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Quiz1

Time 10 minutes

**Question 1:** Fill in each of the 4 empty slots by a number for the transition event:

From → To ↓	FromWaiting	FromReady	FromRunning	1	Needs I/O	5	No event happens
ToWaiting	X	X	1	2	Finished I/O	6	Ends work
ToReady	X	X	3	3	Expired CPU Slice	7	Starts work
ToRunning	8	4	X	4	Selected by CPU scheduler	8	Never Happens

**Question2:** Which is NOT an Operating System:

1 Symbian   2 Unix   3 Android   4 Windows   5 Firefox

**Question3:** Context switch time is useful to the user process. True   False

**Question4:** The degree of multiprogramming is defined by the largest number of processes that can be on the ready queue. True   False

**Question5:** Heavily serial programs can benefit the most from adding cores to a computer system.

True   False

**Question6:** A program can generate (fork) several processes and a process can generate several threads. True   False

**Question7:** Threading (running multiple threads) requires multiple cores.

True   False