# EC-312A

#### COURSE OBJECTIVES:

1. To understand the underlying principles, techniques and approaches which constitute a coherent body of knowledge in Operating Systems.

**OPERATING SYSTEMS** 

(ELECTIVE - II)

- 2. To understand the inherent functionality and processing of program execution.
- 3. To understand how the various elements that underlie operating system interact and provides services for execution of application software.

#### COURSE OUTCOMES:

#### After successful completion of the course, the students are able to

- 1. understand the structures of an operating system and the design issues associated with operating systems.
- 2. interpret about the memory management including virtual memory.
- 3. illustrate the concept of synchronization and deadlocks.
- 4. analyse about process management concepts, scheduling and multithreading concepts.
- 5. assess the issues related to file system interface, implementation and disk management.

#### UNIT I

**Introduction :** Operating System Structure, Operating system operations, process management, memory management, storage management, protection and security, distributed systems, special purpose systems, computing environments.

**System structure :** Operating System Services, user operating system interface, system calls, types of system calls, system programs, operating system design and implementation, operating system structure, virtual machine, operating system generation, system boot.

#### UNIT II

**Process Concept :** Process concept, process scheduling, operations on processes, inter process communication, examples of IPC systems, communication in client server systems.

**Multithreaded Programming :** Overview, multithreading models, thread libraries, threading issues, operating system examples, Process Scheduling: Basic Concepts, Scheduling Criteria Scheduling Algorithms, Thread scheduling, multiple processor scheduling.

#### UNIT III

**Synchronization :** Background, The critical section problem, Peterson's solution, Synchronization Hardware, Semaphores, Classic Problem of synchronization, monitors, synchronization examples, Atomic Transaction Deadlocks: System Model, Deadlock Characterization, Methods for Handling Deadlocks, Deadlock Prevention, Deadlock Avoidance, Deadlock detection, Recovery from Deadlock.

#### UNIT IV

**Memory Management strategies :** Background, Swapping, Contiguous Memory allocation, Paging, Structure of the page table, segmentation, Virtual Memory Management: Background, Demand Paging, Copy on Write page replacement, Allocation of Frames, Thrashing.

#### UNIT V

**File System :** File Concept-Access Methods-Directory and disk structure-file system mounting- File Sharing, Protection. Implementing File Systems: File System Structure-File System, Implementation, Directory Implementation, Allocation methods-free space management, Efficiency and performance, recovery, **Secondary Storage Structure :** Overview of Mass-Storage Structure, Disk Structure, Disk Attachment, Disk Scheduling, Disk Management, Swap Space Management, RAID structure.

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## LEARNING RESOURCES:

# TEXT BOOK(s):

Silberschatz and Galvin - Operating System Concepts, 7th Edition, John Wiley & Sons (Asia) Pvt. Ltd.

# **REFERENCE BOOK(s):**

- 1. William Stallings Operating Systems-Internals and Design Principles, 5th Edition, Pearson
- 2. Charles Crowley Operating Systems: A Design-Oriented Approach, TMH 1998

## WEB RESOURCES:

- 1. http://nptel.iitm.ac.in/courses/
- 2. http://www.mike-willis.com/Tutorial/PF2.htm