

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CS 3310: Design and Analysis of Algorithms</b> <b>Final Exam</b> <b>(5/11/2023)</b></p>
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**Read these instructions before proceeding.**

- Closed book. Closed notes. You can use calculator.
- Length: **50 minutes**
- *Important Notes:*
  - *During the exam, all students need to join the Zoom meeting*
  - *No questions will be answered during the exam about the exam questions. Write down your assumptions and answer the best that you can.*
  - *Just in case you have trouble of submitting your exam here @ Canvas, alternative way is to submit your completed exam to Prof. Young by emailing*  
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- Two ways to submit your exam:
  - Print out the exam paper. Write your answers on the exam paper. Scan your completed exam papers or take photos of them. Then turn in **one PDF file** here @ Canvas.
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Q.#1 (18)	Q.#2 (22)	Q.#3 (20)	Q.#4 (20)	Q.#5 (20)	Total (100)

1. (18 pts)

Decide “Easy” or “Hard” for each of the following problems that we discussed in the class. No justifications are required. (3 pts each)

(a) *Longest Path* Problem

(b) *Shortest Path* Problem

(c) *0/1 Knapsack* Problem

(d) *Satisfiability (SAT)* Problem

(e) *Shortest-length-First Greedy algorithm for Optimal Storage on Tapes* Problem

(f) *Select algorithm using MM as pivot for Selection* Problem (as in project 2 of your programming assignment).

2. (22 pts)

Part I: (10 pts) Let  $A = \{20, 6, 5, 1\}$  be a finite set of coin types. Each type in  $A$  is available in unlimited quantity. The coin changing problem is to make up an exact amount  $C$  using a minimum total number of coins.  $C$  is an integer  $> 0$ . A greedy solution to the problem will make change by using the coin types in the order of 20, 6, 5, 1. When a coin type is being considered, as many coins of this type as possible will be given. Give a counterexample to show that this greedy algorithm doesn't necessarily generate solutions that use the minimum total number of coins.

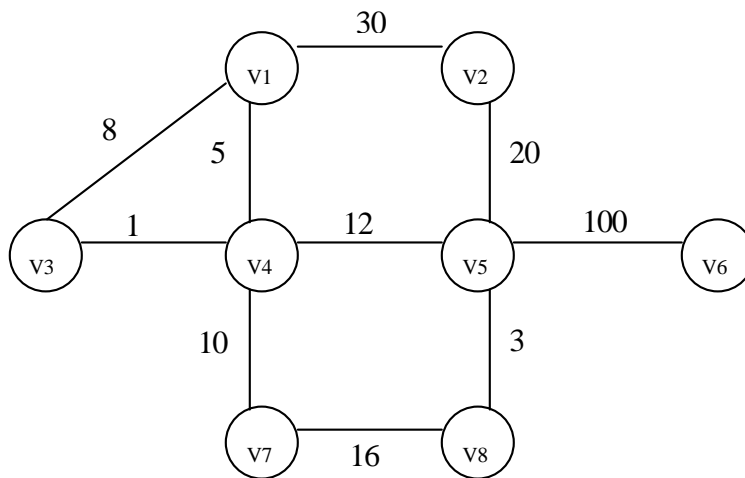
Part II: Decide **True** or **False** for each of the followings. You MUST briefly justify your answer. (4 pts each)

(e) (4 pts) (4 pts) It is known that PARTITION is a NP-complete problem. Assume that an  $O(n^{2023})$  deterministic algorithm has been found for the PARTITION problem, then  $P = NP$ .

(f) (4 pts) If  $A$  is in NP, proving that  $A$  is solvable in polynomial time is sufficient to show that  $P = NP$ .

(g) (4 pts) If a decision problem  $A$  is NP-complete, proving that  $A$  is reducible to  $B$ , in polynomial time, is sufficient to show that  $B$  is NP-hard.

3. (20 points)



Assume that the algorithm starts from v1. Use **Kruskal's Algorithm** to find a minimum spanning tree and the cost of the minimum spanning tree for the above graph. Show all steps.

4. (20 pts)

Given  $M_1 = [3 \times 10]$ ,  $M_2 = [10 \times 2]$ , and  $M_3 = [2 \times 5]$ . Use the dynamic programming algorithm (covered in the class) to compute the  $C(i,j)$ 's for all  $i < j$  and give the solution (i.e. the multiplication order) for this instance of **Chained Matrix Multiplication**.

*(Hint:  $C(i, j)$ , where  $i \leq j$ , represents the minimum cost of computing  $M_i \times M_{i+1} \times \dots \times M_j$ . In this question, you need to find  $C(1,3)$ , and then give the solution, the optimal multiplication order. You start from initializing all  $C(i,j)$ 's of size 1, and they are  $C(1,1)$ ,  $C(2,2)$ , and  $C(3,3)$ . Next is finding all  $C(i,j)$ 's of size 2, and so on)*

5. (20 pts)

Consider the **0-1-2-3 Knapsack Problem** obtained by replacing the 0/1 constraint of the 0/1 knapsack problem by  $x_i = 0$  or 1 or 2 or 3 instead (i.e., we assume three copies of the  $i^{th}$  object are available, for all  $i$ ). Description of the **0-1-2-3 Knapsack Problem** is given as follows.

**0-1-2-3 Knapsack Problem:**

Instance:  $n$  objects,  $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n$  profits, knapsack of capacity  $M$ ,  $w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n$  weights

Question: To find  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  s.t.  $\sum p_i x_i$  is maximized subject to  $\sum w_i x_i \leq M$  where  $x_i = 0$  or 1 or 2 or 3.

For the dynamic programming functional equation to solve the **0-1-2-3 Knapsack Problem**, we define  $f_i(X) = \max$  profit generated after considering the first  $i$  objects (or values of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_i$ ) subject to capacity  $X$ .

(a) (3 pts)

$$f_0(X) = \boxed{\phantom{0}}, \forall 0 \leq X \leq M$$

(b) (12 pts)

We assume that  $f_i(X) = -\infty, \forall 0 \leq i < n$  and  $X < 0$

$$f_i(X) = \max \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \boxed{\phantom{0}} \end{array} \right\} \quad \forall 1 \leq i \leq n \text{ and } 0 \leq X \leq M$$

(c) (5 pts) Analyze the complexity of your algorithm in part (c)? **Justify your answer.**