

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)

BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2023
(Third Semester)

Branch – COMPUTER SCIENCE WITH DATA ANALYTICS

OPERATING SYSTEM

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 50 Marks

SECTION-A (5 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(5 x 1 = 5)

- 1 Which is not provided by the operating system is____
(i) networking (ii) user interface
(iii) error detection (iv) program execution
- 2 This is dynamically allocated memory to a process during its run time.
(i) Stack (ii) Queue
(iii) Heap (iv) Data
- 3 Which set of necessary conditions causes a deadlock in an operating system?
(i) Blocking send, racing condition, hold and wait and RAM overflow
(ii) Blocking send, racing condition, cache incoherency and RAM overflow
(iii) Mutual exclusion, no-pre-emption, hold and wait and circular wait
(iv) Mutual exclusion, race condition, cache incoherency and RAM overflow
- 4 CPU fetches the instruction from memory according to the value of _____
(i) program counter (ii) status register
(iii) instruction register (iv) program status word
- 5 Which function reduces a file's size so that it uses less storage space?
(i) File Synthesizing (ii) File Defragmenting
(iii) File Scanning (iv) File Compression

SECTION - B (15 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks

(5 x 3 = 15)

- 6 a Show in brief Different Approaches or Structures of Operating System with example.
OR
b Analyze in brief about System Calls in Operating System with neat diagram.
- 7 a Outline in brief about various Approaches to Interprocess Communication in Operating System with example.
OR
b Explain Process Scheduling Queues with neat diagram.

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- 8 a Describe Deadlock Avoidance with example.
OR
b Explain Deadlock Characterization with neat diagram.
- 9 a Compare the difference between contiguous and non-contiguous storage allocation in Operating System.
OR
b What is Background in Main Memory? Explain with example.
- 10 a Outline in detail about various Fundamental Components of a File with example.
OR
b Describe the Operations of File with example.

SECTION -C (30 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(5 x 6 = 30)

- 11 a Classify some common services provided by an Operating System with example.
OR
b Differentiate Linkers and Loaders in Operating System with example.
- 12 a Distinguish Process and Program in Operating System with example.
OR
b Discuss in detail about First-Come, First-Served(FCFS) Scheduling and Multiple-Level Queues Scheduling with example.
- 13 a Elucidate Deadlock Prevention with neat diagram.
OR
b Enumerate Deadlock Detection and Recovery with neat diagram.
- 14 a Elucidate Virtual Memory in Operating System with neat diagram.
OR
b How does Demand Page Work? Infer in brief with example.
- 15 a Summarize File System Structure in Operating System with example.
OR
b Point out various File Allocation Methods in Operating System with example.

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