

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY****MCA - SEMESTER- V • EXAMINATION – WINTER 2020****Subject Code:3650001****Date:01/01/2021****Subject Name:Design & Analysis of Algorithms****Time:10:30 AM to 12:30 PM****Total Marks: 56****Instructions:**

1. Attempt any FOUR questions out of EIGHT questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1 (a)** Do as directed. **07**
- 1) Define time complexity.
  - 2) What do you understand by state space tree?
  - 3) Sorting is required to perform binary search. True or False?
  - 4) What is the use of kruskal's algorithm?
  - 5) Give the limitation of divide and conquer strategy.
  - 6) Give the basic difference between greedy approach and dynamic approach.
  - 7) Which algorithm will run faster?  $O(\log n)$  or  $O(n^2)$ ?
- (b)**
- 1) Discuss optimal merge pattern algorithm in brief. **04**
  - 2) Write a note on decrease and conquer strategy to solve a problem. **03**
- Q.2 (a)** What do you mean by asymptotic notation? Explain all the asymptotic notations. **07**
- (b)** Write a short note on closest pair algorithm. **07**
- Q.3 (a)** Write a note on single source shortest path algorithm. Explain how it is used to find the shortest path from the source vertex to all the other vertices of the graph. **07**
- (b)** Solve the following problem to maximize the profit involved after cutting the rod into various pieces with the profits given below. **07**
- Rod size – 8. Profit for the pieces with lengths(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8)= (3,5,8,9,10,17,17,20).
- Q.4 (a)** Define minimum spanning tree. Explain kruskal's algorithm to find the minimum spanning tree from a graph. Also explain how union find data structure is used to for kruskal's algorithm. **07**
- (b)** Discuss about coin change problem using dynamic programming. Also solve it for making change of Rs 8 having denomination coins of values 1,4,and 6. **07**
- Q.5 (a)** Write a note on DFS algorithm. **07**
- (b)** Write a short note on how to multiply series of matrices so as to decrease the total number of multiplications using dynamic programming approach. **07**
- Q.6 (a)** Explain how branch and bound technology performs pruning of steps. Also explain 0-1 knapsack algorithm. **07**
- (b)**
- 1) Write a note on maximum flow problems. **04**
  - 2) Write a note on limitations of recursion. **03**
- Q.7 (a)** Write a note on n-queens problem. Explain it using the example of 4-queens. **07**
- (b)** What do you mean by N,NP-hard and NP-complete algorithms. Explain all of them using appropriate examples. **07**

- Q.8** (a) Write a note on Regular expressions. Explain it using example of algorithm to find factorial of a given number. **07**
- (b) Compare and contrast - divide and conquer, greedy and dynamic algorithms giving proper criteria and examples. **07**

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