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Task 1

Main memory: 1MB

size of a page: 4KB

block sizes:

8 blocks of 4 or 6 or 8 or 10 pages, 16 blocks of 2 pages (to allow best fit to better allocate blocks) == all add up to 1024 KB

Page: a page has the allocated bit (in addition to being in the allocated queue) and the accessed bit, the page size

process: id, number of KB, pages own access bit

block: owns pages, has allocated bit and accessed bit

free memory tracking algorithm:

dictionary of all free pages.

key = the block size

value = list of block instances with the same amount of pages.

taken/ Allocated pages are placed into a round robin queue (a list)

memory allocation algorithm:

best fit algorithm

given to algorithm - list of available block sizes (initially always [2,4,6,8,10])

• the process size

returns the list of block sizes best suited for the process size

example - > request for 23KBs

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pages = ceiling of 23/4 = 6
matches 6 pages required with block of 6 pages, returns 6 pages
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example - > request for 50KBs pages = ceiling of 50/4 = 13 matches 10 on the first iteration next iteration it needs to match 3 pages matches 4 returns [10,4]

page replacement algorithm:

second chance algorithm

triggered when memory is low and process requests more than available.

given - the size to free up, the process pointer

goes through the taken/allocated list, round robin style. Checks the allocated bit, places the block at then end of the queue if accessed, otherwise frees it up (by placing it in the free dictionary accordingly, updating the allocated bit)

returns the result of the best fit algorithm, to be ready to be allocated to the process

how the interact:

when a process makes a request. Available space is checked. if there is sufficient space, best fit algorithm is called. (works as above, returns a list of blocks)

the process is now allocated the blocks returned by best fit. Each block allocated bit is updated and the process now owns those blocks. (it can access them)

if there isn't sufficient memory:

Page replacement is called. (works as above).

the process owns the blocks and can access them. changing the allocated bit, i chose a 70% chance of any block being accesses. This access bit is checked when Second chance algorithm is called.

data structures:

classes: Page, Process, Block, MainMemory, KernelServices block has a page/s process has a block. can change blocks access bit MainMemory - owns blocks. can updates and manages them KernelServices control the blocks and main memory

list: list are fast in python, and easy to maintain

dictionary:

used to store free pages.

I chose this as Best fit needs to be able to tell the program what blocks to allocate fast . One of the main downsides of best fit is that it needs to perform a lot of searching, dictionary structure was my attempt at reducing that complexity.

with Keys being O(1) look up, the lists my algorithm is working with are very small due to having these keys .

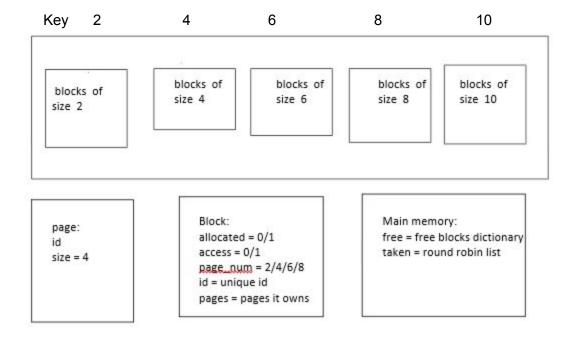
instead of searching through all the blocks, i search through available sizes, and can easily tell the program to pop or add to appropriate keys values all in O(1)

why these data structures:

I chose dictionaries to quickly find the sizes of block i want in O(1). It also orders the blocks by their size at the keys. This attempts to combat the best fit inefficiency at searching the list of free blocks

I chose lists inside the dictionaries are pythons appending and removing is efficient, as well as searching.

