

# CSE 100: Algorithm Design and Analysis

## Midterm 1

Fall 2022

- Exam time: noon-1:15pm
- This exam allows one page of hand-written cheat sheets. One note paper (front and back, P7 & P8) is prepared. Please submit your note paper with your exam sheet after the exam.
- There are 7 problems of 100 points in total. You can earn some partial points if you show progress even if you can't solve problems completely.
- Please make your answers concise as well as precise.
- Please fill in the following blanks for your information. (For the following pages, there are also spaces to write your name in case you tear that page down accidentally.)
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- Lab Num:(E.g. 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07)

1. (18 points) For each of the claims, decide if it is true or false. *No* explanation is needed.

(a) (2 points)  $n \log n = O(n^2)$ .

**Sol.** True

(b) (2 points)  $\log \log n = O(\log n)$ .

**Sol.** True

(c) (2 points) if  $T(n) = T(n/2) + O(n)$ ,  $T(n) = O(n)$ .

**Sol.** True

(d) (2 points) if  $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + O(n)$ ,  $T(n) = O(n \log n)$ .

**Sol.** True

(e) (2 points) if  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + O(n)$ ,  $T(n) = O(n^2)$ .

**Sol.** True

(f) (2 points)  $100^{100} = \Theta(1)$ .

**Sol.** True

(g) (2 points) if  $f = O(g)$ , then  $g = \Omega(f)$ .

**Sol.** True

(h) (2 points) if an algorithm's worst case running time is  $O(n^2)$ , it means that the running time is  $\Theta(n^2)$  for all inputs of size  $n$ .

**Sol.** False

(i) (2 points)  $100 + 200n + 300n^2 = \Theta(n^2)$

**Sol.** True

**Sol.** Many of them straight from  
Discussion 2 & 3

2. (9 points) The following is a pseudocode of Insertion-sort. For instance  $A[1 \dots 8] = \langle 7, 4, 2, 9, 4, 3, 1, 6 \rangle$ , what is  $A[1 \dots 8]$  just before the for-loop starts for  $j = 5$ ?

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Insertion-Sort(A)
1.  for j = 2 to A.length
2.    key = A[j]
3.    // Insert A[j] into the sorted sequence A[1...j - 1].
4.    i = j - 1
5.    while i > 0 and A[i] > key
6.      A[i + 1] = A[i]
7.      i = i - 1
8.    A[i + 1] = key

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**Sol.**  $\langle 2, 4, 7, 9, 4, 3, 1, 6 \rangle$ . If the answer is correct for  $j = 4$  or  $j = 6$ , take off 2 pts.

3. (12 points) The following is a pseudocode of the naive divide-and-conquer algorithm for matrix multiplication. Here, partitioning a  $n$  by  $n$  matrix means partitioning it into four  $n/2$  by  $n/2$  (sub-)matrices.

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SQUARE-MATRIX-MULTIPLY-RECURSIVE(A, B)
1  n = A.rows
2  let C be a new n × n matrix
3  if n == 1
4    c11 = a11 · b11
5  else partition A, B, and C as in equations (4.9)
6    C11 = SQUARE-MATRIX-MULTIPLY-RECURSIVE(A11, B11)
      + SQUARE-MATRIX-MULTIPLY-RECURSIVE(A12, B21)
7    C12 = SQUARE-MATRIX-MULTIPLY-RECURSIVE(A11, B12)
      + SQUARE-MATRIX-MULTIPLY-RECURSIVE(A12, B22)
8    C21 = SQUARE-MATRIX-MULTIPLY-RECURSIVE(A21, B11)
      + SQUARE-MATRIX-MULTIPLY-RECURSIVE(A22, B21)
9    C22 = SQUARE-MATRIX-MULTIPLY-RECURSIVE(A21, B12)
      + SQUARE-MATRIX-MULTIPLY-RECURSIVE(A22, B22)
10 return C

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Give the recurrence for the running time of Square-Matrix-Multiply-Recursive and solve it. We let  $T(n)$  denote the running time when input matrices are  $n$  by  $n$ . No need to show how you solved it. Just state the final result along with the recurrence.

**Sol.**  $T(n) = 8T(n/2) + \Theta(n^2)$ . (4 pts)

It is okay to use  $O$  in place of  $\Theta$ .

**Sol.**  $T(n) = \Theta(n^3)$ . (4 pts)

It is okay to use  $O$  in place of  $\Theta$ .

This is straight from the Lecture Slides (L06-Matrix Multiplication), Lecture Notes (L06-Notes) and/or CLRS pg. 76-78

4. (12 points) Let  $T(n)$  denote the running time of Merge-sort on input of size  $n$ . In the following you can omit floor or ceiling.

