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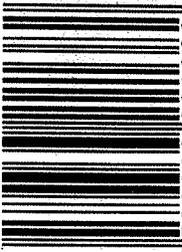
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PREFACE

The importance of Analysis and Design of engineering fields. Overwhelming response to me to write this book. The book is structured to **Analysis and Design of Algorithms**.

The book uses plain, lucid language to explain book provides logical method of explaining various methods to explain the important topics. Each of illustrations, practical examples and solved problems arranged in a proper sequence that permits each care has been taken to make students comfortable of the subject.

Representative questions have been added to students in picking important points from that section.

The book not only covers the entire scope of the subject. This makes the understanding of more interesting. The book will be very useful to subject teachers. The students have to omit nothing more.

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1. Basics of Algorithms and Mathematics (Chapter - 1)

What is an algorithm? Mathematics for algorithmic sets, Functions and relations, Vectors and matrices, Linear inequalities and linear equations.

2. Analysis of Algorithm (Chapter - 2)

The efficient algorithm, Average, best and worst case analysis, Amortized analysis, Asymptotic notations, Analyzing control statement, Loop invariant and the correctness of the algorithm, Sorting algorithms and analysis: Bubble sort, Selection sort, Insertion sort, Shell sort, Heap sort, Merge sort, Bucket sort, Radix sort and Counting sort.

3. Divide and Conquer Algorithm (Chapter - 3)

Introduction, Recurrence and different methods to solve recurrence, Multiplying large integers problem, Problem solving using divide and conquer algorithm - Binary search, Max-Min problem, Sorting (Merge sort, Quick sort), Matrix multiplication, Exponential.

4. Dynamic Programming (Chapter - 4)

Introduction, The principle of optimality, Problem solving using dynamic programming - Calculating the binomial coefficient, Making change problem, Assembly line-scheduling, Knapsack problem, All points shortest path, Matrix chain multiplication, Longest common subsequence.

5. Greedy Algorithm (Chapter - 5)

General characteristics of greedy algorithms, Problem solving using Greedy algorithm

- Activity selection problem, Elements of greedy strategy, Minimum spanning trees (Kruskal's algorithm, Prim's algorithm), Graphs: Shortest paths, The knapsack problem, Job scheduling problem, Huffman code.

6. Exploring Graphs (Chapter - 6)

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7. Backtracking and Branch and Bound (Chapter - 7)

Introduction, The eight queens problem, Knapsack problem, Travelling salesman problem, Minimax principle.

8. String Matching (Chapter - 8)

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1.1 Introduction

An algorithm, named for the ninth century Persian mathematician al-Khwarizmi, is simply a set of rules used to perform some calculations, either by hand or more usually on a machine. In this subject we will refer algorithm as a method that can be used by the computer for solution of a problem. For instance performing the addition, multiplication, division or subtraction is an algorithm. Use of algorithm for some computations is a common practice. Even ancient Greek has used an algorithm which is popularly known as Euclid's algorithm for calculating the greatest common divisor of two numbers.

Basically algorithm is a finite set of instructions that can be used to perform certain task. In this chapter we will learn some basic concepts of algorithm. We will start our discussion by understanding the notion of algorithm. And for understanding how to write an algorithm we will discuss some examples.

1.2 What is an Algorithm ?

In this section we will first understand "What is algorithm?" and "When it is required?"

Definition of algorithm : The algorithm is defined as a collection of unambiguous instructions occurring in some specific sequence and such an algorithm should produce output for given set of input in finite amount of time.

This definition of algorithm is represented in Fig. 1.2.1.

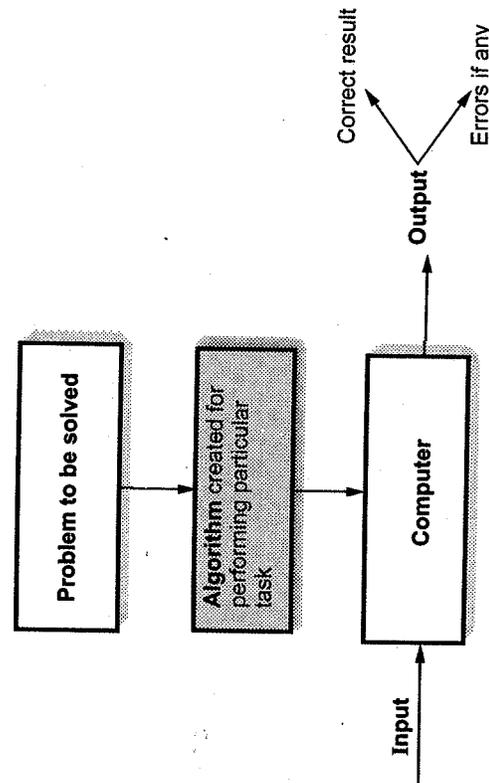


Fig. 1.2.1 Notion of algorithm

After understanding the problem statement for the given problem. The algorithm is then written in a programming language and then given to some computing system which executes this algorithm which is actually a sequence of instructions. During the process of execution it requires an algorithm (in the form of program) and input. If the given input is invalid then it should raise an error message and produce an output.

1.2.1 Properties of Algorithm

Simply writing the sequence of instructions to accomplish a task. It is necessary to have an algorithm:

- 1. Non-ambiguity :** Each step in an algorithm should be clear and precise. It should not denote any conflicting meaning or effectiveness of algorithm.
- 2. Range of input :** The range of input should be specified. The algorithm is input driven and if the range is not specified then the algorithm can go in an infinite state.
- 3. Multiplicity :** The same algorithm can be written in different languages. That means we can write in simple English, C++, Java, etc. We write it in the form of pseudo code. Similarly, we can write several different algorithms. For instance, to find the sum of two numbers, we can write several different algorithms. For instance, we can write a sequential search algorithm or a binary search algorithm. This is a task and use of either a "sequential search" or a "binary search" algorithm.
- 4. Speed :** The algorithms are written using logic (known as logic of algorithm). But such a logic should produce the output with fast speed.
- 5. Finiteness :** The algorithm should be finite. It should produce the required operations it should terminate.

1.2.2 Issues in Writing an Algorithm

There are various issues in the study of algorithms and those are :

1. How to devise algorithms ?

The creation of an algorithm is a logical activity and one cannot automate it. But there are certain **algorithmic design strategies** and using these strategies one can create many useful algorithms. Hence mastering of such design strategies is an important activity in study of design and analysis of algorithms.

2. How to validate algorithms ?

The next step after creation of algorithms is to validate algorithms. The process of checking whether an algorithm computes the correct answer for all possible legal inputs is called **algorithm validation**. The purpose of validation of algorithm is to find whether algorithm works properly without being dependant upon programming languages. Once validation of algorithm is done a program can be written using corresponding algorithm.

3. How to analyze algorithms ?

Analysis of algorithm is a task of determining how much **computing time** and **storage** is required by an algorithm. Analysis of algorithms is also called **performance analysis**. This analysis is based on mathematics. And a judgment is often needed about better algorithm when two algorithms get compared. The behaviour of algorithm in best case, worst case and average case needs to be obtained.

4. How to test a program ?

After finding an efficient algorithm it is necessary to test that the program written using the efficient algorithm behaves properly or not. Testing of a program is an activity that can be carried out in two phases - **i) debugging** and **ii) performance measuring** (profiling). While debugging a program, it is checked whether program produces faulty results for valid set of input, and if it is found then the program has to be corrected. Thus by debugging thoroughly the program is corrected.

Profiling is a process of measuring time and space required by a corrected program for valid set of inputs.

1.2.3 How to Write an Algorithm ?

Algorithm is basically a sequence of instructions written in simple English language. The algorithm is broadly divided into two sections -

Algorithm header
It consists of name of algorithm, description, input and output.

Algorithm body
It consists of logical body of algorithm by making use of various programming constructs and assignment.

Fig. 1.2.2 Structure of an Algorithm

Let us understand some rules for writing the algorithm.

1. Algorithm is a procedure consisting of heading keyword **Algorithm** and name of the algorithm.

Algorithm name (keyword)
This keyword should be written first
Here write the name of the algorithm

2. Then in the heading section we should write

```
//Problem Description :
//Input :
//Output :
```

3. Then body of an algorithm is written, in like if, for, while or some assignment statement.

4. The compound statements should be enclosed like if, for, while or some assignment statement.

5. Single line comments are written using // as follows.

6. The **identifier** should begin by letter and combination of alphanumeric string.

It is not necessary to write data types in the algorithm. It is represented by the context itself. Basic data types are Boolean and so on. The pointer type is also a compound data type such as structure or record.

7. Using assignment operator ← an assignment statement.
For instance :

8. There are other types of operators such as Boolean operators such as true or false. Logical operators such as **and**, **or**, **not**. And relational operators such as $<$, $<=$, $>$, $>=$, $=$, \neq
9. The array indices are stored with in square brackets '[']'. The index of array usually start at zero. The multidimensional arrays can also be used in algorithm.
10. The inputting and outputting can be done using **read** and **write**.

For example :

```
write("This message will be displayed on console");
read(val);
```

11. The conditional statements such as if-then or if-then-else are written in following form :

```
if (condition) then statement
if (condition) then statement else statement
```

If the **if-then** statement is of compound type then { and } should be used for enclosing block.

12. **while** statement can be written as :

```
while (condition) do
{
statement 1
statement 2
:
:
statement n
}
```

While the condition is true the block enclosed with { } gets executed otherwise statement after } will be executed.

13. The general form for writing for loop is :

```
for variable ← value1 to valuen do
{
statement 1
statement 2
:
:
statement n
}
```

Here $value_1$ is initialization condition and $value_n$ is a terminating condition.

```
for i ← 1 to n step 1
{
Write (i)
}
```

Here variable i is incremented by 1 at each step.

14. The **repeat - until** statement can be written as follows
- ```
repeat
statement 1
statement 2
:
:
statement n
until (condition)
```

15. The **break** statement is used to exit from in loop. It is used to return control from one point to another. Generally, statements in an algorithm executed in the order as they appear one after the other.

### Some Examples

**Example 1 :** Write an algorithm to count the sum of numbers from 1 to n.

```
Algorithm sum (1, n)
//Problem Description : This algorithm is for finding the sum of given n numbers
//Input : 1 to n numbers
//Output : The sum of n numbers
result ← 0
for i ← 1 to n do i ← i + 1
result ← result + i
return result
```

**Example 2 :** Write an algorithm to check whether a number is even or odd.

```
Algorithm eventest (val)
//Problem Description : This algorithm test whether a number is even or odd
//Input : the number to be tested i.e. val
//Output : Appropriate messages indicating even or odd
if (val%2=0) then
write ("Given number is even")
else
write ("Given number is odd")
```

**Example 3 :** Write an algorithm for sorting the numbers in ascending order.

```
Algorithm sort (a,n)
```

```
//Output : The sorted array
for i ← 1 to n do
for j ← i+1 to n - 1 do
{
if(a[i]>a[j]) then
{
temp ← a[i]
a[i] ← a[j]
a[j] ← temp
}
}
write ("List is sorted")
```

**Example 4 :** Write an algorithm to find factorial of n number.

**Algorithm** fact (n)

```
//Problem Description : This algorithm finds the factorial
//of given number n
//Input : The number n of which the factorial is to be
//calculated
//Output : factorial value of given n number
if(n ← 1) then
return 1
else
return n*fact(n - 1)
```

**Example 5 :** Write an algorithm to perform multiplication of two matrices.

**Algorithm** Mul(A,B,n)

```
//Problem Description : This algorithm is for computing
//multiplication of two matrices
//Input : The two matrices A,B and order of them as n
//Output : The multiplication result will be in matrix C
for i ← 1 to n do
for j ← 1 to n do
C[i,j] ← 0
for k ← 1 to n do
C[i,j] ← C[i,j] + A[i,k]*B[k,j]
```

**Example for Practice**

**Example 1.2.1 :** Design recursive algorithm for computing  $2^n$  for non-negative integer using the formula  $2^n = 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-1}$ .

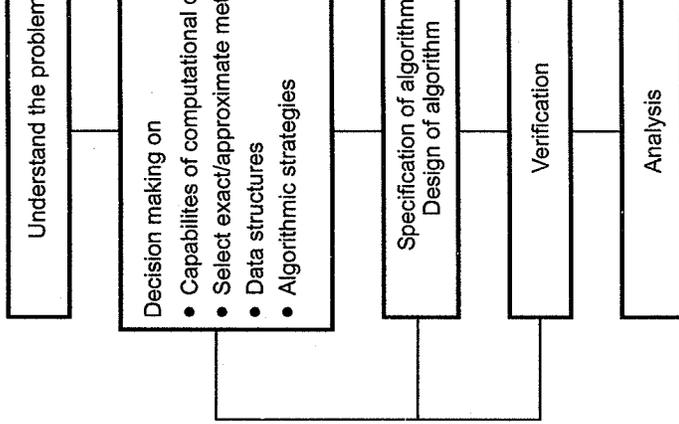
**Review Questions**

### 1.3 Designing of an Algorithm

In computer science, developing an algorithm is a mastery on algorithm development process only with actual implementation of the program, designing an

Suppose, if we want to build a house we do not. Instead we consult an architect, we put our ideas on a plan of the house, and he discusses it with the architect notes it down and makes the necessary process continues till we are happy. Finally the design process is over actual construction activity systematic for construction of desired house. In designing is just a paper work and at that instance then those can be easily carried out on the construction activities start. Same is a program development.

If we could follow same kind of approach algorithm then we can have successful implementation us list the "What are the steps that need to algorithm.



These steps are -

1. Understanding the problem.
2. Decision making on,
  - a. Capabilities of computational devices
  - b. Choice for either exact or approximate problem solving method.
  - c. Data structures.
  - d. Algorithmic strategies.
3. Specification of algorithm.
4. Algorithmic verification.
5. Analysis of algorithm.
6. Implementation or coding of algorithm.

Let us now discuss each step in detail

### 1. Understanding the problem

This is the very first step in designing of algorithm. In this step first of all you need to **understand the problem** statement completely. While understanding the problem statements, read the problem description carefully and ask questions for clarifying the doubts about the problem. But there are some types of problems that are commonly occurring and to solve such problems there are typical algorithms which are already available. Hence if the given problem is a common type of problem, then already existing algorithms as a solution to that problem can be used. After applying such an existing algorithm it is necessary to find its strength and weakness (For example, efficiency, memory utilization). But it is very rare to have such a ready-made algorithm. Normally you have to **design an algorithm on your own**.

After carefully understanding the problem statements find out what are the necessary inputs for solving that problem. The input to the algorithm is called **instance** of the problem. It is very important to **decide the range of inputs** so that the boundary values of algorithm get fixed. The algorithm should work correctly for all **valid inputs**.

This step is an important step and in algorithmic solving and it should not be skipped at all.

### 2. Decision making

After finding the required input set for the given problem we have to analyze the input and need to decide certain issues such as capabilities of computational devices, whether to use exact or approximate problem solving, which data structures have to be

### a. Capabilities of computational devices

It is necessary to know the computational capabilities of the machine on which the algorithm will be running. Globally we can classify the machine into two categories: one is **sequential algorithm** and **parallel algorithm**. In a sequential algorithm, one instruction runs on the machine in which the other. Such a machine is called as Random Access Machine (RAM). In a parallel algorithm, multiple instructions are run on the machine in which the instructions are executed simultaneously.

There are certain complex problems which require a lot of time to solve. For such problems for which execution time is an important factor, it is essential to have proper choice of a computational algorithm which is **efficient**.

### b. Choice for either exact or approximate problem

The next important decision is to decide whether to use an exact or approximate algorithm. If the problem needs to be solved exactly, then an exact algorithm is used. Otherwise if the problem is so complex that it is not possible to solve it exactly, then an approximate algorithm is used. In that situation we need to choose **approximate algorithm** of approximation algorithm is travelling Salesperson problem.

### c. Data structures

Data structure and algorithm work together and choice of proper data structure is required before implementation of algorithm (program) is possible. The choice of data structure is very important.

### d. Algorithmic strategies

**Algorithmic strategies** is a general approach by which a problem is solved algorithmically. These problems may belong to different categories. Some of the common algorithmic strategies are also called as algorithmic techniques or **Algorithm Design Techniques** -

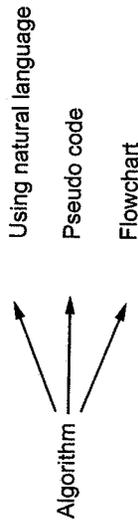
- **Brute force** : This is straightforward technique.
- **Divide-and-conquer** : The problem is divided into smaller sub-problems and solved recursively.
- **Dynamic programming** : The results of sub-problems are stored and reused to solve the problem.

- **Greedy technique** : To solve the problem locally at each step.
- **Back tracking** : This method is based on the idea of trial and error. If a solution is found, it is accepted. If not, the solution is rejected and some problem then desired solution is chosen.

according to the design idea that the particular algorithm adopts. And if using certain design idea the particular problem is getting solved then that problem belongs to corresponding algorithmic strategy.

### 3. Specification of algorithm

There are various ways by which we can specify an algorithm



It is very simple to specify an algorithm using **natural language**. But many times specification of algorithm by using natural language is not clear, and there by we get brief specification.

**For example :** *write an algorithm to perform addition of two numbers.*

- Step 1 :** Read the first number say a.
- Step 2 :** Read the second number say b.
- Step 3 :** Add the two numbers and store the result in a variable c.
- Step 4 :** Display the result.

Such a specification creates difficulty while actually implementing it. Hence many programmers prefer to have specification of algorithm by means of **pseudo code**.

Pseudo code is nothing but a combination of natural language and programming language constructs. A pseudo code is usually more precise than a natural language.

**For example :** *Write an algorithm for performing addition of two numbers.*

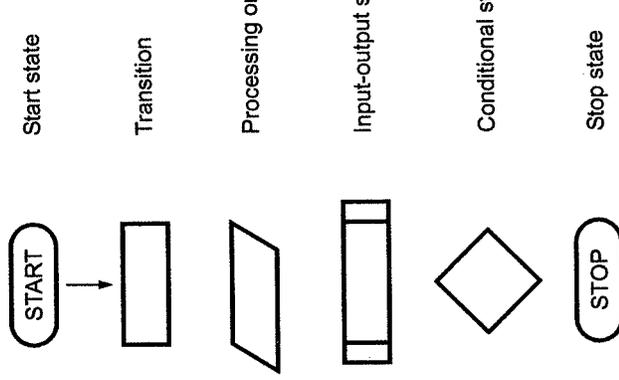
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Algorithm sum(a,b)
//Problem Description This algorithm performs addition of
//two integers
//Input : two integers a and b
//Output : addition of two integers
c ← a+b
write (c)

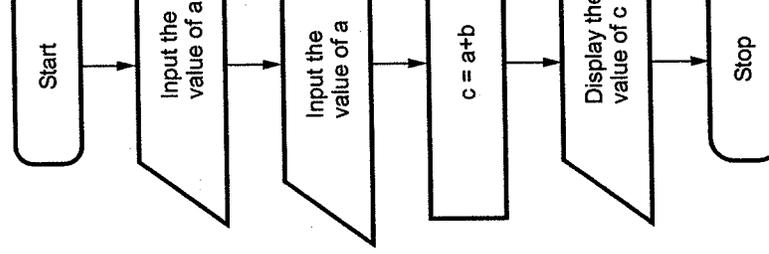
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This specification is more useful from implementation point of view.

Another way of representing the algorithm is by **flowchart**. Flowchart is a graphical representation of an algorithm. Typical symbols used in flowchart are -



**For example**



#### 4. Algorithmic verification

Algorithmic verification means checking correctness of an algorithm. After specifying an algorithm we go for checking its correctness. We normally check whether the algorithm gives correct output in finite amount of time for a valid set of input. The proof of correctness of an algorithm can be complex sometimes. A common method of proving the correctness of an algorithm is by using mathematical induction. But to show that an algorithm works incorrectly we have to show that at least for one instance of valid input the algorithm gives wrong result.

#### 5. Analysis of algorithm

While analyzing an algorithm we should consider following factors -

- Time efficiency of an algorithm
- Space efficiency of an algorithm
- Simplicity of an algorithm
- Generality of an algorithm
- Range of input.

**Time complexity** of an algorithm means the amount of time taken by an algorithm to run. By computing time complexity we come to know whether the algorithm is slow or fast.

**Space complexity** of an algorithm means the amount of space (memory) taken by an algorithm. By computing space complexity we can analyze whether an algorithm requires more or less space.

**Simplicity** is of an algorithm means generating sequence of instructions which are easy to understand. This is an important characteristic of an algorithm because simple algorithms can be understood quickly and one can then write simpler programs for such algorithms. While simplifying an algorithm we have to compute any predefined computations or some complex mathematical derivation. Finding out bugs from algorithms or debugging the program becomes easy when an algorithm is simple. Sometimes simpler algorithms are more efficient than complex algorithms. But it is not always possible that the algorithm is simple.

**Generality** sometimes it becomes easier to design an algorithm in more general way rather than designing it for particular set of input. Hence we should write general algorithms always. For example, designing an algorithm for finding GCD of any two numbers is more appealing than that of particular two values. But sometimes it is not at all required to design a generalized algorithm. For example, an algorithm for finding roots of quadratic equations can not be

**Range of inputs** comes in picture when we design an algorithm. The range of the algorithm should be such that it should handle natural to corresponding problem.

Analysis of algorithm means checking the characteristics of an algorithm like space complexity, simplicity, generality and range. If the algorithm is not satisfactory then we must redesign the algorithm.

#### 6. Implementation of algorithm

The implementation of an algorithm is done in a programming language. For example, if an algorithm consists of objects and operations, we can implement it in C or JAVA. While writing a program for given algorithm, we should try to write optimized code. This will reduce the burden on the computer.

**Example 1.3.1** Define an algorithm. What features should an algorithm have? When an algorithm is said to be efficient? Can an abstract algorithm be directly implemented in its use?

**Solution :** Algorithm and its features : Refer section 1.3.1. Correctness and efficiency : Refer section 1.3.2.

An abstract algorithm can not be implemented directly. The abstract view of what is to be implemented is only used to design the implementation, and not the actual implementation.

#### Review Questions

1. What are the steps that need to be followed while designing an algorithm?
2. What do you understand by the term algorithmic strategies?
3. Explain the concept of pseudo code with some examples.
4. Define the terms - i) Time complexity and ii) Space complexity.

#### 1.4 Mathematics for Algorithmic Sets

**Set** is defined as collection of objects. These objects can be numbers, letters, symbols, etc. The elements are enclosed within curly brackets. For example, the set A then

Typically set is denoted by a **capital letter**. The set can be represented using three methods.

### 1) Listing method

The elements are listed in the set.

**For example :** A set of element which are less than 5. Then,

$$A = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$$

### 2) Describing properties

The properties of elements of a set define the set.

**For example :** A set of vowels. Hence here vowel is a property of the set which defines the set as :

$$A = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$$

### 3) Recursion method

The recursion occurs to define the elements of the set.

**For example :**  $A = \{x | x \text{ is square of } n\}$  where  $n \leq 10$ .

This defines the set as :

$$A = \{0, 1, 4, 9, 16, \dots, 100\}$$

**Subset :** The subset A is called subset of set B if every element of set A is present in set B but reverse is not true. It is denoted by  $A \subseteq B$ . For example  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $B = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  then  $A \subseteq B$ .

**Empty set :** The set having no element in it is called empty set. It is denoted by  $A = \{\}$  and it can be written as  $\phi$  (phi).

**Null string :** The null element is denoted by  $\epsilon$  or  $\wedge$  character. Null element means no value character. But  $\epsilon$  does mean  $\phi$ .

**Power set :** The power set is a set of all the subsets of its elements.

**For example :**  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$

Then power set :  $Q = \{\phi, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}$

The number of elements are always equal to  $2^n$  where n is number of elements in original set. As in set A there are 3 elements. Therefore in power set Q there are  $2^3 = 8$  elements.

**Equal set :** The two sets are said to be equal if every element of set A is an element of B and every element of set B is an element of A.

**For example :**

$A = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $B = \{1, 2, 3\}$  then  $A = B$ .

$|A|$  denotes the length of set A. i.e. number of elements in A.

**For example :** If

$A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  then

$$|A| = 5$$

## 1.4.1 Operations on Set

Various operations that can be carried out on sets are:

- i) Union
  - ii) Intersection
  - iii) Difference
  - iv) Complement.
- i)  $A \cup B$  is union operation - If

$A = \{1, 2, 3\}$     $B = \{1, 2, 4\}$

$A \cup B = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  i.e. combination of elements of both sets.

- ii)  $A \cap B$  is intersection operation - If

$A = \{1, 2, 3\}$    and    $B = \{2, 3, 4\}$

$A \cap B = \{2, 3\}$  i.e. collection of common elements of both sets.

- iii)  $A - B$  is the difference operation - If

$A = \{1, 2, 3\}$    and    $B = \{2, 3, 4\}$

$A - B = \{1\}$  i.e. elements which are present in set A but not in set B.

- iv)  $\bar{A}$  is a complement operation - If

$\bar{A} = U - A$  where U is a universal set.

**For example :**

If  $U = \{10, 20, 30, 40, 50\}$

$A = \{10, 20\}$

then  $\bar{A} = U - A = \{30, 40, 50\}$

### 1.4.2 Cartesian Product of Two Sets

The cartesian product of two sets A and B is a set of all possible ordered pairs whose first component is member of A and whose second component is member of B. The cartesian product is denoted by  $A \times B$ .

$$\therefore A \times B = \{ \{a, b\} \mid a \in A \text{ and } b \in B \}$$

**For example :** Let  $A = \{a, b\}$  and  $B = \{0, 1, 2\}$  then the cartesian product of A and B is,

$$A \times B = \{(a,0), (a,1), (a,2), (b,0), (b,1), (b,2)\}$$

### 1.4.3 Cardinality of Sets

The cardinality of the set is nothing but the number of members in the set.

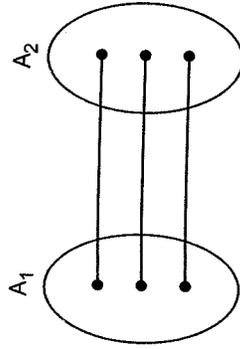


Fig. 1.4.1 Cardinality of two sets

These sets  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  have the same cardinality as there is one to one mapping of the elements of  $A_1$  and  $A_2$ . The different cardinalities of set can be - one to one, one to many, many to one, many to many.

### 1.4.4 Sequence

The sequence means ordering of the elements of the set in some specific manner. For instance :  $\{0, 2, 4, 6, 8\}$  is a sequence which denotes the even numbers.

### 1.4.5 Tuple

An ordered pair of n elements is called tuple.

**For example :**

$\{10, 20\}$  is a 2-tuple or pair

$\{10, 20, 30\}$  is 3-tuple.

### Review Questions

1. Define the terms - i) Subset ii) Empty set iii) Proper subset
2. Explain four operations that can be performed on sets.
3. What is cardinality of set ?

## 1.5 Functions and Relations

### 1.5.1 Functions

Function can be defined as the relationship between two sets. A function is a relation between two sets such that each element of one set has exactly one corresponding element in the other set. A function is a relation but a relation is not necessarily a function.

A function can be denoted using a letter f. If we have a set X and a set Y, then we can have,

$$f(2) = 8$$

$$f(5) = 125$$

$$f(-1) = -1$$

and so on.

### 1.5.1.1 Basic Terminologies

If D is a set then we can define function as,

$$f(D) = \{ f(x) \mid x \in D \}$$

If we map some element to some other element

$$f : D \rightarrow R \quad \text{i.e.} \quad x \rightarrow x^3$$

If set D consists of all the real number then

$D = \{1, 2, \dots\}$  is a domain.

The functions are denoted in terms of its mapping.

For example Let,  $D = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  and  $f(x) = x^3$ .

Then the range of f will be  $R = \{ f(1), f(2), f(3), f(4) \}$

$$= \{ 1, 8, 27, 64 \}$$

If we take Cartesian product of D and R then

$$F = \{ (1,1), (2,8), (3,27), (4,64) \}$$

**Example 1.5.1** Find the domain and range of the following relation. Is this relation a function  
 $\{(2, 9), (3, 14), (4, 21)\}$

**Solution :** In above given set a relationship between certain x's and y's is a relation. Hence all the x values denote the domain and all the y values denote range. Therefore -

Domain :  $\{ 2, 3, 4 \}$

Range :  $\{ 9, 14, 21 \}$

We can observe the x and y pair to get the relationship. Note that, if  $x = 2$  then  $y = x^2 + 5 = (2)^2 + 5 = 9$ . This holds true for all the x and y pair in given set. Hence we can define a relation as a function as  $f(x) = x^2 + 5$ .

**Example 1.5.2** Determine the domain of the given function :

$$y = \frac{x^2 + x - 5}{x^2 + 3x - 10}$$

**Solution :** Here domain means all the values of x that are allowed to take. For this function, the only care that has to be taken is that, the function should not produce divide by zero error. If the denominator equals to zero, then divide by zero error will occur, hence

$$x^2 + 3x - 10 = 0$$

$$(x+5)(x-2) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = -5 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 2$$

Hence domain will be all those values of x that are not equal to - 5 or 2.

• **Quantifiers :**

**Quantifiers -** In predicate logic the quantifier is a kind of operator which is used to determine the quantity.

There are two types of quantifiers -

**Universal quantifier and existential quantifier.**

**Universal Quantifier -** Any quantifier that starts with "∀" is universal quantifier.  $\forall x$  means for all x. This quantifier is used as a prefix to a predicate.

**For example :**  $\forall x Bx$  means for all x, Bx.

**For example :** "All girls are intelligent" could be transformed into the propositional form as  $\forall x B(x)$  where

- B(x) is the predicate denoting x is intelligent.
- The universe of discourse is only populated by girls.

$\exists x$  means there exists an x such that ...

This quantifier is used as a prefix to a predicate.  
**For example :** " Some cars are red in color" proportional form an  $\exists x B(x)$  where

- B(x) is the predicate denoting x is red in color
- The universe of discourse is populated by cars

## 1.5.2 Relations

Relationship is a major aspect between two objects. One object can be related with the other object by a relationship. Objects form a pair based on this certain relationship.

**Definition :** The relation R is a collection for the elements.

**For example :** (a, b) is in R. We can represent component of each pair is chosen from a set called each pair is chosen from a set called range.

### Properties of Relations

A relation R on set S is,

1. Reflexive if  $iRi$  for all i in S.
2. Irreflexive if  $iRi$  is false for all i in S.
3. Transitive if  $iRj$  and  $jRk$  imply  $iRk$ .
4. Symmetric if  $iRj$  implies  $jRi$ .
5. Asymmetric if  $iRj$  implies that  $jRi$  is false.

Every asymmetric relation must be irreflexive.

**For example :** If  $A = \{ a, b \}$  then

- Reflexive relation R can be = { (a,a), (b,b) }
- Irreflexive relation R can be = { }
- Transitive relation R can be = { (a,b), (b,c), (a,c) }
- Symmetric relation R can be = { (a,b), (b,a) }
- Asymmetric relation R can be = { (a,b) }

### Equivalent Relation

A relation is said to be equivalence relation

**For example :** S is the set of lines in a plane and R is the relation of lines intersecting to each other.

**Example 1.5.3** Determine whether R is equivalence relation or not where

$$A = \{ 0, 1, 2 \}, R = \{ (0, 0), (1, 0), (1, 1), (2, 2), (2, 1) \}$$

**Solution :** The R is reflexive because  $(0, 0), (1, 1), (2, 2) \in R$ .

Where as R is not symmetric because  $(0, 1)$  is not in R whereas  $(1, 0)$  is in R. Hence the R is not a equivalence relation.

### Closures of Relations

Sometimes when the relation R is given, it may not be reflexive or transitive.

By adding some pairs we make the relation as reflexive or transitive.

**For example :** Let  $\{ (a, b), (b, c), (a, a), (b, b) \}$

Now this relation is not transitive because  $(a, b), (b, c)$  is there in relation R but  $(a, c)$  is not there in R so we can make the transitive closure as

$$\{ (a, a), (b, b), (a, b), (b, c), (a, c) \}$$

We can even define reflexive closure and symmetric closure in the same way.

### Review Questions

1. What is relation ? Explain equivalence relation.
2. Explain the term quantifiers.
3. Explain the concept of domain and range.
4. Give various properties of relations.

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### 1.6 Vectors

A vector A is a collection of n tuples.

For example  $A = (a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n)$

where  $a_i$  are called the components of A.

#### Equal vectors :

If there exists two vectors namely, A and B and if both the vector contain same number of components and if corresponding components are equal then vector  $A = B$ . i.e. vector A and B are equal.

#### Zero vector :

Let  $A = (a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n)$  be a vector an vector.

#### Addition of two vectors :

For addition of two vectors, the number of components should be the same. The sum  $A + B$  is a vector obtained from A and B.

$$\begin{aligned} A + B &= (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) + (b_1, b_2, b_3, \dots, b_n) \\ &= (a_1 + b_1, a_2 + b_2, a_3 + b_3, \dots, a_n + b_n) \end{aligned}$$

#### Multiplication of vector by scalar :

By multiplying each component of vector by a scalar k, the product can be

$$\begin{aligned} k \cdot A &= k(a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) \\ &= (ka_1, ka_2, \dots, ka_n) \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,  $-A = (-1)A$  and  $A - B = A + (-1)B$ . Also,  $k(A + B) = kA + kB$  where A and B are vectors.

#### Dot product :

The dot product or inner product of vectors  $A = (a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n)$  and  $B = (b_1, b_2, b_3, \dots, b_n)$  is denoted by  $A \cdot B$ . It can be

$$A \cdot B = a_1b_1 + a_2b_2 + a_3b_3 + \dots + a_nb_n$$

#### Length of a vector :

A length or norm of the vector, A is denoted by  $\|A\|$ .

$$\|A\| = \sqrt{a_1^2 + a_2^2 + \dots + a_n^2}$$

### 1.7 Matrices

In mathematics, an array is rectangular representation of data. For Example :

Alternate representation is with the help of parenthesis instead of box brackets.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 11 & 12 & 13 \\ 8 & 7 & 5 \\ 15 & 20 & 25 \end{pmatrix}$$

The horizontal lines in a matrix are called rows and vertical lines are called columns. The number in the matrix are called entries or elements of matrix.

The size of the matrix can be specified with m rows and n columns. It is denoted as  $m \times n$  or m-by-n, where m and n are called its dimensions.

### Row vector and column vector

A matrix with one row is called row vector and matrix with one column is called column vector.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 10 & 20 & 30 \end{bmatrix}$$

Row vector

$$\begin{bmatrix} 11 \\ 12 \\ 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

Column vector

## 1.7.1 Basic Terminologies

### 1) Zero Matrix :

A zero matrix is a matrix with all its entries being zero.

For example :  $0_{2,2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

### 2) Identify Matrix :

The identity matrix or unit matrix of size n is a square matrix having one's on the main diagonal, and zero's elsewhere.

The identity matrix is denoted by I.

For example :

$$I_1 = [1], I_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, I_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

If we multiply any matrix A by unit matrix then the resultant matrix is the same matrix A.

### 3) Square Matrix :

If the number of rows and number of columns that the matrix is square matrix.

## 1.7.2 Operations on Matrix

Various operations that can be performed on m

1. Addition
2. Multiplication
3. Transpose

### 1) Addition of two matrices

Let, A and B are the two matrices of same matrices will be addition of each corresponding ele

For example :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & b_{13} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & b_{23} \\ b_{31} & b_{32} & b_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A + B = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + b_{11} & a_{12} + b_{12} & a_{13} + b_{13} \\ a_{21} + b_{21} & a_{22} + b_{22} & a_{23} + b_{23} \\ a_{31} + b_{31} & a_{32} + b_{32} & a_{33} + b_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

### 2) Multiplication of two matrices

For multiplication of two matrices, width of first matrix. That means a matrix A with  $m \times n$  can be size. Then the size of resultant matrix is  $m \times p$ .

For example :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 2}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 11 & 12 \\ 13 & 14 & 15 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 3}$$

$$A \times B = \begin{bmatrix} 1*10+2*13 & 1*11+2*14 & 1*12+2*15 \\ 3*10+4*13 & 3*11+4*14 & 3*12+4*15 \\ 5*10+6*13 & 5*11+6*14 & 5*12+6*15 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \times B = \begin{bmatrix} 36 & 39 & 42 \\ 82 & 89 & 96 \\ 128 & 139 & 150 \end{bmatrix}$$

Note that the size of resultant matrix is  $3 \times 2 \times 3 = 3 \times 3$

### Properties of matrix multiplication

Let, A, B and C are the matrices and k is the scalar then,

1.  $A(B + C) = AB + AC$
2.  $(B + C)A = BA + CA$
3.  $(AB)C = A(BC)$
4.  $k(AB) = A(kB)$

### 3) Transpose of matrix

The transpose of matrix A is obtained by interchanging row and column. The transposed matrix is denoted by  $A^T$ . If matrix A is of size  $m \times n$  then  $A^T$  is  $n \times m$ .

For example :

$$\text{If } A = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 20 \\ 30 & 40 \\ 50 & 60 \end{bmatrix} \text{ then,}$$

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 30 & 50 \\ 20 & 40 & 60 \end{bmatrix}$$

### 1.7.3 Determinant of Matrix

The determinant of matrix A is a specific number. It is denoted by  $|A|$ .

- The determinant of order one matrix is

$$|a_{11}| = a_{11}$$

- The determinant of order two matrix is

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix} = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21}$$

- The determinant of order three matrix is

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= a_{11}(a_{22}a_{33} - a_{23}a_{32}) - a_{12}(a_{21}a_{33} - a_{23}a_{31}) + a_{13}(a_{21}a_{32} - a_{22}a_{31})$$

Following is an important property of determinant

For any two n square matrices A and B

$$\det(AB) = \det(A) \cdot \det(B)''$$

### Review Question

1. Explain the method of obtaining the determinant of m

### 1.8 Linear Inequalities

In mathematics, linear inequality is a statement

For example :  $x + y > 14$  is a linear inequality.

#### 1.8.1 Solution to Linear Inequality

The solution of linear inequality is based on nu

**The solution to one variable inequality :**

$3x + 7 \leq 10$ , the value of x gives true statement. I above given inequality.

**The solution to two variable inequality :**

$3x + 7y - 5 \leq 17$ , the value of x and y should true. The solution to above inequality is (2, 2) beca

**The solution to three variable inequality :**

$3x + 2y - 7z \leq 5$ , the value of x, y and z shou true. The solution to above inequality is (2, 2, 1). b

#### Key Point

Solution of an inequality is a solution that

### 1.8.2 Properties of Inequalities

2. If  $x \leq y$  and  $c$  is some positive number then  $x + c \leq y + c$
3. If  $x \leq y$  and  $c$  is negative, then  $x + c \geq y + c$
4. If  $x \leq y$  and  $c$  is some positive, then  $x + c \leq y + c$

## 1.9 Linear Equations

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The linear equation is an equation containing  $n$  unknowns. A linear equation with one unknown can be given in standard form :

$$ax = b$$

Where  $x$  is unknown and  $a$  and  $b$  are constants. The solution of such equation will be,

$$x = \frac{b}{a}$$

The linear equation with two unknowns can be given in standard form as

$$ax + by = c.$$

Where  $x, y$  are unknowns and  $a, b$  and  $c$  are constants.

**Example 1.9.1** Solve  $2x + 8 = 20$  for  $x$ .

**Solution :**  $2x + 8 = 20$

(Subtract 8 from both sides)

$$2x + 8 - 8 = 20 - 8$$

$$2x = 12$$

$$\frac{2x}{2} = \frac{12}{2}$$

$$x = 6$$

$\therefore$

**Example 1.9.2** If a number is increased by 9, the result is 25. Find the number.

**Solution :** Assume that  $m$  be that number then we can write linear equation as -

$$m + 9 = 25$$

(subtract 9 from both sides)

$$m + 9 - 9 = 25 - 9$$

$$m = 16$$

Hence the number is 16.

## 1.9.1 Two Linear Equations with Two Unknowns

$$a_1 x + b_1 y = c_1$$

$$a_2 x + b_2 y = c_2$$

To solve such linear equations in order to consider following algorithm -

**Step 1 :** Multiply the two equation by  $a_2$  and  $a_1$  respectively so that coefficients of at least one term will be negative

**Step 2 :** Perform additions of two equations.

**For example :**

$$5x + 10y = 15$$

$$3x + 2y = 5$$

Multiply equation (1.9.1) by (1.9.3) and equation

$$15x + 30y = 45$$

$$-15x - 10y = -25$$

Perform addition of equations (1.9.3) and (1.9.4)

$$20y = 20$$

$$y = 1.$$

Now put  $y = 1$  in equation (1.9.2), we will get,

$$3(x) + 2(1) = 5$$

$$3x = 3$$

$$x = 1$$

Thus we get a solution  $x = 1, y = 1$  which is the

## 1.9.2 Gauss Elimination Method

Gaussian elimination method is a method of solving a system of linear equations by transforming the augmented matrix, to an upper triangular form by backward substitution method.

**Example 1.9.3** Solve the linear equation by Gauss

$$b + c = 2$$

$$2a + 3c = 15$$

$$a + b + c = 3$$

**Solution :** We will write augmented matrix as

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 & 3 & 15 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Step 1 :** Now interchange 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> equation.

$$\begin{aligned} 2a + 3c &= 15 \\ b + c &= 2 \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 3 & 15 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ a + b + c &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

**Step 2 :** Divide first equation by 2.

$$\begin{aligned} a + \frac{3}{2}c &= \frac{15}{2} \\ b + c &= 2 \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{3}{2} & \frac{15}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ a + b + c &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

**Step 3 :** Multiply first equation by -1 and add it to third equation.

$$-a - \frac{3}{2}c = \frac{-15}{2}$$

$$+ a + b + c = 3$$

$$b - \frac{1}{2}c = \frac{-9}{2}$$

is the third equation

To summarize

$$\begin{aligned} a + \frac{3}{2}c &= \frac{15}{2} \\ b + c &= 2 \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{3}{2} & \frac{15}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{9}{2} \end{bmatrix} \\ b - \frac{1}{2}c &= \frac{-9}{2} \end{aligned}$$

**Step 4 :** Multiply 2<sup>nd</sup> equation by -1 and add it to 3<sup>rd</sup> equation.

$$\begin{aligned} a + \frac{3}{2}c &= \frac{15}{2} \\ b + c &= 2 \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{3}{2} & \frac{15}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{3}{2} & -\frac{13}{2} \end{bmatrix} \\ b - \frac{3}{2}c &= \frac{-13}{2} \end{aligned}$$

**Step 5 :** Multiply 3<sup>rd</sup> equation by  $\frac{-2}{3}$

$$\begin{aligned} a + \frac{3}{2}c &= \frac{15}{2} \\ b + c &= 2 \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{3}{2} & \frac{15}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{13}{2} \end{bmatrix} \\ c &= \frac{13}{3} \end{aligned}$$

**Step 6 :** The 3<sup>rd</sup> equation gives  $c = \frac{13}{3}$ , if we substitute

$$b + \frac{13}{3} = 2$$

$$\therefore b = 2 - \frac{13}{3}$$

$$b = \frac{-7}{3}$$

Now if we put value of  $c = \frac{13}{3}$  in 1<sup>st</sup> equation then

$$a + \frac{3}{2}c = \frac{15}{2}$$

$$a + \frac{3}{2}\left(\frac{13}{3}\right) = \frac{15}{2}$$

$$a + \frac{13}{2} = \frac{15}{2}$$

$$a = 1$$

Thus we get the solution for linear equations

### Review Questions

1. Explain linear inequality and equations.
2. Explain the solution to linear in equality.
3. Explain the Gauss elimination method with an illustration.

### 1.10 University Questions with Answers (Regulation 2019)

Summer - 2011

**Q.2** Explain the term quantifiers. [Refer section 1.5] [2]

Winter - 2011

**Q.3** What is relation ? Explain equivalence relation. [Refer section 1.5] [3]

(Regulation 2013)

Winter - 2015

**Q.4** Define the term - Algorithm. [Refer section 1.2] [2]

**Q.5** Explain the term quantifiers. [Refer section 1.5] [2]

Summer - 2018

**Q.6** Define algorithm. Discuss key characteristics of algorithm. [Refer section 1.2] [3]

Winter - 2018

**Q.7** Define Algorithm. Time Complexity and Space Complexity. (Refer sections 1.2 and 1.3(5)) [3]

### 1.11 Short Questions and Answers

**Q.1** Define the term algorithm.

**Ans. :** The algorithm is defined as a collection of unambiguous instructions occurring in some specific sequence and such an algorithm should produce output for given set of input in finite amount of time.

**Q.2** Specify any two desirable properties of algorithm.

**Ans. :** 1. Non ambiguity 2. Finiteness

**Q.3** What is algorithmic strategy ?

**Ans. :** Algorithmic strategies is a general approach by which many problems can be solved algorithmically. These problems may belong to different areas of computing. Algorithmic strategies are also called as algorithmic techniques or algorithmic paradigm.

**Q.4** Name five algorithm design techniques.

**Ans. :** 1. Brute Force 2. Divide and Conquer 3. Dynamic Programming

**Ans. :** Pseudo code is a method of specifying combination of natural language and programming

**Q.6** What are three ways of representing a set ?

**Ans. :**

1. Listing Method : In this method the elements
2. Describing Properties : In this method the set is specified.

3. Recursion Method : The recursion occurs to define a set.

**Q.7** List out various operations on the set.

**Ans. :** 1. Union 2. Intersection 3. Difference

**Q.8** What is cardinality of set ?

**Ans. :** The cardinality of set is nothing but the number of elements in the set. The cardinality can be one to one, one to many, many to one, many to many.

**Q.9** List out various properties of relations.

**Ans. :** Various properties of relations are - 1. Reflexive 2. Symmetric 3. Transitive 4. Asymmetric 5. Intransitive

**Q.10** What is Equivalent relation ?

**Ans. :** A relation is said to be equivalent relation if it is reflexive, symmetric and transitive.

**Q.11** What is vector ?

**Ans. :** A vector A is a collection of n tuples.

For example  $A = (a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n)$

where  $a_i$  are called the components of A.

**Q.12** What is row vector and column vector ?

**Ans. :** A matrix with one row is called row vector and a matrix with one column is called column vector.

[10 20 30] is a row vector.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 20 \\ 30 \end{bmatrix}$$

is called column vector.

**Ans. :** The identity matrix or unit matrix of size  $n$  is a square matrix having one on main diagonal and zeros elsewhere.

**Q.14 What is linear inequality ?**

**Ans. :** In mathematics, linear inequality is a statement containing  $<$ ,  $>$ ,  $<=$ ,  $>=$ . For example  $x+y>14$  is a linear inequality.

**Q.15 What is solution to linear in-equality ?**

**Ans. :** The solution of an inequality is a solution that satisfies inequality.

**Q.16 Give example of solution to linear in-equality.**

**Ans. :**  $3x+7y-5<=17$ , the value of  $x$  and  $y$  should be such that the statement remains true. The solution to above inequality is  $(2, 2)$  because  $3(2)+7(2)-5=15<=17$ .

**Q.17 What is linear equation ?**

**Ans. :** Linear equation is an equation containing  $n$  unknowns.

**Q.18 Specify the form of linear equation with one unknown.**

**Ans. :** The standard form of linear equation with one unknown is  $ax=b$

**Q.19 What is Gauss elimination method ?**

**Ans. :** Gaussian elimination method is a method of solving linear system  $Ax=b$  by bringing augmented matrix, to an upper triangular form and then obtaining a solution by backward substitution method.

**Q.20 Solve  $5x+15=50$  for  $x$ .**

**Ans. :**  $5x+15=50-15$

$$5x=35$$

$$x=7$$

# 2

## Analysis

### Syllabus

The efficient algorithm, Average, Best and worst notations, Analyzing control statement, Loop invariance algorithms and analysis : Bubble sort, Selection sort linear time : Bucket sort, Radix sort and counting sort

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**2.1 The Efficiency of Algorithm**

**GTU : Winter-12,14, Summer-14, Marks 7**

The efficiency of algorithm can be specified using **time efficiency** and **space efficiency** which is known as time complexity and space complexity

**Time complexity** of an algorithm means the amount of time taken by an algorithm to run.

**Space complexity** of an algorithm means amount of space(memory) taken by an algorithm

**Importance of Efficiency Analysis**

Performing efficiency analysis is important for these following two reasons -

1. By computing the time complexity we come to know whether algorithm is slow or fast.
2. By computing the space complexity we can analyze whether an algorithm requires more or less space.

**Concept of Frequency Count**

The time complexity of an algorithm can be computed using the frequency count.

**Definition :** The frequency count is a count that denotes how many times particular statement is executed.

Consider following code for counting the frequency count

```
void fun()
{
 int a;
 a = 10;
 printf("%d", a);
}
```

```
void fun()
{
 int a;
 a = 10;
 printf("%d", a);
}
```

**Executes once**  
**Executes Once**

The frequency count of above program is 2.

**Example 2.1.1** Obtain the frequency count for the following code.

```
void fun()
{
```

```
for(i=0;j<n;i++)
{
 a = a+i;
}
printf("%d", a); }
```

**Solution :**

```
void fun()
{
 int a;
 a=0;
 for(i=0;j<n;i++)n+1
 {
 a = a+i;n
 }
 printf("%d", a);1
}
```

The frequency count of above code is  $2n + 3$ .

The for loop in above given fragment of code is true and one more time when the condition becomes false. The statement inside the for loop is true. Therefore the condition inside the for loop is true. Therefore the last printf statement will be executed for  $n + 1$  times. The last printf statement will be executed for  $n + 1$  times.

**Example 2.1.2**

Obtain the frequency count for the following code.  
**OR**

Using Step count method analyze the time complexity.

```
void fun(int a[],int b[])
{
 int c[3][3];
 for(i=0;j<m;i++)
 {
 for(j=0;j<n;j++)
 {
 c[i][j] = a[i][j] + b[i][j];
 }
 }
```

**Solution :**

```
void fun(int a[],int b[])
```

```

{
 for(j=0;j<n;j++)m(n+1)
 {
 c[i][j] = a[i][j] + b[i][j];m.n
 }
}

```

The frequency count =  $(m + 1) + m(n + 1) + mn = 2m + 2mn + 1 = 2m(1 + n) + 1$

**Example 2.1.3** Obtain the frequency count for the following code.

```

for(i=1;i<=n;i++)
{
 for(j=1;j<=n;j++)
 {
 c[i][j] = 0;
 for(k=1;k<=n;k++)
 c[i][j] = c[i][j] + a[i][k] * b[k][j];
 }
}

```

**Solution :**

| Statement                        | Frequency Count                                 |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| for(i=1;j<=n;i++)                | n + 1                                           |
| for(j=1;j<=n;j++)                | n.(n + 1)                                       |
| c[i][j]=0;                       | n.(n)                                           |
| for(k=1;k<=n;k++)                | n.n(n + 1)                                      |
| c[i][j]=c[i][j]+a[i][k]*b[k][j]; | n.n.n                                           |
| <b>Total</b>                     | <b>2n<sup>3</sup> + 3n<sup>2</sup> + 2n + 1</b> |

**Example 2.1.4** Obtain the frequency count for the following code

```

i=1;
do
{
 a++;
 if(i==5)
 break;
}

```

**Solution :**

| Statement    | F |
|--------------|---|
| i=1;         |   |
| a++;         |   |
| if(i==5)     |   |
| break;       |   |
| i++;         |   |
| while(i<=n)  |   |
| <b>Total</b> |   |

**Example 2.1.5** What is space complexity? How algorithm complexity? Will it depend on type of instance (input)?

**Solution :** The space complexity can be defined as algorithm to run.

To compute the space complexity we use two characteristics. The space requirement S(p) can be given as

$$S(p) = C + Sp$$

where C is a constant i.e. fixed part and it denotes space is an amount of space taken by instructions. This space is dependent upon instance characteristics. requirement depends on particular problem independent upon the type of input.

Consider an example of algorithm to compute the

**Algorithm Sum(a,n)**

```

{
 s := 0;0;
 For i := 1 to n do
 s := s + a[i];
 return s
}

```

In the given code we require space for

```

s = s + a[i]; ← O(n)
return; ← O(1)

```

Hence the space complexity of given algorithm can be denoted in terms of big-oh notation. It is  $O(n)$ .

### Review Question

1. Explain why analysis of algorithms is important ?

GTU : Winter-12, Marks 7

## 2.2 Average and Worst Case Analysis

GTU : Winter-10,12, Summer-12, Marks 4

If an algorithm takes minimum amount of time to run to completion for a specific set of input then it is called **best case** time complexity.

**For example :** While searching a particular element by using sequential search we get the desired element at first place itself then it is called best case time complexity.

If an algorithm takes maximum amount of time to run to completion for a specific set of input then it is called **worst case** time complexity.

**For example :** While searching an element by using linear searching method if desired element is placed at the end of the list then we get worst time complexity.

The time complexity that we get for certain set of inputs is as a average same. Then for corresponding input such a time complexity is called **average case** time complexity.

Consider the following algorithm

```

Algorithm Seq_search(X[0 .. n - 1],key)
// Problem Description : This algorithm is for searching the
// key element from an array X[0 .. n - 1] sequentially.
// Input : An array X[0 .. n - 1] and search key
// Output : Returns the index of X where key value is present
for i ← 0 to n - 1 do
if(X[i]=key)then
return i

```

### Best case time complexity

Best case time complexity is a time complexity when an algorithm runs for short time. In above searching algorithm the element **key** is searched from the list of  $n$  elements. If the **key** element is present at first location in the list( $X[0 \dots n-1]$ ) then algorithm runs for a very short time and thereby we will get the best case time complexity. We can denote the best case time complexity as

$$C_{\text{best}} = 1$$

### Worst case time complexity

Worst case time complexity is a time complexity in above searching algorithm the element elements. If the **key** element is present at  $n^{\text{th}}$  location for longest time and thereby we will get the worst the worst case time complexity as

$$C_{\text{worst}} = n$$

The algorithm guarantees that for any instance running time will not exceed  $C_{\text{worst}}(n)$ . Hence this important information about the efficiency of algorithm

### Average case time complexity

This type of complexity gives information about specific or random input. Let us understand some computing average case time complexity.

Let the algorithm is for sequential search and

$P$  be a probability of getting successful search.

$n$  is the total number of elements in the list.

The first match of the element will occur occurring first match is  $P/n$  for every  $i^{\text{th}}$  element.

The probability of getting unsuccessful search is

Now, we can find average case time complexity.

$$C_{\text{avg}}(n) = \text{Probability of successful search}$$

+ Probability of unsuccessful search

$$C_{\text{avg}}(n) = \left[ 1 \cdot \frac{P}{n} + 2 \cdot \frac{P}{n} + \dots + i \cdot \frac{P}{n} \right] + n \cdot (1 - P)$$

$$= \frac{P}{n} [1 + 2 + \dots + i \dots n] + n(1 - P)$$

$$= \frac{P \cdot n(n+1)}{n \cdot 2} + n(1 - P)$$

$$C_{\text{avg}}(n) = \frac{P(n+1)}{2} + n(1 - P)$$

Suppose if  $P = 0$  that means there is no successful search i.e. we have scanned the entire list of  $n$  elements and still we do not found the desired element in the list then in such a situation,

$$C_{avg}(n) = 0(n + 1)/2 + n(1 - 0)$$

$$C_{avg}(n) = n$$

Thus the average case running time complexity becomes equal to  $n$ .

Suppose if  $P = 1$  i.e. we get a successful search then

$$C_{avg}(n) = 1(n + 1)/2 + n(1 - 1)$$

$$C_{avg}(n) = (n + 1)/2$$

That means the algorithm scans about half of the elements from the list.

For calculating average case time complexity we have to consider probability of getting success of the operation. And any operation in the algorithm is heavily dependent on input elements. Thus computing average case time complexity is difficult than computing worst case and best case time complexities.

### Review Questions

1. What is an algorithm? Explain various properties of an algorithm. **GTU : Winter-10, Marks 3**
2. Explain why analysis of algorithms is important? Explain worst case, best case and average case Complexity. **GTU : Summer-12, Marks 4**
3. Explain : Worst case, best case and average case complexity. **GTU : Winter- 12, Marks 7**

## 2.3 Elementary Operations

Elementary operations are those operations whose execution time is bounded by a constant which depends upon the type of implementation used. The elementary operations are **addition, multiplication and assignment**.

Let, for implementing an algorithm requires some elementary operations such as addition, multiplication and assignment.

Let,

a be the number of additions

b be the number of multiplications

c be the number of assignments

t1 be the total amount of time required by addition operations

The total time required by the algorithm to execute

$$t \leq at1 + bt2 + ct3 \quad \text{or}$$

$$t \leq \max \{t1, t2, t3\} \times \{a + b + c\}$$

Thus  $t$  is bounded by a constant multiple of time to execute.

### Example

Algorithm SUM(n)

```
//Problem Description: This algorithm calculates
//Input: Integer values from 1 to n
//Output: returns the sum value
sum ← 0
for (i ← 1 to n) do
 sum ← sum+i
return sum;
```

In above algorithm the elementary operation is addition. It is used to execute above algorithm, then all the provided  $n$  with no greater than 65535. Theoretically for  $n$  units.

## 2.4 Asymptotic Notations

**GTU : Summer-11,12,13,14,18,19**

To choose the best algorithm, we need to check efficiency can be measured by computing time complexity. Notation is a shorthand way to represent the time complexity.

Using asymptotic notations we can give time complexity "slowest possible" or "average time".

Various notations such as  $\Omega$ ,  $\Theta$  and  $O$  used are called asymptotic notations.

### 2.4.1 Big oh Notation

The Big oh notation is denoted by 'O'. It is a bound of algorithm's running time. Using big oh notation of time taken by the algorithm to complete.

### Definition

Let  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  be two non-negative functions.

then  $f(n)$  is big oh of  $g(n)$ . It is also denoted as  $f(n) \in O(g(n))$ . In other words  $f(n)$  is less than  $g(n)$  if  $g(n)$  is multiple of some constant  $c$ .

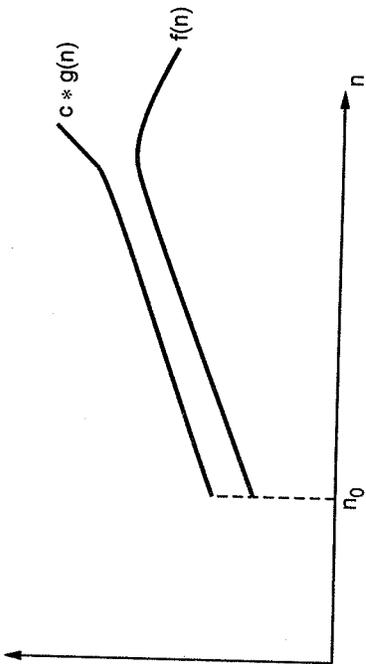


Fig. 2.4.1

**Example :** Consider function  $f(n) = 2n + 2$  and  $g(n) = n^2$ . Then we have to find some constant  $c$ , so that  $f(n) \leq c * g(n)$ . As  $f(n) = 2n + 2$  and  $g(n) = n^2$  then we find  $c$  for  $n = 1$  then,

$$f(n) = 2n + 2$$

$$= 2(1) + 2$$

$$f(n) = 4$$

and

$$g(n) = n^2$$

$$= (1)^2$$

i.e.

$$g(n) = 1$$

$$f(n) > g(n)$$

If  $n = 2$  then,

$$f(n) = 2(2) + 2$$

$$= 6$$

$$g(n) = (2)^2$$

$$g(n) = 4$$

i.e.

$$f(n) > g(n)$$

If  $n = 3$  then,

$$f(n) = 2(3) + 2$$

= 8

$$g(n) = (3)^2$$

$$g(n) = 9$$

i.e.  $f(n) < g(n)$  is true.

