

**Homework 3: assigned 10/21, due 10/27 at 9 am Pacific time**

- 1. Exercise 9 Page 110 “There is a natural intuition ....”**
- 2. Exercise 6 on page 108 “We have a connected graph  $G$  ....”**
- 3. Exercise 11 on page 111 “You are helping some security analysts...”**
- 4. Exercise 2 on page 189 “For each of the following two statements ...”**
- 5. You have been commissioned to write a program for the next version of electronic voting software . The input will be the number of candidates,  $d$ , and an array votes of size  $v$  holding the votes in the order they were cast where each vote is an integer from 1 to  $d$ . The goal is to determine if there is a candidate with a majority of the votes (more than half the votes) . You can use only a constant number of extra storage (note that  $v$  and  $d$  are not constants). Prove the correctness of your algorithm and analyze its time complexity.**
- 6.     a. Can you design an algorithm that finds the longest path in a directed graph (DG) (you can use an edge at most once)? If yes, describe the algorithm and analyze its time complexity.**  
  
**b. Can you design an algorithm that finds the longest path in a directed acyclic graph (DAG)? (you can use an edge at most once)? If yes, describe the algorithm and analyze its time complexity.**