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/ Questions after video lesson 5



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Pregunta **1**

Correcte

Puntuació 1,00 sobre 1,00

Assume a directory-based multiprocessor system with four processors, each with 24 GB of main memory and with the corresponding directory associated. Memory lines are 64 bytes long. Data coherency is maintained using a Write-Invalidate protocol.

How many entries exist in each one of the four directories?

Trieu-ne una:

- ☐ 24 x  $2^{30}$  entries in each directory
- ☐ 4 entries in each directory
- ☒ 24 x  $2^{24}$  entries in each directory

✓ Correct! The number of entries is the number of memory lines in each memory, that is  $24 \times 2^{30} / 2^6$ , since each memory line is 64 bytes (i.e.  $2^6$  bytes).

La teva resposta és correcta.

Pregunta **2**

Correcte

Puntuació 1,00 sobre 1,00

Assuming the explanation in the video lessons, how many bits are needed in each directory entry?

Trieu-ne una:

- ☐ 4 bits in total
- ☒ 5 bits in total
- ☐ 1 bit for clean/dirty (D)
- ☐ 64 bits, one for each byte in the line

✓ Well done! In class we will use two bits for the state (M, S, U), which in total would be 6 (2+4)

La teva resposta és correcta.

◀ Video lesson 5 (part 3): directory entry (notation a bit different from the one used in class)

Salta a...

Additional material ▶

