

## Data Structures Sample Final Exam

1. (32 pts) (Midterm Exam Problem) Mark by T(=True) or F(=False) each of the followings. You don't need to prove it.
  - (1) (4 pts) Suppose  $T$  is a **proper binary tree** and let  $e$  and  $i$  denote the numbers of external and internal nodes, respectively. Then  $e = i + 1$ .
  - (2) (4 pts) The height of a binary search tree with  $n$  keys is  $O(\log n)$  in worst case.
  - (3) (4 pts) Suppose a binary search tree  $T$  is established by inserting a series of entries. Then, the order of the entries does not impact the shape of the resulting binary search tree.
  - (4) (4 pts) A graph  $T$  with  $n$  vertices is a **tree** if it is connected and has no cycles.
  - (5) (4 pts) The maximum possible number of edges in a directed graph is  $\frac{n(n+1)}{2}$ .
  - (6) (4 pts) A heap can be constructed in linear time.
  - (7) (4 pts) Let  $T$  be a B-tree of order 5, the possible degrees of internal nodes (except the root) are 2, 3, 4, and 5.
  - (8) (4 pts) When inserting a node to an AVL tree, the height-balance property may not be restored with at most one restructuring.
2. (9 pts) Mark by T(=true) or F(=False) each of the following statements. You don't need to prove it. Let  $G$  be a directed graph and  $Q$  an undirected graph. We use  $m$  and  $n$  to denote the numbers of edges and vertices, respectively.
  - (1) (3 pts) If  $G$  is strongly connected, then  $m \geq 2(n - 1)$ .
  - (2) (3 pts) For  $Q$ , the maximum possible value of  $m$  is  $n(n + 1)$ .
  - (3) (3 pts) If  $Q$  is connected and  $m = n - 1$  edges, then  $Q$  has no cycle.
3. (9 pts) Recall the skip list data structure. Suppose that we use only two levels, *i.e.*, two linked lists, for  $n$  elements. Each element is in linked list  $S_0$  and some elements are also in the other linked list  $S_1$ . Please answer each of the following statements.
  - (1) (3 pts) (True or False) The search cost can be minimized to  $O(\sqrt{n})$  which is better than  $O(\log n)$ .
  - (2) (3 pts) Please draw the skip list structure when the minimized search cost occurs.
  - (3) (3 pts) (True or False) When there are  $\log n$  linked lists, the skip list becomes like a binary search tree.
4. (15 pts) Indicate whether the following statements are true or false:
  - (1) (5 pts) If  $e$  is a minimum-weight edge in a connected weighted graph, it must be among edges of each minimum spanning tree of the graph.
  - (2) (5 pts) If edge weights of a connected weighted graph are all distinct, the graph must have exactly one minimum spanning tree.

- (3) (5 pts) If edge weights of a connected weighted graph are not all distinct, the graph must have more than one minimum spanning tree.
5. (10 pts) Draw the 11-entry hash table that results from using the hash function,  $h(i) = (2i + 5) \bmod 11$ , to hash the keys 34, 22, 2, 88, 23, 72, 11, 39, 20, 16, and 5, assuming collisions are handled by the following approaches respectively.
- (a) (5 pts) *chaining*
- (b) (5 pts) *double hashing*, second hash function:  $h'(k) = 7 - (k \bmod 7)$
6. (10 pts) Please answer each of the following problems shortly and concisely.
- (1) (5 pts) Solve the continuous-knapsack problem for the following weights( $w_i$ ), profits( $p_i$ ), and knapsack capacity( $M$ ). Please show your work **step by step**.

$$w_1 = 12, w_2 = 15, w_3 = 20, w_4 = 15;$$

$$p_1 = 4, p_2 = 3, p_3 = 6, p_4 = 8;$$

$$M = 50.$$

- (2) (5 pts) A  $k$ -ary tree is a tree of which each node has at most  $k$  children. What is the maximum number of node is a  $k$ -ary tree of height  $h$ ? Prove your answer
7. (10 pts) Consider the red-black tree in Figure ??.
- (1) (5 pts) Please construct a corresponding (2,4)-tree.
- (2) (5 pts) Use the (2,4)-tree derived in (1) and perform the following sequence of insertions: **insert(63)**, **insert(28)** and **insert(18)**. **insert(63) \ insert(28) \ insert(18)**

You need to mark the actions taken at each step. No partial credits will be given to a wrong input for each subproblem.

8. (15 pts) Consider the edge-weighted connected graph  $G = (V, E)$  in Figure 1 where  $V$  is the vertex set and  $E$  is the edge set of  $G$  respectively.

Figure 1: The edge-weighted connected graph  $G$  for Problem 8

- (1) (5 pts) Please use the *adjacency matrix* to represent  $G$  in Figure 1.
- (2) (5 pts) Please find a minimum spanning tree of  $G$  by *Prim's* algorithm **starting from vertex  $d$** . Show your work step by step.
- (3) (5 pts) Please find a minimum spanning tree of  $G$  by *Kruskal's* algorithm and show your work step by step.