## Model question paper (Operating System)

## A. Short questions---2 marks each

- 1. Explain process synchronization.
- 2. Define the term Waiting time and Turnaround time in reference to scheduling algorithms.
- 3. Differentiate between Internal and External Fragmentation.
- 4. Write two advantages of virtual memory concept.
- 5. Define the term Disk Bandwidth.
- 6. Differentiate between seek time and rotational latency.
- 7. Explain the term file system in brief.
- 8. Write a short note on "Process Control Block".
- 9. Explain various types of program threats.
- 10. What is segmentation?
- 11. What is kernel?
- 12. What is time- sharing system?
- 13. What is a thread?
- 14. What is the basic function of paging?
- 15. What is Direct Access Method?

## B. Broad questions----5 marks each

- 1. Explain in detail the following CPU scheduling algorithms:
  - a) FCFS
  - b) Round Robin
- 2. Define the term security. Explain various goals of security.
- 3. Define the term deadlock. Explain various necessary conditions for a deadlock to occur. Explain in brief about deadlock prevention.
- 4. What is the need of Page replacement? Consider the following reference string

## 7, 0, 1, 2, 0, 3, 0, 4, 2, 3, 0, 3, 2, 1, 2, 0, 1, 7, 0, 1

Find the number of Page Faults with FIFO, Optimal Page replacement and LRU with four free frames which are empty initially. Which algorithm gives the minimum number of page faults?

- 5. Explain in detail the concept of Multiprocessor Operating Systems.
- 6. Write a detailed note on paging scheme of memory management.
- 7. Write a short note on file system mounting
- 8. Explain the different types of operating system.
- 9. Explain Process Control Block. Draw the block diagram of process transition states.
- 10. Difference between process and thread.
- 11. What do you mean by CPU scheduling? Discuss CPU/IO burst cycle.
- 12. What do you mean by RAID Structure? Also discuss different types of RAID levels.
- 13. Write a short note on disk scheduling algorithm
- 14. What do you mean by directory structure? Also discuss different types of directory structures.
- 15. Explain Banker's deadlock-avoidance algorithm with an illustration