## Assignment 2

## Deadline Friday 9<sup>th</sup> JULY 2021 (next week)

## Answer all questions

a) Using the RAM model and the following code extract for sorting, derive the time complexity equation.

- b) Using an example of a graph, briefly describe the operation of Depth First Traversal (DFS)
- c) The master method solves recurrences of the form T(n)=aT(n/b)+f(n) where a>=1 and b>1 are constants and f(n) is a asymptotically positive function .
  - i) To use the master method, explain the THREE cases. If the recurrence equation is  $T(n)=2T(n/2)+n\log n$ , use the Master method to show it's closed form .
- d) The following is a function of a mergesort algorithm;

```
mergesort( int a[], int left, int right)
{
    if (right > left)
    {
       middle = left + (right - left)/2;
       mergesort(a, left, middle);
       mergesort(a, middle+1, right);
       merge(a, left, middle, right);
    }
}
```

Show that this algorithm has asymptotic order  $\mathbf{O}(\text{nlogn})$ 

e) Use repeated substitution to find the time complexity of the function **recurse**. Verify your result using induction.

```
/* Assume only non-negative even values of n are passed in */
void recurse(int n) {
   int i, total = 0;
   if (n == 0) return 1;
   for (i = 0; i < 4; i++) {
      total += recurse(n-2);
      }
   return total;
}</pre>
```

Study the following search algorithms given below: i.e. *Linear or Sequential Search, Binary and Interpolation* Task:

- i) Evaluate each one of them using Big O notation;
- ii) If you were to consider implanting one of them, discuss the choice you would make for a large data set.

```
A. Linear or Sequential Search:
               #include <stdio.h>
               int main()
               { int array[100], search, c, n;
               printf("Enter the number of elements in array\n");
               scanf("%d",&n); printf("Enter %d integer(s)\n", n);
               for (c = 0; c < n; c++)
               scanf("%d", &array[c]);
               printf("Enter the number to search\n");
               scanf("%d", &search);
               for (c = 0; c < n; c++)
                { if (array[c] == search) /* if required element found */
                   printf("%d is present at location %d.\n", search, c+1); break;
                } }
            if (c == n) printf("%d is not present in array.\n", search);
            return 0; }
В.
      Binary Search:
               #include <stdio.h>
                int main()
               int c, first, last, middle, n, search, array[100];
                printf("Enter number of elements\n");
               scanf("%d",&n);
               printf("Enter %d integers\n", n);
               for (c = 0; c < n; c++)
               scanf("%d",&array[c]);
               printf("Enter value to find\n");
               scanf("%d",&search);
               first = 0; last = n - 1; middle = (first+last)/2; while(
               first <= last)
               { if (array[middle] < search) first = middle + 1; else if (
               array[middle] == search )
               printf("%d found at location %d.\n", search, middle+1); break; } else last =
               middle - 1; middle = (first + last)/2;
               } if (first > last)
               printf("Not found! %d is not present in the list.\n", search); return 0; }
C.
     Interpolation Search:
               #include<stdio.h>
               #include<conio.h>
               void main()
                int a[25],n,mid,low,high,f=0,item,i;
```

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printf("Enter the size of the array");
scanf("%d",&n);
printf("Enter the elements in sorted order");
for(i=0;i<n;i++) { scanf("%d",&a[i]); }
printf("Enter the item to be searched for");
scanf("%d",&item); low=0; high=n-1;
while(low<=high) {
mid=(low+(high-low)*((item-a[low])/(a[high]-a[low]))); if(a[mid]==item) {
printf("\n\nItem found at position %d",mid);
f=1; break; } else if(a[mid]>item)
{ high=mid-1; } else
{
low=mid+1; }} if(f==0)
printf("\n\nItem not found in the array"); getch(); }
```