

Preemptive  
vs  
Non Preemptive

FCFS  
(FIFO)

Selection  $f_x^n$

Type

CPU Bound  
vs  
I/O Bound  
Process

→ Overhead increases;  
but process monopolizing  
is prevented in preemptive

→ Most fair in real  
world

→ Not the most useful  
in OS though.

→ Process with max  
waiting time is selected.

→  $\max [w]$

→ Non-preemptive

→ Service Time  $\sim$  CPU  
Burst Time

→ Most time executing

On CPU



CPU-Bound

On I/O



I/O Bound



## Chat Process

- Normalised Turnaround time → Relative delay
  - ↳  $T_r / T_s < 1$  not possible
    - ↳ Arrival & service
    - ↳ Service time is not greater than Turnaround time

## Problems

- Process with low service time & high waiting suffer
- Favours CPU Bound processes
  - ↳ I/O will be waiting; soon blocked for I/O operation
  - ↳ If CPU Bound is Blocked, CPU remains idle

→ FCFS is not the best approach in its pure form

→ FCFS with priority queue is an option.

### Practice Question

A	0	3
B	1	5
C	3	2
D	9	5
E	12	5

Arrival	Finish
0	3
1	8
3	10
9	15
12	20

<u>TAT</u>	<u>TS/TS</u>	
3	1	
7	7/5	1.4
7	7/2	3.5
6	6/5	1.2
8	8/5	1.6

### Round Robin

→ Use CLK based preemption to prevent short process suffering

→ Also known as time slicing.

q=4

A	0	3
B	2	6
C	4	4
D	6	5
E	8	2

→ T: 0



T: 3



T: 7



T: 11



T: 15



As only 2 was left for B

T: 17



T: 19



T: 20



	Finished	Turnaround
A	3	3
B	17	15
C	11	7
D	20	14
E	19	11

T<sub>r</sub> / T<sub>s</sub>

A	0	3
B	2	6
C	4	4
D	6	5
E	8	2

$$3/3 = 1$$

$$15/6 = 2.5$$

$$7/4 = 1.75$$

$$14/5 = 2.8$$

$$11/2 = 5.5$$

Finish Tr

4

4

Mean

18

16

Tr/TS

17

13

↓

20

14

2.71

15

7

Problems with  
Round Robin

→ ① Length of time quantum

→ If very short

→ Short move quickly

→ more overhead

→ If very long

→ Long process gets more time

→ Degenerates to FCFS

## Ideal Time Quantum

→ Slightly greater than time required for a typical process creation

→ (2) Relative treatment for CPU & I/O Bound processes

- ↳ I/O in Block; CPU would use entire time quantum & returns to Ready
- ↳ I/O Bound would have poor performance

## Virtual Round Robin

→ Auxiliary queue  
↳ Higher priority to I/O bound processes sent in blocked

## Shortest Process Next or Shortest Job

→ Non preemptive  
→ Short process jumps ahead of long process

## First

A	0	3
B	2	6
C	4	4
D	6	5
E	8	2

T=0



T=3



T=9



T=11



T=15



T=20



→ Better than round robin

## Problems with SPF

→ Estimate required processing time for each process

→ For batch; programmer can estimate the value for time

→ For interactive, OS keeps running avg

→ Starvation of longer processes

Summary: Preemptive vs Non Preemptive -  
CPU Bound vs I/O Bound -  
Scheduling strategies - FCFS - Problems  
- Short proc & I/O bound suffer -  
Round robin - Every proc for a  
time quantum - Problems - Quantum  
can't be very short or very long  
- I/O suffer relatively - Degenerates  
to FCFS - Virtual round robin -  
Priority queue of blocked I/O -  
SPF - Estimate in interactive - Long starvation