

# 0117401: Operating System 计算机原理与设计

## Chapter 12: Mass-Storage structure (外存)

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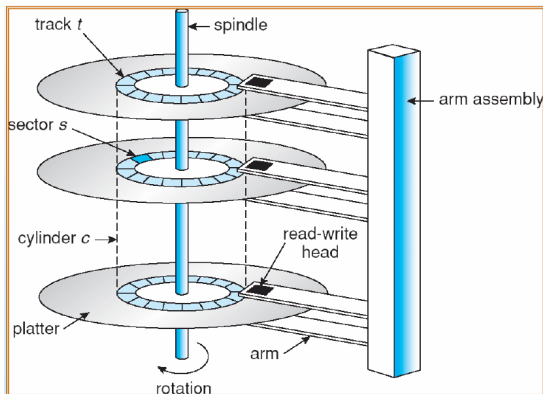
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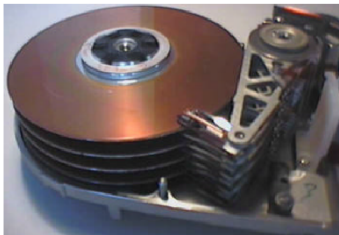
- **Magnetic disks (磁盘)** provide bulk of secondary storage of modern computers
  - Drives **rotate** at 60 to 200 times per second
  - **Transfer rate (传输速率)** is rate at which data flow between drive and computer
  - **Positioning time (random-access time)** is time to move disk arm to desired cylinder (**seek time**) and time for desired sector to rotate under the disk head (**rotational latency**)
  - Head crash results from disk head making contact with the disk surface
    - That's bad
- Disks can be **removable**

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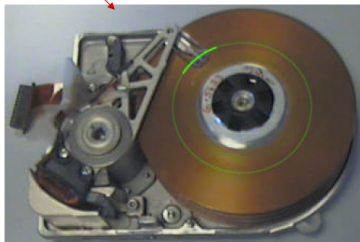
- Drive attached to computer via I/O bus
  - **Busses** vary, including EIDE, ATA, SATA, USB, Fibre Channel, SCSI
  - Host controller in computer uses bus to talk to disk controller built into drive or storage array



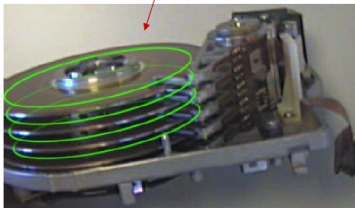
# Overview of Mass Storage Structure



sector



cylinder



- **Magnetic tape (磁带)**

- An **early** secondary-storage medium
- Relatively permanent and holds **large** quantities of data
- Access time **slow**
  - Random access  $\sim 1000$  times slower than disk
- **Mainly used for backup**, storage of infrequently-used data, transfer medium between systems
- Kept in spool and wound or rewound past read-write head
- Once data under head, transfer rates comparable to disk
- 20-200GB typical storage
- Common technologies are 4mm, 8mm, 19mm, LTO-2 and SDLT Oper



## 2 Disk Structure

# Disk Structure

- Disk drives are addressed as large **1-D** arrays of logical blocks,
  - The **logical block** is the smallest unit of transfer.
  - Usually, 512B
- The 1-D array of logical blocks is **mapped into the sectors** of the disk sequentially.
  - **Cylinder: track: sector**
  - **Sector 0** is the first sector of the first track on the outermost cylinder.
  - Mapping proceeds in order through that track, then the rest of the tracks in that cylinder, and then through the rest of the cylinders from outermost to innermost.
  - However, in practise, the mapping is difficult, because
    - ① Defective sectors
    - ② Sectors/track  $\neq$  constant  
⇒ zones of cylinder

## 3 Disk Scheduling (磁盘调度)

# Disk Scheduling (磁盘调度)

- The OS is responsible for using hardware efficiently. For the disk drives, this means having **a fast access time** and **disk bandwidth**.
- **Access time** has two major components
  - ① **Seek time** is the time for the disk to move the heads to the cylinder containing the desired sector.
    - Minimize seek time
    - **Seek time  $\approx$  seek distance**
  - ② **Rotational latency** is the additional time waiting for the disk to rotate the desired sector to the disk head.
- **Disk bandwidth (磁盘带宽)** is the total number of bytes transferred, divided by the total time between the first request for service and the completion of the last transfer.

