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Course Code: CS302	Course Name: Design and Analysis of Algorithm
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Instructions:

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- Read each question completely before answering it. There are **5 questions** on **2 pages**.
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Time: 60 minutes.

Max Marks: 12.5

Question # 1

[1.5 marks]

Are these following statement true or false? Prove your answer by computing the values of n_0, c_1, c_2 or by contradiction. [Θ is Theta]

[Remove One]

- A. $n^2 + 4^5 = \Theta(n^2)$
- B. $2^n + 2n = \Omega(n^2)$
- C. $2n + 4^{\log_2 n} - 5 = \Theta(n^2)$

Question # 2

[1.5 marks]

Question # 3

[1.5 marks]

- (a) What is meant by Design and Analysis of Algorithms?
- (b) List two topics in Computer Science that are more important than studying computer program performance.
- (c) Write down the formal definition of Small-Oh Notation i.e. in terms of $f(n)$ and $g(n)$

Question # 4**[4 marks]**

Given a sorted array containing duplicates, Design efficient algorithm using divide & conquer approach to find the frequency of each element. For example, Input = { 1,1,1,5,5,6,6,8,9}. Output:

1 appears 3 times

5 appears 2 times

6 appears 2 times

8 appears 1 time

9 appears 1 time

Question # 5**[2+1+1.5=4.5 marks]**

Solve the following recurrences to compute the time complexity.

A. $T(n) = 2T(n - 1) + 1$ [Master Theorem]

B. $T(n) = 32T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) - n^2 \log n$

C. $T(n) = 7T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + n^2$

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$$n^2 + 4^5 = \Theta(n^2)$$

True

$$c_1 n^2 \leq n^2 + 4^5 \leq c_2 n^2$$

$$c_1 \leq 1 + 4^5/n^2 \leq c_2$$

$$\text{for } n_0 = 1$$

$$c_1 \leq 1 + 1024 \leq c_2$$

$$c_1 \leq 1025 \leq c_2$$

$$\text{for } n = \infty$$

$$c_1 \leq 1 + 0 \leq c_2$$

$$c_1 \leq 1 \leq c_2$$

$$2 + 2n = \Omega(n^2)$$

False

$$n! + 2n \leq c_1 n^2$$

$$\frac{n!}{n^2} + \frac{2}{n} \leq c_1$$

$$\text{for } n = 1$$

$$1 + 2 \leq c_1$$

$$3 \leq c_1$$

$$\text{for } n = \infty$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n!}{n^2} = \infty$$

$$\infty + 0 \leq c_1$$

$\infty \leq c_1$ there does not exists a real positive number greater than infinity.

$$2n + 4^{\log_2 n} - 5 = \Theta(n^2)$$

True

$$c_2 n^2 \leq 2n + 4^{\log_2 n} - 5 \leq c_2 n^2$$

$$c_2 n^2 \leq 2n + 2^{\log_2 n^2} - 5 \leq c_2 n^2$$

$$c_2 n^2 \leq 2n + n^2 - 5 \leq c_2 n^2$$

$$c_2 \leq 2/n + 1 - \frac{5}{n^2} \leq c_2$$

$$\text{for } n_0 = 4$$

$$c_2 \leq \frac{2}{4} + 1 - \frac{5}{4} \leq c_2$$

$$c_2 \leq \frac{1}{4} \leq c_2$$

$$\text{for } n = \infty$$

$$c_2 \leq 0 + 1 - 0 \leq c_2$$

$$c_2 \leq 1 \leq c_2$$

$$\log_2 4^n + 2n - 5 = \Theta(n^2)$$

False

$$c_1 n^2 \leq \log_2 4^n + 2n - 5 \leq c_2 n^2$$

$$c_1 n^2 \leq \log_2 2^{2n} + 2n - 5 \leq c_2 n^2$$

$$c_1 n^2 \leq 2n + 2n - 5 \leq c_2 n^2$$

$$c_1 n^2 \leq 4n - 5 \leq c_2 n^2$$

$$c_1 \leq \frac{4}{n} - \frac{5}{n^2} \leq c_2$$

$$\text{for } n_0 = 2$$

$$c_1 \leq \frac{4}{2} - \frac{5}{4} \leq c_2$$

$$c_1 \leq \frac{3}{4} \leq c_2$$

$$\text{for } n = \infty$$

$$c_1 \leq \infty - \infty \leq c_2$$

There doesn't exist any real positive value for c_2 .

