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II Semester B.C.A. Degree Examination, June/July - 2026

COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

Operating System

(SEP Scheme)

Time : 3 Hours

Instructions to Candidates:

Answer all the Sections.

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Maximum Marks : 80

SECTION - A

I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

(10×2=20)

1. Define operating system and name any two services of operating system.
2. How process is different from program?
3. What is Thread?
4. Define deadlock with example.
5. Define mutex locks.
6. What is critical section problem?
7. Define paging.
8. What is fragmentation? Write its types.
9. What is virtual memory?
10. Write any four file operations.
11. Define seek time and latency time.
12. Write the linux command formats.

SECTION - B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

(6×5=30)

13. Write functions of operating system.

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14. Explain process states with neat diagram.
15. Explain dining philosophers problem.
16. Calculate the average waiting time using with time slice of 3ms using FCFS scheduling.

| Process        | Burst time In ms |
|----------------|------------------|
| P <sub>1</sub> | 24               |
| P <sub>2</sub> | 3                |
| P <sub>3</sub> | 3                |

17. Difference between paging and segmentation.
18. Write about different file access methods.
19. Write features of LINUX.
20. Write any five file related commands with example.

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### SECTION - C

III. Answer any Three questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

(3×10=30)

21. Explain types of operating system.
22. Consider the following set of processes with CPU burst time in ms.

| Process        | CPU burst time |
|----------------|----------------|
| P <sub>1</sub> | 5              |
| P <sub>2</sub> | 10             |
| P <sub>3</sub> | 6              |
| P <sub>4</sub> | 2              |

Draw the Gantt chart and find average waiting time, Turnaround time using SJF algorithm.

23. Consider the reference string 7, 0, 1, 2, 0, 3, 0, 4, 2, 3, 0, 3, 2, 1, 2, 0, 1, 7. Find page fault rate using FIFO and optimal page replacement algorithm.
24. Explain any four disk scheduling algorithms.
25. a) Explain Directory structure. (5)  
b) Briefly explain linux system architecture. (5)

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