

Professional Course (Odd) Examination, 2024

(CBCS)

(3rd Semester)

BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS**(Operating Systems)***Full Marks : 75**Time : 3 hours**The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions***(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)***(Marks : 25)***SECTION—I***(Marks : 15)***A.** Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided : 1×10=10

1. BIOS is used by

- (a) operating system () (b) compiler ()
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2. Which of the following types of OS reads and reacts in terms of actual time?

- (a) Quick sharing OS () (b) Real-time OS ()
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3. FIFO scheduling is a type of
 - (a) preemptive scheduling ()
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 - (d) None of the above ()
4. OS classifies the threads as
 - (a) security and memory level ()
 - (b) OS and CPU level ()
 - (c) kernel and user level ()
 - (d) motherboard level ()
5. The priority of a process will _____ if the scheduler assigns it a static priority.
 - (a) depends on the operating system ()
 - (b) change ()
 - (c) remain unchanged ()
 - (d) None of the above ()
6. A problem encountered in multitasking when a process is perpetually denied necessary resources is called

(a) deadlock ()	(b) starvation ()
(c) inversion ()	(d) aging ()
7. For non-shareable resources like a printer, mutual exclusion

(a) must exist ()	(b) must not exist ()
(c) may exist ()	(d) None of these ()
8. With relocation and limit registers, each logical address must be _____ the limit register.

(a) less than ()	(b) equal to ()
(c) greater than ()	(d) None of these ()

9. Every address generated by the CPU is divided into two parts which are

- (a) frame bit and page number ()
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- (c) page offset and frame bit ()
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10. Which of the following are the two parts of the file name?

- (a) name and identifier ()
- (b) identifier and type ()
- (c) extension and name ()
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B. State whether the following statements are *True (T)* or *False (F)* by putting a Tick (✓) mark : 1×5=5

1. The operating system will always record the generated bugs or errors on a log file when an operating system finds any kinds of errors.

(T / F)

2. The address of the next instruction to be executed by the current process is provided by piping.

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3. All unsafe states are not deadlocks.

(T / F)

4. Swap space exists in secondary memory.

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5. The first fit and best fit algorithms suffer from starvation.

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SECTION—II

(Marks : 10)

C. Answer the following questions :

2×5=10

1. What are multiprocessor systems? Mention two advantages.
2. What is CPU scheduler?
3. What are safe state and safe sequence?
4. What is external fragmentation? How will you reduce it?
5. Define seek time and latency time.

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

1. (a) Explain operating system functions and services in detail.

10

OR

- (b) Discuss the different types of operating system in detail.

2. (a) Define process. Explain process states with a neat and labelled diagram.

1+5=6

- (b) Write a short note on the properties and characteristics of semaphore.

4

OR

- (c) Explain SRTN scheduling with an example diagram.

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- (d) Describe the different multithreading models.

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3. (a) Define deadlock. What are the necessary conditions for deadlock to occur in the system?

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- (b) Explain the banker's algorithm with example.

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OR

- (c) Discuss the algorithm for deadlock detection and methods for deadlock recovery.

6

- (d) Write a short note on deadlock prevention.

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4. (a) Discuss LRU Approximation page Replacement. 5
- (b) How does segmentation differ from paging? Explain the paged segmentation with an example. 5

OR

- (c) Discuss FIFO page replacement algorithm. Using FIFO algorithm, determine the number of page fault occurrences for the following reference string with three page frames : 3+3=6
- 4, 3, 0, 3, 2, 1, 4, 9, 2, 0, 4
- (d) Write a short note on swapping. 4
5. (a) Explain file concept, file attributes and file structure. 5
- (b) Discuss contiguous and linked file allocation methods with suitable diagrams. 5

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- (c) Describe how Access Control List can be useful for managing file access. 4
- (d) Name four file operations. 2
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BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS
(English Language and Communication Skills)

Full Marks : 75

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The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. Choose the name of the Parts of Speech of the underlined words : 1×5=5

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(i) Adjective

(ii) Verb

(iii) Adverb

(b) After the storm comes the calm.

(i) Conjunction

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(c) He kept the fast for a month.

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(d) I will sleep while you study.

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(e) They while away their precious time partying.

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2. Answer the following as directed given in the brackets :

1×5=5

(a) I will have been speaking.

(Change into Future Perfect Tense)

(b) I have loved.

(Change into Present Continuous Tense)

(c) He drinks tea every morning.

(Change into Past Perfect Continuous Tense)

(d) They had been listening.

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(e) He will leave before you go to see him.

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3. Answer the following according to the directions given in the brackets :

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(a) A guilty conscience needs no excuse.

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7. (a) Discuss the importance of English as a link language. 10

OR

- (b) What is communication? Discuss the different components of communication.

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- (a) Psychological barrier
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9. (a) What is non-verbal communication? Discuss the different kinds of non-verbal communication. 10

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- (b) What is verbal communication? Discuss the different vocal communication techniques.

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