Question # 2

[0.25*8=2 marks]

Prove the accuracy of the Dijkstra algorithm for the computation of single source shortest path with assumption of the graph of only positive weighted edges.

Solution

Initialization: Initially, $S = \emptyset \wedge Q = G.V \wedge \forall x : x \in S \ d(x) = \text{minimum}$

Maintenance: at each iteration another vertex is added into S with minimum cost from source. So at i th iteration, $|S| = i \wedge |Q| = |G.V| - i \wedge \forall x : x \in S \ d(x) = \text{minimum}$

Termination: At the termination of the algorithm, $Q = \emptyset$ Since $Q = V - S, S = V$.

Question # 3

[2 marks]

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Solution

- (a) The analysis of algorithm is the theoretical study of computer program performance and resource usage. Algorithm design include creating an efficient algorithm to solve a problem in an efficient way using minimum time and space.
- (b) Correctness, Security, Stability etc
- (c)

$$O(g(n)) = \{f(n) : \text{there exists positive constants } c \text{ and } n_0 \text{ such that } f(n) \leq cg(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0\}$$

Question # 4

[2 marks]

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#include <iostream>
#include <unordered_map>
using namespace std;
// Function to find frequency of each element in a sorted array
void findFrequency(int arr[], int n, unordered_map<int, int>
&count)
{
    // if every element in the subarray arr[0..n-1] is equal,
    // then increment the element count by n
    if (arr[0] == arr[n - 1]) {
        count[arr[0]] += n;
        return; }
    // divide array into left and right sub-array and recur
    findFrequency(arr, n/2, count);
    findFrequency(arr + n/2, n - n/2, count);
}
```

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// Find Frequency of each element in a sorted array containing duplicates
int main()
{
    int arr[] = { 2, 2, 2, 4, 4, 4, 5, 5, 6, 8, 8, 9 };
    int n = sizeof(arr) / sizeof(int);
    // find frequency of each element of the array and store it in map
    unordered_map<int, int> map;
    findFrequency(arr, n, map);

    // print the frequency
    for (auto &p: map) {
        cout << p.first << " occurs " << p.second << " times\n";
    }
    return 0;
}

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Question # 5

[2+1.5=3.5 marks]

$$T(n) = T(n-1) + \log n$$

$$\log_a pq = \log_a p + \log_a q$$

$$T(n) = 2T(n-1) + 1$$

$$a + ar + ar^2 + ar^3 + \dots + a^k = \frac{a(r^{k+1} - 1)}{r - 1}$$

$$T(n) = 2T(n-1) + 1$$

$$= 2[2T(n-2) + 1] + 1$$

$$= 4T(n-2) + 2 + 1$$

$$= 4[2T(n-3) + 1] + 2 + 1$$

$$= 8T(n-3) + 4 + 2 + 1$$

$$= 2^3 T(n-3) + 2^2 + 2^1 + 2^0$$

Repeat K Times.

$$= 2^K T(n-K) + 2^{(K-1)} + 2^{(K-2)} + 2^{(K-3)} + \dots + 2^1 + 2^0$$

$$n-K=0 \quad ; \quad n=K$$

$$= 2^K T(0) + 2^{K-1} + 2^{K-2} + \dots + 2^1 + 2^0$$

$$= 2^K + 2^{K-1} + 2^{K-2} + \dots + 2^1 + 2^0$$

$$= 2^n + 2^n - 1$$

$$= \Theta(2^n)$$

$$T(n) = 32T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) - n^2 \log n$$

Recurrence: $T(n) = 32T(n/4) + \Theta(n^2)$.

Solution: $T \in \Theta(n^{\log_4 32}) \approx \Theta(n^{2.500})$.

$$T(n) = 7T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + n^2$$

Recurrence: $T(n) = 7 T(n/3) + \Theta(n^2)$.

Solution: $T \in \Theta(n^2)$.

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