



SECOND SEMESTER 2019-20
COURSE HANDOUT

Date: 06.01.2020

In addition to part I (General Handout for all courses appended to the Time table) this portion gives further specific details regarding the course.

Course No : CS F364
Course Title : Design & Analysis of Algorithms
Instructor-in-Charge : Abhishek Mishra
Instructor(s) : Kamlesh Tiwari
Tutorial/Practical Instructors: Ravi Kant

1. Course Description: The course gives an introduction to some algorithm design techniques.

2. Scope and Objective of the Course: To learn about some basic algorithm design techniques like **Divide and Conquer**, **Greedy Algorithms**, **Dynamic Programming**, and **Network Flow Algorithms**. To learn about **Computational Complexity**. To learn about some advanced algorithm design techniques like **Approximation Algorithms**, and **Randomized Algorithms**. To learn about **Number Theoretic Algorithms**.

3. Text Book:

[T1] T.H. Cormen, C.E. Leiserson, R.L. Rivest, C. Stein, Introduction to Algorithms, 3rd Edition, PHI, 2012.

4. Reference Books:

[R1] J.Kleinberg, E. Tardos, Algorithm Design, Pearson, 2013. Lecture slides of the book are available online at: <http://www.cs.princeton.edu/~wayne/kleinberg-tardos/pearson/>

[R2] D.P. Williamson, D.B. Shmoys, The Design of Approximation Algorithms, Cambridge University Press, 2010. Available online at: <http://www.designofapproxalgs.com/book.pdf>

[R3] S. Arora, B. Barak, Computational Complexity: A Modern Approach, 2009, Cambridge University Press. Available online at: <http://theory.cs.princeton.edu/complexity/book.pdf>

[R4] E. Horowitz, S. Sahni, S. Rajasekaran, Fundamentals of Computer Algorithms, Second Edition, 2007, Universities Press.



5. Course Plan:

| Lectur es | Topics |
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| 1 | Introduction, Asymptotic Notations, Analysis of Insertion sort and Merge Sort. |
| 2 | The Defective Chessboard Problem. Karatsuba's Multiplication Algorithm. |
| 3 | Strassen's Matrix Multiplication Algorithm. |
| 4 | Polynomial Representations, Evaluating a Polynomial using Horner's Rule, Interpolation using Gaussian Elimination. |
| 5 | Discrete Fourier Transform. Fast Fourier Transform Algorithm. |
| 6 | The Fractional Knapsack Problem. |
| 7 | Huffman Encoding. |
| 8 | Optimality of Huffman Encoding. |
| 9 | Matroids. |
| 10 | Application of Matroids. |
| 11 | The 0/1 Knapsack Problem. |
| 12 | The Traveling Salesman Problem. |
| 13 | Matrix Chain Multiplication. |
| 14 | Longest Common Subsequence. |
| 15 | Optimal Binary Search Trees. |
| 16 | Flow Shop Scheduling. |
| 17 | The Maximum Flow Problem and the Ford-Fulkerson Algorithm. |
| 18 | Maximum Flows and Minimum Cuts in a Network. |
| 19 | The Bipartite Matching Problem. |
| 20 | Disjoint Paths in Directed and Undirected Graphs. |
| 21 | The Complexity Class P. |
| 22 | The Complexity Class NP. |



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| 23 | Polynomial Time Reductions. The Complexity Classes NP-Complete and NP-Hard. The Satisfiability Problem. |
| 24 | Cook-Levin Theorem. |
| 25 | NP-Completeness of 3SAT, 0/1 Integer Programming, and Independent Set. |
| 26 | NP Optimization Problems. Definition of Approximation Algorithms. A 2-approximation Algorithm for the Cardinality Vertex Cover Problem. A 2-approximation Algorithm for the Weighted Vertex Cover Problem. |
| 27 | LP-Rounding Algorithm for Set Cover. Primal LP, Dual LP, LP-Duality Theorem, Weak Duality Theorem, and Complementary Slackness Conditions. |
| 28 | Dual-Rounding Algorithm for Set Cover. Primal-Dual Algorithm for Set Cover. |
| 29 | PTAS and FPTAS. FPTAS for the 0/1 Knapsack Problem. |
| 30 | Complexity Classes for Approximation. |
| 31 | Probability, Random Variables, and Expectation. Linearity of Expectation. |
| 32 | The Randomized Complexity Classes BPP, RP, co-RP, and ZPP. |
| 33 | Markov's Inequality, Chebyshev's Inequality, and Chernoff's Bounds. |
| 34 | Atlantic City, Monte Carlo, and Las Vegas Algorithms. |
| 35 | The Birthday Paradox. |
| 36 | Divisibility. |
| 37 | Euclid's Extended GCD Algorithm. |
| 38 | Congruences, Fermat's Theorem, and Euler's Theorem. |
| 39 | Modular Exponentiation Algorithm. |
| 40 | Pollard's Rho Factorization Algorithm. |

6. Evaluation Scheme:

| Component | Duration | Weightage | Date & Time | Nature of component |
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| Mid-Semester Test | 90 Min. | 28 | 5 th March, 14:00 – 15:30 | Open Book |
| Comprehensive Examination | 3 H | 40 | 11 th May, 8:00 – 11:00 | Open Book |
| Tutorials | 40 Min. | 32 | | Open Book. There will be twelve tutorials. In each tutorial, a randomly and independently selected problem will be given for solving. One out of tutorials 1 to 3, one out of tutorials 4 to 6, one out of tutorials 7 to 9, and one out of tutorials 10 to 12 will be evaluated (each having 8% weightage). Each student can decide which tutorials to evaluate. |

7. Chamber Consultation Hour:

Abhishek Mishra: 15:00 to 16:00 on Fridays (6121S).

Kamlesh Tiwari: 15:00 to 16:00 on Mondays / Fridays (6120N).

8. Notices: All notices will be posted on Nalanda.

9. Make-up Policy: Make-up exam may be arranged only in genuine cases with prior permission. No makeup for Tutorial test.



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10. Note (if any): There is no makeup for tutorials. Students are not allowed to sit in different tutorial sections.

11. Open Book Policy: Only hard copies are allowed (lecture notes, text book, or reference books).

Abhishek Mishra

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