

CSCE 222-501 Discrete Structures for Computing
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Problem Set 3

Due dates: Electronic submission of hw3.tex and hw3.pdf files of this homework is due on **9/29/2014 before 23:59** on csnet.cs.tamu.edu. Please do not archive or compress the files. A signed paper copy of the pdf file is due on **9/30/2014** at the beginning of class. **If you do not turn in a signed hardcopy, your work will not be graded.**

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Resources. (Discrete Mathematics and its Applications 7th Edition by Rosen)

On my honor, as an Aggie, I have neither given nor received any unauthorized aid on any portion of the academic work included in this assignment. Furthermore, I have disclosed all resources (people, books, web sites, etc.) that have been used to prepare this homework.

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Problem 1. (10 points) Section 3.3, Exercise 4 on page 229

Solution. The loop iterates until $i = 2^k$ and $i \geq n$. As such, $k = \log_2 n$ and the number of operations is $O(\log_2 n)$

Problem 2. (15 points) Section 3.3, Exercise 14 on pages 230

Solution.

(a) $y = a_2 = 3$

$i=1$

$y = 3*2+1=7$

$i=2$

$y = 7*2+1=15$

(b) The while loop contains one addition and one multiplication looping 1 to n times. Therefore, there are n additions and n multiplications.

Problem 3. (15 points) Section 3.3, Exercise 16 on page 230

Solution.

(a) $2^{(8.64*10^{15})}$

(b) $8.64*10^{12}$ OR 8640000000000

(c) 92951600

(d) 2939387

(e) 205197

(f) $\log_2(8.64*10^{15})$

(g) $\frac{1}{2} * \log_2(8.64*10^{15})$

(h) $\log_2(\log_2(8.64*10^{15}))$

Problem 4. (10 points) Section 1.1, Exercise 6 on page 13

Solution.

- (a) True
- (b) True
- (c) False
- (d) False
- (e) False

Problem 5. (10 points) Section 1.1, Exercise 10 on page 13

Solution.

- (a) The election is not decided.
- (b) The election is decided or the votes have been counted.
- (c) The election is not decided and the votes have been counted.
- (d) If the votes have been counted, then the election is decided.
- (e) If the votes have not been counted, then the election is not decided.
- (f) If the election is not decided, then the votes have not been counted.
- (g) The election is decided if and only if the votes have been counted.
- (h) The votes have not been counted, or the election is not decided and the votes have been counted.

Problem 6. (10 points) Section 1.1, Exercise 14 on pages 13–14

Solution.

- (a) $r \wedge \neg q$
- (b) $p \wedge q \wedge r$
- (c) $r \rightarrow p$
- (d) $(p \wedge \neg q) \wedge r$
- (e) $(p \wedge q) \rightarrow r$
- (f) $r \leftrightarrow (q \vee p)$

Problem 7. (10 points) Section 1.1, Exercise 32 e) and f) on page 15

Solution.

p	q	$\neg p$	$q \rightarrow \neg p$	$p \leftrightarrow q$	$(q \rightarrow \neg p) \leftrightarrow (p \leftrightarrow q)$
T	T	F	F	T	F
T	F	F	T	F	F
F	T	T	T	F	F
F	F	T	T	T	T

p	q	$\neg q$	$p \leftrightarrow q$	$p \leftrightarrow \neg q$	$(p \leftrightarrow q) \oplus (p \leftrightarrow \neg q)$
T	T	F	T	F	T
T	F	T	F	T	T
F	T	F	F	T	T
F	F	T	T	F	T

Problem 8. (10 points) Section 1.2, Exercise 20 on page 23

Solution.

A cannot be telling the truth, because then B's statement that he is a knave is made logically impossible by means of paradox. Therefore, A is the knave and B is the knight.

Problem 9. (10 points) Section 1.2, Exercise 28 on page 23

Solution.

Each person's status as a knight, knave, or spy is dependent upon that of the person before them. As such, a chain occurs in which A must be lying in order for everyone to be a knight, knave and spy. So: A (the knave) is lying; B (the spy) is lying about A's status; and C (the knight) is telling the truth about B's status.

Checklist:

- ☐ Did you add your name?
- ☐ Did you disclose all resources that you have used?
(This includes all people, books, websites, etc. that you have consulted)
- ☐ Did you sign that you followed the Aggie honor code?
- ☐ Did you solve all problems?
- ☐ Did you submit (a) your latex source file and (b) the resulting pdf file of your homework on csnet?
- ☐ Did you submit (c) a signed hardcopy of the pdf file in class?