

Given six memory partitions of 100 MB, 170 MB, 40 MB, 205 MB, 300 MB, and 185 MB (in order), how would the first-fit, best-fit, and worst-fit algorithms place processes of size 200 MB, 15 MB, 185 MB, 75 MB, 175 MB, and 80 MB (in order)? Indicate which—if any—requests cannot be satisfied. Comment on how efficiently each of the algorithms manages memory.

### 1. first-fit :

$P_1$  will be allocated to  $F_4$ .  $F_4$  remains 5 mb.  
 $P_2$  will be allocated to  $F_1$ .  $F_1$  remains 85 mb.  
 $P_3$  will be allocated to  $F_5$ .  $F_5$  remains 115 mb.  
 $P_4$  will be allocated to  $F_1$ .  $F_1$  remains 10 mb.  
 $P_5$  will be allocated to  $F_6$ .  $F_6$  remains 10 mb.  
 $P_6$  will be allocated to  $F_2$ .  $F_2$  remains 90 mb.

### 2. best-fit :

$P_1$  will be allocated to  $F_4$ .  $F_4$  remains 5 mb.  
 $P_2$  will be allocated to  $F_3$ .  $F_3$  remains 25 mb.  
 $P_3$  will be allocated to  $F_6$ .  $F_6$  remains 0 mb.  
 $P_4$  will be allocated to  $F_1$ .  $F_1$  remains 25 mb.  
 $P_5$  will be allocated to  $F_5$ .  $F_5$  remains 125 mb.  
 $P_6$  will be allocated to  $F_2$ .  $F_2$  remains 90 mb.

### 3. Worst-fit :

$P_1$  will be allocated to  $F_5$ ,  $F_5$  remains 100 mb.  
 $P_2$  will be allocated to  $F_4$ ,  $F_4$  remains 195 mb.  
 $P_3$  will be allocated to  $F_4$ ,  $F_4$  remains 10 mb.  
 $P_4$  will be allocated to  $F_6$ ,  $F_6$  remains 110 mb.  
 $P_5$  will not be allocated to anyone.  
 $P_6$  will be allocated to  $F_2$ ,  $F_2$  remains 90 mb.

So, the worst-fit algorithms can not be satisfied.  
And the best-fit algorithms is the best.

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Compare the memory organization schemes of contiguous memory allocation and paging with respect to the following issues:

- a. External fragmentation
- b. Internal fragmentation
- c. Ability to share code across processes

|                  | contiguous | paging |
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| External         | Y          | N      |
| Internal         | N          | Y      |
| Ability to share | N          | N      |