

PROGRAM 10

10. Develop a C program to simulate SCAN disk scheduling algorithm.

DESCRIPTION:

In the SCAN Disk Scheduling Algorithm, the head starts from one end of the disk and moves towards the other end, servicing requests in between one by one and reaching the other end. Then the direction of the head is reversed and the process continues as the head continuously scans back and forth to access the disk. So, this algorithm works as an elevator and is hence also known as the elevator algorithm. As a result, the requests at the midrange are serviced more and those arriving behind the disk arm will have to wait.

PROGRAM

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#include<stdio.h>
#include<stdlib.h>
int main()
{
    int RQ[100],i,j,n,TotalHeadMoment=0,initial,size,move;
    printf("Enter the number of Requests\n");
    scanf("%d",&n);
    printf("Enter the Requests sequence\n");
    for(i=0;i<n;i++)
        scanf("%d",&RQ[i]);
    printf("Enter initial head position\n");
    scanf("%d",&initial);
    printf("Enter total disk size\n");
    scanf("%d",&size);
    printf("Enter the head movement direction for high 1 and for low 0\n");
    scanf("%d",&move);

    // logic for Scan disk scheduling

    /*logic for sort the request array */
    for(i=0;i<n;i++)
    {
        for(j=0;j<n-i-1;j++)
        {
            if(RQ[j]>RQ[j+1])
            {
                int temp;
                temp=RQ[j];
                RQ[j]=RQ[j+1];
                RQ[j+1]=temp;
            }
        }
    }
}
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}

int index;
for(i=0;i<n;i++)
{
    if(initial<RQ[i])
    {
        index=i;
        break;
    }
}

// if movement is towards high value
if(move==1)
{
    for(i=index;i<n;i++)
    {
        TotalHeadMoment=TotalHeadMoment+abs(RQ[i]-initial);
        initial=RQ[i];
    }
    // last movement for max size
    TotalHeadMoment=TotalHeadMoment+abs(size-RQ[i-1]-1);
    initial = size-1;
    for(i=index-1;i>=0;i--)
    {
        TotalHeadMoment=TotalHeadMoment+abs(RQ[i]-initial);
        initial=RQ[i];
    }
}
// if movement is towards low value
else
{
    for(i=index-1;i>=0;i--)
    {
        TotalHeadMoment=TotalHeadMoment+abs(RQ[i]-initial);
        initial=RQ[i];
    }
    // last movement for min size
    TotalHeadMoment=TotalHeadMoment+abs(RQ[i+1]-0);
    initial =0;
    for(i=index;i<n;i++)
    {
        TotalHeadMoment=TotalHeadMoment+abs(RQ[i]-initial);
        initial=RQ[i];
    }
}

printf("Total head movement is %d",TotalHeadMoment);
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    return 0;  
}
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OUTPUT

Enter the number of Requests

8

Enter the Requests sequence

176

79

34

60

92

11

41

114

Enter initial head position

50

Enter total disk size

200

Enter the head movement direction for high 1 and for low 0

0

Total head movement is 226