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# "MEMORY MANAGEMENT"

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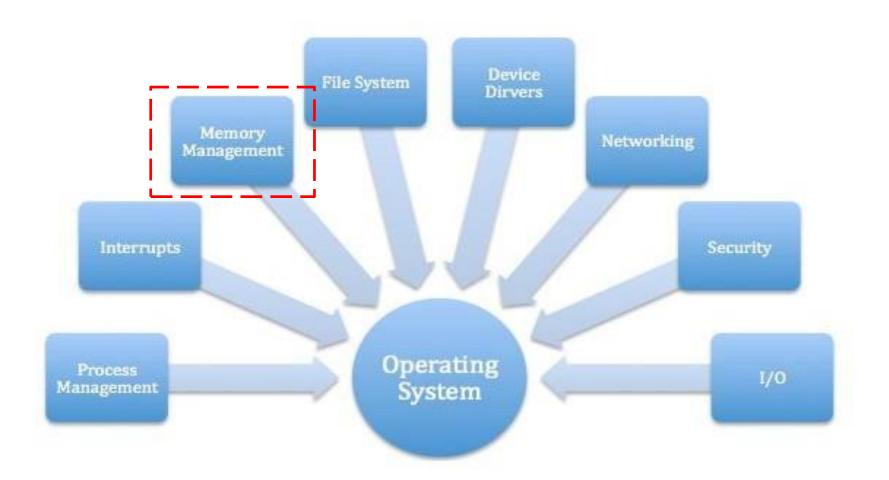
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#### **SYLLABUS**:

- Introduction: Memory Management concepts, Memory Management requirements.
- **Memory Partitioning**: Fixed Partitioning, Dynamic Partitioning, Buddy Systems Fragmentation, Paging, Segmentation, Address translation. **Placement Strategies:** First Fit, Best Fit, Next Fit and Worst Fit. Virtual Memory (VM): Concepts, Swapping, VM with Paging, Page Table Structure, Inverted Page Table, Translation Look aside Buffer, Page Size, VM with Segmentation, VM with Combined paging and segmentation.
- **Page Replacement Policies**: First In First Out (FIFO), Last Recently Used(LRU), Optimal, Thrashing.

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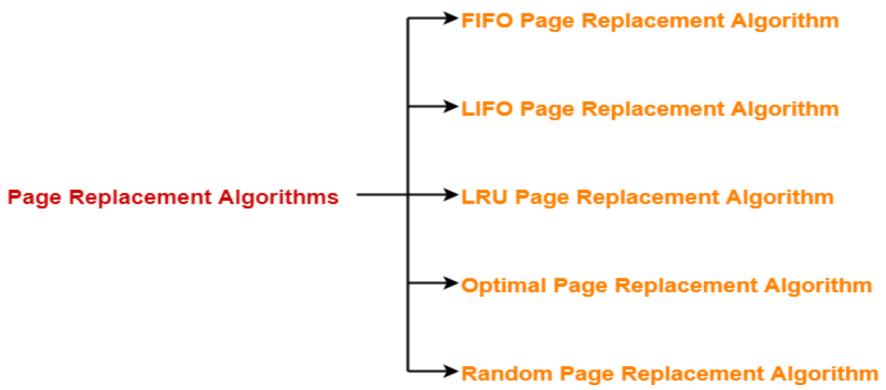
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# **PAGE** REPLACEMENT ALGORITHM

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#### **PAGE REPLACENT ALGORITHMS**



- 1. FIFO Page Replacement Algorithm
- 2. LIFO Page Replacement Algorithm
- 3. LRU Page Replacement Algorithm
- 4. Optimal Page Replacement Algorithm
- 5. Random Page Replacement Algorithm

### PAGE REPLACENT ALGORITHMS

#### 1. FIFO Page Replacement Algorithm-

- As the name suggests, this algorithm works on the principle of "First in First out".
- It replaces the oldest page that has been present in the main memory for the longest time.
- It is implemented by keeping track of all the pages in a queue.

#### 2. LRU Page Replacement Algorithm –

As the name suggests, this algorithm works on the principle of "Last in First out".

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It replaces the newest page that arrived at last in the main memory.

It is implemented by keeping track of all the pages in a stack.

### PAGE REPLACENT ALGORITHMS

#### 3. Optimal Page Replacement Algorithm-

- This algorithm replaces the page that will not be referred by the CPU in future for the longest time.
- It is practically impossible to implement this algorithm.
- This is because the pages that will not be used in future for the longest time can not be predicted.
- However, it is the best known algorithm and gives the least number of page faults.
- Hence, it is used as a performance measure criterion for other algorithms.

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- 1. First In First Out (FIFO): This is the simplest page replacement
- algorithm. In this algorithm, the operating system keeps track of all
- pages in the memory in a queue, the oldest page is in the front of the
- queue. When a page needs to be replaced page in the front of the queue
- is selected for removal.

#### Advantages

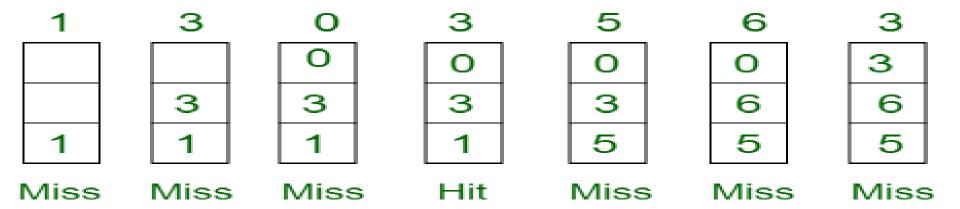
- Simple and easy to implement.
- Low overhead.

#### **Disadvantages**

- Poor performance.
- Doesn't consider the frequency of use or last used time, simply replaces
- the oldest page.
- Suffers from Belady's Anomaly(i.e. more page faults when we increase the number of page frames).

Example 1: Consider page reference string 1, 3, 0, 3, 5, 6, 3 with 3 page frames.Find the number of page faults.

Page 1, 3, 0, 3, 5, 6, 3 reference



#### Total Page Fault = 6

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#### **For Example:**

Consider the page reference string of size 12: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 1, 3, 1, 6, 3, 2, 3 with frame size 4(i.e. maximum 4 pages in a frame).

1	2	3	4	5	1	3	1	6	3	2	3
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		3	3	3	3	3	3	6	6	6	6
			4	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	3
м	м	м	м	м	м	н	н	м	м	м	н

M = Miss

H = Hit

**Example:** Consider the Pages referenced by the CPU in the order are 6, 7, 8, 9, 6, 7, 1, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1

Pages >>	6	7	8	9	6	7	1	6	7	8	9	1
Frame 3			8	8	8	7	7	7	7	7	9	9
Frame 2		7	7	7	6	6	6	6	6	8	8	8
Frame 1	6	6	6	9	9	9	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Miss	Hit	Hit	Miss	Miss	Hit						

Number of Page Faults = 9

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**Example:** Consider the Pages referenced by the CPU in the order are 6, 7, 8, 9, 6, 7, 1, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1

2. Least Recently Used: In this algorithm, page will be replaced which is least recently used.

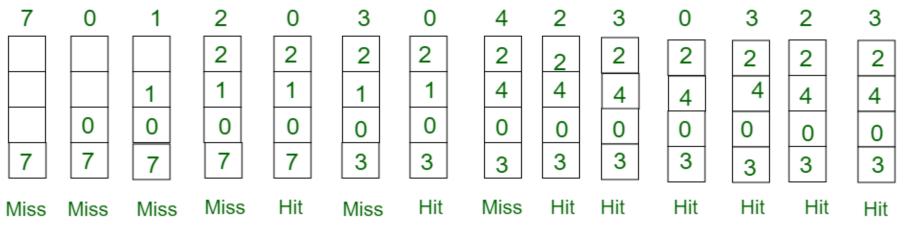
#### Advantages

- 1. Efficient.
- 2. Doesn't suffer from Belady's Anomaly.

#### Disadvantages

- 1. Complex Implementation.
- 2. Expensive.
- 3. Requires hardware support.

- 2. Least Recently Used: In this algorithm, page will be replaced which is least recently used.
- **Example-3:** Consider the page reference string 7, 0, 1, 2, 0, 3, 0, 4, 2, 3,
- 0, 3, 2, 3 with 4 page frames. Find number of page faults. Page 7,0,1,2,0,3,0,4,2,3,0,3,2,3 No. of Page frame - 4



#### Total Page Fault = 6

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Here LRU has same number of page fault as optimal but it may differ according to question.

**Example:** Consider the Pages referenced by the CPU in the order are 6, 7, 8, 9, 6, 7, 1, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1, 7, 9, 6

Pages>>	6	7	8	9	6	7	1	6	7	8	9	1	7	9	6
Frame 3			8	8	8	7	7	7	7	7	7	1	1	1	6
Frame 2		7	7	7	6	6	6	6	6	6	9	9	9	9	9
Frame 1	6	6	6	9	9	9	1	1	1	8	8	8	7	7	7
	Miss	Hit	Hit	Miss	Miss	Miss	Miss	Hit	Miss						

#### The number of Page Faults = 12

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Consider the page reference string of size 12: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 1, 3, 1, 6, 3, 2, 3 with frame size 4(i.e. maximum 4 pages in a frame).

1	2	3	4	5	1	3	1	6	3	2	3
1	1	1	1	5	5	5	5	5	5	2	2
	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
		3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
			4	4	4	4	4	6	6	6	6
м	м	м	м	м	м	н	н	м	н	м	н

M = Miss H = Hit

Total Page Fault = 8

**3. Optimal Page replacement:** In this algorithm, pages are replaced which would not be used for the longest duration of time in the future.

#### Advantages

- 1. Easy to Implement.
- 2. Simple data structures are used.
- 3. Highly efficient.

#### Disadvantages

- 1. Requires future knowledge of the program.
- 2. Time-consuming.

