## Information Technology University of the Punjab SE301T Operating Systems – Spring 2025 Quiz 4 [CLO2] – April 15, 2025

Name:	Solution	Roll No.:
Fime allowed: 15 minutes		Maximum Marks: 15

1. How does a buddy allocator merge free blocks?

[2]

To merge, a buddy allocator checks if the addresses of the two free blocks differ only by one bit and if they are of the same size.

2. What would the following free list look like after an allocation request of size 12 is completed in case of (a) best fit and (b) worst fit? [3]



- (a) head  $\rightarrow 10 \rightarrow 30 \rightarrow 8$
- (b) head  $\rightarrow 10 \rightarrow 18 \rightarrow 20$

- 3. Assume the following:
  - Page size: 32 bytesAddress space: 32KB
  - Physical memory size: 4KB
  - Size of Page Directory Entry (PDE) and Page Table Entry (PTE): 1 byte
  - Both PDE and PTE only have a valid bit in addition to the PFN, so have this bit format: VALID | PFN bits (x ... 0)

Answer the following questions:

i. How many bits would be there in the virtual address?

[1]

 $32KB = 2^5 \times 2^{10} = 2^{15}$  bytes, so 15 bits.

ii. How many bits would the offset have in the virtual address? And how many would be there for the virtual page number?

[1]

As page size is 32 ( $2^5$ ) bytes, the offset will be 5-bit wide. The bits for the VPN will then be: 15 - 5 = 10

iii. How many page frames are there in the physical memory?

[1]

Physical memory size / Page frame size =  $4KB/32B = 2^7$  page frames.

iv. Considering two level paging, and the page directory to be 1 page long, how many bits of the VA will be used to index into the page directory? How many bits would be required to index into the page table? [1]

5 bits to index into the page directory

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v. Given that the value of page directory base register (PDBR) is 30, which tells you that the page directory is located at page number 30, and a complete dump of each page of memory (remember, each page has 32 bytes), find the physical address translation (if valid, you would need to check the valid bit) and the value stored at this physical address for the following two virtual addresses:

VA1: 0x4ea6 (0 100 1110 1010 0110) (PDEIndex: 19, PTEIndex: 21, offset: 6) VA2: 0x21b0 (0 010 0001 1011 0000) (PDEIndex: 8, PTEIndex: 13, offset: 16)

## Page dump:

 $page \quad 0:001b0319181b111b06140a1b170e100001120f1a12040b171000191902100b18$ 2:04041a1907110e1605191e151c1d0b1a191203131c09141b120113071a14091b page 3:08030e16171b09141b0c1c031c1b1e19160d161b11131c080a011b131407050e page page page page page page page page page 15:1b07080c16060902071713121b0008130b1e061d16141d0d0a0d161913181418 page 16:17021e0502061c141b0f030a0e1e05071a031e0911141c021a05160017050601 page 17.0c18181111c191b130816161c05000a070b01120d080311031a081b030c18100d18:1b1719090c12010c1e171a091518150d05001b1c08170c131a0913070f000808 page page 21:04010f071e0310170c1e0e070c010d071b190f00070706071a04011c111e0c1b22:01151b1d161d00081d180c1d131909050d040b1d0a000105180b09031e0d0601 page 23:1705121e0c1e070b04040c18140602020a110003140701190217011a0e0a0619 page page 26:090 f1 a101 a0 e031 b0 d04110 d0009030 c091 d0109000 b0 a090509191 c1011071 d0109000 b0109000 b01090000 b0109000 b0109000 b0109000 b01090000 b0109000 b010000 b0100000 b010000 b0100000 b0100000 b0100000 b0100000 b0100000 b0100000page page 29:1d0203131b0f0d1a18021b0609190d18051b05040f0a101c160009100f160f02 page 30:fa d6 89 93 d0 85 f6 ad 94 be ba f8 e8 a0 9b ae cf f3 9c dc dfd5af7fe47f8acab5f07fa5 page page 33:11191a1d020c0e081a0c1c020d13180e1b090b05050f16050f0d1e0f19071b00page 35:11141d19051103150d14020f0d01141e171d0213120e180c02131a0b13041e1e page page 38:00001d1918191d04120f111d171e031414171319091c0c121b1509070a131e1b39: 1917041919110801010d1613061801130500061806000e0a1111151c0a130307page 40:051a09141c070911020f110d16141219040508051b1a1b0c1a1c171a15000a08 page 42:1e120b1e05061d1d151e011c15141a0306040e10100b17191701040607110613 page 43:191b1b1b141512101e0a02160f1012070602181c15031e190f001a1313001601 page page page page page 50:020c1c18170610080503061c191918050913161a1b0212140f050e021c1a1009 page 51:080c00051015130b1d1304021e1e1c12090207061c1b180407091d051815101d 52:0102100c0109061a1c1b1b0e0613061c06121303160e151018030615020c1604 page page 54:1a031a0015170e1608040b081611141e17181e1c160a0f17181b171407130514 page page 59:111c1211010f1114091d15161e1d041b10120002180b1e1d10121210191e0a0c page 61:14101111061d15161d0e0a09090909060f090b14091a180a1905021e01001a00page 63:00190f1a0a1b19071801131816090a051b12180f0d1d1d17141b0a0918141716