Hence we can conclude that for  $n > 2$ , we obtain  $f(n) < g(n)$

Thus always upper bound of existing time is obtained.

**2.4.2 Omega Notation**

Omega notation is denoted by ' $\Omega$ '. This notation of algorithm's running time. Using omega notation time taken by algorithm.

**Definition**

A function  $f(n)$  is said to be in  $\Omega(g(n))$  if  $f(n)$  constant multiple of  $g(n)$  such that

$$f(n) \geq c * g(n)$$

For all  $n \geq n_0$   
It is denoted as  $f(n) \in \Omega(g(n))$ . Following graph

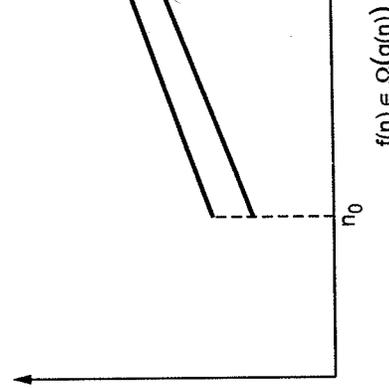


Fig. 2.4.2

**Example :**

Consider  $f(n) = 2n^2 + 5$  and  $g(n) = 7n$

Then if  $n = 0$

$$f(n) = 2(0)^2 + 5$$

$$g(n) = 7(0)$$

$$= 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } f(n) > g(n)$$

But if  $n = 1$

$$f(n) = 2(1)^2 + 5$$

$$= 7$$

$$g(n) = 7(1)$$

$$7 \text{ i.e. } f(n) = g(n)$$

If  $n = 3$  then,

$$f(n) = 2(3)^2 + 5$$

$$= 18 + 5$$

$$= 23$$

$$g(n) = 7(3)$$

$$= 21$$

$$\text{i.e. } f(n) > g(n)$$

Thus for  $n > 3$  we get  $f(n) > c * g(n)$ .

It can be represented as,

$$2n^2 + 5 \in \Omega(n)$$

Similarly any

$$n^3 \in \Omega(n)^2$$

### 2.4.3 $\Theta$ Notation

The theta notation is denoted by  $\Theta$ . By this method the running time is between upper bound and lower bound.

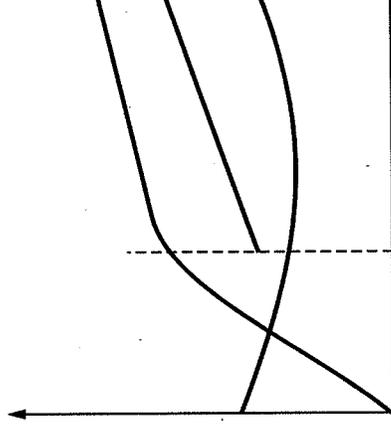
#### Definition

Let  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  be two non negative functions. There are two positive constants namely  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  such that,

$$c_1 * g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 * g(n)$$

Then we can say that,

$$f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$$



Theta notation  $f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$   
Fig. 2.4.3

#### Example :

If  $f(n) = 2n + 8$  and  $g(n) = 7n$ .

where  $n \geq 2$

Similarly  $f(n) = 2n + 8$

$$g(n) = 7n$$

i.e.  $5n < 2n + 8 < 7n$  For  $n \geq 2$

Here  $c_1 = 5$  and  $c_2 = 7$

The theta notation is more precise with both b

#### Some examples of asymptotic order

1)  $\log_2 n$  is  $f(n)$  then

$$\log_2 n \in O(n)$$

$\therefore \log_2 n \leq O(n)$ , t  
slower than n.

$$\log_2 n \in O(n^2)$$

$\therefore \log_2 n \leq O(n^2)$ ,  
is slower than n

But

$$\log_2 n \notin \Omega(n)$$

$\therefore \log_2 n \leq \Omega(n)$  a  
belonging to  $\Omega$

2) Let  $f(n) = n(n-1)/2$   
Then,

$$n(n-1)/2 \notin O(n) \quad \because \quad f(n) > O(n) \text{ we get } f(n) = n(n-1)/2 = \frac{n^2-1}{2}$$

i.e. maximum order is  $n^2$  which is  $> O(n)$ .

Hence  $f(n) \notin O(n)$

But  $n(n-1)/2 \in O(n^2)$

As  $f(n) \leq O(n^2)$

and  $n(n-1)/2 \in O(n^3)$

Similarly,

$$n(n-1)/2 \in \Omega(n) \quad \because \quad f(n) \geq \Omega(n)$$

$$n(n-1)/2 \in \Omega(n^2) \quad \because \quad f(n) \geq \Omega(n^2)$$

$$n(n-1)/2 \notin \Omega(n^3) \quad \because \quad f(n) > \Omega(n^3)$$

### 2.4.4 Properties of Order of Growth

1. If  $f_1(n)$  is order of  $g_1(n)$  and  $f_2(n)$  is order of  $g_2(n)$ , then  $f_1(n) + f_2(n) \in O(\max(g_1(n), g_2(n)))$ .
2. Polynomials of degree  $m \in \Theta(n^m)$ .

That means maximum degree is considered from the polynomial.

For example :  $a_1n^3 + a_2n^2 + a_3n + c$  has the order of growth  $\Theta(n^3)$ .

3.  $O(1) < O(\log n) < O(n) < O(n^2) < O(2^n)$ .

4. Exponential functions  $a^n$  have different orders of growth for different values of  $a$ .

**Key Points** i)  $O(g(n))$  is a class of functions  $f(n)$  that grows less fast than  $g(n)$ , that means  $f(n)$  possess the time complexity which is always lesser than the time complexities that  $g(n)$  have.

ii)  $\Theta(g(n))$  is a class of functions  $f(n)$  that grows at same rate as  $g(n)$ .

iii)  $\Omega(g(n))$  is a class of functions  $f(n)$  that grows faster than or atleast as fast as  $g(n)$ . That means  $f(n)$  is greater than  $\Omega(g(n))$ .

### 2.4.5 Order of Growth

Measuring the performance of an algorithm in relation with the input size  $n$  is called order of growth. For example, the order of growth for varying input size of

| $n$ | $\log n$ | $n \log n$ |
|-----|----------|------------|
| 1   | 0        | 0          |
| 2   | 1        | 2          |
| 4   | 2        | 8          |
| 8   | 3        | 24         |
| 16  | 4        | 64         |
| 32  | 5        | 160        |

Table 2.4.1 Order of Growth

We will plot the graph for these values.

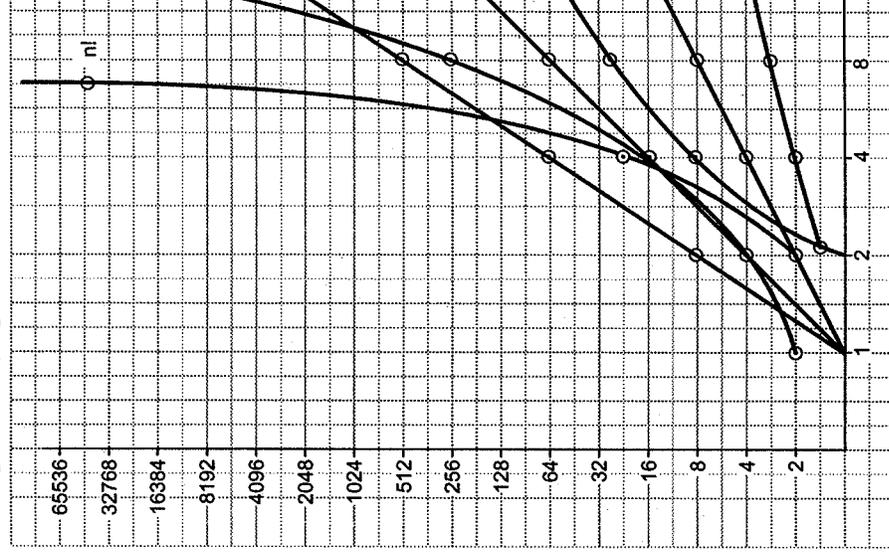


Fig. 2.4.4 Rate of growth of common

From the above drawn graph it is clear that the exponential function grows faster than the polynomial function. And the exponential function grows faster than the logarithmic function.



$$f(n) = 2 + 6 + 0 + 6 = 14$$

$$g(n) = 14 * 1 = 14$$

If  $n = 2$

$$f(2) = 2(2)^2 + 6(2) + 1g2 + 6(2)$$

$$= 8 + 12 + 1 + 12$$

$$= 33$$

$$g(2) = 14 * 2$$

$$= 28$$

If  $n = 3$

if  $f(n) > g(n)$

$$f(3) = 2(3)^2 + 6(3) + 1g3 + 6(3)$$

$$= 18 + 18 + 1.58 + 18$$

$$= 55.58$$

$$g(n) = 14 * 3$$

$$= 42$$

Again  $f(n) > g(n)$

Thus, for  $n \geq 1$

$f(n) > c \cdot g(n)$

$\therefore f(n) = 2n^2 + 6n + 1gn + 6n \in \Omega(n)$

**Example 2.4.8** If  $P(n) = a_0 + a_1n + a_2n^2 + \dots + a_m n^m$  then prove that  $P(n) = O(n^m)$ . Here  $a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m$  are constants and  $a_m > 0$ .

**Solution :** Let,  $P(n) = a_0 + a_1n + a_2n^2 + \dots + a_m n^m$

Then we have the following limit.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{P(n)}{n^m} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_0 + a_1n + a_2n^2 + \dots + a_m n^m}{n^m}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{a_0}{n^m} + \frac{a_1}{n^{m-1}} + \frac{a_2}{n^{m-2}} + \dots + \frac{a_m}{1} \right)$$

$$= a_m$$

Since  $P(n)$  has degree  $m$ ,  $a_m \neq 0$

$$P(n) = \theta(n^m)$$

If  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} = c$

$c_2 f(n) <= f(n) + g(n) <= c_1 f(n)$   
 If  $\min(f(n), g(n)) = f(n)$  then

$c_2 \min(f(n), g(n)) <= f(n) + g(n) <= c_1 \min(f(n), g(n))$

**Solution :** To prove  $f(n) + g(n) = \Theta(\min(f(n), g(n)))$

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**Example 2.4.10** Let  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  be asymptotically following.

7.  $\sum_{i=k}^n 1 = n - k + 1$  where  $n$  and  $k$  are some up

$$6. \sum_{i=1}^n ca_i = c \sum_{i=1}^n a_i$$

$$5. \sum_{i=1}^n (a_i \pm b_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \pm \sum_{i=1}^n b_i$$

$$4. \sum_{i=1}^n a^i = 1 + a + \dots + a^n = \frac{a^{n+1} - 1}{a - 1} \in \Theta(a^n)$$

$$3. \sum_{i=1}^n i^k = 1 + 2^k + 3^k + \dots + n^k \approx \frac{n^{k+1}}{k+1} \in \Theta(n^k)$$

$$2. \sum_{i=1}^n i = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \in \Theta(n^2)$$

$$1. \sum_{i=1}^n 1 = 1 + 1 + 1 + \dots + 1 = n \in \Theta(n)$$

**2.4.6 Summation Formula and Rules used**

**Solution :** In general the highest bound is the upper

$$f(n) = \lg(n^2) + n^2 \lg n$$

$$= 2\lg(n) + n^2 \lg n$$

$$f(n) = O(n^2 \lg n)$$

**Example 2.4.9** Find upper bound of function  $f(n) = \lg(n)$

**Example 2.4.11** Prove that  $(n+b)^b = \Theta(n^b)$ ,  $b > 0$

**Solution :** To prove this we have to obtain two constants  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  in such a way that  $(n+a)^b = \Omega(n^b)$  and  $(n+a) = O(n^b)$

**Step 1 :**

Let,

$$(n+b)^b \leq (n+|a|)^b, \text{ where } n > 0$$

$$\leq (n+n)^b \text{ for } n \geq |a|$$

$$= (2n)^b$$

$$= c_1 \cdot n^b \text{ where } c_1 = 2^b$$

$$\therefore (n+a)^b = \Omega(n^b).$$

**Step 2 :**

$$(n+a)^b \geq (n-|a|)^b, \text{ where } n > 0$$

$$\geq (c_2 n)^b \text{ for } c_2 = 1/2 \text{ where } n \geq 2|a|$$

$$\text{as } n/2 \leq n - |a|, \text{ for } n \geq 2|a|$$

$$\therefore (n+a)^b = O(n^b)$$

From step 1 and step 2 we get

$$c_1 = 2^b, c_2 = 2^{-b} \text{ and } n_0 \geq 2|a|$$

Hence

$$(n+a)^b = \Theta(n^b) \text{ } b > 0 \text{ is proved.}$$

**Example 2.4.12** Find big oh ( $O$ ) notation for following :

$$1) f(n) = 6993 \quad 2) f(n) = 6n^2 + 135.$$

**Solution :**  $f(n) = O(g(n))$  where

$$f(n) < c * g(n)$$

If  $c > 1$  and  $g(n) = 6993$ .

Then  $f(n) = O(n)$

2) As  $f(n) = 6n^2 + 135$

where  $c < 6$  and  $n < = 2$ .

This is because with these values

$$f(n) < c * g(n)$$

holds true.

**Example 2.4.13** Answer the following,

i) Find big theta ( $\Theta$ ) and big omega ( $\Omega$ ) notation.

$$1) f(n) = 14 * 7 + 83 \quad 2) f(n) = 83n^2 + 84n$$

ii) Is  $2^{n+1} = O(2^n)$ ? Explain.

**Solution :** 1) To obtain big omega -

$$f(n) = 14 * 7 + 83 \text{ we can write it in}$$

$$f(n) = 2n^2 + 11n + 6 \text{ where } n = 7.$$

Now if  $g(n) = 7(n)$  then

we get  $f(n) > 7(n)$  Hence

$$2n^2 + 11n + 6 = \Omega(n)$$

To obtain big theta notation

We have to find out

$$c_1 * g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 * g(n).$$

If we assume  $c_1 = 7$  and  $c_2 = 26$  then with  $n = 7$

$$7n \leq 2n^2 + 11n + 6 \leq 26n \text{ is true}$$

$\therefore f(n) = \Theta(n)$  where  $n = 7$ ,

$$c_1 = 7 \text{ and } c_2 = 26.$$

$$2) f(n) = 83n^3 + 84n \in \Omega(n^2)$$

If  $c_1 * g_1(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 * g_2(n)$  then  $f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$

$\therefore f(n) = \Theta(n^3)$  where  $c_1 = 83$  and  $c_2$

ii)  $2^{n+1} = O(2^n)$  is true because

$$2^{n+1} = 2 \cdot 2^n \leq c \cdot 2^n, \text{ where } c \geq 2.$$

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$$= (2n)^b$$

$$= c_1 \cdot n^b \text{ where } c_1 = 2^b$$

$$\therefore (n+a)^b = \Omega(n^b).$$

**Step 2 :**

$$(n+a)^b \geq (n-|a|)^b, \text{ where } n > 0$$

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$$\text{as } n/2 \leq n - |a|, \text{ for } n \geq 2|a|$$

$$\therefore (n+a)^b = O(n^b)$$

From step 1 and step 2 we get

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$$\therefore f(n) = \Theta(n) \text{ where } n = 7,$$

$$c_1 = 7 \text{ and } c_2 = 26.$$

$$2) f(n) = 83n^3 + 84n \in \Omega(n^2)$$

If  $c_1 * g_1(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 * g_2(n)$  then  $f(n) \in \theta(g(n))$

$\therefore f(n) = \theta(n^3)$  where  $c_1 = 83$  and  $c_2$

ii)  $2^{n+1} = O(2^n)$  is true because

$$2^{n+1} = 2 \cdot 2^n \leq c \cdot 2^n, \text{ where } c \geq 2.$$

**Example 2.4.14** Check equalities (True/False) :

$$5n^2 - 6n \in \Theta(n^2)$$

$$n! \in \Theta(n^n)$$

$$2n^2 2^n + n \log n \in \Theta(n^2 2^n)$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^n i^2 \in \Theta(n^3)$$

$$n^2 \in \Theta(n^3)$$

$$2^n \in \Theta(2^{n+1})$$

$$n! \in \Theta((n+1)!)$$

**Solution :** i)  $5n^2 - 6n \in \Theta(n^2)$  True because

$$f(n) = 5n^2 - 6n$$

$$g(n) = n^2$$

And  $f(n) = \leq c * g(n)$  is true.

ii)  $f(n) = n! = 1 * 2 * 3 * 4 * \dots * n$

$$g(n) = n^n = n * n * n * \dots * n$$

$\therefore f(n) \leq c * g(n)$  is true.

Hence  $n! \in \Theta(n^n)$  is false.

iii)  $f(n) = 2n^2 2^n + n \log n$

$$g(n) = n^2 2^n$$

If  $n = 16$  then

$$f(n) = 2(16)^2(2)^{16} + 16 \log 16$$

$$g(n) = (16)^2(2)^{16}$$

This shows that,

$$f(n) \geq c * g(n)$$

Hence  $2n^2 2^n + n \log n \in \Theta(n^2 2^n)$  is false.

iv)  $f(n) = \sum_{i=0}^n i^k = 0 + 1 + 2^k + 3^k + \dots + n^k = \frac{n^{k+1}}{k+1}$

$$g(n) = \Theta(n^{k+1})$$

$\therefore \sum_{i=0}^n i^k \in \Theta(n^{k+1})$  is true.

**Solution :** We assume  $n = 1000$

$$v) f(n) = n^2$$

$$g(n) = n^3$$

As  $c_1 * g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 * g(n)$  is true.

Hence  $n^2 \in \Theta(n^3)$  is true.

$$vi) 2^n \in \Theta(2^{n+1})$$

$$\text{Let, } 2^n = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2^{n+1}$$

$$\therefore 2^n \leq 2^{n+1}$$

Hence  $2^n \in \Theta(2^{n+1})$  is true.

$$vii) n! \in \Theta(n+1)!$$

$$n! = 1 * 2 * 3 * \dots * n$$

$$(n+1)! = (n+1) * n * \dots * 2 * 1$$

$\therefore n! \in \Theta(n+1)!$  is false.

**Example 2.4.15** Suppose we are comparing implementations on the same machine. For input of size  $n$ , insertion sort runs in  $64n \lg n$  steps. For which values of  $n$

**Solution :** Finding insertion sort beat merge sort is less than merge sort.

$$\therefore 8n^2 < 64n \lg n$$

$$n < 8 \lg n$$

$$\frac{n}{8} < \lg n$$

$$2^{n/8} < n$$

$$2^{n/8} - n < 0$$

$$\therefore 2 \leq n \leq 43$$

**Example 2.4.16** Is  $3 \log n + \log \log n$  is  $O(\log_{10} n)$

$$\log \log n = \log_2 (\log_2 1000) = \log_2(10) \approx 3$$

$$\therefore 3 \log n + \log \log n \approx 30 + 3 \approx 33$$

Consider LHS

$$\log_{10} n = \log_{10} 1000 = 3$$

$$\text{As } 3 \log n + \log \log n > \log_{10} n$$

$$3 \log n + \log \log n \in \Omega (\log_{10} n)$$

**Example 2.4.17** Check the correctness for the following equality.

$$5n^3 + 2n = O(n^3)$$

**Solution :** For big oh notation  $f(n) \leq c * g(n)$  is true.

where  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  are functions and  $c$  is constant.

$$\text{Here } f(n) = 5n^3 + 2n$$

$$\text{and } g(n) = n^3$$

Also assume  $n = 1, c = 1$  then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= f(n) \\ &= 5n^3 + 2n \\ &= 5(1)^3 + 2(1) = 7 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{R.H.S.} &= c * g(n) \\ &= 1 * (1)^3 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Here  $f(n) \leq c * g(n)$  is not true with  $c = 1$  and  $n = 1$ .

Now if we assume  $c = 7$  and  $n = 1$  then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= 5n^3 + 2n \\ &= 5(1)^3 + 2(1) = 7 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{R.H.S.} &= c * n^3 \\ &= 7 * 1 = 7 \end{aligned}$$

For  $c = 7$  and  $n = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= 5n^3 + 2n \\ &= 5(2)^3 + 2(2) = 44 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{R.H.S.} &= c * g(n) \\ &= 7 * (2)^3 \\ &= 56 \end{aligned}$$

Here  $f(n) < c * g(n)$  is true.

Thus  $5n^3 + 2n = O(n^3)$  for  $n \geq 0$  and  $c = 7$ .

**Example 2.4.18** Find out time complexity for the following code.

```
for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
{
 for (j = n; j > 0; j--)
 {
 if (i < j)
 c = c + 1;
 }
}
```

**Solution :** The time complexity is computed step by step execution of each statement.

| Code             | Complexity         |
|------------------|--------------------|
| for(i=0;j<n;i++) | O(n)               |
| for(j=n;j>0;j--) | O(n)               |
| If(i<j)          | O(1)               |
| c=c+1            | O(1)               |
| Total            | O(n <sup>2</sup> ) |

Thus considering the order of magnitude and time complexity as  $O(n^2)$ .

**Example 2.4.19** Prove or disprove that  $f(n) = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n = O(n^2)$ .

**Solution :**

$$\text{Let, } f(n) = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n-1)}{2} \approx \frac{1}{2}n^2$$

$$g(n) = n^2$$

• By definition  $f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$  if

$$c_1 * g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 * g(n)$$

• If  $c_1 = \frac{1}{4}$  and  $n = 2$  then

- If  $C_2 = 1$  and  $n = 2$
- As both the cases are true, it proves that  $1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n \in \Theta(n^2)$

$$f(n) \leq C_2 * g(n) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(2^2) \leq (2^2) \text{ is true}$$

**Example 2.4.20** Find out the  $\Theta$  - notation for the function :  
 $f(n) = 27n^2 + 16n$ .

**Solution :** Let,  $f(n) = 27n^2 + 16n$ .

To obtain big Theta notation, we have to find out,

$$C_1 * g(n) \leq f(n) \leq C_2 * g(n)$$

If we assume

$$C_1 = 27 \text{ and } C_2 = 43$$

For  $n \geq 1$  for

$$g(n) = n^2 \text{ we get}$$

$$27n^2 \leq 27n^2 + 16n \leq 43n^2$$

$$\therefore f(n) = \Theta(n^2) \text{ for } C_1 = 27, C_2 = 43 \text{ for } n \geq 1$$

### Examples for Practice

**Example 2.4.21** Interpret the following equations :

$$i) 2^n + \Theta(n) = \Theta(n^2) \quad ii) 2n^2 + 3n + 1 = 2n^2 + \Theta(n)$$

**Example 2.4.22** Show that i)  $3n+2 = \Theta(n)$ , ii)  $6 * 2^n + n^2 = \Theta(2^n)$

**Example 2.4.23 :** Determine the asymptotic order of the following functions.

$$i) f(n) = 3x^2 + 5 \quad ii) f(n) = \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 \quad iii) f(n) = 5$$

**Example 2.4.24 :** Let  $f(n) = 100n + 5$ . Express  $f(n)$  using big omega.

### Review Questions

1. What do you mean by asymptotic notations ? Explain.
2. Answer the following : Explain asymptotic analysis of algorithm.
3. Define : Big Oh, Big Omega and Big Theta notation.
4. Explain difference between

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5. Explain all asymptotic notations used in algorithm
6. Why do we use asymptotic notations in the study of algorithm?

## 2.5 Recurrence Equation

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The recurrence equation is an equation that normally in following form -

$$T(n) = T(n-1) + n \quad \text{for } n > 0$$

$$T(0) = 0$$

Here equation (1) is called recurrence relation. The recurrence equation can have a solution to the recursive function specifies some

For example : Consider a recurrence relation

$$f(n) = 2f(n-1) + 1 \quad \text{for } n > 1$$

$$f(1) = 1$$

Then by solving this recurrence relation we get

### 2.5.1 Solving Recurrence Equations

The recurrence relation can be solved by following methods

1. Substitution method
2. Master's method.

Let us discuss methods with suitable examples.

#### Substitution method -

The substitution method is a kind of method made.

There are two types of substitutions -

- Forward substitution
- Backward substitution.

**Forward substitution method -** This method is used to find the initial term and value for the next term is given.

**Example 2.5.1**

Solve a recurrence relation  $T(n) = T(n-1) + n$ . With initial condition  $T(0) = 0$  by forward substitution method.

**Solution :** Let,

$$T(n) = T(n-1) + n$$

If  $n = 1$  then

$$\dots (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(1) &= T(0) + 1 \\ &= 0 + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  Initial condition

$$T(1) = 1$$

If  $n = 2$ , then

$$\dots (2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(2) &= T(1) + 2 \\ &= 1 + 2 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  equation (2)

$$T(2) = 3$$

If  $n = 3$  then

$$\dots (3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(3) &= T(2) + 3 \\ &= 3 + 3 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  equation (3)

$$T(3) = 6$$

By observing above generated equations we can derive a formula,

$$T(n) = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2}$$

We can also denote  $T(n)$  in terms of big oh notation as follows -

$$T(n) = O(n^2)$$

But, in practice, it is difficult to guess the pattern from forward substitution. Hence this method is not very often used.

**Backward substitution**

In this method backward values are substituted recursively in order to derive some formula.

**Example 2.5.2**

Solve, a recurrence relation

$$T(n) = T(n-1) + n$$

With initial condition  $T(0) = 0$  by backward substitution method.

**Solution :**  $T(n-1) = T(n-1-1) + (n-1)$

Putting equation (1) in equation given in example

$$T(n) = T(n-2) + (n-1) + n$$

Let

$$T(n-2) = T(n-2-1) + (n-2)$$

Putting equation (3) in equation (2) we get.

$$T(n) = T(n-3) + (n-2) + (n-1) +$$

$\vdots$

$$= T(n-k) + (n-k+1) + (n-k)$$

if  $k = n$  then

$$T(n) = T(0) + 1 + 2 + \dots + n$$

$$T(n) = 0 + 1 + 2 + \dots + n$$

$$T(n) = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2}$$

Again we can denote  $T(n)$  in terms of big oh

$$T(n) \in O(n^2)$$

**Some Examples on Recurrence Relation**

**Example 2.5.3** Solve the following recurrence relation with initial condition. Also find big oh notation.

**Solution :** Let,

$$T(n) = T(n-1) + 1$$

By backward substitution,

$$T(n-1) = T(n-2) + 1$$

$$\therefore T(n) = T(n-1) + 1$$

$$= (T(n-2) + 1) + 1$$

$$T(n) = T(n-2) + 2$$

$$\text{Again } T(n-2) = T(n-2-1) + 1$$

$$\therefore T(n) = \frac{T(n-2) + 2}{2}$$

$$= (T(n-3) + 1) + 2$$

$$T(n) = T(n-3) + 3$$

⋮

$$T(n) = T(n-k) + k$$

If  $k = n$  then equation (1) becomes

$$T(n) = T(0) + n$$

$$= 0 + n$$

$$T(n) = n$$

∴ We can denote  $T(n)$  in terms of big oh notation as

$$T(n) = O(n)$$

**Example 2.5.4** Solve the following recurrence relations :

a)  $x(n) = x(n-1) + 5$  for  $n > 1$ ,  $x(1) = 0$

b)  $x(n) = 3x(n-1)$  for  $n > 1$ ,  $x(1) = 4$

c)  $x(n) = x(n/2) + n$  for  $n > 1$ ,  $x(1) = 1$  (Solve for  $n = 2^k$ )

d)  $x(n) = x(n/3) + 1$  for  $n > 1$ ,  $x(1) = 1$  (Solve for  $n = 3^k$ )

**Solution :** a) Let

$$x(n) = x(n-1) + 5$$

$$= [x(n-2) + 5] + 5$$

$$= [x(n-3) + 5] + 5 + 5 = x(n-3) + 5 * 3$$

...

$$= x(n-i) + 5 * i$$

...

If  $i = n-1$  then

$$= x(n - (n-1)) + 5 * (n-1)$$

$$= x(1) + 5(n-1)$$

$$= 0 + 5(n-1) \quad \therefore x(1) = 0$$

$$\therefore x(n) = 5(n-1)$$

b)  $x(n) = 3x(n-1)$

$$= 3 [3x(n-2)] = 3^2 \cdot x(n-2)$$

$$= 3 \cdot 3 [3x(n-3)] = 3^3 \cdot x(n-3)$$

...

$$= 3^i x(n-i)$$

If we put  $i = n-1$  then

$$= 3^{(n-1)} x(n - (n-1))$$

$$= 3^{(n-1)} x(1)$$

$$x(n) = 3^{(n-1)} \cdot 4 \quad \therefore x(1) = 4$$

c) Put  $n = 2^k$ , then

$$x(2^k) = x\left[\frac{2^k}{2}\right] + 2^k$$

$$x(2^k) = x(2^{k-1}) + 2^k$$

$$= [x(2^{k-2}) + 2^{k-1}] + 2^k$$

$$= x(2^{k-3}) + 2^{k-2} + 2^{k-1} + 2^k$$

...

$$= x(2^{k-i}) + 2^{k-i+1} + 2^{k-i+2} + \dots$$

...

$$= x(2^{k-k}) + 2^1 + 2^2 + \dots + 2^k$$

$$= x(2^0) + 2^1 + 2^2 + \dots + 2^k$$

$$= 1 + 2^1 + 2^2 + \dots + 2^k \quad \therefore x(1) = 1$$

$$= 2^{k+1} - 1$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2^k - 1$$

∴

d) Let  $x(n) = x(n/3) + 1$

Assume  $n = 3^k$

$$x(3^k) = x(3^{k-1}) + 1$$

$$= [x(3^{k-2}) + 1] + 1 = x3^{k-2} + 2$$

$$= [x(3^{k-3}) + 1] + 2 = x3^{k-3} + 3$$

...

$$= x(3^{k-i}) + i$$

If we put  $i = k$  then,

$$= x(3^{k-k}) + k$$

$$= x(1) + k$$

$$= 1 + k \quad \therefore x(1) = 1$$

$$\therefore x(3^k) = 1 + \log_3 n$$

$$\therefore 3^k = n \text{ and } \log_3 n = k$$

**Example 2.5.5** Prove :  $3n^3 + 2n^2 = O(n^3)$  ;  $3^n \neq O(2^n)$ .

**Solution :** The big-Oh notation denotes the upper bound of algorithm's running time. Using big oh notation we can give longest amount of time taken by the algorithm to complete.

Hence we can write

$$F(n) \leq c * g(n)$$

Then  $F(n) \in O(g(n))$

In short we will find the values of  $n, c$  such that

$$F(n) \leq c * g(n)$$

remains true

Assume  $F(n) = 3n^3 + 2n^2$

$$g(n) = n^3$$

Then for  $n > 2$  and  $c = 4$  ( $F(n) \in O(g(n))$ ) is true. T

$$F(n) = 3n^3 + 2n^2$$

$$= 3(2)^3 + 2(2)^2$$

$$= 32 \rightarrow \text{L.H.S.}$$

$$g(n) = n^3$$

$$= 8$$

$$c * g(n) = 4 * 8$$

$$= 32 \rightarrow \text{R.H.S.}$$

L.H.S. = R.H.S. is thus proved.

But when

$$F(n) = 3^n$$

$$g(n) = 2^n \text{ then let us find}$$

$$3^n \leq c * 2^n$$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{3^n}{2^n} \leq c = \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^n \leq c$$

But there is no such value of  $c$  which is  $\geq \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^n$ .

$3^n < c * (2^n)$  Will never be true ( However  $3^n > 2^n$  )

**Example 2.5.6** If  $T_1(n) = O(f(n))$  and  $T_2(n) = O(g(n))$  show that  $T_1(n) + T_2(n) = O(\max\{f(n), g(n)\})$ .

**Solution :** Let there be some constant  $c_1$  such that

$$T_1(n) \leq c_1 g_1(n) \text{ for } n \geq n_1$$

Similarly there will be some constant  $c_2$

Such that

$$T_2(n) \leq c_2 g_2(n) \text{ for } n \geq n_2$$

Let  $c_3 = \max\{c_1, c_2\}$  such that  $n \geq \max\{n_1, n_2\}$

$$\begin{aligned} &\leq (c_1 + c_2)(g_1(n) + g_2(n)) \\ &\leq c_3(g_1(n) + g_2(n)) \\ &\leq c_3 \cdot 2 \max(g_1(n) + g_2(n)) \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$T_1(n) + T_2(n) \in O(\max(g_1(n) + g_2(n))) \text{ is true.}$$

**Example 2.5.7** Prove that - If  $f(n) \in O(n)$  then  $[f(n)]^2 \in O(n^2)$

**Solution :** Let,  $f(n) = a(n) + c$  be a linear function

$$[f(n)]^2 = (a(n) + c)^2$$

$$= [a(n)]^2 + 2a(n)c + c^2$$

$$[f(n)]^2 = x^2 + 2xc + c^2$$

$$\therefore a(n) = x$$

By considering only highest degree of polynomial we get

$$[f(n)]^2 = O(n^2)$$

Hence if  $f(n) \in O(n)$  then  $[f(n)]^2 \in O(n^2)$  is true.

**Example 2.5.8** Solve the following recurrence relation using iteration method.  $T(n) = 8T(n/2) + n^2$  Here  $T(1) = 1$ .

**Solution :**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } T(n) &= 8T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^2 \\ &= 8\left(8T\left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right) + \left(\frac{n}{2}\right)^2\right) + n^2 \\ &= 8^2T\left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right) + 8\left(\frac{n^2}{4}\right) + n^2 \\ &= 8^2T\left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right) + 2n^2 + n^2 \\ &= 8^2\left(8T\left(\frac{n}{2^3}\right) + \left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right)^2\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$= 8^3T\left(\frac{n}{2^3}\right) + 8^2\left(\frac{n^2}{2^2}\right) + 2n^2 + n^2$$

$$= 8^3T\left(\frac{n}{2^3}\right) + 2^2n^2 + 2n^2 + n^2$$

$$= \dots$$

$$= n^2 + 2n^2 + 2^2n^2 + \dots + 2^{i-1}n^2 + 8^i$$

$$= n^2 + 2n^2 + 2^2n^2 + 2^3n^2 + \dots + 2^{\log n}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\log n - 1} 2^k n^2 + 8^{\log n}$$

$$= n^2 \sum_{k=0}^{\log n - 1} 2^k + (2^3)^{\log n}$$

$$\text{But } \sum_{k=0}^{\log n - 1} 2^k = \Theta(2^{\log n - 1}) = \Theta(n)$$

$$\therefore (2^3)^{\log n} = (2^{\log n})^3 = n^3$$

$$\therefore T(n) = n^3 \cdot \Theta(n) + n^3$$

$$T(n) \approx \Theta(n^3)$$

**Example 2.5.9** Using iteration method to solve recurrence

$$T(n) = T(n-1) + 1, \text{ here } T(1) = \Theta(1).$$

**Solution :**  $T(n) = T(n-1) + 1$

$$T(n) = [T(n-2) + 1] + 1$$

$$= T(n-2) + 2$$

$$= [T(n-3) + 1] + 2$$

$$= T(n-3) + 3$$

$\vdots$

$$T(n) = T(n-k) + k$$

But, as  $T(1) = \Theta(1)$ , we put  $k = n-1$  in equation

$$\therefore T(n) = T(n-n-1) + n-1$$

## 2) Master's Method

### Efficiency analysis using master theorem

Consider the following recurrence relation -

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$$

where  $n \geq d$  and  $d$  is some constant.

Then the Master theorem can be stated for efficiency analysis as -

Consider the following recurrence relation -

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$$

where  $n \geq d$  and  $d$  is some constant.

If  $F(n)$  is  $\Theta(n^d)$  where  $d \geq 0$  in the recurrence relation then,

1.  $T(n) = \Theta(n^d)$  if  $a < b^d$
2.  $T(n) = \Theta(n^d \log n)$  if  $a = b^d$
3.  $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$  if  $a > b^d$

Let us understand the Master theorem with some examples.

**Example 2.5.10** Solve  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n$

**Solution :** We will map this equation with

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$$

Now  $f(n)$  is  $n$  i.e.  $n^1$ . Hence  $d = 1$ .

$a = 4$  and  $b = 2$  and

$a > b^d$  i.e.  $4 > 2^1$

$$\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$$

$$= \Theta(n^{\log_2 4})$$

$$= \Theta(n^2)$$

Hence time complexity is  $\Theta(n^2)$ .

For quick and easy calculations of logarithmic values to base 2 following table can be memorized.

| $m$  |
|------|
| 1    |
| 2    |
| 4    |
| 8    |
| 16   |
| 32   |
| 64   |
| 128  |
| 256  |
| 512  |
| 1024 |

$$\log_2 m = k$$

Another variation of Master theorem is

For  $T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$  if  $n \geq d$

1. If  $f(n)$  is  $O(n^{\log_b a - \epsilon})$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$$

2. If  $f(n)$  is  $\Theta(n^{\log_b a} \log^k n)$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$$

3. If  $f(n)$  is  $\Omega(n^{\log_b a + \epsilon})$

$$T(n) = \Theta(f(n))$$

**Example 2.5.11** Solve  $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n \log n$

**Solution :**

Here  $f(n) = n \log n$

$a = 2, b = 2$

$\log_2 2 = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } T(n) &= \Theta(n^{\log_b a} \log^{k+1} n) \\ &= \Theta(n^{\log_2 2} \log^2 n) \\ &= \Theta(n^1 \log^2 n) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n \log^2 n)$$

$$\text{Example 2.5.12 } T(n) = 8T(n/2) + n^2$$

**Solution :** Here  $f(n) = n^2$

$$a = 8 \text{ and } b = 2$$

$$\therefore \log_2 8 = 3$$

Then according to case 1 of above given Master theorem

$$f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - \epsilon}) = O(n^{\log_2 8 - \epsilon})$$

$$= O(n^{3 - \epsilon})$$

$$\text{Then } T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$$

$$\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 8})$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^3)$$

$$\text{Example 2.5.13 } \text{Solve } T(n) = 9T(n/3) + n^3$$

**Solution :** Here  $a = 9, b = 3$  and  $f(n) = n^3$

$$\text{And } \log_3 9 = 2$$

According to case 3 in above Master theorem

$$\text{As } f(n) \text{ is } \Omega(n^{\log_3 9 + \epsilon})$$

$$\text{i.e. } \Omega(n^{2 + \epsilon}) \text{ and we have } f(n) = n^3$$

$$\text{Then } T(n) = \Theta(f(n))$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^3)$$

$$\text{Example 2.5.14 } \text{Solve } T(n) = T(n/2) + 1$$

**Solution :** Here  $a = 1$  and  $b = 2$ .

$$\text{and } \log_2 1 = 0$$

Now we will analyse  $f(n)$  which is = 1

When  $k = 0$  then  $f(n) = 2^0 = 1$ .

That means according to case 2 of above given

$$\begin{aligned} f(n) &= \Theta(n^{\log_b a} \log^k n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 1} \log^0 n) \\ &= \Theta(n^0 \cdot 1) \\ &= \Theta(1) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore n$

$\therefore$  We get  $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a} \log^{k+1} n)$

$$= \Theta(n^{\log_2 1} \log^{0+1} n) = \Theta(n^0 \cdot \log^1 n)$$

$\therefore 1$

$$T(n) = \Theta(\log n)$$

**Example 2.5.15** Find the order of growth for solution

$$a. T(n) = 4T(n/2) + nT(1) = 1$$

$$b. T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2T(1) = 1$$

$$c. T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^3T(1) = 1$$

**Solution :** We can solve the given recurrence below.

$$\text{If } f(n) \in \Theta(n^d)$$

then

$$\text{Case 1 : } T(n) = \Theta(n^d)$$

$$\text{Case 2 : } T(n) = \Theta(n^d \log n)$$

$$\text{Case 3 : } T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$$

$$a) T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n$$

$$\text{Here } a = 4, b = 2 \text{ and } f(n) = n^1$$

It is matching with case 3 i.e.

$$a > b^d$$

$$\text{i.e. } 4 > 2^1$$

$$\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a}) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 4})$$

$$\text{But } \log_2 4 = 2$$

$$b) \quad T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2$$

Here  $a = 4$ ,  $b = 2$  and  $f(n) = n^d = n^2$ .

$$\therefore \quad d = 2$$

It is matching with case 2 i.e.

$$a = b^d$$

$$\text{i.e.} \quad 4 = 2^2$$

$$\text{i.e.} \quad 4 = 4$$

$$\therefore \quad T(n) = \Theta(n^d \log n)$$

$$\therefore \quad T(n) = \Theta(n^2 \log n)$$

is the time complexity.

$$c) \quad T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^3$$

Here  $a = 4$ ,  $b = 2$  and  $f(n) = n^3$

$$\therefore \quad f(n) = n^d$$

$$\therefore \quad d = 3$$

It is matching with case 1.

$$a < b^d$$

$$\text{i.e.} \quad 4 < 2^3$$

$$\text{i.e.} \quad 4 < 8$$

$$\therefore \quad T(n) = \Theta(n^d)$$

$$\therefore \quad T(n) = \Theta(n^3)$$

is the time complexity.

**Example 2.5.16** Solve the following recurrence equations.

$$1. \quad T(n) = 7T(n/3) + n^2$$

$$2. \quad T(n) = 4T(n/2) + \log n$$

**Solution:**  $1. \quad T(n) = 7T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + n^2$

Here  $a = 7$ ,  $b = 3$  and  $f(n) = n^2$ .

$$\log_b a = \log_3 7 \approx 1.77$$

For  $f(n)$ , it matches with case 3 of Master's Theorem, i.e.

$$f(n) = \Omega(n^{\log_b a + \epsilon}) = n^2$$

$$2. \quad T(n) = 4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + \log n$$

Here  $a = 4$ ,  $b = 2$  and  $f(n) = \log n$ .

$$\log_b a = \log_2 4 = 2$$

We find a match with cases of Master's theorem,

$$f(n) = \log n = O(n^{\log_b a - \epsilon}) = O(n^{2 - \epsilon})$$

$$\therefore \quad T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$$

**Example 2.5.17** Explain master theorem and solve the master method -

$$1. \quad T(n) = 9T(n/3) + n \quad 2. \quad T(n) = 3T(n/4) + n$$

**Solution:** 1. By Master Theorem.

$$a = 9, b = 3, f(n) = n$$

$$n \log_b a = n \log_3 9 = \Theta(n^2)$$

because  $f(n) = O(n^{\log_3 9 - \epsilon})$  where  $\epsilon = 1$

The case 1 is applied here.

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a}) \text{ when}$$

$$f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - \epsilon})$$

$$\text{Hence} \quad T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$$

2. By Master Theorem,

$$a = 3, b = 4, f(n) = n \lg n$$

$$n \log_b a = n \log_4 3 = \Theta(n^{0.793})$$

$$f(n) = \Omega(n^{\log_4 3 + \epsilon}) \text{ for } \epsilon = 0.2$$

Besides, for large  $n$  the regularity holds for  $c = 3$

$$a \cdot f(n/b) = 3(n/a) \lg(n/4) \leq (3/4) n \lg n = c f(n)$$

Thus case 3 is applicable



$$n^{\log_2 7} = n^{2.803}$$

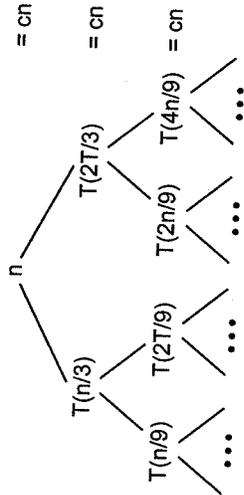
As  $n^3 = \Omega(n^{\log_2 7 + \epsilon})$  then

$$T(n) = \theta(f(n))$$

$$\therefore T(n) = \theta(n^3)$$

**Example 2.5.24** Solve following recurrence relation using suitable method and express your answer using Big-oh(O) notation.  $T(n) = T(n/3) + T(2T/3) + \theta(n)$ .

**Solution :** Let us draw a tree for recurrence relation.



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On each level, we obviously obtain  $cn$  operations, independent of the level.

The longest path in the recursion tree is the rightmost path with problem size  $n \rightarrow \frac{2}{3}n \rightarrow \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow 1$  until we stop at problem size 1. The height  $h$  of the tree can be determined via the equation  $\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n n = 1$  leading to  $h = \log_{3/2} n$  we could expect the total cost to be  $O(cn \log_{3/2} n) = O(n \log n)$ .

$$\therefore T(n) \in O(n \log n)$$

**Review Question**

1. Explain the concept of recurrence relation with some illustrative example.
2. State and explain the Master's theorem.

**2.6 Analyzing Control Statements**

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While analyzing the given fragment of code various programming constructs appear. Those are :

1. Sequencing

Let us discuss the analysis process with the help of

**1) Sequencing**

Sequencing means putting one instruction after another.

**For example**

```
i = 10;
printf ("%d ", i);
i = 10 + 5 ;
```

Here each instruction executes only once. Hence the

$$1 + 1 + 1 = 3$$

$$\therefore T(n) = 3$$

**2) For loops**

For loops can be simple or nested for loops. Follow

```
for (i=1; i<=n; i++)
{
 printf("%d", a[i]);
}
```

Hence total frequency count is  $1 + (n+1) + n + \dots + 1$  shown in shaded circle denotes number of executions executed once. The  $i < n$  will be executed for  $n$  really less than or equal to  $n$  (i.e. when condition statement will be executed when  $i$  becomes greater

The statement  $i++$  will be executed for  $n$  times executed for  $n$  times.

Let us consider one more example -

```
for (i=1; i<=n; i++)
{
 for (j=1; j<=n; j++)
 {
 printf("%d", &a[i]);
 }
}
```

The nested execution will be,

$(1 + 2 + \dots + n) * (1 + 2 + \dots + n) + n = \dots$

Now we can compute time complexity from the frequency count very easily. Suppose the frequency count is  $3n + 2$ . Then just neglect all the constants and then specify the time complexity in terms of big oh notation. Hence for  $3n + 2$  frequency count we will get  $O(n)$  as the time complexity. Similarly if time complexity is  $6n^2 + 10n + 4$ , then we will get time complexity to be  $O(n^2)$ .

**3) Recursive calls** Recursion is a process in which one function calls itself.

**Example 2.6.1** Give recursive algorithm for factorial and comment on complexity of your algorithm.

**Solution :** For analyzing control statements consider following algorithm :

```
Algorithm Factorial (n)
//Problem description : This algorithm computes n!
// using recursive function
// Input : A non negative integer n
// Output : returns factorial value
if (n = 0) then
return 1;
else
return Factorial (n-1)*n;
```

In above algorithm the **basic operation** is multiplication. The input size is  $n$ . Hence recursive function can be formulated as :

$$f(n) = f(n-1) * n \quad \text{where } n > 0$$

We can write recurrence relation as -

$$T(n) = \overset{\uparrow}{T(n-1)} + \overset{\uparrow}{1}$$

These multiplications are required to compute factorial  $(n-1)$  by  $n$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Assume, } T(0) &= 1 \\ T(n) &= \overset{(n-1)}{T(n-1)} + 1 \\ &= [T(n-1-1) + 1] + 1 \\ &= \overset{(n-2)}{T(n-2)} + 2 \\ &= \overset{(n-3)}{T(n-3)} + 1 + 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= T(n-3) + 3 \\ &\vdots \\ &= T(n-k) + k \end{aligned}$$

If  $k = n$  then

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= T(n-n) + n \\ &= T(0) + n \\ T(n) &= 1 + n \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore T(0) = 1$$

$\therefore$  We can say time complexity of factorial function

**Example 2.6.2** Give the recursive algorithm to find complexity of the algorithm.

**Solution :**

**Algorithm** Fib (int n)

```
{
// Problem Description : This is a recursive al
// to find fibonacci sequence.
if (n <= 2) then
return 1;
else
return (Fib (n-1) + Fib (n-2));
}
```

### Complexity of algorithm

From algorithm if  $n <= 2$  just return 1 will be

$\therefore$  The recursive equation will be,

$$T(n) = 2 + T(n-1) + 1$$

For recursive calls Fib(n-1) + Fib(n-2) + ...

For Fib (3) we will have  $n = 3$

$$\therefore T(3) = 2 + T(2) + T(1)$$

$$T(3) = 2 + 1 + 1$$

$$T(3) = 4$$

For Fib (4), we will have  $n = 4$

$$T(4) = 2 + T(3) + T(2)$$

$$= 2 + 4 + 1$$

For Fib (5) we will have  $n = 5$

$$\begin{aligned} T(5) &= 2 + T(4) + T(3) \\ &= 2 + 7 + 4 \\ T(5) &= 13 \end{aligned}$$

Thus the complexity of fibonacci sequence is an exponentially increasing complexity.

**Example 2.6.3** Give the algorithm to solve tower of Hanoi problem. Comment on the complexity of the algorithm.

**Solution :**

Algorithm TOH (n, A, C, B)

```
{
// if only one disk has to be moved
if (n = 1) then
{
Write (" The peg moved from A to C")
return
}
else
{
// move top n-1 disks from A to B using C
TOH (n-1, A, B, C);
// move remaining disk from B to C using A
TOH (n-1, B, C, A);
}
}
```

The time complexity of tower of Hanoi problem is  $\theta(2^n)$ .

#### 4) While or repeat loops :

The while or repeat loops are treated just like recursive calls. While analyzing them we need to find out how many times the loop is repeated. Consider an algorithm for finding maximum value in give array.

```
Algorithm Max_Element (A[0..... n-1])
// Problem description : This algorithm is for finding
// the maximum value element from the array.
// Input : array A[0.....n-1]
// Output : returns largest element from the array.
Max_value ← A [0]
i ← 1 ; j ← n - 1 ;
while (i < j)
{
if (A[i] > Max_value) then
Max_value ← A [i] ;
```

The input size is  $n$  and the basic operation is value.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore T(n) &= \sum_{i=1}^{j=n-1} 1 \\ &= (n-1) \end{aligned}$$

$$T(n) \in \Theta(n)$$

Thus the time complexity of above algorithm is  $\Theta$

#### Example 2.6.4 Compare Iterative and Recursive algorithm

**Solution :** Iterative algorithm for obtaining the Fibonacci

Algorithm Iter\_fib(int n)

```
{
fib[0]=fib[1]= 1;
write(fib[0], " ",fib[1]);
for i=2; to n do
{
fib[i]=fib[i-1] + fib[i-2];
write(fib[i]);
}
```

The time complexity of above algorithm is required.

#### Recursive algorithm for obtaining the Fibonacci

Algorithm fib(int n)

```
{
if(n <= 2)
return 1;
else
return (fib(n-2)+fib(n-1));
```

The time complexity of above algorithm is exponential. This shows that the iterative algorithm for computing Fibonacci is efficient than the recursive version.

#### Example 2.6.5 Write an algorithm to find the maximum value in an array of n integers. What is the running time complexity?

Solution :

```
Algorithm Max_Min_Val (i, j, max, min)
{
```

```
 if (i == j) then
 {
```

```
 max ← A [i]
 min ← A [j]
 }
```

```
 else if (i = j - 1) then
 {
```

```
 if (A[i] < A [j]) then
 {
```

```
 max ← A [j]
 min ← A [i]
 }
```

```
 } else
```

```
 {
```

```
 max ← A [j]
 min ← A [i]
 }
```

```
 } //inner else
```

```
 } //outer else-if
```

```
 else
```

```
 {
```

```
 mid = (i+j)/2
```

```
 //divide the list to make
```

```
 // two sublists
```

```
 Max_Min_Val (i, mid, max, min)
```

```
 Max_Min_Val (mid + 1, j, max_new, min_new)
```

```
 if (max < max_new) then
```

```
 max ← max_new
```

```
 //combine solution
```

```
 if (min > min_new) then
```

```
 min ← min_new
```

```
 //combine solution
```

```
 //end of Algorithm
 }
```

Analysis :

There are two recursive calls made in this algorithm, for each half divided sublist. Hence the time required for computing min and max will be

$$T(n) = T(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + T(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + 2 \quad \text{when } n > 2$$

$$T(n) = 1 \quad \text{when } n = 2$$

If single element is present then  $T(n) = 0$ . The time required for computing min and max will be

$$T(n) = 2 T(n/2) + 2$$

$$= 2[2T(n/4) + 2] + 2$$

$$= 4 T(n/4) + 6$$

$$= 2(2[2T((n/8) + 2] + 2) + 2)$$

$$= 8T(n/8) + 10$$

$$= 2^3 T\left(\frac{n}{2^3}\right) + (2^3 + 2)$$

∴

$$= 2^k T\left(\frac{n}{2^k}\right) + (2^k + 2)$$

If we put  $n = 2^k$  then

$$= n T\left(\frac{n}{n}\right) + (n + 2)$$

$$= n T(1) + (n + 2)$$

$$= n + n + 2$$

$$T(n) = 2(n + 1)$$

By neglecting constants, we can say that time co

$$T(n) = O(n)$$

**Example 2.6.6** Develop an algorithm and program (recu) two integers using top-down design. Analyze the alg

Solution :

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
void main(void)
```

```
{
```

```
 int a,b,ans;
```

```
 int gcd(int a,int b);
```

```
 clrscr();
```

```
 printf("\n\t\t GCD Of two integers");
```

```
 printf("\n\n Enter the two numbers: ");
```

```
 scanf("%d %d",&a,&b);
```

```
 ans=gcd(a,b);
```

```
 printf("\n The gcd of %d and %d is = %d",a,b,a
```

```
 getch();
```

```
}
```

```

{
int temp,ans;
if(b<=a && a%b ==0)
return b;
else
{
if(a<b)
return(gcd(b,a));
/**the divisor should be less than dividend*/
else
ans = a%b;
return(gcd(b,ans));
}
}

```

**Analysis:** The worst case time complexity is  $O(n^2)$  and average case is  $O(n^2/\log n)$ .

**Example 2.6.7** Explain tower of Hanoi problem, Derive its recursion equation and compute its time complexity.

**Solution:** The problem "Towers of Hanoi" is a classic example of recursive function. The initial setup is as shown in Fig. 2.6.1 (a).

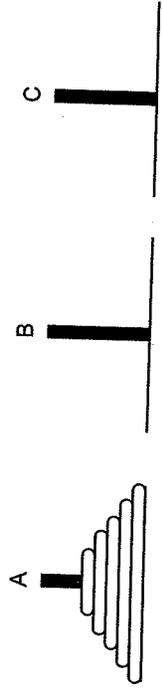


Fig. 2.6.1 (a)

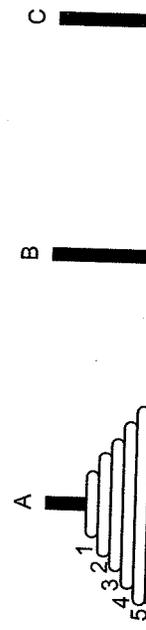
There are three pegs named as A, B and C. The five disks of different diameters are placed on peg A. The arrangement of the disks is such that every smaller disk is placed on the larger disk.

The problem of " Towers of Hanoi" states that move the five disks from peg A to peg C using peg B as an auxiliary.

The conditions are :

- i) Only the top disk on any peg may be moved to any other peg.
- ii) A larger disk should never rest on the smaller one.

First of all let us number out the disks for our comfort.



The solution can be stated as

1. Move top  $n - 1$  disks from A to B using C as
2. Move the remaining disk from A to C.
3. Move the  $n - 1$  disks from B to C using A as

We can convert it to

- move disk 1 from A to B.
- move disk 2 from A to C.
- move disk 1 from B to C.

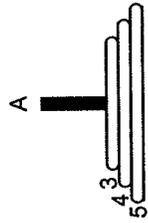


Fig. 2.6.1 (c)

- move disk 3 from A to B
- move disk 1 from C to A
- move disk 2 from C to B
- move disk 1 from A to B

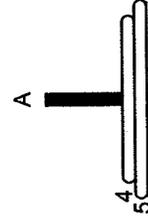
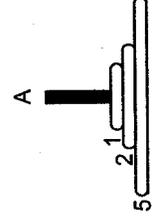


Fig. 2.6.1 (d)

- move disk 4 from A to C
- move disk 1 from B to C
- move disk 2 from B to A
- move disk 1 from C to A
- move disk 3 from B to C



- move disk 1 from A to B
- move disk 2 from A to C
- move disk 1 from B to C

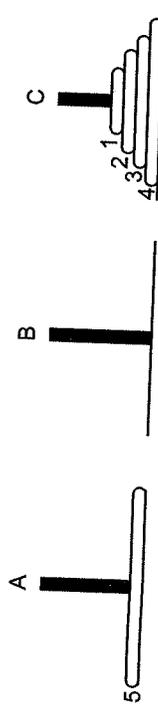


Fig. 2.6.1 (f)

Thus actually we have moved  $n - 1$  disks from peg A to C.

**Algorithm** TOH( $n, A, C, B$ )

```

{
//if only one disk has to be moved
if (n=1) then
{
write("The peg moved from A to C")
return
}
else
{
//move top n-1 disks from A to B using C
TOH(n-1,A,B,C);
//move remaining disk from B to C using A
TOH(n-1,B,C,A);
}
}

```

**Mathematical Analysis :**

**Step 1 :**

The input size is  $n$  i.e. total number of disks.

**Step 2 :**

The basic operation in this problem is moving disks from one peg to another. When  $n > 1$ , then to move these disks from peg A to peg C using peg B, we first move recursively  $n - 1$  disks from peg A to peg B using auxiliary peg C. Then we move the largest disk directly from peg A to peg C and finally move  $n - 1$  disks from peg B to peg C (using peg A as auxiliary peg).

If  $n = 1$  then we simply move the disk from peg A to peg C.

**Step 3 :**

The moves of disks are denoted by  $M(n)$ .  $M(n)$  recurrence relation can then set up as

$M(1) = 1$        $\therefore$  Only 1 move is needed

If  $n > 1$  then we need two recursive calls plus one move

$M(n) = M(n-1) + 1 + 1$

To move  $(n - 1)$  disks from peg A to B disk from peg C  
 To move largest A to C from peg B

$M(n) = 2 M(n - 1) + 1$

**Step 4 :**

Solving recurrence  $M(n) = 2M(n - 1) + 1$  using

- Forward substitution :
- For  $n > 1$

$M(2) = 2 M(1) + 1 = 2 + 1$

$M(2) = 3$

$M(3) = 2 M(2) + 1 = 2 (3) + 1$

$M(3) = 7$

$M(4) = 2 M(3) + 1 = 2 (7) + 1$

$M(4) = 15$

- Backward substitution :

$M(n) = 2 M(n - 1) + 1$

$= 2 [2M(n - 2) + 1] + 1$

$= 4 M(n - 2) + 3$

$= 4 [2 M(n - 3) + 1] + 3$

$= 8 M(n - 3) + 7$

Above computations suggest us to compute next

$= 2^4 M(n - 4) + 2^3 + 2^2 + 2 + 1$

This can also be written as

Above computations suggest us to compute next computation as

$$= 2^4 M(n-4) + 2^3 + 2^2 + 2 + 1$$

From this we can establish a general formula as

$$M(n) = 2^i M(n-i) + 2^{i-1} + 2^{i-2} + \dots + 2 + 1$$

This can also be written as

$$M(n) = 2^i M(n-i) + 2^i - 1$$

... (2)

Thus for obtaining  $M(n)$  we substitute  $n$  by  $n - i$  in the equation (2).

Let us use mathematical induction to establish correctness of equation (2).

• **Basis :**

As in equation (2) we can obtain  $M(n)$  by substituting  $n = n - i$ , assume initially  $n = 1$  then

$$n - i = 1$$

i.e.  $i = n - 1$

i.e.  $M(n) = 2^i M(n-i) + 2^i - 1$  with  $i = n - 1$  can become

$$= 2^{n-1} M(n-(n-1)) + 2^{n-1} - 1$$

$$= 2^{n-1} M(1) + 2^{n-1} - 1$$

$$= 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-1} - 1$$

$$M(n) = 2^n - 1 \quad \text{Now if } n = 1 \text{ then}$$

$$M(1) = 2^1 - 1 = 1 \quad \text{is proved.}$$

• **Induction :**

From equation (1) we get,

$$M(n) = 2 M(n-1) + 1$$

... (3)

But in basis of induction we have computed  $M(n-1)$  value in equation (3) and we will get

$$M(n) = 2(2^{n-1} - 1) + 1 = 2^n - 2 + 1$$

$$M(n) = 2^n - 1 \quad \text{is proved for } n = n - 1$$

∴ We get recurrence as

$$M(n) = 2^n - 1$$

From this we can conclude that tower of Hanoi  $T(n) = \Theta(2^n)$ .

**Example for Practice**

**Example 2.6.8 :** Perform the mathematical analysis for

Algorithm count (node\* head)

```
{
 int cnt = 1;
 node * temp ;
 temp = head ;
 while (temp → next != head)
 {
 temp =temp → next ;
 cnt ++ ;
 }
 printf (" % d," cnt) ;
}
```

**Review Question**

1. What is Recursion ? Give the implementation of Tower of Hanoi.

**2.7 Amortized Analysis**

An amortized analysis means finding average worst case sequence of operations. An amortized analysis of a single operation is small if average of sequence of operations is small. Even if any one operation is expensive within the sequence.

There is a difference between average case analysis and amortized analysis. In average case analysis we are averaging over all possible inputs and in amortized analysis we are averaging over a sequence of operations. An amortized analysis assumes worst-case input.

There are 3 commonly used techniques used in amortized analysis -

- i) Aggregate analysis
- ii) Accounting method
- iii) Potential method

**Key Point** *The amortized cost of  $n$  operations is the total cost of the operations divided by  $n$ .*

Let us discuss each technique of amortized analysis one by one.

### 2.7.1 Aggregate Analysis

Aggregate analysis is a kind of analysis in which the analysis is made over sequence of  $n$  operations and these operations actually take worst case time  $T(n)$ . In worst case an amortized cost per operation is  $T(n)/n$ . Let us now discuss two examples for making aggregate analysis in order to obtain amortized cost.

**Example :** Implementing stack as an array.

There are two basic operations in stack.

1. To implement 'push (item)' we need :

```
s [top] = item;
```

```
top ++;
```

2. To implement item = pop () we need :

```
top --;
```

```
item = s[top];
```

Thus push (item) and pop ( ) are the operations each running in  $O(1)$  time. This also means that cost of each operation is  $O(1)$  and for  $n$  sequences of operations the total execution time will be  $\Theta(n)$ . Now if we write some function for performing multiple pop operations then  $k$  top objects will be removed from the stack.

