

## AMIETE – CS/IT (OLD SCHEME)

Code: AC06 / AT06  
Time: 3 Hours

Subject: DATA STRUCTURES & ALGORITHM DESIGN  
Max. Marks: 100

**JUNE 2011**

NOTE: There are 9 Questions in all.

- Question 1 is compulsory and carries 20 marks. Answer to Q.1 must be written in the space provided for it in the answer book supplied and nowhere else.
- The answer sheet for the Q.1 will be collected by the invigilator after 45 Minutes of the commencement of the examination.
- Out of the remaining EIGHT Questions answer any FIVE Questions. Each question carries 16 marks.
- Any required data not explicitly given, may be suitably assumed and stated.

**Q.1 Choose the correct or the best alternative in the following: (2×10)**

- a.  $f(n)$  is  $O(g(n))$  if there exists positive numbers  $c$  and  $N$  such that ----- for all  $n \geq N$
- (A)  $f(n) \leq cg(n)$  (B)  $f(n) = cg(n)$   
(C)  $f(n) \geq cg(n)$  (D)  $f(n) < > cg(n)$
- b. Evaluate the following arithmetic expression written in postfix form  $12\ 7\ 3\ -\ /\ 2\ 1\ 5\ +\ * +$  is
- (A) 12 (B) 14  
(C) 16 (D) 15
- c. The maximum level ( $l_{\max}$ ) and minimum level ( $l_{\min}$ ) that is possible for a binary tree with  $n$  nodes are
- (A)  $l_{\max} = n + 1$  and  $l_{\min} = \lceil \log_2(n + 1) + 1 \rceil$   
(B)  $l_{\max} = n - 1$  and  $l_{\min} = \lceil \log_2(n + 1) - 1 \rceil$   
(C)  $l_{\max} = n + 1$  and  $l_{\min} = \lceil \log_2(n + 1) - 1 \rceil$   
(D)  $l_{\max} = n - 1$  and  $l_{\min} = \lceil \log_2(n + 1) + 1 \rceil$
- d. Instead of searching the locations with address like  $h, h+1, h+2, \dots, h+n$ , search is done on locations with address like  $h, h+1, h+4, h+9, \dots, h+i^2$ . This technique is termed as:
- (A) Double hashing (B) Quadratic hashing  
(C) Clustered hashing (D) None of the above
- e. Average case and worst case complexity of selection sort is :
- (A)  $O(n^2)$ ,  $O(n \log n)$  (B)  $O(n \log n)$ ,  $O(n^2)$   
(C)  $O(n^2)$ ,  $O(n^2)$  (D)  $O(n \log n)$ ,  $O(n \log n)$

- f. Depth First Search algorithm uses the following data structure
- (A) Linked List (B) Queue  
(C) Tree (D) Stack
- g. Activation records are maintained during the following :
- (A) Iteration (B) Recursion  
(C) Sorting (D) Searching
- h. Maximum number of pointers to be changed in doubly linked list are :
- (A) 3 (B) 2  
(C) 4 (D) NULL
- i. First visit root node T, then traverse left sub-tree of T and finally traverse right sub-tree of T is defined as
- (A) Reverse order traversal (B) Post order traversal  
(C) Inorder traversal (D) Preorder traversal
- j. ----- is an in-place sort that requires  $O(n \log n)$  operations regardless of the order of input.
- (A) Heap sort (B) Quick sort  
(C) Binary sort (D) Selection sort

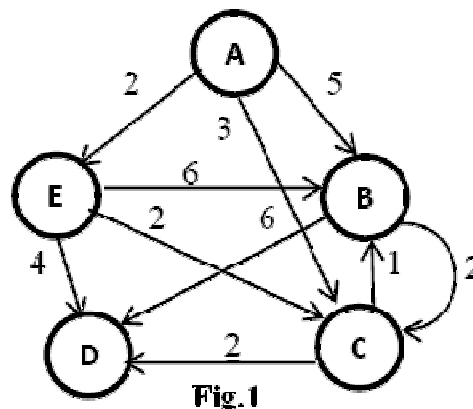
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**Answer any FIVE Questions out of EIGHT Questions.**  
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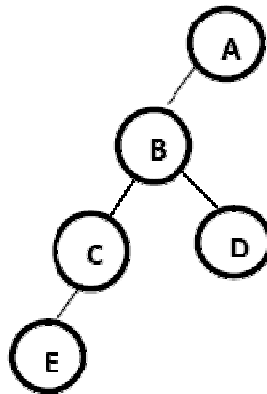
- Q.2** a. Define abstract data type and give an example for illustration. (4)
- b. Write an algorithm to implement polynomial representation using arrays. (5)
- c. Explain Big-O notation. Give the rate of growth of common computing functions and give its graphical plot. (5)
- d. Explain the working of recursion. (2)
- Q.3** a. Consider a doubly linked list with the following elements: (6)  
20, 30, 40, 12, 50 60, 140, 80, 130, 100  
Write an algorithm to delete maximum and minimum values from doubly linked list.

- b. Define sparse matrix. Give the address calculation in upper-triangular matrix for the following:  
 (i) Row-major order (ii) Column-major order (6)
- c. Compare linked list and array representation of stack and queue. (4)
- Q.4** a. Consider the algebraic expression  $E = (2x + y)(5a - b)^3$  (6)  
 (i) Draw a tree T for the expression E  
 (ii) Find the preorder traversal of the tree T drawn in (i).
- b. Write an algorithm to display all the nodes at level  $i$  in a binary tree. (6)
- c. Draw the structure of threaded binary tree. Give its advantages over binary trees. (4)
- Q.5** a. Give an example of the following AVL operations:  
 (i) LL Rotation  
 (ii) LR Rotation  
 (iii) RL Rotation  
 (iv) RR Rotation (8)
- b. Define heaps and priority queues. Give their applications. (4)
- c. Give the time complexity of the following tree search algorithms  
 (i) Binary search tree (ii) Heaps  
 (iii) AVL tree (iv) B- tree (4)
- Q.6** a. Write algorithm for quick sort and give its complexity analysis. (6)
- b. Explain various types of hashing and give an example for each. (7)
- c. Compare the performance of selection sort and insertion sort. (3)
- Q.7** a. Give the complexity analysis of Dijkstra's shortest path algorithm. (3)
- b. For the directed graph given in Fig.1, find Dijkstra's shortest path between node A and node D. (5)



Give sequence of steps to find shortest path.

- c. Write the Kruskal's algorithm for MST. Give its complexity.
- d. Explain various ways to represent graphs. (3)
- Q.8** a. Write an algorithm to merge two singly linked lists. The final list should contain one element from list L1 and second element from list L2 and so on. (8)
- b. Give the representation of polynomial addition using linked list. (4)
- c. Give the application of circular linked list and its representation. (4)
- Q.9** a. Draw internal memory representation for the following tree (Fig.2). (9)



**Fig.2**

Give representation for the following:

- (i) Sequential
- (ii) Linked
- (iii) Threaded linked representation

- b. Write an algorithm to search an element in B-Tree. Give its complexity. (7)