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Instructions/Notes: Answer questions on the question paper. Write answers clearly and precisely, if the answers are not easily readable then it will result in deduction of marks. Use **extra sheet** for rough work, cutting and blotting on this sheet will result in deduction of marks.

Question 1 (10 points): Although practically it is impossible to implement shortest job first algorithm, but if we had following class implementations, we could easily implement SJF. So lets do it. **Hint:** read the declarations carefully!

```

class List{ // it is the list of all processes ready to run.
public:
    bool addToList(int element); // adds a process described by element to the list.
    // Return value is not used here.
    bool removeFromList(int element); // removes a process described by element to the
    // list. Returns value is not used here.
};
class Iterator{
public:
    Iterator(List list); // initializes the iterator with the list.
    int getNext(); // iterates over the process list, just like an iterator in STL.
    // Returns -1 when reaches the end. Otherwise returns the PID and moves next.
friend class List;
};
//-----
double getProcessRemaningTime(int pid) // returns the time the process, described by the pid,
// will take in the next burst. Based on the return value of this fucntion we can make
// decisions.

int getNextProcessToRun( int leavingProcessID, List list) // First parameter is the process
// which is leaving the CPU. Second the list of ready processes. The function returns the ID
// of the process to run next.
{
    Iterator iter = new Iterator(list);
    int pid = -1;
    int nextPID = leavingProcessID;
    double remainingTime = DBL_MAX;
    double thisTime = 0;
    while ((pid=Iterator.getNext())> -1)
    {
        if((thisTime = getProcessRemaningTime(pid)) < remainingTime)
        {
            nextPID = pid;
            remainingTime = thisTime;
        }
    }
    if (pid > -1)
    {
        list.removeFromList(nextPID);
        //list.addToList(leavingProcessID); that is error, as SJF is non-preemptive
    }
    return nextPID;
}

```

Question 2 (10 points): Implement a function which takes the logical address and returns the physical address. Use the functions provided below. **Hint:** read the declarations carefully!

```
int getPageNumber(int logicalAddress); // takes logical address and returns the associated
page number.
int getFrameNumber(int pageNumber); // takes the pagenumber and returns the associated frame
number.
int loadPageInMemory(int pageNumber); // loads a page from backing store into the physical
memory, and return the framenumbr where the page was loaded.
void setFrameNumber(int pagenumber, int framenumbr); // sets the framenumbr of the
pagenumber. Also sets all relevant bits of the page table.
int replacePageByFrameNumber(int logicaladdress, int framenumbr); // converts the
logicaladdress into a physical address by replacing the page number by frame number.
```

```
int getPhysicalAddress(int logicalAddress)
{
    int pn = getPageNumber(logicalAddress);
    int fn = -1;
    if (getFrameNumber(pn) < 0)
    {
        int fn = loadPageInMemory(pn);
        setFrameNumber(pn,fn);
    }
    if (fn == -1)
    {
        //PANIC
    }
    return replacePageByFrameNumber(logicaladdress,fn);
}
```

Question 3 (10 points): Get the physical byte stored in a file which exists in a file system that uses single indexed table. Parameters are the logical address of the byte, and the file ID.

```
#define BLOCK_SIZE  xxxx; // tells how many bytes are there in one block

int getIndexBlockNumber(int fileID); // takes the file ID and returns the block where index
table is stored.
int* loadIndexFromBlock(int blockNumber); // takes the block number and loads the index table
in memory and returns its pointer.
byte* loadBytesFromBlock(int blockNumber); // takes the block number and loads raw bytes in
that block in memory, and returns its address.
```

```
int getByte(int logicalByteNumber, int fileID)
{
    int logicalBlockNumber = logicalByteNumber / BLOCK_SIZE;
    int offset = logicalByteNumber % BLOCK_SIZE;
    int indexNumber = getIndexBlockNumber(fileID);
    int* index = loadIndexFromBlock(indexNumber);
    byte* bs = loadBytesFromBlock(index[logicalBlockNumber]);
    return bs[offset];
}
```

Question 4 (10 points): Implement the optimal page replacement algorithm using following functions **Hint:** read the declarations carefully!

```
Class List; // the same class definition given in Question 1
Class Iterator; // the same class definition given in Question 1
//-----
int getNextOccurence(int pageNumber); // returns the position of next occurrence of the
    pageNumber in the reference string.
List getPageList(); // returns the list of all pages loaded in the memory.
```

```
int getPageToReplace()
{
    List l = getPageList();
    Iterator iter = new Iterator(l);
    int pos = 0;
    int page = -1;
    int pageToReplace = -1;
    while((page=iter.getNext())> -1)
    {
        if ( (thisPos = getNextOccurence(page)) > pos)
        {
            pageToReplace = page;
            pos = thisPos;
        }
    }
    return pageToReplace;
}
```

Question 5 (6 points): List any three conditions which need to be true for a deadlock to occur.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Question 6 (4 points): In deadlock avoidance algorithms, deadlocks are possible structurally, but we keep a guard and do not let all those conditions to be true that can result into a deadlock.

1. True
2. False

Question 7 (4 points): In deadlock prevention algorithms, deadlocks are structurally not possible.

1. True
2. False