

CS 374 HW 5 Problem 2

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TOTAL POINTS

80 / 100

QUESTION 1

1 Wireless routers. **80 / 100**

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- **75 pts** IDK
- **20 pts** Suboptimal Solution in $O(n^3k)$
- **100 pts** Exponential Time Algorithm
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- 💬 Runtime is suboptimal (see solution for $O(n^2k)$).

Q2)

Define: $my_cost(s, Y) = \sum_{i=s}^n cost(li, Y)$: cost of all customers with $l \geq ls$ ($1 \leq s \leq n$)
 $\Rightarrow my_cost(s, \emptyset) = \infty$

Let $Opt(i, j)$ denote the optimal solution for placing j routers in $(n-i+1)$ locations li, \dots, ln . We have the recurrence:

$$Opt(li, j) = \begin{cases} \emptyset & \text{if } i > n \text{ or } j \leq 0 \\ Y_1 & \text{if } my_cost(i, Y_1) < my_cost(i, Y_2) \\ Y_2 & \text{if } my_cost(i, Y_1) \geq my_cost(i, Y_2) \end{cases}$$

Y_1 and Y_2 are defined as following:

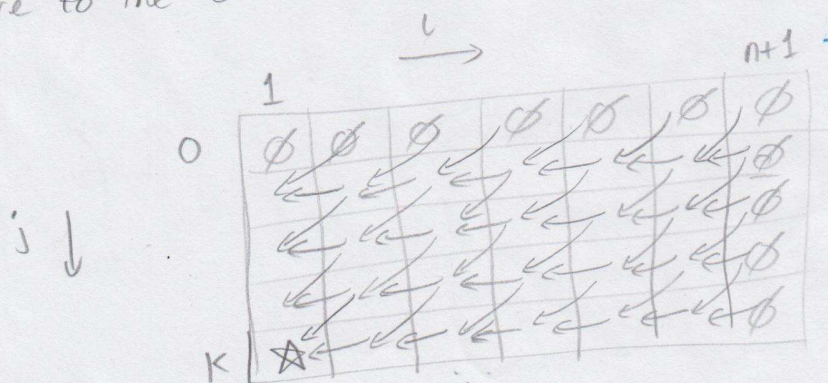
$$Y_1 = Opt(i+1, j)$$

$$Y_2 = Opt(i+1, j-1) \cup \{li\}$$

We need to compute $Opt(1, K)$.

We can memoize the function $Opt(i, j)$ into an array $A[1 \dots n+1, 0 \dots K]$. Each entry $A[i, j]$ is optimal solution for placing j routers in $(n-i+1)$ locations li, \dots, ln .

We have entry $A[i, j]$ depends on entry $A[i+1, j]$ and $A[i+1, j-1]$, we fill the array from top to bottom in a column and move to the column on the left when finish.



Optimal-Y ($L[l_1 \dots l_n], K$) {

$A[1 \dots n+1, 0 \dots k]$.

For $j \leftarrow 0$ to k :

$A[n+1, j] = \emptyset$ // Base case

For $i \leftarrow 1$ to $n+1$:

$A[i, 0] = \emptyset$ // Base case

For $i \leftarrow n$ to 1 :

For $j \leftarrow 1$ to k :

$cost1 = my_cost(i, A[i+1, j]);$

$temp = A[i+1, j-1];$

$temp.add(li);$

$cost2 = my_cost(i, temp);$

if ($cost1 < cost2$)

$A[i, j] = A[i+1, j];$

else

$A[i, j] = temp;$

}

}

return $A[1, k];$

}

The running time of this block equals 2 times the running time of function my_cost().

• Implement function my_cost(s, Y).

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my_cost(s, Y) {
  If (Y == ∅) {
    return ∞;
  }
  total ← 0.
  For i ← s to n { // n is the total of locations
    total = total + (li - nn(li, Y))^4 // this take O(k) time
  }
  return total;
}

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$O(n \cdot k)$ $\leftarrow O(k)$

This function takes $O(n \cdot k)$ because each the block inside for loop take $O(k)$. And we loop through it n times.

Analysis of the algorithm:

To fill each entry we need $O(n \cdot k)$ time because we call function my_cost() two times.

We have $O(n \cdot k)$ entries in the table

\Rightarrow Total running time = $O(n^2 k^2)$

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