

Laboratory 4

Title of the Laboratory Exercise: Programs for process scheduling algorithms

1. Introduction and Purpose of Experiment

A Process Scheduler schedules different processes to CPU based on particular scheduling algorithms. There are various scheduling algorithms present in each group of operating system. By solving these problems students will be able use different scheduling algorithms as part of their implementation

2. Aim and Objectives

Aim

- To develop programs to implement scheduling algorithms

Objectives

At the end of this lab, the student will be able to

- Distinguish different scheduling algorithms
- Apply the logic of scheduling algorithms wherever required □ Create C programs to simulate scheduling algorithms

3. Experimental Procedure

- Analyse the problem statement
- Design an algorithm for the given problem statement and develop a flowchart/pseudo-code
- Implement the algorithm in C language
- Compile the C program
- Test the implemented program
- Document the Results
- Analyse and discuss the outcomes of your experiment

4. Questions

Write program to simulate the following process scheduling algorithms. Calculate average waiting time and average turnaround time for processes under each scheduling algorithm.

Instructions: Assume all the processes arrive at the same time. For FCFS and SJF scheduling algorithms, read the number of processes/jobs in the system and their CPU burst times. For round robin scheduling algorithm, read the number of processes in the system, their CPU burst times and the size of the time slice. For priority scheduling algorithm, read the number of processes in the system, their CPU burst times and the priorities.

- a) First Come First Served
- b) Shortest Job First
- c) Priority
- d) Round Robin

5. Calculations/Computations/Algorithms

Algorithm of First Come First Served (FCFS):

STEP 1: Start

STEP 2: Input the processes along with their burst time (bt).

STEP 3: Find waiting time (wt) for all processes.

STEP 4: As first process that comes need not to wait so waiting time for process 1 will be 0 i.e. $wt[0] = 0$.

STEP 5: Find waiting time for all other processes i.e. for

process i ->

$$wt[i] = bt[i-1] + wt[i-1] .$$

STEP 6: Find turnaround time = waiting_time + burst_time

for all processes.

STEP 7: Find average waiting time =

$$\text{total_waiting_time} / \text{no_of_processes}.$$

STEP 8: Similarly, find average turn_around_time =

$$\text{total_turn_around_time} / \text{no_of_processes}.$$

STEP 9: Stop

Algorithm of Shortest Job First (SJF):

STEP 1: Sort all the process according to the arrival time.

STEP 2: Then select that process which has minimum arrival time and minimum Burst time.

STEP 3: After completion of process make a pool of process which after till the completion of previous process and select that process among the pool which is having minimum Burst time.

Algorithm of Priority Scheduling:

STEP 1: First input the processes with their burst time and priority.

STEP 2: Sort the processes, burst time and priority according to the priority.

STEP 3: Now simply apply FCFS algorithm.

Algorithm of Shortest Job First (SJF):

STEP 1: Start

STEP 2: Create an array `rem_bt[]` to keep track of remaining burst time of processes. This array is initially a copy of `bt[]` (burst times array)

STEP 3: Create another array `wt[]` to store waiting times processes. Initialize this array as 0.

STEP 4: Initialize time: `t = 0`

STEP 5: Keep traversing the all processes while all processes are not done. Do following for `i` 'th process if it is not done yet.

4.1 If `rem_bt[i] > quantum`

4.1.1 `t = t + quantum`

4.1.2 `bt_rem[i] -= quantum;`

4.2 Else // Last cycle for this process

4.2.1 `t = t + bt_rem[i];`

4.2.2 `wt[i] = t - bt[i]`

4.2.3 `bt_rem[i] = 0; // This process is over`

STEP 6: Stop.

6. Presentation of Results

A screenshot of a code editor showing a makefile. The editor has a dark background with light-colored text. The makefile content is as follows:

```
1  fcfs:
2      @gcc fcfs.c
3      @./a.out
4
5  sjf:
6      @gcc sjf.c
7      @./a.out
8
9  priority:
10     @gcc priority.c
11     @./a.out
12
13 round_robin:
14     @gcc round_robin.c
15     @./a.out
16
17 clean:
18     @rm *.out
19
20 .PHONY: clean
```

