

CISC 203 Problem Set 4

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1. To start this problem, first we need to process and list the necessary given information.

Given the listed information that the file is 2MB with 512-byte logical blocks, we can calculate the sectors:

$$T_{sectors} = \frac{(2(1024 \times 1024))}{512}$$
$$= 4096$$

Now let's find the total read time as $T_{avgseek} + T_{rotationaldelay} + T_{transfer}$

The rotational delay can be found by dividing the rotational rate over seconds, and then halving to find the average:

$$T_{rotationaldelay} = \frac{18000RPM}{60sec} = \frac{\frac{1}{300sec}}{2} = \frac{1}{600s}$$
$$= 0.00166667s$$
$$= 1.67ms$$

Transfer time is 1 rotation in 2000 sectors, for each of the 512 bytes, so therefore:

$$\frac{1}{300s} = 2000 \times 512$$
$$1s = 300(2000 \times 512)$$

So therefore to transfer for each of the 512 bytes, this would equal:

$$\frac{512}{300 \times 2000 \times 512} = \frac{1}{300 \times 2000} s$$

A. To find the best case for this file to be read, we find the total time to do a single seek.

This is found through the equation:

$$T_{total} = T_{avgseek} + T_{rotational} + T_{transfer}$$
$$= 8ms + 1.67ms + (4096 \times \frac{1}{2000 \times 300} s)$$
$$= 9.67ms + 0.00682666s$$
$$= 9.67ms + 6.8267ms$$
$$= 16.4967ms$$

Therefore the best case for this file to be read given these specifications is 16.5 ms.

B. For a random case, we need to multiply the values of the average seek, transfer sector and the rotational with the total number of sectors.:

$$T_{total} = 4096 \times (T_{avgseek} + T_{transfer} + T_{rotational})$$

$$= 4096 \times (8ms + 1.67ms + (\frac{1}{2000 \times 300} s))$$

$$= 4096 \times (9.67ms + 0.00000166667s)$$

$$= 4096 \times (9.67ms + 0.0016667ms)$$

$$= 4096 \times 9.671667ms$$

$$= 39615.146803ms$$

Therefore a total time for processing on a random case, where blocks are mapped in a random order is 39615.15 ms.

2. Here are the processes to find the each values of the table:

To find the value of S, we need to first find the Block size x associativity, and then divide by the cache size. Basically the formula will be:

$$S = \frac{C}{B \times E}$$

These are the calculations:

$$1.S = \frac{1024}{4 \times 4} = \frac{1024}{16} = 64$$

$$2.S = \frac{1024}{4 \times 256} = \frac{1024}{1024} = 1$$

$$3.S = \frac{1024}{8 \times 1} = \frac{1024}{8} = 128$$

$$4.S = \frac{1024}{8 \times 128} = \frac{1024}{1024} = 1$$

$$5.S = \frac{1024}{32 \times 1} = \frac{1024}{32} = 32$$

$$6.S = \frac{1024}{32 \times 4} = \frac{1024}{128} = 8$$

To calculate the value of s, we take the \log_2 of our number of cache sets. Here are the calculations:

$$1.\log_2 64 = 6$$

$$2.\log_2 1 = 0$$

$$3.\log_2 128 = 7$$

$$4.\log_2 1 = 0$$

$$5.\log_2 32 = 5$$

$$6.\log_2 8 = 3$$

To find the value of b, we need to base this on the number of bytes in a block, and applying this

to a log. For example for 1.:

$$\log_2 4 = 2$$

Therefore the number of block offset bits is 2.
Here are the full calculations:

$$\begin{aligned} 1. & \log_2 4 = 2 \\ 2. & \log_2 4 = 2 \\ 3. & \log_2 8 = 3 \\ 4. & \log_2 8 = 3 \\ 5. & \log_2 32 = 5 \\ 6. & \log_2 32 = 5 \end{aligned}$$

Finally, to calculate the tag bits, we need to subtract from our full physical address bits. We will take out the offset bits and set bits. This is summarized with the formula:

$$t = m - (s + b)$$

Here are the calculations:

