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1. Interprocess Communication (IPC) (10%)

- (a) What are two fundamental models of it? (5%)
- (b) What are their advantages and disadvantages? (5%)

2. **Process** (10%)

(a) Including the initial parent process, how many processes are created by the following program? Give a graphical model to explain your answer. (5%)

(b) What are the output results? Explain your answer. (5%)

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#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
{
    int k = 0;
    printf("%d\n", k);
    fork();    k++;    printf("%d\n", k);
    fork();    k++;    printf("%d\n", k);
    fork();    k++;    printf("%d\n", k);
    return 0;
}
```

3. Deadlock Avoidance (20%)

Consider the following snapshot of a system. Suppose there are 5 processes (P_1 through P_5) and 3 different resource types (A has 10 instances, B has 5 instances, and C has 7 instances). Answer the following questions using the *Banker's Algorithm* for deadlock avoidance.

	<u>Allocation</u>	Max Required	<u> Available</u>
	\overline{A} \overline{B} \overline{C}	\overline{A} \overline{B} \overline{C}	A B C
P_1	0 1 0	7 5 3	? ? ?
P_2	2 0 0	3 2 2	
P_3	3 0 2	9 0 2	
P_4	2 1 1	2 2 2	
P_5	0 0 2	4 3 3	

- (a) What is the value of the vector *Available*? (5%)
- (b) What is the value of the matrix *Need*? (5%)
- (c) Is the system in a safe state? Why? (5%)
- (d) If a request from process P_1 arrives for (0, 2, 0), can the request be granted immediately? (5%)

4. **Endian** (10%)

Let A be a 4-byte integer whose hexadecimal representation is 0x12345678. (10%)

- (a) In a big-endian machine, which byte will be stored first? (3%)
- (b) Similarly, in a little-endian machine, which byte will be stored first? (3%)
- (c) Give two example CPUs (or machines) that employs big-endian and little-endian, respectively. (4%)

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5. Thread (10%)

Which of the following components of program state are shared across threads in a multithreaded process? (10%)

- (a) Register values,
- (b) Heap memory,
- (c) Global variables,
- (d) Stack memory.

6. **CPU scheduling** (15%)

Consider the following set of processes, with the length of the CPU burst time given in milliseconds.

<u>Process</u>	Burst Time	<u>Priority</u>	<u>Arrival Time</u>
P_1	7	5	0
P_2	5	3	1
P_3	2	1	2
P_4	4	0	4
P_5	3	2	5

Draw the Gantt chart and compute the average waiting time for each of the following scheduling algorithms:

- (a) Shortest Remaining Time First (without considering priority), (5%)
- (b) Preemptive Priority (a smaller priority number implies a higher priority), and (5%)
- (c) Round Robin (RR) with time quantum = 3 (without considering priority). (5%)

7. Page Replacement (15%)

Consider the following page-reference string:

How many page faults would occur for the following replacement algorithms, assuming four frames allocated for each process?

- (a) Optimal, (5%)
- (b) LRU, (5%)
- (c) Second-chance. (5%)

8. Paging System (10%)

Consider a paging system with the page table stored in memory.

- (a) If a memory reference takes 100 nanoseconds, how long does a paged memory reference take (without Translation Look-Aside Buffers (TLB), an associative memory)? (5%)
- (b) If we add TLBs, and 90% of all page-table references are found in the TLBs, what is the effective memory reference time? Assume that finding a page-table entry in the TLBs takes 20 nanoseconds. (5%)