

**Ex. No.: 11b)****LRU****Aim:**

To write a c program to implement LRU page replacement algorithm.

**Algorithm:**

- 1: Start the process
- 2: Declare the size
- 3: Get the number of pages to be inserted
- 4: Get the value
- 5: Declare counter and stack
- 6: Select the least recently used page by counter
- 7: Stack them according the selection.
- 8: Display the values
- 9: Stop the process

**Program Code:**

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#include <stdio.h>

int findLRU(int time[], int n) {
    int i, minimum = time[0], pos = 0;

    for(i = 1; i < n; ++i) {
        if(time[i] < minimum) {
            minimum = time[i];
            pos = i;
        }
    }

    return pos;
}

int main() {
    int frames[10], pages[30], time[10];
    int n, f, i, j, pos, faults = 0, counter = 0, flag1, flag2;

    printf("Enter number of pages: ");
    scanf("%d", &n);

    printf("Enter the reference string:\n");
    for(i = 0; i < n; ++i)
        scanf("%d", &pages[i]);

    printf("Enter number of frames: ");
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scanf("%d", &f);

for(i = 0; i < f; ++i)
    frames[i] = -1;

for(i = 0; i < n; ++i) {
    flag1 = flag2 = 0;

    for(j = 0; j < f; ++j) {
        if(frames[j] == pages[i]) {
            counter++;
            time[j] = counter;
            flag1 = flag2 = 1;
            break;
        }
    }

    if(flag1 == 0) {
        for(j = 0; j < f; ++j) {
            if(frames[j] == -1) {
                counter++;
                faults++;
                frames[j] = pages[i];
                time[j] = counter;
                flag2 = 1;
                break;
            }
        }
    }

    if(flag2 == 0) {
        pos = findLRU(time, f);
        counter++;
        faults++;
        frames[pos] = pages[i];
        time[pos] = counter;
    }
}

printf("\nTotal Page Faults = %d\n", faults);

return 0;
}

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**Sample Output :**

Enter number of frames: 3  
Enter number of pages: 6  
Enter reference string: 5 7 5 6 7 3  
5 -1 -1  
5 7 -1  
5 7 -1  
5 7 6  
5 7 6  
3 7 6  
Total Page Faults = 4

**Output:**

Enter number of pages: 12  
Enter the reference string:  
1 2 3 4 1 2 5 1 2 3 4 5  
Enter number of frames: 3

Total Page Faults = 10

**Result:**

LRU page replacement algorithm has been successfully implemented and the output has been verified.