Figure 15 makefile

```

1 #include <stdio.h>
2
3 // Function to find the waiting time for all processes
4 void findWaitingTime(int processes[], int n, int bt[], int wt[])
5 {
6     // waiting time for first process is 0
7     wt[0] = 0;
8
9     // calculating waiting time
10    for (int i = 1; i < n; i++)
11        wt[i] = bt[i - 1] + wt[i - 1];
12 }
13
14 // Function to calculate turn around time
15 void findTurnAroundTime(int processes[], int n, int bt[], int wt[], int tat[])
16 {
17     // calculating turnaround time by adding
18     // bt[i] + wt[i]
19    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
20        tat[i] = bt[i] + wt[i];
21 }
22
23 //Function to calculate average time
24 void findavgTime(int processes[], int n, int bt[])
25 {
26     int wt[n], tat[n], total_wt = 0, total_tat = 0;
27
28     //Function to find waiting time of all processes
29     findWaitingTime(processes, n, bt, wt);
30
31     //Function to find turn around time for all processes
32     findTurnAroundTime(processes, n, bt, wt, tat);
33
34     //Display processes along with all details
35     printf("Processes   Burst_time   Waiting_time   Turn_around_time\n");
36
37     // Calculate total waiting time and total turn
38     // around time
39     for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
40     {
41         total_wt = total_wt + wt[i];
42         total_tat = total_tat + tat[i];
43         printf("%d", (i + 1));
44         printf("\t\t%d ", bt[i]);
45         printf("\t\t%d", wt[i]);
46         printf("\t\t%d\n", tat[i]);
47     }
48     int s = (float)total_wt / (float)n;
49     int t = (float)total_tat / (float)n;
50     printf("Average waiting time = %d", s);
51     printf("\n");
52     printf("Average turn around time = %d ", t);
53 }
54
55 // Driver code
56 int main()
57 {
58     int n;
59     printf("Enter number of processes: ");
60     scanf("%d", &n);
61
62     int processes[n], burst_time[n];
63
64     //process id's
65     printf("Enter Processes: ");
66     for (size_t i = 0; i < n; i++)
67     {
68         scanf("%d", &processes[i]);
69     }
70
71     //Burst time of all processes
72     printf("Enter burst times: ");
73     for (size_t i = 0; i < n; i++)
74     {
75         scanf("%d", &burst_time[i]);
76     }
77
78     findavgTime(processes, n, burst_time);
79     return 0;
80 }

```

Figure 16 FCFS source code

```

subhendu@LAPTOP-AL8CTHTV /mnt/d/RUAS-sem-05/OS/lab5 make fcfs
Enter number of processes: 4
Enter Processes: 1 2 3 4
Enter burst times: 5 1 7 8
Processes   Burst_time   Waiting_time   Turn_around_time
1           5           0             5
2           1           5             6
3           7           6            13
4           8          13            21
Average waiting time = 6
Average turn around time = 11.25
subhendu@LAPTOP-AL8CTHTV /mnt/d/RUAS-sem-05/OS/lab5

```

Figure 17 Execution of FCFS

```

1 #include <stdio.h>
2 int main()
3 {
4     int bt[20], p[20], wt[20], tat[20], i, j, n, total = 0, pos, temp;
5     float avg_wt, avg_tat;
6     printf("Enter number of process:");
7     scanf("%d", &n);
8
9     printf("\nEnter Burst Time:\n");
10    for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
11    {
12        printf("p%d:", i + 1);
13        scanf("%d", &bt[i]);
14        p[i] = i + 1;
15    }
16
17    //sorting of burst times
18    for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
19    {
20        pos = i;
21        for (j = i + 1; j < n; j++)
22        {
23            if (bt[j] < bt[pos])
24                pos = j;
25        }
26
27        temp = bt[i];
28        bt[i] = bt[pos];
29        bt[pos] = temp;
30
31        temp = p[i];
32        p[i] = p[pos];
33        p[pos] = temp;
34    }
35
36    wt[0] = 0;
37
38    for (i = 1; i < n; i++)
39    {
40        wt[i] = 0;
41        for (j = 0; j < i; j++)
42            wt[i] += bt[j];
43
44        total += wt[i];
45    }
46
47    avg_wt = (float)total / n;
48    total = 0;
49
50    printf("\nProcess\t Burst Time \tWaiting Time\tTurnaround Time");
51    for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
52    {
53        tat[i] = bt[i] + wt[i];
54        total += tat[i];
55        printf("\n %d \t\t %d\t\t %d \t\t\t %d", p[i], bt[i], wt[i], tat[i]);
56    }
57
58    avg_tat = (float)total / n;
59    printf("\n\nAverage Waiting Time=%0.3f", avg_wt);
60    printf("\n\nAverage Turnaround Time=%0.3f\n", avg_tat);
61 }

```

Figure 18 SJF Source Code

```
subhendu@LAPTOP-AL8CTHTV ▶ /mnt/d/RUAS-sem-05/OS/lab5 ▶ make sjf
Enter number of process:5

Enter Burst Time:
p1:5
p2:1
p3:4
p4:6
p5:8

Process      Burst Time      Waiting Time      Turnaround Time
2             1               0                 1
3             4               1                 5
1             5               5                10
4             6              10                16
5             8              16                24

Average Waiting Time=6.400
Average Turnaround Time=11.200
subhendu@LAPTOP-AL8CTHTV ▶ /mnt/d/RUAS-sem-05/OS/lab5 ▶
```

