

**NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, JAMSHEDPUR**  
**MID SEMESTER EXAMINATION (OCTOBER 2023)**

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BRANCH: M.C.A  
TIME: 2 Hours

SESSION: 2023 - 2024  
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Subject: CA3303 Design and Analysis of Algorithms

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- Q1.(a) What is the smallest value of  $n$  such that an algorithm whose running time is  $100n^2$  runs faster than a algorithm whose running time is  $2^n$  on the same machine? [2]
- (b) Write a recursive algorithm for generating fibonacci sequence and determine the time complexity of it. [5]
- (c) Find a tight bound on the following function: [3]
- $$f(x) = x^4 - 23x^3 + 12x^2 + 15x - 21$$

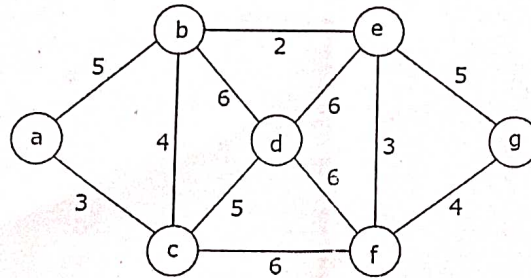
- Q2.(a) What is the recurrence equation of Divide and Conquer Technique? Use this technique to perform the complexity analysis of Quick sort algorithm. [6]
- (b) Solve the following recurrence using iteration method: [4]

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } n = 1 \\ 3T(n/4) + n, & \text{if } n > 1 \end{cases}$$

**OR**

Discuss the different variations of Decrease and Conquer approach with suitable examples. [4]

- Q3.(a) Apply Dijkstra's algorithm to find the shortest paths from vertex a to all the other vertices for the following weighted connected graph: [5]



- (b) Use heap sort algorithm to sort the following list of elements: [5]
- 32, 36, 29, 22, 20, 28, 14, 16, 15, 24

**OR**

Define 2-3 tree. Construct a 2-3 tree by successive insertion for the following list of alphabets in an empty tree: C O M P U T I N G [5]

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Q1.(a) For the given  $x$  and  $n$ , write an algorithm to compute  $x^n/n!$ . Determine the total running time and its complexity. [3]

(b) State Master Theorem. Can the master theorem be applied to the following recurrence?  
 $T(n) = 4T(n/4) + n / \log n$

Why or why not?

(c) What is a tight bound? Find a tight bound on the following function: [4]  
 $f(n) = n^4 - 23n^3 + 12n^2 + 15n - 21$  [3]

Q2.(a) Apply Strassen's algorithm to compute the following matrix multiplication using Divide and Conquer approach: [6]

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Determine the time complexity of Strassen's algorithm.

(b) Explain brute-force algorithm for string matching problem with suitable example and perform the complexity analysis for it. [4]

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Write an algorithm for fake coin detection problem and perform the complexity analysis of it. [4]

Q3.(a) Solve the following system of equations by using LU decomposition method:

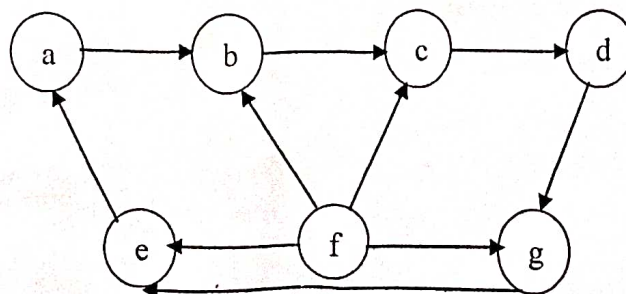
$$2x_1 - x_2 + x_3 = 1$$

$$4x_1 + x_2 - x_3 = 5$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0$$

[5]

(b) What is topological sorting? Apply the DFS-based algorithm to solve the topological sorting problem for the following digraph: [5]



