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Homework 12

You have to submit your solutions as announced in the lecture. Unless mentioned otherwise, all problems are due 2017-05-19, 11:00. There will be no deadline extensions unless mentioned otherwise in the lecture.

Problem 12.1 Greedy Algorithms

Points: 10

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given: 2017-05-10

Using the general structure, implement the greedy algorithm for the scheduling problem from 21.5.3.

Problem 12.2 Matroids

Points: 6

Prove that the structure used in the scheduling problem (21.5.3) is indeed a matroid.

Problem 12.3 Dynamic Programming

Points: 10

Using the general structure, implement the dynamic program for the knapsack problem from 22.3.4.

Problem 12.4 Parallelization

Points: 0

Consider the parallel associative folding algorithm from the notes.

Determine the time complexity $C^k(n)$ for running it on a list of length n using k machines.