```
Algorithm multiple_pop (st, k)
```

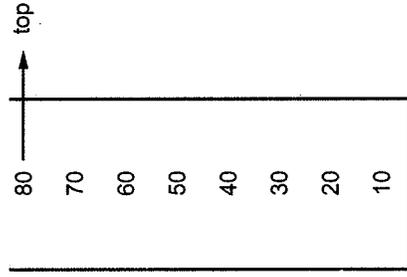
```
{
// Problem Description : This algorithm is for
// removing k top objects repeatedly using stack.
while ((!st.empty()) AND 'k' = 0)
```

```
{
 pop (st)
 k ← k - 1
} // end if while
```

While stack do not gets empty the desired elements can be removed.

### For example :

If we want to remove 4 elements from the stack then



Initially stack has 8 element

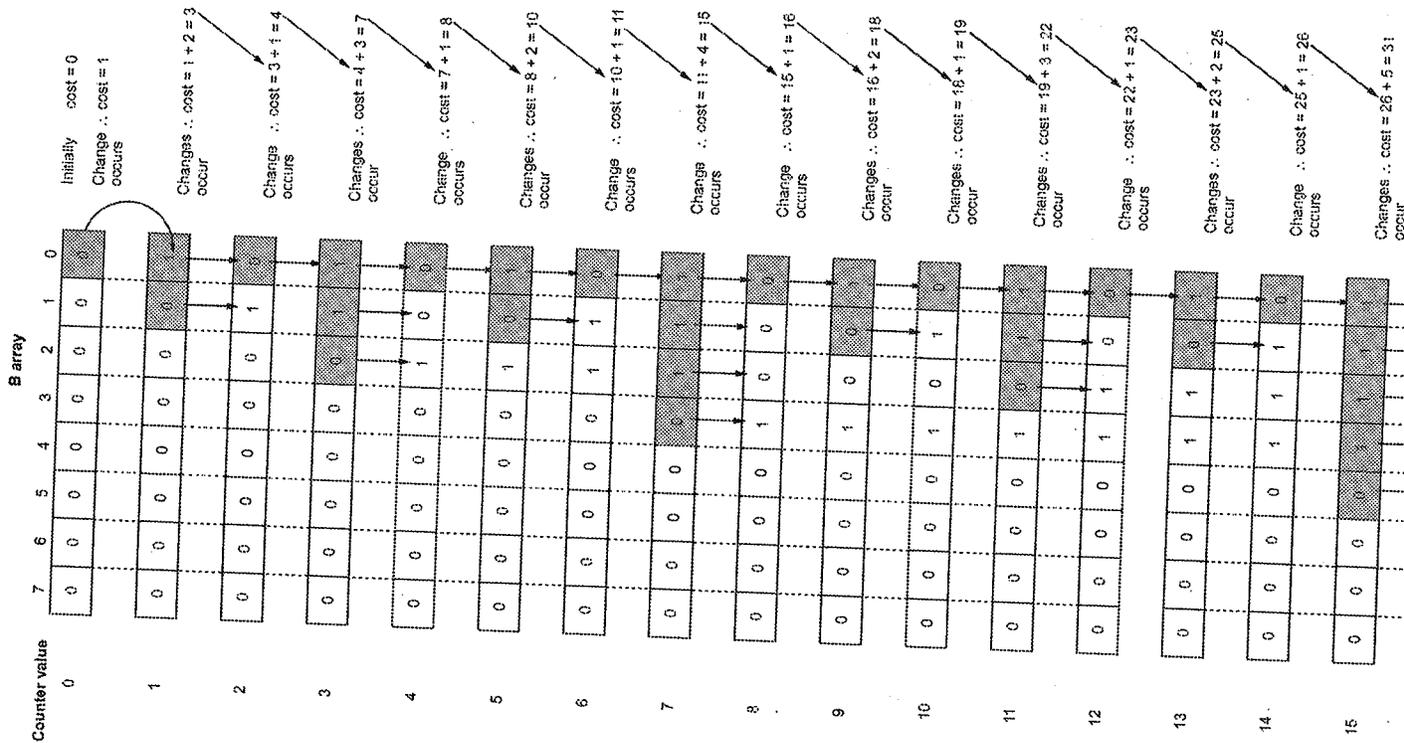
That means for the size 8 of the stack we can perform at the most 8 pop operations.

- From above given sequence of execution we can state that worst case cost for multiple\_pop is  $O(n)$  when the size of stack is at the most  $n$ . Hence a sequence of  $n$  operations costs  $O(n^2)$  because we can have  $O(n)$  multiple\_pop operations costing  $O(n)$  each. The cost  $O(n^2)$  is correct but not tight.
- We can broadly state that each object can Total number of pop = Total number of push
- The aggregate analysis suggests to define an operation =  $O(n)$
- Hence average cost in amortized analysis operation =  $O(n)$

### Example 2 : Binary counter

This problem is for implementing binary counter array B in which a binary number is stored. Bits 1

For example :



From above given counter method we can make ou

B [ 0 ] flips/changes every time, total n times

B [ 1 ] flips/changes every other time [n/2] times

B [ 2 ] flips/changes for [n/4] times

B [ 3 ] flips/changes for [n/8] times

...

...

for i = 0,1,... k-1, B [i] changes for [n/2<sup>i</sup>] times.

Thus total number of flips is

$$\sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \left\lfloor \frac{n}{2^i} \right\rfloor$$

$$< n \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^i}$$

$$= 2n$$

The worst case time will be O(n). The average cost per operation = O(n)/n = O(1).

The algorithm which is used to obtain binary count

**Algorithm**

Algorithm Increment ( B[0... k-1])

// Problem Description : This algorithm is

// for obtaining binary counter by flipping

// the corresponding bits.

i ← 0

while ((i < length (B [ ] ) AND (B[i] = 1))

{ B[i] ← 0

i ← i + 1

} // end of while

if (i < length (B [ ] ) then

B[i] ← 1

} // end of algorithm

**2.7.2 Accounting Method**

- Assign different charges to different operations.
- The amount of charge is called **amortized cost**.
- Then there is **actual cost** of each operation. The amortized cost can be more or less than actual cost.
- When amortized cost > actual cost, the difference is saved in specific objects called **credits**.
- When for particular operation amortized cost < actual cost the stored **credits** are utilized.
- Thus in accounting method we can say

Amortized cost = actual cost + credits (either deposited or used up)

- In aggregate analysis method, it is **not** necessary to have amortized cost to each operation but in accounting method each operation must have some amortized cost.

Following are the conditions used in accounting method -

- Let  $c_i$  be the actual cost of  $i^{\text{th}}$  operation in the sequence, and  $c'_i$  be the amortized cost of  $i^{\text{th}}$  operation in the sequence.
- There should be -

$$\sum_{i=1}^n c'_i \geq \sum_{i=1}^n c_i$$

That means we need the total amortized cost is an upper bound of total actual cost. This holds true for all sequences of operations.

- **Total credit** =  $\sum_{i=1}^n c'_i - \sum_{i=1}^n c_i$

Which should be **non negative**. Let us understand the method of obtaining amortized cost using accounting method with the help of two examples :

- 1) Stack operations and 2) Binary counter

### Example 1 : Stack operations.

Let us first assign some charges to each stack operation.

Push (item) : = 1

Pop ( ) : 1

multiple\_pop: min ( st, k ) where st is stack size and k is number of multiple pops

push (item) : 2

pop ( ) : 0

multiple\_pop : 0

Note that multiple\_pop operation has variable actual cost. Consider some sequence of operations starting from some object onto the stack then associated with it \$2, \$1 to pay the actual cost of push and left with \$1 objects the credits will get accumulated each time. credit will be used to prepay the cost of pop operation. operation we need **not** have to charge anything on multiple\_pop operation. This also ensures that credit will be used to prepay the cost of pop operation.

Hence total amortized cost for  $n$  push (item),  $n$  pop ( ) operations is  $O(n)$  / average amortized cost for each operation is  $O(n) / n = O(1)$

### Example 2 : Binary counter

The accounting method is applied on binary counter.

- Let \$ 1 is the charge assigned for each unit cost.
- Let, the amortized cost of \$ 2 is charged for setting a bit to 1.
- When the bit is set, then out of \$ 2 we can use \$ 1 on the bit as credit. Thus on any point credit.
- When a bit is reset (i.e. changing bit to 0) the credit is used to prepay the cost of setting the bit to 1.
- Thus the amount of credit is always **non negative**.
- The total amortized cost of  $n$  operations is  $O(n)$ .

### 2.7.3 Potential Method

This method is similar to the accounting method used.

- In this method there will not be any credit. Instead of "energy" or "potential" which can be used to prepay the cost of an operation, we use a "potential" function which is a real number. Instead of associating potential with specific objects, we associate it with the whole structure as a whole. The **working** of potential method is as follows.
- Let,  $D_0$  be the initial data structure. Hence  $D_0$  be the data structure. Let  $c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n$  denote the cost of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  operation.

- Let,  $c_i$  be the amortized cost of  $i^{\text{th}}$  operation

$$c_i = c_i + \underbrace{\Phi(D_i) - \Phi(D_{i-1})}_{\text{Potential change}}$$

Actual cost

$$\sum_{i=1}^n c_i = \sum_{i=1}^n (c_i + \Phi(D_i) - \Phi(D_{i-1})) \quad \text{and}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n c_i = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i + \Phi(D_n) - \Phi(D_0)$$

- If  $\Phi(D_n) \geq \Phi(D_0)$ , then amortized cost is an upper bound of actual cost.
- For any sequence of operation we do not know the exact number of operations. Hence it is required to have  $\Phi(D_i) \geq \Phi(D_0)$  for any value of  $i$ .
- Let  $\Phi(D_0) = 0$ . So  $\Phi(D_i) \geq 0$  for all  $i$ .
- If potential change is positive i.e. if  $\Phi(D_i) - \Phi(D_{i-1}) > 0$  then  $c_i$  is overcharge and potential of data structure increases.
- If potential change is negative i.e. if  $\Phi(D_i) - \Phi(D_{i-1}) < 0$  then  $c_i$  is an undercharge i.e. discharge the potential to pay actual cost.

Let us now obtain amortized analysis by potential method for

- Stack operations
- Binary counter.

**Example 1 : Stack operation**

The number of objects in the stack is the potential for the stack. So  $\Phi(D_0) = 0$  and  $\Phi(D_i) \geq 0$  i.e. non negative value.

We can now obtain amortized cost of each stack operation as follows -  
Push operation

$$\text{Potential change} = \Phi(D_i) - \Phi(D_{i-1})$$

$$= (s + 1) - s$$

$$= 1$$

Amortized cost = actual cost + potential change

$$= c_i + \Phi(D_i) - \Phi(D_{i-1})$$

$$= 1 + 1$$

$s + 1$  means inserting one item to existing stack of size  $s$

**Pop operation**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Potential change} &= \Phi(D_i) - \Phi(D_{i-1}) \\ &= (s - 1) - s \\ &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

Amortized cost = actual cost + potential change

$$= c_i + \Phi(D_i) - \Phi(D_{i-1})$$

$$= 1 + (-1)$$

$$c_i = 0$$

**Multiple\_pop**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Potential change} &= \Phi(D_i) - \Phi(D_{i-1}) \\ &= k' \end{aligned}$$

where  $k' = \min(st, k)$  with  $k$  denotes number of

Amortized cost = Actual cost + Potential change

$$= c_i + \Phi(D_i) - \Phi(D_{i-1})$$

$$= k' + k'$$

$$c_i = 0$$

Thus amortized cost of each operation is operations is  $O(n)$ .

The worst case cost of  $n$  operations is  $O(n)$ .

**Example 2 : Binary counter**

The potential of the counter after  $i^{\text{th}}$  increment Let us now compute amortized cost of an operation

Let, there be  $i^{\text{th}}$  operation which resets  $t_i$  bits.

$\therefore$  Actual cost  $c_i$  of the operation is  $t_i + 1$

$$c_i = t_i + 1$$

$\bullet$  If  $b_i = 0$  then the  $i^{\text{th}}$  operation resets all  $k$

$$b_{i-1} = t_i = k$$

$\bullet$  If  $b_i > 0$  then  $b_i = b_{i-1} - t_i + 1$

From these two conditions



We will use  $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$  symbol to check whether previous element is greater than next. If we found it greater, then swap them.

**Pass 1 :**

|    |                            |                            |                            |                            |                            |                            |    |
|----|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----|
| 70 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 30                         | 20                         | 50                         | 60                         | 10                         | 40 |
| 30 | 70                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 20                         | 50                         | 60                         | 10                         | 40 |
| 30 | 20                         | 70                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 50                         | 60                         | 10                         | 40 |
| 30 | 20                         | 50                         | 70                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 60                         | 10                         | 40 |
| 30 | 20                         | 50                         | 50                         | 70                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 10                         | 40 |
| 30 | 20                         | 50                         | 60                         | 60                         | 70                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 10 |
| 30 | 20                         | 50                         | 60                         | 10                         | 70                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 40 |
| 30 | 20                         | 50                         | 60                         | 10                         | 40                         | 70                         |    |

The list obtained at the end of first pass will be considered as input to second pass.

**Pass 2 :**

|    |                            |                            |    |                            |    |                            |                            |
|----|----------------------------|----------------------------|----|----------------------------|----|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 30 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 20                         | 50 | 60                         | 10 | 40                         | 70                         |
| 20 | 30                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 50 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 60 | 10                         | 40                         |
| 20 | 30                         | 50                         | 50 | 10                         | 60 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 40                         |
| 20 | 30                         | 50                         | 50 | 10                         | 40 | 60                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ |
| 20 | 30                         | 50                         | 10 | 40                         | 60 | 40                         | 70                         |

**Pass 3 :**

|    |                            |    |                            |    |                            |                            |                            |    |    |
|----|----------------------------|----|----------------------------|----|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----|----|
| 20 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 30 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 50 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 10                         | 40                         | 60 | 70 |
| 20 | 30                         | 30 | 10                         | 50 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 40                         | 60                         | 70 |    |
| 20 | 30                         | 30 | 10                         | 40 | 50                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 60                         | 40 | 70 |
| 20 | 30                         | 30 | 10                         | 40 | 50                         | 60                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 70 |    |

**Pass 4 :**

|    |                            |    |                            |                            |    |
|----|----------------------------|----|----------------------------|----------------------------|----|
| 20 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 30 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 10                         | 40 |
| 20 | 10                         | 10 | 30                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 40 |
| 20 | 10                         | 10 | 30                         | 40                         | 40 |
| 20 | 10                         | 10 | 30                         | 40                         | 40 |
| 20 | 10                         | 10 | 30                         | 40                         | 40 |

**Pass 5 :**

|    |                            |                            |    |                            |
|----|----------------------------|----------------------------|----|----------------------------|
| 20 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 10                         | 30 | 40                         |
| 10 | 20                         | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | 30 | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ |
| 10 | 20                         | 30                         | 40 |                            |

Now we get the sorted list as,

|    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 |
|----|----|----|----|

**Example 2.8.1** Sort the letters of word "DESIGN" i

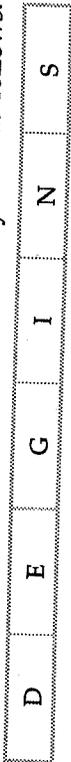
**Solution : Pass 1**

|   |                            |                            |                            |
|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| D | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | E                          | S                          |
| D | E                          | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | S                          |
| D | E                          | E                          | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ |
| D | E                          | E                          | I                          |
| D | E                          | E                          | I                          |
| D | E                          | E                          | I                          |

**Pass 2**

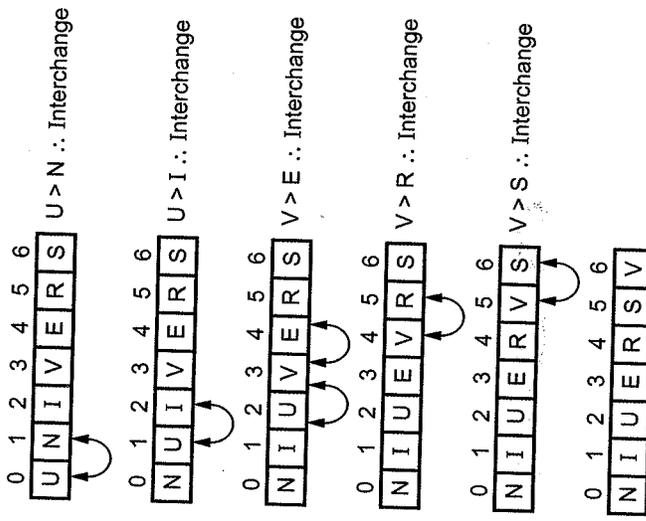
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|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
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| D | E                          | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ | I                          |
| D | E                          | E                          | $\leftarrow ? \rightarrow$ |
| D | E                          | E                          | G                          |

Continuing in this manner we get the list sorted finally. It is as follows.

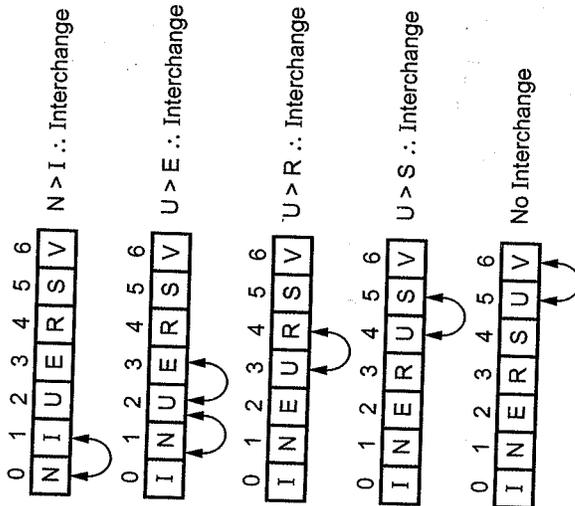


**Example 2.8.2** Apply the bubble sort algorithm for sorting {U, N, L, V, E, R, S}

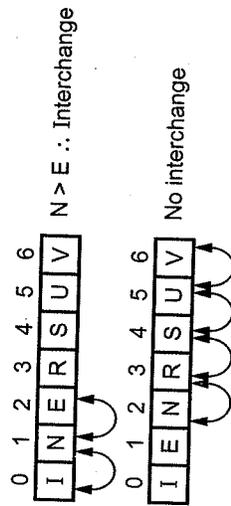
**Solution : Pass 1 :**



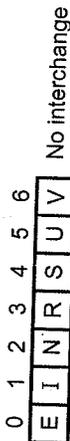
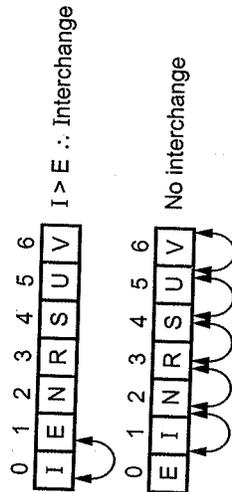
**Pass 2 :**



**Pass 3 :**



**Pass 4 :**



**Algorithm**

**Algorithm** Bubble(A[0...n-1])

//Problem Description : This algorithm is for sorting the elements using bubble sort method  
 //Input: An array of elements A[0...n-1] that is to be sorted  
 //Output: The sorted array A[0...n-1]  
 for i ← 0 to n - 2 do

```

{
 for j ← 0 to n-2-i do
 {
 if(A[j] > A[j+1]) then
 {
 temp ← A[j]
 A[j] ← A[j+1]
 A[j+1] ← temp
 }
 } //end of inner for loop
} //end of outer for loop

```

**Analysis**

The above algorithm can be analysed mathematically non recursive mathematical analysis.

**Step 1 :** The input size is total number of elements

**Step 2 :** In this algorithm the basic operation is

$$\text{if } A[j] > A[j+1]$$

**Step 3 :** We can obtain sum as follows :

$$C(n) = \text{Outer for loop} \times \text{Inner for loop with variable } i \text{ with variable } j$$

$$\therefore C(n) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \sum_{j=0}^{n-2-i} 1$$

$$C(n) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} (n-1-i)$$

**Step 4 :** Simplifying sum we get,

$$C(n) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} (n-1-i)$$



4<sup>th</sup> pass :

|      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| A[0] | A[1] | A[2] | A[3] | A[4] | A[5] | A[6] |
| 10   | 20   | 30   | 50   | 60   | 70   | 40   |

↑  
i, Min  
Smallest element is searched in this list

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 50 | 60 | 70 | 40 |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|

↑  
i  
Smallest element

Swap A[i] with smallest element. The array then becomes,

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 60 | 70 | 50 |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|

5<sup>th</sup> pass :

|      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| A[0] | A[1] | A[2] | A[3] | A[4] | A[5] | A[6] |
| 10   | 20   | 30   | 40   | 60   | 70   | 50   |

↑  
i  
Search smallest element in this list

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 60 | 70 | 50 |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|

↑  
i  
Smallest element

Swap A[i] with smallest element. The array then becomes,

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 50 | 70 | 60 |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|

↑  
i  
Smallest element

6<sup>th</sup> pass :

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 50 | 70 | 60 |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|

Swap A[i] with smallest element. The array then

|      |      |      |      |
|------|------|------|------|
| A[0] | A[1] | A[2] | A[3] |
| 10   | 20   | 30   | 40   |

This is a sorted array.

**Algorithm**

The pseudo code for sorting the elements using

**Algorithm selection(A[0...n-1])**

//Problem Description: This algorithm sorts the elements using selection sort  
 //using selection sort  
 //Input: An array of elements A[0...n-1] that is to be sorted  
 //Output: The sorted array A[0...n-1]  
 for i ← 0 to n-2 do

```

{
 Min ← -1
 for j ← i+1 to n-1 do
 {
 if (A[j] < A[Min]) then
 min ← j
 //swap A[i] and A[Min]
 } //end of inner for loop
 temp ← A[i]
 A[i] ← A[Min]
 A[Min] ← temp
} //end of outer for loop

```

**Analysis**

The above algorithm can be analysed mathematically for non recursive mathematical analysis.

Step 1 : The input size is n i.e. total number of elements

Step 2 : In the algorithm the basic operation is comparing elements

if A[j] < A[Min]

Step 3 : This basic operation depends only on the number of elements

as

C(n) = Outer for loop × Inner for loop with variable i with variable j



## Algorithm

Although it is very natural to implement insertion using recursive(top down) algorithm but it is very efficient to implement it using bottom up(iterative) approach.

```

Algorithm Insert_sort(A[0..n-1])
//Problem Description: This algorithm is for sorting the
//elements using insertion sort
//Input: An array of n elements
//Output: Sorted array A[0..n-1] in ascending order
for i ← 1 to n-1 do
{
 temp ← A[i]//mark A[i]th element
 j ← i-1//set j at previous element of A[i]
 while (j >= 0) AND (A[j] > temp) do
 {
 //comparing all the previous elements of A[j] with
 //A[i].If any greater element is found then insert
 //it at proper position
 A[j+1] ← A[j]
 j ← j-1
 }
 A[j+1] ← temp //copy A[i] element at A[j+1]
}

```

## Analysis

When an array of elements is almost sorted then it is **best case** complexity. The best case time complexity of insertion sort is  $O(n)$ .

If an array is randomly distributed then it results in **average case** time complexity which is  $O(n^2)$ .

If the list of elements is arranged in descending order and if we want to sort the elements in ascending order then it results in **worst case** time complexity which is  $O(n^2)$ .

## Advantages of insertion sort

1. Simple to implement.
2. This method is *efficient* when we want to sort small number of elements. And this method has excellent performance on almost sorted list of elements.
3. More efficient than most other simple  $O(n^2)$  algorithms such as selection sort or bubble sort.

5. It is called *in-place* sorting algorithm (only require memory space). The in-place sorting algorithm is overwritten by output and to execute the sort more additional space.

## C Function

```

void Insert_sort(int A[10],int n)
{
 int i,j,temp;
 for (i=1;i<=n-1;i++)
 {
 temp=A[i];
 j=i-1;
 while ((j >= 0) && (A[j] > temp))
 {
 A[j+1]=A[j];
 j=j-1;
 }
 A[j+1]=temp;
 }
 printf("\n The sorted list of elements is...\n");
 for (i=0;i<n;i++)
 printf("%d",A[i]);
}

```

Let us now see the implementation of this method

## C Program

```

/*****
Implementation of insertion sort
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
void main()
{
 int A[10],n,i;
 void Insert_sort(int A[10],int n);
 clrscr();
 printf("\n\n\t Insertion Sort");
 printf("\n How many elements are there?");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\n Enter the elements\n");
 for (i=0;i<n;i++)
 scanf("%d",&A[i]);
}

```

```

}
void Insert_sort(int A[10],int n)
{
 int i,j,temp;
 for(i=1;i<=n-1;i++)
 {
 temp=A[i];
 j=i-1;
 while((j>=0)&&(A[j]>temp))
 {
 A[j+1]=A[j];
 j=j-1;
 }
 A[j+1]=temp;
 }
 printf("\n The sorted list of elements is...\n");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 printf("%n%d",A[i]);
}

```

**Output**

Insertion Sort

How many elements are there?5

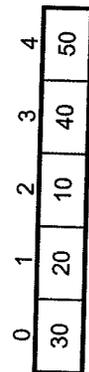
Enter the elements

The sorted list of elements is...

30  
20  
10  
40  
50

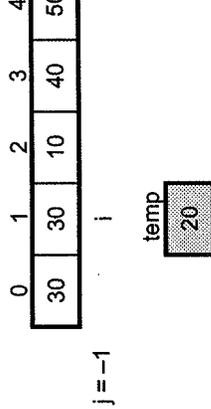
**Logic Explanation**

For understanding the logic of above C program consider a list of unsorted elements as,

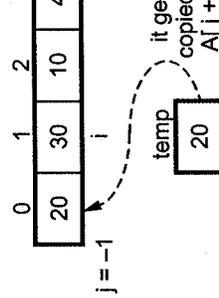


Initially it enters in outer for loop  
temp = A [i]  
j = i - 1

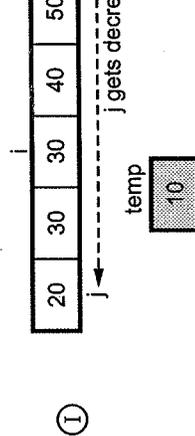
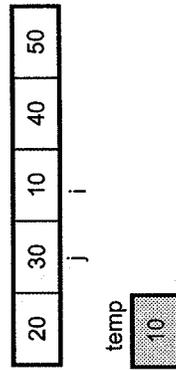
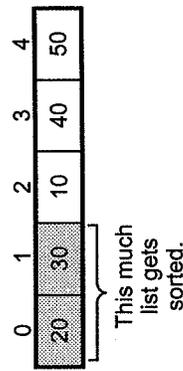
Then the control moves to while loop. As j >= loop will be executed.

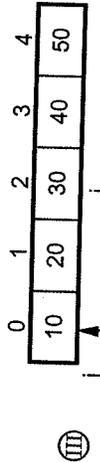
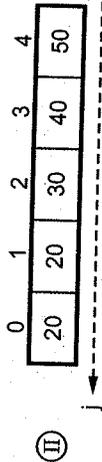


Now since j >= 0 is false, control comes out of w

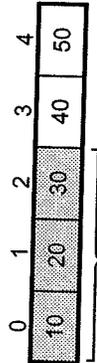


Then list becomes,



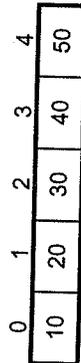


As  $j < 0$ , it comes out of **while** loop  
 $A[j+1] = \text{temp}$

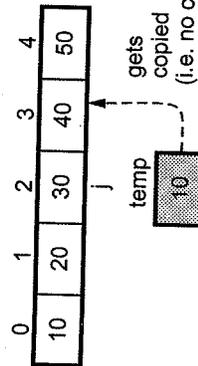


Again **for loop** gets executed.  
 set  $i = 3$ ,  
 $\text{temp} = A[i]$   
 $j = i - 1$

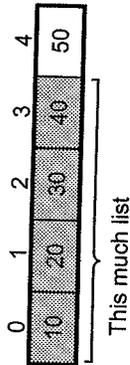
Thus,



It moves to **while loop**  
 As  $A[j] > \text{temp}$  is false, while loop will not get executed.



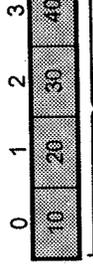
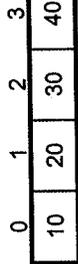
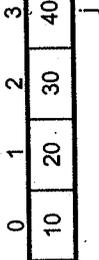
$A[j+1] = \text{temp}$



Again **for loop** gets executed  
 set  $i = 4$   
 $\text{temp} = A[i]$

Then,

Then,



This much list is sorted

Thus we have scanned the entire list and inserted locations. Thus we get the sorted list by insertion sort

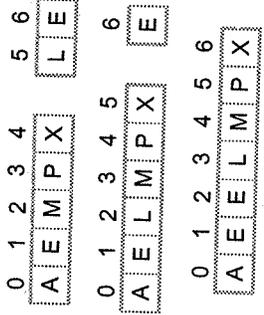
**Example 2.8.3** Sort the letters of word "EXAMPLE" in

**Solution :** Consider the list of element as -

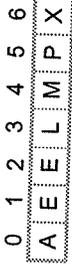


The process starts with first element.





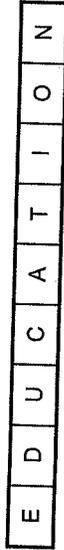
Sorted list of elements



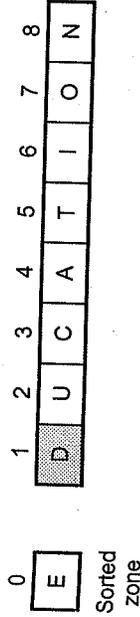
**Example 2.8.4** Sort the letters of word "EDUCATION" in alphabetical order using insertion sort.

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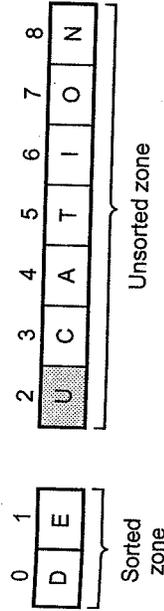
**Solution :** Consider the list of elements as



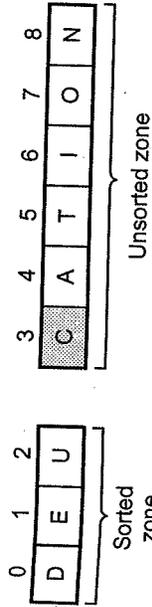
The process starts with first element.



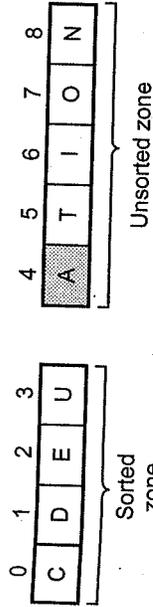
Compare E with D and insert it at appropriate position.



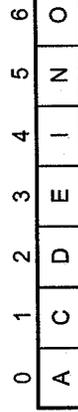
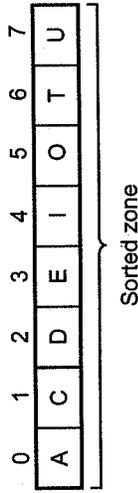
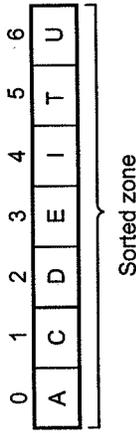
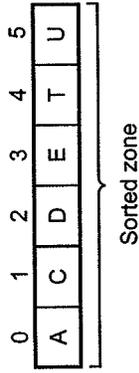
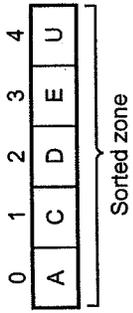
Compare U with D and E. Insert it at appropriate position.



Compare C with Sorted zone elements. Insert it at appropriate position.



Compare A with sorted zone elements. Insert it at appropriate position.



Thus we get the sorted list of elements using insertion sort.

**2.8.1.4 Shell Sort**

This method is an improvement over the simple insertion sort. In this method, elements at fixed distance are compared. The distance is fixed amount and again the comparison will be repeated. Let us take some example.

**Example :** If the original file is

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| A | C | D | E | I | N | O |

X array 25 48 37

**Step 1 :** Let us take the distance  $k = 5$

So in the first iteration compare

(x [0], x[5])

(x [1], x [(6)])

(x [2], x[7])

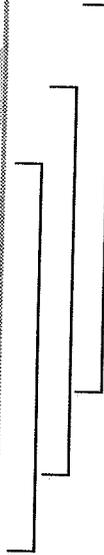
(x[3])

(x[4])

i.e. first iteration

After first iteration,

| x[0] | x[1] | x[2] | x[3] | x[4] | x[5] | x[6] | x[7] |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 25   | 57   | 48   | 37   | 12   | 92   | 86   | 33   |



| x[0] | x[1] | x[2] | x[3] | x[4] | x[5] | x[6] | x[7] |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 25   | 57   | 33   | 37   | 12   | 92   | 86   | 48   |

**Step 2 :**

Initially K was 5. Take some d and decrement K by d. Let us take  $d = 2$

$\therefore K = K - d$  i.e.  $K = 5 - 2 = 3$

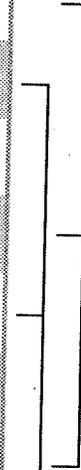
So now compare

(x[0], x[3]), x[6]), (x[1], x[4], x[7])

(x[2], x[5])

Second iteration

| x[0] | x[1] | x[2] | x[3] | x[4] | x[5] | x[6] | x[7] |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 25   | 57   | 33   | 37   | 12   | 92   | 86   | 48   |



After second iteration

| x[0] | x[1] | x[2] | x[3] | x[4] |
|------|------|------|------|------|
| 25   | 12   | 33   | 37   | 48   |

**Step 3 :** Now  $K = K - d \therefore K = 3 - 2 = 1$

So now compare

(x[0], x[1], x[2], x[3], x[4], x[5], x[6], x[7])

This sorting is then done by simple insertion highly efficient on sorted file. So we get

| x[0] | x[1] | x[2] | x[3] | x[4] |
|------|------|------|------|------|
| 12   | 25   | 33   | 37   | 48   |

**C Program**

```

/*****
Program for sorting the list of elements using shell
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <conio.h>
#define MAX 10

int main(void)
{
 void shellsort(int a[], int n);
 void Display(int a[],int n);
 int a[MAX];
 int i,n;
 clrscr();
 printf("\n\t Program for Shell Sort");
 printf("\n Enter total number of elements in an array\n");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\n Enter some elements in array\n");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)

```

```

Display(a,n);
printf("\n");
printf("\nAfter sorting ");
shellsort(a,n);
Display(a,n);
getch();
return 0;
}

void Display(int a[],int n)
{
 int i;
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 {
 printf("%d",a[i]);
 }
}

void shellsort(int a[], int n)
{
 int i,j,d,k,value;
 d=(n+1)/2;
 for(i=d;i>=1;i=i/2)
 {
 for(j=i;j<=n-1;j++)
 {
 value=a[j];
 k=j-i;
 while(k>=0 && value<a[k])
 {
 a[k+i]=a[k];
 k=k-i;
 }
 a[k+i]=value;
 }
 }
}

```

**Output**

Program for Shell Sort

Enter total number of elements in an array 10

Enter some elements in array

10

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

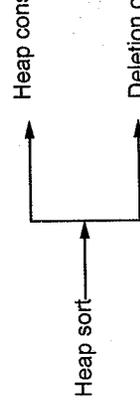
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Before sorting 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

After sorting 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

**2.8.15 Heap Sort**

Heap sort is a sorting method discovered by J. W. J



1. **Heap construction** : First construct a heap for given array.
2. **Deletion of maximum key** : Delete root key always. Hence we will get the elements in implementation of heap, delete the element from the last position in array. Thus after deleting collect these deleted elements in an array starting from the last position.

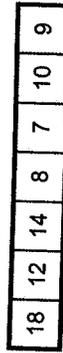
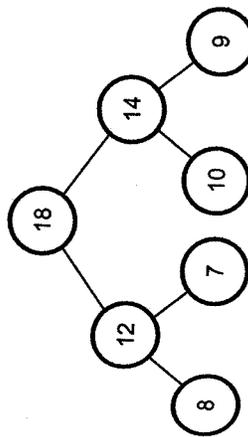
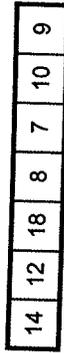
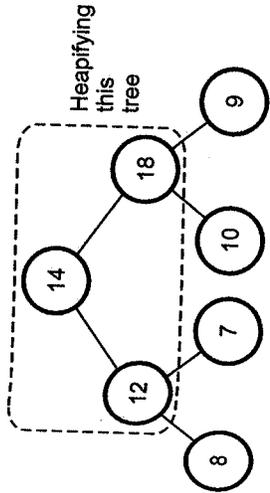
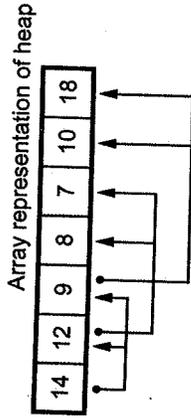
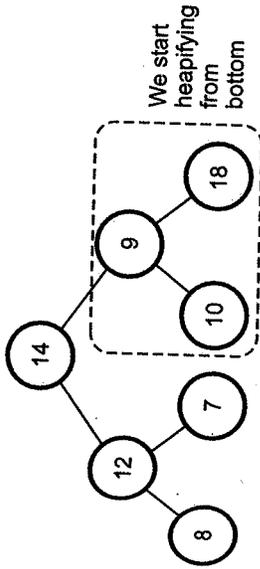
We get a list of elements in a ascending order.

Let us understand this technique with the help of an example.

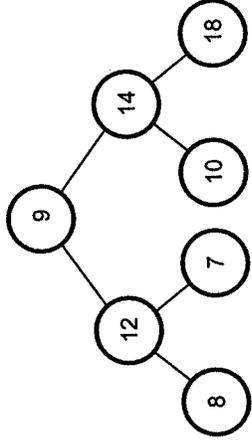
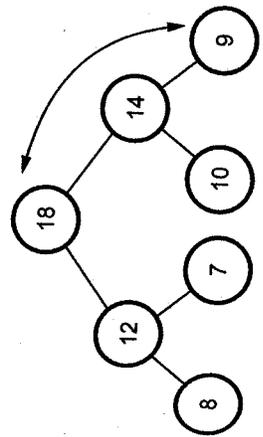
Sort the following elements using heap sort

14, 12, 9, 8, 7, 10, 18.

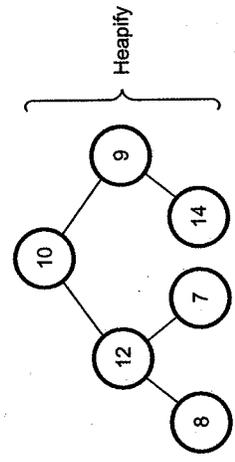
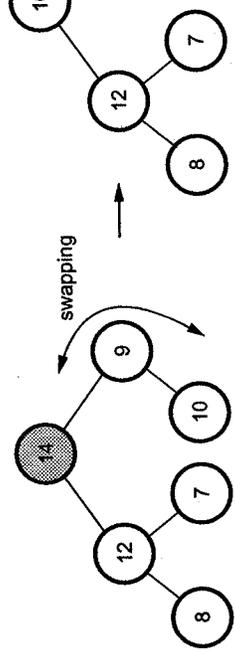
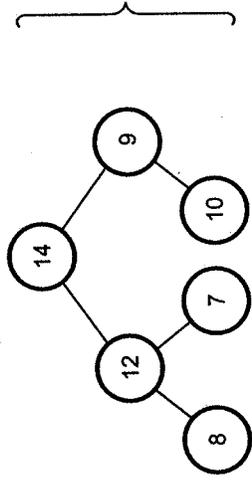
**Stage I : Heap construction**



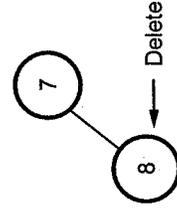
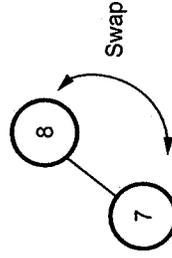
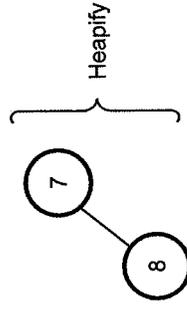
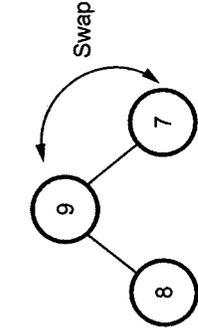
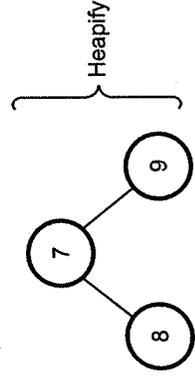
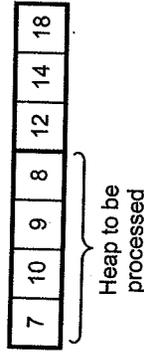
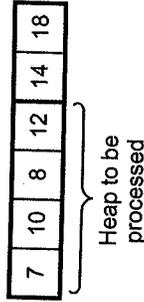
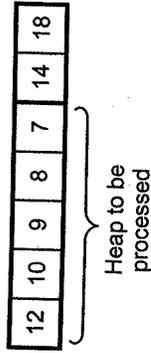
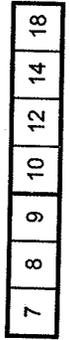
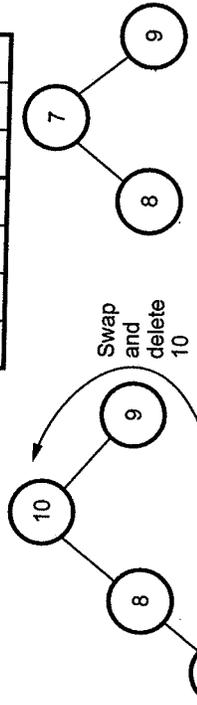
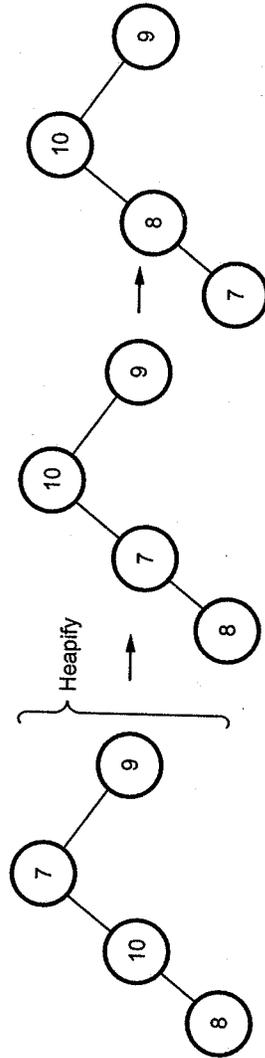
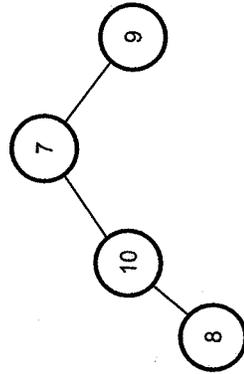
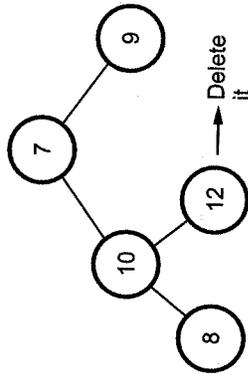
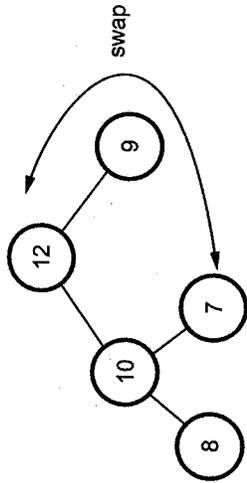
**Stage II : Maximum deletion**



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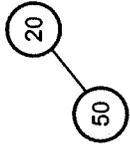
Solution : The heap sorting is done in two stages.

**Stage I : Heap construction**

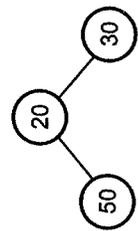
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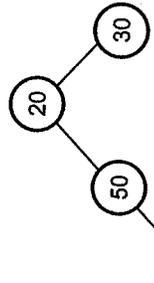
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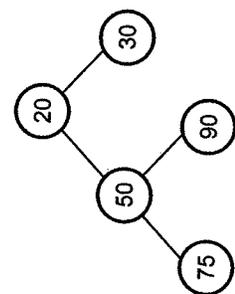
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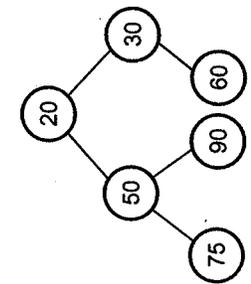
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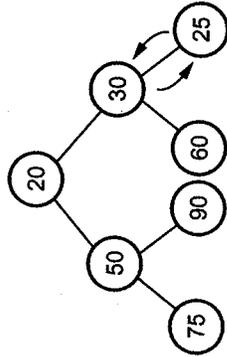
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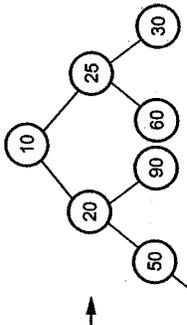
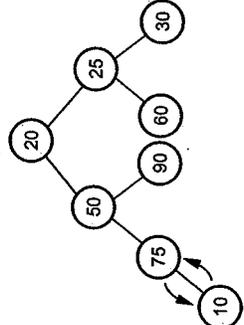
**Step : 6**



**Step : 7**



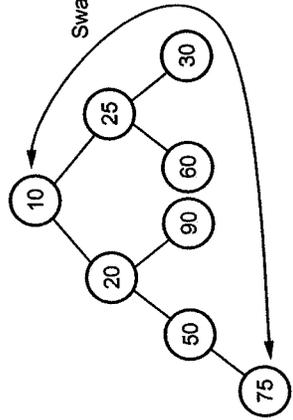
**Step : 8**



**Stage II : Deletion of root**

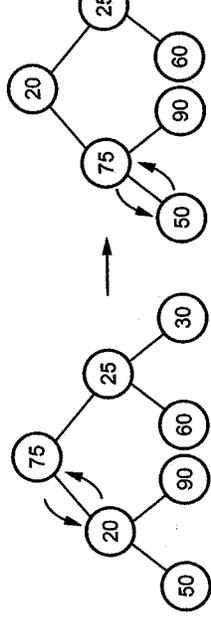
In this stage the root node is deleted and stored property is always maintained.

**Step : 1 a : Deletion**

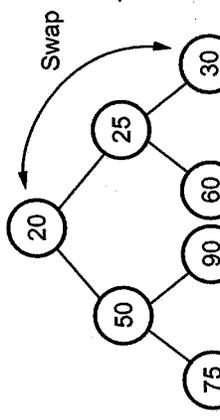


Delete & insert in priority

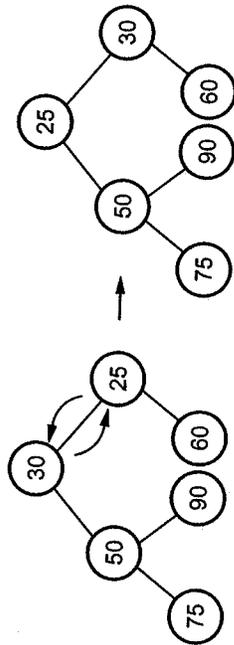
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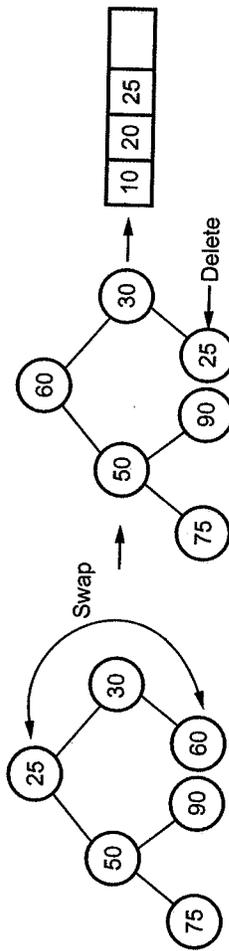
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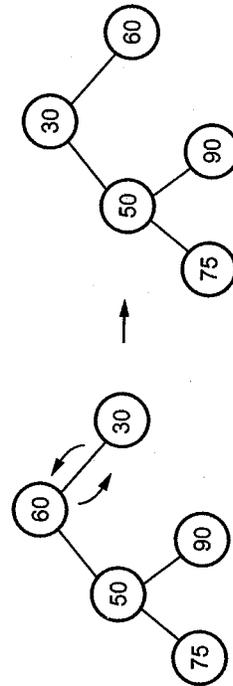
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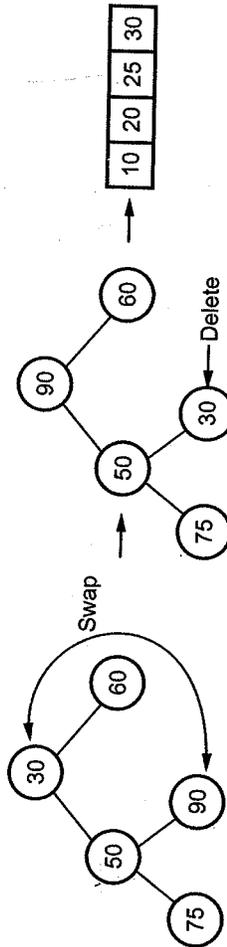
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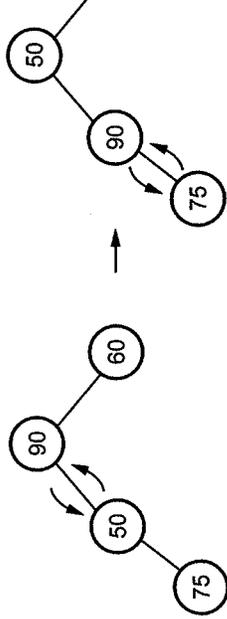
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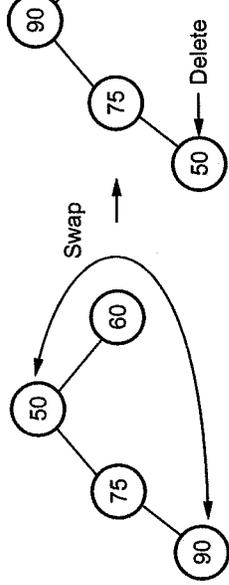
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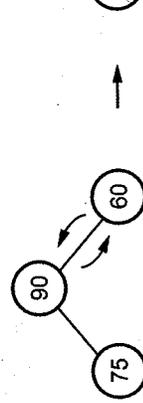
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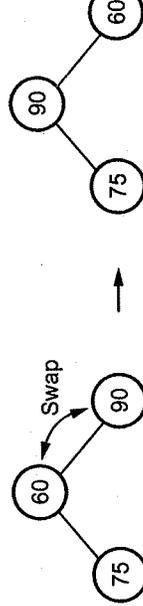
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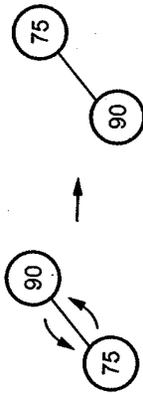
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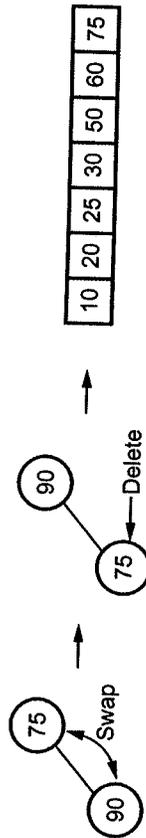
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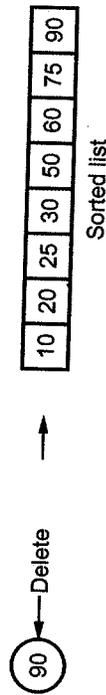
Step : 6 b :



Step : 7 a :



Step : 7 b :



Example 2.8.6 Sort the following numbers using heap sort.

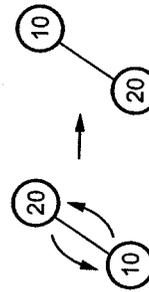
20, 10, 50, 40, 30

Solution : Stage I : Construction of Min heap

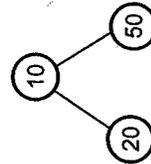
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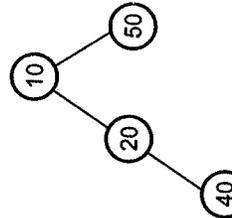
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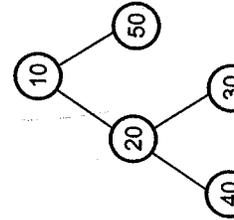
Step 3 :



Step 4 :

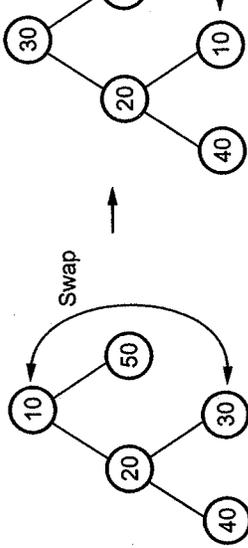


Step 5 :

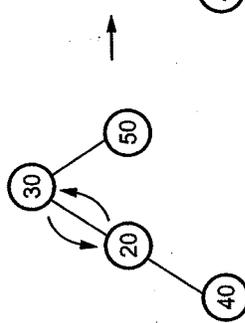


Stage II : Deletion of root

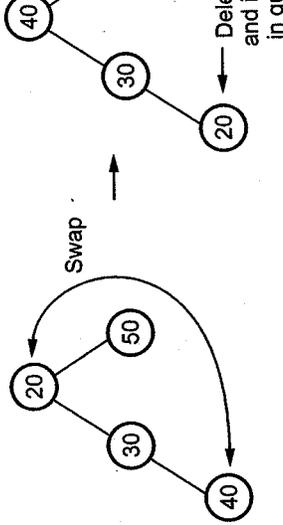
Step 1a :



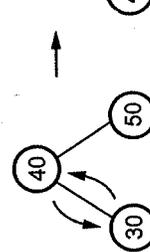
Step 1b : Heapify, for min heap construction



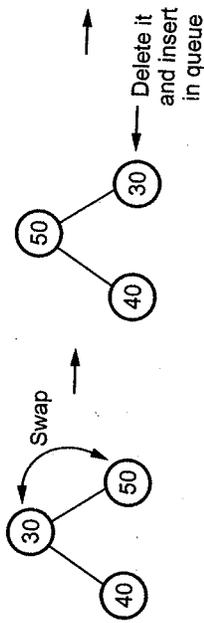
Step 2a : Delete root node



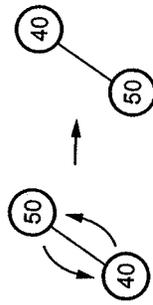
Step 2b : Heapify



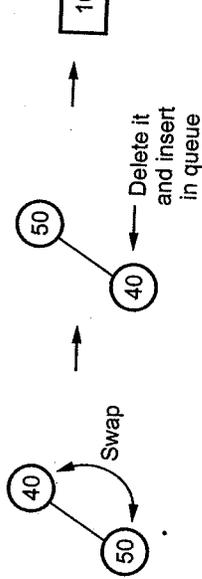
**Step 3a : Delete root node**



**Step 3b : Heapify**



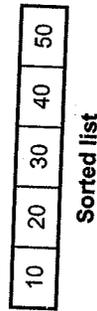
**Step 4a : Delete root**



**Step 4b : Heapify**



**Step 5 : Delete 50 and insert in queue**



**Pseudo code**