- **3. Optimal Page replacement:** In this algorithm, pages are replaced which would not be used for the longest duration of time in the future.
- Example-2: Consider the page references 7, 0, 1, 2, 0, 3, 0, 4, 2, 3, 0, 3, 2, 3 with 4 page frame. Find number of page fault.

```
Page
               7,0,1,2,0,3,0,4,2,3,0,3,2,3
                                                              No. of Page frame - 4
reference
 7
        0
                       2
                                       3
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Total Page Fault = 6
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Frame 1	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	8	9	9	9	9	6
	Miss	Miss	Miss	Miss	Hit	Hit	Miss	Hit	Hit	Miss	Miss	Hit	Hit	Hit	Miss

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1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	6	6	6
	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
		3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
			4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
м	м	м	м	м	н	н	н	м	н	н	н

M = Miss H = Hit

Total Page Fault = 6

### First, Best and Worst Fit algorithms

Processes need execution time/storage space in memory blocks. OS has various algorithms to allocate in-coming processes to available memory blocks.

The following are the most used algorithms –

- 1. First Fit
- 2. Best Fit
- 3. Worst Fit

# First, Best and Worst Fit algorithms 1. First fit :

This method works as for any process Pn, the OS searches from starting block again and again and allocates a block to process Pn such that –

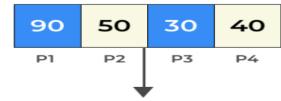
- Block is available
- Can fit the process
- In simple words First Fit algorithm finds, the first block to fix the process.

In the given example, let us assume the jobs and the memory Prof. Gharu Anand N. requirements as the following: 24

# **First, Best and Worst Fit algorithms 1. First fit :**

#### **First Fit Allocation in OS**

#### Process Sizes



**First FIT Allocation** 

20	100	40	200	10
Block	1 Block 2	Block 3	Block 4	Block 5

	Size	Allocated to	Memory Wastage After Process Occupie	5
Process 1	90	Block2	100 - 90 = 10	
Process 2	50	Block 4	200 - 50 = 150	P4 remains
Process 3	30	Block 3	40 - 30 - 10	Unallocated
Process 4	40	Unallocated	-	

# First, Best and Worst Fit algorithms 2. Best fit :

- This method works as for any process Pn, the OS searches from starting
- block again and again and allocates a block to process Pn such that -

- 1. Block can accommodate process
- 2. Memory wastage is minimum

https://prepinsta.com/operating-systems/first-fit-best-fit-worst-fit-in-os-example/

# First, Best and Worst Fit algorithms 2. Best fit :

	<b>Best Fit Allocation in OS</b>										
		Pr	ocess Size	40							
				$\downarrow$							
			Best	FIT Alloo	cation						
	1	00	50	30	120	35					
	BI	ock 1	Block 2	Block 3	Block 4	Block 5					
		Size	Can Oco	cupy?	Memory Wastag After Process Occu						
Blo	ock 1	100	Yes	5	100 - 40 = 60						
Blo	ock 2	50	Yes	S	50 - 40 = 10	Best					
Blo	ock 3	30	No		-						
Blo	ock 4	120	Yes	S	120 - 40 = 80						
Blo	ock 5	35	No		-						

# First, Best and Worst Fit algorithms 3. Worst fit :

- This method works as for any process Pn, the OS searches from starting
- block again and again and allocates a block to process Pn such that -

- 1. Block can accommodate process
- 2. Memory wastage is maximum

## First, Best and Worst Fit algorithms 3. Worst fit :

Wo	Worst Fit Allocation in OS												
	Pr	ocess Size	40										
			$\downarrow$										
		Wors	t FIT Allo	cation									
1	00	50	30	120	35								
В	lock 1	Block 2	Block 3	Block 4	Block 5								
	Size	Can Oc	cupy?	Memory Wastag After Process Occu									
Block 1	100	Ye	s	100 - 40 = 60									
Block 2	50	Ye	s	50 - 40 = 10									
Block 3	30	No	>	-									
Block 4	120	Ye	s	120 - 40 = 80	Worst								
Block 5	35	No	>	-									



# Memory management

- We have seen how CPU can be shared by a set of processes
  - Improve system performance
  - Process management
- Need to keep several process in memory
  - Share memory
- Learn various techniques to manage memory

   Hardware dependent

### Memory management

#### What are we going to learn?

- **Basic Memory Management:** logical vs. physical address space, protection, contiguous memory allocation, paging, segmentation, segmentation with paging.
- Virtual Memory: background, demand paging, performance, page replacement, page replacement, page replacement algorithms (FCFS, LRU), allocation of frames, thrashing.

# Review of Programming Model of 80386

EAX	AH AX	AL	Accumulator
EBX	вн вх	6L	Base Index
ECX	сн сх	cı	Court
EDX	DH BX	DL	Data
ESP	5P		Stack Pointer
EEP	6P		Base Pointer
EDI	DI		Destination Index
ESI	SI	SI	
EIP	P	P	
FLAGS	FLAGS		Flags

cs	Code
DS	Data
ES	Extra
SS	Stack
FS	in the
GS	

### Background

- Program must be brought (from disk) into memory
- Fetch-decode-execute cycle



- Memory unit only sees a stream of addresses + read requests, or address + data and write requests
