# **Objective 3 Directions**

# **Objective 3 Overview**

In this objective you will develop functions that handle LOGON, PGMEND, SEGFAULT, and ADRFAULT events and load the programs for each user as specified in script.dat. Several functions such as Display\_pgm() and Get\_Instr() from previous objectives will be used again in new ways and several Objective 2 specific functions, such as Boot(), will no longer be used.

In the main() function of simulator.c an InterruptHandler() (in simulator.c) function is called which in turn calls your Logon\_Service() function in response to LOGON events. Logon\_Service() will create a Process Control Block (PCB) for each user that logs on, and will read the list of programs that the user is going to execute from script.dat and store this information in the PCB. Finally, Next\_pgm() is called from Logon\_Service() to advance to the next program in the PCB to execute.

Next\_pgm() will handle deallocating programs from memory that are done executing and will load the next program into memory. Next\_pgm() will call Get\_memory() and based on the information in the PCB, Get\_memory() will open the correct program file and based upon the SEGMENT statements determine if there is enough free memory to load the requested program. If there is enough memory available Get\_memory() will called Alloc\_seg() for each segment in the program file to allocate memory to load the program into. Once the call to Get\_memory() completes, the Loader() function is called which loads the program from the program file into the areas of MEM that were allocated by Alloc\_seg() and that are described in the segment table of the PCB.

PGMEND, SEGFAULT, and ADRFAULT events are also handled in the Interrupt\_Handler() function and call your End\_Service() and Abend\_Service() similarly.

To get an example of what the output should look like run: make correct–output to create an ossim.out file with the correct output.

## Important data types and files

PCB – This data type (struct pcb\_type) is defined in osdefs.h and has many data members. Most of them are either used by the simulator or are used in later objectives. In Objective 3 you are primarily concerned with the following:

> char user[5]; /\* User terminal "Uxxx" \*/ int \*script; /\* Pointer to process script \*/ struct segment\_type \*segtable; /\* segment table ptr\*/ unsigned int segtab\_len;/\* segment table length \*/

You will initialize several other data members but won't use them much. user[5] is simply a string like U001 or U002 just as before. \*script is an array of integers that will take on the values of the program ids (script program codes) defined in osdefs.h as:

#define	EDITOR	0
#define	PRINTER	1
#define	COMPILER	2
#define	LINKER	3
#define	USER	4
#define	BOOT	5
#define	LOGOFF	6

Programs will be loaded from these script files into MEM. The PCB contains a variable named segtable which is an array of segment\_type structs, just like MEMMAP, and is of length segtab\_len.

script.dat – This is simply a text file that contains the programs codes as listed above. When the first user logs on, this file is read until a LOGOFF event reached. As additional users logon, the process is repeated, with the file pointer remaining where it was left by the previous logon actions. The fact that the events are broken up across several lines makes no difference, the important thing to know is that the LOGOFF event is the delimiter between users' scripts. You don't need to worry about running out of program codes, there are enough for all the users that will logon during the simulation.

editor.dat – These files have the same format as boot.dat, although there are compiler.dat often more than one program stored in a file. The first user to use linker.dat user.dat The second user to use the editor will load the first program in editor.dat. The second user to use the editor will load the second program, etc. You don't need to worry about running out of program instances in a script file, there will be enough for the simulated users in this objective.

# Get\_Script

void Get\_Script(struct pcb\_type \*pcb)

*The comments in* obj3.c *describe this function and what you basically need to do.* 

## **Directions:**

- 1. Initialize the pcb as described in the comments.
- 2. Read from script.dat and convert the program codes from their string representation to their corresponding integer one (shown above). Store these integers in pcb -> script. After reading and storing a LOGOFF event stop reading from script.dat. script.dat can be accessed through the scriptfp file pointer and does not need to be opened or closed in your code.

3. Print the script to simout as shown in ossim.out

## Logon\_Service

void Logon\_Service()

This function handles LOGON events.

## **Directions:**

- 1. Follow the instructions given in obj3.c in the comments surrounding Logon\_Service() function.
- 2. Make sure to set pcb -> user as well, to U00x where x is AGENT.

# Next\_pgm

int Next\_pgm(struct pcb\_type \*pcb)

This function makes the transition to the next program in the script for (pcb), if there is one.

## **Directions:**

- 1. Follow the instructions given in obj3.c in the comments surrounding the Next\_pgm() function.
- 2. The format for the banner message is shown in ossim.out.

# Get\_memory

void Get\_memory(struct pcb\_type \*pcb)

*This function allocates space for a new program by reading a segment table from disk.* 

## **Directions:**

- 1. Follow the instructions given in obj2.c in the comments surrounding XPGM() function.
- 2. You don't need to worry about opening or closing any of the PROGM\_FILE[] files, that is taken care of for you.
- 3. Remember to skip the blank lines between segments in the script files

## Alloc\_seg

int Alloc\_seg(int len)

This function searches the list of free memory segments for a segment of at least length len and returns the address of this free segment. If the request can't be satisfied, return -1;

#### **Directions:**

1. Follow the instructions given in obj3.c in the comments surrounding the Alloc\_seg() function.

## Loader

void Loader(struct pcb\_type \*pcb)

This function reads a program from a program file into memory.

#### **Directions:**

- 1. Follow the instructions given in obj3.c in the comments surrounding Loader() function.
- 2. Remember to skip the blank lines between segments in the script files
- 3. Be sure to output which program was loaded and for what process as shown in ossim.out.

# Dealloc\_pgm

void Dealloc\_pgm(struct pcb\_type \*pcb)

This function frees all allocated segments for the current program.

## **Directions:**

1. Follow the instructions given in obj3.c in the comments surrounding Dealloc\_pgm() function

## Dealloc\_seg

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void Dealloc_seg(int base, int len)
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This function returns a segment at base of length len to the free list, and then merges any continuous free segments.

## **Directions:**

1. Follow the instructions given in obj3.c in the comments surrounding Dealloc\_seg() function

# Merge\_seg

void Merge\_seg()

This function scans FreeMem and joins contiguous blocks of free memory.

## **Directions:**

1. Follow the instructions given in obj3.c in the comments surrounding Merge\_seg() function.

## **End\_Service**

void End\_Service()

This function services PGMEND events.

#### **Directions:**

- 1. Follow the instructions given in obj3.c in the comments surrounding End\_Service() function.
- 2. Be sure to output note as in ossim.out that a program ended for a user.

# Abend\_Service

void Abend\_Service()

This function services SEGFAULT and ADRFAULT events

# **Directions:**

1. Follow the instructions given in obj3.c in the comments surrounding Abend\_Service() function.