

Homework 6  
Part 1  
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1.

$\text{hash}(x) = \text{hash}(y)$

2.

Hash Function C is the best option because the resulting hash code will fit into the table and accommodates the string input type. Hash Function A won't work since the  $x$  is a string. Hash Function B won't work because most names have a similar number of characters, so the resulting hash function would be clustered together. Hash Function D would result in every input mapping to the same slot in the hash table, which is not the purpose of a hash table. Finally Hash Function E could possibly not fit into the table if the input string was long enough.

3.

$\text{hash}(x) = x \bmod 7$  and keys 5, 7, 14, 1, 19, 21

(a.)

$\text{hash}(5) = 5$

					5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

$\text{hash}(7) = 0$

7					5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

$\text{hash}(14) = 0$

14					5	
7						
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

$\text{hash}(1) = 1$

14					5	
7	1					
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

$\text{hash}(19) = 5$

14					19	
7	1				5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

$\text{hash}(21) = 0$

21					19	
14					5	
7	1				5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

(b.)

$\text{hash}(5) = 5$

					5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

$\text{hash}(7) = 0$

7					5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

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hash(14) = 0
rehash(14) = (0+1) % 7 = 1
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7	14				5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

```
hash(1) = 1
rehash(1) = (1+1) % 7 = 2
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7	14	1			5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

```
hash(19) = 5
rehash(19) = (5+1) % 7 = 6
```

7	14	1			5	19
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

```
hash(21) = 0
rehash(21) = (0+1) % 7 = 1
rehash(21) = (0+2) % 7 = 2
rehash(21) = (0+3) % 7 = 3
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7	14	1	21		5	19
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

(c.)

```
hash(5) = 5
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					5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

```
hash(7) = 0
```

7					5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

```
hash(14) = 0
rehash(14) = (0+1) % 7 = 1
```

7	14				5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

```
hash(1) = 1
rehash(1) = (1+1) % 7 = 2
```

7	14	1			5	
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

```
hash(19) = 5
rehash(19) = (5+1) % 7 = 6
```

7	14	1			5	19
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

```
hash(21) = 0
rehash(21) = (0+1) % 7 = 1
rehash(21) = (0+4) % 7 = 4
```

7	14	1		21	5	19
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

(d.)

hash(5) = 5

0	1	2	3	4	5	6
					5	

hash(7) = 0

0	1	2	3	4	5	6
7					5	

hash(14) = 0

rehash(14) =  $0+1(3-(14 \% 3)) = 1 \% 7 = 1$

0	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	14				5	

hash(1) = 1

rehash(1) =  $1+1(3-(1 \% 3)) = 3 \% 7 = 3$

0	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	14		1		5	

hash(19) = 5

rehash(19) =  $5+1(3-(19 \% 3)) = 7 \% 7 = 0$

rehash(19) =  $5+2(3-(19 \% 3)) = 9 \% 7 = 2$

0	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	14	19	1		5	

hash(21) = 0

rehash(21) =  $0+1(3-(21 \% 3)) = 3 \% 7 = 3$

rehash(21) =  $0+2(3-(21 \% 3)) = 6 \% 7 = 6$

0	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	14	19	1		5	21

(e.)

The Load Factor is  $6/7$  which is about 0.857