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## **PRIORITY SCHEDULING**

**Aim:**

To implement the Priority Scheduling technique in C.

**Algorithm:**

1. Start the program.
2. Get the number of processes from the user.
3. Read the process name (or ID), burst time, and priority of each process. 4.
- Sort the processes based on their priority (lower number = higher priority). 5.
- Set the waiting time of the first process to 0.
6. For each remaining process:  $\text{waiting\_time}[i] = \text{waiting\_time}[i-1] + \text{burst\_time}[i-1]$
7. Calculate turnaround time:  $\text{turnaround\_time}[i] = \text{waiting\_time}[i] + \text{burst\_time}[i]$  8.
- Compute the total and average waiting time and turnaround time.
9. Display the details.
10. End the program.

**Program Code (in C):**

```
#include <stdio.h>

int main() { int bt[20], p[20], wt[20],
tat[20], prio[20];
int i, j, n, temp; float
total_wt = 0, total_tat = 0;

printf("Enter the number of processes:\n");
scanf("%d", &n);
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printf("Enter Burst Time and Priority of each process:\n");
for (i = 0; i < n; i++) {
    printf("Process %d - Burst Time: ", i + 1); scanf("%d", &bt[i]);
    printf("Process %d - Priority (lower number = higher priority): ", i + 1);
    scanf("%d", &prio[i]);

    p[i] = i + 1;
}

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// Sort processes based on priority

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for (i = 0; i < n - 1; i++) {
    for (j = i + 1; j < n; j++) {
        if (prio[i] > prio[j]) {

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// Swap priority

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temp = prio[i];
prio[i] = prio[j];
prio[j] = temp;

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// Swap burst

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time temp = bt[i];
bt[i] = bt[j]; bt[j]
= temp;

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// Swap process

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ID temp = p[i];
p[i] = p[j]; p[j] =
temp;
}
}
}
wt[0] = 0; for (i = 1; i <

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n; i++) { wt[i] = wt[i -
1] + bt[i - 1]; total_wt
+= wt[i];
}

for (i = 0; i < n; i++) {
tat[i] = wt[i] + bt[i];
total_tat += tat[i];
}

printf("\nProcess\tBurst Time\tPriority\tWaiting Time\tTurnaround Time\n");
for (i = 0; i < n; i++) {
printf("%d\t%d\t\t%d\t\t%d\t\t%d\n", p[i], bt[i], prio[i], wt[i], tat[i]); }

printf("\nAverage Waiting Time: %.2f", total_wt / n);
printf("\nAverage Turnaround Time: %.2f\n", total_tat / n);

return 0;
}

```

### Sample Output:

Enter the number of processes:

4

Enter Burst Time and Priority of each process:

Process 1 - Burst Time: 10

Process 1 - Priority: 3

Process 2 - Burst Time: 1

Process 2 - Priority: 1

Process 3 - Burst Time: 2

Process 3 - Priority: 4

Process 4 - Burst Time: 1

Process 4 - Priority: 2

Process	Burst Time	Priority	Waiting Time	Turnaround Time
2	1	1	0	1
4	1	2	1	2
1	10	3	2	12
3	2	4	12	14

Average Waiting Time: 3.75

Average Turnaround Time: 7.25

### **Result:**

The Priority Scheduling algorithm was successfully implemented and tested. The program displayed correct waiting and turnaround times based on priority.