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UE19CS251: Design and Analysis of Algorithms(4-0-0-4-4)

- **Q.1** Design an algorithm for swapping two 3 digit non-zero integers n, m. Besides using arithmetic operations, your algorithm should not use any temporary variable
- **Q.2** Design an algorithm for computing gcd(m, n) using Euclid's algorithm.
- **Q.3** Write a pseudocode for an algorithm for finding real roots of equation $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ for arbitrary real coefficients a, b, and c.
- Q.4 Design an algorithm to convert a binary number to a decimal integer.
- **Q.5** Consider the following algorithm for the searching problem:

ALGORITHM Linearsearch (A[0, ...n - 1], key)

//Searches an array for a key value by Linear search

//Input: Array A[0..n - 1] of values and a key value to search

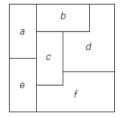
//Output: Returns index if search is successful

for $i \leftarrow 0$ to n - 1 do

if (key == A[i])

return i

- **a.** Apply this algorithm to search the list 10, 92, 38, 74, 56, 19, 82, 37 for a key value 74.
- **b.** Is this algorithm efficient?
- **c.** When can this algorithm be used?
- Q.6 Design a simple algorithm for string matching problem
- **Q.7** Consider the following map:



- **a.** Explain how we can use the graph-colouring problem to colour the map so that no two neighbouring regions are coloured the same.
- **b.** Use your answer to part (a) to colour the map with the smallest number of colours.
- Q.8 For each of the following algorithms, indicate
- (i) a natural size metric for its inputs;

- (ii) its basic operation;
- (iii) whether the basic operation count can be different for inputs of the same size:
- **a.** computing the sum of *n* numbers
- **b.** computing *n*!
- **c.** finding the largest element in a list of *n* numbers
- d. Euclid's algorithm
- Q.9 Define time complexity and space complexity. Write an algorithm for adding 'n' natural numbers and find the time and space required by that algorithm
- Q.10 For each of the following functions, indicate how much the function's value will change if its argument is increased fourfold.
- **a.** $\log_2 n$ **b.** \sqrt{n} **c.** n **d.** n^2 **e.** n^3 **f.** 2^n
- **Q.11** Compare the two functions 2^n and n^2 for various values of n. Determine when will the second function become the same, smaller, and larger than the first function.
- Q.12 Use the most appropriate notation among O, Theta and omega to indicate the time efficiency class of binary search
- **a.** in the worst case.
- **b.** in the best case.
- c. in the average case.
- Q.13 From the following equalities, indicate the ones that are incorrect?

- **a.** $6n^2 8n = \Theta(n^2)$ **b.** $12n^2 + 8 = O(n)$ **c.** $3n^2 3^n + n \log n = \Theta(n^2 3^n)$ **d.** $3n^2 \log n = \Theta(n^2)$
- **Q.14** For each of the following functions, indicate the class Theta(g(n)) the function belongs to. (Use the simplest g(n) possible in your answers.)
- **a.** $(n^2+1)^{10}$

- **b.** $\sqrt{10n^2 + 7n + 3}$
- Q.15 Arrange the following functions according to their order of decay (from the highest to the lowest)

$$(n+1)!2^{3n}$$
, $2n^4 + 2n^3 + 4$, $n \log n$, $\log n$, $6n$, $8n^2$.

Q.16 algo what(a[I ..r], I, r)

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if I = r then
       return a[l]
else if a[l] > a[r] then
       return what(a, I + 1, r)
      else
       return what(a, l, r - 1)
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- i) what does the given function do?
- ii) What is the basic operation?
- iii) What is the basic size?
- iv) Express and solve the recurrence relation for number of operations?

Q.17 Consider the following algorithm:

ALGORITHM Sum (n)

//Input: A nonnegative integer n

 $S \leftarrow 0$

for $i \leftarrow 1$ to n do

 $S \leftarrow S + i$

return S

- a. What does this algorithm compute?
- **b.** What is its basic operation?
- c. How many times is the basic operation executed?
- **d.** What is the efficiency class of this algorithm?
- **e.** Suggest an improved algorithm and indicate its efficiency class. If you cannot do it, try to prove that it cannot be done.

Q.18 Consider the following algorithm

ALGORITHM GE(A[0..n - 1, 0..n])

//Input: An n-by-n + 1 matrix A[0..n - 1, 0..n] of real numbers

for $i \leftarrow 0$ to n-2 do

for $j \leftarrow i + 1$ to n - 1 do

for $k \leftarrow i$ to n do

 $A[i, k] \leftarrow A[i, k] - A[i, k] * A[i, i] / A[i, i]$

Find the time efficiency class of this algorithm.

Q.19 . Solve the following recurrence relations.

a.
$$x(n) = x(n-1) + 5$$
 for $n > 1$, $x(1) = 0$

b.
$$x(n) = 3x(n-1)$$
 for $n > 1$, $x(1) = 4$

c.
$$x(n) = x(n-1) + n$$
 for $n > 0$, $x(0) = 0$

Q.20. Consider the following recursive algorithm.

ALGORITHM Q(n)

//Input: A positive integer n

if n = 1 return 1

else return Q(n-1) + 2 * n - 1

- **a.** Set up a recurrence relation for this function's values and solve it to determine what this algorithm computes.
- **b.** Set up a recurrence relation for the number of multiplications made by this algorithm and solve it.
- **c.** Set up a recurrence relation for the number of additions/subtractions made by this algorithm and solve it.

Q.21. Consider the following recursive algorithm.

ALGORITHM Min1(A[0..n-1])

//Input: An array A[0..n - 1] of real numbers

if n = 1 return A[0]

else $temp \leftarrow Min1(A[0..n-2])$

if $temp \le A[n-1]$ return temp

else return A[n-1]

- a. What does this algorithm compute?
- **b.** Set up a recurrence relation for the algorithm's basic operation count and solve it.