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Operating System (CSE 4509)

Assignment for CT 3

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Ans. to the Q.no:1

Given, virtual address space = 256 MB  
=  $256 \times 2^{20}$  Bytes

virtual address =  $\log_2 (256 \times 2^{20})$  bits  
= 28 bits

page size = 2 KB =  $2 \times 2^{10}$  Bytes

Physical memory = 4 GB =  $4 \times 2^{30}$  Bytes

Flag size = 7 bits

(a) offset =  $\log_2 (\text{page size})$   
=  $\log_2 (2 \times 2^{10}) = 11$  bits

(b) Here, virtual address = 28 bits

offsets = 11 bits

$\therefore$  VPN size =  $28 - 11 = 17$  bits

Number of virtual pages =  ~~$2^{17}$~~  =  $2^{17}$

Again, Physical address =  $\log_2 (4 \times 2^{30})$  bits  
= 32 bits

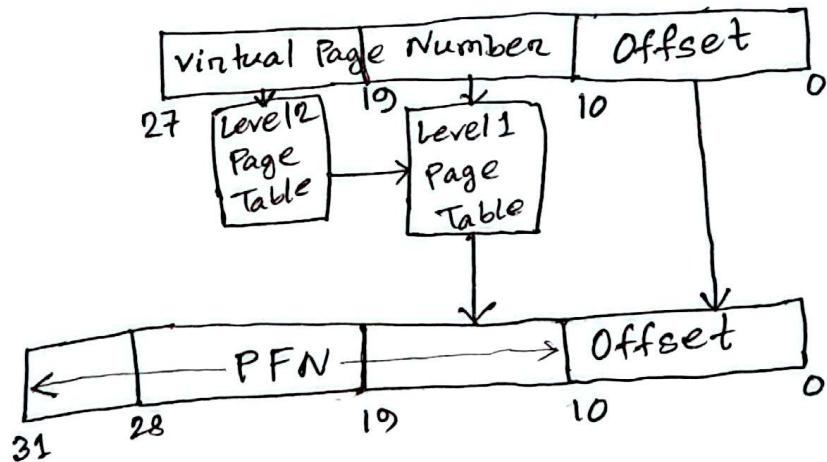
PFN size =  $32 - 11 = 21$  bits

Number of Physical frames =  $2^{21}$ .

(c) Hence, PTE size = PFN size + Flag size  
 $= (21 + 7)$  bits  
 $= 28$  bits  
 $= 4$  Bytes

Page table size = Number of virtual pages \* PTE size  
 $= 2^{17} \times 4$  Bytes  
 $= 2^{19}$  Bytes

(d) Number of bit required at each level of table  
 $\text{of table} = \log_2 \left( \frac{\text{Page size}}{\text{PTE size}} \right)$   
 $= \log_2 \left( \frac{2 \times 2^{10}}{4} \right)$  Bytes  
 $= 9$  bits



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(e) Hence, Number of PTEs per page} &= \frac{\text{Page size}}{\text{PTE size}} \\
 &= \frac{2 \times 2^{10}}{4} \\
 &= 2^9
 \end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{To store Level 1 page table,} \\
 \text{maximum space required} &= \frac{\text{Number of PTEs}}{\text{Number of PTEs per page}} \\
 &= \frac{2^9}{2^8} \\
 &= 2^1 \text{ pages to store 1st table}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{To store Level 2 page table,} \\
 \text{maximum space required} &= \left\lceil \frac{2^8}{2^9} \right\rceil = \lceil 0.5 \rceil = 1 \text{ pages to} \\
 &\quad \text{store 2nd table}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \text{maximum memory to store the page tables} \\
 \text{of all processes} &= (2^8 + 1) \times 256 \text{ pages.}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(f) minimum space required to store all page} \\
 \text{tables of one process} &= \text{Number of levels} \times 1 \text{ page} \\
 &= 2 \text{ pages}
 \end{aligned}$$

Ans. to the Q. no: 2

Given, virtual address = 16 bits

page size = 256 bytes

$$\text{Offset} = \log_2(256) = 8 \text{ bits}$$

$$\therefore \text{VPN} = 16 - 8 = 8 \text{ bits (MSB)}$$

Now,	<u>VPN</u>	<u>PFN</u>	<u>Physical Address</u>
a)	0x02	Page fault	X
b)	0x06	Page fault	X
c)	0x0A	0x4	0x410