- Sequence of memory addresses generated by running program

### Logical vs. Physical Address Space

Logical address – generated by the CPU; also referred to as virtual address CPU CPU

Physical address – address seen by the memory unit

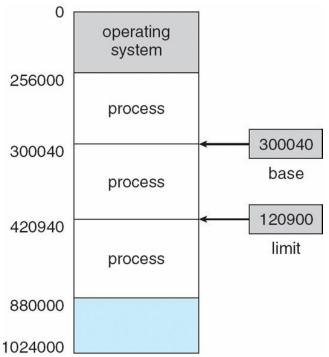
- Logical address space is the set of all logical addresses generated by a program
- Physical address space is the set of all physical addresses generated by a program

### Background

Multiple processes resides in memory

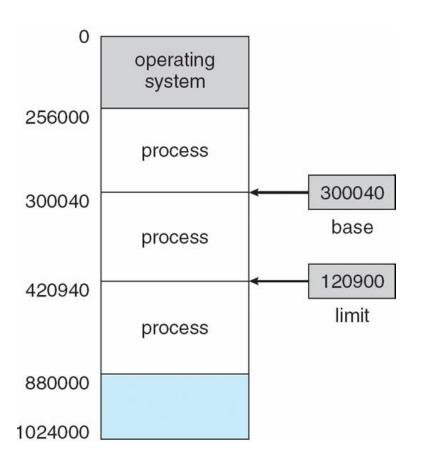
 Protection of memory required to ensure correct operation

- 1. Protect OS
- 2. Protect user processes

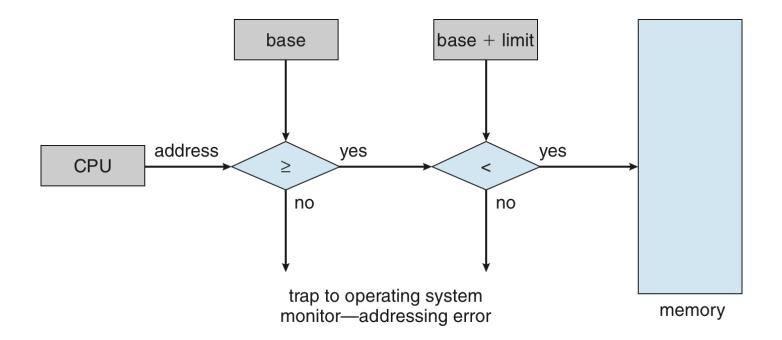


#### **Base and Limit Registers**

 A pair of base and limit registers define the logical address space



Hardware Address Protection with Base and Limit Registers

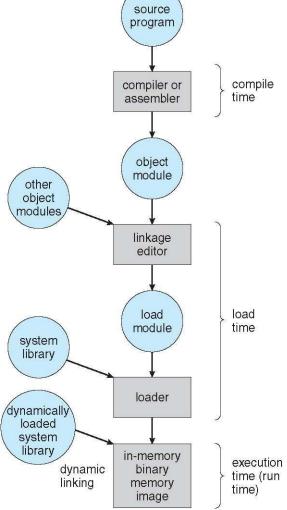


- OS loads the base & limit reg.
- Privileged instruction

# **Address Binding**

- Process resides in main memory
- Associate each data element with memory address
- Further, addresses represented in different ways at different stages of a program's life
  - Source code addresses usually symbolic
  - Compiled code addresses bind to relocatable addresses
    - i.e. "14 bytes from beginning of this module"
  - Linker or loader will bind relocatable addresses to absolute addresses
    - i.e. 74014

# Multistep Processing of a User Program



# Binding of Instructions and Data to Memory

- Address binding of instructions and data to memory addresses can happen at three different stages
  - Compile time: If memory location known a priori, absolute code can be generated; must recompile code if starting location changes
  - Load time: Must generate relocatable code if memory location is not known at compile time
  - Execution time: If the process can be moved during its execution from one memory segment to another
    - Binding delayed until run time
    - Need hardware support for address maps (e.g., base and limit registers)

### Logical vs. Physical Address Space

Logical address – generated by the CPU; also referred to as virtual address

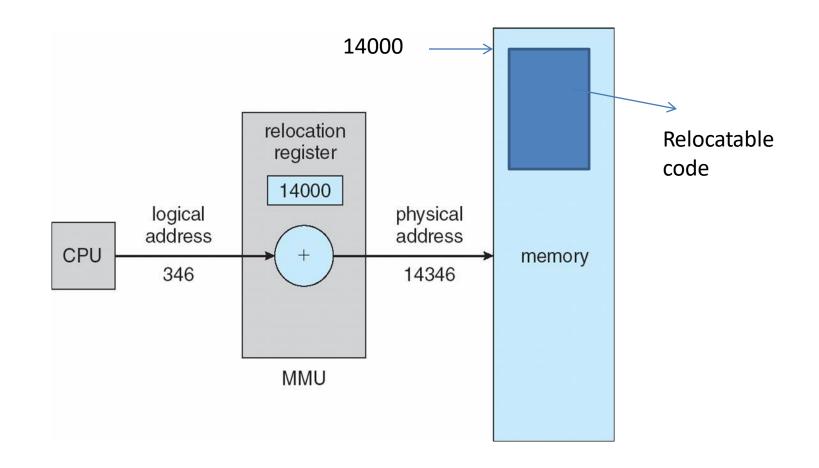
Physical address – address seen by the memory unit

- Logical and physical addresses are the same in compile-time and load-time address-binding schemes;
- logical (virtual) and physical addresses differ in execution-time address-binding scheme
- Logical address space is the set of all logical addresses generated by a program
- Physical address space is the set of all physical addresses generated by a program

### Memory-Management Unit (MMU)

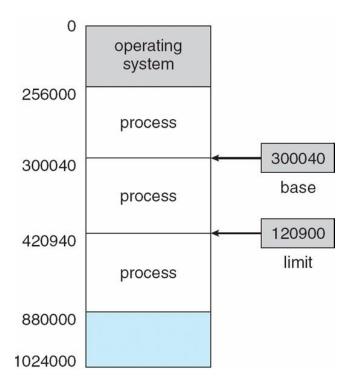
- Hardware device that at run time maps virtual to physical address
- Many methods possible
- To start, consider simple scheme where the value in the relocation register is added to every address generated by a user process at the time it is sent to memory
  - relocation register
  - MS-DOS on Intel 80x86 used 4 relocation registers
- The user program deals with *logical* addresses (0 to max); it never sees the *real* physical addresses (R to R+max)
  - Say the logical address 25
  - Execution-time binding occurs when reference is made to location in memory
  - Logical address bound to physical addresses

Dynamic relocation using a relocation register



#### **Contiguous Allocation**

#### Multiple processes resides in memory



#### **Contiguous Allocation**

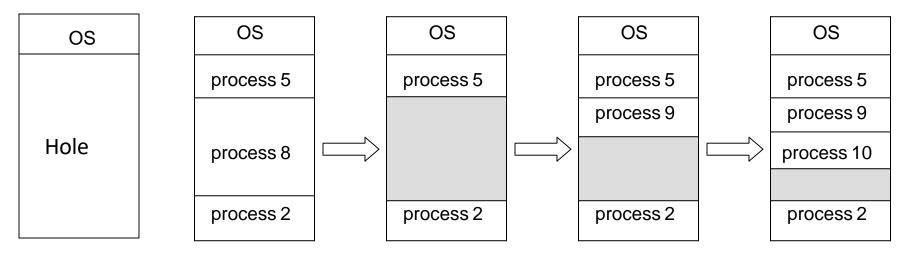
- Main memory usually divided into two partitions:
  - Resident operating system, usually held in low memory
  - User processes then held in high memory
  - Each process contained in single contiguous section of memory

### Contiguous Allocation (Cont.)

- Multiple-partition allocation
  - Divide memory into several **Fixed size partition**
  - Each partition stores one process
  - Degree of multiprogramming limited by number of partitions
  - If a partition is free, load process from job queue
  - MFT (IBM OS/360)

### Contiguous Allocation (Cont.)

- Multiple-partition allocation
  - Variable partition scheme
  - Hole block of available memory; holes of various size are scattered throughout memory
  - Keeps a table of free memory
  - When a process arrives, it is allocated memory from a hole large enough to accommodate it
  - Process exiting frees its partition, adjacent free partitions combined
  - Operating system maintains information about:
    - a) allocated partitions b) free partitions (hole)



#### **Dynamic Storage-Allocation Problem**

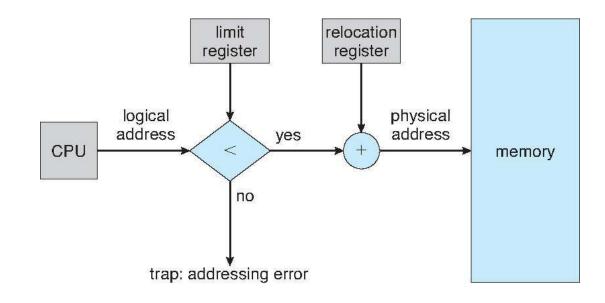
How to satisfy a request of size *n* from a list of free holes?

Dynamic storage allocation problem

- First-fit: Allocate the *first* hole that is big enough
- **Best-fit**: Allocate the *smallest* hole that is big enough; must search entire list, unless ordered by size
  - Produces the smallest leftover hole
- Worst-fit: Allocate the *largest* hole; must also search entire list
