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Time Allotted : 3 Hours

MCA

Full Marks : 70

The Figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidate are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Group-A (Very Short Answer Type Question)

1. Answer any ten of the following :

[1 x 10 = 10]

- (i) Which method is used for solving the N Queens Problem?
- (ii) Tight bound is denoted as _____.
- (iii) Out of best case and complexity, which is not a criteria of algorithm?
- (iv) What is the worst case time complexity of the nondeterministic dynamic knapsack algorithm?
- (v) Let there be an array of length 'N', and the selection sort algorithm is used to sort it, how many times a swap function is called to complete the execution?
- (vi) How do you determine the cost of a spanning tree?
- (vii) The 0/1 knapsack problem can be solved using _____ Algorithm.
- (viii) Which design strategy stops the execution when it finds the solution otherwise starts the problem from top?
- (ix) What is trivial lower bound? Give suitable example.
- (x) If a graph $G = (N, E)$, where $E = \{e\}$, then the corresponding adjacency matrix is $n \times n$
- (xi) The time complexity of Matrix Chain Multiplication algorithm using dynamic programming is _____
- (xii) Let G be a simple graph with 20 vertices and 100 edges. The size of the minimum vertex cover of G is 8. Then, the size of the maximum independent set of G is _____

Group-B (Short Answer Type Question)

Answer any three of the following :

[5 x 3 = 15]

2. Construct the recurrence relation of Strassen's Matrix Multiplication and analyze its complexity. [5]
3. Explain P, NP, NPH and NPC in brief with suitable diagram. [5]
4. Apply Substitution Method to calculate the complexity of $T(n) = 2T(n-1) + 1$ where $n > 1$ with initial condition $T(1) = 1$. [5]
5. Explain Graph Coloring Problem using Backtracking. [5]
6. Explain the difference between Prim's and Kruskal Algorithm with suitable example. [5]

Group-C (Long Answer Type Question)

Answer any three of the following :

[15 x 3 = 45]

7. (a) Analyze the time complexity of Max-Min problem using Divide and Conquer approach. [5]
(b) Apply Fractional Knapsack Problem using greedy method to generate optimal solution among all possible solutions (to earn maximum profit) using the dataset given below:
Knapsack Capacity: 20KG, Profits: {25, 24, 15}, Wights in KG: {18, 15, 10}. [7]
(c) Analyze the complexity of Fractional Knapsack Problem. [3]
8. (a) Apply Matrix Chain Multiplication algorithm to construct minimum cost of multiplication of the matrix chain with dimension sequences $\langle 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 \rangle$. Show optimal parenthesis sequence. [10]
(b) Explain 0/1 Knapsack Problem using dynamic programming. [5]
9. (a) Explain Travelling Salesperson Problem with suitable example. [10]
(b) How do we judge two queens with chess board positions (i, j) and (k, l) are attacking each others diagonally in N-Queens problem? [3]
(c) Define Chromatic Number in graph coloring problem. [2]
10. (a) Explain Masters' Theorem. [3]
(b) Apply Masters' Theorem to analyze the worst case complexity of Merge Sort Algorithm. [5]
(c) Apply recursion tree method to calculate the complexity of $T(n) = T(n/3) + T(2n/3) + cn$ with $T(1) = 1$. [7]

11. (a) Define Spanning Tree with suitable example.
(b) Explain Kruskal's Algorithm using Union and Find approach.
(c) Analyze the complexity of Kruskal's Algorithm.

(3)

(7)

(5)

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