

Operating Systems: Homework #4

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Problem 1

Consider the following process arrival list:

Name	Arrival time	Service time
A	0	4
B	3	9
C	5	2
D	7	5
E	11	3
F	13	1
G	21	4

Consider the following scheduling methods:

- (a) First-come first-served (FCFS)
- (b) Shortest-job first (SJF)
- (c) Shortest remaining time first (SRTF)
- (d) Round-robin (RR), Quantum = 5

Draw a Gantt chart (time line) showing which process is executing over time and calculate the average waiting time and average completion time.

Notes : (1) In SRTF, if a process arrives with service time equal to the remaining service time of the process currently being served, the current process is not interrupted. (2) In RR, if a process arrives at the same time a quantum finishes, the running process is preempted and the new arrival executes. The preempted process goes to the end of the ready queue. (3) Waiting time and completion time is defined as in the slides.

SOLUTION

(A) FIRST-COME FIRST-SERVED (FCFS)

P_A	P_B	P_C	P_D	P_E	P_F	P_G	
0	4	13	15	20	23	24	28

Average waiting time: $(0 + 1 + 8 + 8 + 9 + 10 + 3) \div 7 = 5.6$

Average completion time: $(4 + 8 + 10 + 13 + 12 + 11 + 7) \div 7 = 9.3$

(B) SHORTEST-JOB FIRST (SJF)

P_A	P_B	P_F	P_C	P_E	P_D	P_G	
0	4	13	14	16	19	24	28

Average waiting time: $(0 + 1 + 9 + 9 + 9 + 0 + 3) \div 7 = 4.4$

Average completion time: $(4 + 10 + 11 + 14 + 12 + 1 + 7) \div 7 = 8.4$

(C) SHORTEST REMAINING TIME FIRST SRTF

P_A	P_B	P_C	P_D	P_E	P_F	P_E	P_B	P_G	
0	4	5	7	12	13	14	16	24	28

Average waiting time: $(0 + 12 + 0 + 0 + 2 + 0 + 3) \div 7 = 5$

Average completion time: $(4 + 32 + 2 + 5 + 3 + 1 + 7) \div 7 = 14.1$

(D) ROUND-ROBIN, QUANTUM = 5

P_A	P_B	P_C	P_D	P_E	P_F	P_B	P_G	
0	4	9	11	16	19	20	24	28

Average waiting time: $(0 + 16 + 4 + 4 + 5 + 6 + 3) \div 7 = 5.4$

Average completion time: $(4 + 36 + 6 + 9 + 7 + 6 + 7) \div 7 = 10.7$

Problem 2

A Multilevel feedback queues are shown in the diagram below. The scheduler first executes all processes in Q_0 . Only when Q_0 is empty will it execute processes in Q_1 , and only when Q_0 and Q_1 are empty will it execute processes in Q_2 . A process arriving for Q_0 will preempt a process in Q_1 or Q_2 , and a process arriving for Q_1 will preempt a process in Q_2 ; a process preempted in this case is put back to the head of the same queue; when this process is scheduled to run next time it will execute for the remaining of its allocated time quantum. A new process entering the system is put in Q_0 and is given a time quantum of 8 milliseconds. If it does not finish within this time, it is preempted and moved to the tail of Q_1 . If Q_0 is empty, the process at the head of Q_1 is scheduled to run with a time quantum of 16 milliseconds. If it does not finish within this time, it is preempted and moved to the tail of Q_2 . Processes in Q_2 are run on an FCFS basis.

SOLUTION

Time	Q_0	Q_1	Q_2
0	A(25)		
5	B(28) A(20)		
8	B(25) A(17)		
13	B(20)	A(12)	
19	C(11)	B(14) A(6)	
24	C(6)	B(9) A(1)	
25	D(19) C(5)	B(8)	Process A terminates
28	D(16) C(3)	B(5)	
29	D(15)	C(2) B(4)	
31	D(13)	Process C terminates	B(2)
33	D(11)		Process B Terminates
36	E(33)	D(8)	
44	E(25)	Process D terminates	
61		E(8)	
69			Process E terminates