# Disk Scheduling (磁盘调度)

- Request queue (请求队列)

- empty or not

- How?

Several algorithms exist to schedule the servicing of disk I/O requests.

- 1 FCFS
- 2 SSTF (shortest-seek-time-first)
- 3 SCAN (elevator algorithm)
- 4 C-SCAN
- 5 C-LOOK

- We illustrate them with a request queue (0-199).

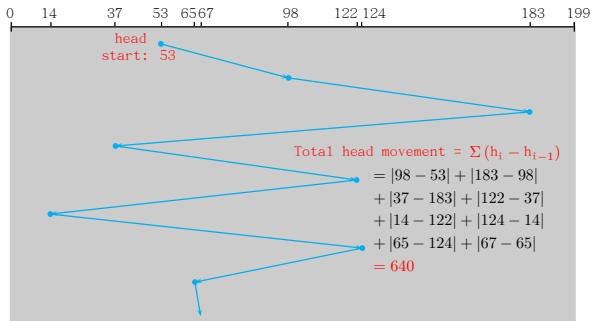
98, 183, 37, 122, 14, 124, 65, 67

Head points to 53 initially

# Disk Scheduling (磁盘调度)

## First Come, First Served (FCFS, 先来先服务)

- The simplest form of scheduling

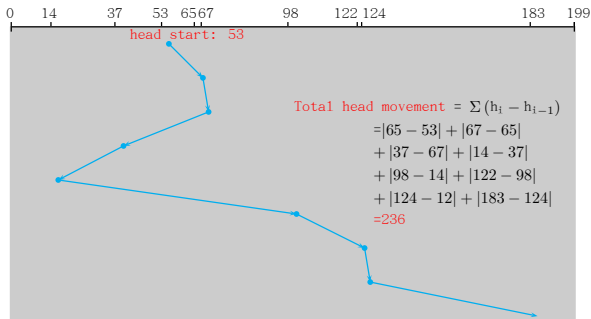


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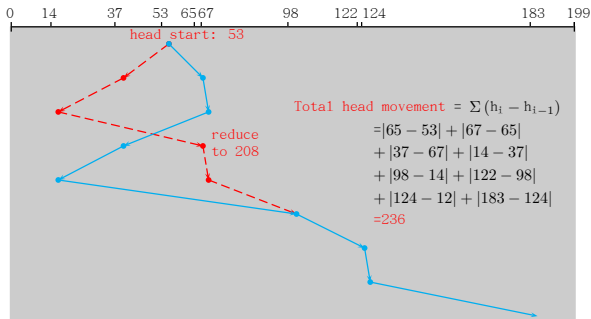


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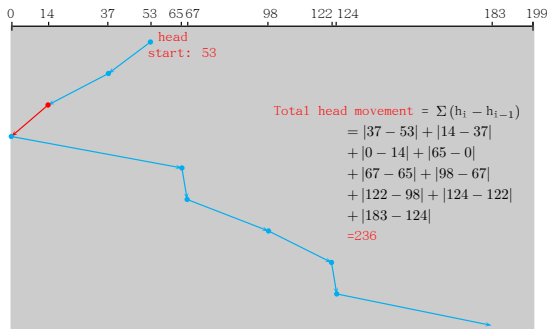
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- **Optimal?**



# Disk Scheduling (磁盘调度)

## SCAN (elevator algorithm)

- The disk arm starts at one end of the disk, and moves toward the other end, servicing requests until it gets to the other end of the disk, where the head movement is reversed and servicing continues.



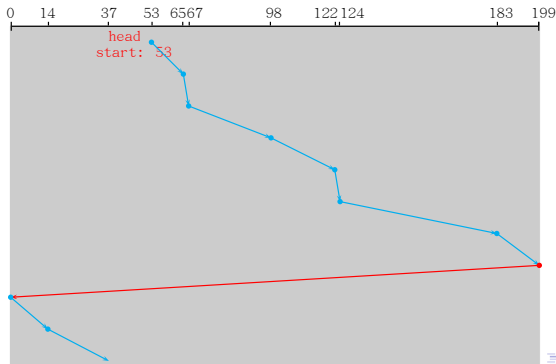
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- Waiting time: Maximum is ?

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● **C-SCAN:** Provides a more **uniform** wait time than SCAN.