```
void delet(int item)
{
 int item, temp;
 if(size == 0)
 printf("Heap is empty");
 else
 {
 //remove the last element and reheapify
 item = H[size--];
 //item is placed at root
 temp = 1;
 child = 2;
 while(child <= size)

```

```
if(child < size && H[child] < H[child+1])
 child++;
if(item >= H[child])
 break;
H[temp] = H[child];
temp = child;
child = child * 2;
} //place the largest item at root
H[temp] = item;
}
```

**Analysis :** Time complexity of heapsort is  $O(\log n)$

**Features of heap sort**

1. The time complexity of heap sort is  $\Theta(n \log n)$
2. This is an in-place sorting algorithm. That means it sorts the elements in the same space.
3. For random input it works slower than quick sort.
4. Heap sort is not a stable sorting method.
5. The space complexity of heap sort is  $O(1)$ . As it sorts in-place.

**'C' Program**

```

This program is for implementing heap sort using

#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <conio.h>
#define MAX 10
void main()
{
 int i, n;
 int arr[MAX];
 void makeheap(int arr[MAX], int n);
 void heapsort(int arr[MAX], int n);
 void display(int arr[MAX], int n);
 clrscr();
 for(i = 0; i < MAX; i++)
 arr[i] = 0;
 printf("\n How many elements you want to insert: ");
 scanf("%d", &n);

```

```

scanf("%d",&arr[i]);
printf("\n The Elements are ...");
display(arr,n);
makeheap(arr,n);
printf("\n Heapified");
display(arr,n);
heapsort(arr,n);
printf("\nElements sorted by Heap sort...");
display(arr,n);
getch();
}

```

```

void makeheap(int arr[MAX],int n)
{

```

```

int i,val,j,father,
for(i=1;i<n;i++)
{

```

```

val=arr[i];
j=i;

```

```

father=(j-1)/2;//finding the parent of node j
while(j>0&&arr[father]<val)//creating a MAX heap
{

```

```

arr[j]=arr[father];//preserving parent dominance
j=father;
father=(j-1)/2;
}
arr[j]=val;
}

```

```

void heapsort(int arr[MAX],int n)
{

```

```

int i,k,temp,j;
for(i=n-1;i>0;i--)
{

```

```

temp=arr[i];
arr[i]=arr[0];
k=0;
if(i==1)
j=-1;
else

```

```

j=1;
if(i>2&&arr[2]>arr[1])
j=2;

```

```

while(j>=0&&temp<arr[j])
{

```

```

arr[k]=arr[j];
k=j;
j=2*k+1;
if(i+1<=n-1)

```

```

if(i>i-1)
j=-1;
}
arr[k]=temp;
}
}
void display(int arr[MAX],int n)
{
int i;
for(i=0;i<n;i++)
printf("\n %d",arr[i]);
}
}

```

### Output

How many elements you want to insert??

Enter the elements14

12

9

8

7

10

18

The Elements are ...

14

12

9

8

7

10

18

Heapified

18

12

14

8

7

9

10

Elements sorted by Heap sort...

7

8

9

10

12

14

**2.8.2 Sorting in Linear Time**

**2.8.2.1 Bucket Sort**

Bucket sort is a sorting technique in which array is partitioned into buckets. Each bucket is then sorted individually, using some other sorting algorithm such as insertion sort.

**Algorithm**

1. Set up an array of initially empty buckets.
2. Put each element in corresponding bucket.
3. Sort each non empty bucket.
4. Visit the buckets in order and put all the elements into a sequence and print them.

**Example 2.8.7**

Sort the elements using bucket sort. 56, 12, 84, 56, 28, 0, -13, 47, 94, 31, 12, -2.

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**Solution :** We will set up an array as follows

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |

Range -20 to 0 to 10 to 20 to 30 to 40 to 50 to 60 to 70 to 80 to 90 to 100  
-1

Now we will fill up each bucket by corresponding elements

|     |   |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |   |    |
|-----|---|----|----|----|----|----|---|----|---|----|
| 0   | 1 | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7 | 8  | 9 | 10 |
| -13 | 0 | 12 | 28 | 31 | 47 | 56 |   |    |   |    |
| -2  |   | 12 |    |    |    | 56 |   | 84 |   | 94 |

Now sort each bucket

|     |   |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |   |    |
|-----|---|----|----|----|----|----|---|----|---|----|
| 0   | 1 | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7 | 8  | 9 | 10 |
| -13 | 0 | 12 | 28 | 31 | 47 | 56 |   |    |   |    |
| -2  |   | 12 |    |    |    | 56 |   | 84 |   | 94 |

Print the array by visiting each bucket sequentially.

-13, -2, 0, 12, 28, 31, 47, 56, 56, 84, 94.

This is the sorted list.

**Example 2.8.8** Sort the following elements in ascending passes 121, 235, 55, 973, 327, 179

**Solution :** We will set up an array as follows -

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|

|          |            |            |            |            |            |
|----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 0 to 100 | 100 to 200 | 200 to 300 | 300 to 400 | 400 to 500 | 500 to 600 |
|----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|

Now we will fill up each bucket by corresponding

|    |      |     |     |  |  |
|----|------|-----|-----|--|--|
| 55 | 121, | 235 | 237 |  |  |
|    | 179  |     |     |  |  |

|          |            |            |            |            |            |
|----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 0 to 100 | 100 to 200 | 200 to 300 | 300 to 400 | 400 to 500 | 500 to 600 |
|----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|

Now visit each bucket and sort it individually.

Finally read each element of the bucket and place it from array b are printed to display the sorted list

|    |     |     |     |     |     |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 55 | 121 | 121 | 179 | 235 | 235 |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|

**Pseudo Code**

void bucketsort(int a[],int n,int max )

```

{
 int i,j=0;
 //initialize each bucket 0 and thus indicates bucket to 1
 int *buckets=calloc(max+1,sizeof(int));
 //place Each element from unsorted array in each corre
 for(int i=0;i<n;i++)
 buckets[a[i]]++;
 //sort each bucket individually
 // Sequentially empty each bucket in some array
 for(i=0;i<max;i++)
 while(buckets[i]--)
 b[j++]|=i;
 //display the array b as sorted list of elements
}

```

**Drawbacks**

1. For bucket sort the maximum value of the elements must be known.
2. We must have to create enough buckets in the array.

**Analysis**

The best case, worst case and average case time complexity of this algorithm is  $O(n)$

**2.8.2.2 Radix Sort**

In this method sorting can be done digit by digit and thus all the elements can be sorted.

**Example for Radix sort**

Consider the unsorted array of 8 elements.

45 37 05 09 06 11 18 27

**Step 1 :** Now sort the element according to the last digit.

| Last digit | 0 | 1  | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5      | 6  | 7      | 8  | 9  |
|------------|---|----|---|---|---|--------|----|--------|----|----|
| Elements   |   | 11 |   |   |   | 45, 05 | 06 | 37, 27 | 18 | 09 |

Now sort this number

| Last digit | Element |
|------------|---------|
| 0          |         |
| 1          | 11      |
| 2          |         |
| 3          |         |
| 4          |         |
| 5          | 05, 45  |
| 6          | 06      |
| 7          | 27, 37  |
| 8          | 18      |
| 9          | 09      |

**Step 2 :** Now sort the above array with the help of

| Second last digit | Element |
|-------------------|---------|
| 0                 | 05,     |
| 1                 | 11      |
| 2                 |         |
| 3                 |         |
| 4                 |         |
| 5                 |         |
| 6                 |         |
| 7                 |         |
| 8                 |         |
| 9                 |         |

Since the list of element is of two digit that is whatever list we have got (shown in above array) is sorted list by radix sort method will be

05 06 09 11 18

**Algorithm :**

1. Read the total number of elements in the array
2. Store the unsorted elements in the array.
3. Now the simple procedure is to sort the elements
4. Sort the elements according to the last digit then
5. Thus the elements should be sorted for up to
6. Store the sorted element in the array and print
7. Stop.

**'C' Program**

Program for sorting the elements by radix sort



**Step 6 :**

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| A | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| C | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |

Read A[6] which is 3. Hence increment C[3] by

**Step 7 :**

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| A | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| C | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

Read A[7] which is 4. Hence increment C[4] by

**Step 8 :**

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| A | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| C | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

Read A[8] which is 8. Hence increment C[6] by

**Step 9 :**

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| A | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| C | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

**Step 2 :**

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| A | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 1  | 3  |
| C | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |   |    |    |

Now we will read A[2] which is 0. Then just incremented the value at location 0 in array C. Hence we have now C[0] = 1

**Step 3 :**

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| A | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 1  | 3  |
| C | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |   |    |    |

Now read A[3] which is 2. Hence increment C[2] by 1.

**Step 4 :**

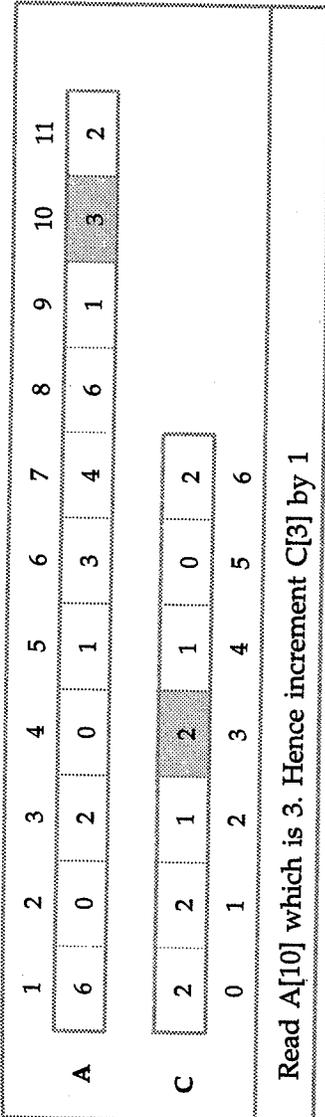
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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| A | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 1  | 3  |
| C | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |   |    |    |

Read A[4] which is 0. Hence increment C[0] by 1

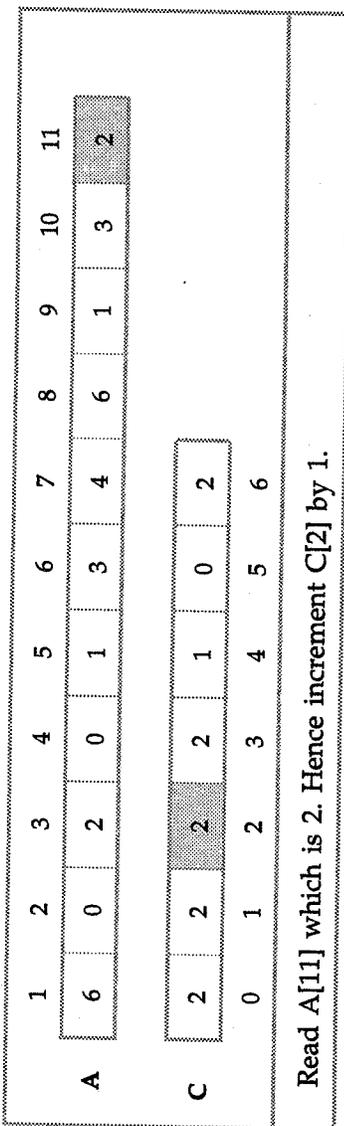
**Step 5 :**

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| A | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 1  | 3  |
| C | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |   |    |    |

**Step 10 :**



**Step 11 :**



Thus now we get array A and C ready for further processing. Now we will start reading C array from 1 to 6 and update the array elements by the following formula

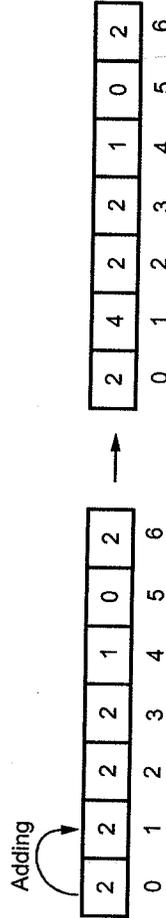
$$C[i] = C[i] + C[i - 1]$$

$$\therefore C[1] = C[1] + C[0]$$

$$\therefore C[1] = 2 + 2 = 4$$

Continuing in this fashion we can update the values in C array.

**Step 12 :** Following is a C array.

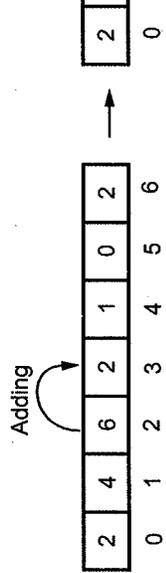


**Step 13 :**

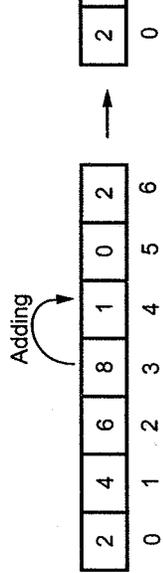


Pointing this location to store 2

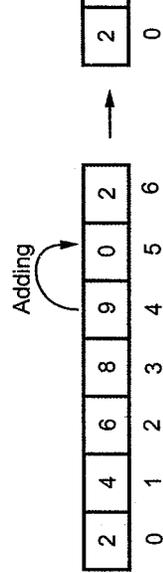
**Step 14 :**



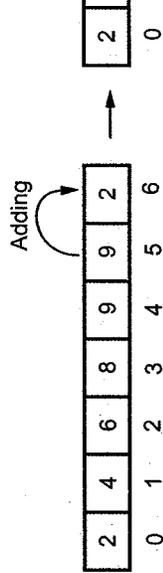
**Step 15 :**



**Step 16 :**

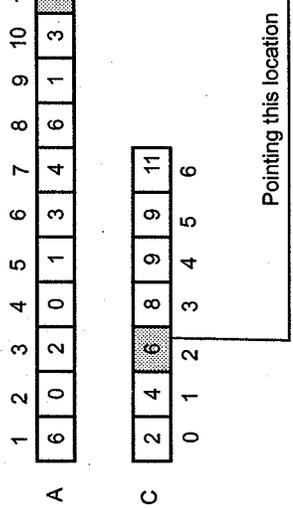


**Step 17 :**



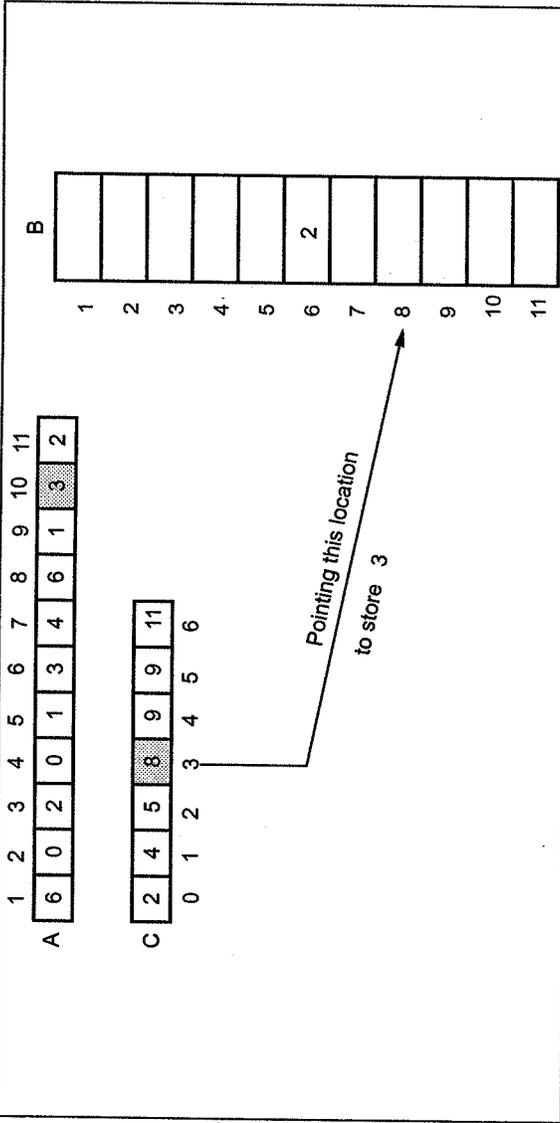
Now we have an array C which denotes the position. Now start reading array A from the end.

**Step 18 :**



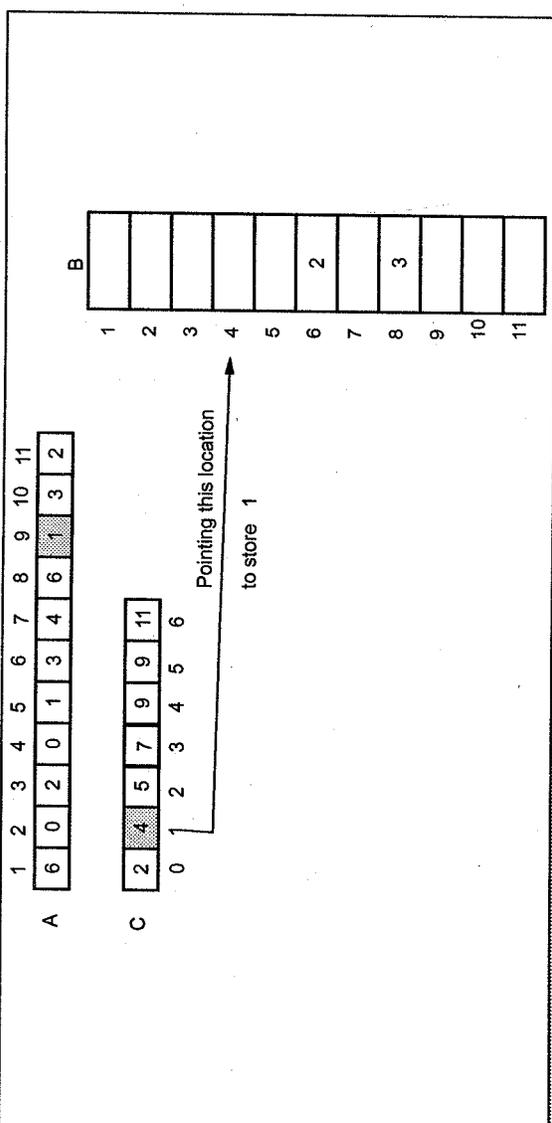
In step 18, we read array A[11]. The number is 2. Then located the position of element 2 in C[2] which is 6. That means store element 2 at B[6]. And then decrement C[2] by 1.

**Step 19 :**

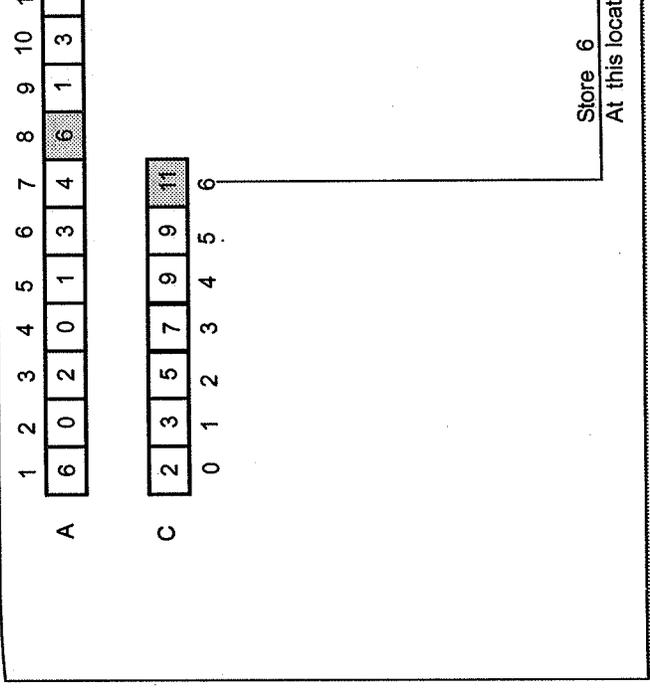


Read A[10] which indicates element 3. Now refer C[3] which denotes 8th location in array B to store element 3. After inserting 3 at B[8] decrement C[3] by 1

**Step 20 :**

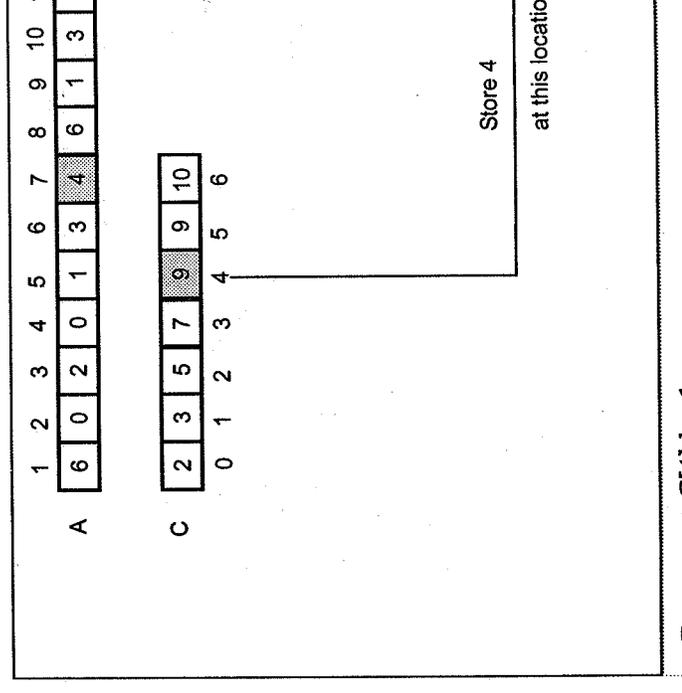


**Step 21 :**



Decrement C[6] by 1

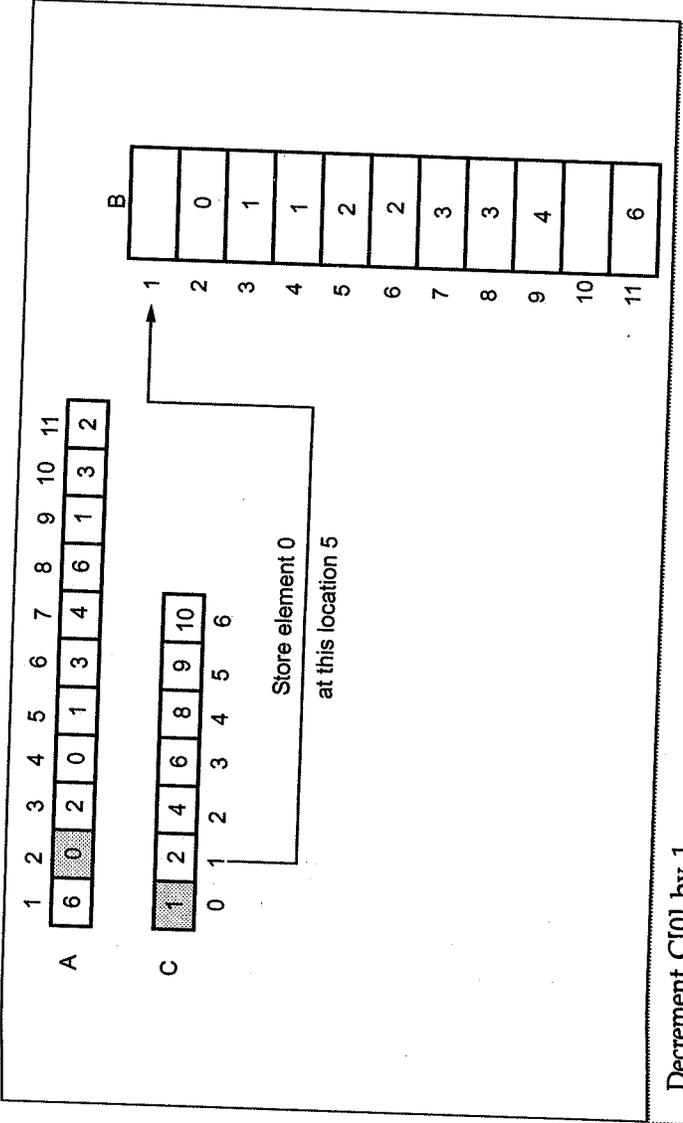
**Step 22 :**



Decrement C[4] by 1

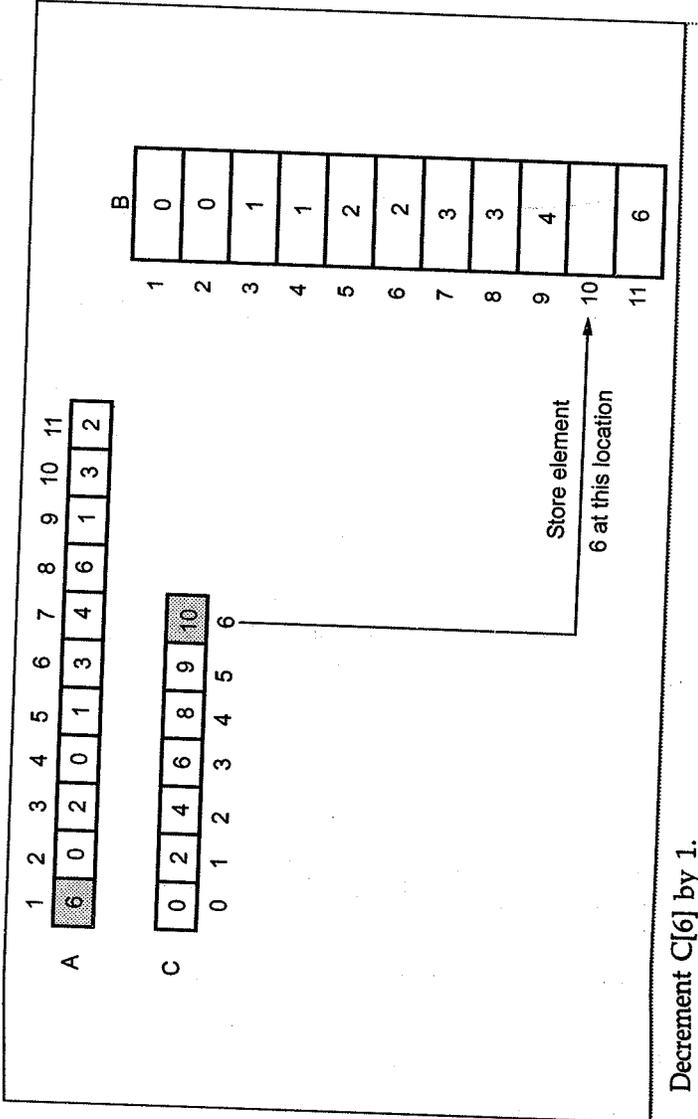


**Step 27 :**



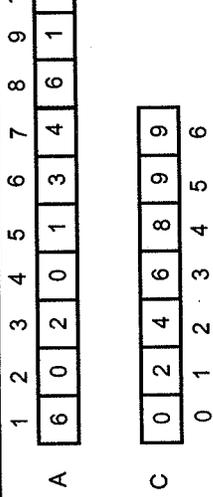
Decrement C[0] by 1.

**Step 28 :**



Decrement C[6] by 1.

**Step 29 :**

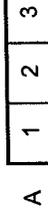


Thus we get stored list in B array.

**Example 2.8.10** Apply counting sort for the following

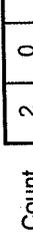
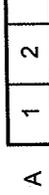
4, 1, 3, 1, 3.

**Solution : Step 1 :** We will find the min and max and max = 4.

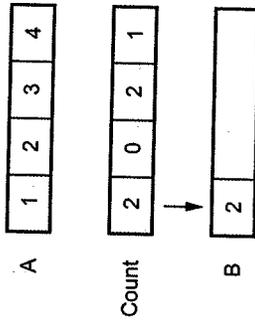


Hence create an array A from 1 to 4.

Now create another array named count. Just create element and store that count in count array at element 1 appeared twice, element 2 is not present, element 4 appeared once.

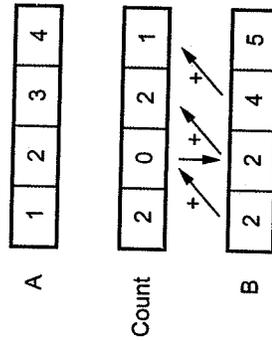


**Step 2 :** Now we will create another array B in which we will store sum of counts for given index.

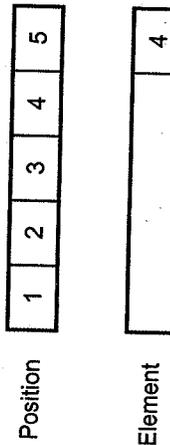
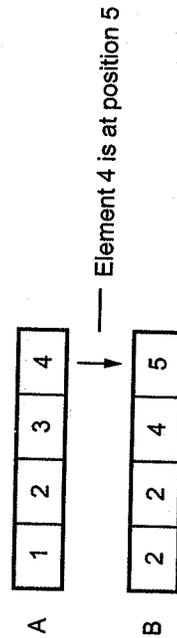


Simply copy first index value of count array to B.

For filling up rest of the elements to B array copy the sum of previous index value of B with current index value of count array.



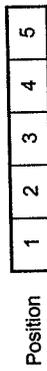
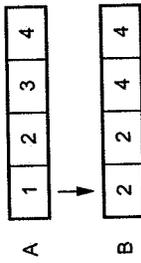
**Step 3 :** Now consider array A and B for creating two more arrays namely **Position** and **Element**.



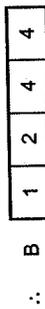
**Step1:** Read element 4, its position is indicated as 5 in array B. hence copy 4 at index 5 in array Element

**Step2:** Decrement

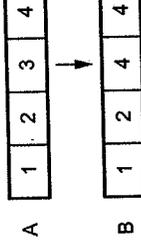
**Step 4 :** Next element is 1. The position of it is 2.



Now decrement 2 in array B by 1



**Step 5 :** Next element is 3. The position of it is 4 in



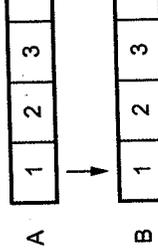
Position

Element

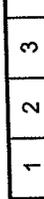
Now decrement 4 in array B by



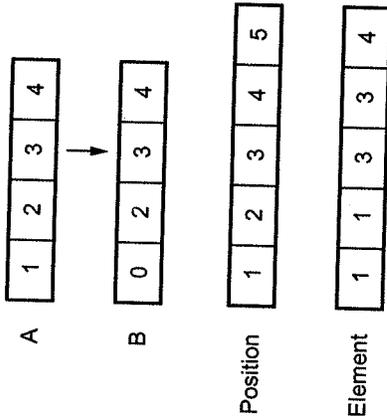
**Step 6 :** Next element is 1. The position of it in an



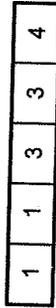
Position



**Step 7 :** Next element is 3. In array B its position is 3.



**Step 8 :** Thus we get sorted list in array Element as



### Algorithm

```
Algorithm counting_sort (A[1.....n], B[1.....n], k)
```

```
{
// Problem Description: This algorithm sorts the
// elements using counting sort method.
// Input : Array A holds unsorted elements
// Array B will contain sorted elements
// after applying sorting method
// Array K will be maximum range of input
// Output: Array B will have sorted list of elements
for i ← 0 to k do
 C[i] ← 0
for j ← 1 to length [A] do
 C[A[j]] ← C[A[j]] + 1
for i ← 1 to k do
 C[i] ← C[i] + C[i - 1] // C[i] will have positions
for j ← length [A] down to 1 do // reverse reading of A
 B[C[A[j]]] ← A[j]
 C[A[j]] ← C[A[j]] - 1 // decrementing current C value.
}
```

### Analysis :

The time complexity of each important statement

1) for i ← 0 to k do

C[i] ← 0

Θ (k)

2) for j ← 1 to length [A] do

C[A[j]] ← C[A[j]] + 1

Θ (n)

3) for i ← 1 to k do

C[i] ← C[i] + C[i - 1]

Θ (k)

4) for j ← length [A] down to 1 do

B[C[A[j]]] ← A[j]

Θ (n)

Hence total running time required by this algorithm

### Review Questions

1. Write a program/algorithm of selection sort method. V  
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2. Explain bubble sort algorithm. Derive the algorithm average case analysis.
3. Write an algorithm for insertion sort.  
Analyze insertion sort algorithm for best case and worst case time complexity.
4. Explain an algorithm for selection sort algorithm. Derive its time complexity.

## 2.9 University Questions with Answers

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Winter - 201

- Q.1** What is an algorithm ? Explain various properties of an algorithm. [Refer section 2.2]
- Q.2** What do you mean by asymptotic notations O, Θ, Ω, ω, Ω?
- Q.3** Write a program/algorithm of selection sort algorithm. [Refer section 2.8]

**Q.5** What is an amortized analysis ? Explain aggregate method of amortized analysis using suitable example. [Refer section 2.7] [7]

Winter - 2011

**Q.6** Answer the following : Explain asymptotic analysis of algorithm. [Refer section 2.4] [3]

Summer - 2012

**Q.7** Explain why analysis of algorithms is important ? Explain : Worst case best case and average case complexity [Refer section 2.2] [4]

**Q.8** Define : Big Oh, Big Omega and Big Theta notation. [Refer section 2.4] [3]

**Q.9** What is Recursion ? Give the implementation of Tower of Hanoi problem using recursion. [Refer section 2.6] [3]

**Q.10** Write a program/algorithm of selection sort method. What is complexity of the method ? [Refer section 2.8] [3]

Winter - 2012

**Q.11** Explain why analysis of algorithms is important ? [Refer section 2.1] [7]

**Q.12** Explain : worst case, best case and average case complexity. [Refer section 2.2] [7]

Summer - 2013

**Q.13** Explain all asymptotic notations used in algorithm analysis. [Refer section 2.4] [6]

Summer - 2014

**Q.14** Why do we use asymptotic notations in the study of algorithms ? Briefly describe the commonly used asymptotic notations. [Refer section 2.4] [6]

Winter - 2014

**Q.15** Explain all asymptotic notations used in algorithm analysis. [Refer section 2.4] [6]

**Q.16** What is an amortized analysis ? Explain aggregate method of amortized analysis using suitable example. [Refer section 2.7] [7]

**Q.17** What is an amortized analysis ? Explain potential method of amortized analysis using suitable example. [Refer section 2.7] [7]

Summer - 2011

**Q.19** Write an algorithm for insertion sort. Analyze its best, average and worst case. [Refer section 2.8]

**Q.20** Define an amortized analysis. Briefly explain aggregate analysis for the problem of implementing a queue using two stacks. [Refer section 2.7]

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Winter - 2015

**Q.21** Explain an algorithm for selection sort algorithm and analyze its best, average and worst case time complexity. [Refer section 2.8]

Summer - 2011

**Q.22** Define big omega asymptotic notation. [Refer section 2.8]

**Q.23** List types of algorithms. [Refer section 2.8]

**Q.24** Apply the bubble sort algorithm for sorting the array [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]. [Refer example 2.8.2]

**Q.25** Solve the following recurrence relation using master method. [Refer example 2.5.17]

Winter - 2017

**Q.26** Solve the following recurrence relation using the substitution method. Here  $T(1) = 1$ . [Refer example 2.5.8]

**Q.27** Define an algorithm. List various criteria used to evaluate an algorithm. [Refer section 2.1]

**Q.28** What is the smallest value of  $n$  such that an algorithm whose running time is  $O(n^2)$  runs faster than an algorithm whose running time is  $O(n \log n)$ ? [Refer example 2.4.5]

**Q.29** What do you mean by asymptotic notations used for algorithm analysis?

**Q.30** Let  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  be asymptotically non-negative functions. Prove that  $\max(f(n), g(n))$  is  $\Theta(\max(f(n), g(n)))$ .

**Q.31** Define amortized analysis. Briefly explain its two techniques. [Refer section 2.7] [3]

Summer - 2018

**Q.32** Prove or disprove that  $f(n) = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n \in \Theta(n^2)$ . [Refer example 2.4.19] [4]

**Q.33** Solve following recurrence using recursion tree method:

$$T(n) = 3T(n/3) + n^3. \text{ [Refer example 2.5.19]} \quad [4]$$

**Q.34** Which are the basic steps of counting sort? Write counting sort algorithm. Derive its time complexity in worst case. [Refer section 2.8.2.3] [7]

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**Q.35** Explain tower of Hanoi problem, Derive its recursion equation and compute its time complexity. [Refer example 2.6.7] [3]

**Q.36** Analyze selection sort algorithm in best case and worst case. [Refer section 2.8.1.2] [7]

## 2.10 Short Questions and Answers

**Q.1** Mention the ways to specify the efficiency of algorithm.

Ans.: Time complexity and space complexity is used to specify the efficiency of algorithm.

**Q.2** What is frequency count?

Ans.: The frequency count is a count that denotes how many times particular statement is executed.

**Q.3** What is best case time complexity?

Ans.: If an algorithm takes minimum amount of time to run to completion for a specific set of input then it is called best case time complexity.

**Q.4** What is worst case time complexity?

Ans.: Worst case time complexity is a time complexity when algorithm runs for a longest time.

**Q.5** What are elementary operations?

Ans.: Elementary operations are those operations whose execution time is bounded by a constant which depends upon the type of implementation used. The elementary

Ans.: Asymptotic notation is a shorthand way to represent various notations such as  $\Omega$ ,  $\Theta$ ,  $O$ .

**Q.7** What does the omega notation represent?

Ans.: The omega notation represents the lower bound.

**Q.8** What does the big oh notation represent?

Ans.: The big oh notation represents the upper bound.

**Q.9** What is order of growth?

Ans.: Measuring the performance of an algorithm is called order of growth.

**Q.10** What is recurrence relation?

Ans.: The recurrence relation is denoted by an equation defined recursively.

For example

$$T(n) = T(n-1) + n \text{ for } n > 0$$

$$T(0) = 0$$

**Q.11** What are different methods used to solve the recurrence relation?

Ans.: 1. Substitution method 2. Master's method

**Q.12** If  $F(n)$  is  $\Theta(n^d)$  where  $d >= 0$  in the recurrence relation, what is the value of  $T(n)$ ?

Ans.:  $T(n) = \Theta(n^d)$

**Q.13** Give the recurrence relation for Fibonacci sequence.

Ans.:  $T(n) = 2 + T(n-1) + T(n-2)$

**Q.14** What is amortized analysis?

Ans.: An amortized analysis means finding average worst case sequence of operations.

**Q.15** List out the commonly used techniques for amortized analysis.

Ans.: The commonly used techniques for amortized analysis are:  
1. Aggregate analysis 2. Accounting method 3. Aggregate analysis

**Q.16** List out the problems that can be solved by amortized analysis.

Ans.: 1. Sorting 2. Searching 3. Matrix multiplication 4. Combinatorial Problems 5. Matrix multiplication

**Q.17** What is in-place sorting algorithm?

**Ans. :** The in-place sorting algorithm is an algorithm in which the input is overwritten by output and to execute the sorting method it does not require any more additional space.

**Q.18** What is the time complexity of heap sort ?

**Ans. :** The time complexity of heap sort is  $O(\log n)$ .



# 3

## Divide and Conquer

### Syllabus

*Introduction, Recurrence and different methods to solve a problem, Problem solving using divide and conquer algorithm (Merge sort, Quick sort), Matrix multiplication,*

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### 3.1 Introduction

This chapter describes a very interesting algorithmic strategy called divide and conquer. As the name suggests in this strategy the big problem is broken down into smaller sub problems and solution to these sub problems is obtained. To understand this strategy we will discuss various applications such as binary search, merge sort, quick sort, matrix multiplication. The time complexities of these applications are also discussed along with the method.

### 3.2 General Method

- In divide and conquer method, a given problem is,
  - Divided into smaller sub problems.
  - These sub problems are solved independently.
  - Combining all the solutions of sub problems into a solution of the whole.
- If the sub problems are large enough then divide and conquer is reapplied.
- The generated sub problems are usually of same type as the original problem. Hence recursive algorithms are used in divided and conquer strategy.
- A control abstraction for divide and conquer is as given below - using control abstraction a flow of control of a procedure is given.

```

Algorithm DC(P)
{
 if P is too small then
 return solution of P.
 else
 {
 Divide (P) and obtain P1, P2, ..., Pn
 where n ≥ 1
 Apply DC to each subproblem
 return combine (DC(P1), DC(P2), ... (DC(Pn)));
 }
}

```

- The computing time of above procedure of divide and conquer is given by the recurrence relation.

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} g(n) & \text{if } n \text{ is small} \\ T(n_1) + T(n_2) + \dots + T(n_r) + F(n) & \text{when } n \text{ is sufficiently large} \end{cases}$$

Where  $T(n)$  is the time for divide and conquer of size  $n$ . The  $g(n)$  is the computing time required to solve small inputs. The  $F(n)$  is the time required in dividing problem  $P$  and combining the solutions to sub problems. Let us now discuss some applications of this method.

The divide and conquer technique is as shown b

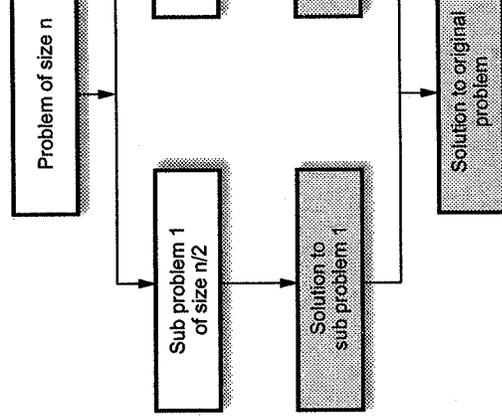


Fig. 3.2.1 Divide and conquer

The generated sub problems are usually of same type as the original problem. Sometimes recursive algorithms are used in divide and conquer. For example, if we want to compute sum of  $n$  numbers, we can solve the problem as

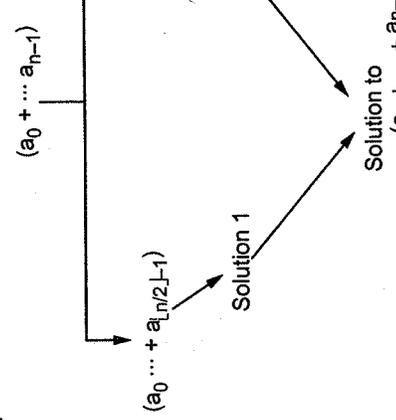


Fig. 3.2.2

### 3.2.1 Efficiency Analysis of Divide and Conquer

Let recurrence relation be

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$$

Consider  $a \geq 1$  and  $b \geq 2$ . Assume  $n = b^k$ , where  $k$  is an integer.

$$= a \underbrace{T(b^{k-1})}_{f(b^k)} + f(b^k)$$

$$= a [aT(b^{k-2}) + f(b^{k-1})] + f(b^k)$$

$$= a^2 T(b^{k-2}) + af(b^{k-1}) + f(b^k)$$

Now substituting  $T(b^{k-2})$  by using back substitution,

$$= a^2 [aT(b^{k-3}) + f(b^{k-2})] + af(b^{k-1}) + f(b^k)$$

$$= a^3 T(b^{k-3}) + a^2 f(b^{k-2}) + af(b^{k-1}) + f(b^k)$$

Continuing in this fashion we get,

$$= a^k T(b^{k-k}) + a^{k-1} f(b^1) + a^{k-2} f(b^2) + \dots + a^0 f(b^k)$$

$$= [a^k T(1) + a^{k-1} f(b) + a^{k-2} f(b^2) + \dots + a^0 f(b^k)]$$

This can also be written as,

$$= a^k T(1) + \frac{a^k}{a} f(b) + \frac{a^k}{a^2} f(b^2) + \dots + \frac{a^k}{a^k} f(b^k)$$

Taking  $a^k$  as common factor

$$= a^k \left[ T(1) + \frac{f(b)}{a} + \frac{f(b^2)}{a^2} + \dots + \frac{f(b^k)}{a^k} \right]$$

$$= a^k \left[ T(1) + \sum_{j=1}^k \frac{f(b^j)}{a^j} \right]$$

By property of logarithm,

$$a^{\log_b x} = x^{\log_b a}$$

Hence we can write  $a^k$  as

$$a^k = a^{\log_b^n} = n^{\log_b a}$$

We can rewrite the equation

$$T(n) = a^k \left[ T(1) + \sum_{j=1}^k \frac{f(b^j)}{a^j} \right]$$

$$T(n) = n^{\log_b a} \left[ T(1) + \sum_{j=1}^{\log_b n} f(b^j) \right]$$

Thus order of growth of  $T(n)$  depends upon value of growth of function  $f(n)$ .

### 3.3 Problem Solving using Divide and Conquer

Various problems that can be solved using divide and conquer are:

1. Binary Search
2. Quick Sort
3. Merge Sort
4. Matrix Multiplication
5. Exponential.

#### Review Question

1. Explain the general method for divide and conquer algorithm using the recurrence relation.

### 3.4 Multiplying Large Integers Problem

We are familiar with the multiplication performed by the method of multiplying two numbers has taken. This method of multiplying two numbers has taken multiply the multiplicand by each digit of multiplier and shifted results. This method is also called grade-school method.

For example :

$$\begin{array}{r} 42 \\ \times 34 \\ \hline 168 \\ + 1260 \\ \hline 1428 \end{array}$$

But this method is not convenient for performing multiplication of large integers. Hence let us discuss an interesting algorithm for multiplying large integers. For example : Consider multiplication of two integers.

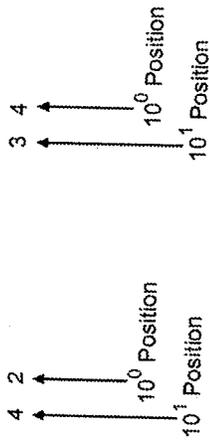


Fig. 3.4.1

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{i.e. } 42 \times 34 &= (4 \times 10^1 + 2 \times 10^0) * (3 \times 10^1 + 4 \times 10^0) \\
 &= (4 \times 3) 10^2 + (4 \times 4 + 2 \times 3) 10^1 + (2 \times 4) 10^0 \\
 &= 1200 + 220 + 8 \\
 &= 1428
 \end{aligned}$$

Let us formulate this method -

Let,  $c = a * b$

$$c = c_2 10^2 + c_1 10^1 + c_0 \quad \dots (3.4.1)$$

where

$$c_2 = a_1 * b_1$$

$$c_0 = a_0 * b_0$$

$$c_1 = (a_1 + a_0) * (b_1 + b_0) - (c_2 + c_0)$$

The 2 digit numbers are

$$a = a_1 a_0$$

$$b = b_1 b_0$$

Let perform multiplication operation with the help of formula given in equation (3.4.1).

$$\begin{aligned}
 c &= a * b \\
 &= 42 \times 34
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{where } a_1 &= 4, a_0 = 2 \\
 b_1 &= 3, b_0 = 4
 \end{aligned}$$

Let us obtain  $c_0, c_1, c_2$  values

$$c_2 = a_1 * b_1$$

$$= 4 * 3$$

$$c_2 = 12$$

$$c_0 = a_0 * b_0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 c_1 &= (a_1 + a_0) * (b_1 + b_0) - (c_2 + c_0) \\
 &= (4 + 2) * (3 + 4) - (12 + 8) \\
 &= 6 * 7 - 20
 \end{aligned}$$

$$c_1 = 22$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore a * b &= c_2 10^2 + c_1 10^1 + c_0 \\
 &= 12 * 10^2 + 22 * 10^1 + 8 \\
 &= 1200 + 220 + 8 \\
 a * b &= 1428
 \end{aligned}$$

Consider a multiplication of  $981 * 1234$ , as  $981$  is a four digit number, we pad it with a zero to it. Now  $0981$  is a four digit value.

We will write

$$\begin{aligned}
 c &= a * b \\
 &= 0981 * 1234
 \end{aligned}$$

Divide the numbers in equal halves.

$$\therefore a_1 = 09 \quad a_0 = 81$$

$$b_1 = 12 \quad b_0 = 34$$

Let us obtain  $c_0, c_1, c_2$  Values

$$\begin{aligned}
 c_2 &= a_1 * b_1 \\
 &= 09 * 12
 \end{aligned}$$

$$c_2 = 108$$

$$c_0 = a_0 * b_0$$

$$= 81 * 34$$

$$c_0 = 2754$$

$$c_1 = (a_1 + a_0) * (b_1 + b_0) - (c_2 + c_0)$$

$$= (9 + 81) * (12 + 34) - (108 + 2754)$$

$$= 4140 - 2862$$

$$c_1 = 1278$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore a * b &= c_2 10^4 + c_1 10^2 + c_0 \\ &= 108 * 10000 + 1278 * 100 + 2754 \\ &= 1080000 + 127800 + 2754 \end{aligned}$$

$$0981 * 1234 = 1210554$$

We can generalize this formula as -

$$c = a * b$$

$$c = c_2 10^n + c_1 10^{n/2} + c_0$$

where, n is total number of digits in the integer

$$c_2 = a_1 * b_1$$

$$c_0 = a_0 * b_0$$

$$c_1 = (a_1 + a_0) * (b_1 + b_0) - (c_2 + c_0)$$

Clearly, this algorithm can be implemented using recursion. This recursion can be stopped when n reaches to 0.

**Example 3.4.1** What is divide and conquer technique ? Apply this method to find multiplication on integers 2101 and 1130.

**Solution :** Refer section 3.2.

We will write

$$\begin{aligned} c &= a * b \\ &= 2101 * 1130 \end{aligned}$$

Divide the numbers in equal halves.

$$\therefore a_1 = 21, a_0 = 01$$

$$b_1 = 11, b_0 = 30$$

Let us obtain  $c_0, c_1, c_2$  values

$$c_2 = a_1 * b_1$$

$$= 21 * 11$$

$$c_2 = 231$$

$$c_0 = a_0 * b_0$$

$$= 01 * 30$$

$$c_0 = 30$$

$$c_1 = (a_1 + a_0) * (b_1 + b_0) - (c_2 + c_0)$$

$$= (22 * 41) - 261$$

$$c_1 = 641$$

$$a * b = c_2 10^4 + c_1 10^2 + c_0$$

$$= 231 * 10^4 + 641 * 10^2 + 30$$

$$= 2374130$$

### Analysis

In this method there are 3 multiplication operations

$$\text{i.e. } c_2 = a_1 * b_1$$

Multiplication 1

$$c_0 = a_0 * b_0$$

Multiplication 2

$$c_1 = (a_1 + a_0) * (b_1 + b_0) - (c_2 + c_0)$$

Multiplication 3

This is the case for two digit multiplication. Now then multiplication of n digits requires 3 multiplication recurrence relation can be given as -

$$C(n) = 3 C(n/2)$$

$$\text{And } C(n) = 1$$

Now put  $n = 2^k$  in equation (1) we get,

$$C(2^k) = 3 C(2^{k-1})$$

$$C(2^k) = 3 C(2^{k-1})$$

$$= 3 [3 C(2^{k-2})]$$

$$= 3 [3 (3 C(2^{k-3}))]$$

$$= 3^k (C(2^{k-k}))$$

$$= 3^k (C(2^0))$$

$$= 3^k (C(2^0))$$

Using equation (2),  $C(1) = 1$

$\therefore C(2^k) = 3^k$  ... (3)

As  $n = 2^k$  we get  $k = \log_2 n$ , equation (3) becomes

$$C(n) = 3 \log_2 n = n \log_2 3$$

$$C(n) \approx n^{1.58}$$

**Review Questions**

1. Explain how multiplication of large integers can be done efficiently by using divide and conquer technique?
2. Explain how divide and conquer method help multiplying two large integers.

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**3.5 Binary Search**

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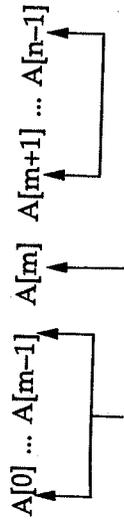
Binary search is an efficient searching method. While searching the elements using this method the most essential thing is that the elements in the array should be sorted one.

An element which is to be searched from the list of elements stored in array  $A[0..n - 1]$  is called KEY element.

Let  $A[m]$  be the mid element of array A. Then there are three conditions that needs to be tested while searching the array using this method

1. If  $KEY = A[m]$  then desired element is present in the list.
2. Otherwise if  $KEY < A[m]$  then search the left sub list
3. Otherwise if  $KEY > A[m]$  then search the right sub list.

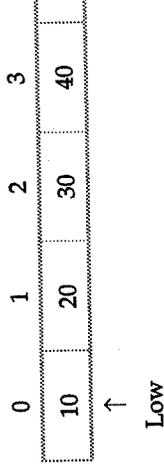
This can be represented as



Search here if  $KEY < A(m)$   
 Search here if  $KEY > A(m)$

**Example 3.5.1** Apply binary search method to search 70.

**Solution :** Consider a list of elements stored in array



The KEY element (i.e. the element to be searched) Now to obtain middle element we will apply a

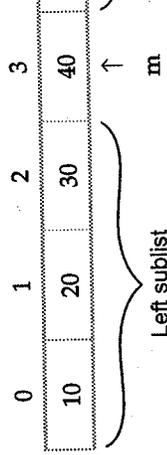
$$m = (low + high)/2$$

$$m = (0 + 6)/2$$

$$m = 3$$

Then Check  $A[m] \stackrel{?}{=} KEY$

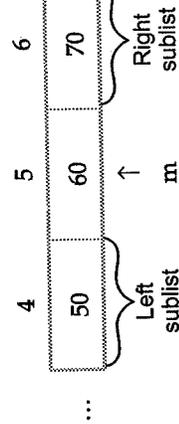
i.e.  $A[3] \stackrel{?}{=} 60$  NO  $A[3] = 40$  an  
 $\therefore$  Search the right sublist.



The right sublist is



Now we will again divide this list and check the



is  $A[m] \stackrel{?}{=} \text{KEY}$

i.e.  $A[5] \stackrel{?}{=} 60$

Yes, i.e. the number is present in the list.

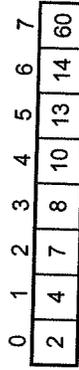
Thus we can search the desired number from the list of elements.

**Example 3.5.2** Demonstrate binary Search method to search key = 14, form the array

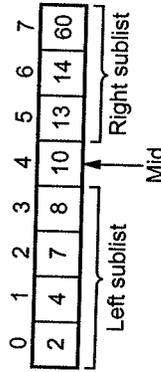
$A = \langle 2, 4, 7, 8, 10, 13, 14, 60 \rangle$ .

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**Solution :** Let us store the elements in an array



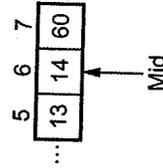
**Step 1 :** We will divide the array in the mid.



Compare key with  $A[mid]$  i.e. 14 with 10

As  $14 > 10$  we will search right sublist.

**Step 2 :** As  $A[mid] = \text{key}$ . The element 14 is present at  $A[6]$ .



**Algorithm**

Algorithm BinSearch(A[0..n-1],KEY)

//Problem Description. This algorithm is for searching the

element using binary search method.

//Input: An array A from which the KEY element is to be

//searched.

//Output: It returns the index of an array element if it is

//equal to KEY otherwise it returns -1

low ← 0

high ← n-1

```

m ← (low+high)/2 //mid of the array is obtained
if (KEY=A[m])then
return m
else if(KEY<A[m])then
high ← m-1 //search the left sub list
else
low ← m+1 //search the right sub list
return -1 //if element is not present in

```

**Analysis**

The basic operation in binary search is comparison of array elements. To analyze efficiency of binary search we compare the search key with the array elements. This is called a three way comparison because algorithm checks whether KEY is smaller, equal to or greater than A[m].

In the algorithm after one comparison the algorithm divides the array into two sublists. The worst case efficiency is that the algorithm searches the desired element. In this method of binary search, the comparison array is divided each time in  $n/2$  complexity is given by

$$C_{\text{worst}}(n) = C_{\text{worst}}(n/2) + 1$$

Time required

to compare left

sublist or right sublist

min

$$\text{Also, } C_{\text{worst}}(1) = 1$$

But as we consider the rounded down value equations can be written as

$$C_{\text{worst}}(n) = C_{\text{worst}}(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + 1$$

$$C_{\text{worst}}(1) = 1$$

The above recurrence relation can be solved using equation (3.5.1) becomes,

$$C_{\text{worst}}(2^k) = C_{\text{worst}}(2^{k-1}) + 1$$

$$C_{\text{worst}}(2^k) = C_{\text{worst}}(2^{k-1}) + 1$$

Using backward substitution method, we can substitute

$$C_{\text{worst}}(2^{k-1}) = C_{\text{worst}}(2^{k-2}) + 1$$

Then equation (3.5.3) becomes

$$C_{\text{worst}}(2^k) = [C_{\text{worst}}(2^{k-2}) + 1] + 1$$

$$= C_{\text{worst}}(2^{k-2}) + 2$$

$$\text{Then } C_{\text{worst}}(2^k) = [C_{\text{worst}}(2^{k-3}) + 1] + 2$$

$$\therefore C_{\text{worst}}(2^k) = C_{\text{worst}}(2^{k-3}) + 3$$

...

...

...

$$C_{\text{worst}}(2^k) = C_{\text{worst}}(2^{k-k}) + k$$

$$= C_{\text{worst}}(2^0) + k$$

$$C_{\text{worst}}(2^k) = C_{\text{worst}}(1) + k$$

... (3.5.4)

But as per equation (3.5.2),

$$C_{\text{worst}}(1) = 1 \quad \text{then we get equation (3.5.4),}$$

$$C_{\text{worst}}(2^k) = 1 + k$$

$$\therefore C_{\text{worst}}(n) = 1 + \log_2 n$$

$$\therefore C_{\text{worst}}(n) \approx \log_2 n$$

for  $n > 1$

As we have assumed  
 $n = 2^k$   
 Taking logarithm (base 2) on both sides  
 $\log_2 n = \log_2 2^k$   
 $\log_2 n = k \cdot \log_2 2$   
 $\log_2 n = k(1) \quad \therefore \log_2 2 = 1$   
 $\therefore k = \log_2 n$

The worst case time complexity of binary search is  $\Theta(\log_2 n)$ .

As  $C_{\text{worst}}(n) = \log_2 n + 1$  we can verify equation (3.5.1) with this value.

Consider equation (3.5.2),

$C_{\text{worst}}(n)$   
 ↓  
 L.H.S.  
 Assume  $n = 2^i$   
 $\therefore$  substitute  
 $C_{\text{worst}}(n) = \log_2 n + 1$   
 $= \log_2 (2^i) + 1$   
 $= \log_2 2 + \log_2 i + 1$   
 $= 1 + \log_2 i + 1$   
 L.H.S. =  $\log_2 i + 2$

**Average case**

To obtain average case efficiency of binary search input  $n$ .

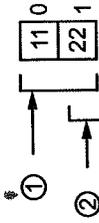
If  $n = 1$

i.e. only element 11 is there

$$1 \rightarrow [11]$$

Only 1 search is required

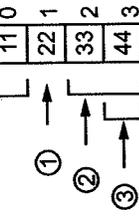
If  $n = 2$  and search key = 22



Two comparisons are made

If  $n = 4$  and search key = 44

$$m = (0 + 3)/2 = 1$$



$$\text{As } A[1] = 22 \text{ and } 22 <$$

Search right sublist, again

$$m = (2 + 3)/2 = 2$$

As  $A[2] = 33$  and  $33 < 44$  we divide list. In

Again  $A[2] = 33$  and  $33 < 44$  we divide list. In right sublist  $A[4] = 44$  and key is 44. Thus total 3 comparisons are made to search 44.

If  $n = 8$  and search key = 88

$$m = (0 + 7)/2 = 3$$

As  $A[3] = 44$  and  $44 < 88$  search right sublist, again.

$$m = (4 + 7)/2 = 5$$

Again  $A[5] = 66$  and  $66 < 88$  search right sublist, again,

$$m = (6 + 7)/2 = 6$$

But  $A[6] = 77$  and  $77 < 88$ .

Then search right sublist

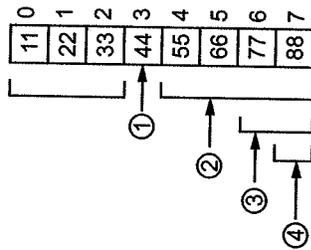
$$m = (7 + 7)/2 = 7$$

$A[m] = A[7] = 88$ . Is  $A[7] \stackrel{?}{=} 88$ .

Yes, the desired element is present.

Thus total 4 comparisons are made to search 88.

To summarize the above operations.



| n  | Total comparison (c) |
|----|----------------------|
| 1  | 1                    |
| 2  | 2                    |
| 4  | 3                    |
| 8  | 4                    |
| 16 | 5                    |
| ⋮  | ⋮                    |

Observing the above given table we can write

$$\log_2 n + 1 = c$$

For instance if  $n = 2$  then

$$\log_2 2 = 1$$

Then,  $c = 1 + 1$

$$c = 2$$

Similarly if  $n = 8$ , then

$$c = \log_2 n + 1$$

$$= \log_2 8 + 1$$

$$= 3 + 1$$

$$c = 4$$

Thus we can write that

Average case time complexity of binary search is

**Advantage of binary search :**

1. Binary search is an optimal searching algorithm desired element very efficiently.

**Disadvantage of binary search :**

1. This algorithm requires the list to be sorted. The

**Applications of binary search :**

1. The binary search is an efficient searching method to find a record from database.
2. For solving nonlinear equations with one unknown.

**Time complexity of binary search**

| Best case   | Average case       |
|-------------|--------------------|
| $\Theta(1)$ | $\Theta(\log_2 n)$ |

**C Program**

There are two types of implementation possible

- Recursive Binary Search Program
- Non Recursive Binary Search Program

Let us understand both the implementations.

### Recursive Binary Search Program

```

/*****
Implementation of recursive Binary Search algorithm
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#define SIZE 10
int n;
void main()
{
 int A[SIZE],KEY,i,flag,low,high;
 int BinSearch(int A[SIZE],int KEY,int low,int high);
 clrscr();
 printf("\n How Many elements in an array?");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\n Enter The Elements");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 scanf("%d",&A[i]);
 printf("\n Enter the element which is to be searched");
 scanf("%d",&KEY);
 low=0;
 high=n-1;
 flag=BinSearch(A,KEY,low,high);
 printf("\n The element is at A[%d] location",flag);
 getch();
}

int BinSearch(int A[SIZE],int KEY,int low,int high)
{
 int m;
 m=(low+high)/2; //mid of the array is obtained
 if(KEY==A[m])
 return m;
 else if(KEY<A[m])
 BinSearch(A,KEY,low,m-1);//search the left sub list
 else
 BinSearch(A,KEY,m+1,high);//search the right sub list
}

How Many elements in an array? 5
Output
Enter The Elements 10 20 30 40 50
Enter the element which is to be searched 20
The element is at A[1] location

```

### Non Recursive Binary Search Program

```

/*****
Implementation of non recursive Binary Search algorithm
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#define SIZE 10
int n;
void main()
{
 int A[SIZE],KEY,i,flag;
 int BinSearch(int A[SIZE],int KEY);
 clrscr();
 printf("\n How Many elements in an array?");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\n Enter The Elements");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 scanf("%d",&A[i]);
 printf("\n Enter the element which is to be searched");
 scanf("%d",&KEY);
 flag=BinSearch(A,KEY);
 if(flag==-1)
 printf("\n The Element is not present");
 else
 printf("\n The element is at A[%d] location",flag);
 getch();
}

int BinSearch(int A[SIZE],int KEY)
{
 int low,high,m;
 low=0;
 high=n-1;
 while(low<=high)
 {
 m=(low+high)/2;//mid of the array is obtained
 if(KEY==A[m])
 return m;
 else if(KEY<A[m])
 high=m-1; //search the left
 else
 low=m+1; //search the right
 }
 return -1; //if element is not present in the list
}

```

**Output (Run 1)**

How Many elements in an array? 6

Enter The Elements

10  
20  
30  
40  
50  
60

Enter the element which is to be searched 50

The element is at A[4] location

**(Run 2)**

How Many elements in an array? 5

Enter The Elements

10  
20  
30  
40  
50

Enter the element which is to be searched 80

The Element is not present

| Sr. No. | Sequential technique                                             | Binary search technique                                                             |
|---------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.      | This is the simple technique of searching an element.            | This is the efficient technique of searching an element.                            |
| 2.      | This technique does not require the list to be sorted.           | This technique requires the list to be sorted. Then only this method is applicable. |
| 3.      | Every element of the list may get compared with the key element. | Only the mid element of the list is compared with key element.                      |
| 4.      | The worst case time complexity of this technique is $O(n)$ .     | The worst case time complexity of this technique is $O(\log n)$ .                   |

**Review Questions**

1. Explain the use of divide and conquer technique for binary search method. What is the complexity of binary search method?
2. Explain binary search using divide and conquer method.
3. What is divide and conquer technique? Give the use of divide and conquer technique.
4. Explain Binary search algorithm with divide and conquer method. Show that the solution to the binary search recurrence is  $O(\log n)$ .

**3.6 Max-Min Problem**

First of all we will discuss an algorithm of finding minimum and maximum of n numbers.

**Algorithm** Minimum\_val (A[1.....n])

```
{
// Problem Description : This algorithm is to
// find minimum value from array A of n
// elements
min ← A[1] // Assuming first element as min.
for (i ← 2 to n) do
{
if (min > A[i]) then
min ← A[i] //set new min value
}
return min
}
```

Thus we require total  $(n-1)$  comparison to obtain the maximum value from an array A in  $(n-1)$  for finding maximum element.

**Algorithm** Maximum\_val (A[1.....n])

```
{
// Problem Description : This algorithm is to find maximum
// array A of n elements
max ← A[1]
for (i ← 2 to n) do
{
if (A[i] > max) then
max ← A[i]
}
}
```

We can obtain maximum and minimum values from an array simultaneously using following algorithm.

**Algorithm Max\_Min** (A[1.....n], Max, Min)

**Problem Description :** This algorithm obtains min and max values simultaneously.

Max ← Min ← A[1]

for (i ← 2 to n) do

{

if (A[i] > Max) then

Max ← A[i] // obtaining maximum value

if (A[i] < Min) then

Min ← A[i] // obtaining minimum value.

}

Thus we get maximum element in max and minimum element in min variable. Let us derive this algorithm for some example. Consider an array

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 | 90 | 65 | 25 | 75 |

**Step 1 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 | 90 | 65 | 25 | 75 |

↑  
Min  
Max

**Step 2 :**

Now from index 2 to n we will compare an array element with Min and Max value.

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 | 90 | 65 | 25 | 75 |

Min = 40  
Max = 50

**Step 3 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 | 90 | 65 | 25 | 75 |

Min = - 5  
Max = 50

**Step 4 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 | 90 | 65 | 25 |

**Step 5 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 | 90 | 65 | 25 |

**Step 6 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 | 90 | 65 | 25 |

**Step 7 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 | 90 | 65 | 25 |

**Step 8 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 | 90 | 65 | 25 |

**Step 9 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 | 90 | 65 | 25 |

**Step 10 :**

As we have reached at n<sup>th</sup> location of the array finding minimum and maximum values and print value as 90.

**Analysis**

The above algorithm takes O(n) run n time. The comparing array element with Min or Max value is straightforward. The above algorithm is a straightforward

In this algorithm, the list of elements is divided at the mid in order to obtain two sublists. From both the sublist maximum and minimum elements are chosen. Two maxima and minima are compared and from them real maximum and minimum elements are determined. This process is carried out for entire list. The algorithm is as given below.

