

CS 111 ASSIGNMENT 4

due February 19, 2024

Problem 1: Give an asymptotic estimate, using the Θ -notation, of the number of letters printed by the algorithms given below. Give a complete justification for your answer, by providing an appropriate recurrence equation and its solution.

(a) **algorithm** PrintAs(n)
 if $n \leq 1$ **then**
 print("A")
 else
 for $j \leftarrow 1$ **to** n^3
 do print("A")
 for $i \leftarrow 1$ **to** 5 **do**
 PrintAs($\lfloor n/2 \rfloor$)

(b) **algorithm** PrintBs(n)
 if $n \geq 4$ **then**
 for $j \leftarrow 1$ **to** n^2
 do print("B")
 for $i \leftarrow 1$ **to** 6 **do**
 PrintBs($\lfloor n/4 \rfloor$)
 for $i \leftarrow 1$ **to** 10 **do**
 PrintBs($\lceil n/4 \rceil$)

(c) **algorithm** PrintCs(n)
 if $n \leq 2$ **then**
 print("C")
 else
 for $j \leftarrow 1$ **to** n
 do print("C")
 PrintCs($\lfloor n/3 \rfloor$)
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(d) **algorithm** PrintDs(n)
 if $n \geq 5$ **then**
 print("D")
 print("D")
 if $(x \equiv 0 \pmod{2})$ **then**
 PrintDs($\lfloor n/5 \rfloor$)
 PrintDs($\lceil n/5 \rceil$)
 $x \leftarrow x + 3$
 else
 PrintDs($\lceil n/5 \rceil$)
 PrintDs($\lfloor n/5 \rfloor$)
 $x \leftarrow 5x + 3$

In part (d), variable x is a global variable initialized to 1.

Solution 1: SOLUTION 1 GOES HERE

Problem 2: We have three sets A , B , C with the following properties:

(a) $|B| = 2|A|$, $|C| = 3|A|$,

(b) $|A \cap B| = 18$, $|A \cap C| = 20$, $|B \cap C| = 24$,

(c) $|A \cap B \cap C| = 11$,

(d) $|A \cup B \cup C| = 129$.

Use the inclusion-exclusion principle to determine the number of elements in A . Show your work.

Solution 2: SOLUTION 2 GOES HERE

Problem 3: A company, Nice Inc., will award 45 fellowships to high-achieving UCR students from four different majors: computer science, biology, political science and history. They decided to give fellowship awards to at least 8 students majoring in computer science and at most 8 biology majors. The number of political science and history majors should be between 5 and 12 students each. How many possible lists of awardees are there? You need to give a complete derivation for the final answer, using the method developed in class. (Brute force listing of all lists will not be accepted.)

Solution 3: SOLUTION 3 GOES HERE

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