Diagram of data structures



Pseudocode

Class Page: attributes - size, id

Class Block : attributes - id , numberOfPages, allocatedbit, accessbit, pages

Def KB (): return numberOfPages * 4

Getters for size and pages

Def populate: creates instances of pages, based on number of pages

Class MainMemory: attributes - free, taken

Def create():

Create 8 blocks of 4, 6,8 and 10 Create 10 blocks of 2

Def addtoTaken(block): adds a block to the taken list and updates allocated bit

Def addtoFree(block): adds a lock to free and updates the allocated bit

Def freeKBs(): report how many free KBs there are

For each list in the dictionary:

For each block in that list:

Free += block.KB()

Return free

Def filledUp():

Reports true or false if the main memory is full

Def freeBlocks(): returns list of free block sizes

For each list:

If that list has blocks
Add to list

Return list

Class Process: attributes- id, size, blocks(list of blocks owned)

Def allocateblock(block): adds the block to the list of owned blocks

Def accesstheBlock(block):

70% chance of accessing the block

Change blocks access bit to 1

Class KernelServices: attributes - mainMemory

Def bestFit(process):

Size =proces.size

Freeblocks = list of key sizes of free blocks

numPages = cieling of size/4

Blocks = []

While numPages >0:

If the pages required can be satisfied perfectly from available blocks:

Append amount to blocks

Return blocks

Elif if the pages requested is greater than biggest block size(10):

Add 10 to blocks, if available

Decrement from numpages

else:

Find the smallest biggest block that satisfies the size Add it to the blocks

Decrement from numpages

If you cant find smallest biggest:

This means memory is low, allocate left over blocks

Return blocks

Def allocate(process)

Check if the there is enough space for the block If there isn't space: run second chance algorithm If there is run bestFit to find out the blocks

For each of the block sizes:

Remove an instance of that size from memory Give it to the process

Add it to taken list (using addtoTaken(block))

Def secondChance(tofreeup, process):

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Freed = 0

While freed < tofreeup:

If block at index 0 in taken was not accessed:
        Add block to free ( using addtoFree(block) )
        Freed += block.KB()
        Remove that block from taken

Else:

Give it second chance:
        Take it out of taken
        Change accessbit to 0
        Append it to taken
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Python Code:
import random
import math
import time

# represents a page, owned by a block. Has id and size
class Page:
   def __init__(self, id):
        self.size = 4
        self.id = id

    def __str__(self):
        return str(self.id)