  - Produces the largest leftover hole

#### Hardware Support for Relocation and Limit Registers

- **Relocation registers** used to protect user processes from each other, and from changing operating-system code and data
  - Relocation register contains value of smallest physical address
  - Limit register contains range of logical addresses each logical address must be less than the limit register
  - Context switch
  - MMU maps logical address dynamically



#### Fragmentation

- Processes loaded and removed from memory
  - Memory is broken into little pieces
- External Fragmentation total memory space exists to satisfy a request, but it is not contiguous

 First fit analysis reveals that given N blocks allocated, 0.5 N blocks lost to fragmentation

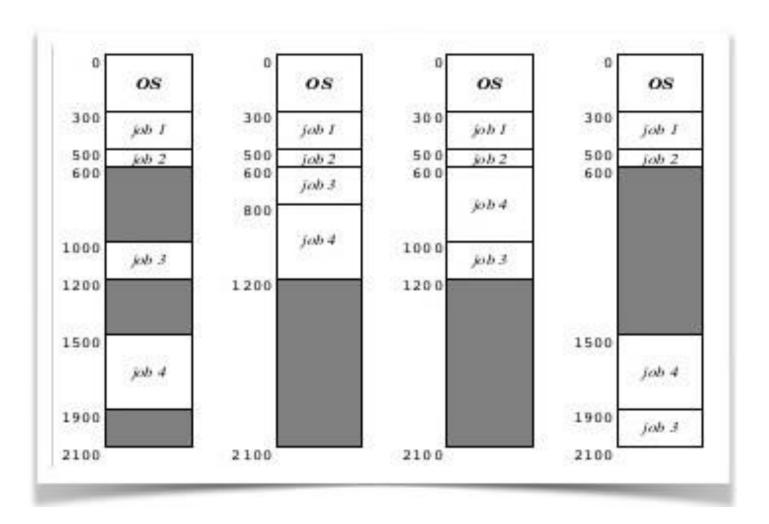
 1/3 may be unusable -> 50-percent rule

# Fragmentation (Cont.)

- Reduce external fragmentation by compaction
  - Shuffle memory contents to place all free memory together in one large block
  - Compaction is possible *only* if relocation is dynamic, and is done at execution time
    - Change relocation reg.

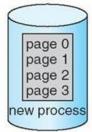
– Cost

 Internal Fragmentation – allocated memory may be slightly larger than requested memory; this size difference is memory internal to a partition, but not being used



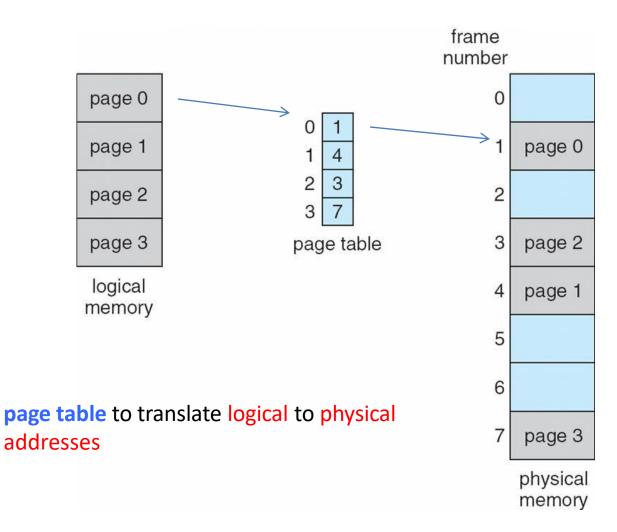
# Paging

- Physical address space of a process can be noncontiguous;
  - process allocates physical memory whenever the latter is available
- Divide physical memory into fixed-sized blocks called frames
  - Size is power of 2, between 512 bytes and 16 Mbytes
- Divide logical memory into blocks of same size called pages
  - To run a program of size N pages, need to find N free frames and load program
- Backing store likewise split into pages



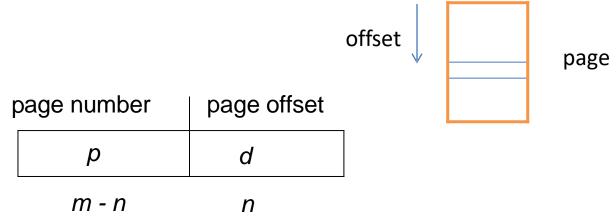
- Set up a page table to translate logical to physical addresses
- System keeps track of all free frames

#### Paging Model of Logical and Physical Memory



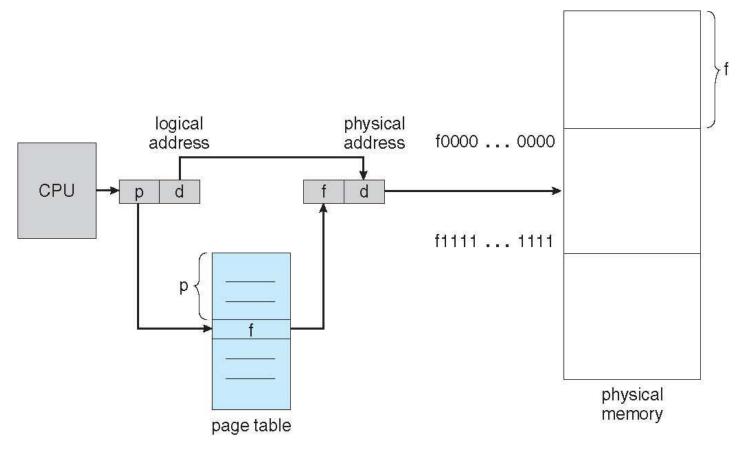
#### **Address Translation Scheme**

- Address generated by CPU is divided into:
  - Page number (p) used as an index into a page table
    - which contains base address of each page in physical memory
  - Page offset (d) offset within a page
    - combined with base address to define the physical memory address that is sent to the memory unit



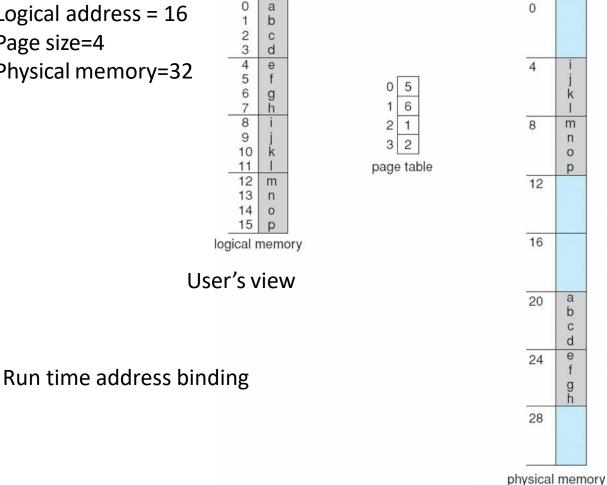
- For given logical address space 2<sup>m</sup> and page size 2<sup>n</sup>

#### Paging Hardware



### Paging Example

Logical address = 16 Page size=4 Physical memory=32



Logical address 0 (0\*4+0)**Physical address:** (5\*4+0)=20

Logical address 3 (0\*4+3)**Physical address:** (5\*4+0)=23

Logical address 4 (1\*4+0)**Physical address:** (6\*4+0)=24

Logical address 13 (3\*4+1)**Physical address:** (2\*4+1)

*n*=2 and *m*=4 32-byte memory and 4-byte pages

# Paging

- External fragmentation??
- Calculating internal fragmentation
  - Page size = 2,048 bytes
  - Process size = 72,766 bytes
  - 35 pages + 1,086 bytes
  - Internal fragmentation of 2,048 1,086 = 962 bytes
- So small frame sizes desirable?
  - But increases the page table size
  - Poor disk I/O
  - Page sizes growing over time
    - Solaris supports two page sizes 8 KB and 4 MB
- User's view and physical memory now very different
  - user view=> process contains in single contiguous memory space
- By implementation process can only access its own memory
  - protection

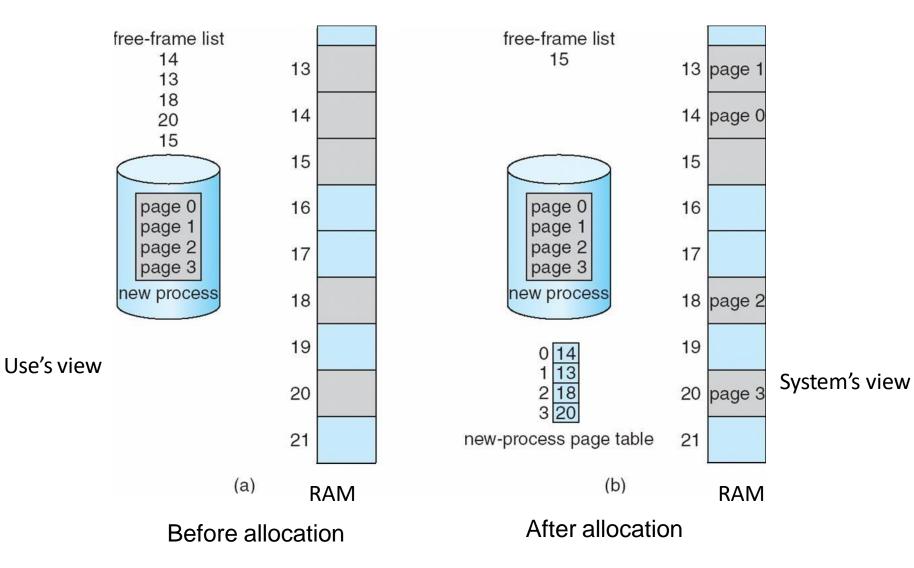
- Each page table entry 4 bytes (32 bits) long
- Each entry can point to 2<sup>32</sup> page frames
- If each frame is 4 KB
- The system can address 2<sup>44</sup> bytes (16TB) of physical memory

Virtual address space 16MB. Page table size?

- Process P1 arrives
- Requires n pages => n frames must be available
- Allocate n frames to the process P1
- Create page table for P1

#### **Free Frames**

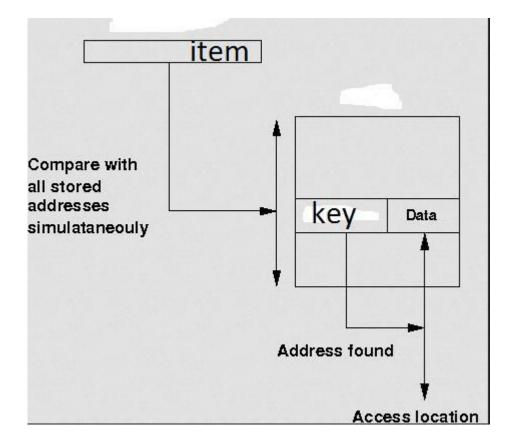
#### **Frame table**



# Implementation of Page Table

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#### Associative memory



### **Associative Memory**

• Associative memory – parallel search

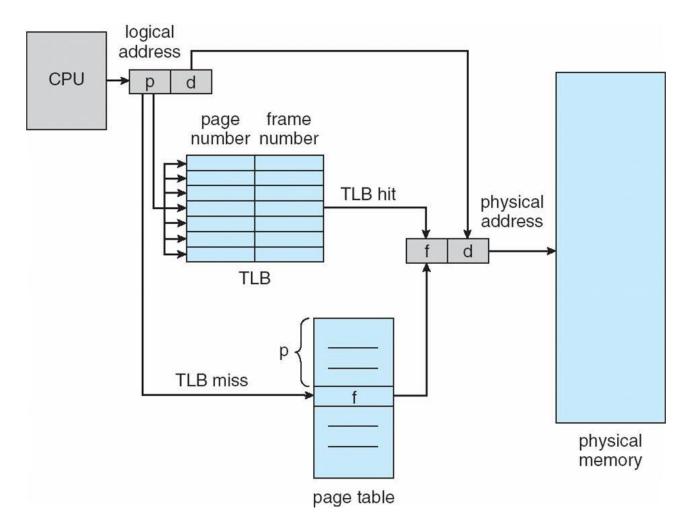
Page #	Frame #

- Address translation (p, d)
  - If p is in associative register, get frame # out
  - Otherwise get frame # from page table in memory

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- TLBs typically small (64 to 1,024 entries)
- On a TLB miss, value is loaded into the TLB for faster access next time
  - Replacement policies must be considered (LRU)
  - Some entries can be **wired down** for permanent fast access
- Some TLBs store address-space identifiers (ASIDs) in each TLB entry uniquely identifies each process (PID) to provide address-space protection for that process
  - Otherwise need to flush at every context switch

# Paging Hardware With TLB



### **Effective Access Time**

- Associative Lookup =  $\varepsilon$  time unit
  - Can be < 10% of memory access time</li>
