

1. Turnaround Times

- $(8\text{ms} + 10\text{ms} + 10\text{ms})/3 = 9.33\text{ms}$
- $(8\text{ms} + 6\text{ms} + 11)/3 = 8.33\text{ms}$

2. To make the computer feel responsive to the user. Any small delay would result in a noticeable freeze.

3. Gantt Charts

a.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
P1	P1	P1	P1	P1	P1	P1	P1	P2	P2	P2	P3	P3	P4	P5	P5	P5	P5	P5	P5

Turnaround time:  $(8\text{ms} + 11\text{ms} + 13\text{ms} + 14\text{ms} + 20\text{ms})/5 = 13.2\text{ms}$

Wait time:  $(0\text{ms} + 8\text{ms} + 11\text{ms} + 13\text{ms} + 14\text{ms})/5 = 9.2\text{ms}$

b.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
P4	P3	P3	P2	P2	P2	P5	P5	P5	P5	P5	P5	P1	P1	P1	P1	P1	P1	P1	P1

Turnaround time:  $(20\text{ms} + 6\text{ms} + 3\text{ms} + 1\text{ms} + 12\text{ms})/5 = 8.4\text{ms}$

Wait time:  $(12\text{ms} + 3\text{ms} + 1\text{ms} + 0\text{ms} + 6\text{ms})/5 = 4.4\text{ms}$

c.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
P2	P2	P2	P3	P3	P5	P5	P5	P5	P5	P5	P1	P1	P1	P1	P1	P1	P1	P1	P4

Turnaround time:  $(19\text{ms} + 3\text{ms} + 5\text{ms} + 20\text{ms} + 11\text{ms})/5 = 11.6\text{ms}$

Wait time:  $(11\text{ms} + 0\text{ms} + 3\text{ms} + 19\text{ms} + 5\text{ms})/5 = 7.6\text{ms}$

d.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
P1					P1				P1			P1		P1		P1		P1	P1
	P2					P2				P2									
		P3					P3												
			P4																
				P5				P5			P5		P5		P5		P5		

Turnaround time:  $(20\text{ms} + 11\text{ms} + 8\text{ms} + 4\text{ms} + 18\text{ms})/5 = 12.2\text{ms}$

Wait time:  $(12\text{ms} + 8\text{ms} + 6\text{ms} + 3\text{ms} + 12\text{ms})/5 = 8.2\text{ms}$

- SJF has the shortest average wait time for this set of processes.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
P1		P1				P1	P1	P1				
	P2											
		P3										
			P4	P4								
								P5	P5	P5	P5	

- 4.
- Turnaround time:  $(9\text{ms} + 1\text{ms} + 1\text{ms} + 3\text{ms} + 7\text{ms})/5 = 4.2\text{ms}$

Wait time:  $(4\text{ms} + 0\text{ms} + 0\text{ms} + 1\text{ms} + 3\text{ms})/5 = 1.6\text{ms}$

5. Priority time can result in starvation if a low priority process never gets to run because there are always higher priority processes.

6. RR

- The process with 2 pointers would run twice as many times.
- An advantage is that more pointers could be added to give certain processes priority, allowing them more time to run. A disadvantage is that there would still be lost time in

the overhead to check the ready queue and run the same process that was already running.

- c. I would just have priority attached to each process in the ready queue that would dynamically change the quantum.