

Q1.

a.  $O(n^2)$

b. To prove that  $f(n) = 7n + 3n^2 + 2n \log n + 2$  is  $O(n^2)$ , we show that there exists a constant  $C$  and  $n_0$  such that for any integer  $n \geq n_0$ ,  $f(n) \leq Cn^2$

$$\text{Since } 7n \leq 7n^2 \quad \forall n \geq 1$$

$$2n \log n \leq 2n^2 \quad \forall n \geq 2$$

$$2 \leq 2n^2 \quad \forall n \geq 1$$

$$\text{So } f(n) = 7n + 3n^2 + 2n \log n + 2 \leq 7n^2 + 2n^2 + 2n^2 + 3n^2 = 14n^2$$

As a result,  $\forall n \geq 2$ ,  $f(n) \leq 14n^2$ , so by definition  $f(n) = O(n^2)$

Q2.

a. Divide and Conquer

b. Initialize  $l=0$   $m=7$ .

Iteration 1:  $m = \lceil \frac{0+7}{2} \rceil = 3$ ,  $A[3] = 49 < 99 = k$ , so update  $l = 4$

Iteration 2:  $m = \lceil \frac{4+7}{2} \rceil = 5$ ,  $A[5] = 55 < 99 = k$ , so update  $l = 6$

Iteration 3:  $m = \lceil \frac{6+7}{2} \rceil = 6$ ,  $A[6] = 99 = k$ , return  $m = 6$

So the output is 6

c. After first comparison, the search interval is reduced to  $\frac{n}{2}$ ;

After second comparison, the search interval is reduced to  $\frac{n}{4}$ ;

After  $k$ th comparison, the search interval is  $\frac{n}{2^k}$ ;

The process stops when the search interval has been reduced to only one element, which means

$$\frac{n}{2^k} = 1. \text{ so } 2^k = n \Rightarrow k = \log_2 n$$

Since each iteration uses a constant amount of work, so the overall run time is proportional to  $\log_2 n$ .

Hence the time complexity is  $O(\log n)$ .

Q3.

a. When  $i=0$ , compare with indices 1, 2, 3, 4, 5  $\longrightarrow$  5 comparisons

when  $i=1$ , compare with indices 2, 3, 4, 5  $\longrightarrow$  4 comparisons

when  $i=2$ , compare with indices 3, 4, 5  $\longrightarrow$  3 comparisons

when  $i=3$ , compare with indices 4, 5  $\longrightarrow$  2 comparisons

when  $i=4$ , compare with indices 5  $\longrightarrow$  1 comparison

So Total comparisons =  $5+4+3+2+1 = 15$

b. ① compare 6 and 1, swap  $\longrightarrow [1, 6, 2, 3, 4, 5]$

②. compare 6 and 2, swap  $\longrightarrow [1, 2, 6, 3, 4, 5]$

③ compare 6 and 3, swap  $\longrightarrow [1, 2, 3, 6, 4, 5]$

④. compare 6 and 4, swap  $\longrightarrow [1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 5]$

⑤. compare 6 and 5, swap  $\longrightarrow [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6]$

The array has been sorted into the ascending order.

So the number of swapping operations is 5.

Q4.

a. The adjacency matrix:

	a	b	c	d	e	f
a	0	1	0	0	1	0
b	1	0	1	1	0	1
c	0	1	0	1	0	1
d	0	1	1	0	0	1
e	1	0	0	0	0	1
f	0	1	1	1	1	0

The adjacency list:

$a \rightarrow b, e$   
 $b \rightarrow a, c, d, f$   
 $c \rightarrow b, d, f$   
 $d \rightarrow b, c, f$   
 $e \rightarrow a, f$   
 $f \rightarrow b, c, d, e$

b. let  $e_1 = (a, b)$ ,  $e_2 = (a, e)$ ,  $e_3 = (e, f)$ ,  $e_4 = (b, f)$ ,  $e_5 = (b, c)$ ,  $e_6 = (c, f)$ ,  $e_7 = (d, f)$ ,

$e_8 = (c, d)$ ,  $e_9 = (b, d)$

The incidence matrix:

	a	b	c	d	e	f
$e_1$	1	1	0	0	0	0
$e_2$	1	0	0	0	1	0
$e_3$	0	0	0	0	1	1
$e_4$	0	1	0	0	0	1
$e_5$	0	1	1	0	0	0
$e_6$	0	0	1	0	0	1
$e_7$	0	0	0	1	0	1
$e_8$	0	0	1	1	0	0
$e_9$	0	1	0	1	0	0