- Hit ratio =  $\alpha$ 
  - Hit ratio percentage of times that a page number is found in the associative registers; ratio related to size of TLB
- Consider  $\alpha$  = 80%,  $\varepsilon$  = 20ns for TLB search, 100ns for memory access
- Effective Access Time (EAT)

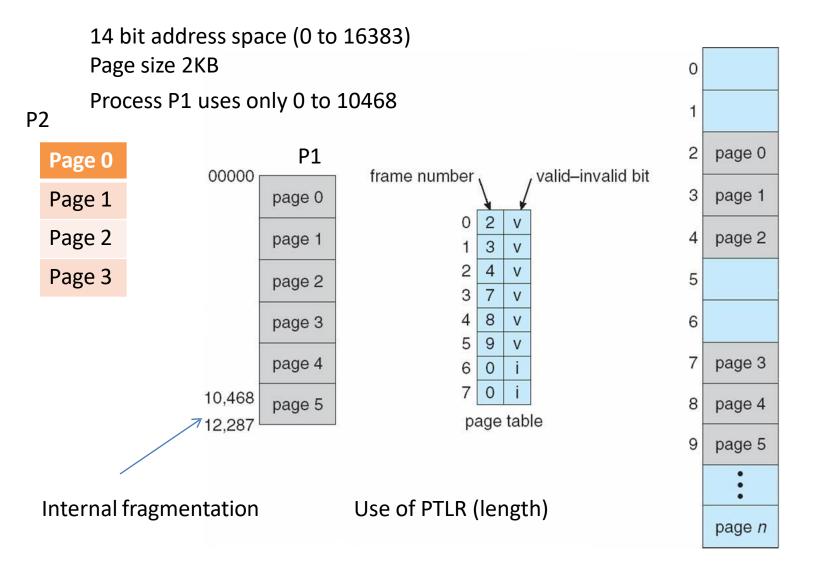
 $\mathsf{EAT} = (100 + \varepsilon) \alpha + (200 + \varepsilon)(1 - \alpha)$ 

- Consider  $\alpha$  = 80%,  $\varepsilon$  = 20ns for TLB search, 100ns for memory access - EAT = 0.80 x 120 + 0.20 x 220 = 140ns
- Consider better hit ratio ->  $\alpha$  = 98%,  $\epsilon$  = 20ns for TLB search, 100ns for memory access
  - EAT = 0.98 x 120 + 0.02 x 220 = 122ns

# **Memory Protection**

- Memory protection implemented by associating protection bit with each frame to indicate if read-only or read-write access is allowed
  - Can also add more bits to indicate page execute-only, and so on
- Valid-invalid bit attached to each entry in the page table:
  - "valid" indicates that the associated page is in the process' logical address space, and is thus a legal page
  - "invalid" indicates that the page is not in the process' logical address space
  - Or use PTLR
- Any violations result in a trap to the kernel

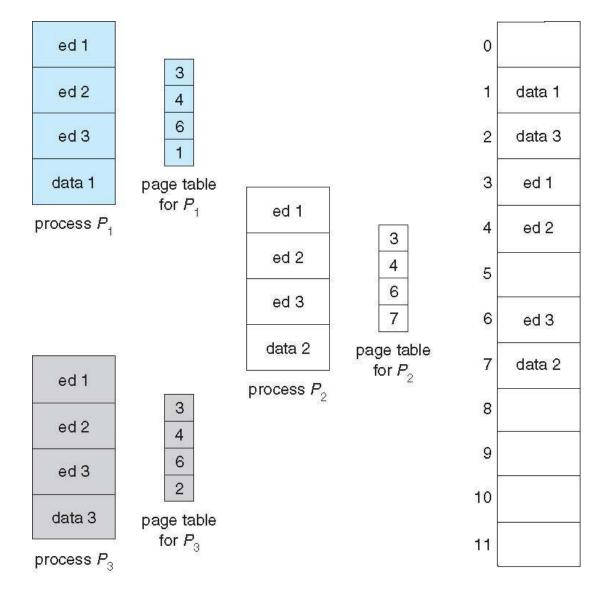
#### Valid (v) or Invalid (i) Bit In A Page Table



# Shared Pages Example

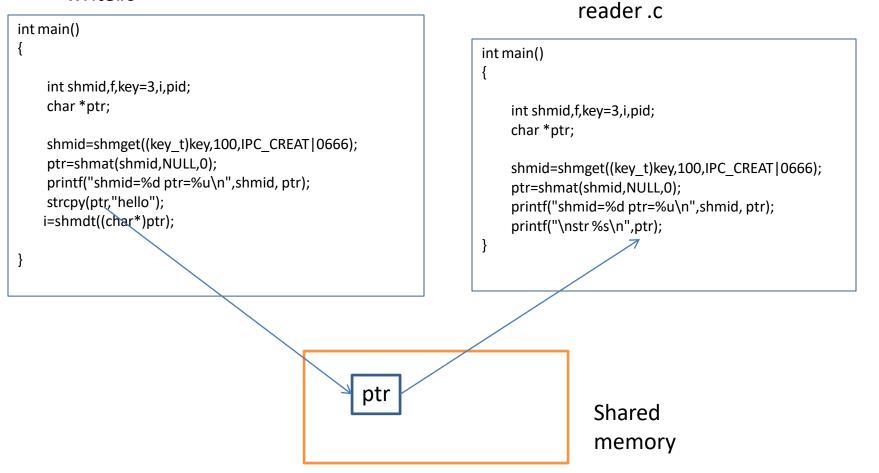
- System with 40 users
  - Use common text editor
- Text editor contains 150KB code 50KB data (page size 50KB)
   8000KB!
- Shared code
  - One copy of read-only (reentrant) code shared among processes (i.e., text editors, compilers, window systems)
    - Code never changes during execution
- Only one copy of the editor in the memory
- Total memory consumption
  - 40\*50+150=2150KB

#### **Shared Pages Example**



### Data share: example

#### writer.c



# Structure of the Page Table

- Memory requirement for page table can get huge using straightforward methods
  - Consider a 32-bit logical address space as on modern computers
  - Page size of 4 KB (2<sup>12</sup>)
  - Page table would have 1 million entries 2<sup>20</sup> (2<sup>32</sup> / 2<sup>12</sup>)
  - If each entry is 4 bytes -> 4 MB of physical address space / memory for page table alone
    - That amount of memory used to cost a lot
    - Don't want to allocate that contiguously in main memory
- Hierarchical Paging
- Hashed Page Tables
- Inverted Page Tables

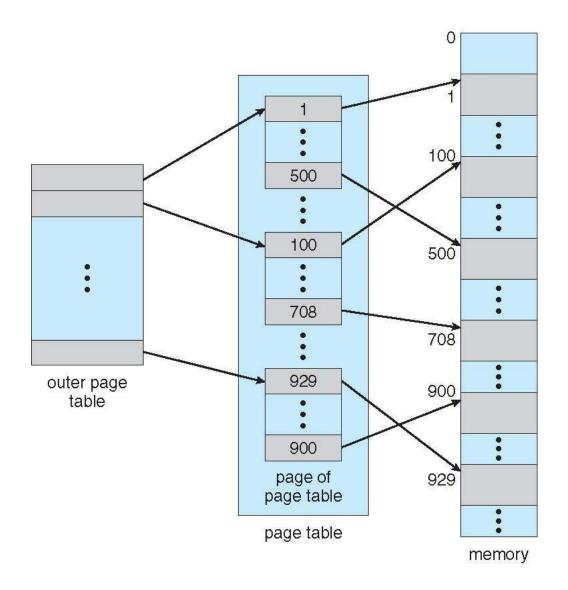
# **Hierarchical Page Tables**

Break up the page table into multiple pages

• We then page the page table

A simple technique is a two-level page table

## **Two-Level Page-Table Scheme**



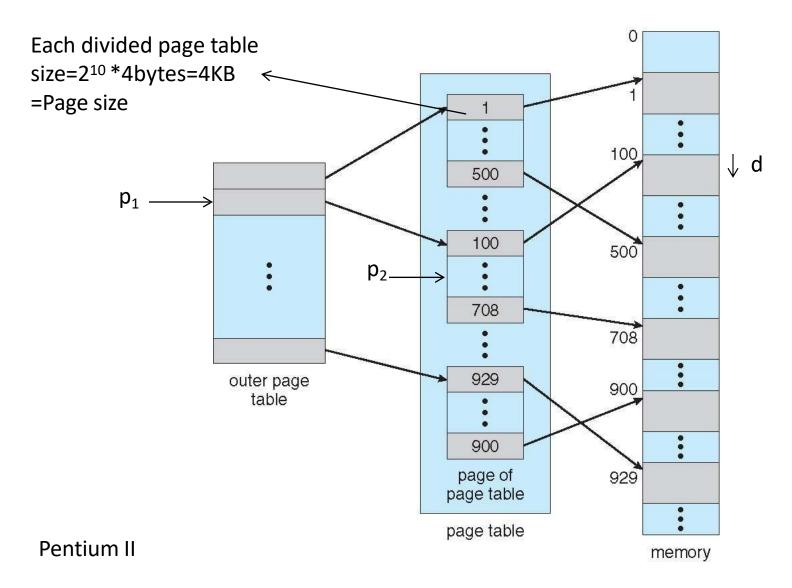
## **Two-Level Paging Example**

- A logical address (on 32-bit machine with 4KB page size) is divided into:
  - a page number consisting of 20 bits
  - a page offset consisting of 12 bits
- Since the page table is paged, the page number is further divided into:
  - a 10-bit page number
  - a 10-bit page offset
- Thus, a logical address is as follows:

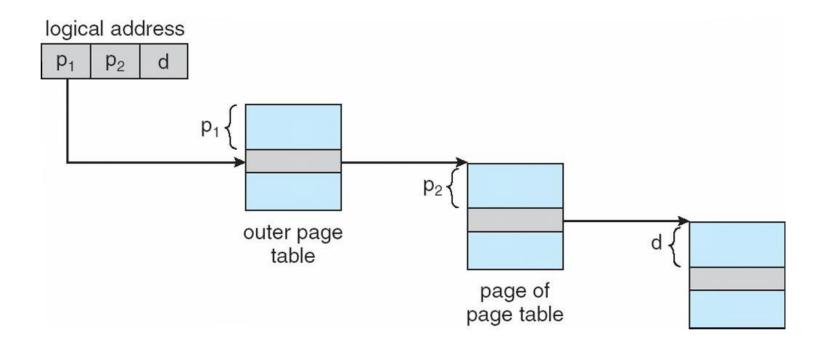
F	page nur	nber	page offset
	$p_1$	$p_2$	d
	10	10	12

 where p<sub>1</sub> is an index into the outer page table, and p<sub>2</sub> is the displacement within the page of the inner page table

## **Two-Level Page-Table Scheme**



#### **Address-Translation Scheme**



#### Pentium II

# 64-bit Logical Address Space

- Even two-level paging scheme not sufficient
- If page size is 4 KB (2<sup>12</sup>)
  - Then page table has 2<sup>52</sup> entries
  - If two level scheme, inner page tables could be 2<sup>10</sup> 4-byte entries
  - Address would look like

inner page										
outerp	bage		page offset							
	$p_1$	$p_2$	d							
	42	10	12							

- Outer page table has 2<sup>42</sup> entries or 2<sup>44</sup> bytes
- One solution is to add a 2<sup>nd</sup> outer page table
- But in the following example the 2<sup>nd</sup> outer page table is still 2<sup>34</sup> bytes in size
  - And possibly 4 memory access to get to one physical memory location

### **Three-level Paging Scheme**

outer page	inner page	offset
$p_1$	$p_2$	d
42	10	12

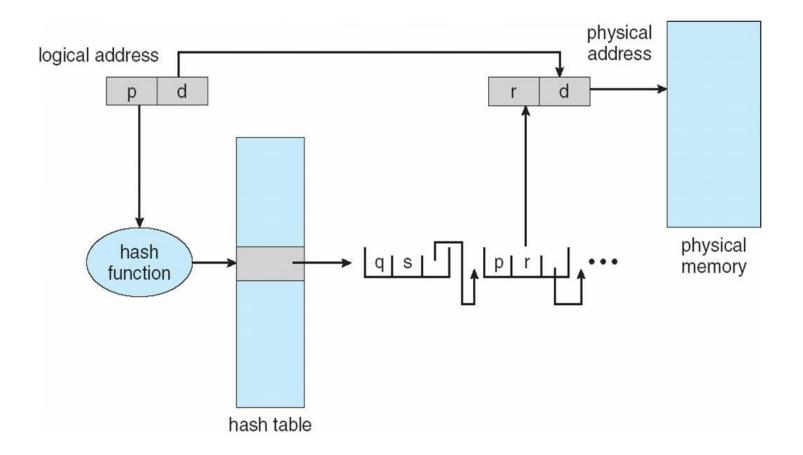
2nd outer page	outer page	inner page	offset
$p_1$	$p_2$	<i>p</i> <sub>3</sub>	d
32	10	10	12

SPARC (32 bits), Motorola 68030 support three and four level paging respectively

## Hashed Page Tables

- Common in virtual address spaces > 32 bits
- The page number is hashed into a page table
  - This page table contains a chain of elements hashing to the same location
- Each element contains (1) the page number (2) the value of the mapped page frame (3) a pointer to the next element
- Virtual page numbers are compared in this chain searching for a match
  - If a match is found, the corresponding physical frame is extracted

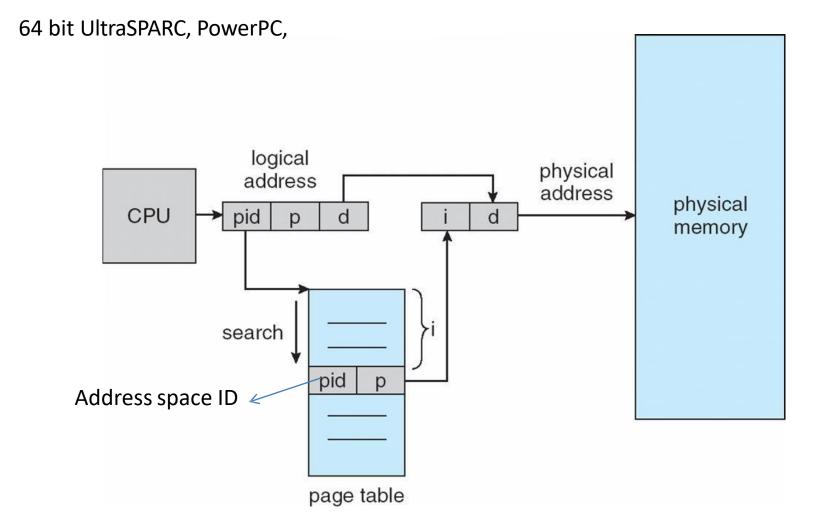
## Hashed Page Table



## **Inverted Page Table**

- Rather than each process having a page table and keeping track of all possible logical pages, track all frames
