

CS213/293 Data Structure and Algorithms 2024 IITB India
Midterm

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Duration : 2 hours

Total: 50 marks

Please write pseudocode otherwise there will be no marks. Some supporting definitions are given below.

Section A (26 marks)

1. (6 marks) Mark the following statements as True / False. Also, justify.

- (a) KMP is $O(n + m)$ for text of size n and pattern of size m .
- (b) For a fixed array of size 2^k for integer k , the binary search always takes the same amount of time in the case of an unsuccessful search.
- (c) Each black node of a red-black tree must have a red child.
- (d) Each node in a trie represents a unique word.
- (e) A hash function must be one-to-one.
- (f) Code `A& x = new A();` will give compilation error. Assume class `A` is defined and has constructor `A()`.

2. (4 marks) Prove/disprove: if there are no red nodes in a red-black tree, then the tree is a complete tree.

3. (4 marks) Given a suffix tree for a text T , give an efficient algorithm to find the longest string that repeats in T .

4. (6 marks) Prove/Disprove: $O(f) + O(g) \subseteq O(f + g)$.

5. (8 marks) Let us consider a binary tree T .

- a. Give an efficient algorithm to find a farthest node from a node n in T .
- b. Give an efficient algorithm for calculating the diameter of T .

Assume that you have access to the parent pointer. Please write pseudocode otherwise there will be no marks.

Supporting definitions

Definition 1.1 A binary tree is complete if the height of the root is h and every level $i \leq h$ has 2^i nodes.

Definition 1.2 Let f and g be functions $\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$. We say $f(n) \in O(g(n))$ if there are c and n_0 such that $f(n) \leq cg(n)$ for all $n \geq n_0$.

Definition 1.3 Let A and B be subsets of $\mathbb{p}(\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N})$. $A + B = \{f + g \mid f \in A \wedge g \in B\}$.

Definition 1.4 The diameter of a tree is the length of the longest path between any two nodes of the tree.

Definition 1.5 A suffix tree of a text T is a trie built for suffixes of T .

Section B (24 marks)

6. (4+8 marks) A leftist heap is a heap without the structural property. Instead, it satisfies leftist property $npl(left(n)) \geq npl(right(n))$ for each node n , where

$$npl(n) = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } n \text{ is null} \\ \min(npl(left(n)), npl(right(n))) + 1 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

We define merge operation as follows.

Algorithm 1.1: merge(LeftistHeap a, LeftistHeap b)

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1 if a == Null then return b;
2 if b == Null then return a;
3 if (value(b) < value(a)) then return merge( b, a);
4 right(a) := merge(right(a), b);
5 if npl(left(a)) < npl(right(a)) then SWAP(left(a), right(a));
6 return a

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Algorithm 1.2: insert(Node a, LeftistHeap b)

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1 left(a) = right(a) = Null; Return merge(a, b)

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Algorithm 1.3: deleteMin(LeftistHeap a)

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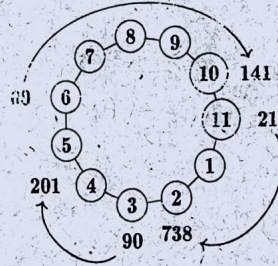
1 if a == Null then return; a
2 Return merge(left(a), right(a))

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- a. Prove that insert and deleteMin return leftist heaps
b. Prove that insert and deleteMin are $O(\log n)$ operations

7. (10 marks) Let us suppose we want to store n keys on m servers. The servers have IDs. We may use a hash function h to map the keys to servers. Both keys and IDs of the servers are hashed. The computed hash values are placed on a ring, like a clock. Some of the points on the ring are the servers and some are keys. A key is stored on the closest server in the clockwise direction. Each time a server is added/removed the keys are moved according to the above rule.

Example: Let $h(x) = 1 + x \% 11$. We want to store keys 21, 60, and 90 on three server with IDs 141, 201, and 738. The hash values of the keys are 11, 6, 3 and the hash values of the servers are 10, 4, 2. The keys 21, 60, and 90 will be stored in servers 738, 141, and 201 respectively.



- a. Give an efficient algorithm for adding/removing keys on the servers.
b. Give an efficient algorithm for implementing add/remove of servers.

You may use the algorithms taught in the course as sub-procedures for this question. Please write pseudocode otherwise there will be no marks.