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Question 3 →

(a) we need to arrange in increasing order of their rate of growth,

(i) $n^{7/4}$ (ii) $n \log n$ (iii) $n^{\log n}$ (iv) \sqrt{n}

Taking log in all equation, we get

$$= \log n^{7/4}, \log(n \log n), \log(n^{\log n}), \log(\sqrt{n})$$

$$= \frac{7}{4} \log n, \log n + \log \log n, \log n \log n, \frac{1}{2} \log n$$

computing ① → $\frac{7}{4} \log n = 1.75 \log n$

whereas ② → $\frac{1}{2} \log n = 0.5 \log n$

$$\therefore \frac{7}{4} \log n > \frac{1}{2} \log n$$

$$(i) > (iv)$$

comparing $n \log n$, $n^{\log n}$

$$\log n + \log \log n$$

$$\log n \cdot \log n$$

we can see, clearly,

$$\log n + \log \log n > \log n \log n$$

$$\therefore (iii) > (ii)$$

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comparing (i) $n^{7/4}$ and (ii) $n \log n$

$1.75 \log n$ and $\log n + \log \log n$

if we take $n = 10^{1000}$ (very large)

$$= 1.75 \log 10^{1000}, \quad \log 10^{1000} + \log \log 10^{1000}$$

$$= 1.75 \times 10^3 \times 1, \quad 10^3 + \log 10^3$$

$$= 1.75 \times 10^3 > 10^3 + 3 \log 10$$

$\therefore (i) > (ii)$ — III

comparing (iii) & (iv)

$n \log n$ and $\frac{1}{2} n$

$\log \log n$ and $0.5 \log n$

take any value of $n = 10^{1000}$ (very large)

$$\log \log 10^{1000}, \quad 0.5 \log 10^{1000}$$

$$= \log 10^3, \quad 0.5 \times 10^3$$

$$= 3 < 500$$

$\therefore (iii) < (iv)$ — IV

comparing (ii) $\rightarrow n \log n$ & (iv) $\frac{1}{2} n \log n$

take any large value $n = 10^{1000}$

$$\log n + \log(\log n), \quad \frac{1}{2} \log n \Rightarrow 10^3 + 3 > 0.5 \times 10^3$$

$\therefore (ii) > (iv)$ — V

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now comparing (ii) & (i)

$$n^{\log n}, \quad n^{7/4}$$

$$n^{7/4} = 1.75 \log n, \quad n^{\log n} = \log n \log n$$

$$\text{taking } n = 10^{1000}$$

$$1.75 \log 10^{1000}, \quad (\log 10^{1000})^2$$

$$= 1.75 \times 1000, \quad (10^3)^2$$

$$\therefore (i) < (iii) \quad - \text{VI}$$

from all equation, we get;

$$(iv) < (ii) < (i) < (iii)$$

$$\sqrt{n} < n^{\log n} < n^{7/4} < n$$

$$\boxed{\sqrt{n} < n^{\log n} < n^{7/4} < n}$$

(c) Head office is in Delhi. Salesman needs to visit all the branches offices of the company, starting from and returning to its head office.

Case 1: No city should be repeated

here, vertices are the cities

$$\therefore n(\text{no. of vertices}) = 6$$

& starting from Delhi, he returns to Delhi
 \therefore closed walk.

and as no cities (vertices) are repeated, hence
closed path.

But Bangalore is an articulation point i.e.

Bangalore. Hence, it is not possible to find

any closed path (Cycle)

Case 2: If it is allowed to visit city more than once,

if he can repeat vertices. Then it's possible to find a walk and return back to Delhi.

It can be like \rightarrow

Delhi \rightarrow Bangalore \rightarrow Kolkata \rightarrow Chandigarh \rightarrow Ahmedabad \rightarrow Bangalore \rightarrow Mumbai \rightarrow Delhi.

(b) To prove, By Mathematical Induction:

$$1^4 + 2^4 + 3^4 + \dots + n^4 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)(3n^2+3n+1)}{30}$$

firstly, take $k=1$, then

$$1^4 = \frac{1(1+1)(2 \cdot 1 + 1)(3 \cdot 1^2 + 3 \cdot 1 + 1)}{30}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = \frac{30}{30} = 1 \quad \therefore \text{true}$$

\therefore it is true for $k=1$

let us assume that it is true for $n=k-1$
we need to prove it for $n=k$.

$$\text{i.e. } 1^4 + 2^4 + 3^4 + \dots + (k-1)^4 + k^4$$

$$= \frac{(k-1)k(2(k-1)+1)(3(k-1)^2+3(k-1)-1)+k^4}{30}$$

$$= \frac{(k^2-k)(6k^3-6k^2-2k-3k^2+3k+1)+30k^4}{30}$$

$$= \frac{(6k^5-6k^4-6k^4-6k^3-2k^3+2k^2-3k^4+3k^3+3k^3-3k^2+k^2-k+30k^4)}{30}$$

$$= \frac{6k^5+15k^4+10k^3-k}{30} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{now, RHS, } \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)(3n^2+3n-1)}{30}$$

$$= \frac{(n^2+n)(2n+1)(3n^2+3n-1)}{30}$$

$$= \frac{6n^5+6n^4-2n^3+9n^4+9n^3-3n^2+3n^3+3n^2-n}{30}$$

$$= \frac{6n^5+15n^4+10n^3-n}{30} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

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in ① if we put $k=n$

$$\text{we get } \frac{6n^5 + 15n^4 + 10n^3 - n}{30}$$

$$\therefore \text{①} = \text{②}$$

hence we proved for $n=k$, true

\therefore By Mathematical induction,

$$1^4 + 2^4 + 3^4 + \dots + n^4 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)(3n^2+3n-1)}{30}$$