Figure 19 Execution of SJF

```

1 #include <stdio.h>
2
3 int main()
4 {
5     int bt[20], p[20], wt[20], tat[20], pr[20], i, j, n, total = 0, pos, temp;
6     float avg_wt, avg_tat;
7     printf("Enter Total Number of Process:");
8     scanf("%d", &n);
9
10    printf("\nEnter Burst Time and Priority\n");
11    for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
12    {
13        printf("\nP[%d]\n", i + 1);
14        printf("Burst Time:");
15        scanf("%d", &bt[i]);
16        printf("Priority:");
17        scanf("%d", &pr[i]);
18        p[i] = i + 1; //contains process number
19    }
20
21    //sorting burst time, priority and process number in ascending order using
    selection sort
22    for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
23    {
24        pos = i;
25        for (j = i + 1; j < n; j++)
26        {
27            if (pr[j] < pr[pos])
28                pos = j;
29        }
30        // swapping
31        temp = pr[i];
32        pr[i] = pr[pos];
33        pr[pos] = temp;
34
35        temp = bt[i];
36        bt[i] = bt[pos];
37        bt[pos] = temp;
38
39        temp = p[i];
40        p[i] = p[pos];
41        p[pos] = temp;
42    }
43
44    wt[0] = 0; //waiting time for first process is zero
45
46    //calculate waiting time
47    for (i = 1; i < n; i++)
48    {
49        wt[i] = 0;
50        for (j = 0; j < i; j++)
51            wt[i] += bt[j];
52
53        total += wt[i];
54    }
55
56    avg_wt = (float)total / (float)n; //average waiting time
57    total = 0;
58
59    printf("\nProcess\t\t Burst Time\t\t \tWaiting Time\tTurnaround Time");
60    for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
61    {
62        tat[i] = bt[i] + wt[i]; //calculate turnaround time
63        total += tat[i];
64        printf("\nP[%d]\t\t %d\t\t\t %d \t\t\t %d", p[i], bt[i], wt[i], tat[i]);
65    }
66
67    avg_tat = (float)total / (float)n; //average turnaround time
68    printf("\n\nAverage Waiting Time=%.3f", avg_wt);
69    printf("\n\nAverage Turnaround Time=%.3f\n", avg_tat);
70
71    return 0;
72 }

```

Figure 20 Priority Scheduling Source Code


```
subhendu@LAPTOP-AL8CTHTV > /mnt/d/RUAS-sem-05/OS/lab5 > make priority
Enter Total Number of Process:3

Enter Burst Time and Priority

P[1]
Burst Time:6
Priority:3

P[2]
Burst Time:18
Priority:2

P[3]
Burst Time:14
Priority:1

Process      Burst Time      Waiting Time      Turnaround Time
P[3]          14              0                14
P[2]          18              14               32
P[1]          6               32               38

Average Waiting Time=15.333
Average Turnaround Time=28.000
subhendu@LAPTOP-AL8CTHTV > /mnt/d/RUAS-sem-05/OS/lab5 > |
```

Figure 21 Execution of Priority Scheduling

```

1 #include <stdio.h>
2 #include <stdbool.h>
3
4 void getTAT(int processes[], int n, int bt[], int wt[], int tat[]);
5 void getWT(int processes[], int n, int bt[], int wt[], int quantum);
6 void getAvgTime(int processes[], int n, int bt[], int quantum);
7
8 int main()
9 {
10     int n;
11     printf("Enter no of processes:-");
12     scanf("%d", &n);
13
14     int processes[n];
15     int burst_time[n];
16
17     // Time quantum
18     int quantum;
19     printf("Enter Time Quantum:-");
20     scanf("%d", &quantum);
21     printf("Enter burst times:- \n");
22     for (size_t i = 0; i < n; i++)
23     {
24         processes[i] = i;
25         scanf("%d", &burst_time[i]);
26     }
27
28     getAvgTime(processes, n, burst_time, quantum);
29     return 0;
30 }
31
32 void getWT(int processes[], int n, int bt[], int wt[], int quantum)
33 {
34     int rem_bt[n];
35     for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
36         rem_bt[i] = bt[i];
37
38     int t = 0;
39     while (true)
40     {
41         bool done = true;
42         for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
43         {
44             if (rem_bt[i] > 0)
45             {
46                 done = false;
47                 if (rem_bt[i] > quantum)
48                 {
49                     t += quantum;
50                     rem_bt[i] -= quantum;
51                 }
52                 else
53                 {
54                     t = t + rem_bt[i];
55                     wt[i] = t - bt[i];
56                     rem_bt[i] = 0;
57                 }
58             }
59         }
60
61         if (done == true)
62             break;
63     }
64 }
65
66 void getTAT(int processes[], int n, int bt[], int wt[], int tat[])
67 {
68     for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
69         tat[i] = bt[i] + wt[i];
70 }
71
72 void getAvgTime(int processes[], int n, int bt[], int quantum)
73 {
74     int wt[n], tat[n], total_wt = 0, total_tat = 0;
75
76     getWT(processes, n, bt, wt, quantum);
77     getTAT(processes, n, bt, wt, tat);
78
79     printf("Prs \t BT \t WT \t TAT\n");
80
81     // Calculate total WT and Total TAT
82     for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
83     {
84         total_wt = total_wt + wt[i];
85         total_tat = total_tat + tat[i];
86         printf("%d \t %d \t %d \t %d \n", i + 1, bt[i], wt[i], tat[i]);
87     }
88     printf("Average waiting time = %0.3f", (float)total_wt / (float)n);
89     printf("\nAverage turn around time = %0.3f", (float)total_tat / (float)n);
90 }

