

Assignment for Laboratory 13
Virtual Memory
Computer Science 240

The first three problems are practice problems from the textbook; please try to do them without looking at the solution first.

1. Complete the following table, filling in the missing entries and replacing each question mark with the appropriate integer. Use the following units:

$K = 2^{10}$ (Kilo), $G = 2^{30}$ (Giga), $T = 2^{40}$ (Tera), $P = 2^{50}$ (Peta) or $E = 2^{60}$ (Exa)

<u>No. virtual address bits (n)</u>	<u>No. virtual address (N)</u>	<u>Largest possible virtual address</u>
8	$2^? = 64K$	$2^{32} - 1 = ?G - 1$
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64	-----	-----

2. Determine the number of page table entries (PTEs) that are needed for the following combinations of virtual address size (n) and page size (P):

<u>n</u>	<u>$P = 2^p$</u>	<u>No. PTEs</u>
16	4K	-----
16	8K	-----
32	4K	-----
32	8K	-----

3. Given a 32-bit virtual address space and a 24-bit physical address, determine the number of bits in the VPN, VPO, PPN, and PPO for the following page sizes P:

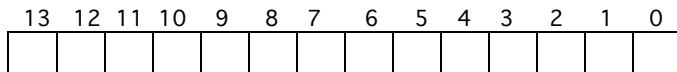
<u>P</u>	<u>No. VPN bits</u>	<u>No. VPO bits</u>	<u>No. PPN bits</u>	<u>No. PPO bits</u>
1 KB	-----	-----	-----	-----
2 KB	-----	-----	-----	-----
4 KB	-----	-----	-----	-----
8 KB	-----	-----	-----	-----

4. Homework problem 9.11

For the virtual address given below, show how the example memory system in Section 9.6.4 of the textbook translates a virtual address into a physical address and accesses the cache.

Virtual address: 0x027c

A. Virtual address format



B. Address translation

Parameter	Value
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VPN _____

TLB index _____

TLB tag _____

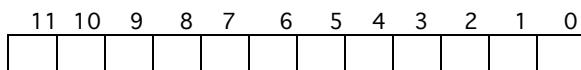
TBL hit? (Y/N) _____

Page fault? (Y/N) _____

PPN _____ (enter ‘-‘ if a page fault)

If a page fault occurs, skip C and D below

C. Physical address format



D. Physical memory reference

Parameter	Value
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Byte offset _____

Cache index _____

Cache tag _____

Cache hit? (Y/N) _____

Cache byte returned _____ (enter ‘-‘ if a cache miss)