```

Algorithm Max_Min_Val (i, j, max, min)
//Problem Description : Finding min, max elements recursively.
//Input : i, j are integers used as index to an array A. The max and min will
//contain maximum and minimum value elements.
//Output : None
if (i = j) then
 {
 max ← A [i]
 min ← A [j]
 }
else if (i = j-1) then
 {
 if (A [i] < A [j]) then
 {
 max ← A [j]
 min ← A [i]
 }
 else
 {
 max ← A [i]
 min ← A [j]
 }
 //end of else
 //end of if
 }
else
 {
 mid ← (i+j) / 2
 Max_Min_Val (i, mid, max, min)
 Max_Min_Val (mid + 1, j, max_new, min_new)
 if (max < max_new) then
 max ← max_new
 if (min > min_new) then
 min ← min_new
 //divide the list handling two lists separately
 //combine solution
 //combine solution
 }

```

**Example :** Consider a list of some elements from which maximum and minimum element can be found out.

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 | 90 | 65 | 25 | 75 |

**Step 1 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 | 45 |
| 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  |    |
| 90 | 65 | 25 | 75 |    |

We have divided the original list at mid and two sublists are created. We will find min and max values respectively.

**Step 2 :**

|    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 | -9 |
| 6  | 7  | 8  |    |
| 90 | 65 | 25 |    |

Again divide each sublist and create further sublists and max values.

**Step 3 :**

|    |    |    |
|----|----|----|
| 1  | 2  | 3  |
| 50 | 40 | -5 |
| 6  | 7  |    |
| 90 | 65 | 25 |

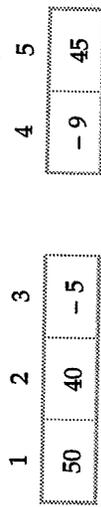
It is possible to divide the list (50, 40, -5) further into sublists and min, max values are obtained.

**Step 4 :**

|    |    |
|----|----|
| 1  | 2  |
| 50 | 40 |
| 6  | 7  |
| 90 | 65 |

Now further division of the list is not possible. Hence solutions of min and max values from each sublist.

Combine (1, 2) and (3) Min = - 5, Max = 50



Combine (1, ... 3) and (4, 5) Min = - 9, Max = 50

Now we will combine (1, ... 3) and (4, 5) and the min and max values among them are obtained. Hence,

min value = - 9

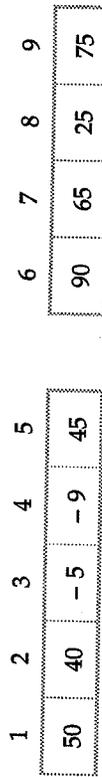
max value = 50

**Step 5 :**



Combine (6, 7) and (8, 9) Min = 25, Max = 90

**Step 6 :**

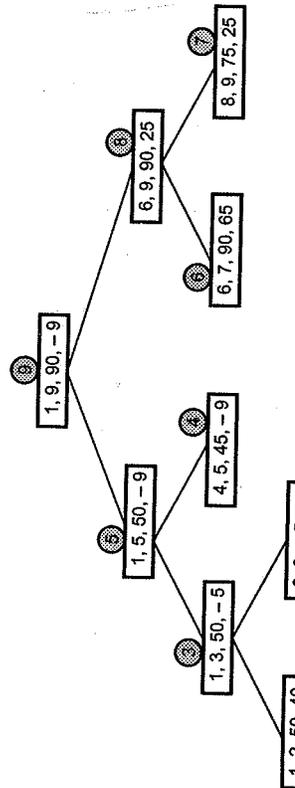


Combine the sublists (1, ... 5) and (6, ... 9). Find out min and max values which are min = - 9 max = 90

Thus the complete list is formed from which the min and max values are obtained. Hence final min and max values are

**min = - 9 and max = 90**

The tree for recursive calls will be -



**Analysis**

There are two recursive calls made in this algorithm. Hence, time required for computing min and max

$$T(n) = T(\lceil n/2 \rceil) + T(\lceil n/2 \rceil) + 2$$

$$T(n) = 1$$

If single element is present in the list then  $T(n) = 1$

Now time required for computing min and max

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + 2$$

$$= 2[2T(n/4) + 2] + 2$$

$$= 2(2[2T(n/8) + 2] + 2) + 2 = 8T(n/8) + 10$$

Continuing in this fashion a recursive equation

$$T(n) = 2^{k-1} T(2) + \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} 2^i = 2^{k-1} + 2^k - 2$$

$$T(n) = 3n/2 - 2$$

Neglecting the order of magnitude, we can declare

**Example 3.6.1** Consider the following algorithm :

ALGORITHM Secret (A[0, ..., n-1])

//Input : An array A[0, ..., n-1] of n real numbers

minval ← A[0];

maxval ← A[0];

for i ← 1 to n-1 do

if A[i] < minval

minval ← A[i];

if A[i] > maxval

maxval ← A[i];

return maxval-minval;

- i) What does this algorithm compute ? ii) What is its time complexity ?
- iii) How many times is the basic operation computed ?
- iv) What is the efficiency class of this algorithm ?
- v) Suggest an improvement or a better algorithm than the given one. If you can't do it, prove that it can't be done.

**Solution :**

- i) This algorithm finds the maximum and minimum element from given sequence of elements.
- ii) The basic operation is to compare the array elements for finding minval and maxval.
- iii) The basic operation is computed for n times inside a for loop.
- iv) This algorithm has the time complexity of  $O(n)$ . The efficiency class for this algorithm is linear.
- v) This algorithm can be improved by using divide and conquer the pseudo code for this is as given below -

**Algorithm** Max\_Min\_Val (i, j, max, min)

//Problem Description : Finding min, max elements recursively.

//Input : i, j are integers used as index to an array A. The max and min will

//contain maximum and minimum value elements.

//Output : None

if (i = j) then

{

    max  $\leftarrow$  A [i]

    min  $\leftarrow$  A [j]

else if (i = j-1) then

{

    if (A [i] < A [j]) then

    {

        max  $\leftarrow$  A [j]

        min  $\leftarrow$  A [i]

    }

    else

    {

        max  $\leftarrow$  A [i]

        min  $\leftarrow$  A [j]

    } //end of else

    } //end of if

else

{

    mid  $\leftarrow$  (i+j) / 2

    Max\_Min\_Val (i, mid, max, min)

    Max\_Min\_val (mid + 1, j, max\_new, min\_new)

    if (max < max\_new) then

        max  $\leftarrow$  max\_new

    if (min > min\_new) then

        min  $\leftarrow$  min\_new

    } //combine solution

**Example 3.6.2** For the following list of elements trace the algorithm and determine how many comparisons have been made. List: 22, 13, -5, -8, 15, 60, 17, 31, 47.

**Solution :** Let

|    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 0  | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  |
| 22 | 13 | -5 | -8 | 15 | 60 |

**Step 1 :** Divide the list into sub-lists

|    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|
| 0  | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  |
| 22 | 13 | -5 | -8 | 15 |

**Step 2 :** Further divide the sublists

|    |    |    |
|----|----|----|
| 0  | 1  | 2  |
| 22 | 13 | -5 |

|    |    |    |
|----|----|----|
| 5  | 6  | 7  |
| 60 | 17 | 31 |

**Step 3 :** Divide the list (0 ... 2) further into sublists

|    |    |    |
|----|----|----|
| 0  | 1  | 2  |
| 22 | 13 | -5 |

|    |    |    |
|----|----|----|
| 5  | 6  | 7  |
| 60 | 17 | 31 |

**Step 4 :** We will combine list (0 ... 1) and (2).

The min = -5, max = 22 Combine the list (0 ... 2)

min = -8 and max = 22

**Step 5 :** Combine (5, 6) and (7, 8)

min = 17, max = 60

**Step 6 :** Combine (0 ... 4) and (5 ... 8)

min = -8, max = 60

**Review Question**

- Using the divide and conquer approach to find the maximum and minimum in a set of 'n' elements. Also find the recurrence relation for the number of elements compared and solve the same.

**3.7 Merge Sort**

GTU : Winter-10,14,18,19, Marks 7

The merge sort is a sorting algorithm that uses the divide and conquer strategy. In this method division is dynamically carried out.

Merge sort on an input array with n elements consists of three steps:

**Divide** : Partition array into two sub lists s1 and s2 with n/2 elements each.

**Conquer** : Then sort sub list s1 and sub list s2.

**Combine** : Merge s1 and s2 into a unique sorted group.

**Example** : Consider the elements as

- 70, 20, 30, 40, 10, 50, 60

Now we will split this list into two sublists.

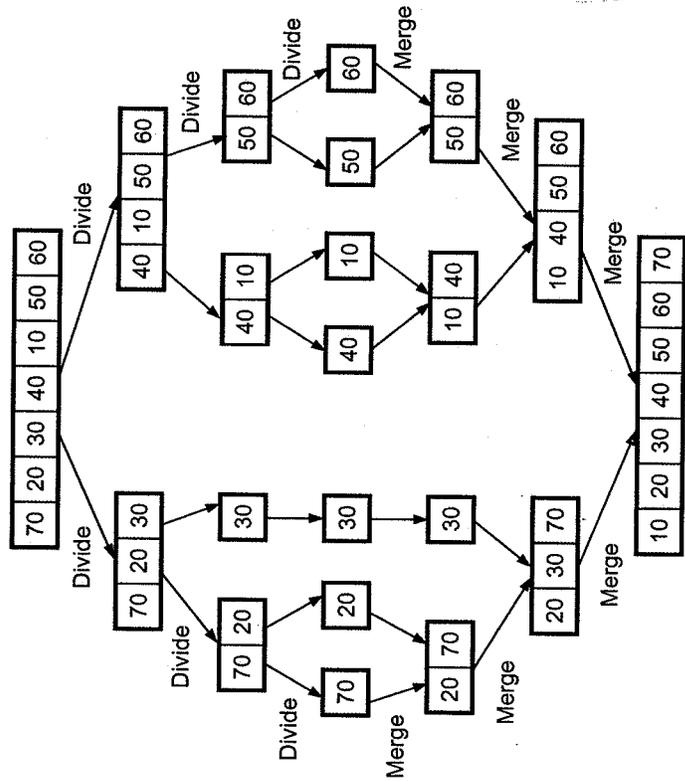


Fig. 3.7.1

**Algorithm MergeSort(int A[0...n-1],low,high)**  
 //Problem Description: This algorithm is for sorting the

```

//pointer of array A and high as end pointer of array
//Output: Sorted array A{0...n-1}
if(low < high)then
{

```

```

 mid ← (low+high)/2
 MergeSort(A,low,mid)
 MergeSort(A,mid+1,high) // second
 Combine(A,low,mid,high) // mergein
}

```

**Algorithm** Combine(A[0...n-1],low, mid, high)

```

k ← low; // k as index for array temp
i ← low; // i as index for left sub
j ← mid+1 // j as index for right sublist
while(i ≤ mid and j ≤ high)do
{

```

```

 if(A[i] ≤ A[j])then
 {

```

```

 // if smaller element is present in left sub
 // copy that smaller ele
 temp[k] ← A[i]
 i ← i+1
 k ← k+1
 }
}
else //smaller element is present i
{

```

```

 //copy that smaller element i
 temp[k] ← A[j]
 j ← j+1
 k ← k+1
}
}

```

```

//copy remaining elements of left sublis
while(i ≤ mid)do
{

```

```

 temp[k] ← A[i]
 i ← i+1
 k ← k+1
}

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//copy remaining elements of right subli
while(j ≤ high)do
{

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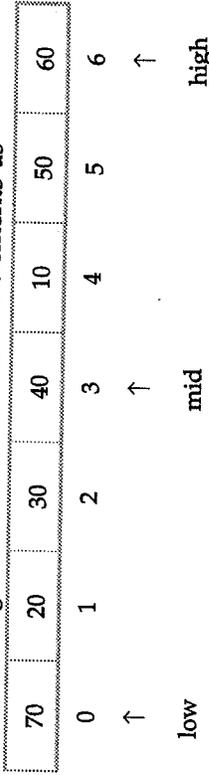
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 temp[k] ← A[j]
 j ← j+1
}

```

**Logic Explanation**

To understand above algorithm consider a list of elements as



Then we will first make two sublists as

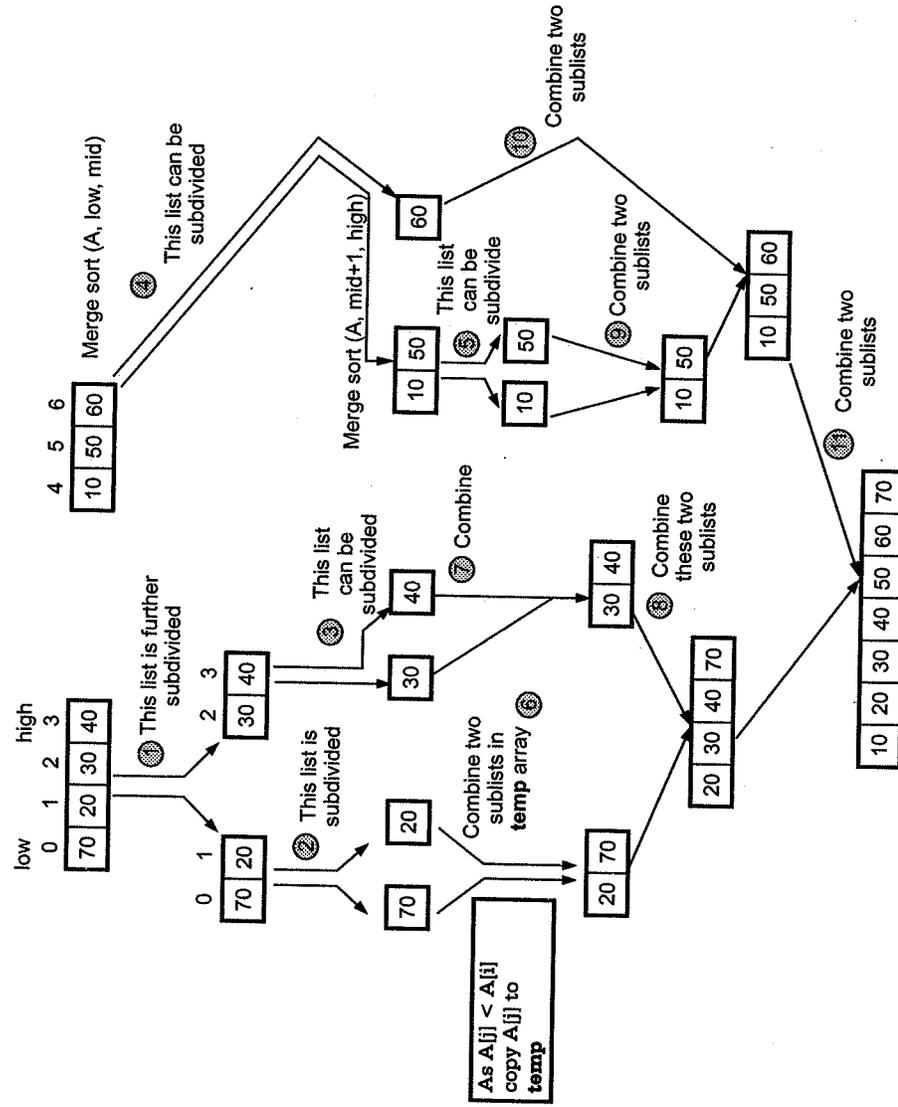
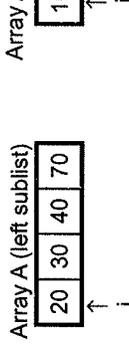


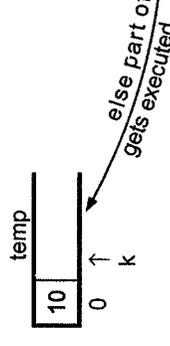
Fig. 3.7.2

Let us see the combine operation more closely with the help of some example.

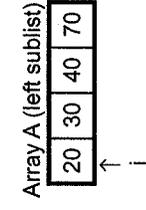
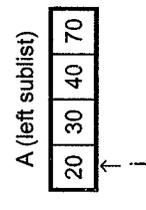
Consider that at some instance we have got two sublist 20, 30, 40, 70 and 10, 50, 60, then



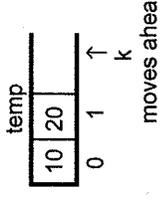
Initially  $k = 0$ . Then  $k$  will be incremented



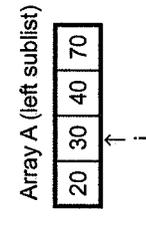
Note that  $j$  remains there and  $j$  is incremented

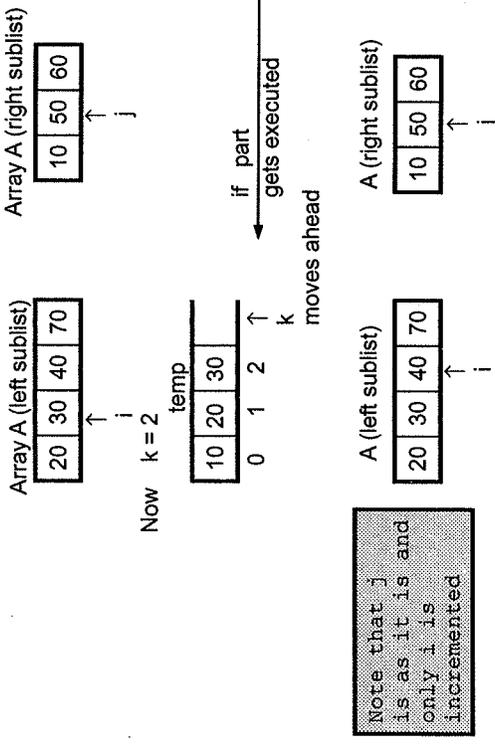


$k = 1$ . It is advanced later on



Note that  $j$  remains there and only  $i$  is incremented



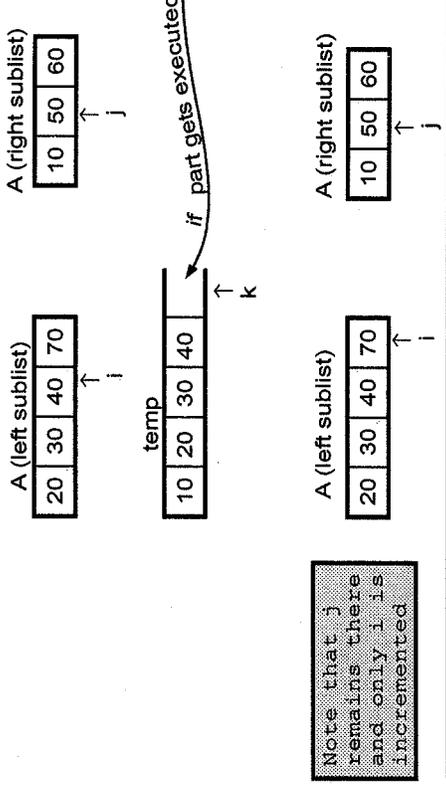


Note that  $j$  is as it is and only  $i$  is incremented

```

Applicable part of Algorithm
if (A[i] <= A [j])
{
temp [k] ← A [i]
i ← i+1
k ← k+1
}
else
{
temp [k] ← A [j]
j ← j+1
k ← k+1
}

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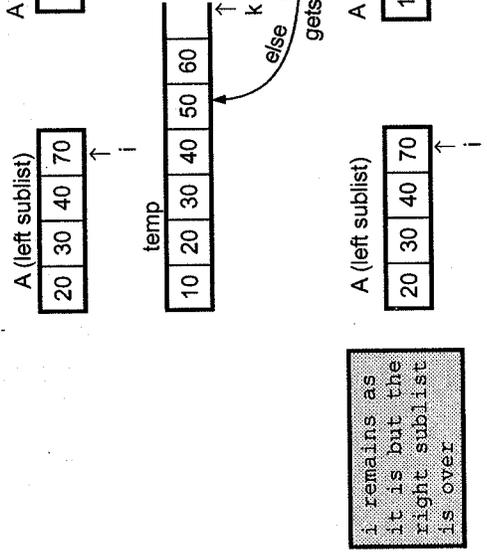


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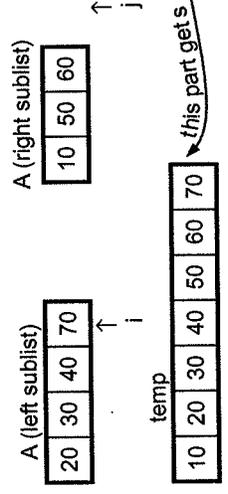
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i ← i+1
k ← k+1
}
else
{
temp [k] ← A [j]
j ← j+1
k ← k+1
}

```



$i$  remains as it is but the right sublist is over



Finally we will copy all the elements of array temp to sorted list.

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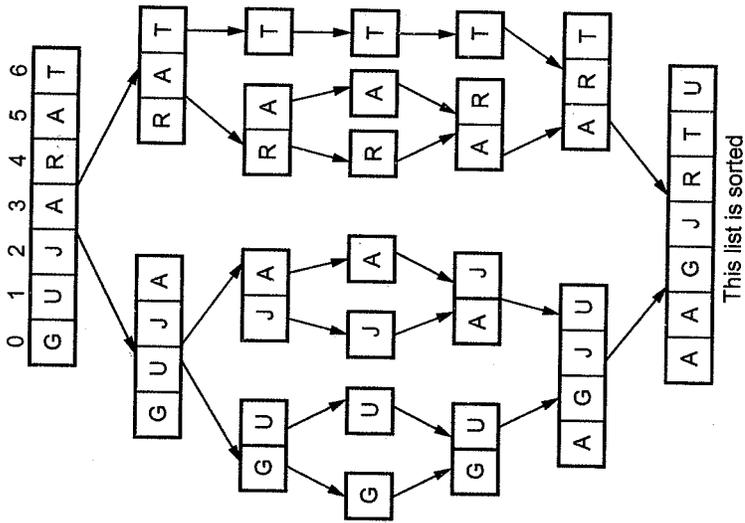
|    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 |
|----|----|----|----|

**Example 3.7.1** Write merge sort algorithm and compute its worst case and best-case time complexity. Sort the list G, U, J, A, R, A, T in alphabetical order using merge sort.

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**Solution :** Merge sort : Refer section 3.7.

Let us store the list G, U, J, A, R, A, T in an array.

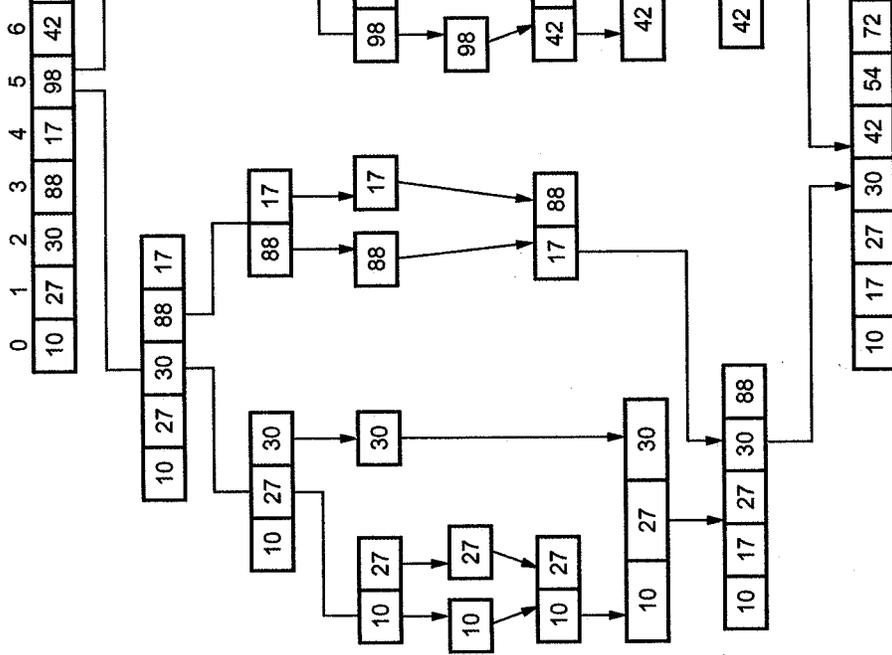


**Fig. 3.7.3**

**Example 3.7.2** Illustrate the working of merge sort algorithm on input instance : 10, 27, 30, 88, 17, 98, 42, 54, 72, 95. Also write the best-case time complexity of merge sort.

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**Solution :**



**Fig. 3.7.4**

**C Function**

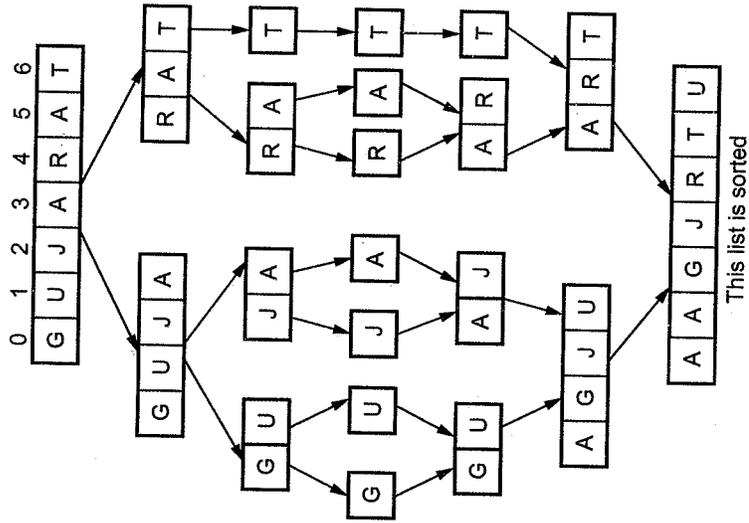
```
void MergeSort(int A[10], int low, int high)
{
 int mid;
 void Combine(int A[10], int low, int mid, int high);
 if(low < high)
 {
 mid = (low+high)/2;
 MergeSort(A,low,mid); //first s
 MergeSort(A,mid+1,high); //second
 }
}
```

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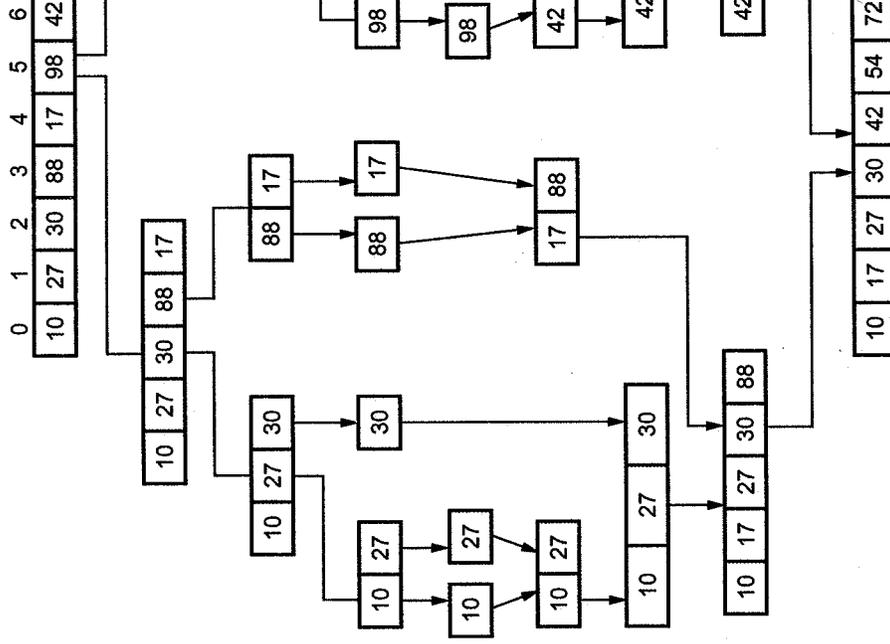


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{
 int mid;
 void Combine(int A[10], int low, int mid, int high);
 if(low < high)
 {
 mid = (low+high)/2;
 MergeSort(A, low, mid);
 MergeSort(A, mid+1, high);
 }
}
```

```
void Combine(int A[10], int low, int mid, int high)
```

```
{
 int i,j,k;
 int temp[10];
 k=low;
 i=low;
 j=mid+1;
 while(i <= mid && j <= high)
 {
 if(A[i] <= A[j])
 {
 temp[k]=A[i];
 i++;
 k++;
 }
 else
 {
 temp[k]=A[j];
 j++;
 k++;
 }
 while(i <= mid)
 {
 temp[k]=A[i];
 i++;
 k++;
 }
 while(j <= high)
 {
 temp[k]=A[j];
 j++;
 k++;
 }
 }
}
```

```
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for(k=low;k <= high;k++)
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```

### Analysis

In merge sort algorithm the two recursive calls are on  $n/2$  elements of the list. After two recursive calls sublists i.e. to merge all  $n$  elements. Hence we can write

$$T(n) = T(n/2) + T(n/2) + cn$$

Time taken by left sublist to get sorted

Time taken by right sublist to get sorted

where  $n > 1$   $T(1) = 0$

We can obtain the time complexity of Merge Sort

1. Master theorem 2. Substitution method

1. Using master theorem :

Let, the recurrence relation for merge sort is

i.e.  $T(n) = T(n/2) + T(n/2) + cn$

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + cn$$

$$T(1) = 0$$

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As per Master theorem

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^d \log n) \quad \text{if } a = b$$

As in equation (3.6.1),

$a = 2, b = 2$  and  $f(n) = cn$  i.e.  $n^d$  with  $d =$

and  $a = b^d$

i.e.  $2 = 2^1$

This case gives us

$$T(n) = \Theta(n \log_2 n)$$

Hence the average and worst case time complexity

```
void Combine(int A[10], int low, int mid, int high)
```

```
{
 int i,j,k;
 int temp[10];
 k=low;
 i=low;
 j=mid+1;
 while(i <= mid && j <= high)
 {
 if(A[i] <= A[j])
 {
 temp[k]=A[i];
 i++;
 k++;
 }
 else
 {
 temp[k]=A[j];
 j++;
 k++;
 }
 while(i <= mid)
 {
 temp[k]=A[i];
 i++;
 k++;
 }
 while(j <= high)
 {
 temp[k]=A[j];
 j++;
 k++;
 }
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Hence the average and worst case time complexity

**2. Using substitution method :**

Let, the recurrence relation for Merge Sort be

$$T(n) = T(n/2) + T(n/2) + cn \quad \text{for } n > 1$$

$$\text{i.e. } T(n) = 2T(n/2) + cn$$

$$T(1) = 0$$

Let us apply substitution on equation (3.7.3). Assume  $n = 2^k$ .

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + cn$$

$$T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{2^k}{2}\right) + c \cdot 2^k$$

$$T(2^k) = 2T(2^{k-1}) + c \cdot 2^k$$

It we put  $k = k - 1$  then,

$$\begin{aligned} T(2^k) &= \underbrace{2T(2^{k-1}) + c \cdot 2^k}_{= 2[2T(2^{k-2}) + c \cdot 2^{k-1}] + c \cdot 2^k} \\ &= 2^2 T(2^{k-2}) + 2 \cdot c \cdot 2^{k-1} + c \cdot 2^k \\ &= 2^2 T(2^{k-2}) + 2 \cdot c \cdot \frac{2^k}{2} + c \cdot 2^k \\ &= 2^2 T(2^{k-2}) + c \cdot 2^k + c \cdot 2^k \\ T(2^k) &= 2^2 T(2^{k-2}) + 2c \cdot 2^k \end{aligned}$$

Similarly we can write,

$$\begin{aligned} T(2^k) &= 2^3 T(2^{k-3}) + 3c \cdot 2^k \\ &= 2^4 T(2^{k-4}) + 4c \cdot 2^k \\ &\dots \\ &\dots \\ &\dots \\ &= 2^k T(2^{k-k}) + k \cdot c \cdot 2^k \end{aligned}$$

$$T(2^k) = 2^k T(1) + k \cdot c \cdot 2^k$$

But as per equation (3.7.4),  $T(1) = 0$ ,

$\therefore$  Equation (3.7.5) becomes,

$$T(2^k) = 2^k \cdot 0 + k \cdot c \cdot 2^k$$

$$T(2^k) = k \cdot c \cdot 2^k$$

But we assumed  $n = 2^k$ , taking logarithm on both sides

$$\text{i.e. } \log_2 n = k$$

$$\therefore T(n) = \log_2 n \cdot cn$$

$$\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n \cdot \log_2 n)$$

Hence the average and worst case time complexity

Time complexity of merge sort

| Best case            | Average case         |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| $\Theta(n \log_2 n)$ | $\Theta(n \log_2 n)$ |

**Example 3.7.3** Is merge sort stable sorting algorithm?

**Solution :** Yes, merge sort is the stable sorting algorithm because it preserves the ordering of similar (equivalent) elements. And merge sort is a method which preserves the relative order of elements. Hence merge sort is a stable sorting algorithm.

**Example 3.7.4** Give the time efficiency and drawback of merge sort.

**Solution :** **Time efficiency :** The best, worst and average time complexity of merge sort is  $O(n \log n)$ .

**Drawbacks :**

- This algorithm requires extra storage to execute.
- This method is slower than the quick sort method.
- This method is complicated to code.

**C Program**

```

#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
int n;
void main()
{
 int i,low,high;
 int A[10];
 void MergeSort(int A[10],int low,int high);
 void Display(int A[10]);
 clrscr();
 printf("\n\t Merge Sort \n");
 printf("\n Enter the length of list:");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\n Enter list elements:");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 scanf("%d",&A[i]);
 low=0;
 high=n-1;
 MergeSort(A,low,high);
 Display(A);
 getch();
}
/*
This function is to split the list into sublists
*/
void MergeSort(int A[10],int low,int high)
{
 int mid;
 void Combine(int A[10],int low,int mid,int high);
 if(low < high)
 {
 mid = (low+high)/2;//split the list at mid
 MergeSort(A,low,mid);//first sublist
 MergeSort(A,mid+1,high);//second sublist
 Combine(A,low,mid,high);//merging of two sublists
 }
}
/* This function is for merging the two sublists */
void Combine(int A[10],int low,int mid,int high)
{
 int i,j,k;
 int temp[10];
 k=low;
 i=low;

```

```

j=mid+1;
while(i <= mid && j <= high)
{
 if(A[i] <= A[j])
 {
 temp[k]=A[i];
 i++;
 k++;
 }
 else
 {
 temp[k]=A[j];
 j++;
 k++;
 }
}
while(i <= mid)
{
 temp[k]=A[i];
 i++;
 k++;
}
while(j <= high)
{
 temp[k]=A[j];
 j++;
 k++;
}
//copy the elements from temp array
for(k=low;k <=high;k++)
 A[k]=temp[k];
}
/* function to display sorted array */
void Display(int A[10])
{
 int i;
 printf("\n\n The Sorted Array is ... \n");
 for(i=0;i < n;i++)
 printf("%d\t",A[i]);
}
}

```

We compare and right sublist right side element

We compare and right sublist left side element of right

Repeat element

Output

Enter list elements :

- 70
- 20
- 30
- 40
- 10
- 50
- 60

The Sorted Array is ...

- 10
- 20
- 30
- 40
- 50
- 60
- 70

**Review Question**

1. Explain merge sort problem using divide and conquer technique. Give an example.

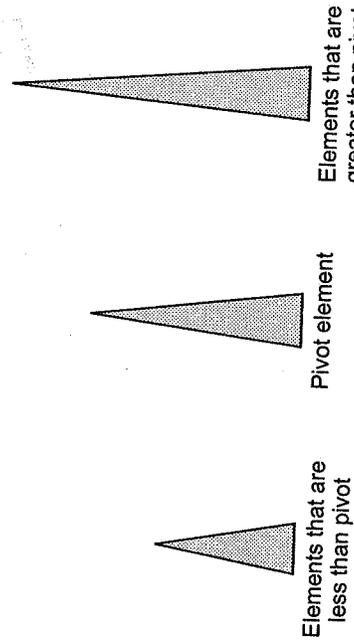
**GTU : Winter-14, Marks 7**

**3.8 Quick Sort**

**GTU : Winter-10,11,14,15,19, June-11,12, Summer-13,14, Marks 7**

Quick sort is a sorting algorithm that uses the divide and conquer strategy. In this method division is dynamically carried out. The three steps of quick sort are as follows :

- **Divide** : Split the array into two sub arrays that each element in the left sub array is less than or equal the middle element and each element in the right sub array is greater than the middle element. The splitting of the array into two sub arrays is based on pivot element. All the elements that are less than pivot should be in left sub array and all the elements that are more than pivot should be in right sub array.

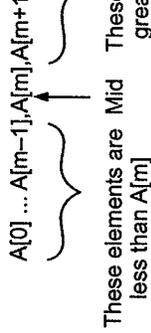


**Fig. 3.8.1 Quick sort method**

- **Conquer** : Recursively sort the two sub arrays.
- **Combine** : Combine all the sorted elements in

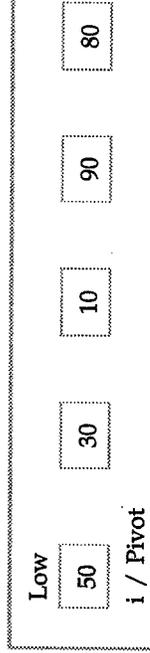
In merge sort the division of array is based on the quick sort this division is based on actual value of where  $i$  is ranging from  $0$  to  $n - 1$  then we can form as

Let us understand this algorithm with the help of



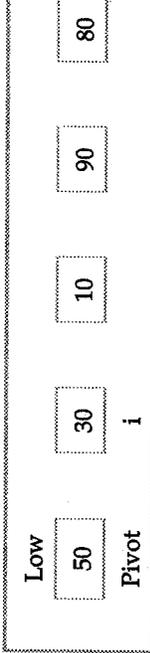
**Example :**

**Step 1 :**



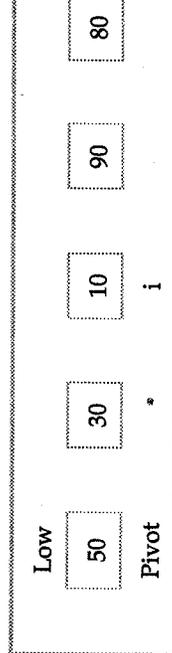
We will now split the array in two parts. The left subarray will contain the elements less than Pivot elements greater than Pivot.

**Step 2 :**



We will increment  $i$ . If  $A[i] \leq \text{Pivot}$ , we will continue to  $i + 1$  if  $A[i] > \text{Pivot}$ .

**Step 3 :**



Increment  $i$  as  $A[i] \leq A[\text{Low}]$ .



**Step 13 :**

Low

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 20 | 30 | 10 | 40 | 50 | 80 | 90 | 70 |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|

Pivot  $i$   $j$

As  $A[i] > A[\text{Pivot}]$ , hence stop incrementing  $i$ . Now as  $A[j] > A[\text{Pivot}]$ , hence decrement  $j$ .

**Step 14 :**

Low

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 20 | 30 | 10 | 40 | 50 | 80 | 90 | 70 |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|

Pivot  $i$   $j$

Now  $j$  cannot be decremented because  $10 < 20$ . Hence we will swap  $A[i]$  and  $A[j]$ .

**Step 15 :**

Low

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 20 | 10 | 30 | 40 | 50 | 80 | 90 | 70 |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|

Pivot  $i$   $j$

As  $A[i] < A[\text{Low}]$ , increment  $i$ .

**Step 16 :**

Low

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 20 | 10 | 30 | 40 | 50 | 80 | 90 | 70 |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|

Pivot  $i, j$

Now as  $A[i] > A[\text{Low}]$ , or  $A[j] > A[\text{Pivot}]$  decrement  $j$ .

**Step 17 :**

Low

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 20 | 10 | 30 | 40 | 50 | 80 | 90 | 70 |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|

Pivot  $j$   $i$

As  $A[j] < A[\text{Low}]$  we cannot decrement  $j$  now. We will now swap  $A[\text{Low}]$  and  $A[j]$  as  $j$  has crossed  $i$  and  $i > j$ .

**Step 18 :**

Low

|    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 50 |
|----|----|----|----|----|

Left sublist Pivot Right sublist

As there is only one element in left sublist hence we will

**Step 19 :**

Low

|    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 50 |
|----|----|----|----|----|

As left sublist is sorted completely we will sort right sublist as Pivot.

**Step 20 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 50 |
|----|----|----|----|----|

As  $A[i] > A[\text{Pivot}]$ , hence we will stop incrementing  $i$ . Since  $A[j] < A[\text{Pivot}]$ , hence we will stop decrementing  $j$ . Swap  $A[i]$  and  $A[j]$ .

**Step 21 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 50 |
|----|----|----|----|----|

As  $A[i] < A[\text{Pivot}]$ , increment  $i$ .

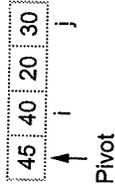
**Step 22 :**

|    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 50 |
|----|----|----|----|----|



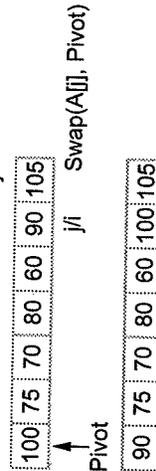
**Pass 2a**

(left sublist)

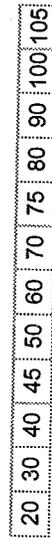


**Pass 2b**

(Right sublist)



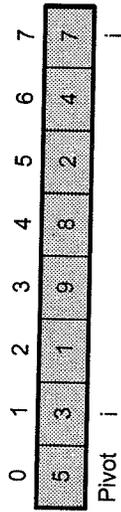
Thus continuing in this fashion, by sorting each sub-sublists finally we get the sorted list as



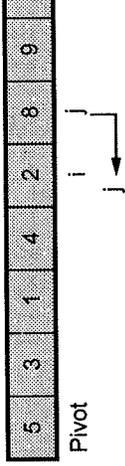
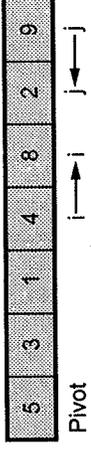
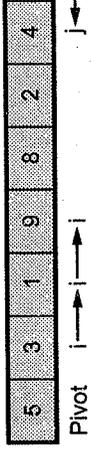
**Example 3.8.3** Write the Quick sort algorithm. Track the same on data set : 5, 3, 1, 9, 8, 2, 4, 7

**Solution :** Arrange the elements in an array.

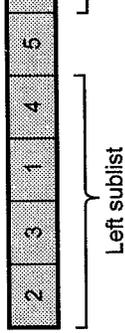
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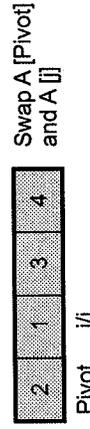
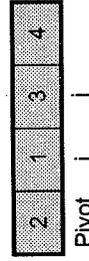
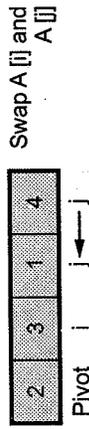
If  $A[i] < A[\text{pivot}]$ , increment  $i$ .



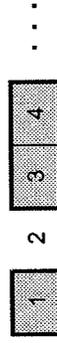
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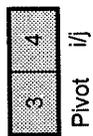
**Step 2 :** Now sorting two sublists using quick s



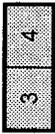
Thus two sublists are



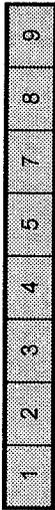
**Step 3 :** Now sorting sub-sublist,



we will get



Step 4 : Finally the entire list will be



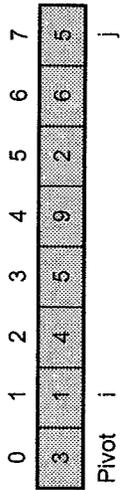
**Example 3.8.4** Write an algorithm for quick sort and derive best case, worst case using divide and conquer technique also trace given data (3, 1, 4, 5, 9, 2, 6, 5)

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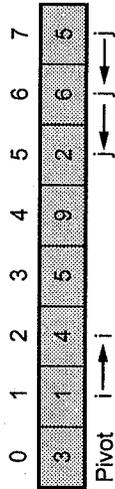
**Solution : Algorithm :** Refer section 3.8.

**Derivation for best, worst case :** Refer section 3.8.

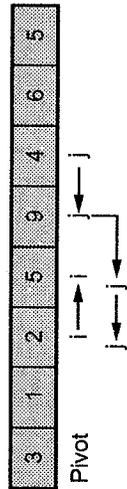
**Step 1 :** Consider the elements in an array



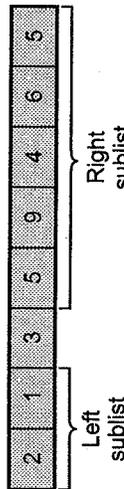
If  $A[\text{Pivot}] > A[i]$  increment  $i$   
 If  $A[\text{Pivot}] < A[j]$  increment  $j$



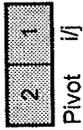
Now swap  $A[i]$  and  $A[j]$



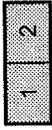
Swap  $A[i]$  and  $A[j]$



**Step 2 :** Now sorting two sublists using quick sort



Swap  $A[i]$  and  $A[\text{Pivot}]$



Pivot



Swap  $A[i]$  and  $A[\text{Pivot}]$



Pivot



Pivot

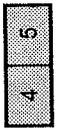
Swap  $A[i]$  and  $A[\text{Pivot}]$



Left sublist

**Step 3 :** We will sort two sublists obtained in step 2

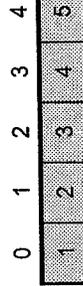
**Step 4 :** We will combine all the sublists obtained in step 3



Pivot  $i/j$

No swapping

The resultant list will be



This is a sorted list

**Solution :** As all the elements of given list are already sorted, applying quick sort by positioning pivot as the extreme left or right element will cause to work in worst case mode. Hence time complexity for worst case is  $O(n^2)$ . Similarly the average case or best case time complexity i.e.  $O(n \log n)$  can be achieved if we select pivot element from random position of list.

### Algorithm

The quick sort algorithm is performed using following two important functions -  
*Quick* and *partition*. Let us see them-

```

Algorithm Quick(A[0...n-1], low, high)
//Problem Description : This algorithm performs sorting of
//the elements given in Array A[0...n-1]
//Input: An array A[0...n-1] in which unsorted elements are
//given. The low indicates the leftmost element in the list
//and high indicates the rightmost element in the list
//Output: Creates a sub array which is sorted in ascending
//order
if (low < high) then
//split the array into two sub arrays
m ← partition(A[low..high]) // m is mid of the array
Quick(A[low...m-1])
Quick(A[m+1...high])

```

In above algorithm call to partition algorithm is given. The *partition* performs arrangement of the elements in ascending order. The recursive *quick* routine is for dividing the list in two sub lists. The pseudo code for *Partition* is as given below -

```

Algorithm Partition (A[low...high])
//Problem Description: This algorithm partitions the
//subarray using the first element as pivot element
//Input: A subarray A with low as left most index of the
//array and high as the rightmost index of the array.
//Output: The partitioning of array A is done and pivot
//occupies its proper position. And the rightmost index of
//the list is returned
pivot ← A[low]
i ← low
j ← high+1
while (i <= j) do
{
while (A[i] <= pivot) do
i ← i+1
while (A[j] >= pivot) do

```

```

} swap(A[low], A[i]) //when i crosses j swap A[low] and A
return j //rightmost index of the list

```

The Partition function is called to arrange the elements less than pivot are at the left side of pivot and all pivot are all at the right of pivot. In other words pivot and the partitioned list is obtained in an ordered manner.

### Analysis

#### Best case (split in the middle)

If the array is always partitioned at the mid, then an algorithm.

The recurrence relation for quick sort for obtaining

$$C(n) = C(n/2) + C(n/2) + \Theta(n)$$

Time required to sort left sub array

Time required to sort right sub array

$$\text{and } C(1) = 0$$

#### Method 1 : Using Master theorem

We will solve equation (3.8.1) using master theorem.

The master theorem is

If  $f(n) \in \Theta(n^d)$  then

$$1. T(n) = \Theta(n^d) \quad \text{if } a < b^d$$

$$2. T(n) = \Theta(n^d \log n) \quad \text{if } a = b^d$$

$$3. T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a}) \quad \text{if } a > b^d$$

We get,  $C(n) = 2C(n/2) + n$

Here  $f(n) \in n^1 \quad \therefore d = 1$

Now,  $a = 2$  and  $b = 2$ .

As from case 2 we get  $a = b^d$  i.e.  $2 = 2^1$ , we get

$$T(n) \text{ i.e. } C(n) = \Theta(n^d \log n)$$

$$\therefore C(n) = \Theta(n \log n)$$

The best case of quick sort can be represented by Fig. 3.8.2.

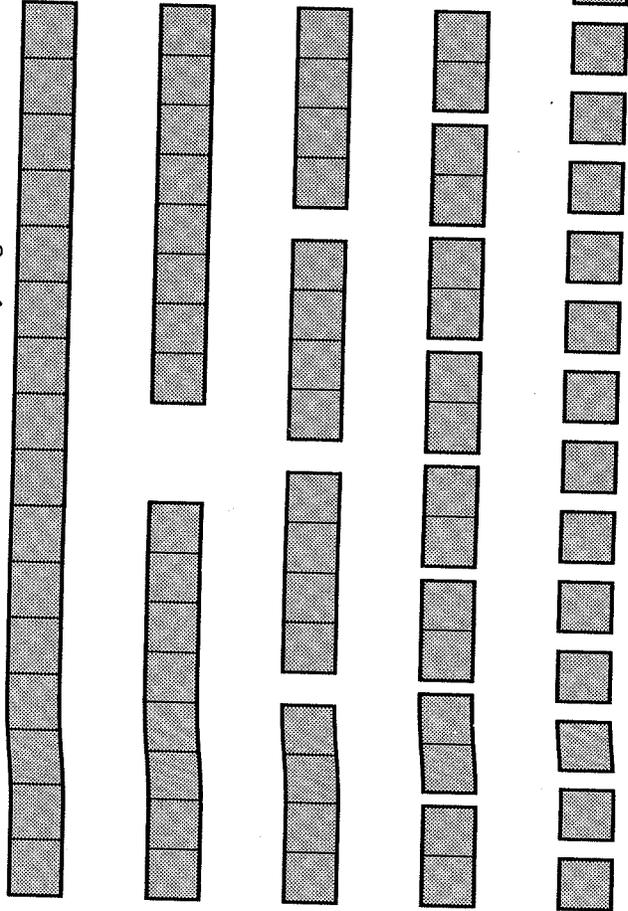


Fig. 3.8.2

**Method 2 :**

We can obtain the best case time complexity of quick sort using substitution method as well. Consider equation (1) once again

$$C(n) = C(n/2) + C(n/2) + n$$

$$C(n) = 2C(n/2) + n$$

We assume  $n = 2^k$  since each time the list is divided into two equal halves. Then equation becomes,

$$C(2^k) = 2C(2^k/2) + 2^k$$

$$= 2C(2^{k-1}) + 2^k$$

Now substitute  $C(2^{k-1}) = 2C(2^{k-2}) + 2^{k-1}$

$$\text{We get } C(2^k) = 2[2C(2^{k-2}) + 2^{k-1}] + 2^k$$

$$C(2^k) = 2^2C(2^{k-2}) + 2 \cdot 2^{k-1} + 2^k$$

$$= 2^2C(2^{k-2}) + 2^k + 2^k$$

If we substitute  $C(2^{k-2})$  then,

$$C(2^k) = 2^2 C(2^{k-2}) + 2 \cdot 2^k$$

$$= 2^2 [2C(2^{k-3}) + 2^{k-2}] + 2 \cdot 2^k$$

$$= 2^3 C(2^{k-3}) + 2^2 \cdot 2^{k-2} + 2 \cdot 2^k$$

$$= 2^3 C(2^{k-3}) + 2^k + 2 \cdot 2^k$$

$$C(2^k) = 2^3 C(2^{k-3}) + 3 \cdot 2^k$$

Similarly we can write

$$C(2^k) = 2^4 C(2^{k-4}) + 4 \cdot 2^k$$

...

