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Assignment-2

Q-1 Demonstrate the process of address translation within a modern computing system where multiple process coexist. Use illustration to clarify the translation from logical to physical memory spaces.

Sol logical (Virtual) addresses are translated into physical addresses using MMU (Memory Management Unit).

- Logical Address \rightarrow divided into page number + offset.
- Page Number \rightarrow mapped using Page Table to frame Number.
- Physical Address = Frame Number + offset.

Q-2 Sol Internal & External Fragmentation.

• Internal Fragmentation: A 100 KB partition used by a 90 KB process \rightarrow 10 KB wasted.

• External Fragmentation: Free memory exists but in scattered blocks.

Techniques:

• Paging

• Segmentation

• Building system allocation



- Q-3 sol
- Memory divided into fixed-sized pages.
 - Process allocated non-contiguous frames.

Trade offs:

- Overhead - Page table consumes memory.
- Speed - Address translation slower (solved by TCB).
- Fragmentation: eliminates external but causes internal page fragmentation within last page.

- Q-4 sol OS - Hardware Interaction (Virtual Memory).

- Hardware support:

→ Page Table → stores mappings.

→ TLB (Translation Lookaside Buffer) - speeds up translation.

→ MMU → performs translation

ex - Accessing page not in RAM → OS triggers page fault, loads page from disk.

- Q5 sol
- Virtual Address = 16 bits → Address space = $2^{16} = 65,536$ bytes.

$$\text{Page size} = 1 \text{ KB} = 1024 \text{ bytes} = 2^{10}$$

$$\text{Virtual Pages} = 2^{16} / 2^{10} = 2^6 = 64 \text{ pages.}$$

$$\text{each entry} = 2 \text{ bytes}$$

$$\text{Page Table Size} = 64 \times 2 = 128 \text{ bytes}$$



Q6 $P_1 = 212 \text{ kB}$ $P_2 = 417 \text{ kB}$ $P_3 = 112 \text{ kB}$
 $P_4 = 426 \text{ kB}$

Step	Action / Algo Rule	Allocated Block (s)	Remaining free block
0	Start	—	1000
1	Allocate $P_1 = 212$	$P_1 \rightarrow 212$	$1000 - 212 = 788$
2	Allocate $P_2 = 417$	$P_1 \rightarrow 212 P_2 \rightarrow 417$	$788 - 417 = 371$
3	Allocate $P_3 = 112$	$P_1 - 212 P_2 - 417 P_3 - 112$	$371 - 112 = 259$
4	Try Allocate $P_4 = 420$	P_4 cannot fit	free 259

Total allocated = $212 + 417 + 112 = 741$
unused = 259

Q7 (A) FIFO

Ref	Frames	Page fault	Evicted
7	7, -, -	✓	—
0	7, 0, -	✓	0 ← (S)
1	7, 0, 1	✓	—
2	2, 0, 1	✓	7 ← (S)
0	2, 0, 1	✗	—
3	2, 3, 1	✓	0 ← (S)
0	2, 3, 0	✓	1 ← (S)
4	4, 3, 0	✓	2 ← (S)
2	4, 2, 0	✓	3 ← (S)
3	4, 2, 3	✓	0 ← (S)
0	0, 2, 3	✓	4 ← (S)
3	0, 2, 3	✗	—
2	0, 2, 3	✗	—

Total FIFO Page fault = 10



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(B) Optimal (Belady's optimal)

Ref	Frames (F_1, F_2, F_3)	Page fault	Evicted
7	7, 1, -	✓	-
0	7, 0, -	✓	-
1	7, 0, 1	✓	-
2	2, 0, 1	✓	7
0	2, 0, 1	✗	-
3	2, 0, 3	✓	1
0	2, 0, 3	✗	-
4	2, 0, 4	✓	3
2	2, 0, 4	✗	-
3	2, 0, 3	✓	4
0	2, 0, 3	✗	-
3	2, 0, 3	✗	-
2	2, 0, 3	✗	-

Total Optimal Page fault = 7

(C) LRU

Ref	Frames (F_1, F_2, F_3)	Page fault	Evicted
7	7, -, -	✓	-
0	7, 0, -	✓	-
1	7, 0, 1	✓	-
2	2, 0, 1	✓	7
0	2, 0, 1	✗	-
3	2, 0, 3	✓	1
0	2, 0, 3	✗	-
4	4, 0, 3	✓	2
2	4, 2, 3	✓	0
3	4, 2, 3	✗	-
0	0, 2, 3	✓	4



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3	0, 2, 3	X	-
2	0, 2, 3	X	-

Total LRU Page faults = 9

→ Which Performs Best

- Optimal performs best uses perfect future knowledge.
- LRU is practical policy that approximately optimal.
- FIFO often performs worst and is susceptible to Belady's Anomaly.

Q8 ^{sd} Disk write = 10ms, 10,000 ms

memory write = 100 ms

$$\text{Extra time disks page} = 10,000/100 - 100 \\ = 9,999,900$$

$$30\% \text{ of } 1000 \text{ pages} = 300$$

$$\text{Total overhead} = 300 \times 9,999,900 \\ \approx 3 \text{ sec.}$$

Optimization = use write-back with dirty bit on page buffering.

Q9 (a) Working set model & Policy:

- OS keeps object containing pages always in memory.
- Infotainment uses page replacements (LRU/clock) - adopt memory pressure

(b) Memory Allocation Strategy:

- Priority based dynamic allocation
- Real time get guaranteed frames.
- Remaining frames used by background tasks.
→ Balance responsiveness with efficiency.