```

Figure 22 Round Robin Source Code

```

subhendu@LAPTOP-AL8CTHTV /mnt/d/RUAS-sem-05/OS/lab5 make round_robin
Enter no of processes:-4
Enter Time Quantam:-3
Enter burst times:-
8 12 16 20
Prs    BT    WT    TAT
1      8     18    26
2      12    26    38
3      16    35    51
4      20    36    56
Average waiting time = 28.750
Average turn around time = 42.750%
subhendu@LAPTOP-AL8CTHTV /mnt/d/RUAS-sem-05/OS/lab5

```

Figure 23 Execution of Round Robin

7. Analysis and Discussions

○ First Come First Served

Given n processes with their burst times, the task is to find average waiting time and average turnaround time using FCFS scheduling algorithm.

First in, first out (FIFO), also known as first come, first served (FCFS), is the simplest scheduling algorithm. FIFO simply queues processes in the order that they arrive in the ready queue.

In this, the process that comes first will be executed first and next process starts only after the previous gets fully executed.

○ Shortest Job First

Shortest job first (SJF) or shortest job next, is a scheduling policy that selects the waiting process with the smallest execution time to execute next. SJN is a non-pre-emptive algorithm.

- Shortest Job first has the advantage of having a minimum average waiting time among all scheduling algorithms.
- It is a Greedy Algorithm.
- It may cause starvation if shorter processes keep coming. This problem can be solved using the concept of ageing.
- It is practically infeasible as Operating System may not know burst time and therefore may not sort them. While it is not possible to predict execution time, several methods can be used to estimate the execution time for a job, such as a weighted average of previous execution times. SJF can be used in specialized environments where accurate estimates of running time are available.

○ Priority

Priority scheduling is one of the most common scheduling algorithms in batch systems. Each process is assigned a priority. Process with the highest priority is to be executed first and so on.

Processes with the same priority are executed on first come first served basis. Priority can be decided based on memory requirements, time requirements or any other resource requirement

- **Round Robin**

Round Robin is a CPU scheduling algorithm where each process is assigned a fixed time slot in a cyclic way.

- It is simple, easy to implement, and starvation-free as all processes get fair share of CPU.
- One of the most commonly used technique in CPU scheduling as a core.
- It is pre-emptive as processes are assigned CPU only for a fixed slice of time at most.
- The disadvantage of it is more overhead of context switching.

8. Conclusions

In FCFS,

It is simple and easy to understand

In SJF,

- Shortest jobs are favoured.
- It is provably optimal; in that it gives the minimum average waiting time for a given set of processes.

In Round Robin,

- Every process gets an equal share of the CPU.
- RR is cyclic in nature, so there is no starvation

In Priority,

This Scheduling provides a good mechanism where the relative importance of each process maybe precisely defined.

9. Comments

1. Limitations of Experiments

FCFS limitation

In First Come First Serve scheduling the average waiting time is not optimal. ...

The First Come First Serve scheduling is Non-pre-emptive in nature. ...

As the First come First Serve scheduling is Non-pre-emptive, it does not understand the priority of processes.

SJF Limitations

SJF may cause starvation, if shorter processes keep coming. This problem is solved by aging. It cannot be implemented at the level of short-term CPU scheduling.

Round Robin limitation

If slicing time of OS is low, the processor output will be reduced. This method spends more time on context switching. Its performance heavily depends on time quantum. Priorities cannot be set for the processes

Priority scheduling limitation

The problem occurs when the operating system gives a particular task a very low priority, so it sits in the queue for a larger amount of time, not being dealt with by the CPU. If this process is something the user needs, there could be a very long wait, this process is known as “Starvation” or “Infinite Blocking”.

2. Learning happened

Implemented scheduling algorithms in C.