P1 A. []
$$\rightarrow$$
 [C]
 $|\rightarrow$ [D] \rightarrow [D,G] \rightarrow [D,G,H]
 $|\rightarrow$ [D,H]
 $|\rightarrow$ [E] \rightarrow [E,F] \rightarrow [E,F,H]
 $|\rightarrow$ [E,G] \rightarrow [E,G,H]
 $|\rightarrow$ [E,H]
 $|\rightarrow$ [F] \rightarrow [F,G] \rightarrow [F,G,H]
 $|\rightarrow$ [F] \rightarrow [G,H]
 $|\rightarrow$ [H]

$$\begin{aligned} \text{B. []} \rightarrow \text{[C]} \\ |\rightarrow \text{[D]} \rightarrow \text{[D,G]} \rightarrow \text{[D,G,H]} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} C. & \hspace{0.2in} [] \rightarrow [C] \\ & \hspace{0.2in} | \rightarrow [D] \rightarrow [D,G] \\ & \hspace{0.2in} | \rightarrow [D,H] \\ & \hspace{0.2in} | \rightarrow [E] \rightarrow [E,F] \\ & \hspace{0.2in} | \rightarrow [F] \\ & \hspace{0.2in} | \rightarrow [G] \\ & \hspace{0.2in} | \rightarrow [H] \end{array}$$

P2 A. Yes, it is a tree, as there's only one way to get to any vertex from the source.

- B. This tree has at most depth of N, as we make decisions for each of N objects.
- C. The branching factor is N, as N objects to choose from.
- D. Not known in advance, because it depends on the constraint cost.

P3 A. State:

A set of k different vertices, where k is in [0, K], in alphabetic order that are not directly connected to any other vertices in the set

Successor:

Adding a new vertex to the current set and the added vertex is not connected to any vertex already in the set

Start State:

An empty set with no vertices

Goal State:

A set with K vertices and with no two vertices in the set directly connected by an edge.

B. Depth of Goal States:

The depth of the goal states is known in advance to be K, as specified in the question to find K vertices without any edge connecting each other

Search Algorithm:

Due to the certainty in the depth of goal states, DFS would be suitable since we don't need to iteratively test the depth of the goal states for the result.