...

...

$$= 2^k C(2^{k-k}) + k \cdot 2^k$$

$$= 2^k C(2^0) + k \cdot 2^k$$

$$C(2^k) = 2^k C(1) + k \cdot 2^k$$

But

$$C(1) = 0$$

Hence the above eq

$$C(2^k) = 2^k \cdot 0 + k \cdot 2^k$$

Now as we assumed  $n = 2^k$  we can also say

$$k = \log_2 n \quad [\text{By taking logarithm}]$$

$$C(n) = n \cdot 0 + \log_2 n \cdot n$$

$$C(n) = n \cdot 0 + \log_2 \cdot n$$

Thus it is proved that best case time complexity

**Worst case (sorted array)**

The worst case for quick sort occurs when the all the elements in the list. This can be graphically

time required

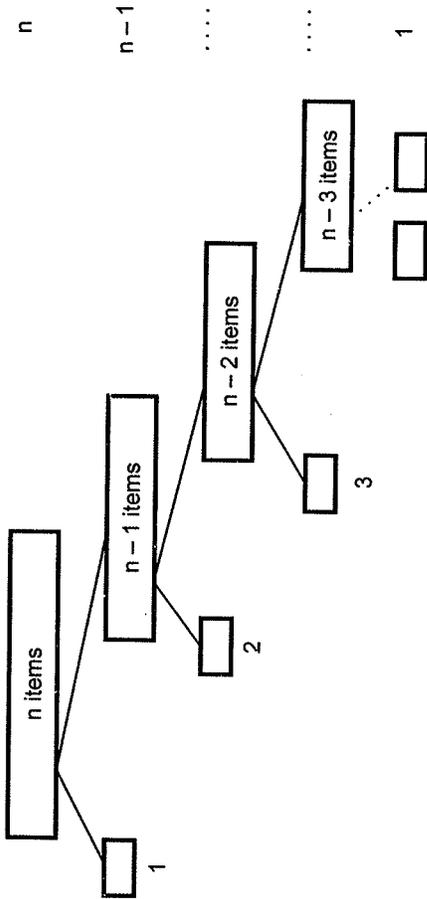


Fig. 3.8.3

We can write it as

$$C(n) = C(n-1) + n$$

or 
$$C(n) = n + (n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + 2 + 1$$

But as we know

$$1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \approx \frac{1}{2} n^2.$$

$$\therefore C(n) = \Theta(n^2)$$

The time complexity of worst case of quick sort is  $\Theta(n^2)$ .

**Average case (random array)**

Let,  $C_{avg}(n)$  denotes the average time of quick sort ( $A[1 \dots n]$ ).

The recurrence relation for random input array is

$$C(n) = C(0) + C(n-1) + n$$

or 
$$C(n) = C(1) + C(n-2) + n$$

or 
$$C(n) = C(2) + C(n-3) + n$$

or 
$$C(n) = C(3) + C(n-4) + n$$

...

$$C(n) = C(n-1) + C(0) + n$$

The average value of  $C(n)$  is sum of all the possible values of  $C(n)$ .

$$\therefore C_{avg}(n) = \frac{2}{n} (C(1) + C(2) + \dots + C(n-1)) + n$$

Multiplying both the sides by  $n$  we get,

$$n * C_{avg}(n) = 2(C(1) + C(2) + \dots + C(n-1)) + n^2$$

Now we put  $n = n - 1$  then,

$$(n-1) * C_{avg}(n-1) = 2[C_{avg}(1) + C_{avg}(2) + \dots + C_{avg}(n-2)] + (n-1)^2$$

$$n * C_{avg}(n) - (n-1) * C_{avg}(n-1) = 2[C_{avg}(1) + C_{avg}(2) + \dots + C_{avg}(n-2)] + (n-1)^2 - (n-2)^2$$

$$n * C_{avg}(n) - (n-1) * C_{avg}(n-1) = 2C_{avg} + (2n-1)$$

$$n * C_{avg}(n) = (n+1) * C_{avg}(n-1) + (2n-1) < (n+1) * C_{avg}(n-1) + 2n = (n+1) * C_{avg}(n-1) + 2n$$

If we assume

$$(n+1) * C_{avg}(n-1) + 2n = (n+1) * C_{avg}(n-1) + 2n < (n+1) * C_{avg}(n-1) + 2n$$

$$\text{Then, } (n+1) * C_{avg}(n-1) < (n+1) * C_{avg}(n-1) + 2n < (n+1) * C_{avg}(n-1) + 2n$$

Divide this equation by  $n(n+1)$  then

$$n * C_{avg}(n) < (n+1) * C_{avg}(n-1) + C'n$$

$$\frac{C_{avg}(n)}{(n+1)} < \frac{C_{avg}(n-1)}{n} + \frac{C'}{(n+1)}$$

If we assume

$$A(n) = \frac{C_{avg}(n)}{(n+1)} \text{ then}$$

$$A(n) < A(n-1) + \frac{C'}{(n+1)}$$

$$A(n-1) < A(n-2) + \frac{C'}{n}$$

$$A(n-2) < A(n-3) + \frac{C'}{n-1}$$

...

i.e.

Hence average case time complexity of quick sort is  $\Theta(n \log n)$ .

**Time complexity of quick sort**

| Best case            | Average case         | Worst case    |
|----------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| $\Theta(n \log_2 n)$ | $\Theta(n \log_2 n)$ | $\Theta(n^2)$ |

**C Function**

```

int partition(int A[SIZE],int low,int high)
{
 int pivot=A[low],i=low,j=high;
 while(i<=j)
 {
 while(A[j]<=pivot)
 j--;
 while(A[i]>pivot)
 i++;
 if(i<j)
 swap(A,&i,&j);
 swap(A,&low,&j);
 return j;
 }
}

```

**C Program**

```

/*****
Program to sort the elements in ascending order using Quick Sort.
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#define SIZE 10
void Quick(int A[SIZE],int,int);
int partition(int A[SIZE],int,int);
void swap(int A[SIZE],int *,int *);
int n;
int main()
{
 int i;
 int A[SIZE];
 clrscr();
}

```

```

void swap(int A[SIZE],int *i,int *j)
{
 int temp;
 temp=A[*i];
 A[*i]=A[*j];
 A[*j]=temp;
}

```

**Output****Quick Sort Method**

Enter Total numbers to sort : 8

Enter 1th number : 50

Enter 2th number : 30

Enter 3th number : 10

Enter 4th number : 90

Enter 5th number : 80

Enter 6th number : 20

Enter 7th number : 40

Enter 8th number : 70

Sorted Array Is:

10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90

**Examples for Practice**

**Example 3.8.4 :** Trace the quick sort algorithm for the following data : 36, 37, 11, 10, 42, 72, 65, 98, 88, 78.

**Example 3.8.5 :** Is quick sort a stable sorting method ? Justify

**Example 3.8.6 :** Search the element 'r' from the list s, e, a, r, c, h. Show each step.

**Review Questions**

1. Explain how to apply the divide and conquer strategy with example.
2. Design and analyze quick sort algorithm using divide and conquer method.
3. Explain quick sort using divide and conquer method and with example.
4. Explain quick sort method with example.

**3.9 Matrix Multiplication**

Suppose we want to multiply two matrices A and B

$$C = A \times B \quad \text{then}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

The multiplication gives

$$C_{11} = A_{11} \times B_{11} + A_{12} \times B_{21}$$

$$C_{12} = A_{11} \times B_{12} + A_{12} \times B_{22}$$

$$C_{21} = A_{21} \times B_{11} + A_{22} \times B_{21}$$

$$C_{22} = A_{21} \times B_{12} + A_{22} \times B_{22}$$

Thus to accomplish  $2 \times 2$  matrix multiplication the 4 additions.

To accomplish this multiplication we can write the

**Algorithm Mat\_Mul (A,B,C,n)**

```

{
 for i:=1 to n do
 for j:=1 to n do
 C[i,j] := 0;
 for k:=1 to n do
 C[i,j] := C[i,j] + A[i,k] * B[k,j];
}

```

The time complexity of above algorithm turns to be

$$O(n \times n \times n) = O(n^3)$$

Strassen showed that  $2 \times 2$  matrix multiplication can be accomplished in 7 multiplication and 18 additions or subtractions.

The divide and conquer approach can be used for implementing Strassen's matrix multiplication.

- **Divide** : Divide matrices into sub-matrices :  $A_0, A_1, A_2$  etc.
- **Conquer** : Use a group of matrix multiply equations.
- **Combine** : Recursively multiply sub-matrices and get the final result of multiplication after performing required additions or subtractions.

$$\begin{pmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S_1 = (A_{11} + A_{22})(B_{11} + B_{22})$$

$$S_2 = (A_{21} + A_{22}) \times B_{11}$$

$$S_3 = A_{11} \times (B_{12} - B_{22})$$

$$S_4 = A_{22} \times (B_{21} - B_{11})$$

$$S_5 = (A_{11} + A_{12}) \times B_{22}$$

$$S_6 = (A_{21} - A_{11}) \times (B_{11} + B_{12})$$

$$S_7 = (A_{12} - A_{22}) \times (B_{21} + B_{22})$$

$$C_{11} = S_1 + S_4 - S_5 + S_7$$

$$C_{12} = S_3 + S_5$$

$$C_{21} = S_2 + S_4$$

$$C_{22} = S_1 + S_3 - S_2 + S_6$$

Now we will compare the actual our traditional matrix multiplication procedure with Strassen's procedure. In Strassen's multiplication

$$\begin{aligned} C_{11} &= S_1 + S_4 - S_5 + S_7 \\ &= (A_{11} + A_{22})(B_{11} + B_{22}) + A_{22} \times (B_{21} - B_{11}) - (A_{11} + A_{12}) \times \\ &\quad B_{22} + (A_{12} - A_{22}) \times (B_{21} + B_{22}) \\ &= A_{11} B_{11} + A_{11} B_{22} + A_{22} B_{11} + A_{22} B_{22} + A_{22} B_{21} - A_{22} B_{11} \\ &\quad - A_{11} B_{22} - A_{12} B_{22} + A_{12} B_{21} + A_{12} B_{22} - A_{22} B_{21} - A_{22} B_{22} \\ &= A_{11} B_{11} + A_{12} B_{21} \end{aligned}$$

### Example 3.9.1

$$\text{If } A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 0 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 & 2 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 1 & 4 \\ 9 & 4 & 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 2 & 9 \\ 3 & 9 & 0 & 3 \\ 7 & 6 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Implement Strassen's matrix multiplication on A**  
**Solution :** The given matrix is of order  $4 \times 4$ . Hence we will compute  $S_1, S_2, S_3, S_4, S_5$  submatrices.

Let,

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 4 & 3 \\ 7 & 8 \\ 9 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 6 \\ 1 & 4 \\ 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Now, } S_1 = (A_{11} + A_{22})(B_{11} + B_{22})$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 18+28 & 30+42 \\ 30+40 & 50+60 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 46 & 72 \\ 70 & 110 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_2 = (A_{21} + A_{22}) B_{11}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 8 \\ 9 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 15 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 24+24 & 16+60 \\ 45+22 & 30+55 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 48 & 76 \\ 67 & 85 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_3 = A_{11}(B_{12} - B_{22})$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 9 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 20+0 & 20+24 \\ 16+0 & 16+24 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 44 \\ 16 & 40 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_4 = A_{22} \times (B_{21} - B_{11})$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 9 \\ 7 & 6 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 7 \\ 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0+20 & 7+4 \\ 0+35 & 42+7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 11 \\ 35 & 49 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_5 = (A_{11} + A_{12}) \times B_{22}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 5 \\ 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0+10 & 15+5 \\ 0+18 & 18+9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 20 \\ 18 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_6 = (A_{21} - A_{11}) \times (B_{11} + B_{12})$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 8 \\ 9 & 4 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 9 \\ 4 & 14 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 14+20 & 18+70 \\ 35+4 & 45+14 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_6 = \begin{bmatrix} 34 & 88 \\ 39 & 49 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_7 = (A_{12} - A_{22}) \times (B_{21} + B_{22})$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 9 \\ 7 & 6 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ -4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 12 \\ 9 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_7 = \begin{bmatrix} -21 & -26 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_{11} = S_1 + S_4 - S_5 + S_7$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 46 & 72 \\ 70 & 110 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 11 \\ 35 & 49 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 20 \\ 18 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_{11} = \begin{bmatrix} 35 & 37 \\ 66 & 77 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_{12} = S_2 + S_4$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 44 \\ 16 & 40 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 20 \\ 18 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_{12} = \begin{bmatrix} 30 & 64 \\ 34 & 67 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_{21} = S_2 + S_4$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 48 & 76 \\ 67 & 85 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 11 \\ 35 & 49 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 68 & 87 \\ 102 & 134 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_{22} = S_1 + S_3 - S_2 + S_6$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 46 & 72 \\ 70 & 110 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 44 \\ 16 & 40 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 48 & 76 \\ 67 & 85 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 34 & 88 \\ 39 & 49 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 66 & 116 \\ 86 & 150 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 48 & 76 \\ 67 & 85 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 34 & 88 \\ 39 & 49 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 52 & 128 \\ 58 & 124 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus the final product matrix C will be -

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 35 & 37 \\ 66 & 77 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 30 & 64 \\ 34 & 67 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 68 & 87 \\ 102 & 134 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 52 & 128 \\ 58 & 124 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 35 & 37 & 30 & 64 \\ 66 & 77 & 34 & 67 \\ 68 & 87 & 52 & 128 \\ 102 & 134 & 58 & 124 \end{bmatrix}$$

```

Algorithm St_Mul(int *A, int *B, int *C, int n)
{
 if (n == 1) then
 {
 (*C) = (*A) + (*A) * (*B);
 }
 else
 {
 St_Mul(A, B, C, n/4);
 St_Mul(A, B + (n/4), C + (n/4), n/4);
 St_Mul(A + 2 * (n/4), B, C + 2 * (n/4), n/4);
 St_Mul(A + 2 * (n/4), B + (n/4), C + 3 * (n/4), n/4);
 St_Mul(A + (n/4), B + 2 * (n/4), C, n/4);
 St_Mul(A + (n/4), B + 3 * (n/4), C + (n/4), n/4);
 St_Mul(A + 3 * (n/4), B + 2 * (n/4), C + 2 * (n/4), n/4);
 St_Mul(A + 3 * (n/4), B + 3 * (n/4), C + 3 * (n/4), n/4);
 }
}

```

### 3.9.2 Analysis of Algorithm

$$T(1) = 1$$

$$T(n) = 7 T(n/2)$$

$$T(n) = 7^k T(n/2^k)$$

$$T(n) = 7^{\log n}$$

$$T(n) = n^{\log 7} = n^{2.81}$$

$$\text{assume } n = 2^k$$

Thus divide and conquer is an algorithmic strategy having with the principle idea of dividing the problem into subproblems. Then solution to these subproblems is obtained in order to get the final solution for the given problem.

### Review Question

1. Explain how divide and conquer method help multiplying two square matrices.

GTU : Winter-11, Marks 4

### 3.10 Exponential

While performing exponentiation operation we can make use of divide and conquer strategy.

Following algorithm shows how to perform exponen

```

Algorithm Exponentiation (x, n)
{
 if (n = 0) then
 return 1;
 else
 r = Exponentiation (x, n/2);
 if (n % 2 == 0) then
 return (r * r) // when exponentiation val
 else
 return (r * r * x) // when expo. value is odd.
}

```

For example : suppose we wish to find  $3^4$  then divide and conquer algorithm, we divide n repeatedly

| When n is even        | When n is odd         |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| $(3)^4$               | $(3)^5$               |
| $= (3)^2 * (3)^2$     | $= 3 (3)^4$           |
| $= (3 * 3) * (3 * 3)$ | $= 3 [(3)^2 * (3)^2]$ |
| $= 9 * 9$             | $= 3 [9 * 9]$         |
| $= 81$                | $= 3 * 81$            |
|                       | $= 243$               |

Analysis The algorithm takes  $O(\log n)$  time to conq

### Review Question

1. Explain how the exponentiation operation can be perform

### 3.11 University Questions with Answers

Regulation 2008

Winter - 2010

- Q.1 Explain the use of divide and conquer techni  
the algorithm for binary search method. Wha

**Q.2** Explain how to apply the divide and conquer strategy for sorting the elements using quick sort with example. [Refer section 3.8] [7]

#### Summer - 2011

**Q.3** Explain how multiplication of large integers can be done efficiently by using divide and conquer technique? [Refer section 3.4] [4]

**Q.4** Design and analyze quick sort algorithm using divide and conquer technique. [Refer section 3.8] [7]

#### Winter - 2011

**Q.5** Explain how divide and conquer method help multiplying two large integers. [Refer section 3.4] [4]

**Q.6** Explain binary search using divide and conquer method and compute its worst case running time. [Refer section 3.5] [7]

**Q.7** Explain quick sort using divide and conquer method and computer it's worst case running time. [Refer section 3.8] [7]

**Q.8** Explain how divide and conquer method help multiplying two square matrices. [Refer section 3.9] [4]

#### Summer - 2012

**Q.9** What is divide and conquer technique? Give the use of it for binary searching method. [Refer section 3.5] [7]

**Q.10** Explain quick sort method with example. [Refer section 3.8] [7]

#### Winter - 2014

**Q.11** Explain Binary search algorithm with divide and conquer strategy and use the recurrence tree to show that the solution to the binary search recurrence  $T(n) = T(n/2) + \Theta(1)$  is  $T(n) = \Theta(\lg n)$ . [Refer section 3.5] [7]

**Q.12** Explain merge sort problem using divide and conquer technique. Give an example. [Refer section 3.7] [7]

**Q.13** Explain how to apply the divide and conquer strategy for sorting the elements using quick sort with example. [Refer section 3.8] [7]

#### Regulation 2013

#### Winter - 2015

**Q.14** Write an algorithm for quick sort and derive and conquer technique also trace given data ( [Refer example 3.8.4]

#### Summer - 2017

**Q.15** Analyze quick sort algorithm in best case and [Refer section 3.8]

**Q.16** Multiply 981 by 1234 by divide and conquer [Refer section 3.4]

#### Winter - 2017

**Q.17** What do you mean by divide and conquer disadvantages of it. [Refer section 3.2]

**Q.18** Solve the following recurrence relation using  $n$ . Here  $T(1) = 1$ . [Refer section 3.7 (Analy

#### Summer - 2018

**Q.19** Discuss best case, average case and worst [Refer section 3.8]

**Q.20** Write standard (conventional) algorithm a multiplication problem. What is the recurrence using master method to derive time complexity [Refer section 3.9]

#### Winter - 2018

**Q.21** Write merge sort algorithm and compute complexity. Sort the list G, U, J, A, R, A, soft. [Refer example 3.7.1]

**Q.22** Demonstrate binary Search method to  $A = \langle 2, 4, 7, 8, 10, 13, 14, 60 \rangle$ . [Refer exam

### 3.12 Short Questions and Answers

**Q.1** What is the basic principle of divide and conquer algorithm ?

**Ans. :** In divide and conquer method, a given problem is,

i) Divided into smaller sub problems. ii) These sub problems are solved independently. iii) Combining all the solutions of sub problems into a solution of the whole.

**Q.2** Give the recurrence relation for divide and conquer.

**Ans. :**  $T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$

**Q.3** Enlist various problems that can be solved using divide and conquer method

**Ans. :** 1. Binary Search 2. Merge Sort 3. Quick sort 4. Matrix Multiplication

**Q.4** What is the recurrence relation for large number multiplication?

**Ans. :**  $T(n) = 3T(n/2)$

**Q.5** What is the precondition necessary for binary search?

**Ans. :** The list of numbers from which the key element is to be searched must be sorted.

**Q.6** What is the time complexity of binary search?

**Ans. :** The time complexity of binary search algorithm is  $O(\log_2 n)$

**Q.7** What is the major advantage of binary search method?

**Ans. :** Binary search is an optimal searching algorithm using which we can search the desired element very efficiently.

**Q.8** What is the application of binary search method?

**Ans. :** i) Binary search method is used to search the record from the database.

ii) Binary search method is used for solving nonlinear equations with one unknown.

**Q.9** Give the difference between linear search and binary search method.

**Ans. :**

| Sr. No. | Sequential technique                                   | Binary search technique                                                             |
|---------|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.      | This is the simple technique of searching an element.  | This is the efficient technique of searching an element.                            |
| 2.      | This technique does not require the list to be sorted. | This technique requires the list to be sorted. Then only this method is applicable. |

**Q.10** Name two sorting techniques that make use of

**Ans. :** Merge sort and quick sort are two sorting methods that use the divide and conquer technique.

**Q.11** Write a C code that illustrates the use of merge sort.

**Ans. :**

```
Algorithm MergeSort(int A[0...n-1], low, high)
{
 if (low < high) then
 {
 mid = (low + high) / 2; // split the array
 MergeSort(A, low, mid); // first sublist
 MergeSort(A, mid + 1, high); // second sublist
 Combine(A, low, mid, high); // merging of two sorted sublists
 }
}
```

**Q.12** Why merge sort is called stable sorting algorithm?

**Ans. :** A sorting algorithm is said to be stable if it preserves the relative order of elements having equal keys. Merge sort is a stable sorting algorithm because it preserves this kind of ordering. Hence merge sort is called a stable sorting algorithm.

**Q.13** Enlist two drawbacks of merge sort.

**Ans. :** i) This algorithm requires extra storage to store the elements being sorted.

ii) This method is slower than the quick sort.

**Q.14** Give time complexity of merge sort algorithm.

**Ans. :** The best, worst and average case time complexity of merge sort is  $O(n \log n)$ .

**Q.15** What is the time complexity of Strassen's matrix multiplication algorithm?

**Ans. :**  $T(n) = n^{\log_2 7}$   
 $= n^{2.81}$



**4.1 Introduction**

Dynamic programming is typically applied to optimization problem. This technique is invented by a U.S. Mathematician Richard Bellman in 1950. In the word dynamic programming the word **programming** stands for **planning** and it does not mean by computer programming.

- Dynamic programming is technique for solving problems with overlapping subproblems.
- In this method each subproblem is solved only once. The result of each subproblem is recorded in a table from which we can obtain a solution to the original problem.

**4.1.1 General Method**

Dynamic programming is typically applied to optimization problems.

For each given problem, we may get any number of solutions we seek for optimum solution (i.e. minimum value or maximum value solution). And such an optimal solution becomes the solution to the given problem.

**4.2 Comparison of Dynamic Programming with Other Strategies**

**GTU : Winter-10,11, Summer-12,18, Marks 4**

**4.2.1 Divide and Conquer and Dynamic Programming**

| Sr. No. | Divide and conquer                                                                                                                                                                                   | Dynamic programming                                                                                             |
|---------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.      | The problem is divided into small subproblems. These subproblems are solved independently. Finally all the solutions of subproblems are collected together to get the solution to the given problem. | In dynamic programming many decision sequences are generated and all the overlapping substances are considered. |
| 2.      | In this method duplications in subsolutions are neglected. i.e., duplicate subsolutions may be obtained.                                                                                             | In dynamic computing duplications in solutions is avoided totally.                                              |
| 3.      | Divide and conquer is less efficient because of rework on solutions.                                                                                                                                 | Dynamic programming is efficient than divide and conquer strategy.                                              |
| 4.      | The divide and conquer uses top down approach of problem solving (recursive methods).                                                                                                                | Dynamic programming uses bottom up approach of problem solving (iterative method).                              |
| 5.      | Divide and conquer splits its input at specific deterministic points usually in the                                                                                                                  | Dynamic programming splits its input at                                                                         |

**Example 4.2.1** What are the advantages of divide-&-conquer method ?

- Solution :**
- 1) In dynamic programming duplicating solutions are avoided.
  - 2) The dynamic programming technique conquer algorithm
  - 3) In divide and conquer algorithm the However, the dynamic programming possible split points. After trying all split point is optimal.

**Example 4.2.2** What are the disadvantages of greedy method ?

- Solution :**
- 1) In Greedy algorithm there is no guarantee of optimum solution.
  - 2) The optimum selection is without any relation to the overall solution.
  - 3) Designing Greedy solution with right relation to the overall solution is difficult.
  - 4) Showing a Greedy algorithm correct is difficult.

**4.2.2 Steps of Dynamic Programming**

Dynamic programming design involves 4 major steps:

1. Characterize the structure of optimal solution. notation that can express any solution and sub-solution.
2. Recursively define the value of an optimal solution.
3. By using bottom up technique compute value of optimal solution. have to develop a recurrence relation that uses the mathematical notation of step 1.
4. Compute an optimal solution from computed values.

**4.2.3 Principle of Optimality**

The dynamic programming algorithm obtain optimal solution.

The principle of optimality states that "in an optimal solution, each subsequence must also be optimal."

When it is not possible to apply the principle of optimality, then we use dynamic programming to obtain the solution using the dynamic programming technique.

#### 4.2.4 Problem Solving using Dynamic Programming

Various problems that can be solved using dynamic programming are -

1. Calculating the Binomial coefficient
2. Making change problem
3. Assembly line scheduling
4. Knapsack problem
5. Shortest path
6. Matrix chain Multiplication

#### Review Questions

1. Define : Principle of optimality. **GTU : Winter-10, Marks 2**
2. Explain the difference between divide and conquer and dynamic programming. **GTU : Winter-11, Marks 3**
3. What is principle of optimality? Explain its use in dynamic programming method. **GTU : Summer-12, Marks 4**

#### 4.3 Calculating the Binomial Coefficient

Computing binomial coefficient is a typical example of applying dynamic programming.

In mathematics, particularly in combinatorics, binomial coefficient is a coefficient of any of the terms in the expansion of  $(a + b)^n$ . It is denoted by  $C(n, k)$  or  $\binom{n}{k}$  where  $(0 \leq k \leq n)$ .

The formula for computing binomial coefficient is,

$$C(n, k) = C(n - 1, k - 1) + C(n - 1, k)$$

and  $C(n, 0) = 1$

$$C(n, n) = 1$$

where  $n > k > 0$

**Example 4.3.1** Compute  $C(4, 2)$  using Dynamic programming.

**Solution :**  $n = 4, k = 2$

As there are two unknowns :  $C(3, 1)$  and  $C(3, 2)$  in these sub instances of  $C(4, 2)$ .

$$\therefore n = 3, k = 1$$

$$C(3, 1) = C(2, 0) + C(2, 1)$$

As  $C(n, 0) = 1$  We can write

$$C(2, 0) = 1$$

$$\therefore C(3, 1) = 1 + C(2, 1)$$

Hence let us compute  $C(2, 1)$ .

$$n = 2, k = 1$$

$$\therefore C(2, 1) = C(n - 1, k - 1) + C(n - 1, k) = C(1, 0) + C(1, 1)$$

But as  $C(n, 0) = 1$  and  $C(n, n) = 1$  we get

$$C(1, 0) = 1 \text{ and } C(1, 1) = 1$$

$$\therefore C(2, 1) = C(1, 0) + C(1, 1) = 1 + 1$$

$$C(2, 1) = 2$$

Put this value in equation (4.3.2) and we get

$$C(3, 1) = 1 + 2$$

$$C(3, 1) = 3$$

Now to solve equation (4.3.1) we will first compute

$$\therefore C(3, 2) = C(n - 1, k - 1) + C(n - 1, k)$$

$$C(3, 2) = C(2, 1) + C(2, 2)$$

But as  $C(n, n) = C(2, 2) = 1$ , we will put values of and  $C(2, 2)$  in  $C(3, 2)$  we get,

$$C(3, 2) = C(2, 1) + C(2, 2) = 2 + 1$$

$$C(3, 2) = 3$$

Put equation (4.3.4) and (4.3.5) in equation (4.3.1),

$$C(4, 2) = C(3, 1) + C(3, 2) = 3 + 3$$

### How Dynamic Programming approach is used ?

While computing  $C(n, k)$  the smaller overlapping sequences get generated by  $C(n-1, k-1)$  and  $C(n-1, k)$ . These overlapping, smaller instances of problem need to be solved first. The solutions which we obtained by solving these instances will ultimately generate the final solution. Thus for computing binomial coefficient dynamic programming is used.

#### Example 4.3.2

Find out the NCR  $\binom{5}{3}$  using dynamic method.

GIU : Winter-18, Marks 3

**Solution :** Let us compute  $C(5, 3)$ .

$$n = 5, k = 3$$

$$C(5, 3) = C(n-1, k-1) + C(n-1, k)$$

$$C(5, 3) = C(4, 2) + C(4, 3) \quad \dots(1)$$

Here there are two unknowns :  $C(4, 2)$  and  $C(4, 3)$ . Let us compute them one by one we will compute  $C(4, 2)$ .

$$\therefore n = 4, k = 2$$

$$\therefore C(4, 2) = C(n-1, k-1) + C(n-1, k)$$

$$C(4, 2) = C(3, 1) + C(3, 2) \quad \dots(2)$$

We will compute  $C(3, 1)$

$$C(3, 1) = C(n-1, k-1) + C(n-1, k)$$

$$= C(2, 0) + C(2, 1)$$

$$\therefore C(2, 0) = 1 \quad \dots(3)$$

Now we will compute  $C(2, 1)$

$$C(2, 1) = C(n-1, k-1) + C(n-1, k) = C(1, 0) + C(1, 1)$$

$$\text{As } C(n, 0) = 1 \text{ and } C(n, n) = 1$$

$$\text{We get, } C(2, 1) = C(1, 0) + C(1, 1)$$

$$= 1 + 1$$

$$\therefore C(2, 1) = 2$$

$$\dots(4)$$

Put equation (4) in equation (3), we get -

$$C(3, 1) = 1 + C(2, 1) = 1 + 2$$

$$C(3, 1) = 3$$

We will compute  $C(3, 2)$

$$C(3, 2) = C(n-1, k-1) + C(n-1, k) =$$

$$\therefore C(3, 2) = 3$$

Now put equation (5) and (6) in equation (2)

$$C(4, 2) = C(3, 1) + C(3, 2) \\ = 3 + 3$$

$$\therefore C(4, 2) = 6$$

Now let us compute  $C(4, 3)$

$$C(4, 3) = C(n-1, k-1) + C(n-1, k) \\ = C(3, 2) + C(3, 3) = 3 + 1$$

$$\therefore C(4, 3) = 4$$

Let us put equation (7) and (8) in equation (1)

$$\therefore C(5, 3) = C(4, 2) + C(4, 3) = 6 + 4$$

$$\therefore C(5, 3) = 10$$

If we record binomial coefficients  $n$  and  $k$  values

|       |   |   |   |   |   |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
|       | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 0     | 1 |   |   |   |   |
| 1     | 1 | 1 |   |   |   |
| 2     | 1 | 2 | 1 |   |   |
| 3     | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 |   |
| 4     | 1 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 1 |
| 5     |   |   |   |   |   |
| ⋮     |   |   |   |   |   |
| k     |   | 1 |   |   |   |
| ⋮     |   |   |   |   |   |
| (n-1) |   | 1 |   |   |   |
| n     |   |   | 1 |   |   |

|   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| 0 | 1                  |
| 1 | 1 1                |
| 2 | 1 2 1              |
| 3 | 1 3 3 1            |
| 4 | 1 4 (6) 4 1        |
| 5 | 1 5 10 10 5 1      |
| 6 | 1 6 15 (20) 15 6 1 |

C(6,3) = 20

We have obtained C(4,2) in above example

To compute C(n,k) we fill up the above given table row by row starting with C(n,0) = 1 and ending with C(n, n) = 1. The cell at current row is calculated by two adjacent cells of previous row. The algorithm for computing binomial coefficient is as given below,

**Algorithm**

```

Algorithm Binomial (n,k)
//Problem Description : This algorithm is for
//computing C(n,k) i.e., Binomial coefficient
//Input : A pair of non negative integers n and k.
//Output : The value of C(n,k)
for i ← 0 to n do
{
 for j ← 0 to k do
//k is computed as min(i,k)
 if ((j=0 or (i=j))) then
 C[i,j] ← 1
 else //start filling the table
 C[i,j] ← C[i-1,j-1] + C[i-1,j]
}
return C[n,k] //Computed value of C(n,k)

```

**Analysis**

The basic operation is addition i.e.,

$$C[i, j] \leftarrow C[i - 1, j - 1] + C[i - 1, j]$$

Let A(n,k) denotes total additions made in computing C(n,k)

$$\begin{aligned}
 A(n,k) &= \sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} 1 + \sum_{i=k+1}^n \sum_{j=1}^k 1 \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^k [(i-1)-1+1] + \sum_{i=k+1}^n (k-1+1) + \sum_{i=1}^k 1 \\
 &= \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^k (i-1)}_{\rightarrow} + \sum_{i=k+1}^n k \\
 &= [1+2+3+\dots+(k-1)] + k \sum_{i=k+1}^n 1 \\
 &= \frac{(k-1)k}{2} + k \sum_{i=k+1}^n 1 \\
 &= \frac{(k-1)k}{2} + k(n - (k+1) + 1) \\
 &= \frac{(k-1)k}{2} + k(n - k - 1 + 1) \\
 &= \frac{(k-1)k}{2} + k(n - k) \\
 &= \frac{k^2}{2} - \frac{k}{2} + nk - k^2 \\
 &\approx nk
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence time complexity of binomial coefficient is  $\Theta(\dots)$

**C Program**

```

//*****
Program for computing binomial coefficient C(n,k)
//*****
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#define MAX 10
void main()

```

```

int Binomial(int n,int k);
clrscr();
printf("\n Enter the value of n and k");
scanf("%d%d",&n,&k);
result = Binomial(n,k);
printf("\n The Binomial Coefficient ");
printf("C(%d,%d) = %d",n,k,result);
getch();
}
int Binomial(int n,int k)
{
int i,j;
int C[MAX][MAX];
for(i=0;i<MAX;i++)
for(j=0;j<MAX;j++)
C[i][j]=0;
for(i=0;i<=n;i++)
{
for(j=0;j<=k;j++)
{
if((j==0) || (i==j))
C[i][j] = 1;
else
C[i][j] = C[i-1][j-1] + C[i-1][j];
}
}
return C[n][k];
}
int min(int a,int b)
{
if(a<b)
return a;
else
return b;
}

```

Output

Enter the value of n and k = 4,2

The Binomial Coefficient? C(4,2) = 6

#### 4.4 Making Change Problem

GTU : June-11, Summer

Suppose there are some coins available. The values

- 1 dollar = 100 cents
- 1 quarter = 25 cents
- 1 dimes = 10 cents
- 1 nickels = 5 cents
- 1 pennies = 1 cent

Now the making change problem is to pay the desired few coins as possible.

**For example :** If a customer wants to pay 3.37 \$ (= 300 cents) + 1 quarter (= 25 cents) + 1 dime (= 10 cents) = 3.37 \$.

This method uses **Greedy** approach because at every step the coin is selected then the next coin is selected. Unfortunately this approach is not efficient, it works only for limited number of instances of 1, 4 and 6 units and we have to make change for 9 units and 3 units.

1. **Greedy Method :** Select one coin of 6 unit and 3 units.
2. **Better Method :** Select two coins of 4 units and 1 unit.

This better method is devised by dynamic programming.

For solving this problem using dynamic programming, we will create a table with rows corresponding to denomination and columns corresponding to units.

**Example 4.4.1** Solve making change problem for  $d_1 = 6$  units and  $N = 8$  units.

$N = 8$  units.

**Solution :** Given that :

$d_1 = 6, d_2 = 4, d_3 = 3, N = 8$  units

Hence we will create a table with rows ranging from 0 to 8.

|       |           |     |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|-------|-----------|-----|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|       |           | j → |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|       |           | 0   | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| i = 1 | $d_1 = 1$ |     |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| i = 2 | $d_2 = 4$ |     |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| i = 3 | $d_3 = 6$ |     |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |

We can perform computations row-by-row from left to right, or column-by-column from top to bottom or diagonally.

Here we will perform computation column-by-column and fill up the table accordingly. We will use following formula for computations.

1. If  $i = 1$  then  $c[i, j] = 1 + c[1, j - d_1]$
2. If  $j < d_i$  then  $c[i, j] = c[i - 1, j]$
3. Otherwise  $c[i][j] = \min(c[i - 1, j], 1 + c[i, j - d_i])$

$c[1,1]$  with  $i=1, j=1, d_1=1$ .  
As  $i = 1$

Formula used :  $1 + c[1, j - d_1]$   
 $= 1 + c[1, 1 - 1]$   
 $= 1 + c[1, 0]$   
 $= 1 + 0$   
 $= 1$

$\therefore c[1, 1] = 1$   
 $c[2, 1]$  with  $i=2, j=1, d_2=4$ .

As  $j < d_2$  i.e.  $1 < 4$   
 Formula used :  $c[i - 1, j]$   
 $= c[1, 1]$   
 $= 1$

$\therefore c[2, 1] = 1$   
 $c[3, 1]$  with  $i=3, j=1, d_3=6$

Formula used :  $c[i - 1, j]$   
 $= c[3 - 1, 1]$   
 $= c[2, 1]$   
 $= 1$

$\therefore c[3, 1] = 1$   
 $c[1, 2]$  with  $i=1, j=2, d_1=1$   
 As  $i = 1$

Formula used :  $1 + c[1, j - d_1]$   
 $= 1 + c[1, 2 - 1]$   
 $= 1 + c[1, 1]$   
 $= 1 + 1$   
 $= 2$

$\therefore c[1, 2] = 2$   
 $c[2, 2]$  with  $i=2, j=2, d_2=4$   
 As  $j < d_2$  i.e.  $2 < 4$

Formula used :  $c[i - 1, j]$   
 $= c[1, 2]$   
 $= 2$

$\therefore c[2, 2] = 2$   
 $c[3, 2]$  with  $i=3, j=2, d_3=6$   
 As  $j < d_3$  i.e.  $2 < 6$

Formula used :  $c[i - 1, j]$   
 $= c[2, 2]$   
 $= 2$

$\therefore c[2, 2] = 2$   
 $c[1, 3]$  with  $i=1, j=3, d_1=1$   
 As  $i = 1$

$$= 1 + c[1,3-1]$$

$$= 1 + c[1,2]$$

$$= 1 + 2$$

$$= 3$$

$$\therefore c[1,3] = 3$$

$$c[2,3] \text{ with } i=2, j=3, d_2=4$$

$$\text{As } j < d_3 \text{ i.e. } 3 < 4$$

$$\text{Formula used : } c[i-1, j]$$

$$= c[1,3]$$

$$= 3$$

$$\therefore c[2,3] = 3$$

$$c[3,3] \text{ with } i=3, j=3, d_3=6$$

$$\text{As } j < d_3 \text{ i.e. } 3 < 6$$

$$\text{Formula used : } c[i-1, j]$$

$$= c[2,3]$$

$$= 3$$

$$\therefore c[3,3] = 3$$

$$c[1,4] \text{ with } i=1, j=4, d_1=1$$

$$\text{As } i = 1$$

$$\text{Formula used : } 1 + c[1, j - d_1]$$

$$= 1 + c[1, 4 - 1]$$

$$= 1 + c[1, 3]$$

$$= 1 + 3$$

$$= 4$$

$$\therefore c[1,4] = 4$$

$$c[2,4] \text{ with } i=2, j=4, d_2=4$$

$$\text{As } i \neq 1 \text{ and } i > d_2$$

$$\text{Formula used : } \min(c[i-1, j], 1 + c[i, j - d[i]])$$

$$= \min(c[2-1, 4], 1 + c[2, 4-4])$$

$$= \min(c[1, 4], 1 + c[2, 0])$$

$$= \min(4, 1 + 0)$$

$$= 1$$

$$\therefore c[2,4] = 1$$

$$c[3,4] \text{ with } i=3, j=4, d_3=6$$

$$\text{As } j < d_3 \text{ i.e. } 4 < 6$$

$$\text{Formula used : } c[i-1, j]$$

$$= c[2,4]$$

$$= 1$$

$$\therefore c[3,4] = 1$$

$$c[1,5] \text{ with } i=1, j=5, d_1=1$$

$$\text{As } i = 1$$

$$\text{Formula used : } 1 + c[1, j - d_1]$$

$$= 1 + c[1, 5-1]$$

$$= 1 + c[1, 4]$$

$$= 1 + 4$$

$$= 5$$

$$\therefore c[1,5] = 5$$

$$c[2,5] \text{ with } i=2, j=5, d_2=4$$

$$\text{As } i \neq 1 \text{ and } j > d_2$$

$$\text{Formula used : } \min(c[i-1, j], 1 + c[i, j - d_2])$$

$$= \min(c[1, 5], 1 + c[2, 5-4])$$

$$= \min(c[1, 5], 1 + c[2, 1])$$

$$= \min(5, 1+1)$$

$$= 2$$

As  $j < d_3$  i.e.  $5 < 6$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Formula used} &: c[i-1, j] \\ &= c[3-1, 5] \\ &= c[2, 5] \\ \therefore c[3, 5] &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$c[1, 6]$  with  $i=1, j=6, d_1=1$

As  $i=1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Formula used} &: 1 + c[1, j-d_1] \\ &= 1 + c[1, 6-1] \\ &= 1 + c[1, 5] \\ &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore c[1, 6] = 6$

$c[2, 6]$  with  $i=2, j=6, d_2=4$

As  $i \neq 2$  and  $j > d_2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Formula used} &: \min(c[i-1, j], 1 + c[i, j-d_2]) \\ &= \min(c[1, 6], 1 + c[2, 2]) \\ &= \min(6, 1 + 2) \\ &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore c[2, 6] = 3$

$c[3, 6]$  with  $i=3, j=6, d_3=6$

As  $i \neq 3$  and  $j > d_3$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Formula used} &: \min(c[i-1, j], 1 + c[i, j-d_3]) \\ &= \min(c[2, 6], 1 + c[3, 0]) \\ &= \min(3, 1 + 0) \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore c[3, 6] = 1$

$c[1, 7]$  with  $i=1, j=7, d_1=1$

As  $i=1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Formula used} &: 1 + c[1, j-d_1] \\ &= 1 + c[1, 6] \\ &= 1 + 6 \\ \therefore c[1, 7] &= 7 \end{aligned}$$

$c[2, 7]$  with  $i=2, j=7, d_2=4$

As  $i \neq 1$  and  $j > d_2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Formula used} &: \min(c[i-1, j], 1 + c[i, j-d_2]) \\ &= \min(c[1, 7], 1 + c[2, 3]) \\ &= \min(7, 1 + 3) \\ &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore c[2, 7] = 4$

$c[3, 7]$  with  $i=3, j=7, d_3=6$

As  $i \neq 1$  and  $j > d_3$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Formula used} &: \min(c[i-1, j], 1 + c[i, j-d_3]) \\ &= \min(c[2, 7], 1 + c[3, 1]) \\ &= \min(4, 1 + 1) \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore c[3, 7] = 2$

$c[1, 8]$  with  $i=1, j=8, d_1=1$

As  $i=1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Formula used} &: 1 + c[1, j-d_1] \\ &= 1 + c[1, 7] \\ &= 1 + 7 \\ &= 8 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore c[1, 8] = 8$

$c[2, 8]$  with  $i=2, j=8, d_2=4$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \min (c[1,8], 1+c[2,4]) \\
 &= \min (8, 1+1) \\
 &= 2 \\
 \therefore \quad c[2,8] &= 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$c[3,8]$  with  $i=3, j=8, d_3=6$

As  $i \neq 1$  and  $j > d_3$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Formula used : } &\min (c[i-1,j], 1+c[i,j-d_3]) \\
 &= \min (c[2,8], 1+c[3,2]) \\
 &= \min (2, 1+2) \\
 &= 2 \\
 \therefore \quad c[3,8] &= 2
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus we can represent the table filled up by above computations will be

|         |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|         | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| $i=1$   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| $d_1=1$ |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| $i=2$   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| $d_2=4$ |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| $i=3$   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| $d_3=6$ |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |

↑ Total number of coins

The value  $c[n, N]$  i.e.  $c[3, 8] = 2$  represents the minimum number of coins required to get the sum for 8 units. Hence we require 2 coins for getting 8 units. The coins are :

- 4 units = 1 coin
- + 4 units = 1 coin
- 8 units = 2 coins

**Example 4.4.2** Given coins of denominations 2, 4 and 5 with amount to be pay is 7. Find optimal number of coins and sequence of coins used to pay given amount using dynamic method.

**Solution :**  $d_1 = 2, d_2 = 4, d_3 = 5, N = 7$

Initially  $C[i, 0] = 0$

$$\therefore C[1, 0] = C[2, 0] = C[3, 0] = 0$$

|         |   |   |   |   |
|---------|---|---|---|---|
|         | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| $i=1$   |   |   |   |   |
| $d_1=2$ |   |   |   |   |
| $i=2$   |   |   |   |   |
| $d_2=4$ |   |   |   |   |
| $i=3$   |   |   |   |   |
| $d_3=5$ |   |   |   |   |

Computations can be performed column by column

$C[1, 1]$  with  $i=1, j=1, d_1=2$

As  $i=1$

$$C[1,1] = 1+C[1,j-d_1]$$

$$C[1,1] = 1+C[1,-1]$$

$$C[1,1] = \infty$$

$C[2, 1]$  with  $i=2, j=1, d_2=4$

$$C[2,1] = C[i-1, j]$$

$$C[2,1] = C[1,1]$$

$$C[2,1] = \infty$$

$C[3, 1]$  with  $i=3, j=1, d_3=5$

As  $j < d_3$

$$C[i, j] = C[i-1, j]$$

$$C[3, 1] = C[2, 1]$$

$$\therefore C[3, 1] = \infty$$

$C[1, 2]$  with  $i=1, j=2, d_1=2$

As  $i=1$

$$C[i, j] = 1+C[1, j-d_1]$$

$$C[1, 2] = 1+C[1, 0] = 1+0$$

$$\therefore C[1, 2] = 1$$

$C[2, 2]$  with  $i=2, j=2, d_2=4$

As  $j < d_2$

$$C[i, j] = C[i-1, j]$$

$$C[2, 2] = C[1, 2]$$

$C[3, 2]$  with  $i = 3, j = 2, d_3 = 5$

As  $j < d_3$

$$C[i, j] = C[i-1, j]$$

$$\therefore C[3, 2] = C[2, 2]$$

$$\therefore C[3, 2] = 1$$

$C[1, 3]$  with  $i = 1, j = 3, d_1 = 2$

As  $i = 1$

$$C[i, j] = 1 + C[1, j - d_1]$$

$$= 1 + C[1, 3 - 2] = 1 + C[1, 1]$$

$$C[1, 3] = \infty$$

$C[2, 3]$  with  $i = 2, j = 3, d_2 = 4$

As  $j < d_2$

$$C[i, j] = C[i-1, j]$$

$$C[2, 3] = C[1, 3]$$

$$\therefore C[2, 3] = \infty$$

$C[3, 3]$  with  $i = 3, j = 3, d_3 = 5$

As  $j < d_3$

$$C[i, j] = C[i-1, j]$$

$$\therefore C[3, 3] = C[2, 3]$$

$$\therefore C[3, 3] = \infty$$

$C[1, 4]$  with  $i = 1, j = 4, d_1 = 2$

As  $i = 1$

$$C[i, j] = 1 + C[1, j - d_1]$$

$$C[1, 4] = 1 + C[1, 2] = 1 + 1$$

$$\therefore C[1, 4] = 2$$

$C[2, 4]$  with  $i = 2, j = 4, d_2 = 4$

As  $d_2 = j$  and  $i \neq 1$

$$C[i, j] = \min(C[i-1, j], 1 + C[i, j - d[i]])$$

$$= \min(C[1, 4], 1 + 0)$$

$$C[2, 4] = \min(2, 1)$$

$C[3, 4]$  with  $i = 3, j = 4$  and  $d_3 = 5$

As  $j < d_3$

$$C[i, j] = C[i-1, j]$$

$$C[3, 4] = C[2, 4]$$

$$\therefore C[3, 4] = 1$$

$C[1, 5]$  with  $i = 1, j = 5$  and  $d_1 = 2$

As  $i = 1$

$$C[i, j] = 1 + C[i, j - d_1]$$

$$= 1 + C[1, 3]$$

$$C[1, 5] = \infty$$

$C[2, 5]$  with  $i = 2, j = 5$  and  $d_2 = 4$

$$C[i, j] = \min(C[i-1, j], 1 + C[i, j - d[i]])$$

$$= \min(C[1, 5], 1 + C[2, 1])$$

$$C[2, 5] = \min(\infty, 1 + \infty)$$

$$C[2, 5] = \infty$$

$C[3, 5]$  with  $i = 3, j = 5$  and  $d_3 = 5$

$$C[i, j] = \min(C[i-1, j], 1 + C[i, j - d[i]])$$

$$= \min(C[2, 5], 1 + C[3, 0])$$

$$C[3, 5] = \min(\infty, 1 + 0)$$

$$C[3, 5] = 1$$

$C[1, 6]$  with  $i = 1, j = 6, d_1 = 2$

As  $i = 1$

$$C[i, j] = 1 + C[i, j - d_1]$$

$$C[1, 6] = 1 + C[1, 4] = 1 + 2$$

$$C[1, 6] = 3$$

$C[2, 6]$  with  $i = 2, j = 6, d_2 = 4$

$$= \min (C[1,6], 1+C[2,2])$$

$$C[2,6] = \min (3, 1+1)$$

$$C[2,6] = 2$$

$$C[3,6] \text{ with } i = 3, j = 6, d_3 = 5$$

$$C[i,j] = \min (C[i-1,j], 1+C[i,j-d[i]])$$

$$= \min (C[2,6], 1+C[3,1])$$

$$= \min (2, 1+\infty)$$

$$C[3,6] = 2$$

$$C[1,7] \text{ with } i = 1, j = 7 \text{ and } d_1 = 2$$

As  $i = 1$

$$C[i,j] = 1+C[i,j-d_1]$$

$$= 1+C[1,5] = 1+\infty$$

$$C[1,7] = \infty$$

$$C[2,7] \text{ with } i = 2, j = 7 \text{ and } d_2 = 4$$

$$C[i,j] = \min (C[i-1,j], 1+C[i,j-d[i]])$$

$$= \min (C[1,7], 1+C[2,3])$$

$$= \min (\infty, 1+\infty)$$

$$C[2,7] = \infty$$

$$C[3,7] \text{ with } i = 3, j = 7 \text{ and } d_3 = 5$$

$$C[i,j] = \min (C[i-1,j], 1+C[i,j-d[i]])$$

$$= \min (C[2,7], 1+C[3,2])$$

$$= \min (\infty, 1+1)$$

$$C[3,7] = 2$$

The table can be

|         |           |   |          |   |          |   |   |          |
|---------|-----------|---|----------|---|----------|---|---|----------|
|         | 0         | 1 | 2        | 3 | 4        | 5 | 6 | 7        |
| $i = 1$ | $d_1 = 2$ | 0 | $\infty$ | 1 | $\infty$ | 2 | 3 | $\infty$ |
| $i = 2$ | $d_2 = 4$ | 0 | $\infty$ | 1 | $\infty$ | 1 | 2 | $\infty$ |
| $i = 3$ | $d_3 = 5$ | 0 | $\infty$ | 1 | $\infty$ | 1 | 2 | 2        |

↑  
Total number of

That means 2 coins are required for sum as 7. The c

$$d_1 = 2 \rightarrow 1 \text{ coin}$$

$$d_3 = 5 \rightarrow 1 \text{ coin}$$

Total 7 with 2 coins

**Example 4.4.3** Solve making change problem using Dynam

$d1 = 1, d2 = 4, d3 = 6$ ). Give your answer for making c

**Solution :**  $d_1 = 1, d_2 = 4, d_3 = 6, N = 9$  ₹,  $n = 3$ . Hence ranging from 1 to 3 and columns ranging from 0 to 9.

Initially  $C[i, 0] = 0 \therefore C[1, 0] = C[2, 0] = C[3, 0] = 0$

j →

|           |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|           | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| $d_1 = 1$ | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| $d_2 = 4$ | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| $d_3 = 6$ | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |

We will complete the table column-by-column : Re

|           |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|           | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| $d_1 = 1$ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| $d_2 = 4$ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| $d_3 = 6$ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 |

$c[1, 9]$  with  $i = 1, j = 9, d_1 = 1$

As  $i = 1$

Formula used :  $1 + c[1, j - d_1]$

$$= 1 + c[1, 8]$$

$$= 1 + 8$$

$$= 9$$

$$\therefore c[1, 9] = 9$$

As  $i \neq 1$  and  $j > d_2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Formula used : } \min (c [i - 1, j], 1 + c [i, j - d_2]) \\ = \min (c [1, 9], 1 + c [2, 5]) \\ = \min (9, 1 + 2) \\ = 3 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore c[2, 9] = 3$

$c [3, 9]$  with  $i = 3, j = 9, d_3 = 6$

As  $i \neq 1$  and  $j > d_3$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Formula used : } \min (c [i - 1, j], 1 + c [i, j - d_3]) \\ = \min (c [2, 9], 1 + c [3, 3]) \\ = \min (3, 1 + 3) \\ = 3 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore c[3, 9] = 3$

Thus the complete table filled up by all the computations will be

|           |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|           | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| $d_1 = 1$ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| $d_2 = 4$ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 3 |
| $d_3 = 6$ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 |

Total number of coins

The value  $c[n, N]$  i.e.  $c [3, 9] = 3$  represents the minimum number of coins required to get the sum for 9 units. Hence coins will be

$$\begin{aligned} d_2 = 4 & \quad 1 \text{ coin} \\ d_2 = + 4 & \quad 1 \text{ coin} \\ d_1 = + 1 & \quad 1 \text{ coin} \end{aligned}$$

$\text{₹ } 9 = 3 \text{ coins}$

**Example 4.4.4** Solve making change problem using dynamic technique.

**Solution :** Let,

$$d_1 = 1, d_2 = 3, d_3 = 5, d_4 = 6$$

We will create a table with rows ranging from 1 to 4.

Initially  $c [i, 0] = 0$

|                      |   |   |   |   |   |
|----------------------|---|---|---|---|---|
|                      | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| $i = 1$<br>$d_1 = 1$ | 0 |   |   |   |   |
| $i = 2$<br>$d_2 = 3$ | 0 |   |   |   |   |
| $i = 3$<br>$d_3 = 5$ | 0 |   |   |   |   |
| $i = 4$<br>$d_4 = 6$ | 0 |   |   |   |   |

Computations can be performed column by column

$c [1, 1]$  with  $i = 1, j = 1, d_1 = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{As } i = 1 \\ c [1, 1] = 1 + c [1, j - d_1] \\ = 1 + c [1, 0] \\ = 1 + 0 \\ c [1, 1] = 1. \end{aligned}$$

$c [2, 1]$  with  $i = 2, j = 1, d_2 = 3$ .

Here  $j < d_i$  i.e.  $1 < 3$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore c [i, j] = c [i - 1, j] \\ c [2, 1] = c [2 - 1, 1] \\ = c [1, 1] \end{aligned}$$

$c [2, 1] = 1$ .

$c [3, 1]$  with  $i = 3, j = 1, d_3 = 5$ .

$j < d_i$  i.e.  $1 < 5$

$$\therefore c [i, j] = c [i - 1, j]$$

$$c [3, 1] = c [3 - 1, 1] = c [2, 1]$$

$c [4, 1]$  with  $i = 4, j = 1, d4 = 6$ .

$j < d4$  i.e.  $1 < 6$

$\therefore c [i, j] = c [i - 1, j]$

$c [4, 1] = c [4 - 1, 1]$

$= c [3, 1]$

$c [4, 1] = 1$ .

$c [1, 2]$  with  $i = 1, j = 2, d1 = 1$ .

Here  $As i = 1$

$\therefore c [i, j] = 1 + c [1, j - d1]$

$= 1 + c [1, 1] = 1 + 1$

$c [1, 2] = 2$ .

$c [2, 2]$  with  $i = 2, j = 2, d2 = 3$ .

$As j < di$  i.e.  $2 < 3$

$\therefore c [i, j] = c [i - 1, j]$

$= c [2 - 1, 2]$

$= c [1, 2]$

$c [2, 2] = 2$

$c [3, 2]$  with  $i = 3, j = 2, d3 = 5$

$As j < di$  i.e.  $2 < 5$

$c [i, j] = c [i - 1, j]$

$= c [3 - 1, 2]$

$= c [2, 2]$

$c [3, 2] = 2$ .

$c [4, 2]$  with  $i = 4, j = 2, d4 = 6$ .

$As j < di$  i.e.  $2 < 6$

$\therefore c [i, j] = c [i - 1, j]$

$= c [4 - 1, 2]$

$= c [3, 2]$

$c [1, 3]$  with  $i = 1, j = 3, d1 = 1$ .

$As i = 1$

$\therefore c [i, j] = 1 + c [1, j - d1]$

$= 1 + c [1, 3 - 1]$

$= 1 + c [1, 2]$

$c [1, 3] = 3$ .

$c [2, 3]$  with  $i = 2, j = 3, d2 = 3$ .

$i \neq 1$  and  $j = di$

$\therefore$  Formula used  $c [i, j] = \min (c [i - 1, j], 1 + c [i, j - 3])$

$\therefore c [2, 3] = \min (c [2 - 1, 3], 1 + c [2, 3 - 3])$

$= \min (c [1, 3], 1 + c [2, 0])$

$= \min (3, 1 + 0)$

$c [2, 3] = 1$ .

$c [3, 3]$  with  $i = 3, j = 3, d3 = 5$ .

$j < di$  i.e.  $3 < 5$

$\therefore c [i, j] = c [i - 1, j]$

$= c [3 - 1, 3]$

$= c [2, 3]$

$c [3, 3] = 1$ .

$c [4, 3]$  with  $i = 4, j = 3, d4 = 6$ .

$As j < d4$

$\therefore c [i, j] = c [i - 1, j]$

$= c [4 - 1, 3]$

$= c [3, 3]$

$c [4, 3] = 1$ .

Partially the table will be -

|        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|--------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|        | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| d1 = 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |   |   |   |   |   |
| d2 = 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |   |   |   |   |   |
| d3 = 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |   |   |   |   |   |
| d4 = 6 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |   |   |   |   |   |

c [1, 4] with i = 1, j = 4, d1 = 1.