page 64:100f1c12030312000b180e1e0e0a020d0d16121a0e0d0317090e14100514041c page 65:080a08130d10141a150914151c0b10170a0a130b1a0a0612121e1d0d0d140f12 page 66:0c081a0a16081e060d0b1b160807170d0503161418020e041107071105180508  $page \ 67:02000903011e081b1516141d1b16111516110f041a0f02051b070c151a0a0b0d$ page 69:1914111c071e0d1304000410071804141b151c191a010f090d16160605021619 page 70:07051511020309110d090712180b0e150b1700081103011311141a091c1a1d09 71:06071d0c070d160902180201001e0d16111e0a0a15000b17110f1d0d160c020c page 73:1a0f0c120d05091901011308100e0a1e060c0613080b1709111c030107171307 page 76:00 0d 18 04 01 05 <mark>08</mark> 0d 0913050a14101d1d070a10100b1a060e031b121e04161201  $page \ 77:0408190310021913031b14130219150b02170618120b0d080f1b110c151e0511$ page page 81:1010130a140c12160917191e010d05050e1803181a1d1706161108180a1a1b0c 82:1c0f02160f0a0106190e10130b17160013000f1c19091c0515170108101e050e $page \ 89:0c0b171d08030b1a1e010a0e1b110d1e161b191e15180f151d1d1b140f0c0c1d1e161b191e160b19$ page 90:050a1e06000519161d0f0109160c040b0e0b0d040018160c0309111b0e1e1005 93:0c0b0a0b110c030e1e17161c0d0b18031704130f17011419011508171e000c0f page  $page\ 97:06130a0b02160a11101a16161c1a041a1b0508171b01171b0d0707071a170817$  $page\ 98:1a10091a0505110e17001c080f000b0f1d05031a1c0f101b0e0d0d07080b020e$ page 99:05011615140316070f140a0b1914190118050a1418130f1012060b0d030d1500 page 101:0f02061b1b1c0a14181319101415081c1d021e1d14011b031e1401051311171c page 102:030d0a1e150b0f1b10150b0d1706141a1e10131e181a10041902160919130f0e page 106:100a0412060b100607020a1907080412160519000302180216060903190b1c15 page 108:171e131412091c0e1c091a18130d04170b1404020419051b0b110a13020c1d05 page 109:070912180f020d171b020c1c1613050f0c0f0f02190d05130a0312001c11081d page 110:0a161b0b06070f0c021a131b1a1619150d191c0304050e1a101a0b1107130800 page 111:1d18121008010e1a060e08151d1b080c00101a1a020d020d1c081a1d19061c1c page 113:0a15051e1d05170a0006160e1003050b0f190d0a1c1517180f080314171b1c0f page 114:18171b071d06030f040712040c0b1d020f0e050a0b0b11110e0d120f03140c1a page 116:0c040a001c04001d09130b0a1c160a19171a0d0d1b0e0b131510021e05120a01 page 119:1c031c1c13060e0411030c04150a1a190416160819010915181d11161d1c0a0d page 123:020b101212040f050b0509130c050e1409080d150114011b0519010f07181703 page 124:051e15130e00061808120f05010216070f1117040d17140e13181b1003041415 page 126:111b05150a130e041b0f1e121d1401001e1418190b151401101c1118020c0f11 page 127:111d030005091e03101a09090601121106110f1507071b15170a120b151d0f0e

VA1: 0x4ea6 ---- PDE: dc (1101 1100, valid as highest bit is 1). PT frame is 101 1100 (92). PTE is cc (1100 1100, valid). Page frame number of physical address: 1001100 (76). Physical address is 10 01100 00110 (value is: 08).

VA2: 0x21b0 ---- PDE: 94 (1001 0100, valid as highest bit is 1). PT frame is 0010100 (20). PTE is 7f (0111 1111, invalid as highest bit is 0). So, virtual address is not valid.