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Core Course—DESIGN AND ANALYSIS OF ALGORITHMS

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Weight : 25

Part A (Objective Type)

Answer all questions.

Each bunch of four questions carries a weight of 1.

- I. 1 Two main measures for the efficiency of an algorithm are :
- (a) Processor and Memory. (b) Complexity and Capacity.
(c) Time and Space. (d) Data and Space.
- 2 The algorithm reporting $O(1)$ time complexity indicate :
- (a) Linear time complexity. (b) Quadratic time complexity.
(c) Cubic time complexity. (d) Constant running time.
- 3 Which of the following case does not exist in complexity theory ?
- (a) Best case. (b) Worst case.
(c) Null case. (d) Average case.
- 4 The worst case time complexity of quick sort is :
- (a) $O(n)$. (b) $O(n^2)$.
(c) $O(n \log n)$. (d) $O(n^3)$.
- II. 5 To arrange the books of library the best method is :
- (a) Bubble sort. (b) Quick sort.
(c) Merge sort. (d) Heap sort.
- 6 Merge sort uses :
- (a) Back tracking approach. (b) Divide and conquer strategy.
(c) Heuristic approach. (d) Greedy approach.
- 7 Quick sort uses :
- (a) Dynamic programming. (b) Divide and conquer strategy.
(c) Back tracking. (d) Greedy method.
- 8 Which of the following algorithm has $n \log (n)$ time complexity ?
- (a) Heap sort. (b) Quick sort.
(c) Insertion sort. (d) Selection sort.

Turn over

- III. 9 Which of the following method is not a sequential representation ?
- (a) Adjacency List Representation.
 - (b) Adjacency matrix representation.
 - (c) Incidence Matrix representation.
 - (d) Path Matrix representation.
- 10 Choose the technique which is suitable for list of data elements represented using non-linear structures ?
- (a) Interpolation search.
 - (b) Depth-first search.
 - (c) Fibonacci search.
 - (d) Binary search.
- 11 The worst case the number of comparisons needed to search for a key in a binary search is :
- (a) $O(\log_2 \log_2 n)$.
 - (b) $O(\log_2 n)$.
 - (c) $O(n)$.
 - (d) $O(1)$.
- 12 The depth-first order is same as :
- (a) Breadth-first order.
 - (b) Preorder.
 - (c) Linear order.
 - (d) Post order.
- IV. 13 The maximum number of nodes of level j of a binary tree is :
- (a) 2^j .
 - (b) 2^{j-1} .
 - (c) 2^{j+1} .
 - (d) 2^{j-2} .
- 14 Nodes that have zero degree are called :
- (a) Leaf nodes.
 - (b) Non-terminal nodes.
 - (c) Parent node.
 - (d) None of the above.
- 15 Which algorithm is used to find out single shortest paths ?
- (a) Prim's.
 - (b) Dijkstra's.
 - (c) Kruskal's.
 - (d) Backtracking.
- 16 0/1 knapsack problem can be solved using :
- (a) Dynamic programming.
 - (b) Divide and conquer strategy.
 - (c) Linear programming.
 - (d) Greedy method.

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Part B (Short Answer)

*Answer any five questions.
Each question carries a weight of 1.*

- 17 Define algorithm.
- 18 Define O notations of time complexity.
- 19 What is meant by a priori analysis ?

- 20 What do you mean by internal searching ?
- 21 What is DFS ?
- 22 What is Hamilton circuit ?
- 23 Define backtracking.
- 24 What is dynamic programming ?

(5 × 1 = 5)

Part C (Short Answer)

Answer any four questions.

Each question carries a weight of 2.

- 25 What are the properties of an algorithm ?
- 26 Explain Strassen's matrix multiplication.
- 27 Let $L = \{71, 17, 86, 100, 54, 27\}$ be a unordered list of elements. Sort the above elements using selection method.
- 28 Discuss an application of minimum cost application tree.
- 29 Write the Dijkstra's algorithm for the single source shortest path problem.
- 30 Explain sum of subsets problem.

(4 × 2 = 8)

Part D (Short Answer)

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries a weight of 4.

- 31 Explain quick sort with suitable example.
- 32 Explain greedy method using knapsack problem.
- 33 Explain eight queen problems.

(2 × 4 = 8)