- One entry for each frame
- Entry consists the page number stored in that frame, with information about the process that owns that page
- Decreases memory needed to store each page table,
  - but increases time needed to search the table when a page reference occurs

#### **Inverted Page Table Architecture**



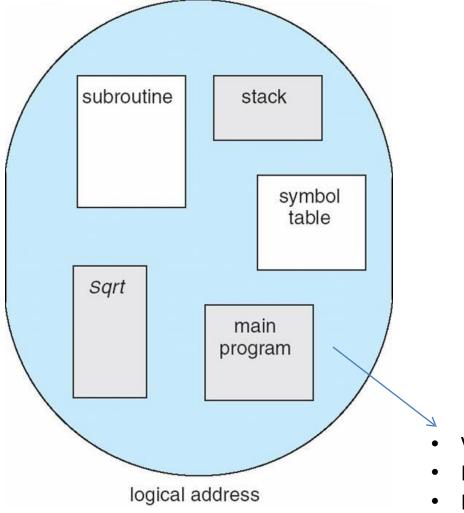
# Segmentation

- Memory-management scheme that supports user view of memory
- A program is a collection of segments
  - A segment is a logical unit such as:

main program procedure function method object local variables, global variables common block stack symbol table arrays

Compiler generates the segments Loader assign the seg#

## User's View of a Program



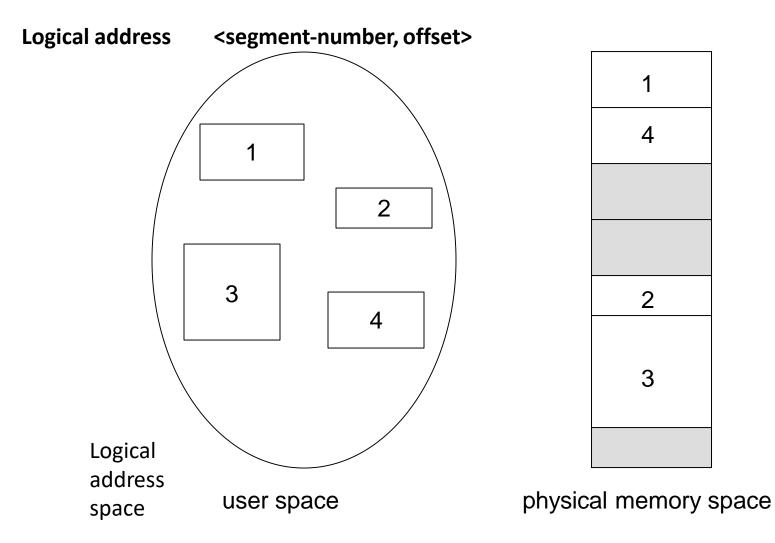
User specifies each address by two quantities

- (a) Segment name
- (b) Segment offset

Logical address contains the tuple <segment#, offset>

- Variable size segments without order
- Length=> purpose of the program
- Elements are identified by offset

## Logical View of Segmentation



- Long term scheduler finds and allocates memory for all segments of a program
- Variable size partition scheme

Windows	XP I	Memory	Usage
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Segment	First Address	Last Address	Size
Code	401000x	403000x	002000x
			~ 8 Kbytes
Static (Global)	403000x	703000x	300000x
Data			~ 3 megabytes
Heap	760000x	3A261000x	39800000x
			~ 950 megabytes
Stack	22EF00x	16EF00x	1C0000x
			~ 2 megabyte

#### LINUX Memory Usage

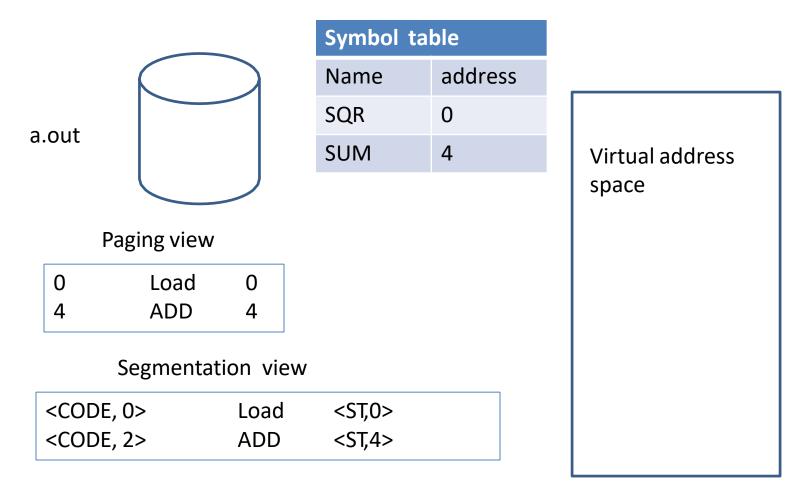
Segment	First Address	Last Address	Size
Code	8048400x	8049900x	001500x ~ 6 Kbytes
Static (Global) Data	8049A00x	8349A00	300000x ~ 3 megabytes
Heap	B7EE,B000x	01CE,4000x	B6000000x ~ 3 gigabytes
Stack	BFFB,7334x	29BA,91E0x	9640,0000x ~ 2.5 gigabyte

## Memory image

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0x0804839e	<b+3>:</b+3>	83	ec	08					sub	\$0x8,%esp
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0x080483b4	<b+25>:</b+25>	8b	45	fc					mov	<pre>0xfffffffc(%ebp),%eax</pre>
0x080483b7	<b+28>:</b+28>	0f	be	00					movsbl	(%eax),%eax
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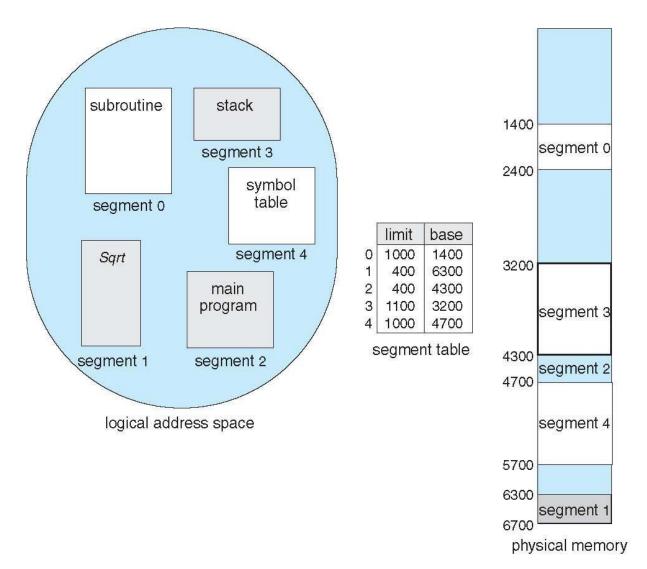
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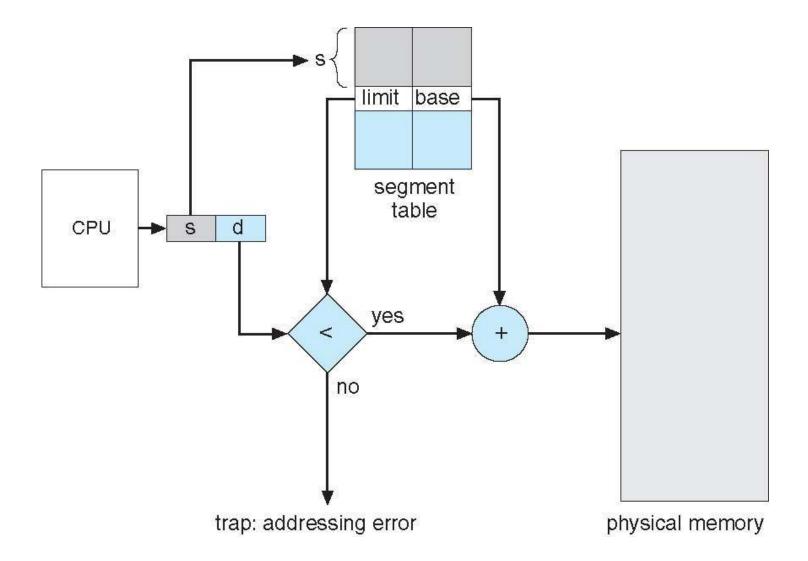
### **Segmentation Architecture**

- Logical address consists of a two tuple: <segment-number, offset>
- Segment table maps two-dimensional logical address to physical address;
- Each table entry has:
  - base contains the starting physical address where the segments reside in memory
  - limit specifies the length of the segment
- Segment-table base register (STBR) points to the segment table's location in memory
- Segment-table length register (STLR) indicates number of segments used by a program; segment number s is legal if s < STLR</li>

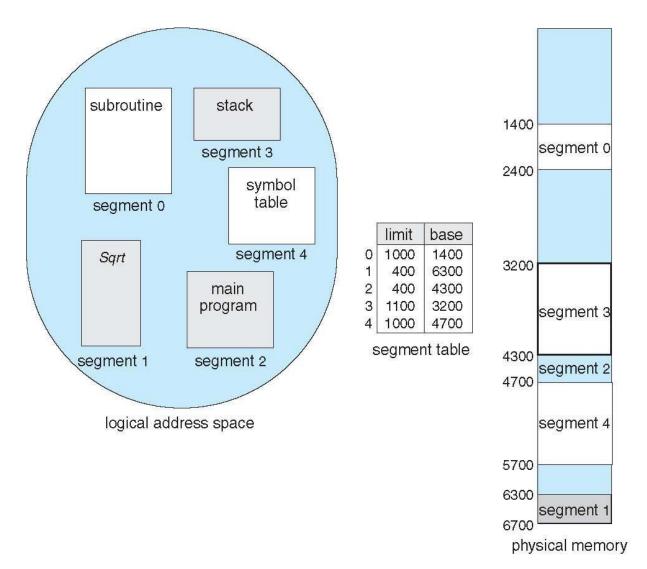
#### **Example of Segmentation**



## **Segmentation Hardware**



#### **Example of Segmentation**



### **Segmentation Architecture**

- Protection
- Protection bits associated with segments
  - With each entry in segment table associate:
    - validation bit =  $0 \Rightarrow$  illegal segment
    - read/write/execute privileges
- Code sharing occurs at segment level
- Since segments vary in length, memory allocation is a dynamic storage-allocation problem
  - Long term scheduler
  - First fit, best fit etc
- Fragmentation

### Segmentation with Paging

Key idea:

Segments are splitted into multiple pages

Each page is loaded into frames in the memory

## Segmentation with Paging

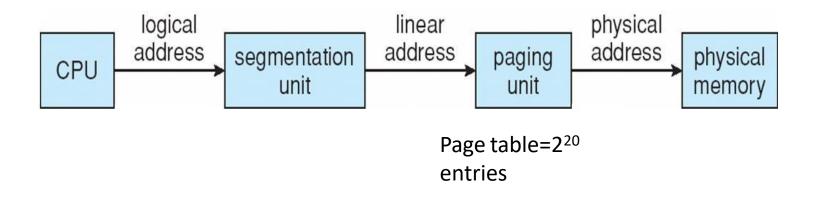
- Supports segmentation with paging
  - Each segment can be 4 GB
  - Up to 16 K segments per process
  - <selector(16), offset (32)>
  - Divided into two partitions
    - First partition of up to 8 K segments are private to process (kept in local descriptor table LDT)
    - Second partition of up to 8K segments shared among all processes (kept in global descriptor table GDT)
- CPU generates logical address (six Segment Reg.)
  - Given to segmentation unit
    - Which produces linear addresses
  - Physical address 32 bits
  - Linear address given to paging unit
    - Which generates physical address in main memory
    - Paging units form equivalent of MMU
    - Pages sizes can be 4 KB



Intel 80386

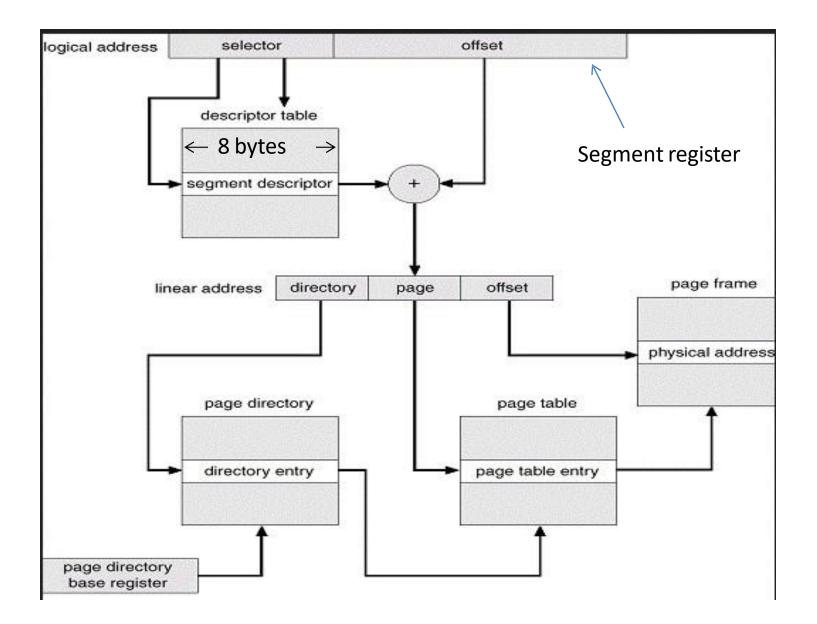
IBM OS/2

#### Logical to Physical Address Translation in Pentium

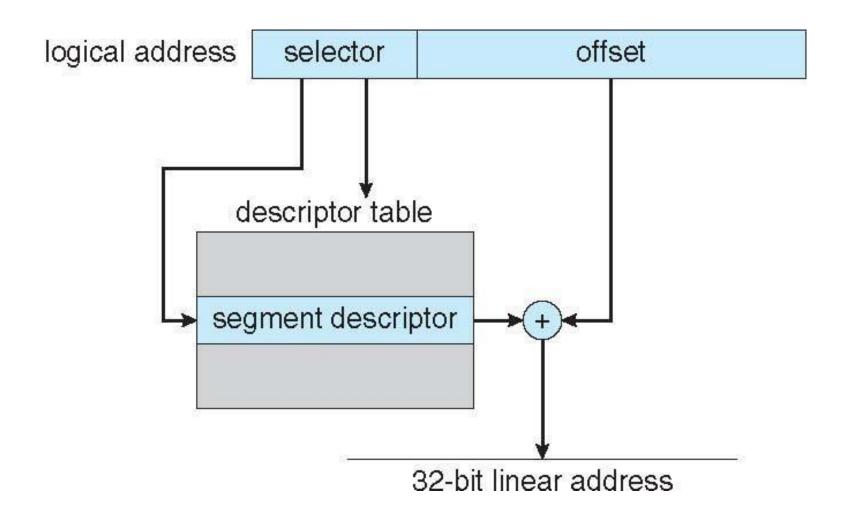


page n	umber	page offset
$p_1$	$p_2$	d
10	10	12

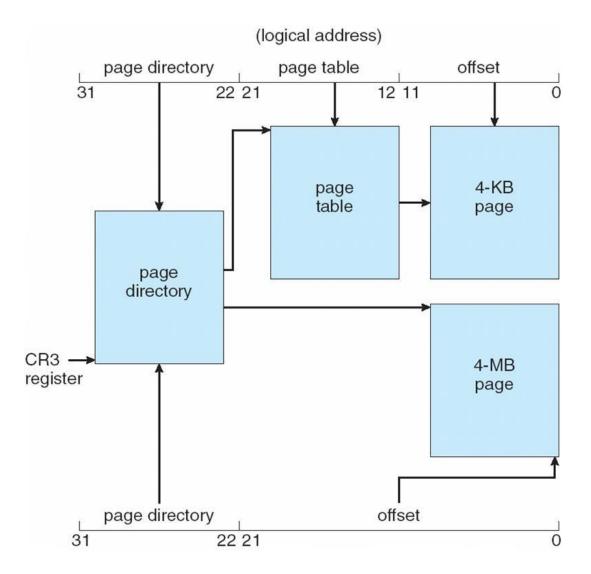
#### **Example: The Intel Pentium**



#### **Intel Pentium Segmentation**



#### Pentium Paging Architecture

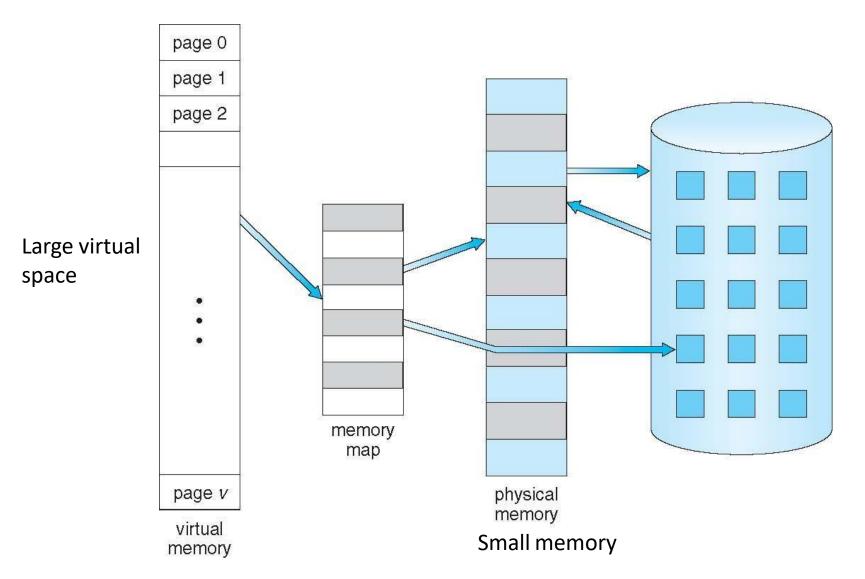


## Virtual Memory

# Background

- Code needs to be in memory to execute, but entire program rarely used
  - Error code, unusual routines, large data structures
- Entire program code not needed at same time
- Consider ability to execute partially-loaded program
