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Type: Assignment 3 Page(s): 2

SOLUTION:

Important Instructions:

1. Submit Soft copy of your solution using MS Word.
2. **Late submission of your solution is not allowed.**

Question 1: [5 marks]

Assume that the following three functions have already been implemented:

1. `int getPageSize()` //returns page size in bytes.
2. `int* getPageTable(int processId)` //returns the page table of the process whose id is processId
3. `int loadFrame(int processId, int pageNo)` //loads the given pager number of the given process in memory and returns the frame number where the page has been loaded.

When the process, whose id is processId, tries to access a virtual address (the address is stored in virtualAddr) belonging to a page that is not in memory, then a page fault exception will occur which will be handled by a page fault handler routine named as "handlePageFault". The purpose of this routine will be to load the page in memory. The signature of this routine is as follows:

```
void handlePageFault(int processId, int virtualAddr)
{
    //implement the routine
}
```

Your task is to implement this above routine with the help of routines already implemented.

ANSWER:

```
void handlePageFault(int processId, int virtualAddr)
{
    //implement the routine
    int p=getPageSize();
    int pageNo=virtualAddr/p;
    int *pageTable=getPageTable(processId);
    int frameNumber=loadFrame(processId,pageNo);
    pageTable[pageNo]=frameNumber;
}
```

Question 2: [10 marks]

Show execution of the LRU page replacement algorithm on the following page reference string:

[10 marks]

2 3 1 4 1 5 3 2 1 4

Assume there are only three frames in the RAM. Show contents of memory frames after each page access from the reference string. (Please note that the number of boxes below maybe less or more depending upon the question. It, certainly, does not mean you have to utilize exactly the given number of boxes.)

2	2	2	4	4	3	3	3	4														
	3	3	3	5	5	5	1	1														
		1	1	1	1	2	2	2														

Question 3: [10 marks]

Suppose that the page size is 128 bytes. Now consider process p1 whose page table is as follows:

0	5
1	10
2	9
3	6
4	Hard disk
5	1

Now assume that process p1 accesses the following virtual addresses:

a) 0 b) 139 c) 650 d) 257

1. Convert the above virtual addresses into physical addresses.
2. What is the range of virtual addresses of p1 that will cause page fault exception?

ANSWER:

PART 1

Page Size = 128 bytes

128 bytes = 128

$\text{Ceiling}[\log_2(128)] = 7$

so, 2^7

Virtual Address = Logical Address

Total Number of Pages = 6 (From Table)

Logical Address Space Size = Total Number of pages * Size of each page
= $6 * 128 = 768$ bytes

$\text{Ceiling}[\log_2(768)] = 10$

So, 2^{10}

Bits needed to represent each page = $2^{10} / 2^7 = 3$ bits.

Total bits in Logical Address = 10 bits

Bits needed for offset = $10 - 3 = 7$ bits.

Bits needed for physical memory address = ?

Frame Size = 128 bytes

Total Number of frames = 10 (From table)

Physical Address Space Size = Total Number of frames * Size of each frame
= $10 * 128 = 1280$ bytes

$\text{Ceiling}[\log_2(1280)] = 11$

So, 11 bits required for physical address.

a) 0

0 in binary is: 0
7 bits for offset
0000000

Logical Address : 000 0000000
0 Page Number, Frame Number 5 in binary is 101
Physical Address : 0101 0000000 or (640)

b) 139

2 | 139
2 | 69 1
2 | 34 1
2 | 17 0
2 | 8 1
2 | 4 0
2 | 2 0
2 | 1 0

139 in binary is : 10001011

7 bits for offset
0001011

Logical Address: 001 0001011
001 is 1 Page Number, Frame Number 10 in binary is 1010
Physical Address : 1010 0001011 or (1291)

c) 650

2 | 650
2 | 325 0
2 | 162 1
2 | 81 0
2 | 40 1
2 | 20 0
2 | 10 0
2 | 5 0
2 | 2 1
2 | 1 0

650 in binary is : 1010001010

7 bits for offset
0001010

Logical Address : 101 0001010
101 is 5 Page Number, Frame Number 1 in binary is 0001
Physical Address : 0001 0001010 or (138)

d) 257

2		257	
2		128	1
2		64	0
2		32	0
2		16	0
2		8	0
2		4	0
2		2	0
2		1	0

257 in binary is : 100000001

7 bits for offset
0000001

Logical Address : 010 0000001
010 is 2 Page Number, Frame Number 9 in binary is 1001
Physical Address : 1001 0000001 or (1153)

PART 2

Since Page Number 4 is Still on Hard disk accessing it will cause page fault exception.
Total bits required to represent page number is = 3 bits

Since,
Page Number 4 in binary is 100

The range of virtual Addresses is
100 0000000
till
100 1111111

Which in decimal is 512 till 639

Question 4: [10 marks]

Consider the following code for a simple Stack:

```
class Stack {  
private:  
    int* a; // array for stack  
    int max; // max size of array  
    int top; // stack top  
public:  
    Stack(int m) {  
        a = new int[m]; max = m; top = 0;  
    }  
    void push(int x) {  
        while (top == max); // if stack is full then wait  
        a[top] = x;  
        ++top;  
    }  
    int pop() {  
        while (top == 0); // if stack is empty then wait  
        int tmp = top;  
        --top;  
        return a[tmp];  
    }  
};
```

Assuming the functions push and pop can execute concurrently, synchronize the code using semaphores.

Also, replace
the busy waiting
with proper
waiting.



ANSWER:

```
class Stack
{
    private:
        int* a; // array for stack
        int max; // max size of array
        int top; // stack top
        Semaphore Mutex=1; //To ensure mutual exclusion.
        Semaphore Full=max; // To indicate that stack is full.
        Semaphore Empty=0; // To indicate that stack is empty.

    public:
        Stack(int m)
        {
            a = new int[m];
            max = m;
            top = 0;
        }
        void push(int x)
        {
            Wait(Full); // if stack is full then wait
            Wait(Mutex);

            a[top] = x;
            ++top;

            Signal(Mutex);
            Signal(Empty);
        }

        int pop()
        {
            Wait(Empty); // if stack is empty then wait
            Wait(Mutex);

            int tmp = top;
            --top;

            Signal(Mutex);
            Signal(Full);
            return a[tmp];
        }
};
```