## SCS1201 - Data Structures & Algorithms I

# **Assignment - 5**

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### 1. Introduction

This is a program to investigate the process of the first fit memory management and sleeping barber problem. First fit is the memory management algorithm used in computers. The chapter is regarding the implementation of this algorithm. The second chapter is about the common concurrent problem called the sleeping barber problem. This question is completed without using the concurrent programming but using an alternative algorithm.

## 2. First-fit Memory Management

## 2.1 Implementation

First, implement the linked list and took each node as a process. It consists of the following methods.

Function	Return	Parameters
<pre>void firstFit(struct</pre>	Node *head_	_, char *process_id, int size_)
Insert a new process into the memory according to	void	<ul> <li>head head of the linked list</li> </ul>
the first-fit algorithm. (Insert a node to the		• process_id process id : example : p1, p2
linked list)		• start starting memory location of the process in the memory example: p1 starts after the OS allocation. Start will be the end of the allocated memory for OS. If OS is 400K, start of the p1 (only process) will be 400k.
		• size size of the process.
void showTasks(struc	t Node *head	d_)
Print a snapshot of the memory	void	• head head of the linked list
	Print a	
	snapshot of the memory	
struct Node* getProc	ess(struct N	Node *head_, char *process_id_)

Check a given process (node) exists	Given process if a process exists. (a node) Return type: Node pointer	<ul> <li>head head of the linked list</li> <li>process_id process id : example : p1,</li> <li>p2</li> </ul>
Remove a process (Delete	truct Node '	*head_, char* process_id_)  • head head of the linked list
a node from the linked		• process_id process id : example : p1,
list)		p2
int main()		
Main thread: handles user	-	-
inputs and prompts and		
manages the user		
interface.		
void printb(char* st	ring_)	
Method to bold text,	void	string the text which wants to bold
errors	Bold text	
	output in the	
	terminal	

#### 2.2 Data structure

Used doubly-linked list to maintain the process. First thought of a single linked list and completed up to a certain point in the program but when wanted to go back to the previous node, required the double linked list. The reason why wanted to iterate to the previous node is that when want to find an element(whether exists in the linked list), used a method called *getProcess*. This method will find the node and return the node (without removing the node).

This is being used in two other places in the code; Deleting a node and when adding a new element to the linked list to check whether the node exists. If exists won't let the user add that node(process). The problem occurred when wanted to delete a node from the linked list. Wanted to return the previous node if using a single node or else use a doubly-linked list so can find the previous node simply and connect with correct pointers. The reason why give up on the first node method is felt that was not a good method and this has perfect flow.

### 2.3 Sample output- valid test data and results

```
Start a New process: 1
        Terminate a process : 2
        Show process stack : 3
        Exit : -1
        Select an option: 2
        Enter the ProcessID: P2
        Start a New process: 1
        Terminate a process : 2
        Show process stack : 3
        Exit : -1
        Select an option : 1
        Enter the ProcessID: P4
        Enter the size of the Process: 100
        Start a New process: 1
        Terminate a process : 2
        Show process stack : 3
        Exit : -1
        Select an option: 3
Start Address
                                Process
                                                                 Size
                        Operating_System
                                                                 400K
0K
                                                                                 ١
400K
                                Ρ1
                                                                 200K
600K
                                Ρ4
                                                                 100K
                                                                                 ١
1100K
                                Р3
                                                                 100K
```

## 3. Sleeping Barber

### 3.1 Implementation

First, implement the queue, and an element of the queue is a customer (string). Queue consists of the following methods.

Function	Return	Parameters			
<pre>int isFull()</pre>					
to check the queue is full	boolean - 1 or 0	-			
<pre>int isEmpty()</pre>					
to check queue is empty	boolean - 1 or 0	-			
void enQueue(char* name_)					
Add an element to the queue	void	name string (Customer name)			
char* deQueue()					
remove an element from the queue	char* deQueue()	-			
<pre>void displaySeats()</pre>					
display a snapshot of the queue (chairs)	void - print the queue	-			
void printb(char* string_)					
Method to bold text, errors	void Bold text output in the terminal	string the text which wants to bold			

In the main method, did the following process inside a do while loop till the user input is 0. Get the user input for the number of customers needed to send to the barber shop. If it's 0 exists from the do while loop and end the loop. If user inputs a negative value for the customer count, it will prompt and error and ask for the count again. Then user redirect to

input set of names of the customers. If a user enters a count more than the seats available in the barber shop, the last customer which was taken by the user, who doesn't have a seat will leave the shop. Then the customers in the queue will go to cut the hair in order and the barber will take a random time to cut each customer's hair. When he cuts the hair of all of the customers, he goes to sleep till the user inputs another customer list.