  - Program no longer constrained by limits of physical memory
  - programs could be larger than physical memory
  - More processes can be accommodated

#### Virtual Memory That is Larger Than Physical Memory



# **Classical paging**

- Process P1 arrives
- Requires n pages => n frames must be available
- Allocate n frames to the process P1
- Create page table for P1

#### Allocate < n frames

# Background

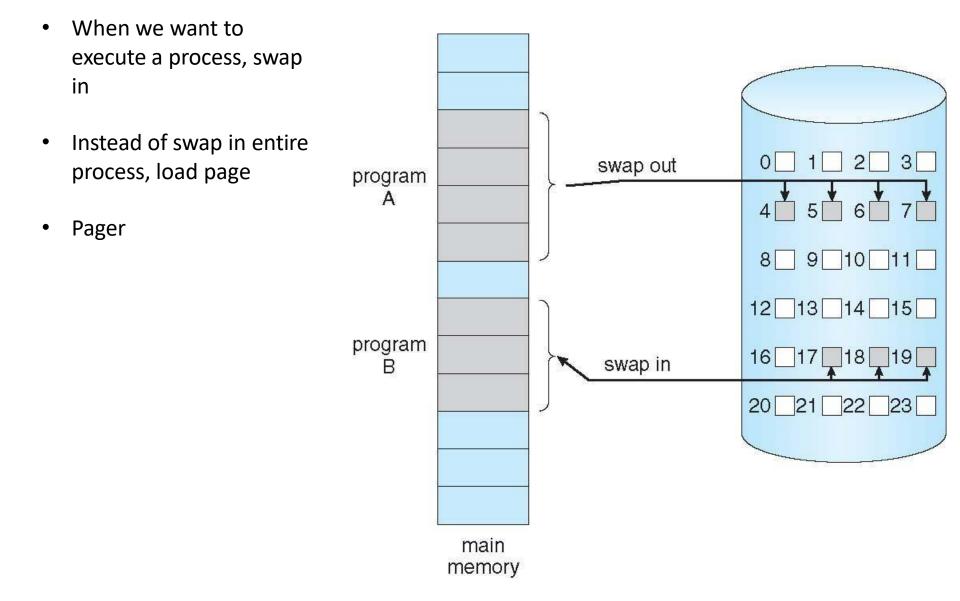
- Virtual memory separation of user logical memory from physical memory
  - Extremely large logical space is available to programmer
  - Concentrate on the problem
- Only part of the program needs to be in memory for execution
  - Logical address space can therefore be much larger than physical address space
  - Starts with address 0, allocates contiguous logical memory
  - Physical memory
    - Collection of frame
- Virtual memory can be implemented via:
  - Demand paging
  - Demand segmentation

# **Demand Paging**

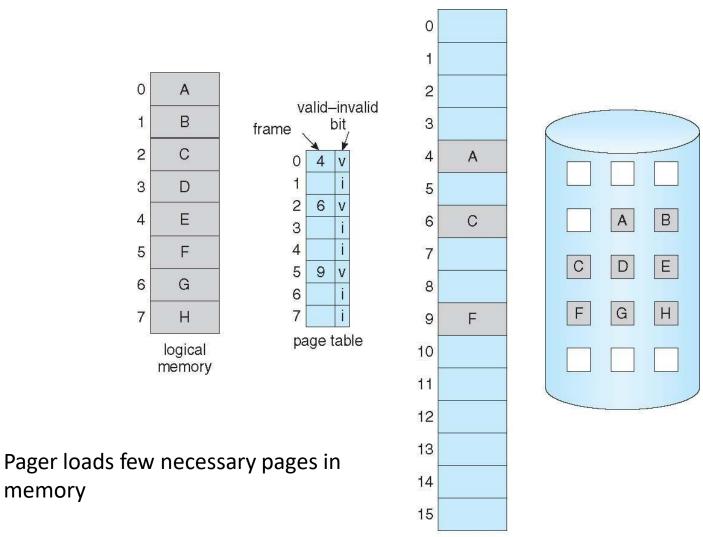
- Bring a page into memory only when it is needed
- Lazy swapper never swaps a page into memory unless page will be needed
  - Swapper that deals with pages is a pager
- Less I/O needed, no unnecessary I/O
  - Less memory needed
  - More users
- Page is needed  $\Rightarrow$  reference to it
  - invalid reference  $\Rightarrow$  abort
  - not-in-memory  $\Rightarrow$  bring to memory

Valid address information is available in PCB

#### Transfer of a Paged Memory to Contiguous Disk Space



#### Page Table When Some Pages Are Not in Main Memory

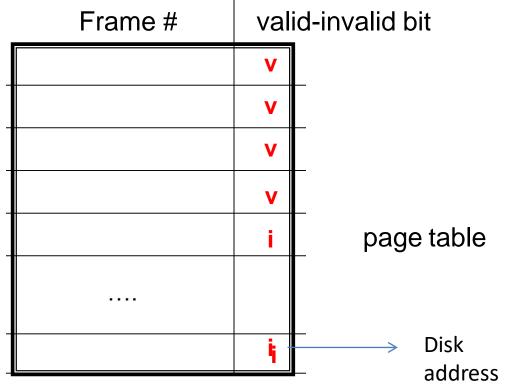


memory

physical memory

# Valid-Invalid Bit

- With each page table entry a valid—invalid bit is associated (v ⇒ in-memory – memory resident, i ⇒ not-in-memory)
- Initially valid–invalid bit is set to i on all entries
- Example of a page table snapshot:



 During address translation, if valid−invalid bit in page table entry is i ⇒ page fault

# Page Fault

• If the page in not in memory, first reference to that page will trap to operating system:

page fault

- 1. Operating system looks at PCB to decide:
  - Invalid reference  $\Rightarrow$  abort
  - Just not in memory (load the page)
- 2. Get empty frame
- 3. Swap page into frame via scheduled disk operation
- Reset page table to indicate page now in memory Set validation bit = v
- 5. Restart the instruction that caused the page fault

#### What Happens if There is no Free Frame?

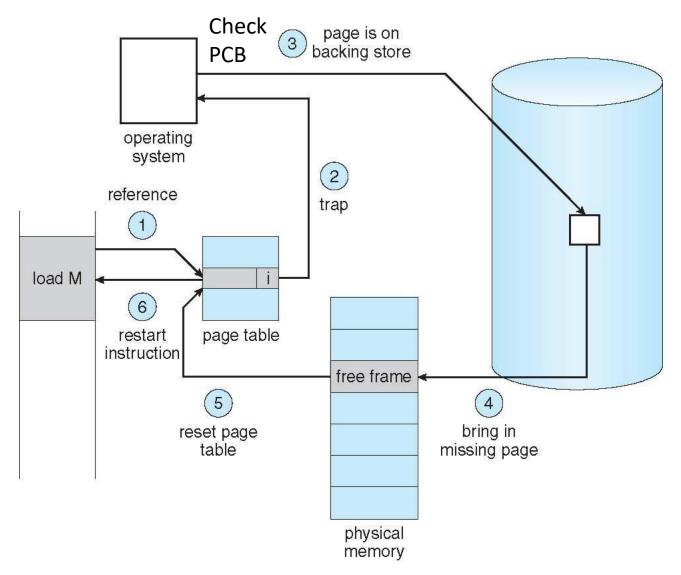
- Example
  - 40 frames in memory
  - 8 processes each needs 10 pages
  - 5 of them never used
- Two options
  - Run 4 processes (10 pages)
  - Run 8 processes (5 pages)
- Increase the degree of multiprogramming
  - Over allocating memory

#### • Page fault

#### – No free frame

- Terminate? swap out? replace the page?
- Page replacement find some page in memory, not really in use, page it out
  - Performance want an algorithm which will result in minimum number of page faults
- Same page may be brought into memory several times

### Steps in Handling a Page Fault

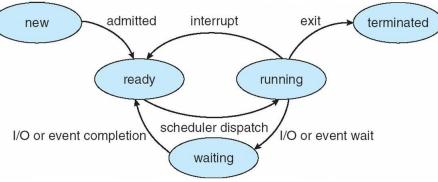


# **Pure Demand Paging**

- Extreme case start process with *no* pages in memory
  - OS sets instruction pointer to first instruction of process, nonmemory-resident -> page fault
  - Swap in that page
  - Pure demand paging
- Actually, a given instruction could access multiple pages (instruction + data) -> multiple page faults
  - Pain decreased because of locality of reference
- Hardware support needed for demand paging
  - Page table with valid / invalid bit
  - Secondary memory (swap device with swap space)
  - Instruction restart after page fault

### Steps in the ISR

- In Demand Paging
- 1. Trap to the operating system
- 2. Save the user registers and process state
- 3. Determine that the interrupt was a page fault
- 4. Check that the page reference was legal and determine the location of the page on the disk
- 5. Get a free frame
- 6. Issue a read from the disk to a free frame:
  - 1. Wait in a queue for this device until the read request is serviced
  - 2. Wait for the device seek and/or latency time
  - 3. Begin the transfer of the page to a free frame
- 7. While waiting, allocate the CPU to some other user
- 8. Receive an interrupt from the disk I/O subsystem (I/O completed)
- 9. Save the registers and process state of the running process
- 10. Determine that the interrupt was from the disk
- 11. Correct the page table and other tables to show page is now in memory
- 12. Wait for the CPU to be allocated to this process again
- 13. Restore the user registers, process state, and new page table, and then resume the interrupted instruction



### Performance of Demand Paging

Demand paging affects the performance of the computer systems

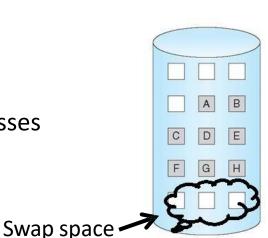
- Page Fault Rate  $0 \le p \le 1$ 
  - if p = 0 no page faults
  - if p = 1, every reference is a fault
- Effective Access Time (EAT)
   EAT = (1 p) x memory access

   + p (page fault overhead