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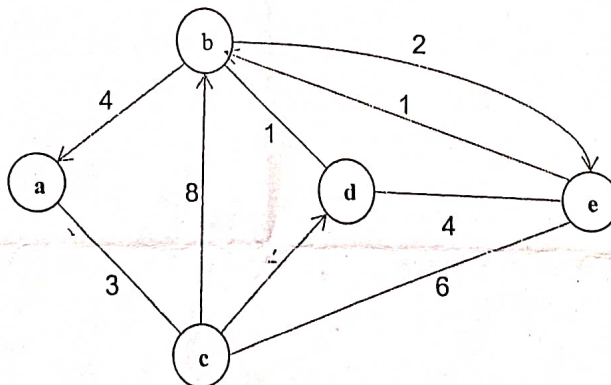
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- Q1.(a) Define best-case, average-case and worst-case analysis. [2]  
(b) Write an algorithm to determine whether all the elements in a given array are unique and also find the time complexity of it. [4]  
(c) Write a recursive algorithm for Tower of Hanoi problem and determine the time complexity of it. [4]
- Q2.(a) What is transitive closure? Write Warshall's algorithm for computing the transitive closure. [3]  
(b) Apply Strassen's algorithm to compute the following matrix multiplication using Divide and Conquer approach. [7]

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Q3.(a) What do you mean by topological sorting? Explain the different methods to perform topological sorting with suitable examples. [5]  
(b) Given a chain of five matrices A, B, C, D and E with  $p_0 = 4$ ,  $p_1 = 5$ ,  $p_2 = 3$ ,  $p_3 = 2$ ,  $p_4 = 7$  and  $p_5 = 2$ . Find  $m[1, 5]$  and determine the order of parenthesization for optimal chain matrix multiplication using Dynamic Programming approach. [5]
- Q4.(a) Solve the all pairs shortest path problem for the following digraph using Floyd's algorithm. [6]



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- (b) Apply Greedy method to solve the following instance of Fractional Knapsack problem: [4]

Item#	Weight	Value
I1	5	30
I2	10	20
I3	20	100
I4	30	90
I5	40	160

Knapsack Capacity,  $W = 60$ .

- Q5.(a) Apply Branch and Bound algorithm to solve the Travelling Salesman Problem for the graph whose cost matrix is given below: [5]

	a	b	c	d	e
a	$\infty$	20	30	10	11
b	15	$\infty$	16	4	2
c	3	5	$\infty$	2	4
d	19	6	18	$\infty$	3
e	16	4	7	16	$\infty$

- (b) Explain P, NP and NP-Complete class of problems. Give at least one example for each. [5]

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Q1.(a) Consider the problem of counting, in a given text, the number of sub-strings that start with an A and end with a B. Design a Brute Force algorithm for this problem and determine its efficiency class. [5]

(b) Perform the complete complexity analysis of generating Fibonacci sequence using recursion. [5]

Q2.(a) How BFS differs from DFS? Design a DFS-based algorithm for checking if a graph is cyclic or not. [5]

OR

What is red-black tree? Construct a red-black tree by inserting the following keys in the order of their occurrence: 41, 38, 31, 12, 19, 48, 46 [5]

✓ (b) Solve the following system of equations by using LU-decomposition method: [5]

$$3x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 11$$

$$6x_1 + 4x_2 + x_3 = 29$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 7$$

Q3.(a) What is an activity selection problem? Apply Greedy approach to an activity selection problem along with the start and finish times of the jobs as follows:

Job	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Start Time	1	2	3	4	7	7	9	9	11	12
Finish Time	3	5	4	7	10	9	11	13	12	14

Determine the optimal scheduling order of the jobs. [5]

(b) Construct A Huffman tree for the following data and obtain its Huffman code.

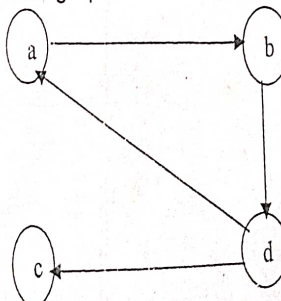
Character : A B C D E  
Probability: 0.4 0.1 0.2 0.15 0.15

(I) Encode the text ABACABAD using the generated code.

(II) Decode the text whose encoding is 100010111001010. [5]

Q4.(a) What is the difference between dynamic programming and divide and conquer technique? [2]

(b) What is transitive closure? Apply Warshall algorithm to find the transitive closure for the following directed graph: [4]



OR

What is LCS problem? Write an algorithm for LCS problem and determine its time complexity. [4]

- (c) Apply Dynamic Programming algorithm to the following instance of the 0/1 Knapsack problem: [4]

Item	Weight	Value
1	2	12
2	1	10
3	3	20
4	2	15

Knapsack Capacity,  $W = 5$ .