As i = 1

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore c [i, j] &= 1 + c [1, j - d1] \\ &= 1 + c [1, 4 - 1] \\ &= 1 + c [1, 3] \end{aligned}$$

$$c [1, 4] = 4.$$

c [2, 4] with i = 2, j = 4, d2 = 3.

As i ≠ 1 and j > d2

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore c [i, j] &= \min (c [i - 1, j], 1 + c [i, j - d_i]) \\ &= \min (c [2 - 1, 4], 1 + c [2, 4 - 3]) \\ &= \min (c [1, 4], 1 + c [2, 1]) \\ &= \min (4, 1 + 1) \end{aligned}$$

$$c [2, 4] = 2.$$

c [3, 4] with i = 3, j = 4, d3 = 5.

As j < d<sub>i</sub> i.e. 4 < 5

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore c [i, j] &= c [i - 1, j] \\ &= c [3 - 1, 4] \\ &= c [2, 4] \\ c [3, 4] &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

As j < d<sub>i</sub>

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore c [i, j] &= c [i - 1, j] = c [4 - 1, 4] \\ &= c [3, 4] \end{aligned}$$

$$c [4, 4] = 2.$$

c [1, 5] with i = 1, j = 5, d1 = 1.

As i = 1

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore c [i, j] &= 1 + c [i, j - d1] \\ &= 1 + c [1, 5 - 1] \\ &= 1 + c [1, 4] \end{aligned}$$

$$c [1, 5] = 5.$$

c [2, 5] with i = 2, j = 5, d2 = 3

Here i ≠ 1 and j > d<sub>i</sub>

∴ Formula used

$$\begin{aligned} c [i, j] &= \min (c [i - 1, j], 1 + c [i, j - d_i]) \\ c [2, 5] &= \min (c [2 - 1, 5], 1 + c [2, 5 - 3]) \\ &= \min (c [1, 5], 1 + c [2, 2]) \\ &= \min (5, 1 + 2) \end{aligned}$$

$$c [2, 5] = 3.$$

c [3, 5] with i = 3, j = 5, d3 = 5

$$\begin{aligned} c [3, 5] &= \min (c [i - 1, j], 1 + c [i, j - d_i]) \\ &= \min (c [3 - 1, 5], 1 + c [3, 5 - 5]) \\ &= \min (c [2, 5], 1 + c [3, 0]) \\ &= \min (3, 1 + 0) \end{aligned}$$

$$c [3, 5] = 1.$$

c [4, 5] with i = 4, j = 5, d4 = 6.

As j < d<sub>4</sub>

$$\therefore c [i, j] = c [i - 1, j] = c [4 - 1, 5]$$

$c[1, 6]$  with  $i = 1, j = 6, d1 = 1$ .

As  $i = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore c[i, j] &= 1 + c[i, j - d1] \\ &= 1 + c[1, 6 - 1] \\ &= 1 + c[1, 5] \end{aligned}$$

$$c[1, 6] = 6.$$

$c[2, 6]$  with  $i = 2, j = 6, d2 = 3$

Here  $i \neq 1$  and  $j > d2$

$$\begin{aligned} c[i, j] &= \min(c[i - 1, j], 1 + c[i, j - di]) \\ &= \min(c[2 - 1, 6], 1 + c[2, 6 - 3]) \\ &= \min(c[1, 6], 1 + c[2, 3]) \\ &= \min(6, 1 + 1) \end{aligned}$$

$$c[2, 6] = 2.$$

$c[3, 6]$  with  $i = 3, j = 6, d3 = 5$

$$\begin{aligned} c[i, j] &= \min(c[i - 1, j], 1 + c[i, j - di]) \\ &= \min(c[3 - 1, 6], 1 + c[3, 6 - 5]) \\ &= \min(c[2, 6], 1 + c[3, 1]) \\ &= \min(2, 1 + 1) \end{aligned}$$

$$c[3, 6] = 2.$$

$c[4, 6]$  with  $i = 4, j = 6, d4 = 6$

$$\begin{aligned} c[i, j] &= \min(c[i - 1, j], 1 + c[i, j - di]) \\ &= \min(c[3, 6], 1 + c[4, 0]) \\ &= \min(2, 1 + 0) \end{aligned}$$

$$c[4, 6] = 1.$$

Continuing in this fashion, we get -

|          |   |   |   |   |   |
|----------|---|---|---|---|---|
|          | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| $d1 = 1$ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| $d2 = 3$ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| $d3 = 5$ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| $d4 = 6$ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| $Tc$     |   |   |   |   |   |

The value  $c[4, 8] = 2$  represents total number of are,

$d2$  i.e. 3 units = 1 coin  
+  $d3$  i.e. 5 units = 1 coin

8 units (₹) = 2 coins

#### Example 4.4.5

Solve the following making change problem

method : Amount ₹ 7 and Denominations : (₹ 1, ₹ 2

Solution :  $d1 = 1, d2 = 2$  and  $d3 = 4$  and  $N = 7$

We will create a table with rows ranging from 1

7.

Initially  $C[i, 0] = 0$

$$C[1, 0] = C[2, 0] = C[3, 0] = 0$$

|         |          |   |   |   |
|---------|----------|---|---|---|
|         | 0        | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| $i = 1$ | $d1 = 1$ | 0 |   |   |
| $i = 2$ | $d2 = 2$ | 0 |   |   |
| $i = 3$ | $d3 = 4$ | 0 |   |   |

Computations can be performed column by column

We will use following formula

1. If  $i = 1$  then  $C[i, j] = 1 + C[1, j - d1]$

|               |                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|---------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Step 1</b> | $C[1,1]$ with $i = 1, j = 1, d1 = 1$<br>As $i = 1$ ,<br><b>Formula Used</b> : $1 + C[1, j - d1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 1 - 1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 0]$<br>$= 1 + 0$<br>$= 1$<br>$\therefore C[1,1] = 1$ | $C[2,1]$ with $i = 2, j = 1, d2 = 2$<br>As $j < d2$<br><b>Formula Used</b> : $C[i - 1, j]$<br>$= C[1, 1]$<br>$= 1$<br>$\therefore C[2,1] = 1$                                                                                    | $C[3,1]$ with $i = 3, j = 1, d3 = 4$<br>As $j < d3$<br><b>Formula Used</b> : $C[i - 1, j]$<br>$= C[3 - 1, 1]$<br>$= C[2, 1]$<br>$= 1$<br>$\therefore C[3,1] = 1$                                                          |
| <b>Step 2</b> | $C[1,2]$ with $i = 1, j = 2, d1 = 1$<br>As $i = 1$<br><b>Formula Used</b> : $1 + C[1, j - d1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 2 - 1]$<br>$= 1 + 1$<br>$\therefore C[1,2] = 2$                               | $C[2,2]$ with $i = 2, j = 2, d2 = 2$<br>As $j = d2$ and $i \neq 1$<br><b>Formula Used</b> :<br>$\min(C[i - 1, j], 1 + C[i, j - d1])$<br>$= \min(C[1, 2], 1 + C[2, 0])$<br>$= \min(2, 1 + 0)$<br>$= 2$<br>$\therefore C[2,2] = 2$ | $C[3,2]$ with $i = 3, j = 2, d3 = 4$<br>As $j < d3$<br><b>Formula Used</b> :<br>$C[i - 1, j]$<br>$= C[3 - 1, 2]$<br>$= C[2, 2]$<br>$= 2$<br>$\therefore C[3,2] = 2$                                                       |
| <b>Step 3</b> | $C[1,3]$ with $i = 1, j = 3, d1 = 1$<br>As $i = 1$<br><b>Formula Used</b> : $1 + C[1, j - d1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 2]$<br>$= 1 + 2$<br>$\therefore C[1,3] = 3$                                   | $C[2,3]$ with $i = 2, j = 3, d2 = 2$<br>As $j > d2$<br><b>Formula Used</b> :<br>$\min(C[i - 1, j], 1 + C[i, j - d1])$<br>$= \min(C[1, 3], 1 + C[2, 1])$<br>$= \min(3, 2)$<br>$= 2$<br>$\therefore C[2,3] = 2$                    | $C[3,3]$ with $i = 3, j = 3, d3 = 4$<br>As $j < d3$<br><b>Formula Used</b> : $C[i - 1, j]$<br>$= C[3 - 1, 3]$<br>$= C[2, 3]$<br>$= 2$<br>$\therefore C[3,3] = 2$                                                          |
| <b>Step 4</b> | $C[1,4]$ with $i = 1, j = 4, d1 = 1$<br>As $i = 1$<br><b>Formula Used</b> : $1 + C[1, j - d1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 4 - 1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 3]$<br>$= 1 + 3$<br>$\therefore C[1,4] = 4$            | $C[2,4]$ with $i = 2, j = 4, d2 = 2$<br>As $j > d2$<br><b>Formula Used</b> :<br>$\min(C[i - 1, j], 1 + C[i, j - d1])$<br>$= \min(C[1, 4], 1 + C[2, 2])$<br>$= \min(4, 1 + 2)$<br>$= 3$<br>$\therefore C[2,4] = 3$                | $C[3,4]$ with $i = 3, j = 4, d3 = 4$<br>As $j = d3$ and $i$<br><b>Formula Used</b> :<br>$\min(C[i - 1, j], 1 + C[i, j - d1])$<br>$= \min(C[2, 4], 1 + C[3, 0])$<br>$= \min(3, 1 + 0)$<br>$= 3$<br>$\therefore C[3,4] = 3$ |
| <b>Step 5</b> | $C[1,5]$ with $i = 1, j = 5, d1 = 1$<br>As $i = 1$<br><b>Formula Used</b> : $1 + C[1, j - d1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 5 - 1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 4]$                                                    | $C[2,5]$ with $i = 2, j = 5, d2 = 2$<br>As $j > d2$<br><b>Formula Used</b> :<br>$\min(C[i - 1, j], 1 + C[i, j - d1])$<br>$= \min(C[1, 5], 1 + C[2, 3])$<br>$= \min(5, 1 + 2)$                                                    | $C[3,5]$ with $i = 3, j = 5, d3 = 4$<br>As $j > d3$<br><b>Formula Used</b> :<br>$\min(C[i - 1, j], 1 + C[i, j - d1])$<br>$= \min(C[2, 5], 1 + C[3, 1])$<br>$= \min(3, 1 + 1)$                                             |

|               |                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|---------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Step 6</b> | $C[1,6]$ with $i = 1, j = 6, d1 = 1$<br>As $i = 1$<br><b>Formula Used</b> : $1 + C[1, j - d1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 6 - 1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 5]$<br>$\therefore C[1,6] = 6$                 | $C[2,6]$ with $i = 2, j = 6, d2 = 2$<br>As $j > d2$<br><b>Formula Used</b><br>$= \min(C[i - 1, j], 1 + C[i, j - d1])$<br>$= \min(C[1, 6], 1 + C[2, 4])$<br>$= \min(6, 1 + 3)$<br>$= 4$<br>$\therefore C[2,6] = 4$ |
| <b>Step 7</b> | $C[1,7]$ with $i = 1, j = 7, d1 = 1$<br>As $i = 1$<br><b>Formula Used</b> :<br>$1 + C[1, j - d1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 7 - 1]$<br>$= 1 + C[1, 6]$<br>$= 1 + 6$<br>$\therefore C[1,7] = 7$ | $C[2,7]$ with $i = 2, j = 7, d2 = 2$<br>As $j > d2$<br><b>Formula Used</b><br>$= \min(C[i - 1, j], 1 + C[i, j - d1])$<br>$= \min(C[1, 7], 1 + C[2, 5])$<br>$= \min(7, 1 + 3)$<br>$= 4$<br>$\therefore C[2,7] = 4$ |

Thus we can represent the table filled up with

|         |          |   |   |   |
|---------|----------|---|---|---|
|         |          | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| $i = 1$ | $d1 = 1$ | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| $i = 2$ | $d2 = 2$ | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| $i = 3$ | $d3 = 4$ | 0 | 1 | 2 |

The value  $C[n, N]$  i.e  $C[3, 7] = 3$  which represents the sum 7 are 3.

Thus we get

₹ 1  $\rightarrow$  1 coin

₹ 2  $\rightarrow$  1 coin

₹ 3  $\rightarrow$  1 coin

Algorithm Number\_of\_Coins (N)

```

{
// Problem Description : This algorithm computes
// minimum number of coins required to make
// change for N units.

```

```

for (i ← 1 to n) do
 initialize array d[i] with the values of coins.

```

```

for (i ← 1 to n) do
 c [i, 0] ← 0

```

Initialising first column by 0

```

For (i ← 1 to n) do

```

Using this nested for loops the table values are computed

```

 For (i ← 1 to N) do

```

```

 {
 if (i = 1 & & j < d [i]) then
 c [i] [j] = infinity ;
 else if (i = 1) then
 c [i] [j] = 1 + c [1, j - d [1]] ;
 else if (j < d [i]) then
 c [i] [j] = c [j - 1, j] ;
 else
 c [i] [j] = min (c [i - 1, j], 1 + c [i, j - d [i]]) ;
 }

```

Total number of coins in the change

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return c [n, N]
}

```

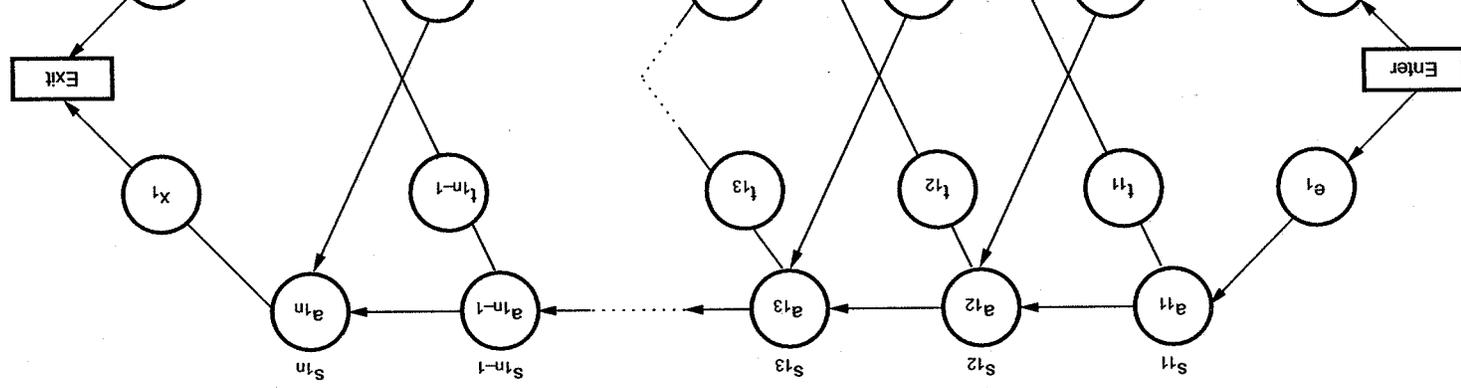
**Analysis** - As the basic operation in above algorithms is to fill up the table, which is performed within nested for loops. Hence the time complexity of this algorithm is  $\Theta(nN)$ .

### 4.5 Assembly Line Scheduling

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This example of manufacturing problem is based on dynamic programming. The problem of assembly line scheduling can be described as follows -

In an automobile factory, the automobiles are produced using assembly lines. The chassis enters each assembly line and along this line path there are various stations at which the parts are added. Then a finished auto exits at the end of the line. The problem is to determine which stations to choose from line 1 and which to choose from line 2 in order to minimize the total time through the factory for one auto. The structure



In this Fig. 4.5.1,  $e_1$  denotes the entry time of the chassis. The assembly time at line 1 is denoted by  $a_{1j}$  and that of at line 2 is denoted by  $a_{2j}$ . There is no cost required to stay on the same line. But if it is required to change the assembly line the time required is denoted by  $t_{ij}$ . Using dynamic programming approach we have to determine which stations to choose from line 1 and from line 2 so that within minimum amount of time the auto gets produced. This problem can be solved by applying the steps of dynamic programming.

**Step 1 : Characterizing the structure of optimal solution**

The goal of this problem is to compute the fastest assembly time. Hence we need to know, the fastest time from entry to  $S_{1n}$  and from entry to  $S_{2n}$  for assembly line 1 and assembly line 2 respectively. Then we have to consider two exiting points  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ .

**Step 2 : Recursively define the value of an optimal solution**

In this step we have to compute fastest possible time to get station  $s_{ij}$ . This fastest possible time is denoted by  $f_i [j]$  where  $i$  is either 1 or 2 and  $j$ , is

$$i \leq j \leq n$$

The fastest possible time can be obtained using following formula -

$$f_1[j] = \min ( f_1 [ j - 1 ] + a_{1j}, f_2 [ j - 1 ] + t_{2j-1} + a_{1j} )$$

$$f_2[j] = \min ( f_1 [ j - 1 ] + t_{1j-1} + a_{2j}, f_2 [ j - 1 ] + a_{2j} )$$

Let,  $f^*$  be the fastest time for entire assembling. It can be computed as :

$$f^* = \min ( f_1[n] + x_1, f_2[n] + x_2 )$$

**Step 3 : Compute the fastest time for assembly**

Using the formula defined in step 2, we can compute the fastest time for assembly.

Let us compute the fastest assembly time with the help of some example -

See Fig. 4.5.2 on next page.

$$f_1[1] = e_1 + a_{11}$$

$$= 4 + 2$$

$$f_1[1] = 6$$

$$f_2[1] = e_2 + a_{21}$$

$$= 2 + 6$$

$$f_2[1] = 8$$

Initially  $f_1[1] = e_1 + a_{11}$

$$f_1[2] = \min ( f_1 [ j - 1 ] + a_{1j}, f_2 [ j - 1 ] + t_{2j-1} + a_{1j} )$$

$$= \min ( f_1[1] + a_{12}, f_2[1] + t_{21} + a_{12} )$$

$$= \min ( 14, 19 )$$

$$f_1[2] = 14$$

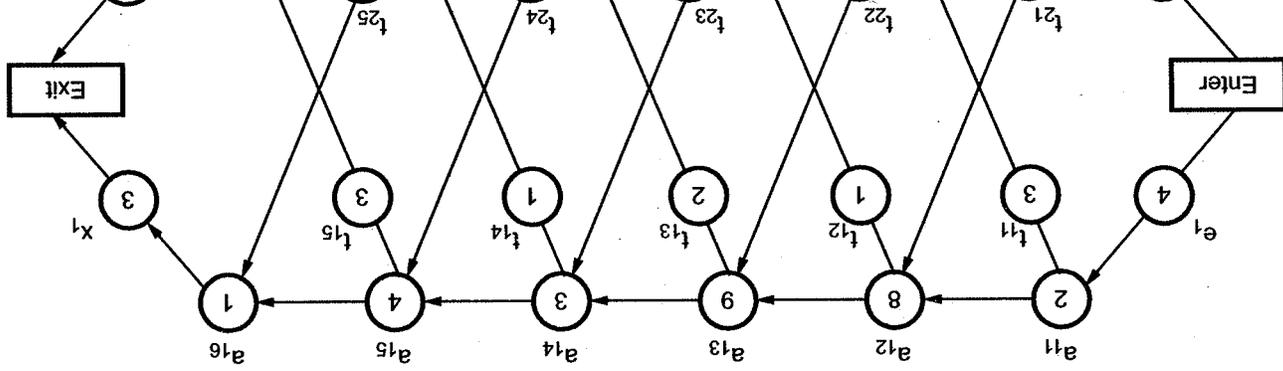


Fig. 4.5.2

$$f_2[2] = \min ( f_1 [ j - 1 ] + t_{1j-1} + a_{2j}, f_2 [ j - 1 ] + a_{2j} )$$

$$= \min ( 6 + 3 + 11, 8 + 11 )$$

$$= \min ( 20, 19 )$$

$$f_2[2] = 19$$

$$f_1[3] = \min ( f_1[j-1] + a_{ij}, f_2[j-1] + t_{2j-1} + a_{1j} )$$

$$= \min ( f_1[2] + a_{13}, f_2[2] + t_{22} + a_{13} )$$

$$= \min ( 14 + 9, 19 + 4 + 9 )$$

$$= \min ( 23, 32 )$$

$$f_1[3] = 23$$

$$f_2[3] = \min ( f_1[j-1] + t_{1j-1} + a_{2j}, f_2(j-1) + a_{2j} )$$

$$= \min ( f_1[2] + t_{12} + a_{23}, f_2[2] + a_{23} )$$

$$= \min ( 14 + 1 + 2, 19 + 2 )$$

$$= \min ( 17, 21 )$$

$$f_2[3] = 17$$

$$f_1[4] = \min ( f_1[j-1] + a_{1j}, f_2(j-1) + t_{2j-1} + a_{1j} )$$

$$= \min ( f_1[3] + a_{14}, f_2[3] + t_{23} + a_{14} )$$

$$= \min ( 23 + 3, 17 + 1 + 3 )$$

$$= \min ( 26, 21 )$$

$$f_1[4] = 21$$

$$f_2(4) = \min ( f_1[j-1] + t_{1j-1} + a_{2j}, f_2[j-1] + a_{2j} )$$

$$= \min ( f_1[3] + t_{13} + a_{24}, f_2[3] + a_{24} )$$

$$= \min ( 23 + 2 + 2, 17 + 2 )$$

$$= \min ( 27, 19 )$$

$$f_2[4] = 19$$

$$f_1[5] = \min ( f_1[j-1] + a_{1j}, f_2[j-1] + t_{2j-1} + a_{1j} )$$

$$= \min ( f_1[4] + a_{15}, f_2[4] + t_{24} + a_{15} )$$

$$= \min ( 21 + 4, 19 + 1 + 4 )$$

$$= \min ( 25, 24 )$$

$$f_1[5] = 24$$

$$= \min ( f_1[4] + t_{14} + a_{25}, f_2[4] + a_{25} )$$

$$= \min ( 21 + 1 + 7, 19 + 7 )$$

$$= \min ( 29, 26 )$$

$$f_2[5] = 26$$

$$f_1[6] = \min ( f_1[j-1] + a_{1j}, f_2[j-1] + 1 )$$

$$= \min ( f_1[5] + a_{16}, f_2[5] + t_{25} + a_{16} )$$

$$= \min ( 24 + 1, 26 + 3 + 1 )$$

$$= \min ( 25, 30 )$$

$$f_1[6] = 25$$

$$f_2[6] = \min ( f_1[j-1] + t_{1j-1} + a_{2j}, f_2[j-1] + a_{2j} )$$

$$= \min ( f_1[5] + t_{15} + a_{26}, f_2[5] + a_{26} )$$

$$= \min ( 24 + 3 + 3, 26 + 3 )$$

$$f_2[6] = \min ( 30, 29 )$$

$$f_2[6] = 29$$

Hence we can summarize  $f_1(j)$  and  $f_2(j)$  values as

|          | j = 1 | j = 2 | j = 3 | j |
|----------|-------|-------|-------|---|
| $f_1[j]$ | 6     | 14    | 23    |   |
| $f_2[j]$ | 8     | 19    | 17    |   |

Now we can compute  $f^*$  as

$$f^* = \min ( f_1[n] + x_1, f_2[n] + x_2 )$$

$$= \min ( 25 + 3, 29 + 7 )$$

$$= \min ( 28, 36 )$$

$$\therefore f^* = 28$$

#### Step 4 : Computing fastest path from computed in

For each  $i = 1$  or  $i = 2$  and for each  $j$  varying from  $i$  to  $n$ ,  $f_i[j]$  will be either 1 or 2 depending upon : whether  $f_i[j]$  is computed from  $f_1$  or  $f_2$ .

**For example :**

$f_1[2] = 1$  because while computing  $f_1[2]$  we have not from  $f_2[1]$ .

- $l_2[3] = 1$
- $l_1[4] = 2$
- $l_2[4] = 2$
- $l_1[5] = 2$
- $l_2[5] = 2$
- $l_1[6] = 1$
- $l_2[6] = 2$

We can put it together as :

|          | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
|----------|---|---|---|---|---|
| $l_1[j]$ | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| $l_2[j]$ | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 |

As we get  $f^*$  value from  $f_1[n] + x_1$   $f^* = 1$  i.e.  $f^*$  value is derived from  $f_1[n]$ . Hence,  $f^* = 1$

Now to obtain the path which gives fastest time in producing auto we will use all the  $l_1[j]$  values.

Let

$i = i^*$

Hence print " line " i " station" n

As  $i = 1$  we will get first message as **line 1 station 6** .

```

Then
for (j = n ; j >= 2 ; j --)
{
 i = l_1[j]
 print " line " i " station " j - 1
}

```

Let,  $j = 6$  then  $i = l_1[6] = 1$ . Hence message will be **line 1 station 5**.

Let,  $j = 5$  then  $i = l_1[5] = 2$ . Hence message will be **line 2 station 4**.

Let,  $j = 4$  then  $i = l_2[4] = 2$ . Hence message will be **line 2 station 3**.

Let  $j = 3$  then  $i = l_2[3] = 1$ . Hence message will be **line 1 station 2**.

Thus the optimal path in assembly line scheduling will be

- line 1 station 6
- line 1 station 5
- line 2 station 4
- line 2 station 3

It can be as shown below -

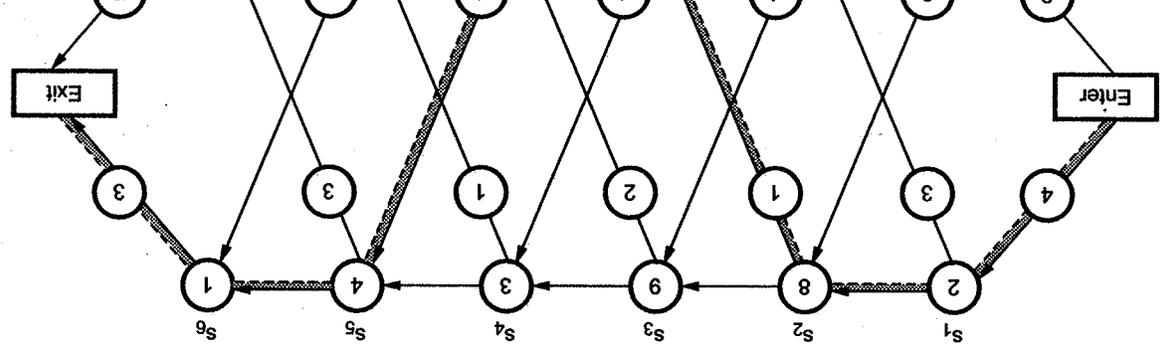


Fig. 4.5.3 Optimal path in assembly

The algorithm for finding fastest path is as given

4.5.1 Algorithm

Algorithm Fastest\_time\_computation(a[ ][ ], t[ ][ ], e[ ][ ]  
 //Problem Description: This algorithm is for computing the fastest path in an assembly line.

```

for(j ← 2 to n) do
{
 if($f_1[j-1] + a[1][j] <= f_2[j-1] + t[2][j-1] + a[1][j]$) then
 {
 $f_1[j] ← f_1[j-1] + a[1][j]$
 $l_1[j] ← 1$
 }
 else
 {
 $f_1[j] ← f_2[j-1] + t[2][j-1] + a[1][j]$
 $l_1[j] ← 2$
 }
 if($f_2[j-1] + a[2][j] <= f_1[j-1] + t[1][j-1] + a[2][j]$) then
 {
 $f_2[j] ← f_2[j-1] + a[2][j]$
 $l_2[j] ← 2$
 }
 else
 {
 $f_2[j] ← f_1[j-1] + t[1][j-1] + a[2][j]$
 $l_2[j] ← 1$
 }
}
} //end of for loop
if ($f_1[n] + x[1] <= f_2[n] + x[2]$) then
{
 $f_star ← f_1[n] + x[1]$
 $l_star ← 1$
}
else
{
 $f_star ← f_2[n] + x[2]$
 $l_star ← 2$
}
} //end of algorithm

```

Computing  $f_1[j]$  and  $l_1[j]$

Computing  $f_2[j]$  and  $l_2[j]$

Computing  $f^*$  and  $l^*$

**Analysis**

The basic operation in assembly line problem is computing of  $f_1[j]$  and  $l_1[j]$  values. This is done within a for loop. Hence the total running time required by this algorithm will be  $\Theta(n)$ .

**Review Questions**

1. Describe an assembly line scheduling problem and give dynamic programming algorithm to solve it.

**4.6 Knapsack Problem**

GTU : Summer-12

As we know that dynamic programming is a overlapping subproblems. These subproblems are t In this section we will discuss the method of solving programming approach. The knapsack problem can items with the weights  $w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n$  and value  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  and capacity of knapsack to be  $W$ , the items that fit into the knapsack.

To solve this problem using dynamic programming relation as :

$table[i, j] = \text{maximum} \{table[i-1, j], v_i + table$   
or

$table[i-1, j] \text{ if } j < w_i$

That means, a table is constructed using above  $table[0, j] = 0$  as well as  $table[i, 0] = 0$  when  $j$  The initial stage of the table can be

|       |   |   |                                  |   |
|-------|---|---|----------------------------------|---|
|       | 0 | 1 | j - w <sub>1</sub>               |   |
| 0     | 0 | 0 | ...                              | 0 |
| :     | : | : | table [i-1, j - w <sub>1</sub> ] |   |
| i - 1 | 0 |   |                                  |   |
| i     | 0 |   |                                  |   |
| :     | : |   |                                  |   |
| n     | 0 |   |                                  |   |

The table [n, W] is a goal i.e., it gives the total the knapsack.

From this goal value the selected items can be problem using the above mentioned formula -

**Example 4.6.1** For the given instance of problem obtain the optimal solution for the knapsack problem.

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

The capacity of knapsack is  $W = 5$ .

**Solution :** Initially,  $table [0, j] = 0$  and  $table [i, 0] = 0$ . There are 0 to  $n$  rows and 0 to  $W$  columns in the table.

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 2 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 3 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 4 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |

Now we will fill up the table either row by row or column by column. Let us start filling the table row by row using following formula :

$$table [i, j] = \begin{cases} \text{maximum}\{table [i-1, j], v_i + table [i-1, j-w_i]\} & \text{when } j \geq w_i \\ \text{table}[i-1, j] & \text{if } j < w_i \end{cases}$$

**table [1, 1]** With  $i = 1, j = 1, w_i = 2$  and  $v_i = 3$ .

As  $j < w_i$  we will obtain  $table [1, 1]$  as

$$table [1, 1] = table [i - 1, j] \\ = table [0, 1]$$

$$\therefore table [1, 1] = 0$$

**table [1, 2]** With  $i = 1, j = 2, w_i = 2$  and  $v_i = 3$

$$table [1, 2] = \text{maximum} \{ table [i-1, j], v_i + table [i-1, j-w_i] \} \\ = \text{maximum} \{ (table [0, 2]), (3 + table [0, 0]) \} \\ = \text{maximum} \{ 0, 3 + 0 \}$$

$$\therefore table [1, 2] = 3$$

**table [1, 3]** With  $i = 1, j = 3, w_i = 2$  and  $v_i = 3$

As  $j \geq w_i$  we will obtain  $table [1, 3]$  as

$$table [1, 3] = \text{maximum} \{ table [i-1, j], v_i + table [i-1, j-w_i] \} \\ = \text{maximum} \{ table [0, 3], 3 + table [0, 1] \} \\ = \text{maximum} \{ 0, 3 + 0 \}$$

$$\therefore table [1, 3] = 3$$

**table [1, 4]** With  $i = 1, j = 4, w_i = 2$  and  $v_i = 3$

As  $j \geq w_i$ , we will obtain  $table [1, 4]$  as

$$table [1, 4] = \text{maximum} \{ table [i-1, j], v_i + table [i-1, j-w_i] \} \\ = \text{maximum} \{ table [0, 4], 3 + table [0, 2] \} \\ = \text{maximum} \{ 0, 3 + 0 \}$$

$$\therefore table [1, 4] = 3$$

**table [1, 5]** With  $i = 1, j = 5, w_i = 2$  and  $v_i = 3$

As  $j \geq w_i$  we will obtain  $table [1, 5]$  as

$$table [1, 5] = \text{maximum} \{ table [i-1, j], v_i + table [i-1, j-w_i] \} \\ = \text{maximum} \{ table [0, 5], 3 + table [0, 3] \} \\ = \text{maximum} \{ 0, 3 + 0 \}$$

$$\therefore table [1, 5] = 3$$

The table with these values can be

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 3 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 4 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |

Now let us fill up next row of the table.

**table [2, 1]** With  $i = 2, j = 1, w_i = 3$  and  $v_i = 4$

As  $j < w_i$ , we will obtain table [2, 1] as

table [2, 1] = table [i - 1, j]

= table [1, 1]

∴ table [2, 1] = 0

**table [2, 2]** With  $i = 2, j = 2, w_i = 3$  and  $v_i = 4$

As  $j < w_i$ , we will obtain table [2, 2] as

table [2, 2] = table [i - 1, j]

= table [1, 2]

∴ table [2, 2] = 3

**table [2, 3]** With  $i = 2, j = 3, w_i = 3$  and  $v_i = 4$

As  $j \geq w_i$ , we will obtain table [2, 3] as

table [2, 3] = maximum { table [i - 1, j],  $v_i +$  table [i - 1, j -  $w_i$ ] }

= maximum { table [1, 3], 4 + table [1, 0] }

= maximum { 3, 4 + 0 }

∴ table [2, 3] = 4

**table [2, 4]** With  $i = 2, j = 4, w_i = 3$  and  $v_i = 4$

As  $j \geq w_i$ , we will obtain table [2, 4] as

table [2, 4] = maximum { table [i - 1, j],  $v_i +$  table [i - 1, j -  $w_i$ ] }

= maximum { 3, 4 + 0 }

∴ table [2, 4] = 4

**table [2, 5]** With  $i = 2, j = 5, w_i = 3$  and  $v_i = 4$

As  $j \geq w_i$ , we will obtain table [2, 5] as

table [2, 5] = maximum { table [i - 1, j],  $v_i +$  ta

= maximum { table [1, 5], 4 + tabl

= maximum { 3, 4 + 3 }

∴ table [2, 5] = 7

The table with these computed values will be

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 4 |
| 3 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 4 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |

**table [3, 1]** With  $i = 3, j = 1, w_i = 4$  and  $v_i = 5$

As  $j < w_i$ , we will obtain table [3, 1] as

table [3, 1] = table [i - 1, j]

= table [2, 1]

∴ table [3, 1] = 0

**table [3, 2]** With  $i = 3, j = 2, w_i = 4$  and  $v_i = 5$

As  $j < w_i$ , we will obtain table [3, 2] as

table [3, 2] = table [i - 1, j]

= table [2, 2]

∴ table [3, 2] = 3

**table [3, 3]** with  $i = 3, j = 3, w_i = 4$  and  $v_i = 5$

As  $j < w_i$ , we will obtain table [3, 3] as

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [3, 3]} &= \text{table [i - 1, j]} \\ &= \text{table [2, 3]} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{table [3, 3]} = 4$$

**table [3, 4]** With  $i = 3, j = 4, w_i = 4$  and  $v_i = 5$

As  $j \leq w_i$ , we will obtain table [3, 4] as

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [3, 4]} &= \text{maximum} \{ \text{table [i-1, j]}, v_i + \text{table [i-1, j-w}_i \} \} \\ &= \text{maximum} \{ \text{table [2, 4]}, 5 + \text{table [2, 0]} \} \\ &= \text{maximum} \{ 4, 5 + 0 \} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{table [3, 4]} = 5$$

**table [3, 5]** With  $i = 3, j = 5, w_i = 4$  and  $v_i = 5$

As  $j \geq w_i$ , we will obtain table [3, 5] as

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [3, 5]} &= \text{maximum} \{ \text{table [i-1, j]}, v_i + \text{table [i-1, j-w}_i \} \} \\ &= \text{maximum} \{ \text{table [2, 5]}, 5 + \text{table [2, 1]} \} \\ &= \text{maximum} \{ 7, 5 + 0 \} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{table [3, 5]} = 7$$

The table with these values can be

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 7 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 7 |
| 4 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |

**table [4, 1]** With  $i = 4, j = 1, w_i = 5, v_i = 6$

As  $j < w_i$ , we will obtain table [4, 1] as

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [4, 1]} &= \text{table [i - 1, j]} \\ &= \text{table [3, 1]} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{table [4, 1]} = 0$$

**table [4, 2]** With  $i = 4, j = 2, w_i = 5$  and  $v_i = 6$

As  $j < w_i$ , we will obtain table [4, 2] as

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [4, 2]} &= \text{table [i - 1, j]} \\ &= \text{table [3, 2]} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{table [4, 2]} = 3$$

**table [4, 3]** With  $i = 4, j = 3, w_i = 5$  and  $v_i = 6$

As  $j < w_i$ , we will obtain table [4, 3] as

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [4, 3]} &= \text{table [i - 1, j]} \\ &= \text{table [3, 3]} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{table [4, 3]} = 4$$

**table [4, 4]** with  $i = 4, j = 4, w_i = 5$  and  $v_i = 6$

As  $j < w_i$ , we will obtain table [4, 4] as

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [4, 4]} &= \text{table [i - 1, j]} \\ &= \text{table [3, 4]} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{table [4, 4]} = 5$$

**table [4, 5]** With  $i = 4, j = 5, w_i = 5$  and  $v_i = 6$

As  $j \geq w_i$ , we will obtain table [4, 5] as

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [4, 5]} &= \text{maximum} \{ \text{table [i-1, j]}, v_i + \text{table [i-1, j-w}_i \} \} \\ &= \text{maximum} \{ \text{table [3, 5]}, 6 + \text{table [3, 1]} \} \\ &= \text{maximum} \{ 7, 6 + 0 \} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{table [4, 5]} = 7$$

Thus the table can be finally as given below

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 7 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 7 |
| 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 7 |

↑ This is the total value of selected items

**How to find actual knapsack items ?**

Now, as we know that table [n, W] is the total value of selected items, that can be placed in the knapsack. Following steps are used repeatedly to select actual knapsack item