# Block class owns Pages of variable sizes, The main memory Owns the blocks
and stores them in a data structure
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class Block:
   def __init__(self, id, numberOfPages):
       self.id = id
       self.numberOfPages = numberOfPages
       self.allocatedbit = None
       self.accessbit = None
      self.pages = []
   # returns the number of pages this block owns
  def size(self):
      return self.numberOfPages
   # returns the KBs this block can store
   def KB(self):
      return self.numberOfPages * 4
   # Boolean checker, whether the block was accessed or not ( used by Second
chance algorithm )
  def accessed(self):
       if self.accessbit == 1:
          return True
       return False
   # Returns a string showing the pages it has, to show the main memory
structure ( part of mainMemory create method )
   def getPages(self):
      pagesList = ""
       for i in self.pages:
          pagesList += str(i) + ", "
       return pagesList[:-2]
   def __str__(self):
       return str(self.id)
   # populates the block with instances of pages
   def populate(self):
       for page in range(self.numberOfPages):
           self.pages += [Page(str(self.id) + "." + str(page))]
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class MainMemory:
  def __init__ (self):
       # dictionary where keys are the number of pages a block has
       # value is a list of blocks all of which have the same number of pages
       self. free = {2: [], 4: [], 6: [], 8: [], 10: []}
       # round-robin style list, items are appended at the end, and taken out
the front
      self. taken = []
   # creates all the necessary instances of blocks building up self. free
structure
  def create(self):
       # creates 8 blocks of different predefined sizes
       for block in range(8):
           new block4 = Block("four." + str(block), 4)
           new block4.populate()
           self. free[4].append(new block4)
           new block6 = Block("six." + str(block), 6)
           new block6.populate()
           self. free[6].append(new block6)
           new block8 = Block("eight." + str(block), 8)
          new block8.populate()
           self. free[8].append(new block8)
           new block10 = Block("ten." + str(block), 10)
           new block10.populate()
           self. free[10].append(new block10)
       # creates 16 blocks of 2 pages, this is for increased best fit
algorithm precision
       for block in range(16):
           new block2 = Block("two." + str(block), 2)
          new block2.populate()
           self. free[2].append(new block2)
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self.represent()
   # prints all the blocks ( and pages inside the blocks ) that the main
memory has
  def represent(self):
       for x in self. free:
          for y in self. free[x]:
               print("block: ", y, " has pages: ", y.getPages())
      print(self)
      print()
   # call issued by kernel allocate method
   # Updates the blocks allocated bit and appends it to the taken list
   def addtoTaken(self, block):
      block.allocatedbit = 1
       self. taken.append(block)
   # issued by the kernel secondChance method
   # Updates the blocks allocated bit and appends it to the free dictionary
accordingly
  def addtoFree(self, block):
      block.allocatedbit = 0
       self. free[block.size()].append(block)
   # reports the of free KBs left in the main memory
   def freeKBs(self):
       total = 0
       for k in self. free:
           for block in self. free[k]:
               total += block.KB()
       return total
   # report True if the main memory is almost full, false otherwise
   def filledUp(self):
       if self.freeKBs() <= 30: # considering 30kbs as already filled up , as
i chose process size to be 2KBs - 40KBss
          return True
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return False
   # check how many blocks of a particular size are left
   def freeBlocksofSize(self, size):
       return len(self. free[size])
   # returns a list of free KEYS that can be allocated
   # by keys i mean the block of a certain size
   # if freeblock() returns [2,6,8] -> this mean that only blocks of size 2,
6 and 8 are available
   def freeBlocks(self):
      free = []
      for k in self. free:
          if len(self._free[k]) > 0:
              free += [k]
       return free
  def str (self):
      free = self.freeKBs()
      description = "Main Memory size: 1024KB \tavailable: " + str(free) +
"KB"
      return description
class Process:
   # process has, id, the size it will require in KBs
  def init (self, id, size):
      self.id = id
      self.size = size
       self.blocks = [] # the blocks this process was allocated
   def __str__(self):
      return str(self.id)
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called by kernel allocate method

def allocateBlock(self, block):
 self.blocks += [block]

Process requests a block and is allocated a block

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# each time it has 70% chance to write to the block making it accessed
       self.accessTheBlock(block)
   # 70% chance ( chosen arbitrarily ) of a block being accessed by the
process
  def accessTheBlock(self, block):
       x = random.randint(1, 10)
       if x <= 7:</pre>
           block.accessbit = 1 # update the blocks access bit
class KernelServices:
   def init (self):
       # create and populate the main memory
       self.mainMemory = MainMemory()
       self.mainMemory.create()
   # Best fit algorithm , It is asked to allocate blocks to a process
   # it returns a list of blocks sizes e.g
   # [4] , this tells "def allocate" that the process is best fitted for 1
block of 4
   \# if memory is scare it might return something like [2,2,2] , meaning 3
blocks of 2.
   def bestFit(self, process):
       # given a process it returns a list of blocks sizes best suited for the
process size
       size = process.size
       # turns size into minimum number of pages required
       numPages = math.ceil(size / 4)
       freeBlocks = self.mainMemory.freeBlocks()
       blocks = []
       while numPages > 0:
           # if the requested size is available in perfectly
           if numPages in freeBlocks:
               blocks += [numPages]
               return blocks
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elif numPages >= 10 and 10 in freeBlocks:
               blocks += [10]
               numPages -= 10
           else:
               try:
                   # tries to assign the correct block
                   # examples
                   #y = 4 , if request for 3 pages is made
                   # if request for 7 pages was made, y = 8
                   y = min(filter(lambda x: x > numPages, freeBlocks))
                   numPages -= y
                  blocks += [y]
               except: # this exception occurs when y failed to match a block
                   # this could happen if 7 pages was requested and 10 and 8
sized blocks are taken
                   # in that case any block is added ,as this happens only
towards the end, about the last 50KBs or so
                   if self.mainMemory.freeKBs() >= process.size:
                       # to make sure that we are not allocating too many
blocks of one size than there are available
                       # for example, to prevent trying to allocate 3 blocks
of 2, if we only have 2 blocks of 2
                       if not blocks.count(freeBlocks[0]) >
(self.mainMemory.freeBlocksofSize(freeBlocks[0])) + 1:
                           numPages -= freeBlocks[0]
                           blocks += [freeBlocks[0]]
                   else: # safety measure to ensure correct flow of execution
                       return self.secondChance(process.size, process)
       return blocks
   # allocates memory to a process, uses Best fit and Second Chance
   def allocate(self, process):
       # allocate block/s to the process
      print("----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----")
      print("Process ID: ", str(process), "Current: ",
self.mainMemory.freeKBs(), "KBs Needed : ", process.size,
             "KBs\n")
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if the size is greater than or equal to the max block size

