process Blocking
- c) Time Sharing
- b) Context Switch
- d) None of the above

**12) In Simple Batch System, programs are submitted in** \_\_\_\_\_

- a) groups.
- c) queues.
- b) batches.
- d) all of the above.

**For a process to change state from Running to Ready state, an interrupt must happen.**

- a. True
- b. False

**Which of the following is NOT one of system calls types?**

- a) File management
- c) Information maintenance
- b) Device management
- d) user application error recovery

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**Main function of shared memory is:**

- a) to use primary memory efficiently
- b) to do intra process communication
- c) to do inter process communication

d) none of above

**When a child process is created, which of the following is a possibility in terms of the execution or address space of the child process?**

- a) The child process runs concurrently with the parent.
- b) The child process has a new program loaded into it.
- c) The child is a duplicate of the parent.
- d) All of the above

**In Priority Scheduling, a priority number (integer) is associated with each process. The CPU is allocated to the process with the highest priority (smallest integer = highest priority). The problem of, Starvation? Low priority processes may never execute is resolved by\_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) Terminating the process.
- b) Aging
- c) Mutual Exclusion
- d) Semaphore

**2) With the round robin CPU scheduling in a time-shared system**

- \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) Using very large time slice degenerates in to first come first served algorithm
  - b) Using extremely small time slices improve performance
  - c) Using extremely small time slices degenerate in to last in first out algorithm
  - d) Using medium sized time slices leads to shortest request time first algorithm

**3) Which of the following is a criterion to evaluate a scheduling algorithm?**

- a) CPU Utilization: Keep CPU utilization as high as possible.
- b) Throughput: number of processes completed per unit time.
- c) Waiting Time: Amount of time spent ready to run but not running.
- d) All of the above

**4) A binary semaphore**

- a) has the values one or zero
- b) is essential to binary computers
- c) is used only for synchronization
- d) is used only for mutual exclusion

**5) A process said to be in\_state if it was waiting for an event that**

**will never occur.**

- a) Safe
- b) Unsafe
- c) Starvation
- d) Dead lock

**6) A thread is a \_\_\_\_ process.**

- a) Heavy Weight
- b) Mutliprocess
- c) Inter Thread
- d) Light weight

**7) A major problem with priority scheduling is\_\_.**

- a) Definite blocking
- b) Starvation
- c) Low priority
- d) none of the above

**8) It is not the layer of the Operating system.**

- a) Kernel
- b) Shell
- c) Application program
- d) Critical Section

**9) Mutual exclusion**

- a) if one process is in a critical region others are excluded
- b) prevents deadlock
- c) requires semaphores to implement
- d) is found only in the Windows NT operating system

**10) Which scheduler controls the degree of multiprogramming?**

- a) Short term scheduler
- b) Long term scheduler
- c) Middle term scheduler
- d) None of the above

**11) In one of the deadlock prevention methods, impose a total ordering of all resource types, and require that each process requests resources in an increasing order of enumeration. This violates the \_\_\_\_\_ condition of deadlock**

- a) Mutual exclusion
- b) Hold and Wait
- c) Circular Wait
- d) No Preemption

**12) A scheduling algorithm is fair**

- a) if no process faces starvation
- b) if a process is starved, detect it and run it with high priority
- c) if it uses semaphores
- d) only if a queue is used for scheduling

**13) Semaphore can be used for solving\_\_.**

- a) Wait & signal
- b) Deadlock
- c) Synchronization
- d) Priority

**14) Round robin scheduling is essentially the preemptive version of \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) FIFO
- b) Shortest job first

- c) Shortest remaining                      d) Longest time first

**15) Maximize throughput, minimize response time, and accommodate as many users as possible is considered as:**

- a) Fairness                      b) Efficiency  
c) Differential responsiveness      d) All of the above

**16) Let S and Q be two semaphores initialized to 1, where P0 and P1 processes the following statements wait(S);wait(Q);---; signal(S);signal(Q) and wait(Q);wait(S);---;signal(Q);signal(S); respectively. The above situation depicts a\_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) Semaphore                      b) Deadlock  
c) Signal                      d) Interrupt

**17) The solution to Critical Section Problem is : Mutual Exclusion, Progress and Bounded Waiting.**

- a) The statement is false              b) The statement is true.  
c) The statement is contradictory.      d) None of the above

**18) The number of processes completed per unit time is known as\_\_\_\_\_.**

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c) Efficiency                      d) Capacity

**19) Which technique was introduced because a single job could not keep both the CPU and the I/O devices busy?**

- a) Time-sharing                      b) Spooling  
c) Preemptive scheduling              d) Multiprogramming

**20) FCFS scheduling is\_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) Preemptive Scheduling              b) Non-Preemptive Scheduling  
c) Deadline Scheduling              d) Fair share scheduling

**21) \_\_\_ is a high level abstraction over Semaphore.**

- a) Shared memory                      b) Message passing  
c) Monitor                      d) Mutual exclusion

**22) Terminating a process or more is used to recover from a deadlock.**

- a. True                      b. False

**23) The machine on which the virtual machine is going to create is known as \_\_\_\_\_ and that virtual machine is referred as a \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) Guest Machine
- b) Host Machine

**24) Which one of the following is a kind of technique that allows sharing the single physical instance of an application or the resources among multiple organizations/customers?**

- a) Virtualization
- b) Service-Oriented Architecture
- c) Grid Computing
- d) Utility Computing

**25) Which one of the following statements is true about Virtualization?**

- a) It provides a logical name for a physical resource, and on-demand provides an indicator of that physical resource.
- b) In Virtualization, we analyze the strategy related problems that customers may face.
- c) In Virtualization, it is necessary to compile the Multitenant properly.
- d) All of the above

**26) Which of the following behaves like the monitor's entry point and reroutes the instructions of the virtual machine?**

- a) Dispatcher
- b) Allocator
- c) Interpreter
- d) Both A and B

**27) To avoid Hold and Wait, \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) A process must not be holding a resource, but waiting for one to be freed, and then request to acquire it
- b) the system must ensure that a process that request for a resource does not hold on to another
- c) A process must hold at least one resource and not be waiting to acquire additional resources
- d) None of the mentioned

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