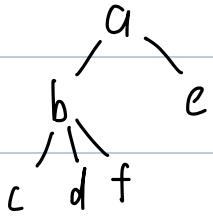
The incidence list:

$e_1 \rightarrow a, b$   
 $e_2 \rightarrow a, e$   
 $e_3 \rightarrow e, f$   
 $e_4 \rightarrow b, f$   
 $e_5 \rightarrow b, c$   
 $e_6 \rightarrow c, f$   
 $e_7 \rightarrow d, f$   
 $e_8 \rightarrow c, d$   
 $e_9 \rightarrow b, d$

c.

Order of BFS traversal:  $a \rightarrow b \rightarrow e \rightarrow c \rightarrow d \rightarrow f$

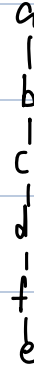
BFS Tree:



d.

Order of DFS traversal:  $a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c \rightarrow d \rightarrow f \rightarrow e$

DFS Tree:

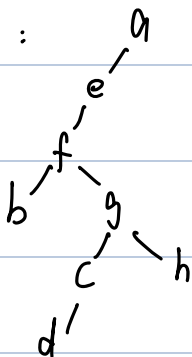


Q5

Q. The order in which the vertices are selected is as follows:  $a, e, f, b, g, c, d, h$

Order Selected	$a(-, -)$	$b(-, \infty)$	$c(-, \infty)$	$d(-, \infty)$	$e(-, \infty)$	$f(-, \infty)$	$g(-, \infty)$	$h(-, \infty)$
$a(-, -)$		$b(a, 4)$	$c(-, \infty)$	$d(-, \infty)$	$e(a, 1)$	$f(-, \infty)$	$g(-, \infty)$	$h(-, \infty)$
$e(a, 1)$		$b(a, 4)$	$c(-, \infty)$	$d(-, \infty)$		$f(e, 2)$	$g(-, \infty)$	$h(-, \infty)$
$f(e, 2)$		$b(f, 3)$	$c(f, 10)$	$d(-, \infty)$			$g(f, 5)$	$h(-, \infty)$
$b(f, 3)$			$c(b, 6)$	$d(-, \infty)$			$g(f, 5)$	$h(-, \infty)$
$g(f, 5)$			$c(g, 11)$	$d(g, 10)$				$h(g, 7)$
$c(g, 11)$				$d(c, 7)$				$h(g, 7)$
$d(c, 7)$								$h(g, 7)$
$h(g, 7)$								

The MST :



The MST drawn is not unique

b. Sorting edges according to their weights in increasing order:

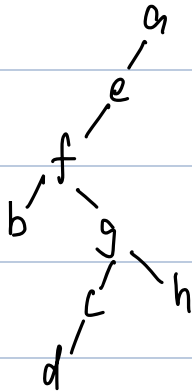
(a,e) 1

The MST:

(c,g) 1

(e,f) 2

(b,f) 3



~~(a,b) 4~~

(f,g) 5

~~(b,c) 6~~

(c,d) 7

The MST is not unique

(g,h) 7

~~(d,h) 8~~

~~(c,f) 10~~

~~(d,g) 10~~

c. Selected order of edges: (a,e), (e,f), (a,b), (f,g), (g,c), (g,h), (c,d)

Order Selected	a(-,-)	b(-,∞)	c(-,∞)	d(-,∞)	e(-,∞)	f(-,∞)	g(-,∞)	h(-,∞)
a(-,-)		b(a,4)	c(-,∞)	d(-,∞)	e(a,1)	f(-,∞)	g(-,∞)	h(-,∞)
e(a,1)		b(a,4)	c(-,∞)	d(-,∞)		f(e,3)	g(-,∞)	h(-,∞)
f(e,3)		b(a,4)	c(f,13)	d(-,∞)			g(f,8)	h(-,∞)
b(a,4)			c(b,10)	d(-,∞)			g(f,8)	h(-,∞)
g(f,8)			c(g,9)	d(g,18)				h(g,15)
c(g,9)				d(c,16)				h(g,15)
h(g,15)				d(c,16)				
d(c,16)								

The shortest paths :

