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Section Solution

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Question 1 [4 marks]Let V = Vocabulary size, N = Total number of documents

AveD = Average Document Length

 $|q|$ = query length $|posting|$ = length of posting list of a word

Write time and space complexity of different indexing methods in this table.

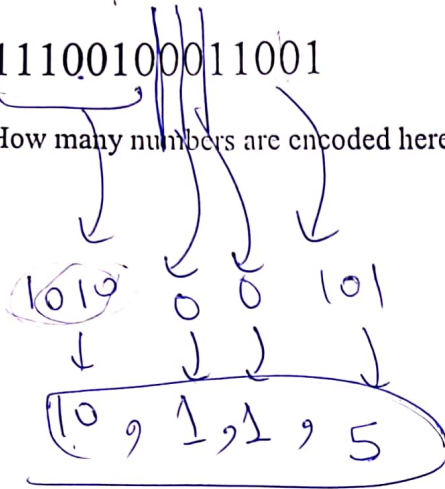
	Forward Index	Inverted Index
Time Complexity for relevant document retrieval	$\cancel{q } \times N \times AveD$	$V \times posting $
space Complexity	$N \times AveD$	$\frac{N \times AveD}{OR}$ $V \times posting $

Question 2

Decode following into decimal numbers using Elias Gamma decoding. [3 Marks]

11100100011001

How many numbers are encoded here?



4 numbers

Question 3

Suppose a company needs to store large number of financial figures. The value of numbers range from 20,000 to 60,000. Which of the following two options will be more space efficient for encoding these numbers. Why? [3 Mark]

a) Elias Gamma Encoding

b) 16 bit Fixed Length Encoding

16-bit Fixed

Reason This data has large numbers which need almost 15 to 16 bits. ~~Elias~~ Avg bits for Elias Gamma will be more as compared to 16-bit Fixed.

Elias-Gamma is space efficient for small number.