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A Lab Report #3

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# **1.** Simulate the concept of First fit, best fit and worst fit allocation algorithms [Make necessary assumptions]

#### Solution:

#### First fit Allocation:

- Input memory blocks and processes with sizes.
- Initialize all memory blocks as free.
- Start by picking each process and check if it can be assigned to current block.
- If size-of-process is less than or equals to size-of-block if yes then assign and check for next process.
- If not then keep checking the further process.

```
1 def firstFit(blockSize, m, processSize, n):
      allocation = [-1] * n
      for i in range(n):
         for j in range(m):
            if blockSize[j] >= processSize[i]:
                allocation[i] = j
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                blockSize[j] -= processSize[i]
13
                break
      for i in range(n):
         ", end = " ")
         if allocation[i] != -1:
             print(allocation[i] + 1)
23
         else:
            print("Not Allocated")
26 if name == ' main ':
      blockSize = [200, 300, 100, 300, 600]
      processSize = [313, 417, 120, 420]
      m = len(blockSize)
      n = len(processSize)
      firstFit(blockSize, m, processSize, n)
```

```
bshesh@pop-os:~/Documents/Programming/OS/OS_lab/lab3$ python3 first.py
Process No. Process Size Block no.

1 313 5
2 417 Not Allocated
3 120 1
4 420 Not Allocated
```

#### **Best Fit Allocation:**

- Input memory blocks and processes with sizes.
- Initialize all memory blocks as free.
- Start by picking each process and find the minimum block size that can be assigned to current process i.e., find min(blockSize[1], blockSize[2], .... blockSize[n]) > processSize[current], if found then assign it to the current process.
- If not then leave that process and keep checking the further processes.

```
2 def bestFit(blockSize, m, processSize, n):
       allocation = [-1] * n
       for i in range(n):
           bestIdx = -1
           for j in range(m):
               if blockSize[j] >= processSize[i]:
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                   if bestIdx == -1:
12
                       bestIdx = i
13
                   elif blockSize[bestIdx] > blockSize[j]:
                       bestIdx = j
          if bestIdx != -1:
               allocation[i] = bestIdx
               blockSize[bestIdx] -= processSize[i]
21
       print("Process No. Process Size Block no.")
       for i in range(n):
                                ", processSize[i],
23
           print(i + 1, "
                                  end = " ")
           if allocation[i] != -1:
               print(allocation[i] + 1)
               print("Not Allocated")
30 if name == ' main ':
       blockSize = [200, 300, 100, 300, 600]
       processSize = [313, 417, 120, 420]
       m = len(blockSize)
       n = len(processSize)
       bestFit(blockSize, m, processSize, n)
```

```
bshesh@pop-os:~/Documents/Programming/OS/OS_lab/lab3$ python3 best.py
Process No. Process Size Block no.

1 313 5
2 417 Not Allocated
3 120 1
4 420 Not Allocated
```

#### **Worst Fit Allocation:**

- Input memory blocks and processes with sizes.
- Initialize all memory blocks as free.
- Start by picking each process and find the maximum block size that can be assigned to current process i.e., find max(bockSize[1], blockSize[2],....blockSize[n]) > processSize[current], if found then assign it to the current process.
- If not then leave that process and keep checking the further processes.

```
2 def worstFit(blockSize, m, processSize, n):
       allocation = [-1] * n
       for i in range(n):
           wstIdx = -1
           for j in range(m):
               if blockSize[j] >= processSize[i]:
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                   if wstIdx == -1:
12
                       wstIdx = j
13
                   elif blockSize[wstIdx] < blockSize[j]:</pre>
                       wstIdx = j
          if wstIdx != -1:
               allocation[i] = wstIdx
               blockSize[wstIdx] -= processSize[i]
       print("Process No. Process Size Block no.")
       for i in range(n):
           print(i + 1, " ",
24
               processSize[i], end = " ")
           if allocation[i] != -1:
               print(allocation[i] + 1)
               print("Not Allocated")
30 if name == ' main ':
       blockSize = [300, 400, 200, 100, 600]
       processSize = [111, 222, 112, 223]
       m = len(blockSize)
       n = len(processSize)
       worstFit(blockSize, m, processSize, n)
```

# **2.** Simulate the concept of following page replacement algorithms: necessary assumptions]

[Make

- a. FIFO
- **b.** Optimal
- c. LRU
- d. Second Chance page replacement algorithm

#### Solutions:

#### A. FIFO

Algorithm:

- 1- Start traversing the pages.
- i) If set holds less pages than capacity.
  - a) Insert page into the set one by one until the size of set reaches capacity or all page requests are processed.
  - b) Simultaneously maintain the pages in the queue to perform FIFO.
- c) Increment page fault
- ii) Else

If current page is present in set, do nothing. Else

- a) Remove the first page from the queue as it was the first to be entered in the memory
- b) Replace the first page in the queue with the current page in the string.
- c) Store current page in the queue.
- d) Increment page faults.
- 2. Return page faults.