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bestFit = []
       if self.mainMemory.freeKBs() < process.size:</pre>
           bestFit = self.secondChance(process.size, process)
       else:
       # the array of blocks that the process needs to be allocated based on
best fit
           bestFit = self.bestFit(process)
       for i in bestFit:
           blockToBeAllocated = self.mainMemory. free[i].pop() # removes the
block from free
           process.allocateBlock(blockToBeAllocated) # allocates the block to
a process
           self.mainMemory.addtoTaken(blockToBeAllocated) # adds process to
taken list
   # Page replacement algorithm , Second Chance
   # triggered when a process requests memory and the main memory is full
   def secondChance(self, toFree, process):
       print("\n----- Page replacement ( second chance ) -----")
      print("Current free Kbs: ", self.mainMemory.freeKBs(), " Need : ",
toFree, "Kbs")
       x = 0
      freed = 0
       # frees up enough space to allow the process to be allocated memory
       while freed < toFree:</pre>
           # checks if an allocated memory, (round robin style), has been
accessed
           if not self.mainMemory. taken[0].accessed():
               # frees up that page
               self.mainMemory.addtoFree(self.mainMemory.taken[0])
               freed += self.mainMemory. taken[0].KB()
               self.mainMemory. taken.pop(0)
               x += 1
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else: # if it has been accessed it is given a second chance
               giveSecondChance = self.mainMemory. taken.pop(0)
               giveSecondChance.accessbit = 0
               self.mainMemory. taken.append(giveSecondChance)
       print(freed, " KBs have been freed, by de-allocating ", x, "
block/s\n")
       # allow best fit to give the correct blocks to a process
       return self.bestFit(process)
   # reports if the main memory is full or not
   def full(self):
       return self.mainMemory.filledUp()
   # report information about the main memory
   def info(self):
       return str(self.mainMemory)
kernel = KernelServices()
i = 0
processList = []
# fill up the memory untill its full
while not kernel.full():
   i += 1
  process = Process(str(i), random.randint(2, 50))
  processList += [process]
   # print(process.size)
  kernel.allocate(process)
print()
print(len(processList), " processes have been allocated so far , filling up
the memory to about 30KBs remaining")
print()
# add processes to show page replacement algorithm
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while True:
    i += 1
    process = Process(str(i), random.randint(2, 50))
    processList += [process]
    # print(process.size)
    time.sleep(1)
    kernel.allocate(process)
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Screenshots

