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Fourth Semester MCA Degree Examination, June/July 2014

Design and Analysis of Algorithms

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions.

- 1 a. With a neat graph, explain O , Θ and Ω notations. (06 Marks)
 - b. Find the order of growth of the following recurrences:
 - i) $T(n) = 4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n$
 - ii) $T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n \log n$ (04 Marks)
 - c. Suggest a general plan for the non-recursive algorithm and suggest an algorithm to find whether the elements in an array are unique. Analyze its efficiency. (10 Marks)
- 2 a. Explain the general method of divide and conquer technique. Discuss defective chessboard problem and analyze the same. (10 Marks)
 - b. Write the algorithm for Quick sort and apply it to sort the list "C, O, M, P, U T, E, R" in alphabetical order and analyze the time complexity of the algorithm. (10 Marks)
- 3 a. What are the requirements to be satisfied to apply greedy technique? Explain Prim's algorithm and solve the following graph Fig.Q3(a). (10 Marks)

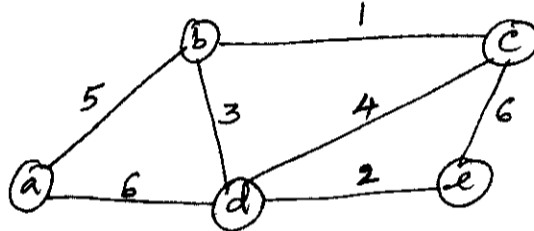


Fig.Q3(a)

- b. Explain job sequencing with deadlines and apply it for $n = 4$, $(p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4) = (100, 10, 15, 27)$ and $(d_1, d_2, d_3, d_4) = (2, 1, 2, 1)$ and obtain the feasible solution. (10 Marks)
- 4 a. Apply Warshall's algorithm to find the transitive closure of the graph defined by the following adjacency matrix. (10 Marks)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- b. For the given instance of problem, obtain the optimal solution for the 0/1 Knapsack problem.

Item	Weight	Value
1	2	3
2	3	4
3	4	5
4	5	6

The capacity of Knapsack is $W = 5$.**(10 Marks)**

- 5 a. Explain Boyer-Moore algorithm to find the pattern in the given text and search for the pattern BARBER in the text:
 TOM \$ SAW \$ ME \$ IN \$ BARBER \$ SHOP (10 Marks)
- b. Apply DFS based and source removal method to obtain the topological sorting of the following graph Fig.Q5(b):

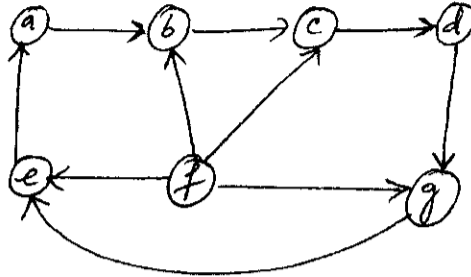


Fig.Q5(b)

(10 Marks)

- 6 a. Describe in brief, different methods for obtaining lower bounds. (08 Marks)
- b. Explain P, NP and NP complete problems. (06 Marks)
- c. Write short notes on decision trees. (06 Marks)
- 7 a. Explain the principle of backtracking and apply the same to n-queens problem. Also indicate the solution for state space representation of 4-queens problem. (10 Marks)
- b. Solve the knapsack using branch and bound technique.

Item	Weight	Value
1	4	\$40
2	7	\$42
3	5	\$20
4	3	\$12

Capacity of knapsack, $W = 10$.

(10 Marks)

- 8 a. What is prefix computation problem? Explain in brief. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain how graph problems can be solved using parallel algorithms. (10 Marks)

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