

**Homework 1 Part 2**  
**CSE 246 Analysis of Algorithms, Spring 2018**  
**Due 03.04.2018, Tuesday (Midterm Exam)**

**1. (a)** An array  $A[0..n-2]$  contains  $n-1$  integers from 1 to  $n$  in increasing order. (Thus one integer in the range is missing.) Design the most efficient algorithm you can to find the missing integer and indicate its time efficiency.

**(b)** Repeat (a) for an unsorted array (instead of an array in increasing order).

**(c)** Now consider  $A[0..n-3]$  which contains  $n-2$  integers from 1 to  $n$  in increasing order. (Thus two integers in the range are missing.) Design the most efficient algorithm you can to find the missing integers and indicate its time efficiency.

**2.** For each of the following problems design a **divide-and-conquer** algorithm. Code your algorithm in a programming language of your choice.

For each of the problem give the following:

- i. Step-by-step description of your algorithm.
- ii. Code (No need to give in a separate file, just a printed copy inside the HW report)
- iii. At least three sample input/output.

**a) Problem 1:** Consider an integer list  $A[0..n-1]$  that includes negative and positive integers. Among all subsequences in this list, find the sum of the subsequence that has largest sum.

Example: For the input:  $[-2, -5, 6, -2, -3, 1, 5, -6]$ ; Output is: 7.

Note: In this example, subsequence with the maximum sum is  $[6, -2, -3, 1, 5]$ .

**b) Problem 2:** Consider an integer list  $A[0..n-1]$  that includes negative and positive integers. Find the longest all-negative subsequence.

Example: For the input:  $[2, 5, 0, -3, -5, 0, -1, -2, -1, 2]$ ; Output is:  $[-1, -2, -1]$

**c) Problem 3:** Consider a binary list  $B[0..n-1]$  that includes 0's and 1's. Find the length of the longest alternating subsequence 010101.....

Example: For the input:  $[0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, \mathbf{0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 1}]$ ; Output is: 8.

Another example: For the input:  $[0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, \mathbf{0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1}]$ ; Output is: 7.

Note: Longest alternating subsequences are shown in bold.

**3.** Let  $A = \{a_1, \dots, a_n\}$  and  $B = \{b_1, \dots, b_m\}$  be two sets of numbers and  $m=n^2$ . Consider the problem of finding their intersection, i.e., the set  $C$  of all the numbers that are in both  $A$  and  $B$ . Design an efficient algorithm for solving this problem and determine its **efficiency class in terms of  $n$** .

Note: Please do not give pseudocode. Only give a step-by-step description. **Your algorithm should perform better than brute-force.**

Note: You are supposed to answer all the questions but selected questions will be graded.