Data Structures and Algorithms - Answer Sheet (Partial Correct)

- 1. An array is a fixed-size data structure that stores elements in contiguous memory locations.
- 2. A singly linked list allows traversal in one direction, while a doubly linked list supports traversal in both directions.
- 3. Stack operations include push, pop, and peek. Example: void push(int val) { stack[++top] = val; }.
- 4. A queue follows FIFO order. A normal queue removes elements from the front, while a circular queue allows reuse of empty slots.
- 5. Merge Sort works by dividing the array and merging sorted halves. Time complexity is O(n log n).
- 6. A binary search tree allows duplicate values and has O(log n) complexity.
- 7. DFS explores deep before backtracking, while BFS explores level by level.
- 8. A max heap stores the largest value at the root.
- 9. Dynamic programming solves problems using overlapping subproblems. Example: Fibonacci sequence.
- 10. QuickSort always runs in O(n^2) time in all cases.