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C:\Users\michal\UniWork\venv\Scripts\python.exe "C:/Users/michal/Un
block: two.0 has pages: two.0.0, two.0.1
block: two.1 has pages: two.1.0, two.1.1
block: two.2 has pages: two.2.0, two.2.1
block: two.3 has pages: two.3.0, two.3.1
block: two.4 has pages: two.4.0, two.4.1
block: two.5 has pages: two.5.0, two.5.1
block: two.6 has pages: two.6.0, two.6.1
block: two.7 has pages: two.7.0, two.7.1
block: two.8 has pages: two.8.0, two.8.1
block: two.9 has pages: two.9.0, two.9.1
block: two.10 has pages: two.10.0, two.10.1
block: two.11 has pages: two.11.0, two.11.1
block: two.12 has pages: two.12.0, two.12.1
block: two.13 has pages: two.13.0, two.13.1
block: two.14 has pages: two.14.0, two.14.1
block: two.15 has pages: two.15.0, two.15.1
block: four.0 has pages: four.0.0, four.0.1, four.0.2, four.0.3
block: four.1 has pages: four.1.0, four.1.1, four.1.2, four.1.3
block: four.2 has pages: four.2.0, four.2.1, four.2.2, four.2.3
block: four.3 has pages: four.3.0, four.3.1, four.3.2, four.3.3
block: four.4 has pages: four.4.0, four.4.1, four.4.2, four.4.3
block: four.5 has pages: four.5.0, four.5.1, four.5.2, four.5.3
block: four.6 has pages: four.6.0, four.6.1, four.6.2, four.6.3
block: four.7 has pages: four.7.0, four.7.1, four.7.2, four.7.3
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block: six.0 has pages: six.0.0, six.0.1, six.0.2, six.0.3, six.0.4, six.0.5
block: six.1 has pages: six.1.0, six.1.1, six.1.2, six.1.3, six.1.4, six.1.5
block: six.2 has pages: six.2.0, six.2.1, six.2.2, six.2.3, six.2.4, six.2.5
block: six.3 has pages: six.3.0, six.3.1, six.3.2, six.3.3, six.3.4, six.3.5
block: six.4 has pages: six.4.0, six.4.1, six.4.2, six.4.3, six.4.4, six.4.5
block: six.5 has pages: six.5.0, six.5.1, six.5.2, six.5.3, six.5.4, six.5.5
block: six.6 has pages: six.6.0, six.6.1, six.6.2, six.6.3, six.6.4, six.6.5
block: six.7 has pages: six.7.0, six.7.1, six.7.2, six.7.3, six.7.4, six.7.5
block: eight.0 has pages: eight.0.0, eight.0.1, eight.0.2, eight.0.3, eight.0.4, eight.0.5, eight.0.6, eight.0.7
block: eight.2 has pages: eight.1.0, eight.2.1, eight.2.2, eight.2.3, eight.2.4, eight.2.5, eight.2.6, eight.2.7
block: eight.3 has pages: eight.3.0, eight.3.1, eight.3.2, eight.3.3, eight.3.4, eight.3.5, eight.3.6, eight.3.7
block: eight.5 has pages: eight.6.0, eight.5.1, eight.5.2, eight.5.3, eight.5.4, eight.5.5, eight.5.6, eight.5.7
block: eight.7 has pages: eight.6.0, eight.6.1, eight.5.1, eight.5.2, eight.5.3, eight.7.4, eight.7.5, eight.7.5, eight.7.5, eight.7.5
block: ten.1 has pages: ten.1.0, ten.1.1, ten.1.2, ten.0.3, ten.0.4, ten.0.5, ten.0.6, ten.0.7, ten.0.8, ten.0.9
block: ten.1 has pages: ten.1.0, ten.1.1, ten.1.2, ten.1.3, ten.1.4, ten.1.5, ten.1.6, ten.1.7, ten.1.8, ten.1.9
block: ten.2 has pages: ten.3.0, ten.3.1, ten.3.2, ten.3.3, ten.3.4, ten.3.5, ten.3.6, ten.3.7, ten.3.8, ten.3.9
block: ten.3 has pages: ten.3.0, ten.3.1, ten.3.2, ten.6.3, ten.6.4, ten.6.5, ten.6.6, ten.6.7, ten.5.8, ten.5.9
block: ten.6 has pages: ten.5.0, ten.5.1, ten.5.2, ten.5.3, ten.5.4, ten.5.5, ten.5.6, ten.5.7, ten.5.8, ten.5.9