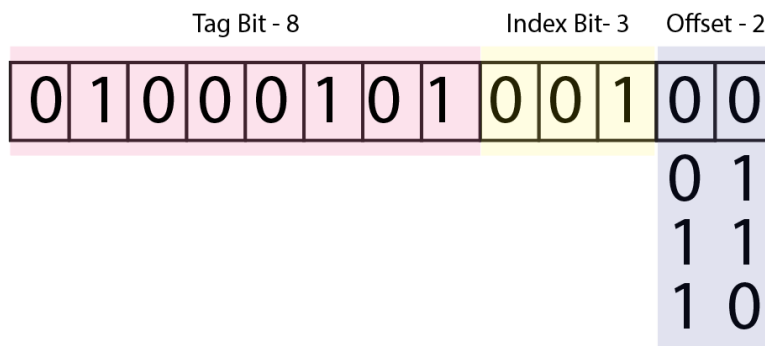
$$\begin{aligned} 1. & t = 32 - (6 + 2) = 24 \\ 2. & t = 32 - (0 + 2) = 30 \\ 3. & t = 32 - (7 + 3) = 22 \\ 4. & t = 32 - (0 + 3) = 29 \\ 5. & t = 32 - (5 + 5) = 22 \\ 6. & t = 32 - (3 + 5) = 24 \end{aligned}$$

This is the completed table:

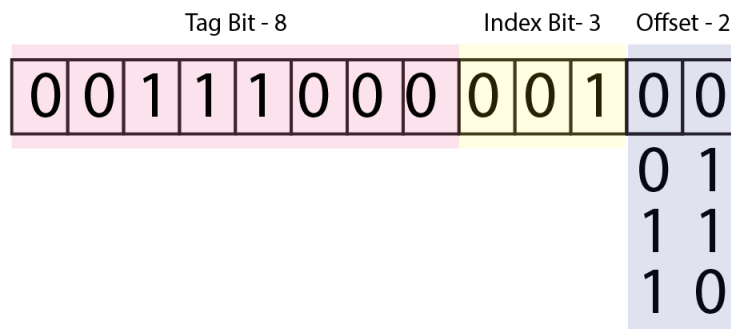
| Cache | m | C | B | E | S | t | s | b |
|-------|-----|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1. | 32 | 1,024 | 4 | 4 | 64 | 24 | 6 | 2 |
| 2. | 32 | 1,024 | 4 | 256 | 1 | 30 | 0 | 2 |
| 3. | 32 | 1,024 | 8 | 1 | 128 | 22 | 7 | 3 |
| 4. | 32 | 1,024 | 8 | 128 | 1 | 29 | 0 | 3 |
| 5. | 32 | 1,024 | 32 | 1 | 32 | 22 | 5 | 5 |
| 6. | 32 | 1,024 | 32 | 4 | 8 | 24 | 3 | 5 |

3. A. To list all of the hex memory addresses that the cache will hit in the chart found in 6.12, I created this chart to break down the different values:

For set 1, tag 45:



For set 1, tag 38:



These are the values that will be hit in set one:

For tag 45:

0100010100100 = 0x8A4

0100010100101 = 0x8A5

0100010100110 = 0x8A6

0100010100111 = 0x8A7

For tag 38:

0011100000100 = 0x704

0011100000101 = 0x705

0011100000110 = 0x706

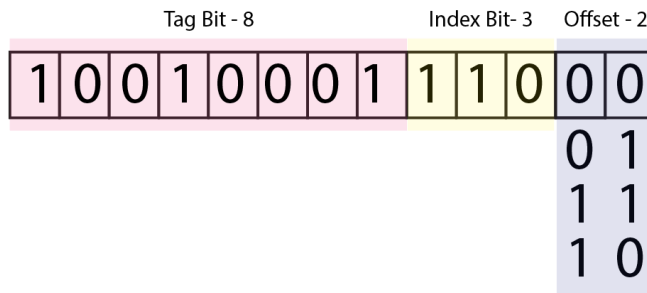
0011100000111 = 0x707

Therefore in set 1, these will be the hex addresses hit:

0x8A4, 0x8A5, 0x8A6, 0x8A7, 0x704, 0x705, 0x706, 0x707

B.To list all of the hex memory addresses that the cache will hit in the chart found in 6.12, I created this chart to break down the different values:

For set 6, tag 91:



These will be the values hit in set six:

1001000111000 = 0x1238

1001000111001 = 0x1239

1001000111010 = 0x123A

1001000111011 = 0x123B

Therefore in set 6, these will be the hex addresses hit:

0x1238, 0x1239, 0x123A, 0x123B