## Experiment No. 8

**Title:** Implementation and Performance Evaluation of Dynamic Partitioning Placement Algorithms (First Fit & Best Fit)

**Aim:** Write a program to demonstrate the concept of dynamic partitioning placement algorithms i.e. Best Fit, First Fit, Worst-Fit etc.

## Theory:

There are various memory management schemes in operating system like first fit, best fit and worst fit.

## **First Fit:**

What is First Fit Memory Management Scheme?

In this scheme we check the blocks in a sequential manner which means we pick the first process then compare its size with first block size if it is less than size of block it is allocated otherwise, we move to second block and so on.

When first process is allocated, we move on to the next process until all processes are allocated.

## First Fit Algorithm

- 1. Get no .of Processes and no. of blocks.
- **2.** After that get the size of each block and process requests.

```
Now allocate processes if(block size >= process size) //allocate the process Else //move on to next block
```

- **3.** Display the processes with the blocks that are allocated to a respective process.
- 4. Stop.

## **Best Fit:**

What is Best Fit Memory Management Scheme?



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Best fit uses the best memory block based on the Process memory request. In best fit implementation the algorithm first selects the smallest block which can adequately fulfil the memory request by the respective process.

Because of this memory is utilized optimally but as it compares the blocks with the requested memory size it increases the time requirement and hence slower than other methods. It suffers from Internal Fragmentation which simply means that the memory block size is greater than the memory requested by the process, then the free space gets wasted.

Once we encounter a process that requests a memory which is higher than block size, we stop the algorithm.

## **Best Fit Algorithm**

- 1. Get no .of Processes and no. of blocks.
- 2. After that get the size of each block and process requests.
- 3. Then select the best memory block that can be allocated using the above definition.
- 4. Displaytheprocesses with the blocks that are allocated to a respective process.
- 5. ValueofFragmentationisoptionaltodisplaytokeeptrackofwastedmemory.
- 6. Stop.

## **Program:**

```
First Fit
```

```
#include<stdio.h>
void main()
{ int bsize[10], psize[10], bno, pno, flags[10], allocation[10], i, j;
       for(i = 0; i < 10; i++)
       \{ flags[i] = 0;
              allocation[i] = -1;
       printf("Enter no. of blocks: ");
       scanf("%d", &bno);
       printf("\nEnter size of each block:
       "); for(i = 0; i < bno; i++) scanf("%d",
       &bsize[i]);
       printf("\nEnter no. of processes: ");
       scanf("%d", &pno);
```

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```
printf("\nEnter size of each process:
"); for(i = 0; i < pno; i++) scanf("%d",
&psize[i]);
for(i=0;i<pno;i++)
                                //allocationasperfirst
       fit for(j = 0; j < bno; j++) if(flags[j] == 0 &&
               bsize[j] >= psize[i])
               { allocation[j] = i;
                      flags[j] = 1;
                      break:
//display allocation details
printf("\nBlock no.\tsize\t\tprocess no.\t\tsize");
for(i = 0; i < bno; i++) { printf("\n%d\t\t%d\t\t", i+1, bsize[i]);
if(flags[i] == 1)
printf("%d\t\t%d",allocation[i]+1,psize[allocation[i]]); else
printf("Notallocated");
        }
```

## **Best Fit**

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```
scanf("%d",&b[i]);
   } printf("\nEnter the size of the processes :-\n");
      for(i=1;i \le np;i++)
   { printf("Process no.%d:",i);
      scanf("%d",&p[i]);
   } for(i=1;i<=np;i++)
      \{ for(j=1;j\leq nb;j++) \}
            { if(barray[j]!=1)
                  { temp=b[j]-p[i];
                        if(temp \ge 0)
                        if(lowest>temp)
                              { parray[i]=j
                                    lowest=te
                                       mp
                                        ;
                  }
            fragment[i]=lowest;
            barray[parray[i]]=1;
            lowest=10000;
      printf("\nProcess_no\tProcess_size\tBlock_no\tBlock_size\tFragment");
      for(i=1;i<=np && parray[i]!=0;i++)
]);
}
Output:
```

First Fit

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```
nachiketa@nachiketa-VirtualBox: ~/Desktop/OSpracs/First Fit
nachiketa@nachiketa-VirtualBox:~/Desktop/OSpracs/First Fit$ gcc firstfit.c -o firstf
nachiketa@nachiketa-VirtualBox:~/Desktop/OSpracs/First Fit$ ./firstfit
Enter no. of blocks: 3
Enter size of each block: 20
30
10
Enter no. of processes: 3
Enter size of each process: 5
Block no.
                size
                                                          size
                                 process no.
                20
                30
                10
nachiketa@nachiketa-VirtualBox:-/Desktop/OSpracs/First Fit$
```

## **Best Fit**

```
nachiketa@nachiketa-VirtualBox: ~/Desktop/OSpracs/Bewst fit
nachiketa@nachiketa-VirtualBox:~/Desktop/OSpracs/Bewst fit$ gcc bf.c -o bf
nachiketa@nachiketa-VirtualBox:~/Desktop/OSpracs/Bewst fit$ ./bf
                         Memory Management Scheme - Best Fit
Enter the number of blocks:5
Enter the number of processes:4
Enter the size of the blocks:-
Block no.1:10
Block no.2:15
Block no.3:5
Block no.4:9
Block no.5:3
Enter the size of the processes :-
Process no.1:1
Process no.2:4
Process no.3:7
Process no.4:11
                 Process_size
                                 Block_no
                                                  Block_size
Process_no
                                                                   Fragment
                                                                   4nachiketa@nachiknnn
                 11
                                                  15
nachiketa@nachiketa-VirtualBox:~/Desktop/OSpracs/Bewst fit$
```

## **Outcome:**

Implement various Memory Management techniques and evaluate their performance.

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