

**PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE**  
(AUTONOMOUS)  
**BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2025**  
(Third Semester)  
Branch – **COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY**

**OPERATING SYSTEMS**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

**SECTION-A (10 Marks)**

Answer **ALL** questions

**ALL** questions carry **EQUAL** marks (10 × 1 = 10)

Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	Recall that a program loaded into memory and executing is called as ----- a) Process b). Thread c.) Instruction d.) Program	K1	CO1
2	Show that which mechanism allow co-operating processes to exchange data and information a) PCB b) IPC c) PID d) RPC	K2	CO2
3	Recall that in multithreading models, there exist a relationship between user threads and ----- threads a) System b) Kernal c) Green d) program	K1	CO1
4	Show the Scheduling algorithm that allows a process to move between queues a) Multilevel Queue b) Priority c) Multilevel feedback queue d) FCFS	K2	CO2
5	Recall the term that refers if process pi is executing in its critical section, then no other processes can be executing in critical sections a) Bounded waiting b) progress c) synchronization d) Mutual exclusion	K1	CO1
6	Relate the following that represent deadlock ----- using Banker's algorithm a) Avoidance b) Resource-allocation graph c) product-allocation graph d) Deallocation graph	K2	CO2
7	Recall that swapping involves moving processes between ----- and backing store a) Main memory b) Cache memory c) Secondary memory d) Micro memory	K1	CO1
8	Show that technique in which pages are loaded only when they are demanded during program execution a) swapping b) virtual memory c) Demand paging d) replacement	K2	CO2
9	Which of the following is a simplest file access method a) Direct b) Sequential c) indexed sequential d) relative	K1	CO1
10	Interpret the the allocation method in which each file is a linked list of disk blocks a) Contiguous b) Indexed c) Linked d) non-Contiguous	K2	CO2

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**SECTION - B (35 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (5 × 7 = 35)

Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
11.a.	Explain about operating system operations.	K2	CO1
	(OR)		
11.b.	Outline the basic concepts of process scheduling.		
12.a.	Make use of multithreading programming and state its benefits.	K3	CO3
	(OR)		
12.b.	Apply basic concepts of cpu scheduling.		
13.a.	Apply semaphore for critical-section problem.	K3	CO3
	(OR)		
13.b.	Identify the ways of recovery from deadlock.		
14.a.	Examine the working of Demand paging.	K4	CO4
	(OR)		
14.b.	Compare the internal and external fragmentation.		
15.a.	Analyze various attributes involved in files.	K4	CO4
	(OR)		
15.b.	Explain storage device management.		

**SECTION - C (30 Marks)**

Answer ANY THREE questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (3 × 10 = 30)

Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
16	Classify different services provided by operating system.	K4	CO2
17	Inspect the working of FCFS and shortest-job-first scheduling algorithms.	K4	CO3
18	Analyze the ways to detect Deadlock.	K4	CO4
19	Examine the working of Optimal and LRU page replacement in detail.	K4	CO5
20	Discover different ways of performing free space management.	K4	CO5