   + swap page out
   + swap page in
   + restart overhead
   )

### **Demand Paging Example**

- Memory access time = 200 nanoseconds
- Average page-fault service time = 8 milliseconds
- EAT = (1 p) x 200 + p (8 milliseconds)
   = (1 p) x 200 + p x 8,000,000
   = 200 + p x 7,999,800
- If one access out of 1,000 causes a page fault, then EAT = 8.2 microseconds. This is a slowdown by a factor of 40!!
- If want performance degradation < 10 percent
  - 220 > 200 + 7,999,800 x p 20 > 7,999,800 x p
  - p < .0000025
  - < one page fault in every 400,000 memory accesses</p>

#### Better utilization of swap space



### **Allocation of Frames**

 How do we allocate the fixed amount of memory among various processes?

- Single user system
  - Trivial

### Allocation of Frames

- Each process needs *minimum* number of frames
- Minimum number is defined by the instruction set
- Page fault forces to restart the instruction
  - Enough frames to hold all the pages for that instruction
- Example:
  - Single address instruction (2 frames)
  - Two address instruction (3 frames)
- Maximum of course is total frames in the system
- Two major allocation schemes
  - fixed allocation
  - proportional allocation

### Fixed and proportional Allocation

- Equal allocation m frames and n processes
  - Each process gets m/n
- For example, if there are 100 frames (after allocating frames for the OS) and 5 processes, give each process 20 frames
  - Keep some as free frame buffer pool
- Unfair for small and large sized processes
- Proportional allocation Allocate according to the size of process
  - Dynamic as degree of multiprogramming, process sizes change  $s_i = \text{size of process } p_i$  m = 64  $s_1 = 10$ 
    - $S = \sum s_i$

m = total number of frames

$$a_i =$$
allocation for  $p_i = \frac{s_i}{S} \times m$ 

 $s_1 = 10$   $s_2 = 127$   $a_1 = \frac{10}{137} \times 64 \approx 5$  $a_2 = \frac{127}{137} \times 64 \approx 59$ 

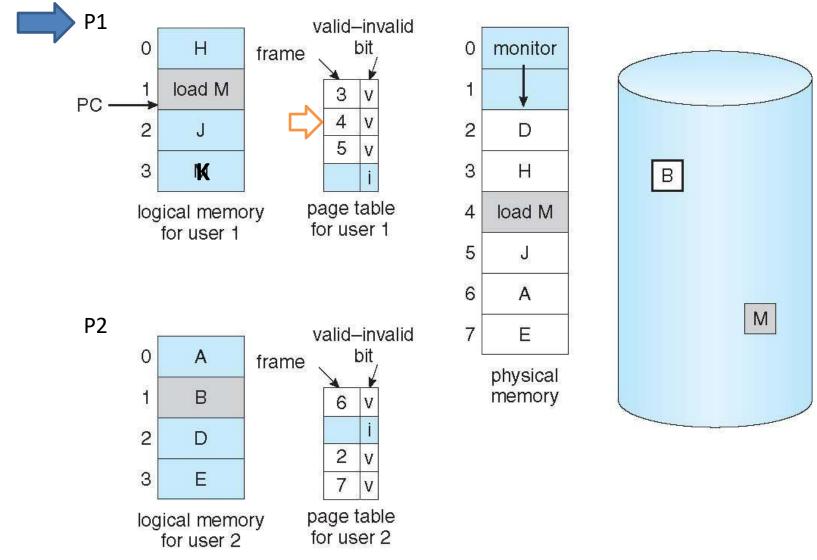
### **Priority Allocation**

Allocation of frames

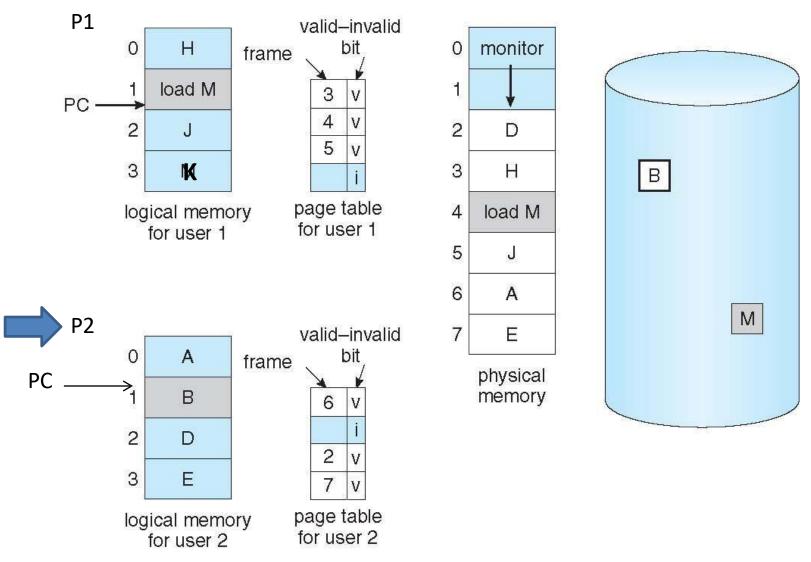
• Depends on multiprogramming level

 Use a proportional allocation scheme using priorities along with size

### **Need For Page Replacement**



### **Need For Page Replacement**



### Basic Page Replacement

- 1. Find the location of the desired page on disk
- 2. Find a free frame:
  - If there is a free frame, use it

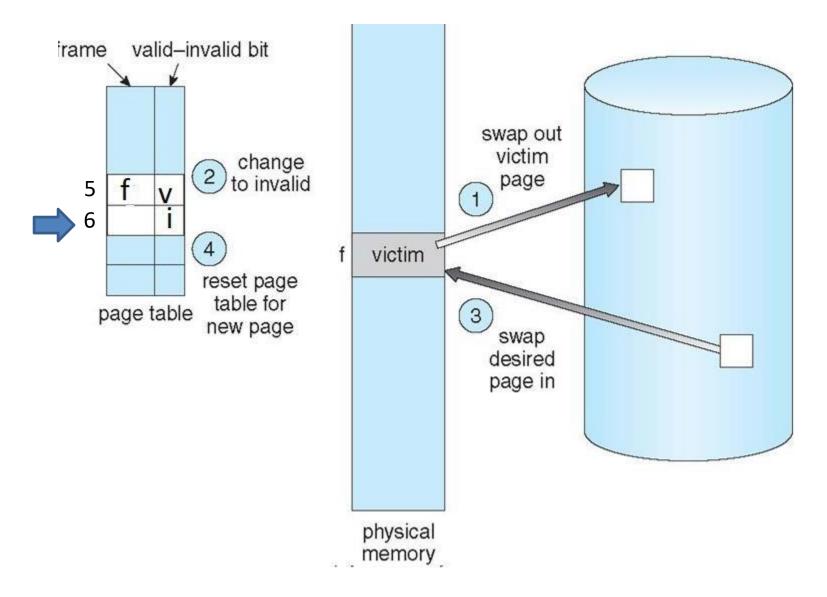
- If there is no free frame, use a page replacement algorithm to select a victim frame (of that process)

- Write victim frame to disk

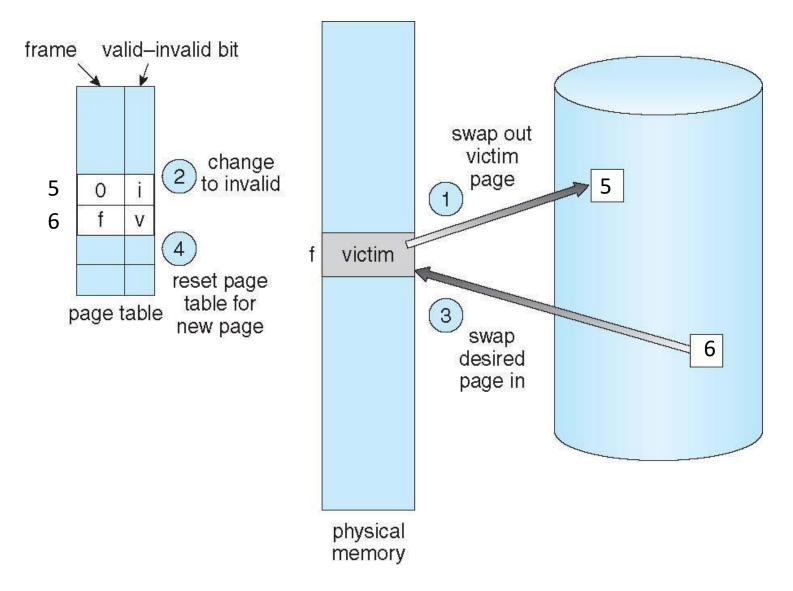
- 3. Bring the desired page into the (newly) free frame; update the page and frame tables
- 4. Continue the process by restarting the instruction that caused the trap

Note now potentially 2 page transfers for page fault – increasing Effective memory access time

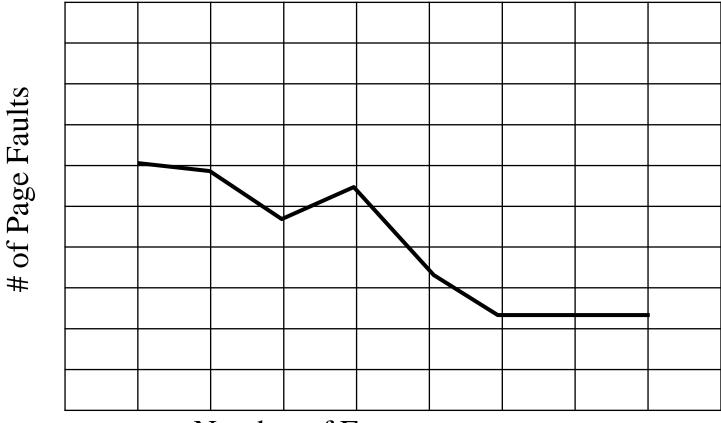
#### Page Replacement



#### Page Replacement



# Belady's Anomaly



#### Number of Frames

# Belady's Anomaly

- This most unexpected result is known as Belady's anomaly – for some pagereplacement algorithms, the page fault rate may increase as the number of allocated frames increases
- Is there a characterization of algorithms susceptible to Belady's anomaly?

#### Global vs. Local Allocation

- Frames are allocated to various processes
- If process *P<sub>i</sub>* generates a page fault
  - select for replacement one of its frames
  - select for replacement a frame from another process
- Local replacement each process selects from only its own set of allocated frames
  - More consistent per-process performance
  - But possibly underutilized memory
- Global replacement process selects a replacement frame from the set of all frames; one process can take a frame from another
  - But then process execution time can vary greatly
  - But greater throughput ----- so more common
- Processes can not control its own page fault rate
  - Depends on the paging behavior of other processes

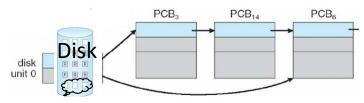
# Thrashing

- If a process uses a set of "active pages"
  - Number of allocated frames is less than that
- Page-fault
  - Replace some "active" page
  - But quickly need replaced "active" frame back
  - Quickly a page fault, again and again
  - Thrashing = a process is busy swapping pages in and out

- OS monitors CPU utilization
  - If low? Increase the degree of multiprogramming

# Thrashing

- Global page replacement
  - Process enters new phase (subroutine call) execution
  - Page fault
  - Taking frames from other processes
    - Replace "active" frames of other processes
  - These processes start page fault
  - These faulting processes wait on the device queue for disk
    - Ready queue empty
  - CPU utilization decreases



- CPU scheduler increases the degree of multiprogramming
  - More page faults
  - Drop in CPU utilization
- Page fault increases tremendously

# THANK YOU!!!

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