

SECTION B:

Quiz!

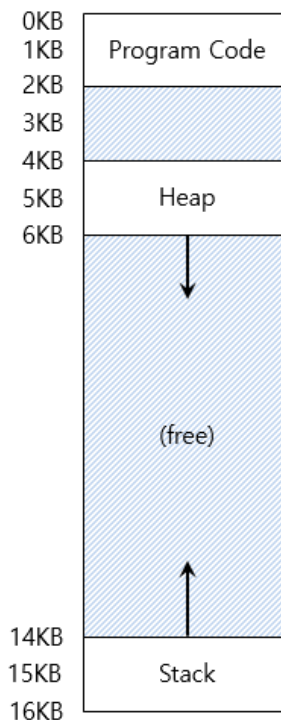
On the right is the virtual address space of a process.
This here is the base and size of each segment in physical memory.

Segment	Base	Size	Grows	Positive?
Code	32K	2K	1	
Heap	34K	2K	1	
Stack	28K	8K	0	

The top bits of the virtual address specify the segments as shown below:

Segment	bits
Code	00
Heap	01
Stack	10
Stack	11

Take your roll number, add to it 10000. Consider the result as a virtual address. Find its corresponding physical address.



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Supposing your Roll Number is: 80

Virtual address (VA):
 $10000 + 100 = 10080$

VA in binary:
10 0111 0110 0000

(This conversion could be avoided simply by looking at the VA; as it is more than half of 16k, it is expected that its binary would have 10 or 11 at the highest two bits)

As the highest bits are "10", VA lies in stack region.

Subtract VA from Top of stack in Virtual address space:

$$\begin{aligned} &16k - 10080 \\ &= 16 \times 2^{10} - 10080 \\ &= 16384 - 10080 \\ &= 6304 \end{aligned}$$

Physical address:

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{Stack base} - 6304 \\ &= 28k - 6304 \\ &= 28672 - 6304 = \mathbf{22368} \end{aligned}$$

SECTION A:

Quiz!

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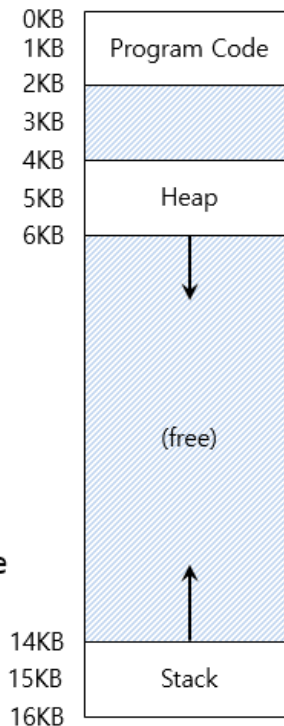
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Supposing your Roll Number is: 80

Virtual address (VA):

$$10000 - 100 = 9920$$

VA in binary:

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As the highest bits are "10", VA lies in stack region.

Subtract VA from Top of stack (16K) in Virtual address space:

$$16K - 9920$$

$$= 16 \times 2^{10} - 9920$$

$$= 16384 - 9920$$

$$= 6464$$

Physical address:

$$\text{Stack base} - 6464$$

$$= 28K - 6464$$

$$= 28672 - 6464 = \mathbf{22208}$$