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Practical-08: Page Replacement Algorithm FIFO

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Practical Aim: Page Replacement Algorithm FIFO

ALGORITHM

Page Replacement Algorithm

- (1) In operating systems that use paging for memory management, **page replacement** algorithm are needed to decide which page needed to be replaced when new page comes in.
- (2) Whenever a new page is referred and not present in memory, page fault occurs and Operating System replaces one of the existing pages with newly needed page.
- (3) Different page replacement algorithm suggest different ways to decide which page is replace.
- (4) The target for all algorithms is to reduce number of page faults.
- (5) **Page Fault** A page fault happens when a running program accesses a memory page which is mapped into virtual address space, but not loaded in physical memory.
- **Step 1:** First of all, find the location of the desired page on the disk.
- **Step 2:** Find a free Frame.
 - Step 2.1: If there a free frame then use it.
- **Step 2.2:** If there is no free frame then make use of page-replacement algorithm in order to select the victim frame.
- Step 2.3: Then after that write the victim frame to the disk and then make the changes in the page table and frame table accordingly.
- **Step 3:** After that read the desired page into the newly freed frame and then change the page and frame tables.

Step 4: Restart the process.

First In First Out (FIFO)

- (1) It is a very simple way of Page replacement and is referred to as **First In First Out** (**FIFO**).
- (2) This algorithm mainly replaces the oldest page that has been present in the main memory for the longest time.
- (3) This algorithm is implemented by keeping the track of all the pages in the queue.
- (4) As new pages are requested and are swapped in, they are added to the tail of the queue and the page which is at the head becomes the victim.
- (5) This is not an effective way of page replacement but it can be used for small systems.

SOLVED EXAMPLE:

- (1) Apply the FIFO replacement algorithms for the following page reference strings: 0,2,1,6,4,0,1,0,3,1,2,1.
- (2) Indicate the number of page faults for FIFO algorithm assuming demand paging with four frames.
- (3) Find the number of hits, number of fault and hit ratio.

Page reference String: 0,2,1,6,4,0,1,0,3,1,2,1

Demand Paging or Number of Frames:

| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 |
|----|----|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| -1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | Ø | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| -1 | -1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| -1 | -1 | -1 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

| 0 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | | |

Number of Hits: count of no replacements = 3

Number of Faults: count of replacements = 9

Hit Ratio: Number of Hits/Len(Ref String) = 3/12 = 0.25

EXAMPLE 2:

Consider the following example 3 frames with 1,3,0,3,5,6,3 page-reference strings.

Find the number of hits, number of faults and hit ratio using FIFO Page replacement Algorithm.

Number of Hits: count of no replacements = 1

Number of Faults: count of replacements = 6

Hit Ratio: Number of Hits/Len(Ref String) = 1/7 = 0.14

EXAMPLE 3:

Consider the following example 3 frames with 7,0,1,2,0,3,0,4,2,3,0,3,2,1,2,0,1,7,0,1page-reference strings.

Find the number of hits, number of faults and hit ratio using FIFO Page replacement Algorithm.

Number of Hits: count of no replacements = 1

Number of Faults: count of replacements = 6

Hit Ratio: Number of Hits/Len(Ref String) = 3/20 = 0.15

QUESTION:

Write a java program that implements the FIFO page-replacement algorithm.

IMPLEMENTATION:

```
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//Practical 8: Page Reparcement Algorithm FIFO

import java.io *

import java.util.*;

public class P8_PR_FIFO_RS

{

public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException

{
```

```
Scanner scan = new Scanner(System.in);
 int frames, pointer = 0, hit = 0, fault = 0, ref len;
 int buffer[];
 int reference[];
 int mem_layout[][];
 System.out.print("Please enter the number of frames: ");
System.out.print("Please enter the length of reference string: "):

ref_len = scan.nextInt();

reference = new int[ref_len];

mem_layout = new int[ref_len][frames];

suffer = new int[frames];
 for(int j = 0; j < \text{frames}; j++)
      buffer[j] = -1;
System.out.print("Please enter the reference string: ");
for(int i = 0; i = ef[len; i++)
{
      reference[i] = scan.nextInt();
}
 System.out.printIn();
 for(int i = 0;i < ref_len;i++)
 {
```

```
int search = -1;
for(int j = 0; j < \text{frames}; j++)
{
    if (buffer[j] == reference[i])
    {
                          nce[i];
       search = j;
       hit++;
       break;
   }
}
if (search == -1)
 {
     buffer[pointer] = reference[i];
     fault++;
     pointer++;
     if(pointer == frames)
        pointer =
 }
 for(int i = 0; < frames; i++)
     mem_layout[i][j] = buffer[j];
 }
 for(int i = 0;i < frames;i++)
 {
    for(int j = 0; j < ref_len; j++)
         System.out.printf("%3d",mem_layout[j][i]);
```

```
System.out.printIn();
   }
    System.out.printIn("The number of Hits: " + hit);
    System.out.printIn("Hit Ratio: " + (float)((float)hit/ref_len));
    System.out.printIn("The number of Faults: " + fault);
 }
}
INPUT
F:\USCSP301 USCS303 OS B0\Prac 08 PR FIFO>java P8 PR FIFO NR
Please enter the number of Frames: 4
Please enter the length of the Reference string: 12
Please enter the reference string:
021640103121
OUTPUT
       0
                                                        2
                                                              2
                        4
                             4
                                        4
                                             4
                                                   4
             0
                  0
       2
                  2
                        2
                                                        0
                                                              0
             2
                             0
                                   0
                                        0
                                             0
                                                   0
      -1
            1
                  1
                        1
                             1
                                   1
                                        1
                                              3
                                                   3
                                                        3
                                                              3
 -1 -1 -1
                  6
                                                              1
                        6
                                        6
                                             6
                                                        1
                                   6
                                                   1
The number of Hits: 3
Hit Ratio: 0.25
The number of Faults: 9
```

SAMPLE OUTPUT 01

```
F:\USCSP301 USCS303 OS B0\Prac 08 PR FIFO>java P8 PR FIFO NR
Please enter the number of Frames: 4
Please enter the length of the Reference string: 12
Please enter the reference string:
021640103121
 0 0 0 0 4 4 4 4
                          4
                             4 2 2
                                    0
-1 2 2 2 2 0 0 0
                             0 0
-1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 3 3 3
                                    3
-1 -1 -1 6 6 6 6 6 6 1 1 1
The number of Hits: 3
Hit Ratio: 0.25
The number of Faults: 9
```

SAMPLE OUTPUT 02

```
F:\USCSP301_USCS303_OS_B0\Prac_08_PR_FIFO>java P8_PR_FIFO_NR
Please enter the number of Frames: 3
Please enter the length of the Reference string: 7
Please enter the reference string:
1 3 0 3 5 6 3

1 1 1 1 5 5 5
-1 3 3 3 3 6 6
-1 -1 0 0 0 0 3
The number of Hits: 1
Hit Ratio: 0.14285715
The number of Faults: 6
```

SAMPLE OUTPUT 03

```
F:\USCSP301_USCS303_OS_B0\Prac_08_PR_FIFO>java P8_PR_FIFO_NR
Please enter the number of Frames: 3
Please enter the length of the Reference string: 7
Please enter the reference string:
1 3 0 3 5 6 3

1 1 1 1 5 5 5
-1 3 3 3 3 6 6
-1 -1 0 0 0 0 3
The number of Hits: 1
Hit Ratio: 0.14285715
The number of Faults: 6
```