OR

Given a chain of four matrices A, B, C and D with  $p_0 = 5$ ,  $p_1 = 4$ ,  $p_2 = 6$ ,  $p_3 = 2$  and  $p_4 = 7$ . Find  $m[1, 4]$  and determine the order of parenthesization for optimal chain matrix multiplication using Dynamic Programming approach. [4]

- Q5.(a) Given a cost matrix for four persons A, B, C and D which are assigned the following jobs:

Persons	Jobs			
	1	2	3	4
A	11	12	18	40
B	14	15	13	22
C	11	17	19	23
D	17	14	20	28

Obtain the minimum total cost of assignment using Branch and Bound technique where each person has exactly one task to perform. [5]

- (b) What is Subset-Sum Problem? Apply Backtracking approach to solve the following instance of the subset-sum problem: [5]

$S = \{5, 10, 15, 20, 25\}$  and  $d = 30$

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- Q1.(a) Discuss fundamentals of the analysis of algorithm efficiency. [4]  
(b) Write a recursive algorithm to find the number of digits in the binary representation of a positive decimal number and also find the time complexity of it. [4]  
(c) Let A and B be two algorithms with the following complexity functions:  
 $T_A(n) = n^2$  and  $T_B(n) = 40n + 1200$ . Which algorithm is better and why? [2]

- Q2.(a) Explain the algorithm used for multiplication of two large numbers. What is the time complexity of this algorithm? Use this algorithm to compute the product of two 4-digit integers 1456 and 6533. [5]  
(b) Construct an AVL tree for the following set of elements to be inserted in the order of their occurrence: [5]  
H, I, J, B, A, E, C, F, D, G, K, L

- Q3.(a) What do you mean by longest common subsequence? Apply dynamic programming to determine the longest common subsequence of given two strings  $X = \text{BACDB}$  and  $Y = \text{BDCB}$ . [5]

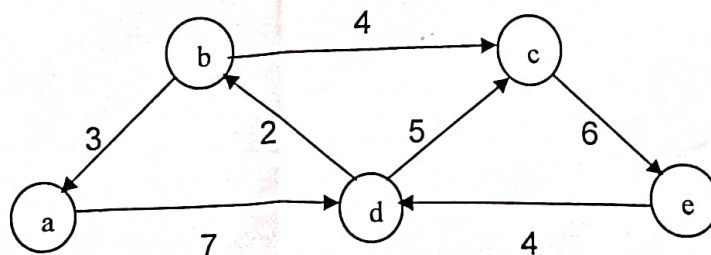
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What is memory function? Apply Dynamic Programming algorithm to solve the following instance of the 0/1 Knapsack problem: [5]

Item	Weight	Value
1	3	25
2	2	20
3	1	15
4	4	40
5	5	50

Knapsack Capacity,  $W = 6$ .

- (b) Apply Dijkstra's algorithm to solve the following instances of the single-source shortest paths problem with vertex 'a' as the source vertex. [5]



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- Q4.(a) Use Huffman's algorithm to construct an optimal binary prefix code for the letters in the following table: [5]

Characters	c	e	i	r	s	t	x
Frequency	0.11	0.22	0.16	0.12	0.15	0.10	0.14

- (i) Encode the following text: exercise  
(ii) Decode the following: 11100100111101  
(b) How does Greedy algorithm works? Apply Greedy approach to a machine scheduling problem where deadlines are involved. The details of the jobs are follows:

Job	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Deadline	3	4	4	2	3	1	2
Profit	35	30	25	20	15	12	5

Find the optimal scheduling order of the jobs considering deadline constraints and the associated maximum profit. [5]

- Q5.(a) Apply Branch and Bound algorithm to solve the following assignment problem whose cost matrix is given below: [5]

		Jobs			
		1	2	3	4
Persons	A	9	2	7	8
	B	6	4	3	7
	C	5	8	1	8
	D	7	6	9	4

OR

What is subset sum problem? Apply backtracking to solve the following instance of the subset sum problem:  $A = \{1, 2, 5, 6, 8\}$  and  $d = 9$ . [5]

- (b) What do you mean by complexity class? Discuss each class of problem with suitable examples. [5]

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