Main Memory size: 1024KB
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	NEW	PROCESS	REQUI	ESTS	BLOC	KS			
Process	ID:	1 Curr	ent:	1024	KBs	Needed	1 :	12	KBs
	NEW	PROCESS	REQUI	ESTS	BLOC	KS			
Process	ID:	2 Curr	ent:	1008	KBs	Needed	1 :	37	KBs
	NEW	PROCESS	REQUI	ESTS	BLOC	KS			
Process	ID:	3 Curr	ent:	968	KBs	Needed		29 F	Bs
	NEW	PROCESS	REQUI	ESTS	BLOC	KS			
Process	ID:	4 Curr	ent:	936	KBs	Needed		17 F	(Bs
	NEW	PROCESS	REQUI	ESTS	BLOC	KS			
Process	ID:	5 Curr	ent:	912	KBs	Needed		43 F	(Bs
	NEW	PROCESS	REQUI	ESTS	BLOC	KS			
Process	ID:	6 Curr	ent:	864	KBs	Needed		9 KI	35
	NEW	PROCESS	REQUE	ESTS	BLOC	KS			
Process	ID:	7 Curr	ent:	848	KBs	Needed		46 F	(Bs
	NEW	PROCESS	REQUI	ESTS	BLOC	KS			
Process	ID:	8 Curr	ent:	800	KBs	Needed		23 F	(Bs

Process kept queuing up, untill memory became full It takes about 30-50 process with randomized KBs range of 2-50KBs

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----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 22 Current: 328 KBs Needed: 42 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 23 Current: 280 KBs Needed: 12 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 24 Current: 264 KBs Needed: 48 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 25 Current: 216 KBs Needed: 5 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 26 Current: 208 KBs Needed: 9 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 27 Current: 192 KBs Needed: 11 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 28 Current: 176 KBs Needed: 44 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS ------
Process ID: 29 Current: 128 KBs Needed: 30 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 30 Current: 96 KBs Needed: 38 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS ------
Process ID: 31 Current: 48 KBs Needed: 11 KBs
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31 processes have been allocated so far , filling up the memory to about 30KBs remaining Now as memory is full, Page Replacement strategy is used

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----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 32 Current: 24 KBs Needed: 41 KBs
----- Page replacement ( second chance ) -----
Current free Kbs: 24 Need: 41 Kbs
48 KBs have been freed, by de-allocating 2 block/s
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 33 Current: 24 KBs Needed: 37 KBs
----- Page replacement ( second chance ) -----
Current free Kbs: 24 Need: 37 Kbs
40 KBs have been freed, by de-allocating 2 block/s
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 34 Current: 24 KBs Needed: 3 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 35 Current: 0 KBs Needed: 25 KBs
----- Page replacement ( second chance ) ------
Current free Kbs: 0 Need: 25 Kbs
48 KBs have been freed, by de-allocating 3 block/s
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS ------
Process ID: 36 Current: 16 KBs Needed: 30 KBs
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----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 36 Current: 16 KBs Needed: 30 KBs
----- Page replacement ( second chance ) ------
Current free Kbs: 16 Need: 30 Kbs
56 KBs have been freed, by de-allocating 2 block/s
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 37 Current: 32 KBs Needed: 11 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 38 Current: 16 KBs Needed: 39 KBs
----- Page replacement ( second chance ) ------
Current free Kbs: 16 Need: 39 Kbs
56 KBs have been freed, by de-allocating 2 block/s
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 39 Current: 32 KBs Needed: 6 KBs
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 40 Current: 0 KBs Needed: 29 KBs
----- Page replacement ( second chance ) ------
Current free Kbs: 0 Need: 29 Kbs
40 KBs have been freed, by de-allocating 1 block/s
----- NEW PROCESS REQUESTS BLOCKS -----
Process ID: 41 Current: 0 KBs Needed: 39 KBs
----- Page replacement ( second chance ) ------
Current free Kbs: 0 Need: 39 Kbs
64 KBs have been freed, by de-allocating 3 block/s
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