

Exam 3

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1. $\text{Sort}(A[1 \dots n]) :$

if $n = 1 :$
return.

else :

$Lidx \leftarrow 1$
 $maxval \leftarrow A[Lidx]$
for $i \leftarrow 2$ to n
if $A[i] > maxval :$
 $maxval = A[i]$
 $Lidx = i$

if $i \neq n :$
 $\text{Reverse}(Lidx)$
 $\text{Reverse}(n)$

$\text{Sort}(A[1 \dots n-1])$.

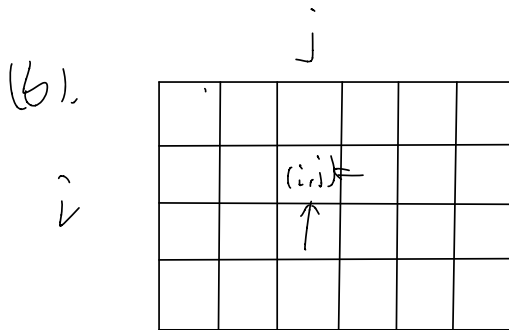
Time complexity: Each time Reverse operation performed at most twice.

$\Rightarrow O(n)$ Reverse operation to sort entire array.

2.

(a).

$$\text{BestScore}(i, j) = \begin{cases} A[i, j] & \text{if } i=n \text{ and } j=n. \\ \max(\text{BestScore}(i+1, j), \text{BestScore}(i, j+1)) + A[i, j] & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$



Based on the recursive definition

We can compute the BestScore in the order that i from n to 1

And j from n to 1 .

After calculating BestScore starting at each grid.

We can traverse the grid to find $\max(\text{BestScore}(i, j))$
 $i=1$ to n
 $j=1$ to n

And return the maximum score.

Time complexity:

$O(n^2)$ because for each grid it takes constant time to compute. and there are n^2 grids.

3.

Let $G' = (V', E')$ where V' represent vertices that having k number of edges from source where $k \leq 3|V|$ at vertices V .

Then we will run dijkstra algorithm such that when reaching vertex t with k number of edges when $k \% 3 = 0$, we will return the distance of t from s .

The time complexity is $O(E \log V)$.

4. Construct a graph G with four types of vertices.

1. Source vertex s'
2. a vertex s_i for each student i .
3. a vertex t_j for each time slot j
4. a target vertex t' .

There are three types of edges.

1. an edge $s' \rightarrow s_i$ with capacity $E(i)$ for each student i .
2. an edge $s_i \rightarrow t_j$ with capacity 1 for timeslot j if $A[i,j]$ is true.
3. an edge $t_j \rightarrow t'$ with capacity of ∞ for each j .

I want to calculate the maximum flow f^* from s' to t'

And compare it with $\sum_{i=1}^n E(i)$.

If $f^* = \sum_{i=1}^n E(i)$, then the assignment is possible.

If $f^* < \sum_{i=1}^n E(i)$, then there is no way for such assignment.

Time complexity:

Graph G has $O(n+t)$ vertices and at most $O(nt)$

edges. Since Capacity $|f^*| \leq \sum_{i=1}^n E(i)$. We

can use Ford-Fulkerson for $O(nt \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n E(i))$ running time.

5.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a). } \text{MinVCNo}(v) &= 0 + \sum_{w \downarrow v} \text{MinVCYes}(w) \\ \text{MinVCYes}(v) &= 1 + \sum_{w \downarrow v} \min \{ \text{MinVCNo}(w), \text{MinVCYes}(w) \} \end{aligned}$$

(b). We can evaluate each subproblem in postorder.

The final return value should be
 $\min(\text{MinVCNo}(r), \text{MinVCYes}(r))$.

(c). Because in (b) we already assume that the graph G is a tree. And MINVERTEXCOVER in class doesn't have this assumption and not every graph can be reduced to tree.

b

(a).

I show that the problem is
Np-hard by a reduction from 3COLOR.

Given an arbitrary graph $G = (V, E)$.

Let the vertices represent guests.

If there is an edge between two vertices.

We say that the two guests doesn't know
each other ahead of time.

I claim that the grouping is possible iff
it is possible to solve the 3color problem.

The reduction requires $O(E)$ time because we
only need to process each edge exactly once.

(b).

I show that the problem is NP-hard by a reduction from 3SAT.

Let Φ be a 3SAT formula with m variables and n clauses.

We convert the formula into all requirements problem in following way.

- ① Let m variables represent m shapes of balloon and n requirements.
- ② If variable x_i is in j th clause, then we say that requirement j contains a balloon of shape x_i with color green.
- ③ If variable \bar{x}_i is in j th clause, then we say that requirement j contains a balloon of shape x_i with color orange.

I claim that the purchase is possible iff the 3SAT problem is satisfiable.

The reduction requires $O(N)$ time where N is the total number of pairs(shape, color) in all requirements because we only need to process each literal exactly once.