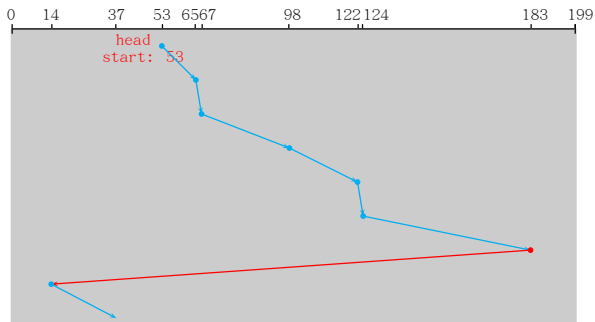
- The head **moves from one end of the disk to the other**, servicing requests as it goes. When it reaches the other end, however, it **immediately returns to the beginning of the disk**, without servicing any requests on the return trip.
- **Treats the cylinders as a circular list**



# Disk Scheduling (磁盘调度)

## 5 C-LOOK

- Version of C-SCAN
- Arm only goes **as far as the last request in each direction**, then reverses direction immediately, without first going all the way to the end of the disk.



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# Selecting a Disk-Scheduling Algorithm

- SSTF is common and has a natural appeal
- SCAN and C-SCAN perform better for systems that place a heavy load on the disk.
- **Performance depends on**  
the number and types of requests, which can be influenced by
  - ① The file-allocation method
  - ② The location of directories and index blocks (caching?)
- Either SSTF or LOOK is a reasonable choice for the default algorithm.
- The disk-scheduling algorithm should be written as a separate module of the OS, allowing it to be replaced with a different algorithm if necessary.

## 4 Disk Management

# Disk Management

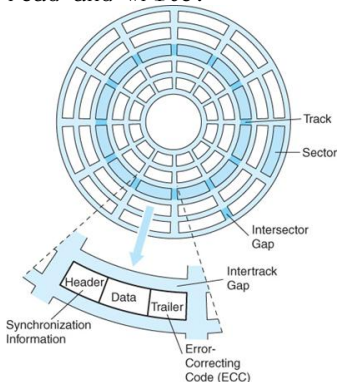
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- Boot Block
- Disk Failure

# Disk Management

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Dividing a disk into sectors that the disk controller can read and write.



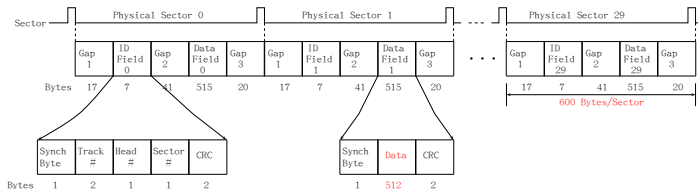
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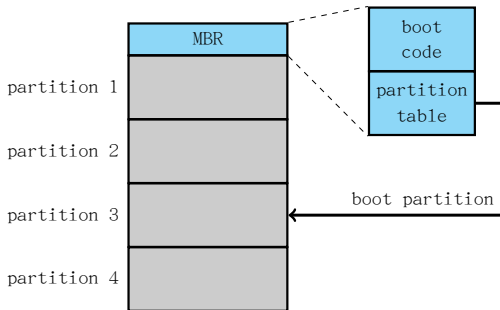
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- Disk Formatting

- ② To use a disk to hold files, the OS still needs to record its own data structures on the disk.
  - **Partition** the disk into one or more groups of cylinders.
  - **Logical formatting** or “making a file system”.
- ⑧ To increase efficiency, most file-systems group blocks together into larger chunks, frequently called **clusters**

## ● Boot block

- The (tiny) bootstrap is stored in ROM.
- Mostly, the only job of bootstrap is to bring in a full bootstrap program from disk (boot disk, or system disk)
- Master boot record (MBR, 主引导记录)
- Boot partition (启动分区) & boot sector (启动扇区)



Booting from a Disk in Windows 2000

- Disk failure

- **Complete failure** VS. only one or more sectors become defective, **Bad blocks**

- The data stored in bad blocks are lost.

- **Methods** towards bad blocks

- ❶ **Manually**: example, for MS-DOS, write a special value into FAT entry

- ❷ **Sector sparing (备用)**

- (1) OS tries to read logical block 87;

- (2) The controller calculates the ECC and finds that sector is bad. It reports this finding to OS.

- (3) When rebooting, a special command is run to tell the SCSI controller to replace the bad sector with a spare;

- (4) After that, whenever logical block 87 is requested, the request is translated into the replacement sector's address by the controller.

