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2011 DESIGN AND ANALYSIS OF ALGORITHMS

Time Allotted: 3 Hours Full Marks: 70

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

GROUP - A (Multiple Choice Type Questions)

- 1. Choose the correct alternatives for the following: $10 \times 1 = 10$
 - i) The running time of an algorithm T(n), where 'n' is the input size is given by T(n) = 8 T(n/2) + qn, if n > 1 and T(n) = p, if n = 1, where p and q are constants. The order of this algorithms is
 - a) $\Theta(n^2)$

b) $\Theta(n^n)$

- c) $\Theta(n^3)$
- d) $\Theta(n^{\log n})$.
- ii) Which of the following algorithms solves the All-Pair Shortest Path problem?
 - a) Dijkstra's
- b) Floyd's Warshall's

c) Prim's

d) Kruskal's.

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iii)	The minimum number of colors needed to color a graph
	having $n > 3$ vertices and 2 edges is

a) 2

b) 3

c) 4

d) 1.

iv) The diagonal of the adjacency matrix of a graph with a self-loop contains only

a) 1

b) 0

c) -1

d) ∞ .

v) Which of the following design techniques is used in the quick-sort algorithm?

- a) Dynamic programming b)
- Back tracking
- c) Greedy method
- d) Divide and conquer.

vi) The average number of comparisons performed by merge sort algorithm in merging '2' sorted lists of length '2' is

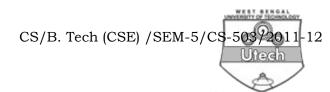
a) 8/5

b) 11/7

c) 11/6

d) 8/3.

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- vii) Which of the following is useful in traversing a given graph using BFS?
 - a) Stack

Linked list b)

c) Array

- d) Queue.
- viii) Which of the following can not be performed recursively?
 - a) Binary search
- Quick sort

DFS c)

- None of these. d)
- The time-complexity of TSP is ix)
 - a) $O\left(n^2 \ 2^n\right)$ b) $\Theta\left(n^2 \ 2^n\right)$
 - c) $\Omega\left(n^2 \ 2^n\right)$
- d) none of these.
- In which sorting technique, is an element placed in its x) proper position at each step?
 - Bubble sort a)
- Quick sort b)
- Merge sort c)
- Heap sort. d)



GROUP - B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Write short notes on any three of the following.

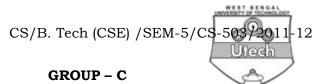
 $3 \times 5 = 15$

- 2. Find the best and worst case time complexity for merge sort.
- 3. Solve the following Knapsack problem with the given conditions: n=3 weight of the Knapsack M=20, Profits $(p_1,\,p_2,\,p_3)=(25,\,24,\,15)$ and weight $(w_1,\,w_2,\,w_3)=(18,\,15,\,10)$.
- 4. Differentiate between divide-and-conquer and dynamic programming.
- 5. Solve the following recurrence relation using generating function:

 $a_n = 6a_{n-1} - 11a_{n-2} + 6a_{n-3}$ for n > 3 with initial condition $a_0 = 1, a_1 = -1$ and $a_2 = 1$.

6. Define different asymptotic notation (O, Θ , Ω) with suitable examples.

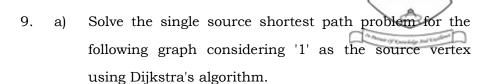
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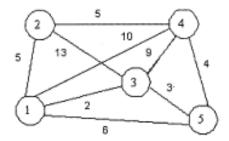


(Long Answer Type Questions)

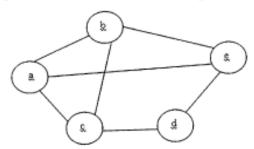
Answer any *three* of the following. $3 \times 15 = 45$

- 7. Answer the following questions with respect to divide-and-conquer:
 - a) Discuss the procedure for Strassen's matrix multiplication to evaluate the product of 'n' matrices. Find the resulting recurrence relation for the same and time-complexity. Is this method an analyze its improvement over the conventional multiplication method? If so, why? 7 + 1 + 2 + 2
 - b) The solution of recursive MAXMIN problem is based on some assumptions Briefly state the assumptions and its effect on the algorithm in comparison the reality.
- 8. Find the optimal parenthesization of a matrix-chain product whose sequence of dimensions is < 5, 10, 3, 12, 5, 50, and 6 >.
 - a) Give an algorithm for the above procedure. 3
 - b) Analyze its complexity. 2
 - c) What is the union-find algorithm? Explain with an example.





- b) Prove that the time complexity of Dijkstra's algorithm is O (n^2).
- c) Describe the Floyd's algorithm for all pair shortest path problem. Prove that the time complexity of the algorithm is cubic.
 5 + 3 + 7
- 10. a) Describe the Breadth first search algorithm of a given graph and explain its time complexity.
 - b) Explain the graph coloring problem and write the algorithm.
 - c) Apply backtracking technique to solve the 3-colouring problem for the following graph



6 + 6 + 3

- 11. a) What is Non-deterministic algorithm? Differentiate between Deterministic and Non-Deterministic algorithm.
 - b) Write algorithm to sort an; array using Deterministic and Non-Deterministic technique. Compare the two techniques and show that the time complexity of non-deterministic technique is better than Deterministic.
 - c) Describe P class, NP class, NP hard and NP complete class and describe their relationships. 3 + (6 + 2) + 4

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