

Replacement Policy:

Every block can be treated as a High Priority or as a Low Priority block. i.e. Variable size of HPG and LPG which can change at runtime. This implementation do not discard any unused element form any priority set which may have been used for spacial locality.

Case: Miss

Subcase 1: Set full

If: all blocks are of HPG then replace with block lowest among them after cheking Dirty status with priority as 0.

If: Replace element of LPG with priority 0 and set its priority highest among the LPG.

Miss with full set (1-1)

H
L(0)
H
H
L(2)
L(1)

Replace L(0)
and set priority
as that of highest
priority among LPG
& decrease priority
of other by 1



H
L(2)
H
H
L(1)
L(0)

H L(5)
L(0)
L(3)
L(2)
L(1)
L(4)

Replace L(0)
and set priority
as that of highest
among LPG and
decrease priority
of other by 1



L(4)
L(5)
L(2)
L(1)
L(0)
L(3)

H
H
H
H _L
H
H

Replace H_L
~~and~~ and
set priority
as L(0)



H
H
H
L(0)
H
H

Subcase 2: Partially filled

If: all valid blocks are in HPG then place the new one as LP with priority 0 in a new block.

If: place in new block with priority highest among LPG.

Miss with partially filled set (1-2)

L(0)
H
H
L(1)
H
empty

Find highest priority among LPs and insert block above that priority in LP

L(0)
H
H
L(1)
H
L(2)
...

L(0)
L(1)
L(2)
L(3)
L(4)
empty

Find highest priority among LPs and insert block above that priority in LP

L(0)
L(1)
L(2)
L(3)
L(4)
L(5)
...

H
H
H
H
H
empty

Find highest priority among LPs (not present) & insert block in LP with priority(0)

H
H
H
H
H
L(0)
...

Case: Hit

If: Read is present then just retain the dirty status and add it to then Highest among HPG.

If: Write then overwrite the data section and dirty status as true.

Sample example:

$T = 2$
Any particular set

a	$a_L(0)$				
b	$b_L(1)$	$a_L(0)$			
c	$c_L(2)$	$b_L(1)$	$a_L(0)$		
b	$b_H(3+2)$	$c_L(1)$	$a_L(0)$		
d	$b_H(3+1)$	$d_L(2)$	$c_L(1)$	$a_L(0)$	
e	$e_L(3)$	$b_L(2)$	$d_L(1)$	$c_L(0)$	
f	$f_L(3)$	$e_L(2)$	$b_L(1)$	$d_L(0)$	
d	$d_H(3+2)$	$f_L(2)$	$e_L(1)$	$b_L(0)$	
-	$d_H(3+1)$	$f_L(2)$	$e_L(1)$	$b_L(0)$	
-	$d_L(3)$	$f_L(2)$	$e_L(1)$	$b_L(0)$	
e	$e_H(3+2)$	$d_L(2)$	$f_L(1)$	$b_L(0)$	
b	$b_H(3+2)$	$e_H(3+1)$	$d_L(1)$	$f_L(0)$	
-	$b_H(3+1)$	$e_L(2)$	$d_L(1)$	$f_L(0)$	

next cycle b moves to lower priority as $LP = 3$ then after e moves to $LP = 3$

In this example when was not used for $T(=2)$ times then it was put in LPG with priority 3 but as we got new request **e** it was placed above **b** in LPG.

When **d** was put in HPG and not used $T(=2)$ times it was placed in LPG with highest priority among them.

When **b** was accessed again it was placed above e in HPG.

Functions used are:

int **powerOfTwo**(int &x)
:- power of 2 in x

int **check_tag**(vector<tuple<bool,int,int,bool,int>> cache,int s_index,int e_index, int tag)
:- return index if tag matched and negative on no match (-1 if set is set is full and -2 if set is partially filled)

int **find_invalid**(vector<tuple<bool,int,int,bool,int>> cache,int s_index,int e_index)
:- ind index of first invalid index in a set

tuple<bool,int,int,int,int> **INFO**(**vector**<**tuple**<bool,int,int,bool,int>> cache,int s_index,int e_index) :- return (filled status, highest priority index among LPG, highest priority among LPG, lowest priority index among HPG, lowest priority among HPG)

int **find_highest_among_LP**(**vector**<**tuple**<bool,int,int,bool,int>> cache,int s_index,int e_index)
:- ind highest prority among LPG

void **updateWB**(long long int* memo, **queue**<**tuple**<int,int,int>> &**WB**, int wbz, int P)
:- update write buffer called on end of every cycle

bool **wbfreed**(long long int* memo, **queue**<**tuple**<int,int,int>> WB, int wbz)
:- check if the buffer is free or not

bool **readStall**(int &sc, int P):- facilitate stalling of read

void **refreshCache**(**vector**<**tuple**<bool,int,int,bool,int>> &cache, int c_assoc, int T)
:- refresh status of cache on end of every cycle -- updating priorty among HPG

void **PRINTCACHE**(**vector**<**tuple**<bool,int,int,bool,int>> cache, int c_assoc, int num_sets)
:- Print the cache