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COMPUTER ENGINEERING

COURSE NO. COM– 605

(Operating System)

Time Allowed – 3 Hours

Maximum Marks - 100

Note: Attempt **five** questions in all selecting at least two questions from each Section. Each question carries **20** marks.

Section – A

1. (a) Define O.S. Discuss in detail the role of O.S.
(b) Compare and contrast Multiprogramming and Multiprocessing. (10, 10)
2. (a) Define the term "CPU Scheduling"? Explain about pre-emptive & non-pre-emptive scheduling.
(b) What is dynamic scheduling in multiprocessor system? How does it differ from static scheduling? (10, 10)
3. (a) What is a Process? What are the operations defined on a process?
(b) Consider a system with a set of processes **P1, P2, P3** and their CPU burst times (**mentioned in milli-seconds**), priorities and arrival times being mentioned as below:

Process	CPU Burst Time	Arrival Times	Priority
P1	5	0	2
P2	15	1	3
P3	10	2	1

Assume **1** to be the highest priority and calculate the following:

1. Average waiting time using FCFS, SJF and Priority Scheduling mechanisms. (10, 10)

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4. (a) What are Co-operating Processes? Discuss its properties.
Explain the term 'race condition' associated with co-operating processes.
- (b) What is a Semaphore? How does semaphore provide better solution as compared to other software solutions for the critical section problem? (10, 10)

Section – B

5. (a) Define Deadlock. What are the necessary conditions for the occurrence of a deadlock?
- (b) Describe the **Banker's algorithm** for deadlocks avoidance. (10, 10)
6. What is Virtual memory? Describe various approaches for implementing virtual memory in a computer system. Discuss their advantages and disadvantages.
7. (a) Explain the Architecture of UNIX O.S. Discuss its main features.
- (b) Discuss the File System of UNIX O.S. Differentiate Directory, Ordinary and Special Files of UNIX. (10, 10)
8. Write in short about following:
- (a) Shared Memory (b) Unix Shell
- (c) Parallel processing (d) Interrupts (4 x 5)

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