

Assignment 1

Q. 1) Explain Finding Median using Divide and Conquer.

→ Median of a list is its 50th percentile: half the numbers are bigger than it, half are smaller.

Method to find median:

- 1) Find the smallest element problem.
- 2) Pick any element v from a list S
- 3) Split a list S into 3 parts
 - elements small than v
 - those equal to v
 - elements greater than v
- 4) Narrow search into one of sublists based on k .

For eg:

1) Let $v=5$ and $S =$

2	36	5	21	8	13	11	20	5	4	1
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2) Split S in 3 parts

$S_L =$

2	4	1
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 $S_V =$

5	5
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 $S_R =$

36	21	8	13	11	20
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$|S| = 11$, $|S_L| = 3$, $|S_V| = 2$

∴ Median will be located in S_R and search the lowest value of S_R

The algorithm is defined as:

$$\text{Selection}(S, k) = \begin{cases} \text{Selection}(S_L, k) & \text{if } k \leq |S_L| \\ v & \text{if } |S_L| < |S_L| + |S_V| \\ \text{Selection}(S_R, k - |S_L| - |S_V|) & \text{if } k > |S_L| + |S_V| \end{cases}$$

Time complexity:

Best case : $T(n) + T(n/2) + O(n)$

Worst case : $n + (n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + 1 = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = O(n^2)$

Average case:

We can split list into 3 quarter size average

$$T(n) \leq T\left(\frac{3n}{4}\right) + O(n)$$

\therefore Total execution time will be $T(n) = O(n)$

Q. 2

Maximize $Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2 + 5x_3$

subject to $x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 \leq 430$

$$3x_1 + 2x_3 \leq 460$$

$$x_1 + 4x_2 \leq 420$$

$$x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0$$

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In standard form,

$$Z - 3x_1 - 2x_2 - 5x_3 + 0s_1 + 0s_2 + 0s_3 = 0$$

$$3x_1 + 0x_2 + 2x_3 + 0s_1 + 0s_2 + 0s_3 = 460$$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 + s_1 + 0s_2 + 0s_3 = 430$$

$$x_1 + 4x_2 + 0x_3 + 0s_1 + 0s_2 + s_3 = 420$$

Sample Table:

Iteration number	Basic Variables	Coefficients of							RHS Solution	Ratio
		x_1	x_2	x_3	s_1	s_2	s_3			
0	Z	-3	-2	-5	0	0	0	0		
x_3 enters	s_1	1	2	1	1	0	0	430	$430/1 = 430$	
s_2 leaves	s_2	3	0	2	0	1	0	460	$460/2 = 230$	
	s_3	1	4	0	0	0	1	420	$420/0 = 0$	

Iteration number	Basic variables	Coefficient of							RHS solution	Ratio
		x_1	x_2	x_3	s_1	s_2	s_3			
1	z	$9/2$	-2	0	0	$3/2$	0		1150	
x_2 enters	s_1	$-1/2$	2	0	1	$-1/2$	0		200	$200/2 = 100$
s_1 leaves	x_3	$3/2$	0	1	0	$1/2$	0		230	$230/0 = 0$
	s_3	1	4	0	0	0	1		420	$420/4 = 105$

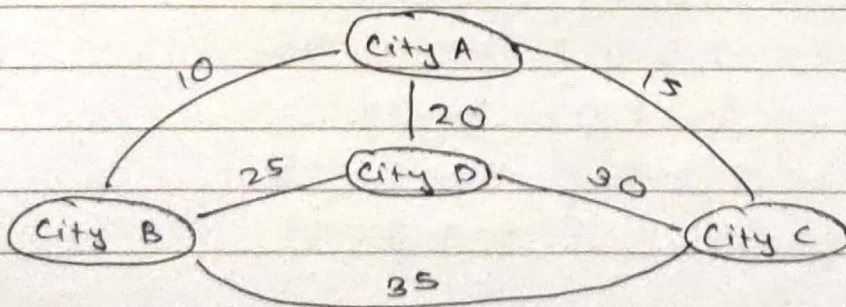
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		x_1	x_2	x_3	s_1	s_2	s_3			
2	z_1	4	0	0	1	2	0		1350	
	x_2	$-1/4$	1	0	$1/2$	$-1/4$	0		100	
	x_3	$3/2$	0	1	0	$1/2$	0		230	
	s_3	2	0	0	-2	1	1		-210	

All z are positive.

\therefore The solution is $x_1 = 0$, $x_2 = 100$, $x_3 = 230$

$\therefore Z_{\max} = 1350$

Q. 3) Solve the Travelling salesman Problem for the graph.



→ Above graph can be represented by:

	A	B	C	D
A	0	10	15	20
B	10	0	35	25
C	15	35	0	30
D	20	25	30	0

For i.e.s,

$$g(i, s) = \min_{j \in s} \{ C_{ij} + g(j, s - \{j\}) \}$$

$g(i, \emptyset)$ = means start at node i and end at i with no vertices in between.

