

Announcements

- Reading Chapter 13
- Midterm #2 is on Thursday
 - Covers through last Th lecture
 - Can repeat info from first midterm

Project #3

- See updated buildfat for improved error messages

Disk Scheduling

- **First come, first served**
 - ordering may lead to lots of disk head movement
 - i.e. 1, 190, 3, 170, 4, 160 etc.
 - total number of tracks traversed : 863
- **Shortest seek time first: select request with the minimum seek time from current head position**
 - move head to closest track
 - i.e. 1,3,4,160,190
 - total number of tracks traversed: 189
 - potential problem with distant tracks not getting service for an indefinite period