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1.

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void switch(struct thread *t1, struct thread *t2)
{
    push_register(RBP);
    push_register(R0);
    push_register(R1);
    push_register(R2);
    push_register(R3);

    t1->stack = read_register(RSP);
    write_register(RSP, t2->stack);

    pop_register(R3);
    pop_register(R2);
    pop_register(R1);
    pop_register(R0);
    pop_register(RSP);
}
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2.1

10 platters (4096 tracks / platter) (1024 sectors / track) (512 bytes / sector) =  
21474836480 bytes  $\approx 2^{34}$  bytes = 16 gigabytes

2.2

12000 rotations / minute = 200 rotations / second

1 rotation / (1/200 second) = 1 rotation / 0.005 second

rotational delay = 1/2 (0.005 second) = 0.0025 second = 2.5 millisecond = 2.5 ms

Total throughput = bytes / time = bytes / (rotational delay + average seek time + transfer time)

$2^{34}$  bytes / (2.5 ms + 15 ms + 0)  $\approx 2^{40}$  bytes / second

2.3

let k be an integer that represents the number of requests

transfer rate =  $\lim_{k \text{ approaches infinity}} (2^{34} \text{ bytes} / k * (2.5 \text{ ms} + 15 \text{ ms} + 0)) \approx (2^{40} / k) \text{ bytes} / \text{second}$

3.

(a)

Shortest Seek Time First (SSTF) scheduling approach picks requests on closest track to finish first

Order of tracks: 10 -> 6 -> 2 -> 20 -> 22 -> 38 -> 40

Total track moved = (10 - 6) + (6 - 2) + (20 - 2) + (22 - 20) + (38 - 22) + (40 - 38)

$$= 4 + 4 + 18 + 2 + 16 + 18 = 62 \text{ tracks}$$

$$\text{Total seek time} = (6 \text{ msec / track})(62 \text{ tracks}) = 372 \text{ msec}$$

(b)

Elevator (SCAN) algorithm just sweeps back and forth across the disk to complete requests.

Order of tracks: 10 -> 22 -> 20 -> 2 -> 40 -> 6 -> 38

$$\text{Total track moved} = (22 - 10) + (22 - 20) + (20 - 2) + (40 - 2) + (40 - 6) + (38 - 6)$$

$$= 12 + 2 + 18 + 38 + 36 + 32 = 138 \text{ tracks}$$

$$\text{Total seek time} = (6 \text{ msec / track})(138 \text{ tracks}) = 828 \text{ msec}$$