#### **Output:**

```
bshesh@pop-os:~/Documents/Programming/OS/OS_lab/lab3$ python3 fifo.py Elements of queue- [0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5] removed element- 0 [1, 2, 3, 4, 5] head of queue- 1 Size of queue- 5
```

#### **B.** Optimal

- 1. If referred page is already present, increment hit count.
- 2. If not present, find if a page that is never referenced in future. If such a page exists, replace this page with new page. If no such page exists, find a page that is referenced farthest in future. Replace this page with new page.

```
1 print("Enter the number of frames: ",end="")
2 capacity = int(input())
3 f, fault, pf = [], 0, 'No'
4 print("Enter the reference string: ",end="")
5 s = list(map(int,input().strip().split()))
6 print("\nString|Frame →\t",end='')
7 for i in range(capacity):
       print(i,end=' ')
9 print("Fault\n ↓\n")
10 occurance = [None for i in range(capacity)]
11 for i in range(len(s)):
12
       if s[i] not in f:
13
           if len(f)<capacity:</pre>
               f.append(s[i])
           else:
               for x in range(len(f)):
                    if f[x] not in s[i+1:]:
                       f[x] = s[i]
                       break
                   else:
21
                       occurance[x] = s[i+1:].index(f[x])
               else:
                    f[occurance.index(max(occurance))] = s[i]
           fault += 1
           pf = 'Yes'
       else:
           pf = 'No'
       print(" %d\t\t"%s[i],end='')
       for x in f:
           print(x,end=' ')
       for x in range(capacity-len(f)):
           print(' ',end=' ')
       print(" %s"%pf)
   print(
   "\nTotal requests: %d\nTotal Page Faults: %d\nFault Rate: %0.2f%
   %(len(s),fault,(fault/len(s))*100))
```

```
bshesh@pop-os:~/Documents/Programming/OS/OS_lab/lab3$ python3 optimal.py
Enter the number of frames: 6
Enter the reference string: 7

String|Frame → 0 1 2 3 4 5 Fault

7 7 Yes

Total requests: 1
Total Page Faults: 1
Fault Rate: 100.00%
```

#### C. LRU

#### Algorithm:

Let capacity be the number of pages that memory can hold. Let set be the current set of pages in memory.

- 1- Start traversing the pages.
- i) If set holds less pages than capacity.
- a) Insert page into the set one by one until the size of set reaches capacity or all page requests are processed.
- b) Simultaneously maintain the recent occurred index of each page in a map called indexes.
- c) Increment page fault
- ii) Else

If current page is present in set, do nothing. Else

- a) Find the page in the set that was least recently used. We find it using index array. We basically need to replace the page with minimum index.
- b) Replace the found page with current page.
- c) Increment page faults.
- d) Update index of current page.
- 2. Return page faults.

```
1 print("Enter the number of frames: ",end="")
2 capacity = int(input())
3 f,st,fault,pf = [],[],0,'No'
4 print("Enter the reference string: ",end="")
5 s = list(map(int,input().strip().split()))
6 print("\nString|Frame →\t",end='')
7 for i in range(capacity):
       print(i,end=' ')
   print("Fault\n ↓\n")
10 for i in s:
11
       if i not in f:
12
           if len(f)<capacity:</pre>
13
               f.append(i)
               st.append(len(f)-1)
           else:
               ind = st.pop(0)
               f[ind] = i
               st.append(ind)
           pf = 'Yes'
           fault += 1
       else:
           st.append(st.pop(st.index(f.index(i))))
           pf = 'No'
       print(" %d\t\t"%i,end='')
           print(x,end=' ')
       for x in range(capacity-len(f)):
           print(' ',end=' ')
       print(" %s"%pf)
   print(
   "\nTotal Requests: %d\nTotal Page Faults: %d\nFault Rate: %0.2f%
   %(len(s), fault, (fault/len(s))*100))
```

#### D.Second Chance page replacement algorithm

#### Algorithm:

Create an array frames to track the pages currently in memory and another Boolean array second\_chance to track whether that page has been accessed since it's last replacement (that is if it deserves a second chance or not) and a variable pointer to track the target for replacement.

- 1. Start traversing the array arr. If the page already exists, simply set its corresponding element in second chance to true and return.
- 2. If the page doesn't exist, check whether the space pointed to by pointer is empty (indicating cache isn't full yet) if so, we will put the element there and return, else we'll traverse the array arr one by one (cyclically using the value of pointer), marking all corresponding second\_chance elements as false, till we find a one that's already false. That is the most suitable page for replacement, so we do so and return.
- 3. Finally, we report the page fault count.

```
def findAndUpdate(x, ref frames, second chance, frames):
       for i in range(frames):
           if(ref frames[i]==x):
               second chance[i] =True
               return True;
       return False
    replaceAndUpdate(x, ref frames, second chance, frames, pointer):
       while True:
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           if not second chance[pointer]:
               ref frames[pointer] = x
12
13
               return ((pointer+1)%frames)
           second chance[pointer]=False
           pointer = (pointer+1)%frames
17 def printHitsAndFaults( ref string, frames):
       pointer, pf = 0.0
       ref frames = [-1 for i in range(frames)]
       second chance = [False for i in range(frames)]
21
       ref string list = ref string.split()
       length = len(ref string list)
       for i in range(length):
           x = int(ref string list[i])
           if not
    findAndUpdate(x, ref frames, second chance, frames):
               pointer = replaceAndUpdate(x, ref frames, second chan
   ce, frames, pointer)
               pf+=1
       print(f'Total page faults: {pf}')
32 def main():
       ref string = input("Enter the reference string:\t")
       frames= input("Enter number of frames: \t")
       printHitsAndFaults(ref string, int(frames))
37 main()
```

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bshesh@pop-os:~/Documents/Programming/OS/OS_lab/lab3$ python3 secondchance.py
Enter the reference string: 7
Enter number of frames: 4
Total page faults: 1
```