CSC373 - Problem Set 3

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Question 1

a. Let A(i, h) = maximum grade one can receive on i projects if they spend h number of hours on it. The Bellman equation is as follows. TODO:correctness

$$A(i,h) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } j = 0.\\ \max_{0 \le k \le H} (A[i-1, H-k] + f_i(k)), & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$
 (1)

To maximize the average grade over n courses we will do max $\frac{(f_1(h_1)+f_2(h_2)...+f_n(h_n))}{n}$ which is equivalent to maximizing $\sum_{i=1}^n f_i(h_i)$

b. Augmented(n, H):
$$for h = 0 to H:$$

$$A(0, h) = 0$$

$$for i = 1 to n:$$

$$max = 0$$

$$for j = 0 to H:$$

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for k = 0 to j
    g = A(i-1, H-k) + f_i(k)
    if (g > max):
        max = g
        hours(i) = k
    A(i, j) = max
return hours
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Question 2

Question 3

a. Let y = GreenLet x = ElLet z = Greelen

The greedy algorithm would take the 'Gree' portion of z and remove that from y such that y = en. What remains is x = el, y = en, z = len, and from there, the greedy algorithm cannot continue further and must return false.