

CSE231:COMPETITIVE PROGRAMMING

L:0 T:0 P:2 Credits:1

Course Outcomes: Through this course students should be able to

- CO1 :: relate the theoretical knowledge and insights gained to formulate working code
- CO2 :: devise time and space efficient algorithms to solve abundant ubiquitous problems
- CO3 :: identify the intricacies present in the design of a solution to devise an optimal solution
- CO4 :: deduce the appropriate and efficient algorithms and data structures for optimal solution to the problems at hand
- CO5 :: extend and utilize the knowledge base of various algorithmic paradigms to build optimized solutions to real world problems
- CO6 :: validate the logic building and code formulation by designing optimal code capable of passing various test cases

List of Practicals / Experiments:

Strings and Linear Data Structures

- Longest substring problem
- Reverse the individual words of the string
- Decimal number to Roman Numeral
- Longest Palindromic substring
- Implement a stack using one queue
- Find kth largest element
- Detect duplicate parenthesis
- Reverse a stack problem
- Print minimum element of the array using recursion
- Last non zero digit of the factorial
- Find symmetric pairs problem
- Pascal triangle problem
- Two people meet each other
- Next Largest Number problem
- Minimum swaps to get the Sorted Array
- Print smallest k elements in same order in an array

Binary Trees and Binary Search Trees

- Left view of a binary tree
- Flatten a binary tree
- Lowest common ancestor in a BST
- Spiral order traversal in a binary tree
- Merge K sorted lists using heaps
- Maximum sum pairs problem using heaps

Hashing and Hashtables

- Four elements such that $a+b=c+d$ using sets and hashtables
- Print K most frequent numbers using hashing

- Shortest substring of all distinct characters

Graphs and Shortest Distance between every pair of vertices

- Check whether the graph is Bipartite
- Shortest distance between every pair problem

Two dimensional arrays and Linked Lists

- Implement own arraylist using arrays
- Print the matrix in spiral form
- Last nth node of a linked List
- Remove a loop in singly linked list
- Subtract two numbers
- Flatten the given linked list

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