Experiment-33:Construct a C program to simulate the optimal paging technique of memory management

Aim:

To simulate the Optimal Paging technique of memory management in C.

Procedure:

- 1. Take the number of pages and the number of frames as input.
- 2. Simulate the Optimal paging algorithm by looking ahead in the page reference string and replacing the page that will not be used for the longest period of time.
- 3. Keep track of page faults and display the results.

C Program:

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#include <stdio.h>

int main() {
    int frames, pages, page_faults = 0;
    printf("Enter the number of frames: ");
    scanf("%d", &frames);
    printf("Enter the number of pages: ");
    scanf("%d", &pages);

int page_sequence[pages], frame[frames];
    for (int i = 0; i < frames; i++) {
        frame[i] = -1;
    }

    printf("Enter the page reference string: ");
    for (int i = 0; i < pages; i++) {
        scanf("%d", &page_sequence[i]);
}</pre>
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for (int i = 0; i < pages; i++) {
  int page_found = 0, farthest = -1, replace_index = -1;
  for (int j = 0; j < frames; j++) {
    if (frame[j] == page_sequence[i]) {
       page_found = 1;
       break;
    }
  }
  if (!page_found) {
    if (page_faults < frames) {</pre>
       frame[page_faults] = page_sequence[i];
       page_faults++;
    } else {
       for (int j = 0; j < frames; j++) {
         int next_use = -1;
         for (int k = i + 1; k < pages; k++) {
           if (frame[j] == page_sequence[k]) {
              next_use = k;
              break;
           }
         }
         if (next_use == -1) {
           replace_index = j;
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}

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break;
         }
         if (next_use > farthest) {
           farthest = next_use;
           replace_index = j;
        }
       }
       frame[replace_index] = page_sequence[i];
       page_faults++;
    }
  }
  printf("Frame state after page %d: ", page_sequence[i]);
  for (int j = 0; j < frames; j++) {
    if (frame[j] != -1) {
       printf("%d ", frame[j]);
    } else {
       printf(" - ");
    }
  }
  printf("\n");
}
printf("Total page faults: %d\n", page_faults);
return 0;
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}

Output:

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Enter the number of frames: 5
Enter the number of pages: 4
Enter the page reference string: 4
4
5
8
Frame state after page 4: 4 - - - -
Frame state after page 4: 4 - - - -
Frame state after page 5: 4 5 - - -
Frame state after page 8: 4 5 8 - -
Total page faults: 3
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