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MERGE-SORT( $A, p, r$ )
1  if  $p < r$ 
2     $q = \lfloor (p + r)/2 \rfloor$ 
3    MERGE-SORT( $A, p, q$ )
4    MERGE-SORT( $A, q + 1, r$ )
5    MERGE( $A, p, q, r$ )
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What is the running time of Line 3 (of Merge-Sort)?

What is the running time of Line 4 (of Merge-Sort)?

What is the running time of Line 5 (of Merge-Sort)?

**Sol.**  $T(n/2)$ ,  $T(n/2)$ ,  $O(n)$  (or  $\Theta(n)$ ). 3, 3, 6 points, respectively.

5. (9 points) Formally prove that  $50n + 15 = O(n^2)$  using the definition of  $O(\cdot)$ .

**Sol.**

One possible answer:  $50n + 15 \leq 65n^2$  for all  $n \geq 1$ .

BOTH Questions are straight from the Lecture Slides (L03 and L04), Lecture Notes (L03 and L04-Notes) and/or CLRS

6. (16 points) Give a *pseudocode* of Heap-sort. For simplicity, you can assume that the heap  $A$  you're given is *already* a max-heap. You can use the function  $\text{MAX-HEAPIFY}(i)$  as a sub-procedure. Recall that the function  $\text{MAX-HEAPIFY}(i)$  makes the subtree rooted at node  $i$  a max-heap, *if both* the left and right subtrees of node  $i$  are max-heaps. You can use  $A.\text{heapsize}$  to denote the current heap size. If you can't give a pseudocode, you can describe the Heap-sort algorithm in words, but you will lose some points.

**Sol.** Pseudocode for HeapSort:

HeapSort( $A$ )

1. BUILD-MAX-HEAP( $A$ ) [optional, since  $A$  is already a max-heap!]
2. for  $i = A.\text{length}$  downto 2
3.     exchange  $A[1]$  with  $A[i]$
4.      $A.\text{heapsize} = A.\text{heapsize} - 1$
5.      $\text{MAX-HEAPIFY}(A, 1)$

See CLRS page 159-160 for more details.

This is straight from the Lecture Slides (L07-Heaps), Lecture Notes (L07-Notes, pg. 6-7) and/or CLRS (pg. 159-160).

7. (24 points) The k-SELECT problem is to find the k-th smallest number in an array. The pseudocodes of the SELECT function and the PARTITION function are given as follows. Given  $A=[8, 9, 2, 6, 7, 1, 5]$ , please answer the following questions. Please note that  $A[0]=8$ .

• **SELECT(A, p=k):**

- $p = \text{CHOOSEPIVOT}(A)$
- $L, A[p], R = \text{PARTITION}(A, p)$
- **If**  $\text{len}(L) = k - 1$ :
  - **Return**  $A[p]$
- **Else If**  $\text{len}(L) > k - 1$ :
  - **Return**  $\text{SELECT}(L, k)$
- **Else if**  $\text{len}(L) < k - 1$ :
  - **return**  $\text{SELECT}(R, k - \text{len}(L) - 1)$

• **PARTITION(A, p):**

- $L = \text{new array}$
- $R = \text{new array}$
- **For**  $i=1, \dots, n$ :
  - **If**  $i==p$ :
    - **continue**
  - **else If**  $A[i] \leq A[p]$ :
    - $L.\text{append}(A[i])$
  - **Else if**  $A[i] > A[p]$ :
    - $R.\text{append}(A[i])$
- **Return**  $L, A[p], R$

- (a) (4 points) What is the return result of  $\text{SELECT}(A, 1)$ ?
- (b) (4 points) What is the return result of  $\text{SELECT}(A, 3)$ ?
- (c) (4 points) What is the return result of  $\text{SELECT}(A, 7)$ ?
- (d) (6 points) For  $\text{SELECT}(A, 3)$ ,  $k=3$ . If the return result of  $\text{CHOOSEPIVOT}$  is 2, which one is true,  $\text{len}(L) > k - 1$  or  $\text{len}(L) < k - 1$ ?
- (e) (6 points) For  $\text{SELECT}(A, 3)$ ,  $k=3$ . If the return result of  $\text{CHOOSEPIVOT}$  is 2, which one is true,  $\text{len}(L) > k - 1$  or  $\text{len}(L) < k - 1$ ?

**Sol.**

- (a) 1
- (b) 5
- (c) 9
- (d)  $\text{len}(L) < k - 1$ . Since the pivot is 2,  $A[2] = 2$ .  $L=[1]$ , and  $R=[5, 6, 7, 8, 9]$ . Thus  $\text{len}(L)=1$ .
- (e) A bonus of 6 points to all the students.