Iteration 1:

$$g(B, \emptyset) = C_{BA} = 10$$

$$g(C, \emptyset) = C_{CA} = 15$$

$$g(D, \emptyset) = C_{DA} = 20$$

Iteration 2:

$$g(B, \{C\}) = C_{BC} + g(C, \emptyset) = 35 + 15 = 50$$

$$g(B, \{D\}) = C_{BD} + g(D, \emptyset) = 25 + 20 = 45$$

$$g(C, \{B\}) = C_{CB} + g(B, \emptyset) = 35 + 10 = 45$$

$$g(C, \{D\}) = C_{CD} + g(D, \emptyset) = 30 + 20 = 50$$

$$g(D, \{B\}) = C_{DB} + g(B, \emptyset) = 25 + 10 = 35$$

$$g(D, \{C\}) = C_{DC} + g(C, \emptyset) = 30 + 15 = 45$$

Iteration 3:

$$g(B, \{C, D\}) = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} C_{BC} + g(C, \{D\}) \Rightarrow 35 + 50 = 85 \\ C_{BD} + g(D, \{C\}) \Rightarrow 25 + 45 = 70 \end{array} \right\} = 70$$

$$g(C, \{B, D\}) = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (CB + g(B, \{D\}) \Rightarrow 35 + 45 = 80 \\ (CD + g(D, \{B\}) \Rightarrow 80 + 35 = 65 \end{array} \right\} = 65$$

$$g(D, \{B, C\}) = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (DB + g(B, \{C\}) \Rightarrow 35 + 50 = 85 \\ (DC + g(C, \{B\}) \Rightarrow 30 + 45 = 75 \end{array} \right\} = 75$$

Iteration 4:

$$g(A, \{B, C, D\}) = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (AB + g(B, \{C, D\}) = 10 + 70 = 80 \\ (AC + g(C, \{B, D\}) = 15 + 65 = 80 \\ (AD + g(D, \{B, C\}) = 20 + 75 = 95 \end{array} \right\} = 80$$

Shortest path = $A \rightarrow B \rightarrow D \rightarrow C \rightarrow A$

OR

$A \rightarrow C \rightarrow D \rightarrow B \rightarrow A$

Q. 4) Write short note on Asymptotic Notations:

→ Asymptotic notations are a mathematical tool to find time or space complexity of an algorithm without implementing it in a programming language. These measure is independent of machine-specific constants.

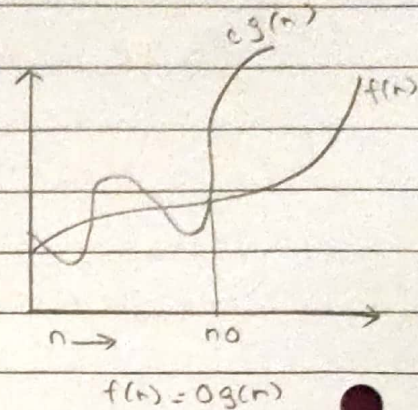
There are mainly 3 asymptotic notations:

- 1) Big O - notation
- 2) Omega notation
- 3) Theta notation

(i) Big O Notation:

Big O Notation defines upper bound for the algorithm. It means the running time of algorithm cannot be more than

its asymptotic upper bound. It gives worst-case complexity of an algorithm. Let $f(n)$ and $g(n)$ are two non-negative functions indicating running time of 2 algorithms. We say $g(n)$ is upper bound of $f(n)$ if there exist some positive constants c and n_0 such that $0 \leq f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n)$ for all $n \geq n_0$. It is denoted as $f(n) = O(g(n))$.



For eg: $T(n) = 3n + 2$

$$0 \leq f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n)$$

$$0 \leq 3n + 2 \leq c \cdot g(n)$$

$$0 \leq 3n + 2 \leq 3n + 2n$$

$$\therefore 0 \leq 3n + 2 \leq 5n$$

(ii) Big Omega Notation :

Big omega notation defines lower bound of algorithm. Running time of algorithm cannot be less than its asymptotic lower bound. It provides best case complexity.

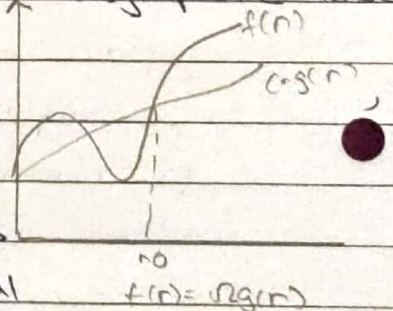
Let $f(n)$ and $g(n)$ be 2 non-negative functions.

The function $g(n)$ is lower bound of function

$f(n)$ if there exist some positive constants

c and n_0 such that $0 \leq c \cdot g(n) \leq f(n)$ for all

$n \geq n_0$. $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$.



