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Question Paper Code: BCS004



**INSTITUTE OF AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING**  
(Autonomous)

M.Tech II Semester End Examinations (Regular) - July, 2017

Regulation: IARE-R16

**DISTRIBUTED OPERATED SYSTEM**  
(Computer Science and Engineering)

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max Marks: 70**

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Answer ONE Question from each Unit  
All Questions Carry Equal Marks  
All parts of the question must be answered in one place only

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**UNIT – I**

1. (a) Give the comparison of three different ways of organising n CPUs in distributed systems. [7M]
- (b) Illustrate different steps in basic Remote Procedure call operations. [7M]

(OR)

2. (a) Briefly discuss the advantages of distributed systems over centralized systems. [7M]
- (b) Explain different addressing mechanism in client server communication model. [7M]

**UNIT – II**

3. (a) Explain the working of ring algorithm in electing a leader in election algorithm with an example. [7M]
- (b) Explain different approaches involved in handling distributed deadlock prevention. [7M]

(OR)

4. (a) Illustrate with an example how Lamport's algorithm synchronises the logical clocks in distributed systems. [7M]
- (b) What is Deadlocks in distributed systems? Explain various strategies used to handle deadlocks in distributed systems. [7M]

**UNIT – III**

5. (a) Illustrate the working of a registry-based algorithm for finding and using idle workstations. [7M]
- (b) Briefly discuss the advantages of stageful and stateless servers. [7M]

(OR)

6. (a) Briefly discuss different design Issues for Processor Allocation Algorithms. [7M]
- (b) What are the reasons for replication? Explain different techniques of replication in distributed file system. [7M]

#### UNIT – IV

7. (a) Briefly discuss different consistency models using synchronization operations and consistency models not using synchronization operations. [7M]  
(b) Explain the concept of usage of twin pages which are used in Munin release consistency. [7M]

(OR)

8. (a) Briefly explain the properties of weak consistency model in distributed synchronization operations. [7M]  
(b) Explain the events in write-through cache consistency protocol and the corresponding action taken by a cache in response to its own CPU's operation and remote CPU's operation. [7M]

#### UNIT – V

9. (a) List and briefly explain different principal message types that go from the kernel to the memory manager. [7M]  
(b) Write a brief note on conceptual model of memory that Mach user processes in a linear virtual address space. [7M]

(OR)

10. (a) Illustrate what are the different components involved in a mach process. [7M]  
(b) Explain different Process Management Primitives provided by Mach microkernel-based operating system. [7M]

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