

## Assignment – 4

Let  $\mathbb{P} = \{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n\}$  be a set of  $n$  points in two-dimensional space. Many points can share the same  $x$  and  $y$  coordinates, however no two points are the same.

- Find the closest pair point in  $\mathcal{O}(n \log n)$  time.
- Find three closest pair points in  $\mathcal{O}(n \log n)$  time.

To achieve the aforementioned time complexity, you have to make sure that the division into left and right parts are nearly equal.