For eg:

$$T(n) = 3n + 2$$

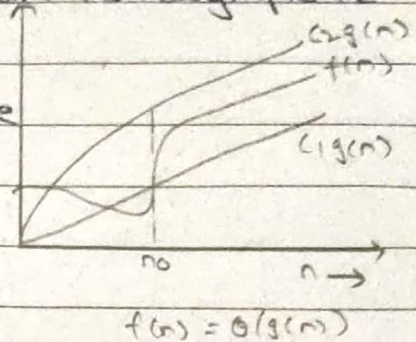
$$0 \leq c \cdot g(n) \leq f(n)$$

$$0 \leq c \cdot g(n) \leq 3n + 2$$

$$0 \leq 3n \leq 3n + 2$$

(iii) Big Theta Notation:

Theta notation defines tight bound for algorithm. Running time should be less than or greater than its asymptotic tight bound. It provides average case complexity. Let $f(n)$ and $g(n)$ be 2 non-negative functions. The function $g(n)$ is tight bound of function $f(n)$ if there exist some positive constants c_1, c_2 and n_0 such that $0 \leq c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n)$ for all $n \geq n_0$.
 $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$.



For eg:

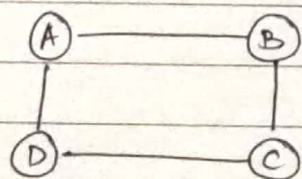
$$T(n) = 3n + 2$$

$$0 \leq c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n)$$

$$0 \leq c_1 g(n) \leq 3n + 2 \leq c_2 g(n)$$

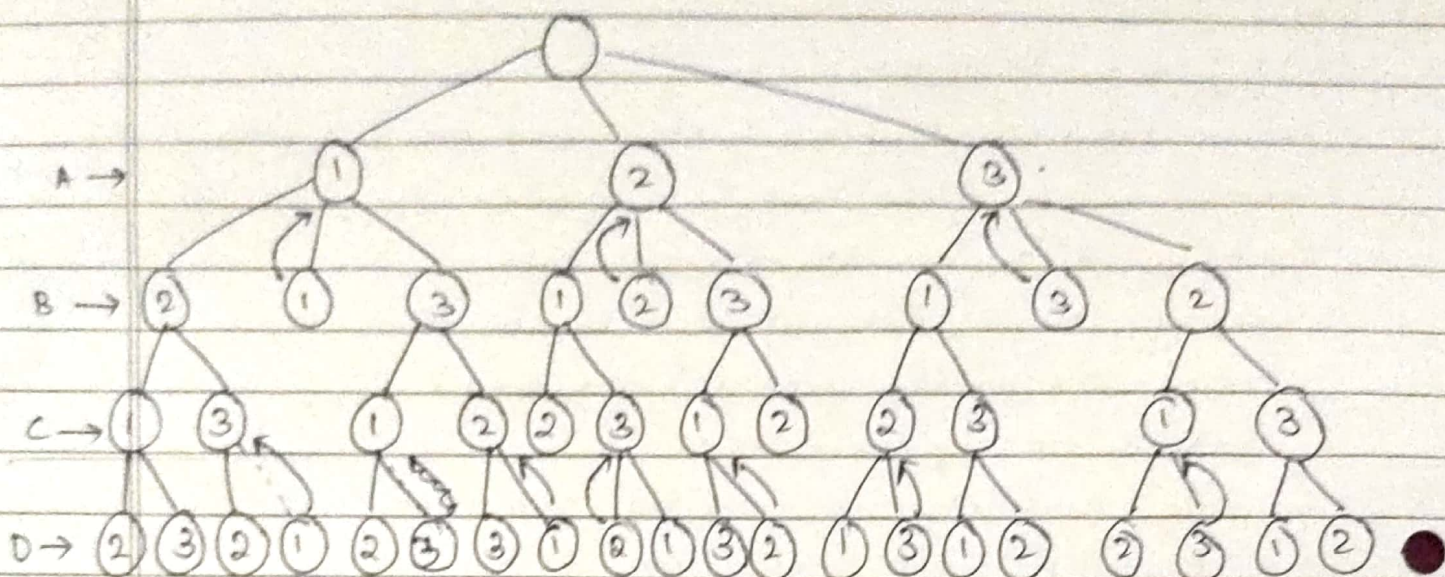
$$0 \leq 3n \leq 3n + 2 \leq 5n \text{ for all } n \geq 1$$

Q. 5) Explain Graph colouring Algorithm with help of an example?



let there be 3 colours
 $m = 3$

State space tree: (specifies all possible combination)



If we assign colour 1 to vertex A then colour 1 cannot be assigned to B and D and thus we backtrack and assign next colour. In next step B is assigned some different colour 2 or 3. Now vertex A is already coloured and C is neighbourhood of B, so C cannot be assigned colour 3 if B is assigned colour 2 and vice-versa. The process goes on.

In this way using backtracking method graph colouring algorithm is solved.