Most disks are formatted to provide **a few spare sectors in each cylinder and a spare cylinder** as well.

- ❸ **Sector slipping (滑动)**

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  - (1) Logical block 17 is bad
  - (2) Logical blocks 18~202 are used, and 203 is available.
  - (3) 202→203, 201→202, ..., 17→18

## 5 Swap-Space Management

- Swapping & paging

- ① Entire processes

- ② Paging✓

- **Swap-space** (对换空间)

Virtual memory uses disk space as an extension of main memory.

- ① It can be carved out of the normal file system

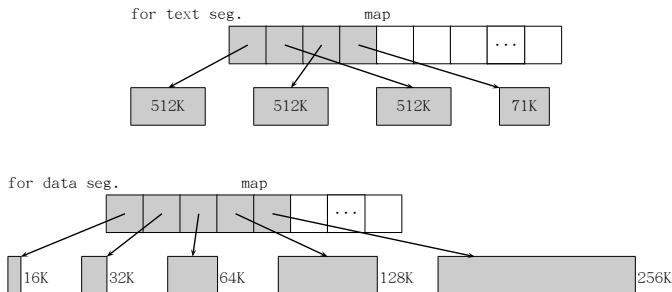
- **A large file** with the file system

- ② Or, more commonly, it can be in **a separate disk partition**.

# Swap-Space Management

## • Example1: 4.3BSD

- ① Allocates swap space when process starts;
- ② Holds text segment (the program) and data segment.
- ③ Kernel uses swap maps to track swap-space use.



## • Example2: Sorlaris

- Version1:

**For text segment**, no use of swap space;

Only used as a backing store for pages of anonymous memory, including memory allocated for stack, heap, uninitialized data

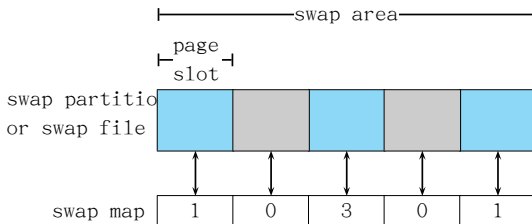
- Version2:

Allocates swap space only when a page is forced out of physical memory, not when the virtual memory page is first created.



## • Example3: Linux

- Similar to Solaris1
- Allows one or more swap areas with 4KB slots
- Each swap area is associated with a swap map
  - 0: free; >0: occupied, sharing counts



## 6 RAID (磁盘阵列) Structure

# RAID (磁盘阵列) Structure

- Redundant arrays of inexpensive disks (RAIDs, 磁盘阵列) -- Multiple disk drives provides
  - reliability via redundancy
  - higher data-transfer rate
- RAID is arranged into six different levels.

- Several improvements in disk-use techniques involve the use of multiple disks working cooperatively.
- Disk striping uses a group of disks as one storage unit.
- RAID schemes improve performance and improve the reliability of the storage system by storing redundant data.
  - Mirroring or shadowing keeps duplicate of each disk.
  - Block interleaved parity uses much less redundancy.

# RAID Levels



(a) RAID 0: non-redundant striping.



(b) RAID 1: mirrored disks.



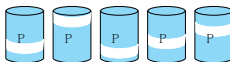
(c) RAID 2: memory-style error-correcting codes.



(d) RAID 3: bit-interleaved parity.



(e) RAID 4: block-interleaved parity.

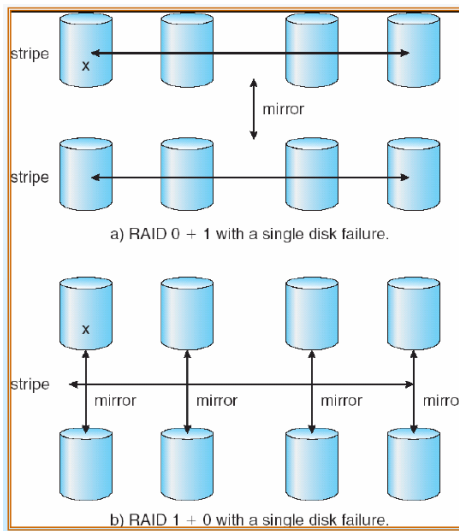


(f) RAID 5: block-interleaved distributed parity.



(g) RAID 6: P+Q redundancy.

# RAID (0 + 1) and (1 + 0)



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