Question 1

- a. Define a page-replacement algorithm using this basic idea. Specifically address these problems:
 - I. What the initial value of the counters is.

The initial value of the counter is 0. (ZERO)

II. When counters are increased.

When a new page is associated with the frame, the counter is incremented.

III. When counters are decreased.

When an associated page with the frame is no longer required, the counter is decremented.

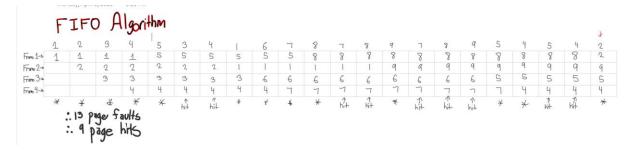
iv. How the page to be replaced is selected.

The page frame with the smallest counter is selected then replaced.

b. How many page faults occur for your algorithm for the following reference string, for four-page frames? 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 3, 4, 1, 6, 7, 8, 7, 8, 9, 7, 8, 9, 5, 4, 5, 4, 2.

FIFO Replacement Algorithm: 13 Page Faults

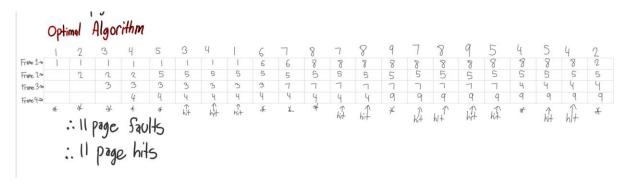
LRU Replacement Algorithm: 13 Page Faults

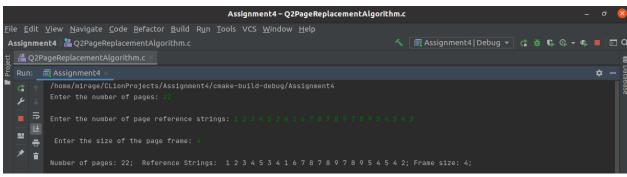


c. What is the minimum number of page faults for an optimal page replacement strategy for the reference string in part b with four-page frames?

OPTIMAL Replacement Algorithm: 11 Page Faults

Question 2 Page Replacement Algorithm





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#Page Faults: 13
   [MENU]
     1) FIF0
     2) LRU
     QUIT
Enter your choice 1 or 2: 2
#Page Faults: 13
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#Page Faults: 13
    [MENU]
       1) FIF0
       2) LRU
       3) QUIT
Process finished with exit code 0
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Question 3 – Catalan Number