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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

SECTION - A

1. One word answer :

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- a) Batch processing is implemented by locating a component of the BP system is called ______
- b) Expand LBR.
- c) What is the basis of multi-programmed operating systems ?
- d) The solution to the problem of indefinite blockage of low-priority process is called
- e) Which provides a set of methods for ensuring that at least one of the necessary conditions can't hold ?
- f) The scan algorithm is sometimes called as _____
- g) In ______ system a series of jobs are executed without manual intervention.
- h) Deadlocks can be described in terms of a direct graph called ____

SECTION - B

Write short notes on any seven of the following questions :

2. What is a system call ?

3. What is time slice ?

4. What is context switch ?

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5. What are the advantages of RR scheduling?

6. What is CPU-I/O burst cycle ?

7. What are deadlocks ?

8. What is process termination?

9. Differentiate internal and external fragmentation.

10. What is context switch?

11. When do you say that a process is in safe state ?

SECTION - C

Write short notes on any four of the following questions :

12. Explain IO subsystem with the help of the diagram.

13. Discuss the memory layout of a multiprogramming system.

14. Discuss process states with diagram.

15. Explain circular wait in deadlock prevention.

16. Explain SSTF scheduling with the help of an example.

17. How to select a disk scheduling algorithm ?

SECTION - D

Write short notes on any two of the following questions :

18. Discuss the three batch monitor functions.

19. Discuss different scheduling criteria.

20. Discuss Banker's algorithm with an example.

21. Explain demand paging in detail.

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