

The second project: A hybrid scheduling algorithm (Round Robin+Priority)

In this task, students should design a virtual simulation to present a hybrid scheduling algorithm which uses Round Robin and Priority algorithms together. The hybrid algorithm run as:

- Whole system can be considered as four parallel threads run on one CPU: the scheduling, the creation, the termination, and the blocking.
- Each process must be represented by a circle object on screen.
- The scheduling thread uses mainly Round Robin. The quantum interval for each process depend on priority value (P) of that process, and generally the quantum interval must be computed as $(0.1 * P)$ seconds. The priority values must be between 1 and 4 ($1 \leq P \leq 4$).
- Use only colors to show decisions of scheduling algorithm, you don't need to change positions of the circles. If a process is in "Running state", its circle must be colored by green. Use red for "Blocked state" and yellow for "Ready state".
- The system must be started with only two processes.
- Depending on the probability of creation, the creation thread may create a new process with a random priority value in each second. The probability of creation is 0.6 at start.
- Depending on the probability of termination, the termination thread may terminate a process in each second. At start, the probability of termination is 0.5.
- Depending on the probability of blocking, the blocking thread may block running process in each second. At start, the probability of blocking is 0.2.
- At running time, user can change all probability values (creation, termination, and blocking).

Deadline: May 3, 2015

NOTE: To be applicant for oral presentation of the project, students have to upload their source codes onto moodle system. If student does not come to oral presentation, his/her project does not be evaluated. We are not responsible for any confusion in moodle system because of overload on last day. Projects sent by e-mail will not be evaluated.