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OPERATING SYSTEMS

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Time: 3 Hours Max Marks: 80

Answer any FIVE Questions
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- a) Explain the Operating system as Resource Manager.
 - b) A major operating system will evolve over time for a number of reasons. What are they?
- 2 a) Stating the optimization criteria, explain the criteria for CPU scheduling algorithms.
 - b) With Gantt-chart illustration, write about Round Robin (RR) CPU scheduling algorithm.
- a) Write the program for mutual exclusion using semaphores.
 - b) Explain about infinite buffer producer/consumer problem for concurrent processing which uses Binary Semaphores.
- 4 a) Explain Paging hardware with translation look-aside buffer.
 - b) How memory protection can be accomplished in a paged environment? Explain.
- What are the principles of deadlock? How the deadlocks can be avoided? Explain with the help of necessary algorithms.
- a) Explain various techniques implemented for free space management, discuss with suitable examples.
 - b) Explain Windows 2000 file management system.
- a) What is Redundant Array of Inexpensive Discs? What are the advantages and disadvantages of using this kind of systems?
 - b) Explain different levels of RAID.
- 8 a) Write about the goals and principles of protection.
 - b) Explain the Role-based access control in Solaris 10.

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- What is Operating System? Describe the different types of Operating Systems with the examples.
- a) Differentiate process and program. With a neat sketch, explain the process control block.
 - b) Describe the process management in traditional UNIX.
- What is message passing? Explain the design characteristics of message systems for inter process communication and synchronization.
- 4 Explain segmentation scheme for memory management. Give the segmentation hardware.
- a) What is starvation? Which of the following algorithms could result in starvation FCFS, SPN, SRT and Priority. How to overcome the problem of starvation? Discuss.
 - b) How mutual exclusion, hold and wait and circular wait are different from each other? Explain with the help of examples.
- 6 a) Explain Linked allocation method with example.
 - b) Write about tree-structured file-directory structure.
- 7 Giving merits and demerits, explain the various Disk-scheduling algorithms.
- 8 Write short notes on
 - a) MULTICS ring structure.
- b) Revocation of access rights.

c) Protection in Java.

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- a) Giving the various components explain how a real-time OS is different from conventional OS?
 - b) What is meant by a distributed operating system?
- a) Explain the methods for evaluation of CPU scheduling algorithms.
 - b) What is Swapping? Explain the need for swapping.
- a) Define monitor. What are its characteristics?
 - b) Explain about protection technique of critical section in LINUX.
- a) Explain the partitioning-based memory management schemes.
 - b) Compare the memory management in Windows 2000 with that of Linux.
- 5 a) Explain the life cycle of an I/O request.
 - b) Explain the UNIX I/O kernel structure.
- a) Write about Acyclic Graph-Structured file-directory structure.
 - b) Explain in brief the file management in UNIX.
- 7 a) With an example, explain the swap-space management.
 - b) Write about Tertiary -Storage Devices.
- 8 a) Discuss elaborately intrusion detection techniques.
 - b) Explain the security functions of windows XP.

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- 1 a) Write about hardware protection in multi-user environment.
 - b) Brief the characteristics of real-time OS.
- a) Distinguish a thread from a process.
 - b) Describe various operations on threads.
 - c) Write about Kernel level threads.
 - d) What resources are typically shared by all of the threads of a process?
- What is Readers/Writers problem? Explain the method of solving the problem by using Semaphores with Writers having priority.
- 4 a) Explain the concept of virtual memory.
 - b) With a neat sketch, explain demand paging concept.
- 5 a) Differentiate between blocking and Non-blocking I/O.
 - b) Explain the STREAMS structure of UNIX system V.
- 6 Giving merits and demerits, explain the three-disk file allocation methods.
- 7 a) Write short notes on
 - i) Host-Attached Storage
 - ii) Network-Attached Storage
 - iii) Storage-Area Network
 - b) Explain various disk performance parameters.
- 8 a) Explain the requirements of computer and network security.
 - b) Explain in detail various password selection strategies for user authentication.

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