

Code: 19CS3402, 19IT3402

**II B.Tech - II Semester – Regular Examinations – AUGUST 2021**

**OPERATING SYSTEMS**

**(Common to CSE, IT)**

Duration: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

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- Note: 1. This question paper contains two Parts A and B.  
2. Part-A contains 5 short answer questions. Each Question carries 2 Marks.  
3. Part-B contains 5 essay questions with an internal choice from each unit. Each question carries 12 marks.  
4. All parts of Question paper must be answered in one place
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**PART – A**

1. a) Define operating system as resource manager.
- b) What is the difference between preemptive and non-preemptive CPU scheduling?
- c) Explain Starvation in deadlock.
- d) Explain basic page replacement strategy.
- e) Explain the importance of disk scheduling.

**PART – B**

**UNIT – I**

2. a) Explain major functionalities of operating system. 6 M
- b) Illustrate the need of dual mode operation of operating system. 6 M

OR

3. a) Explain the types of System Calls. 6 M  
b) List various computer systems Architectures and compare them. 6 M

### UNIT – II

4. a) Discuss the usage of context switching in multiprogramming. 6 M  
b) Compare the First-Come - First-Serve CPU Scheduling, Shortest-Job-First CPU Scheduling algorithms with an example. 6 M

OR

5. a) Explain in detail the Priority CPU Scheduling algorithm. 6 M  
b) Explain various multithreading models. 6 M

### UNIT-III

6. a) Write detailed notes on process synchronization. 6 M  
b) What are the necessary conditions for deadlock? How can you detect a deadlock when each resource is having single instance? 6 M

OR

7. a) What are the requirements for critical section problem? Explain the Peterson's solution to critical section problem. 6 M  
b) Explain the syntax and semantics of monitor. 6 M

### UNIT – IV

8. a) Define page fault. Explain the steps involved in handling page fault with a neat diagram. 6 M
- b) Explain about thrashing with an example. 6 M

OR

9. a) Compare First In First Out Page Replacement, Optimal Page Replacement algorithms with an example. 6 M
- b) Explain the structure of page table with respect to hierarchical paging. 6 M

### UNIT – V

10. a) Explain briefly the various operations performed on files. 6 M
- b) Discuss First-Come - First-Serve disk scheduling algorithm with an example. 6 M

OR

11. a) Explain sequential and direct file organization. 6 M
- b) Analyze SCAN disk scheduling, C-SCAN disk scheduling algorithms with an example. 6 M