

Operating Systems Lab-9 (Analysis of Page Faults)

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Assumption: I have assumed that the number of pages for each process is between 36-40, which is the reason for the large numbers in table.

Base Cases case 1:

Initial Queue: 2, 4, 1, 3.

Sequence of Termination: 1, 3, 2, 4

pid	Page Fault	Page References
1	3	11040
2	5	10848
3	7	21696
4	11	43392

In this case every process have their behaviour greater than 3

Initial Queue: 2, 3, 4, 1.

Sequence of Termination: 1, 2, 3, 4

In this case as the number of pages are less than the number of

pid	Page Fault	Page References
1	2	6066
2	4	3568
3	8	7136
4	11	14272

frames in the physical memory, the page faults are only because of the initial loading of pages into the physical memory.

Lightly Loaded Case 2(a):

Replacement type: Global

Initial Queue: 3, 5, 4, 6, 1, 2.

Sequence of Termination: 4, 3, 6, 5, 1, 2.

The number of page faults are directly proportional to the

pid	Page Fault	Page References
1	80	34658
2	44	33480
3	43	32643
4	39	30132
5	46	30969
6	73	30132

behaviour of the process, if it's a bad process then the number of page faults will be more.

Initial Queue: 4, 3, 5, 2, 6, 1.

Sequence of Termination: 1, 5, 4, 3, 6, 2.

pid	Page Fault	Page References
1	41	134168
2	45	152240
3	70	140822
4	42	152240
5	75	137016
6	81	152240

and so on.....

The average page faults for each process is given below.

pid	Page Fault	Page References
1	49.75	98239
2	49.50	101843.50
3	49.00	98316
4	41.00	102048.25
5	52.00	98337.25
6	65.25	101537.25

Case 2(b):

Replacement type: Local

Initial Queue: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 1.

Sequence of Termination: 4, 3, 6, 1, 2, 5.

and so on.....

pid	Page Fault	Page References
1	50	62765
2	39	62548
3	39	60902
4	33	60902
5	48	65840
6	68	60902

The average page faults for each process is given below.

pid	Page Fault	Page References
1	43.50	77386.50
2	49.75	80978.00
3	38.75	81742.50
4	39.00	78512.50
5	47.75	81743.50
6	44.75	79143.50

Heavily Loaded Case 2(a):

Replacement type: Global

Initial Queue: 3, 4, 5, 6, 2, 1.

Sequence of Termination: 4, 2, 6, 5, 3, 1.

and so on.....

pid	Page Fault	Page References
1	72	145250
2	115	143488
3	127	151040
4	72	139712
5	122	135936
6	116	135936

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1	70.50	111985.00
2	120.00	110618.00
3	122.00	116440.00
4	68.75	107707.00
5	116.50	140796.00
6	117.25	104796.00

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So from the above tables, we get to know that the ratio of page faults of the heavily loaded process to the Lightly loaded process is 2:1, as the number of Frames in the physical memory reduced to half the page fault count increased by twofold.

Conclusion: As the number of frames decreases the page-faults increses.