#### **Important:**

Question is requested to implement a synchronization method since C doesn't not support concurrent programming, went through the above implementation. I have gone through multiple multithreading libraries but the problem is that the program won't run without those dependencies in another computer. This is the reason why I implemented this problem in the above algorithm.

### 3.2 Sample output - valid test data and results

```
Enter how many customers need to send to the barber shop (Enter 0 to exit): 5
Customer Name : Ramindu
Customer Name : Ramsitha
Customer Name : Walgama
Customer Name : Alex
Customer Name : Jorge
No chairs left.

Jorge customer has left the barber shop...
Barber woke up...
Ramindu is cutting his hair...
Ramindu left the barber shop...
   Seat 1 |
                 Ramsitha
   Seat 2 |
                 Walgama
   Seat 3 |
                 Alex
Ramsitha is cutting his hair...
Ramsitha left the barber shop...
   Seat 1 |
                 Walgama
   Seat 2 |
                 Alex
Walgama is cutting his hair...
Walgama left the barber shop...
   Seat 1 |
                 Alex
Alex is cutting his hair...
Alex left the barber shop...
Barber went to sleep... z... z... z...
Enter how many customers need to send to the barber shop (Enter 0 to exit):
```

### 4. Code

### 4.1 First-fit mem management algorithm

#### first fit mem.c

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <malloc.h>
#include <string.h>
#define MEMORY 2560
int remaining_mem = 2560;
void printb(char* string_);
struct Node {
     char *process_id;
     int start;
     int size;
     struct Node *next;
     struct Node *prev;
};
```

```
void firstFit(struct Node *head_, char *process_id__, int size_) {
     char *process id = malloc(strlen(process_id__) + 1);
     strcpy(process_id_, process_id__);
     if (remaining mem - size >= 0) {
     struct Node *temp = head_;
     struct Node *new_node = (struct Node *) malloc(sizeof(struct
Node));
     new node->process id = process id ;
     new_node->size = size_;
     new node->next = NULL;
     while (temp->next != NULL) {
          if (temp->next->start - (temp->start + temp->size) >=
size ) {
                new node->start = temp->start + temp->size;
                new node->next = temp->next;
                new node->prev = temp;
```

```
temp->next->prev = new_node;
                temp->next = new_node;
                remaining mem -= size ;
                break;
          temp = temp->next;
     if (head ->next == NULL) {
          new_node->start = head_->start + head_->size;
          head_->next = new_node;
          new node->prev = head ;
          remaining_mem -= size_;
     else if (MEMORY - (temp->start + temp->size) > size_) {
          new node->start = temp->start + temp->size;
          temp->next = new_node;
          new node->prev = temp;
     else {
          printb("\n\t\t[ERROR] Ran out of memory.\n");
     printb("\n\t\t[ERROR] Ran out of memory.\n");
void showTasks(struct Node *head ) {
     struct Node *temp = head ;
printf("+----
```

```
----+\n");
    printb("|\tStart
Address\t|\t\tProcess\t\t|\t\tSize\t\t|\t\n");
printf("+------
           ----+\n");
    printf("|\t%dK\t\t|\t%dK\t\t|\t\t\n", head ->start,
head_->process_id, head_->size);
printf("+-----
 ·----+\n");
    while (temp->next != NULL) {
    temp = temp->next;
    printf("|\t%dK\t\t|\t\t%s\t\t|\t\t%dK\t\t|\t\t\n",
temp->start, temp->process id, temp->size);
printf("+-----
        ----+\n<u>"</u>);
struct Node* getProcess(struct Node *head , char *process id ){
    struct Node* temp = head ;
    if(head ->process id == process id )
    return head;
    while (temp->next != NULL){
    temp = temp->next;
    if(strcmp(temp->process_id, process_id_) == 0) //
       return temp;
```

