MANIPAL UNIVERSITY JAIPUR SCHOOL OF COMPUTING AND IT

IV Semester B. Tech. - Second Sessional Examination- 2017-18
Branch: CSE / IT /CCE
CS1401- Operating Systems
(OPEN BOOK)

Duration: 1 hour

Max. Marks: 15

Instructions:

• All questions are compulsory.

Missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.

One Book and one notebook (handwritten notes) is allowed.

 Consider the following snapshot of a system with five processes Po through P4 and three resource types A, B and C. Resource type A, B and C has initially 12, 7 and 5 instances respectively.

Process	Allocation			Max		
	Α	В	С	Α	В	C
Po	2	1	1	3	3	4
P ₁	1	2	0	1	3	2
P ₂	3	1	1	6	2	1
P ₃	2	2	2	2	5	4
P ₄	1	0	0	1	3	1

Answer the following questions using Bankers Algorithm:

- a) What are the contents of the matrix NEED? Is the system in a safe state?
- b) If a request from process P₃ arrives for (0, 0, 1), can the requested resources be granted? If No, Why?

 On a system using paging memory management technique with 2³⁸ pages of logical address space, page size of 512 bytes and 2³² number of page frames

- a) What is the minimum space required for the page table?
- b) What amount of physical memory will be wasted if the process size is 1048700 bytes, due to internal fragmentation?
- c) What is the size of the physical address space?

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3. Write a program in 'C' to find the value of the following expression using two pthreads:

result= (sum of squares of integers from 1 to n) / n!, where 'n' is an integer

The first thread finds the sum of squares of integers from 1 to n and the second thread computes factorial of n. The main thread then computes the value of result using the above formula and displays it.

4. a) A shared variable x, initialized to zero, is operated on by four concurrent processes W, X, Y, Z as follows. Each of the processes W and X reads x from memory, increments by one, stores it to memory, and then terminates. Each of the processes Y and Z reads x from memory, decrements by two, stores it to memory, and then terminates. Each process before reading x invokes the P operation (i.e., wait) on a counting semaphore S and invokes the V operation (i.e., signal) on the semaphore S after storing x to memory. Semaphore S is initialized to two. What is the maximum possible value of x after all processes complete execution? Justify your answer with proper explanation.

b) Whether there is a possibility of race condition(s) in the 'C' program given below? If yes, Use semaphores to avoid the race condition(s).