- 1. Write down the four necessary conditions for the deadlock and explain if we can prevent the occurrence for each condition. (10%)
- 2. For memory management, explain in which condition the internal and external fragmentations occur? (10%)
- 3. For memory allocation algorithm, the "best fit" is always better than "worst fit", Yes or No? Explain it. (10%)
- 4. Consider a paging system with the page table stored in memory. (10%)
  - (a) If a memory reference takes 200 nanoseconds, how long does a paged memory reference take?
  - (b) If we add associate register, and 75% of all page-table reference are found in the associative registers (search time: 20 nanoseconds), what is the effective memory reference time?
- 5. Consider a demand-paging system with the following time-measured utilizations (利用率) (10%):

CPU utilization 20%

Paging disk

97.7%

Other I/O devices 5%

Which (if any) of the following will (probably) improve CPU utilization? Explain it shortly.

- (a) Install a slower CPU.
- (b) Install a smaller paging disk.
- (c) Decrease the degree of multiprogramming.
- (d) Install more memory.
- (e) Decrease the paging size
- (f) Add prepaging to the page fetch algorithms.
- 6. How many page faults occur for LRU and optimal algorithms for the following reference string, with four page frames? (10%) 1,2,3,4,5,3,4,1,6,7,8,7,8,9,7,8,9,5,4,5,4,2

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- (a) Give an example for trap, hardware interrupt, and software interrupt respectively. (5%)
- (b) What kind of the information is needed for a disk controller to finish DMA (Direct Memory Access) operation. (5%)
- 8. Which of the following statements are wrong with respective to the comparison between a compilation and an interpretation? (10%)
- (a) The space required by the application program is smaller for compilation.
- (b) Compilation may provide more sophistic language control structure then interpretation does.
- (c) The syntax error recovery handling is necessary for compiler but is not for interpreter.
- (d) Interpreter requires less-basic hardware then compiler does.
- 9. In basic compiler functions, there are two parsing schemes for syntactic analysis: operator-precedence and recursive-descent parsings. Please identify which one is top-down and which one is bottom-up technique, and explain it briefly. (10%)
- 10. Why the assembler is usually implemented by two pass assembler? State and explain briefly 2 different techniques how to be implemented by 1-pass assembler. (10%)