```
return NULL;
void removeProcess(struct Node *head_, char* process_id_) {
     struct Node* deleteNode = getProcess(head , process id );
     if (deleteNode == head ){
     printb("\n\t\t[ERROR] Cannot terminate the Operating
System.\n");
     } else if (deleteNode->next !=NULL){
     deleteNode->next->prev = deleteNode->prev;
     deleteNode->prev->next = deleteNode->next;
     free(deleteNode);
     } else if(deleteNode->next == NULL){
     deleteNode->prev->next = NULL;
     free(deleteNode);
int main() {
     int option;
     int process_size;
     struct Node head;
     head.process_id = "Operating_System";
     head.start = 0;
     head.size = 400;
     head.next = NULL;
     head.prev = NULL;
```

```
printf("\n+------
-----+\n");
    printb("+----First Fit Memory
Management----+\n");
----+\n");
    char process id[20];
    printf("\n\n\t\tStart a New process : 1\n");
    printf("\t\tTerminate a process : 2\n");
    printf("\t\tShow process stack : 3\n");
    printf("\t\tExit : -1\n");
    printf("\t\t+----+\n");
    printf("\t\tSelect an option : ");
    scanf("%d", &option);
    switch (option) {
         case 1: // Start a New process
             printf("\t\tEnter the ProcessID : ");
             scanf("%s", process_id);
             if (getProcess(&head, process_id) == NULL) {
             printf("\t\tEnter the size of the Process : ");
             scanf("%d", &process size);
             firstFit(&head, process id, process size);
             } else {
             printb("\n\t\t[WARNING] Process is already
running.\n");
             break;
         case 2: // Terminate a process
             printf("\t\tEnter the ProcessID : ");
             scanf("%s", process_id);
             removeProcess(&head, process id);
             break;
         case 3: // Show process stack
             showTasks(&head);
```

#### queue.h

```
#include <string.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#define SIZE 4
int front = -1;
int rear = -1;
char queue[SIZE][50];
void printb(char* string );
int isFull(){
     if(rear + 1 == front || (rear == SIZE-1 && front == 0))
     return 1;
     return 0;
int isEmpty(){
     if(front == -1)
     return 1;
     return 0;
void enQueue(char* name ){
     if (isFull()){
     printb("\t\t[ERROR] Queue is Full. Error occurs while
enqueueing new element");
```

```
printf("%s\n", name_);
     } else {
     if (front == -1) ++front;
     rear = (rear+1)%SIZE;
     strcpy(queue[rear], name );
char* deQueue(){
    int temp;
    if (isEmpty()){
     printb("\t\t[ERROR] Queue is Empty.Error occurs while
de-queueing the empty queue.\n");
     return NULL;
    } else {
     temp = front;
     if (rear == front) rear = front = -1;
     else front = (front + 1) % SIZE;
     return queue[temp];
void displaySeats(){
    int count=0;
     if (isEmpty()){
     printb("\t\t[ERROR] Queue is Full. Error occurs while
printing the queue\n");
    } else {
    for (int i = front; i < rear+1; ++i) {</pre>
printf("\t\t+----+\n");
```

```
printf("\t\t| Seat %d | %s\n", ++count, queue[i]);
}

printf("\t\t+----+\n");
}

// Method to bold text, errors
void printb(char* string_){
    printf("\e[1m%s\e[0m", string_);
};
```

#### sleeping\_barber.c

```
#include "queue.h"
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
int main(){
     int cust_count;
     char* name;
     do {
     printb("\t\tEnter how many customers need to send to the
barber shop (Enter 0 to exit): ");
     scanf("%d", &cust_count);
     if (cust_count < 0){</pre>
           printb("[ERROR] Customer count can not be a negative
value.");
           continue;
     char cust list[cust count][100];
     for (int i = 0; i < cust_count; ++i) {</pre>
           printf("\t\tCustomer Name : ");
           scanf("%s", cust_list[i]);
     for (int i = 0; i < cust_count; ++i) {</pre>
           name = cust list[i];
           if (isFull()) {
                 printf("\n\t\tNo chairs left.\n\t\t");
```

```
printb(name);
           printf(" customer has left the barber shop...\n");
     else
           enQueue(name);
printf("\n\t\tBarber woke up...\n\n");
while (!isEmpty()) {
     char* cust = deQueue();
     printf("\t\t");
     printb(cust);
     printf(" is cutting his hair...\n");
     sleep(rand() % (7+1-3) + 3);
     printf("\t\t");
     printb(cust);
     printf(" left the barber shop...\n\n");
     if (!isEmpty())
           displaySeats();
     printf("\n");
printf("\t\tBarber went to sleep... z... z...\n\n");
} while (cust_count != 0);
return 0;
```