```

Let, i = n and k = W then
while (i > 0 and k > 0)
{
 if (table [i, k] != table [i - 1, k]) then
 mark ith item as in knapsack
 i = i - 1 and k = k - wi //selection of ith item
 else
 i = i - 1 //do not select ith item
}

```

Let us apply these steps to the above given problem. As we have obtained the final table as.

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 7 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 7 |
| 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 7 |

↑ Start from here

i = 4 and k = 5  
 i.e., table [4, 5] = table [3, 5]  
 ∴ Do not select i<sup>th</sup> i.e., 4<sup>th</sup> item.

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |

Now set i = i - 1  
 i = 3

|       |   |          |   |   |
|-------|---|----------|---|---|
|       |   | Capacity |   |   |
| items | 0 | 1        | 2 | 3 |
| 0     | 0 | 0        | 0 | 0 |
| 1     | 0 | 0        | 3 | 3 |
| 2     | 0 | 0        | 3 | 4 |
| 3     | 0 | 0        | 3 | 4 |
| 4     | 0 | 0        | 3 | 4 |

As table [i, k] = table [i - 1, k]  
 i.e., table [3, 5] = table [2, 5]  
 ∴ Do not select i<sup>th</sup> item i.e., 3<sup>rd</sup> item.

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 |

Now set i = i - 1 = 2

Select  $i^{\text{th}}$  item.

That is, select 2<sup>nd</sup> item.

Set  $i = i - 1$  and  $k = k - w_i$

i.e.  $i = 1$  and  $k = 5 - 3 = 2$

|    |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ✓1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| ✓2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 7 |
| 3  | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 7 |
| 4  | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 7 |

As table  $[i, k] \neq \text{table}[i - 1, k]$

i.e. table  $[1, 2] \neq \text{table}[0, 2]$

Select  $i^{\text{th}}$  item.

That is select 1<sup>st</sup> item.

Set  $i = i - 1$  and  $k = k - w_i$

i.e.  $i = 0$  and  $k = 2 - 2 = 0$

Thus we have selected item 1 and item 2 for the knapsack. This solution can also be represented by solution vector (1, 1, 0, 0).

**Example 4.6.2** Solve the following 0/1 Knapsack problem using dynamic programming. There are five items whose weights and values are given in following arrays.

Weight  $w[] = \{ 1, 2, 5, 6, 7 \}$

Value  $v [] = \{ 1, 6, 18, 22, 28 \}$

Show your equation and find out the optimal Knapsack items for weight capacity of 11 units.

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**Solution :**

Let,

| Item | Weight | Value |
|------|--------|-------|
| 1    | 1      | 1     |

|   |   |
|---|---|
| 3 | 5 |
| 4 | 6 |
| 5 | 7 |

The capacity  $W = 11$ .

Initially table , table  $[0, j] = 0$  and table  $[i, 0] =$

There are 0 to  $n$  rows and 0 to  $W$  columns.

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Now we will fill up table row by row using fol

$$\text{table}[i, j] = \begin{cases} \max\{\text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i]\} & \text{if } j \geq w_i \\ 0 & \text{if } j < w_i \end{cases}$$

$i = 1, j = 1, w_i = 1, v_i = 1$

$$\text{table}[i, j] = \max\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{table}[i-1, j], \\ v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \end{array} \right\}$$

$$= \max\{0, 1+0\}$$

table  $[1, 1] = 1$

$i = 1, j = 2, w_i = 1, v_i = 1$

$$\text{table}[i, j] = \max\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{table}[i-1, j], \\ v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \end{array} \right\}$$

$$= \max\{0, 1+0\}$$

table  $[1, 2] = 1$





$$\text{table}[i, j] = \begin{cases} \text{maximum} \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \\ \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \} \text{ where } j \geq w_i \\ \text{or} \\ \text{table}[i-1, j] \text{ if } j < w_i \end{cases}$$

The table will be

| Max items allowed | Max weight |    |    |    |    |    |
|-------------------|------------|----|----|----|----|----|
|                   | 0          | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  |
| 0                 | 0          | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| 1                 | 0          | 0  | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| 2                 | 0          | 10 | 12 | 22 | 22 | 22 |
| 3                 | 0          | 10 | 12 | 22 | 30 | 32 |
| 4                 | 0          | 10 | 15 | 25 | 30 | 37 |

The maximum profit is table [4, 5] = \$ 37

As table [4, 5] ≠ table [3, 5]. Item 4 is included.

Total capacity 5-2 = 3 .

Now table [3, 3] = table [2, 3]. Item 3 is not included.

Now table [2, 3] ≠ table [1, 3]. Item 2 is included.

Remaining weight 3 - 1 = 2

This specifies to select item 1.

∴ Solution = {item 1, item 2, item 4}

**Example 4.6.5** Given a Knapsack having maximum weight capacity  $W = 4$ , and number of items available are three, such that

$$S = 3$$

$$w_i = \langle 1, 3, 4 \rangle$$

$$v_i = \langle 3, 4, 5 \rangle$$

Fill the Knapsack using dynamic programming such that Knapsack should not exceed its maximum capacity and it should have maximum profit value. Is dynamic programming a top-down or a bottom-up technique ? Why ?

Write the recurrence for solving Tower of Hanoi problem having  $n$  rings and 3 rods.

Ans. :

Let,  $W = 4$

| $w_i$ | $v_i$ |
|-------|-------|
| 1     | 3     |
| 3     | 4     |
| 4     | 5     |

Initially table [0, j] = 0 and table [i, 0] = 0.

There are 0 to  $n$  rows and 0 to  $W$  columns in the

|   | 0 | 1 | 2 |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

We will fill up the table row by row by using formula

$$\text{table}[i, j] = \begin{cases} \text{maximum} \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \\ \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \} \text{ if } j < w_i \\ \text{or} \\ \text{table}[i-1, j] \text{ if } j > w_i \end{cases}$$

table [1, 1] with  $i = 1, j = 1, w_i = 1, v_i = 3$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table}[1, 1] &= \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table} \\ &= \max \{ \text{table}[0, 1], 3 + \text{table}[0, 0] \} \end{aligned}$$

table [1, 1] = 3

table [1, 2] with  $i = 1, j = 2, w_i = 1, v_i = 3$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table}[1, 2] &= \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table} \\ &= \max \{ \text{table}[0, 2], 3 + \text{table}[0, 1] \} \end{aligned}$$

**table [1, 2] = 3**

**table [1, 3] with  $i = 1, j = 3, w_i = 1, v_i = 3$**

As  $j > w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [1, 3]} &= \max \{ \text{table [i-1, j]} v_i + \text{table [i-1, j-w}_i] \} \\ &= \max \{ \text{table [0, 3]} 3 + \text{table [0, 2]} \} \end{aligned}$$

**table [1, 3] = 3**

**table [1, 4] with  $i = 1, j = 4, w_i = 1, v_i = 3$**

As  $j > w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [1, 4]} &= \max \{ \text{table [i-1, j]} v_i + \text{table [i-1, j-w}_i] \} \\ &= \max \{ \text{table [0, 4]} 3 + \text{table [0, 3]} \} \\ &= \max \{ 0, 3+0 \} \end{aligned}$$

**table [1, 4] = 3**

The table can be represented as

|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 | 0 |   |   |   |   |
| 3 | 0 |   |   |   |   |

**table [2, 1] with  $i = 2, j = 1, w_i = 3, v_i = 4$**

As  $j < w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [2, 1]} &= \text{table [i-1, j]} \\ &= \text{table [1, 1]} \end{aligned}$$

**table [2, 1] = 0**

**table [2, 2] with  $i = 2, j = 2, w_i = 3, v_i = 4$**

As  $j < w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [2, 2]} &= \text{table [i-1, j]} \\ &= \text{table [1, 2]} \end{aligned}$$

**table [2, 2] = 3**

As  $j = w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [2, 3]} &= \max \{ \text{table [i-1, j]} v_i + \text{table [i-1, j-w}_i] \} \\ &= \max \{ [1, 3], 4 + \text{table [1, 0]} \} \\ &= \max \{ 3, 4+0 \} \end{aligned}$$

**table [2, 3] = 4**

**table [2, 4] with  $i = 2, j = 4, w_i = 3, v_i = 4$**

As  $j > w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [2, 4]} &= \max \{ \text{table [i-1, j]} v_i + \text{table [i-1, j-w}_i] \} \\ &= \max \{ \text{table [1, 4]} 4 + \text{table [1, 1]} \} \\ &= \max \{ 3, 4+3 \} \end{aligned}$$

**table [2, 4] = 7**

The table now is -

|   | 0 | 1 | 2 |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 3 | 0 |   |   |

**table [3, 1] with  $i = 3, j = 1, w_i = 4, v_i = 5$**

As  $j < w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [3, 1]} &= \text{table [i-1, j]} \\ &= \text{table [2, 1]} \end{aligned}$$

**table [3, 1] = 0**

**table [3, 2] with  $i = 3, j = 2, w_i = 4, v_i = 5$**

As  $j < w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [3, 2]} &= \text{table [i-1, j]} \\ &= \text{table [2, 2]} \end{aligned}$$

**table [3, 2] = 3**

**table [3, 3] with  $i = 3, j = 3, w_i = 4, v_i = 5$**

As  $j < w_i$

table [3, 3] = 4

table [3, 4] with  $i = 3, j = 4, w_i = 4, v_i = 5$

As  $j = w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table}[3, 4] &= \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j - w_i] \} \\ &= \max \{ \text{table}[2, 4], 5 + \text{table}[2, 0] \} \\ &= \max \{ 7, 5 + 0 \} \end{aligned}$$

table [3, 4] = 7

Now the complete table is -

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 7 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 7 |

Now we will find the actual items of Knapsack

Step 1 :

table [2, 4] = table [3, 4]

∴ Do not select  $i^{\text{th}} = 3^{\text{rd}}$  item

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 7 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 7 |

Step 3 :

table [1, 1] ≠ table [0, 1]

∴ Select  $i^{\text{th}}$  i.e. 1<sup>st</sup> item

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ① | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| ② | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 |

Step 4 :

$$i = i - 1 = 0$$

$$j = j - w_i = 1 - 1 = 0$$

Thus we have selected item 1 and item 2

Total maximum profit = 3 + 4 = 7

Dynamic programming uses both top down and down method uses memorization technique which technique.

**Example 4.6.6** Solve the following knapsack problem dynamic programming.

| Item | Weight |
|------|--------|
| 1    | 2      |
| 2    | 1      |
| 3    | 3      |
| 4    | 2      |

Solution : Initially, table [0, j] and table [i, 0] = 0 columns in the table.

Step 2 :

Set  $i = i - 1$

∴  $i = 2$

table [2, 4] ≠ table [1, 4]

∴ Select  $i^{\text{th}}$  i.e. 2<sup>nd</sup> item

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| ② | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 7 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 7 |

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 2 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 3 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 4 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |

Now we will fill up the table row by row. Let us start filling the table row by row using following formula :

$$\text{table}[i, j] = \begin{cases} \text{maximum} \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \} & \text{when } j \geq w_i \\ \text{table}[i-1, j] & \text{if } j < w_i \end{cases}$$

table [1, 1] with  $i = 1, j = 1$ , and  $w_i = 2, v_i = 12$

As  $j < w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table}[1, 1] &= \text{table}[i-1, j] \\ &= \text{table}[0, 1] \end{aligned}$$

**table [1, 1] = 0**

table [1, 2] with  $i = 1, j = 2, w_i = 2, v_i = 12$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table}[1, 2] &= \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \} \\ &= \max \{ 0, 12+0 \} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  **table [1, 2] = 12**

table [1, 3] with  $i = 1, j = 3, w_i = 2, v_i = 12$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table}[1, 3] &= \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \} \\ &= \max \{ 0, 12 + 0 \} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  **table [1, 3] = 12**

table [1, 4] with  $i = 1, j = 4, w_i = 2$  and  $v_i = 12$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\text{table}[1, 4] = \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \}$$

table [1, 5] with  $i = 1, j = 5, w_i = 2$  and  $v_i = 12$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table}[1, 5] &= \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \} \\ &= \max \{ 0, 12+0 \} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  **table [1, 5] = 12**

The table with these values will be.

table [2, 1] with  $i = 2, j = 1, w_i = 1, v_i = 10$

|   |   |   |    |    |   |
|---|---|---|----|----|---|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 12 |   |
| 2 | 0 |   |    |    |   |
| 3 | 0 |   |    |    |   |
| 4 | 0 |   |    |    |   |

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table}[2, 1] &= \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \} \\ &= \max \{ 0, 10+0 \} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  **table [2, 1] = 10**

table [2, 2] with  $i = 2, j = 2, w_i = 1, v_i = 10$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table}[2, 2] &= \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \} \\ &= \max \{ \text{table}[1, 2], 10 + \text{table}[1, 1] \} \\ &= \max \{ 12, 10+0 \} \end{aligned}$$

**table [2, 2] = 12**

table [2, 3] with  $i = 2, j = 3, w_i = 1, v_i = 10$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table}[2, 3] &= \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \} \\ &= \max \{ \text{table}[1, 3], 10 + \text{table}[1, 2] \} \\ &= \max \{ 12, 10+12 \} \end{aligned}$$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\text{table}[2, 4] = \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \}$$

$$= \max \{ \text{table}[1, 4], 10 + \text{table}[1, 3] \}$$

$$\text{table}[2, 4] = 22$$

$$\text{table}[2, 5] \text{ with } i = 2, j = 5, w_i = 1, v_i = 10$$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\text{table}[2, 5] = \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \}$$

$$= \max \{ \text{table}[1, 5], 10 + \text{table}[1, 4] \}$$

**table [2, 5] = 22**. The partial table will be -

$$\text{table}[3, 1] \text{ with } i = 3, j = 1, w_i = 3, v_i = 20$$

|   |   |    |    |    |    |    |
|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|
| 0 | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| 1 | 0 | 0  | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| 2 | 0 | 10 | 12 | 22 | 22 | 22 |
| 3 | 0 |    |    |    |    |    |
| 4 | 0 |    |    |    |    |    |

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\text{table}[3, 1] = \text{table}[i-1, j]$$

$$= \text{table}[2, 1]$$

$$\therefore \text{table}[3, 1] = 10$$

$$\text{table}[3, 2] \text{ with } i = 3, j = 2, w_i = 3, v_i = 20$$

As  $j < w_i$

$$\text{table}[3, 2] = \text{table}[i-1, j]$$

$$= \text{table}[2, 2]$$

$$\therefore \text{table}[3, 2] = 12$$

$$\text{table}[3, 3] \text{ with } i = 3, j = 3, w_i = 3, v_i = 20$$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\text{table}[3, 3] = \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \}$$

$$\therefore \text{table}[3, 3] = 22$$

$$\text{table}[3, 4] \text{ with } i = 3, j = 4, w_i = 3, v_i = 20$$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\text{table}[3, 4] = \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \}$$

$$= \max \{ \text{table}[2, 4], 20 + \text{table}[2, 1] \}$$

$$= \max \{ 22, 20 + 10 \}$$

$$\therefore \text{table}[3, 4] = 30$$

$$\text{table}[3, 5] \text{ with } i = 3, j = 5, w_i = 3, v_i = 20$$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\text{table}[3, 5] = \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \}$$

$$= \max \{ \text{table}[2, 5], 20 + \text{table}[2, 2] \}$$

$$= \max \{ 22, 20 + 12 \}$$

$$\therefore \text{table}[3, 5] = 32$$

The partially filled up table is as follows -

$$\text{table}[4, 1] \text{ with } i = 4, j = 1, w_i = 2, v_i = 15$$

As  $j < w_i$

|   |   |    |    |    |    |
|---|---|----|----|----|----|
| 0 | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| 1 | 0 | 0  | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| 2 | 0 | 10 | 12 | 22 | 22 |
| 3 | 0 | 10 | 12 | 22 | 22 |
| 4 | 0 |    |    |    |    |

As  $j < w_i$

$$\text{table}[4, 1] = \text{table}[i-1, j]$$

$$= \text{table}[3, 1]$$

$$\therefore \text{table}[4, 1] = 10$$

$$\text{table}[4, 2] \text{ with } i = 4, j = 2, w_i = 2, v_i = 15$$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\text{table}[4, 2] = \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \}$$

$$= \max \{ \text{table}[3, 2], 15 + \text{table}[3, 0] \}$$

$\therefore$  table [4, 2] = 15

table [4, 3] with  $i = 4, j = 3, w_i = 2, v_i = 15$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [4, 3]} &= \max \{ \text{table [i-1, j]}, v_i + \text{table [i-1, j-w}_i \} \\ &= \max \{ \text{table [3, 3]} 15 + \text{table [3, 1]} \} \\ &= \max \{ 22, 15 + 10 \} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  table [4, 3] = 25

table [4, 4] with  $i = 4, j = 4, w_i = 2, v_i = 15$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [4, 4]} &= \max \{ \text{table [i-1, j]}, v_i + \text{table [i-1, j-w}_i \} \\ &= \max \{ \text{table [3, 4]} 15 + \text{table [3, 2]} \} \\ &= \max \{ 30, 15 + 12 \} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  table [4, 4] = 30

table [4, 5] with  $i = 4, j = 5, w_i = 2, v_i = 15$

As  $j \geq w_i$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{table [4, 5]} &= \max \{ \text{table [i-1, j]}, v_i + \text{table [i-1, j-w}_i \} \\ &= \max \{ \text{table [3, 5]} 15 + \text{table [3, 3]} \} \\ &= \max \{ 32, 15 + 22 \} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  table [4, 5] = 37

Now we will trace for the solution using above table -

|   |   |    |    |    |    |    |
|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|
|   | 0 | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  |
| 0 | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| 1 | 0 | 0  | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| 2 | 0 | 10 | 12 | 22 | 22 | 22 |
| 3 | 0 | 10 | 12 | 22 | 30 | 32 |
| 4 | 0 | 10 | 15 | 25 | 30 | 37 |

$i = 4, k = 4$

As table [i, j]  $\neq$  table [i-1, k]

i.e. table [4, 5]  $\neq$  table [3, 5]

Now  $i = i - 1$  and  $k = k - w_i$

$\therefore$   $i = 4 - 1 = 3$  and  $k = 5 - 2 = 3$

As table [i, k] = table [i-1, k]

i.e. table [3, 3] = table [2, 3]

$\therefore$  Do not select  $i^{\text{th}}$  i.e. 3<sup>rd</sup> item.

Now set  $i = i - 1$

$\therefore i = 2$  and  $k = 3$ .

As table [2, 3]  $\neq$  table [1, 3]

$\therefore$  Select  $i^{\text{th}}$  i.e. 2<sup>nd</sup> item.

Set  $i = i - 1$  and  $k = k - w_i$

$\therefore i = 1$  and  $k = 3 - 1 = 2$

As table [1, 2]  $\neq$  table [0, 2]

Select  $i^{\text{th}}$  i.e. 1<sup>st</sup> item.

Now set  $i = i - 1$  and  $k = k - w_i$

$\therefore i = 0$  and  $k = 0$

Thus solution to this Knapsack problem is (profit = 37).

**Example 4.6.7** Discuss knapsack problem using dynamic programming.

$w(w_1, w_2, w_3) = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and values  $v(v_1, v_2, v_3)$  capacity  $M$  is 3 units.

**Solution :** Let  $M = 3$

|       |
|-------|
| $w_i$ |
| 1     |
| 2     |
| 3     |

Initially table [0, j] = 0 and table [i, 0] = 0

Thus there are 0 to n rows and 0 to M columns

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 |   |   |   |
| 2 | 0 |   |   |   |
| 3 | 0 |   |   |   |

Now we will fill up table row by row using following formula

$$\text{table}[i, j] = \begin{cases} \max \{ \text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i] \} & \text{when } j \geq w_i \\ \text{table}[i-1, j] & \text{if } j < w_i \end{cases}$$

table [1, 1] with i = 1, j = 1, w<sub>i</sub> = 1, v<sub>i</sub> = 2

j ≥ w<sub>i</sub> is satisfied here

$$\therefore \text{table}[1, 1] = \max \{ \text{table}[0, 1], 2 + \text{table}[0, 0] \} = \max \{ 0, 2 \}$$

$$\therefore \text{table}[1, 1] = 2$$

table [1, 2] with i = 1, j = 2, w<sub>i</sub> = 1, v<sub>i</sub> = 2

j ≥ w<sub>i</sub> is satisfied here.

$$\therefore \text{table}[1, 2] = \max \{ \text{table}[0, 2], 2 + \text{table}[0, 1] \} = \max \{ 0, 2 \}$$

$$\text{table}[1, 2] = 2$$

table [1, 3] with i = 1, j = 3, w<sub>i</sub> = 1, v<sub>i</sub> = 2

j ≥ w<sub>i</sub> is satisfied here.

$$\therefore \text{table}[1, 3] = \max \{ \text{table}[0, 3], 2 + \text{table}[0, 2] \} = \max \{ 0, 2 \}$$

$$\text{table}[1, 3] = 2$$

The partially filled table will be

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 2 | 0 |   |   |   |

Table [2, 1] with i = 2, j = 1, w<sub>i</sub> = 2, v<sub>i</sub> = 3

Here j < w<sub>i</sub> is satisfied.

$$\therefore \text{table}[2, 1] = \text{table}[1, 1] = \text{table}[1, 1]$$

$$\text{table}[2, 1] = 2$$

table [2, 2] with i = 2, j = 2, w<sub>i</sub> = 2, v<sub>i</sub> = 3

Here j ≥ w<sub>i</sub> is satisfied.

$$\therefore \text{table}[2, 2] = \max \{ \text{table}[1, 2], 3 + \text{table}[1, 0] \} = \max \{ 2, 3 + 0 \}$$

$$\text{table}[2, 2] = 3$$

table [2, 3] with i = 2, j = 3, w<sub>i</sub> = 2, v<sub>i</sub> = 3

Here j ≥ w<sub>i</sub> is satisfied.

$$\therefore \text{table}[2, 3] = \max \{ \text{table}[1, 3], 3 + \text{table}[1, 1] \} = \max \{ 2, 5 \}$$

$$\text{table}[2, 3] = 5$$

The partially filled table is as follows -

|   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 2 |
| 2 | 0 | 2 |
| 3 | 0 |   |

Table [3, 1] with i = 3, j = 1, w<sub>i</sub> = 3, v<sub>i</sub> = 4

As j < w<sub>i</sub> is satisfied

$$\therefore \text{table}[3, 1] = \text{table}[i-1, j] = \text{table}[2, 1]$$

$$\text{table}[3, 1] = 2$$

table [3, 2] with i = 3, j = 2, w<sub>i</sub> = 3, v<sub>i</sub> = 4

As j < w<sub>i</sub> is satisfied

$$\therefore \text{table}[3, 2] = \text{table}[i-1, j]$$

table [3, 3] with  $i = 3, j = 3, w_i = 3, v_i = 3, v_j = 4$

As  $j \geq w_i$  is satisfied

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{table}[3, 3] &= \max\{\text{table}[i-1, j], v_i + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_i]\} \\ &= \max\{\text{table}[2, 3], 4 + \text{table}[2, 0]\} \\ &= \max\{5, 4\} \end{aligned}$$

table [3, 3] = 5

The completely filled table is

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 2 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 5 |
| 3 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 5 |

Now we will find the actual items of knapsack

**Step 1 :** Consider  $i = n = 3$

table [3, 3] = table [2, 3]

$\therefore$  Do not select  $i^{\text{th}}$  i.e. 3<sup>rd</sup> item.

**Step 2 :** Now  $i = i - 1$

i.e.  $i = 2$

table [i, n] = table [i - 1, n]

i.e. table [2, 3] = table [1, 3]

table [2, 3]  $\neq$  table [1, 3]

$\therefore$  Select  $i^{\text{th}}$  i.e. 2<sup>nd</sup> item.

**Step 3 :** Now  $i = i - 1 = 1$

$j = j - w_i = 3 - 2 = 1$

Now check if table [i, j] = table [i - 1, j]

i.e. if table [1, 1] = table [0, 1]

As table [1, 1]  $\neq$  table [0, 1]

Select  $i^{\text{th}}$  i.e. 1<sup>st</sup> item.

**Step 4 :**  $i = i - 1 = 0$

**Example 4.6.8** Consider Knapsack capacity  $W = 9, w$  the maximum profit using dynamic method.

**Solution :** Let the instance of the problem be -

| Item | $w_i$ |
|------|-------|
| 1    | 3     |
| 2    | 4     |
| 3    | 5     |
| 4    | 7     |

Initially table[0, j] = 0 and the table[i, 0] = 0 columns in the table. The  $n = 4$  and  $W = 9$ . Hence

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 2 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 3 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 4 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |

Now we will fill up the table row by row using

table [i, j] = maximum{table[i-1, j],  $v_i + \text{table}$

or table [i, j] = table[i-1, j] when  $j < w_i$

**Step 1 :** Computing next row

Computing table [1,1]

As  $j < w_1$  i.e.  $1 < 3$

with  $i = 1, j = 1$

Formula Used : table [i, j] = table

$w_1 = w_1 = 3$

$\therefore \text{table}[1, 1] = \text{table}[0, 1]$

$v_1 = v_1 = 12$

= 0

$\therefore \text{table}[1, 1] = 0$

Computing table[1,2]

As  $j < w_1$  i.e.  $2 < 3$

with  $i = 1, j = 2$

Formula Used : table [i, j] = table

$w_1 = w_1 = 3$

$\therefore \text{table}[1, 1] = \text{table}[0, 1]$

$v_1 = v_1 = 12$

= 0

|                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <p><b>Computing table[1,3]</b><br/>with <math>i = 1, j = 3</math><br/><math>w_1 = w_1 = 3</math><br/><math>v_1 = v_1 = 12</math></p> | <p>As <math>j &gt; w_1</math> i.e. <math>3 &gt; 3</math><br/><b>Formula Used :</b> <math>table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}</math><br/><math>\therefore table[1,3] = \text{maximum}\{table[0,3], 12 + table[0,0]\}</math><br/><math>= 12</math><br/><math>\therefore table[1,3] = 12</math></p> |
| <p><b>Computing table[1,4]</b><br/>with <math>i = 1, j = 4</math><br/><math>w_1 = w_1 = 3</math><br/><math>v_1 = v_1 = 12</math></p> | <p>As <math>j &gt; w_1</math> i.e. <math>4 &gt; 3</math><br/><b>Formula Used :</b> <math>table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}</math><br/><math>\therefore table[1,4] = \text{maximum}\{table[0,4], 12 + table[0,1]\}</math><br/><math>= 12</math><br/><math>\therefore table[1,4] = 12</math></p> |
| <p><b>Computing table[1,5]</b><br/>with <math>i = 1, j = 4</math><br/><math>w_1 = w_1 = 3</math><br/><math>v_1 = v_1 = 12</math></p> | <p>As <math>j &gt; w_1</math> i.e. <math>5 &gt; 3</math><br/><b>Formula Used :</b> <math>table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}</math><br/><math>\therefore table[1,5] = \text{maximum}\{table[0,5], 12 + table[0,2]\}</math><br/><math>= 12</math><br/><math>\therefore table[1,5] = 12</math></p> |
| <p><b>Computing table[1,6]</b><br/>with <math>i = 1, j = 4</math><br/><math>w_1 = w_1 = 3</math><br/><math>v_1 = v_1 = 12</math></p> | <p>As <math>j &gt; w_1</math> i.e. <math>6 &gt; 3</math><br/><b>Formula Used :</b> <math>table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}</math><br/><math>\therefore table[1,6] = \text{maximum}\{table[0,6], 12 + table[0,3]\}</math><br/><math>= 12</math><br/><math>\therefore table[1,6] = 12</math></p> |
| <p><b>Computing table[1,7]</b><br/>with <math>i = 1, j = 4</math><br/><math>w_1 = w_1 = 3</math><br/><math>v_1 = v_1 = 12</math></p> | <p>As <math>j &gt; w_1</math> i.e. <math>7 &gt; 3</math><br/><b>Formula Used :</b> <math>table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}</math><br/><math>\therefore table[1,7] = \text{maximum}\{table[0,7], 12 + table[0,4]\}</math><br/><math>= 12</math><br/><math>\therefore table[1,7] = 12</math></p> |
| <p><b>Computing table[1,8]</b><br/>with <math>i = 1, j = 4</math><br/><math>w_1 = w_1 = 3</math><br/><math>v_1 = v_1 = 12</math></p> | <p>As <math>j &gt; w_1</math> i.e. <math>8 &gt; 3</math><br/><b>Formula Used :</b> <math>table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}</math><br/><math>\therefore table[1,8] = \text{maximum}\{table[0,8], 12 + table[0,5]\}</math><br/><math>= 12</math></p>                                             |

**Computing table[1,9]**  
with  $i = 1, j = 4$   
 $w_1 = w_1 = 3$   
 $v_1 = v_1 = 12$

As  $j > w_1$  i.e.  $9 > 3$   
**Formula Used :**  $table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[0,9], 9 > 3$   
 $\therefore table[1,9] = \text{maximum}\{table[0,9], 9 > 3$   
 $= 12$   
 $\therefore table[1,9] = 12$

The partially filled table with above computed

|   |   |   |    |    |
|---|---|---|----|----|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3  | 4  |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0  |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 12 |
| 2 | 0 |   |    |    |
| 3 | 0 |   |    |    |
| 4 | 0 |   |    |    |

**Step 2 : Computing next row**

**Computing table[2,1]**  
with  $i = 2, j = 1$   
 $w_1 = w_2 = 4$   
 $v_1 = v_2 = 40$

As  $j < w_1$  i.e.  $1 < 4$   
**Formula Used :**  $table[i, j]$   
 $\therefore table[2,1] = table[1,1]$   
 $= 0$   
 $\therefore table[2,1] = 0$

**Computing table[2,2]**  
with  $i = 2, j = 2$   
 $w_1 = w_2 = 4$   
 $v_1 = v_2 = 40$

As  $j < w_1$  i.e.  $2 < 4$   
**Formula Used :**  $table[i, j]$   
 $\therefore table[2,2] = table[1,2]$   
 $= 0$   
 $\therefore table[2,2] = 0$

**Computing table[2,3]**  
with  $i = 2, j = 3$   
 $w_1 = w_2 = 4$

As  $j < w_1$  i.e.  $3 < 4$   
**Formula Used :**  $table[i, j]$   
 $\therefore table[2,3] = table[1,3]$

**Computing table[2,4]**

with  $i = 2, j = 4$

$w_1 = w_2 = 4$

$v_1 = v_2 = 40$

As  $j \geq w_1$  i.e.  $4 = 4$

Formula Used :  $table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}$

$\therefore table[2,4] = \text{maximum}\{table[1,4], 40 + table[1,0]\}$

$= \text{maximum}\{12, 40 + 0\}$

$\therefore table[2,4] = 40$

**Computing table[2,5]**

with  $i = 2, j = 5$

$w_1 = w_2 = 4$

$v_1 = v_2 = 40$

As  $j \geq w_1$  i.e.  $5 > 4$

Formula Used :  $table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}$

$\therefore table[2,5] = \text{maximum}\{table[1,5], 40 + table[1,1]\}$

$= \text{maximum}\{12, 40 + 0\}$

$\therefore table[2,5] = 40$

**Computing table[2,6]**

with  $i = 2, j = 6$

$w_1 = w_2 = 4$

$v_1 = v_2 = 40$

As  $j \geq w_1$  i.e.  $6 = 4$

Formula Used :  $table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}$

$\therefore table[2,6] = \text{maximum}\{table[1,6], 40 + table[1,2]\}$

$= \text{maximum}\{12, 40 + 0\}$

$\therefore table[2,6] = 40$

**Computing table[2,7]**

with  $i = 2, j = 7$

$w_1 = w_2 = 4$

$v_1 = v_2 = 40$

As  $j \geq w_1$  i.e.  $7 > 4$

Formula Used :  $table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}$

$\therefore table[2,7] = \text{maximum}\{table[1,7], 40 + table[1,3]\}$

$= \text{maximum}\{12, 40 + 12\}$

$\therefore table[2,7] = 52$

**Computing table[2,8]**

with  $i = 2, j = 8$

$w_1 = w_2 = 4$

$v_1 = v_2 = 40$

As  $j \geq w_1$  i.e.  $8 > 4$

Formula Used :  $table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}$

$\therefore table[2,8] = \text{maximum}\{table[1,8], 40 + table[1,4]\}$

$= \text{maximum}\{12, 40 + 12\}$

**Computing table[2,9]**

with  $i = 2, j = 9$

$w_1 = w_2 = 4$

$v_1 = v_2 = 40$

As  $j \geq w_1$  i.e.  $9 > 4$

Formula Used :  $table[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{table[i-1, j], v_1 + table[i-1, j-w_1]\}$

$\therefore table[2,9] = \text{maximum}\{table[1,9], 40 + table[1,5]\}$

$= \text{maximum}\{12, 40 + 40\}$

$\therefore table[2,9] = 52$

The partially filled table with above computed values

|   |   |   |   |    |    |
|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4  | 5  |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0  |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 12 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 40 |
| 3 | 0 |   |   |    |    |
| 4 | 0 |   |   |    |    |

**Step 3 : Computing next row**

**Computing table[3,1]**

with  $i = 3, j = 1$

$w_1 = w_2 = 5$

$v_1 = v_2 = 25$

As  $j < w_1$  i.e.  $1 < 5$

Formula Used :  $table[i, j] = table[i, j]$

$\therefore table[3,1] = table[2,1]$

$= 0$

$\therefore table[3,1] = 0$

**Computing table[3,2]**

with  $i = 3, j = 2$

$w_1 = w_2 = 5$

$v_1 = v_2 = 25$

As  $j < w_1$  i.e.  $2 < 5$

Formula Used :  $table[i, j] = table[i, j]$

$\therefore table[3,2] = table[2,2]$

$= 0$

$\therefore table[3,2] = 0$

**Computing table[3,3]**

with  $i = 3, j = 3$

$w_1 = w_2 = 5$

$v_1 = v_2 = 25$

As  $j < w_1$  i.e.  $3 < 5$

Formula Used :  $table[i, j] = table[i, j]$

$\therefore table[3,3] = table[2,3]$

$= 12$

$\therefore table[3,3] = 12$

**Computing table[3,4]**

with  $i = 3, j = 4$

$w_1 = w_2 = 5$

$v_1 = v_2 = 25$

As  $j < w_1$  i.e.  $4 < 5$

Formula Used :  $table[i, j] = table[i, j]$

$\therefore table[3,4] = table[2,4]$

$= 40$

|                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Computing table[3,5]<br>with $i = 3, j = 5$<br>$w_1 = w_2 = 5$<br>$v_1 = v_2 = 25$ | As $j \geq w_1$ i.e. $5 > 5$<br>Formula Used : $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{\text{table}[i-1, j], v_1 + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_1]\}$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[3,5] = \text{maximum}\{\text{table}[2,5], 25 + \text{table}[2,0]\}$<br>$= \text{maximum}\{40, 25 + 0\}$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[3,5] = 40$ |
| Computing table[3,6]<br>with $i = 3, j = 6$<br>$w_1 = w_2 = 5$<br>$v_1 = v_2 = 25$ | As $j > w_1$ i.e. $6 > 5$<br>Formula Used : $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{\text{table}[i-1, j], v_1 + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_1]\}$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[3,6] = \text{maximum}\{\text{table}[2,6], 25 + \text{table}[2,1]\}$<br>$= \text{maximum}\{40, 25 + 0\}$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[3,6] = 40$    |
| Computing table[3,7]<br>with $i = 3, j = 7$<br>$w_1 = w_2 = 5$<br>$v_1 = v_2 = 25$ | As $j \geq w_1$ i.e. $7 > 5$<br>Formula Used : $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{\text{table}[i-1, j], v_1 + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_1]\}$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[3,7] = \text{maximum}\{\text{table}[2,7], 25 + \text{table}[2,2]\}$<br>$= \text{maximum}\{52, 25 + 0\}$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[3,7] = 52$ |
| Computing table[3,8]<br>with $i = 3, j = 8$<br>$w_1 = w_2 = 5$<br>$v_1 = v_2 = 25$ | As $j > w_1$ i.e. $8 > 5$<br>Formula Used : $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{\text{table}[i-1, j], v_1 + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_1]\}$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[3,8] = \text{maximum}\{\text{table}[2,8], 25 + \text{table}[2,3]\}$<br>$= \text{maximum}\{52, 25 + 12\}$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[3,8] = 52$   |
| Computing table[3,9]<br>with $i = 3, j = 9$<br>$w_1 = w_2 = 5$<br>$v_1 = v_2 = 25$ | As $j > w_1$ i.e. $9 > 5$<br>Formula Used : $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{maximum}\{\text{table}[i-1, j], v_1 + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_1]\}$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[3,9] = \text{maximum}\{\text{table}[2,9], 25 + \text{table}[2,4]\}$<br>$= \text{maximum}\{52, 25 + 40\}$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[3,9] = 65$   |

The partially filled table with above computed values is as follows

|   |   |   |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|---|---|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 52 | 52 |

**Step 4 : Computing next row**

|                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                             |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Computing table[4,1]<br>with $i = 4, j = 1$<br>$w_1 = w_2 = 7$<br>$v_1 = v_2 = 42$ | As $j < w_1$ i.e. $1 < 7$<br>Formula Used : $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{table}[3,1]$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[4,1] = \text{table}[3,1]$<br>$= 0$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[4,1] = 0$   |
| Computing table[4,2]<br>with $i = 4, j = 2$<br>$w_1 = w_2 = 7$<br>$v_1 = v_2 = 42$ | As $j < w_1$ i.e. $2 < 7$<br>Formula Used : $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{table}[3,2]$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[4,2] = \text{table}[3,2]$<br>$= 0$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[4,2] = 0$   |
| Computing table[4,3]<br>with $i = 4, j = 3$<br>$w_1 = w_2 = 7$<br>$v_1 = v_2 = 42$ | As $j < w_1$ i.e. $3 < 7$<br>Formula Used : $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{table}[3,3]$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[4,3] = \text{table}[3,3]$<br>$= 12$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[4,3] = 12$ |
| Computing table[4,4]<br>with $i = 4, j = 4$<br>$w_1 = w_2 = 7$<br>$v_1 = v_2 = 42$ | As $j < w_1$ i.e. $4 < 7$<br>Formula Used : $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{table}[3,4]$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[4,4] = \text{table}[3,4]$<br>$= 40$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[4,4] = 40$ |
| Computing table[4,5]<br>with $i = 4, j = 5$<br>$w_1 = w_2 = 7$<br>$v_1 = v_2 = 42$ | As $j < w_1$ i.e. $5 < 7$<br>Formula Used : $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{table}[3,5]$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[4,5] = \text{table}[3,5]$<br>$= 40$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[4,5] = 40$ |
| Computing table[4,6]<br>with $i = 4, j = 6$<br>$w_1 = w_2 = 7$                     | As $j < w_1$ i.e. $6 < 7$<br>Formula Used : $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{table}[3,6]$<br>$\therefore \text{table}[4,6] = \text{table}[3,6]$                                                  |

**Computing table[4,7]**

with  $i = 4, j = 7$

$w_1 = w_2 = 7$   
 $v_1 = v_2 = 42$

As  $j >= w_1$  i.e.  $7 = 7$

**Formula Used :**  $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{maximum}(\text{table}[i-1, j], v_1 + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_1])$

$\therefore \text{table}[4,7] = \text{maximum}(\text{table}[3,7], 42 + \text{table}[3,0])$

$= \text{maximum}\{52, 42+0\}$

$\therefore \text{table}[4,7] = 52$

**Computing table[4,8]**

with  $i = 4, j = 8$

$w_1 = w_2 = 7$   
 $v_1 = v_2 = 42$

As  $j >= w_1$  i.e.  $8 > 7$

**Formula Used :**  $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{maximum}(\text{table}[i-1, j], v_1 + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_1])$

$\therefore \text{table}[4,8] = \text{maximum}(\text{table}[3,8], 42 + \text{table}[3,1])$

$= \text{maximum}\{52, 42 + 0\}$

$\therefore \text{table}[4,8] = 52$

**Computing table[4,9]**

with  $i = 4, j = 9$

$w_1 = w_2 = 7$   
 $v_1 = v_2 = 42$

As  $j >= w_1$  i.e.  $9 > 7$

**Formula Used :**  $\text{table}[i, j] = \text{maximum}(\text{table}[i-1, j], v_1 + \text{table}[i-1, j-w_1])$

$\therefore \text{table}[4,9] = \text{maximum}(\text{table}[3,9], 42 + \text{table}[3,2])$

$= \text{maximum}\{65, 42 + 0\}$

$\therefore \text{table}[4,9] = 65$

The completely filled table with above computed values is as follows

|   |   |   |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|---|---|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 52 | 52 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 52 | 65 |
| 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 52 | 65 |

Now we will find actual items of Knapsack

**Step 1 :**

Let  $i = n, k = j$

$\therefore i = 4, k = 9$

Compare  $\text{table}[i, k]$  and  $\text{table}[i-1, k]$

$\text{table}[4, 9] = \text{table}[3, 9]$

**Step 2 :**

Set  $i = i - 1$

$\therefore i = 3, k = 9$

Compare  $\text{table}[i, k]$  and  $\text{table}[i-1, k]$

$\text{table}[3,9] \neq \text{table}[2,9]$

$\therefore$  Select  $i^{\text{th}}$  i.e. 3<sup>rd</sup> item

**Step 3 :**

Set  $i = i - 1, k = k - w_1$

$\therefore i = 2, k = 9 - 5 = 4$

Compare  $\text{table}[i, k]$  and  $\text{table}[i-1, k]$

$\text{table}[2,4] \neq \text{table}[1,4]$

$\therefore$  Select  $i^{\text{th}}$  i.e. 2<sup>nd</sup> item

**Step 4 :**

Set  $i = i - 1, k = k - w_1$

$\therefore i = 1, k = 4 - 4 = 0$

Compare  $\text{table}[i, k]$  and  $\text{table}[i-1, k]$

$\text{table}[1, 0] \neq \text{table}[0, 0]$

$\therefore$  Do not select  $i^{\text{th}}$  i.e. 1<sup>st</sup> item

Thus the solution is : Select item 2 and item 3 with

**Examples for Practice**

**Example 4.6.9** Consider 0/1 knapsack problem  $N = 3, v = [1, 2, 2], w = [1, 2, 2]$ . Using dynamic programming devise the recursive algorithm to solve the same. Determine the optimal profit.

[Ans. :  $\text{table}[1, 1] = 0, \text{table}[1, 2] = 0, \text{table}[1, 4] = 10, \text{table}[2, 2] = 10, \text{table}[2, 4] = 10, \text{table}[3, 2] = 10, \text{table}[3, 4] = 10$ ]

**Example 4.6.10** Using dynamic programming solve the following problem.  $N = 3, v = [1, 2, 2], w = [1, 2, 2]$  and  $n = 3, [w_1, w_2, w_3] = [1, 2, 2]$  and  $v = [1, 2, 2]$

Let us now discuss the algorithm for the following problem.

Thus  $c(n) \approx W_n$

The time complexity of this algorithm is  $\Theta(nW)$

### 4.6.1 Memory Functions

While solving recurrence relation using dynamic programming, subproblems may be solved more than once and a problem. Hence memory function is a method that we can define the goal of memory function necessary and solve these subproblems only once.

**Memorization** is a way to deal with over programming. During memorization -

1. After computing the solution to a subproblem
  2. Make use of recursive calls.
- The 0-1 Knapsack Memory Function Algorithm is Globally some values are to be set before the act

### Algorithm

**Algorithm** Dynamic Knapsack( $n, W, w[] ,v[]$ )  
**//Problem Description** : This algorithm is for obtaining knapsack

**//solution** using dynamic programming

**//Input:**  $n$  is total number of items,  $W$  is the capacity of

**//knapsack**,  $w[]$  stores weights of each item and  $v[]$  stores

**//the values** of each item.

**//Output:** Returns the total value of selected items for the

**//knapsack.**

**for** ( $i \leftarrow 0$  to  $n$ ) **do**

{

**for** ( $j \leftarrow 0$  to  $W$ ) **do**

{

table[ $i,0$ ]=0 // table initialization

table[ $0,j$ ]=0

}

}

**for** ( $i \leftarrow 0$  to  $n$ ) **do**

{

**for** ( $j \leftarrow 0$  to  $W$ ) **do**

{

**if** ( $j < w[i]$ ) **then**

table[ $i,j$ ] $\leftarrow$  table[ $i - 1, j$ ]

**else if** ( $j \geq w[i]$ ) **then**

table[ $i,j$ ] $\leftarrow$  max (table[ $i-1,j$ ],( $v[i]$ +table[ $i - 1,j - w[i]$ ]))

}

}

**return** table[ $n,W$ ]

### Analysis

In this algorithm the basic operation is if ... else if statement within two nested for loops.

Hence

$$c(n) = \sum_{i=0}^n \sum_{j=0}^W 1 = \sum_{i=0}^n W - 0 + 1$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^n (W + 1)$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^n W + \sum_{i=0}^n 1$$

$$= W \cdot \sum_{i=0}^n 1 + \sum_{i=0}^n 1$$

```

for ($i \leftarrow 1$ to n) do
for ($j \leftarrow 1$ to W) do
table[i,j] $\leftarrow -1$
for ($j \leftarrow 0$ to W) do
table[$0,j$] $\leftarrow 0$ //making 0th row 0
for $i \leftarrow 1$ to n do
table[$i,0$] $\leftarrow 0$ //making 0th column 0
Algorithm Mem_Fun_knapsack(i,j)
//Problem Description : Implementation of memory
//for the knapsack problem
//Input: i is the number of items and j denotes the k
//Output : optimal solution subset
if (table[i,j] < 0) then
{
if ($j < w[i]$) then
value \leftarrow Mem_Fun_knapsack($i - 1, j$)
else
value \leftarrow max(Mem_Fun_knapsack($i - 1, j$),
v[i] + Mem_Fun_knapsack($i - 1, j - w[i]$))
table[i,j] \leftarrow value
return table[i, j]
}

```

### Review Question

1. Discuss and derive an equation for solving the 0/1 Kn

**4.7 Shortest Path**

The all pair shortest path is the problem of determining shortest path distances between every pair of vertices in a given graph. The use of this algorithm is in routing problems. Following are the algorithms used for finding all - pair shortest path-

1. Matrix multiplication and shortest path
2. Floyd-Warshall's algorithm

Let us discuss these algorithms with suitable examples.

**4.7.1 Shortest Path and Matrix Multiplication**

The shortest path for all pair can be obtained using dynamic programming approach. This operation of finding shortest path is similar to matrix multiplication. Hence the algorithm of finding shortest path between all pairs will look like repeated matrix multiplication. Let us apply following steps to obtain all pair shortest path using matrix multiplication approach.

**Step 1 : Deciding Structure of a Shortest Path**

The structure of optimal solution has to be characterized. For that matter, the graph is represented by adjacency matrix. In this representation if there is an edge between i to j then the  $M[i][j] = W_{ij}$ , where  $W_{ij}$  represents the weight of edge between i and j. The shortest path between all i and j pairs is obtained by the path p which is denoted by m number of edges. This can be denoted as

$i \rightarrow k \rightarrow j$  means the path from vertex i to k comprised of path p' containing at the most m-1. Then the weight  $w_{kj}$  should be then added to reach to j.

**Step 2 : Recursive Definition**

Let,

$(m)$  be the minimum weight from vertex i to j made up of m edges.

$$l_{ij}^{(0)} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = j \\ \infty & \text{if } i \neq j \end{cases}$$

and

$$l_{ij}^{(m)} = \min_{1 \leq k \leq n} \left\{ l_{ik}^{(m-1)} + w_{kj} \right\}$$

$$= \min_{i \leq k \leq n} \left\{ l_{ik}^{(m-1)} + W_{kj} \right\}$$

← Finding intermediate edge with minimum weight.

**Step 3 : Computing the Shortest Path**

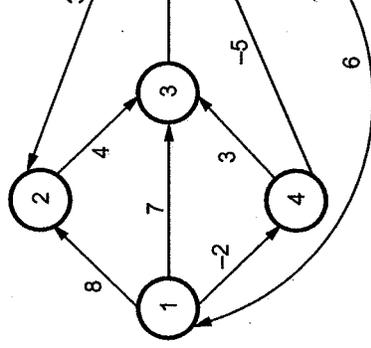
The algorithm for shortest path are

Algorithm shortest\_path()

```
// problem Description : This algorithm finds the
// Shortest path using matrix multiplication approach
for i ← 1 to n
{
 for j ← 1 to n
 $l_{ij} \leftarrow \min (l_{ij}, l_{ik} + W_{kj})$
 }
}
return
// end of algorithm
```

As there are three nested for loops the running time

**Example 4.7.1** Consider following graph for finding all



**Solution :** Here only one edge is allowed between only direct edges are allowed  $M[i, i] = 0$ . If there is  $M[i, j] = \infty$

$$M[1, 3] = M[1, 4] + M[4, 3]$$

$$= -2 + 3$$

$$M[1,3] = 1$$

Thus two edges are allowed between i to j.

$$\begin{aligned}
 M[1,5] &= -7 \\
 M[3,1] &= M[3,5] + M[5,1] \\
 &= 1 + 6 \\
 M[3,1] &= 7 \\
 M[3,2] &= M[3,5] + M[5,2] \\
 &= 1 + 3 \\
 M[3,2] &= 4 \\
 M[4,1] &= M[4,5] + M[5,1] \\
 &= -5 + 6 \\
 M[4,1] &= 1 \\
 M[4,2] &= M[4,5] + M[5,2] \\
 &= -5 + 3 \\
 M[4,2] &= -2 \\
 M[5,3] &= M[5,2] + M[2,3] \\
 &= 3 + 4 \\
 M[5,3] &= 7 \\
 M[5,4] &= M[5,1] + M[1,4] \\
 &= 6 + -2 \\
 M[5,4] &= 4
 \end{aligned}$$

Now,

Here at the most three edges are allowed from i to j vertices. For example :

$$\begin{aligned}
 M[1,2] &= M[1,4] + M[4,5] + M[5,2] \\
 &= -2 + -5 + 3 \\
 M[1,2] &= -4
 \end{aligned}$$

Here at the most 4 edges are allowed between i to j. Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 M[2,4] &= M[2,3] + M[3,5] \\
 &\quad + M[5,1] + M[1,4] \\
 &= 4 + 1 + 6 + -2 \\
 M[2,4] &= 9
 \end{aligned}$$

|   |          |    |   |          |    |
|---|----------|----|---|----------|----|
|   | 1        | 2  | 3 | 4        | 5  |
| 1 | 0        | 8  | 1 | -2       | -7 |
| 2 | $\infty$ | 0  | 4 | $\infty$ | 5  |
| 3 | 7        | 4  | 0 | $\infty$ | 1  |
| 4 | 1        | -2 | 3 | 0        | -5 |
| 5 | 6        | 3  | 7 | 4        | 0  |

$L^{(2)} =$

|   |          |    |   |          |    |
|---|----------|----|---|----------|----|
|   | 1        | 2  | 3 | 4        | 5  |
| 1 | 0        | 8  | 1 | -2       | -7 |
| 2 | $\infty$ | 0  | 4 | $\infty$ | 5  |
| 3 | 7        | 4  | 0 | $\infty$ | 1  |
| 4 | 1        | -2 | 3 | 0        | -5 |
| 5 | 6        | 3  | 7 | 4        | 0  |

Since  $L^{(4)}$  is  $L^{(5)}$ , We declare  $L^{(5)}$  denotes all pair shortest paths.

$$\begin{aligned}
 L^{(1)} &= W \\
 L^{(2)} &= W \cdot W = W^2 \\
 L^{(3)} &= W^2 \cdot W^2 = W^4
 \end{aligned}$$

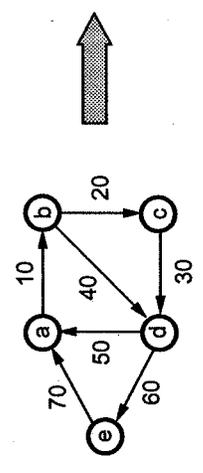
Thus shortest path can be obtained as matrix multiplication procedure.

$L^{(5)} =$

### 4.7.2 The Floyd-Warshall Algorithm

Floyd's algorithm is for finding the shortest path graph. The algorithm works for both directed and undirected graph and hence is the name. Invented by R. Floyd and hence is the name. In this algorithm, let us revise few concepts related with graph.

**Weighted graph :** The weighted graph is a graph given along the edges. The weighted graph can be defined as follows,



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Here  $W[i][j] = 0$  if  $i = j$

$W[i][j] = \infty$  if there is no edge (direct edge) between  $i$  and  $j$ .

$W[i][j] =$  Weight of edge.

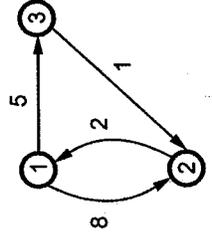
**Basic concept of Floyd's Algorithm**

- The Floyd's algorithm is for computing shortest path between every pair of vertices of graph.
- The graph may contain negative edges but it should not contain negative cycles.
- The Floyd's algorithm requires a weighted graph.
- Floyd's algorithm computes the distance matrix of a weighted graph with  $n$  vertices through a series of  $n$  by  $n$  matrices :

$$D^{(0)}, D^{(1)}, \dots, D^{(k-1)}, \dots, D^{(n)}$$

- In each matrix  $D^{(k)}$  the shortest distance " $d_{ij}$ " has to be computed between vertex  $v_i$  and  $v_j$ .
  - In particular the series starts with  $D^{(0)}$  with no intermediate vertex. That means  $D^{(0)}$  is a matrix in which  $v_i$  and  $v_j$  i.e.  $i^{th}$  row and  $j^{th}$  column contains the weights given by direct edges. In  $D^{(1)}$  matrix - the shortest distance going through one intermediate vertex (starting vertex as intermediate) with maximum path length of 2 edges is given continuing in this fashion we will compute  $D^{(n)}$ , containing the lengths of shortest paths among all paths that can use all  $n$  vertices as intermediate. Thus we get all pair shortest paths from matrix  $D^{(n)}$ .
- Let us first understand this algorithm with the help of some example.

**Example 4.7.2** Obtain the all pair-shortest path using Floyd's algorithm for the following weighted graph,



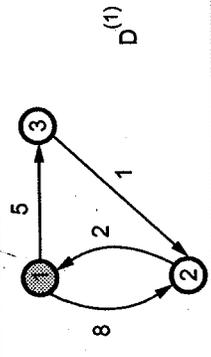
**Solution :** First we will compute weighted matrix with no intermediate vertex. i.e.,  $D^{(0)}$ .



|   |   |   |          |
|---|---|---|----------|
|   | 1 | 2 | 3        |
| 1 | 0 | 8 | 5        |
| 2 | 2 | 0 | $\infty$ |

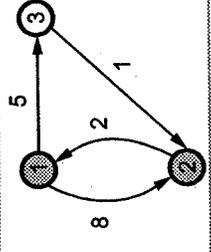
$D^{(0)}$

The matrix  $D^{(0)}$  is simply a weighted matrix. If direct edge present in vertex  $v_i$  and  $v_j$ ; set  $i^{th}$  row Otherwise put the weight given along the edge bet



$D^{(1)} =$

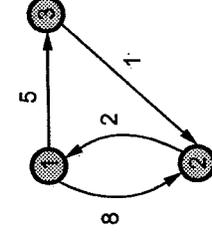
While computing  $D^{(1)}$  we have considered '1' containing maximum two edges is taken. For instance  $2 + 5 = 7$ . And  $7 < \infty$ . Hence the previous entry  $c$  replaced by 7.



$D^{(2)} =$

While computing  $D^{(2)}$ , we have considered '1' length of maximum three edges.

For instance : In  $D^{(1)}$  we have got  $\infty$  in  $3^{rd}$  row vertex 3 and 1. But we get another distance  $3 - 2 - 1$  Put 3 in  $3^{rd}$  row and  $1^{st}$  column. Note that this di vertices '1' and '2'.



$D^{(3)} =$

$D[1][2]$  was 8 in  $D^{(2)}$  but it is 6 in  $D^{(3)}$  because intermediate vertices are '1', '2' and '3' and the allowed.

Thus we have computed  $D^{(3)}$ . As  $n =$  total number of vertices = 3, we will stop computing series of  $D^{(k)}$ . The matrix  $D^{(3)}$  is representing shortest paths from all pairs of vertices.

Let us now formulate this procedure.

**Formulation**

Let,  $D^k[i, j]$  denotes the weight of shortest path from  $v_i$  to  $v_j$  using  $\{v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_k\}$  as intermediate vertices.

Initially  $D^{(0)}$  is computed as weighted matrix.

There exists two cases -

1. A shortest path from  $v_i$  to  $v_j$  with intermediate vertices from  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k\}$  that does not use  $v_k$ . In this case,

$$D^k[i, j] = D^{(k-1)}[i, j]$$

2. A shortest path from  $v_i$  to  $v_j$  restricted to using intermediate vertices  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k\}$  which uses  $v_k$ . In this case -

$$D^k[i, j] = D^{(k-1)}[i, k] + D^{(k-1)}[k, j]$$

The graphical representation of these two cases is

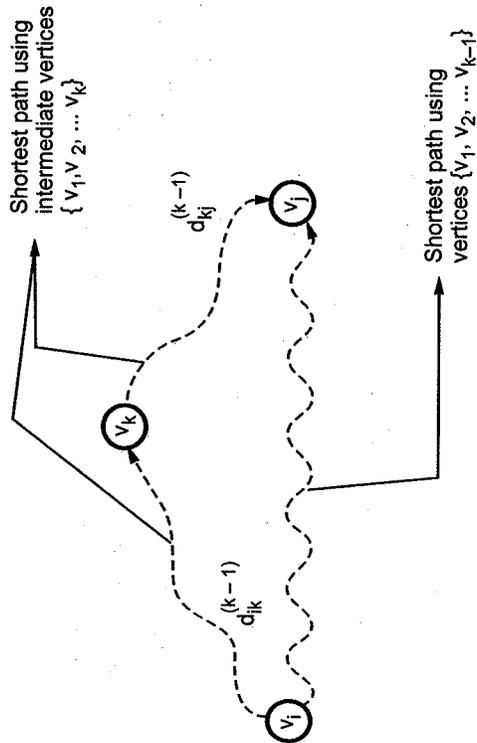


Fig. 4.7.1 Formulation of Floyd's algorithm

As these cases give us

1.  $D^{(k)}[i, j] = D^{(k-1)}[i, j]$

We can now write,

$$D^{(k)}[i, j] = \min \{D^{(k-1)}[i, j], D^{(k-1)}[i, k] + D^{(k-1)}[k, j]\}$$

**Algorithm**

```

Algorithm Floyd_shortest_path (wt[1...n, 1...n])
//Problem Description : This algorithm is for computing
//shortest path between all pairs of vertices.
//Input : The weighted matrix. wt[1...n, 1...n] for
//given graph.
//Output : The distance matrix D containing shortest path
D ← wt //Copy weighted matrix to D
//This initialization gives D(0)
for k ← 1 to n do
 for i ← 1 to n do
 for j ← 1 to n do
 D[i, j] ← min(D[i, j], (
 D[i, k] + D[k, j]
))
return D //computed D(n) is returned

```

Note that this is the basic operation in this algorithm

**Analysis**

In the above given algorithm the basic operation is

$$D[i, j] \leftarrow \min(D[i, j], D[i, k] + D[k, j])$$

This operation is with in three nested for loops, we

$$C(n) = \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n 1$$

$$C(n) = \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n (n-1+1) \therefore \sum_{i=1}^n 1 = n$$



$$= \sum_{k=1}^n n$$

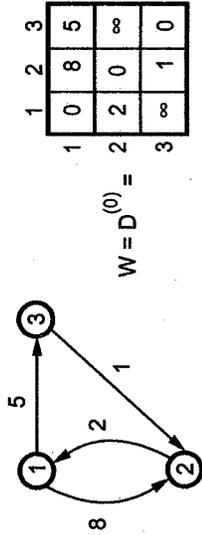
$$= \sum_{k=1}^n n^2$$

$$C(n) = n^3 \quad \therefore \sum_{i=1}^n n^2 \approx \frac{1}{3}n^3, \text{ we neglect constants.}$$

The time complexity of finding all pair shortest path is  $\Theta(n^3)$ .

Let us compute  $D^{(0)}, D^{(1)}, \dots, D^{(n)}$  using the formula for Floyd's algorithm.

Consider,



For  $D^{(1)}$ ,  $k = 1$  i.e. vertex 1 can be an intermediate vertex.

|   |          |   |   |
|---|----------|---|---|
|   | 1        | 2 | 3 |
| 1 | 0        | 8 | 5 |
| 2 | 2        | 0 | 7 |
| 3 | $\infty$ | 1 | 0 |

$$\therefore D^{(1)} = \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 8 & 5 \\ 2 & 0 & 7 \\ \infty & 1 & 0 \end{matrix}$$

$$D^1[2, 3] = \min \{D^0[2, 3], D^0[2, 1] + D^0[1, 3]\} = \min \{\infty, 7\} = 7$$

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
|   | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 1 | 0 | 8 | 5 |
| 2 | 2 | 0 | 7 |
| 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 |

For  $D^{(2)}$ ,  $k = 2$  i.e., vertices 1 and 2 can be intermediate vertices.

$$\therefore D^{(2)} = \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 8 & 5 \\ 2 & 0 & 7 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 & 0 \end{matrix}$$

$$D^2[1, 3] = \min \{D^1[1, 3], D^1[1, 2] + D^1[2, 3]\} = \min \{5, (8 + 7)\} = 5 \text{ i.e., remains unchanged.}$$

Similarly we will compute  $D^2[3, 1]$

$$D^2[1, 3] = D^2[3, 1] = \min \{D^1[3, 1], D^1[3, 2] + D^1[2, 1]\} = \min \{\infty, 1 + 2\}$$

For  $D^{(3)}$  computation,  $k = 3$  i.e. intermediate vertices

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
|   | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 1 | 0 | 6 | 5 |
| 2 | 2 | 0 | 7 |
| 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 |

$$D^{(3)} = \therefore D^3[1, 2]$$

$$D^3[1, 2]$$

Continuing in this fashion we can find all the shortest paths.

**Example 4.7.3** Write the equation for finding out shortest Floyd's method to find shortest path for below mentioned

|          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 0        | $\infty$ | 3        | $\infty$ |
| 2        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 7        | 0        | 1        |
| 6        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 0        |

**Solution :** Consider the matrix, we will compute  $D^{(k)}$

|          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 0        | $\infty$ | 3        | $\infty$ |
| 2        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 7        | 0        | 1        |
| 6        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 0        |

For  $i = j$  We will assign 0 to Matrix  $[i][j]$

We will apply formula,

$$D^{(k)}[i, j] = \min \{D^{(k-1)}[i, j], D^{(k-1)}[i, k] + D^{(k-1)}[k, j]\}$$

$$k = 1, i = 0, j = 0$$

$$D[0, 0] = \min \{D^0[0, 0], D^0[0, 1] + D^0[1, 0]\} = \min \{0, \infty + 2\} = 0$$

$k = 1, i = 0, j = 1$

$$D^1[0, 1] = \min \{D^0[0,1], D^0[0,1] + D^0[1,1]\}$$

$$= \min \{\infty, \infty + 0\}$$

$D^1[0, 1] = \infty$

In this way all the computations are carried out. The values of  $D^{(1)}, D^{(2)}, \dots$  are

$$D^{(1)} = \begin{matrix} & 0 & 10 & 3 & 4 & \infty \\ 0 & 0 & \infty & 3 & \infty & \\ 2 & 2 & 0 & 5 & \infty & \\ \infty & 7 & 0 & 1 & & \\ 6 & \infty & 9 & 0 & & \end{matrix}$$

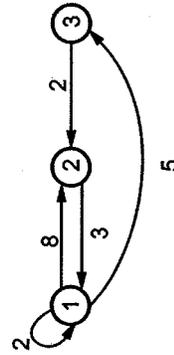
$$D^{(2)} = \begin{matrix} & 0 & 10 & 3 & 4 & \infty \\ 0 & 0 & \infty & 3 & \infty & \\ 2 & 2 & 0 & 5 & \infty & \\ 9 & 7 & 0 & 1 & & \\ 6 & \infty & 9 & 0 & & \end{matrix}$$

$$D^{(3)} = \begin{matrix} & 0 & 10 & 3 & 4 & \infty \\ 0 & 0 & 10 & 3 & 4 & \\ 2 & 2 & 0 & 5 & 6 & \\ 9 & 7 & 0 & 1 & & \\ 6 & 16 & 9 & 0 & & \end{matrix}$$

$$D^{(4)} = \begin{matrix} & 0 & 10 & 3 & 4 & \infty \\ 0 & 0 & 10 & 3 & 4 & \\ 2 & 2 & 0 & 5 & 6 & \\ 7 & 7 & 0 & 1 & & \\ 6 & 16 & 9 & 0 & & \end{matrix}$$

**Example 4.7.4** Solve all pair shortest path problem for the following graph using Floyd's algorithm.

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**Solution :**

|                                  |                                                                                       |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| $k = 1, i = 1, j = 1$<br>compute | $D_{(1)}[1,1] = \min D_{(0)}[1,1], D_{(0)}[1,1] + D_{(0)}[1,1]$<br>$= \min\{2, 2+2\}$ |
| $D_{(1)}[1,1]$                   | $D_{(1)}D_{(1)}[1,1] = 2$                                                             |
| $k = 1, i = 1, j = 2$<br>compute | $D_{(1)}[1,2] = \min D_{(0)}[1,2], D_{(0)}[1,1] + D_{(0)}[1,2]$<br>$= \min\{8, 2+8\}$ |
| $D_{(1)}[1,2]$                   | $D_{(1)}[1,2] = 8$                                                                    |
| $k = 1, i = 1, j = 3$<br>compute | $D_{(1)}[1,3] = \min D_{(0)}[1,3], D_{(0)}[1,1] + D_{(0)}[1,3]$<br>$= \min\{5, 2+5\}$ |

|                                  |                                                                    |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| $k = 1, i = 2, j = 1$<br>compute | $D_{(1)}[2,1] = \min D_{(0)}[2,1]$<br>$= \min\{3, 3+2\}$           |
| $D_{(1)}[2,1]$                   | $D_{(1)}[2,1] = 3$                                                 |
| $k = 1, i = 2, j = 2$<br>compute | $D_{(1)}[2,2] = \min D_{(0)}[2,2]$<br>$= \min\{0, 3+5\}$           |
| $D_{(1)}[2,2]$                   | $D_{(1)}[2,2] = 0$                                                 |
| $k = 1, i = 2, j = 3$<br>compute | $D_{(1)}[2,3] = \min D_{(0)}[2,3]$<br>$= \min\{0, 3+5\}$           |
| $D_{(1)}[2,3]$                   | $D_{(1)}[2,3] = 8$                                                 |
| $k = 1, i = 3, j = 1$<br>compute | $D_{(1)}[3,1] = \min D_{(0)}[3,1]$<br>$= \min\{\infty, \infty+2\}$ |
| $D_{(1)}[3,1]$                   | $D_{(1)}[3,1] = \infty$                                            |
| $k = 1, i = 3, j = 2$<br>compute | $D_{(1)}[3,2] = \min D_{(0)}[3,2]$<br>$= \min\{2, \infty+5\}$      |
| $D_{(1)}[3,2]$                   | $D_{(1)}[3,2] = 2$                                                 |
| $k = 1, i = 3, j = 3$<br>compute | $D_{(1)}[3,3] = \min D_{(0)}[3,3]$<br>$= \min\{\infty, \infty+5\}$ |
| $D_{(1)}[3,3]$                   | $D_{(1)}[3,3] = \infty$                                            |

The matrix will be

$D(1) =$

|          |   |
|----------|---|
| 2        | 8 |
| 3        | 0 |
| $\infty$ | 2 |

|                                  |                                                               |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| $k = 2, i = 1, j = 1$<br>compute | $D_{(2)}[1,1] = \min D_{(1)}[1,1]$<br>$= \min\{2, 8+3\}$      |
| $D_{(2)}[1,1]$                   | $D_{(2)}[1,1] = 2$                                            |
| $k = 2, i = 1, j = 2$<br>compute | $D_{(2)}[1,2] = \min D_{(1)}[1,2]$<br>$= \min\{8, 8+\infty\}$ |

|                                  |                                                                                               |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| $k = 2, i = 1, j = 3$<br>compute | $D_{(2)}[1,3] = \min\{D_{(1)}[1,3], D_{(1)}[1,2] + D_{(1)}[2,3]\}$<br>$= \min\{5, 8+8\}$      |
| $D_{(2)}[1,3]$                   | $D_{(2)}[1,3] = 5$                                                                            |
| $k = 2, i = 2, j = 1$<br>compute | $D_{(2)}[2,1] = \min\{D_{(1)}[2,1], D_{(1)}[2,2] + D_{(1)}[2,1]\}$<br>$= \min\{3, 0+3\}$      |
| $D_{(2)}[2,1]$                   | $D_{(2)}[2,1] = 3$                                                                            |
| $k = 2, i = 2, j = 2$<br>compute | $D_{(2)}[2,2] = \min\{D_{(1)}[2,2], D_{(1)}[2,2] + D_{(1)}[2,2]\}$<br>$= \min\{0, 0+0\}$      |
| $D_{(2)}[2,2]$                   | $D_{(2)}[2,2] = 0$                                                                            |
| $k = 2, i = 2, j = 3$<br>compute | $D_{(2)}[2,3] = \min\{D_{(1)}[2,3], D_{(1)}[2,2] + D_{(1)}[2,3]\}$<br>$= \min\{8, 0+8\}$      |
| $D_{(2)}[2,3]$                   | $D_{(2)}[2,3] = 8$                                                                            |
| $k = 2, i = 3, j = 1$<br>compute | $D_{(2)}[3,1] = \min\{D_{(1)}[3,1], D_{(1)}[3,2] + D_{(1)}[2,1]\}$<br>$= \min\{\infty, 2+3\}$ |
| $D_{(2)}[3,1]$                   | $D_{(2)}[3,1] = 5$                                                                            |
| $k = 2, i = 3, j = 2$<br>compute | $D_{(2)}[3,2] = \min\{D_{(1)}[3,2], D_{(1)}[3,2] + D_{(1)}[2,2]\}$<br>$= \min\{2, 2+0\}$      |
| $D_{(2)}[3,2]$                   | $D_{(2)}[3,2] = 2$                                                                            |
| $k = 2, i = 3, j = 3$<br>compute | $D_{(2)}[3,3] = \min\{D_{(1)}[3,3], D_{(1)}[3,2] + D_{(1)}[2,3]\}$<br>$= \min\{0, 2+8\}$      |
| $D_{(2)}[3,3]$                   | $D_{(2)}[3,3] = 0$                                                                            |

The matrix will be

$$D(2) =$$

|   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| 2 | 8 | 5 |
| 3 | 0 | 8 |
| 5 | 2 | 0 |

|                                  |                                                                |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| $k = 3, i = 1, j = 1$<br>compute | $D_{(3)}[1,1] = \min\{D_{(2)}[1,1], 1\}$<br>$= \min\{2, 5+5\}$ |
| $D_{(3)}[1,1]$                   | $D_{(3)}[1,1] = 2$                                             |
| $k = 3, i = 1, j = 2$<br>compute | $D_{(3)}[1,2] = \min\{D_{(2)}[1,2], 2\}$<br>$= \min\{8, 5+2\}$ |
| $D_{(3)}[1,2]$                   | $D_{(3)}[1,2] = 7$                                             |
| $k = 3, i = 1, j = 3$<br>compute | $D_{(3)}[1,3] = \min\{D_{(2)}[1,3], 3\}$<br>$= \min\{5, 5+0\}$ |
| $D_{(3)}[1,3]$                   | $D_{(3)}[1,3] = 5$                                             |
| $k = 3, i = 2, j = 1$<br>compute | $D_{(3)}[2,1] = \min\{D_{(2)}[2,1], 1\}$<br>$= \min\{3, 8+5\}$ |
| $D_{(3)}[2,1]$                   | $D_{(3)}[2,1] = 3$                                             |
| $k = 3, i = 2, j = 2$<br>compute | $D_{(3)}[2,2] = \min\{D_{(2)}[2,2], 2\}$<br>$= \min\{0, 8+2\}$ |
| $D_{(3)}[2,2]$                   | $D_{(3)}[2,2] = 0$                                             |
| $k = 3, i = 2, j = 3$<br>compute | $D_{(3)}[2,3] = \min\{D_{(2)}[2,3], 3\}$<br>$= \min\{8, 8+0\}$ |
| $D_{(3)}[2,3]$                   | $D_{(3)}[2,3] = 8$                                             |
| $k = 3, i = 3, j = 1$<br>compute | $D_{(3)}[3,1] = \min\{D_{(2)}[3,1], 1\}$<br>$= \min\{5, 0+5\}$ |
| $D_{(3)}[3,1]$                   | $D_{(3)}[3,1] = 5$                                             |
| $k = 3, i = 3, j = 2$<br>compute | $D_{(3)}[3,2] = \min\{D_{(2)}[3,2], 2\}$<br>$= \min\{2, 0+2\}$ |
| $D_{(3)}[3,2]$                   | $D_{(3)}[3,2] = 2$                                             |
| $k = 3, i = 3, j = 3$<br>compute | $D_{(3)}[3,3] = \min\{D_{(2)}[3,3], 3\}$<br>$= \min\{0, 0+0\}$ |



```
wt[2][2] 0
wt[2][3] 999
wt[3][1] 999
wt[3][2] 1
wt[3][3] 0
```

Computing All pair shortest path ...

```
D(0) =
0 8 5
2 0 999
999 1 0

D(1) =
0 8 5
2 0 7
999 1 0
```

```
D(2) =
0 8 5
2 0 7
999 1 0
```

```
D(3) =
0 6 5
2 0 7
3 1 0
```

**Examples for Practice**

**Example 4.7.5** Find the shortest path between all pairs of nodes in the following graph. (Refer Fig. 4.7.2)

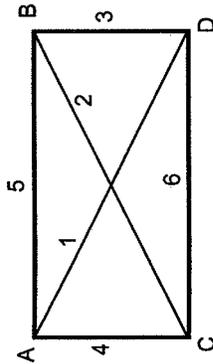


Fig. 4.7.2

**Example 4.7.6** Find the shortest path using Floyd Warshall algorithm. (Refer Fig. 4.7.3)

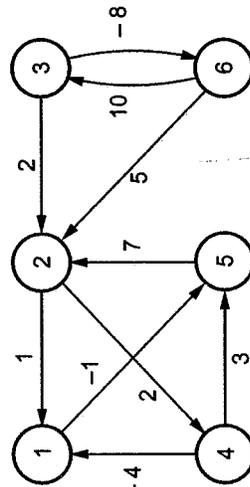


Fig. 4.7.3

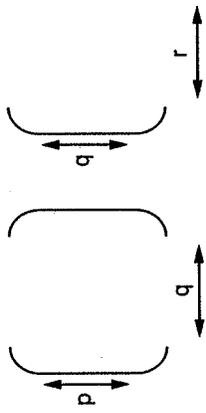
**4.8 Matrix Chain Multiplication**

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- **Problem :** In what order should  $A_1 A_2 \dots A_n$  minimum number of computations to derive For performing Matrix multiplication the cost is Let A and B be two matrices of dimensions  $p \times q$  and  $q \times r$ .

A

B



Then  $C = AB \cdot C$  is of dimensions  $p \times r$ .

Thus  $C_{ij}$  takes  $n$  scalar multiplications and  $(n - 1)$  additions.

Consider an example of the best way of multiplying matrices.

Let  $A_1$  of dimensions  $5 \times 4$ ,  $A_2$  of dimensions  $4 \times 6$ .

$$(A_1 A_2) A_3 \text{ takes } (5 \times 4 \times 6) + (5 \times 6 \times 2) =$$

$$A_1 (A_2 A_3) \text{ takes } (5 \times 4 \times 2) + (4 \times 6 \times 2) =$$

Thus,  $A_1(A_2 A_3)$  is much cheaper to compute than  $(A_1 A_2)A_3$ . Hence optimal cost is 88.

To solve this problem using dynamic programming, we follow the following steps.

**Step 1 : Decide the structure of optimal parenth**

In this step we have to find the optimal substructure to construct an optimal solution to the problem. We consider a sequence of matrices  $A_1 A_{i+1} \dots A_j$  such that  $i < j$ . To split this sequence into  $A_1 \dots A_k$  and  $A_{k+1} \dots A_j$  so that total computing cost can be determined. The optimal substructure is obtained from  $i \leq k < j$ . Hence optimal substructure is - " Consider that there is sequence  $A_1 A_{i+1} \dots A_j$  and  $A_{k+1}$ . Then the parenthization should produce optimal cost. Thus optimal substructure is important. This suggests bottom up approach for computing

**Step 2 : A recursive solution**

For all  $i, 1 \leq i \leq n, m[i, i] = 0$

and for all  $i$  and  $j$  such that

$$1 \leq i < j \leq n$$

$$m[i, j] = \min \{ m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} P_k P_j \}$$

where  $i \leq k \leq j-1$

**Step 3 : Computing optimal costs**

We will construct  $m[i, j]$  table using following formula -

i) For  $i = 1$  to  $n$  set  $m[i, i] = 0$

ii) For  $l \leftarrow 2$  to  $n$  compute  $m[i, j]$  using

$$m[i, j] = \min \{ m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} P_k P_j \}$$

with  $i \leq k \leq j-1$

Let us understand the procedure of computing optimal cost with some example -

**Example 4.8.1**

Consider

| Matrix         | Dimension |
|----------------|-----------|
| A <sub>1</sub> | 5 × 4     |
| A <sub>2</sub> | 4 × 6     |
| A <sub>3</sub> | 6 × 2     |
| A <sub>4</sub> | 2 × 7     |

Compute matrix chain order.

Solution : Here  $P_0 = 5, P_1 = 4, P_2 = 6, P_3 = 2, P_4 = 7$

For all  $i, 1 \leq i \leq n$

$$m[i, i] = 0$$

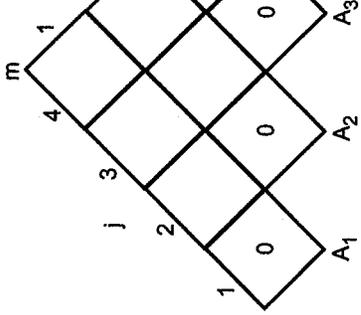
Hence  $m[1, 1] = 0$

$$m[2, 2] = 0$$

$$m[3, 3] = 0$$

$$m[4, 4] = 0$$

Hence



Now we will fill up the table horizontally from

Let  $i = 1, j = 2, k = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore m[1, 2] &= m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} P_k P_j \\ &= m[1, 1] + m[2, 2] + P_0 P_1 P_2 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 5 \times 4 \times 6 \\ m[1, 2] &= 120 \end{aligned}$$

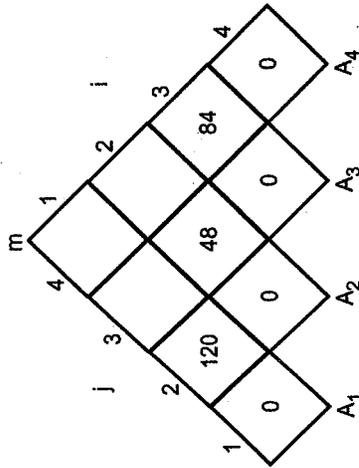
Let,  $i = 2, j = 3, k = 2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore m[2, 3] &= m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} P_k P_j \\ &= m[2, 2] + m[3, 3] + P_1 P_2 P_3 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 4 \times 6 \times 2 \\ m[2, 3] &= 48 \end{aligned}$$

Let,  $i = 3, j = 4, k = 3$

$$\begin{aligned} m[3, 4] &= m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} P_k P_j \\ &= m[3, 3] + m[4, 4] + P_2 P_3 P_4 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 6 \times 2 \times 7 \\ m[3, 4] &= 84 \end{aligned}$$

The table will be partially



Let  $i = 1, j = 3, k = 1$  or  $k = 2$

$$m[1, 3] = \min \begin{cases} (m[1,1]+m[2,3]+P_0 P_1 P_3) \rightarrow k=1 \\ (m[1,2]+m[3,3]+P_0 P_2 P_3) \rightarrow k=2 \end{cases}$$

$$= \min \begin{cases} (0+48+5 \times 4 \times 2) \\ (120+0+5 \times 6 \times 2) \end{cases}$$

$$= \min \begin{cases} 48+40=88 & \text{when } k=1 \\ 120+60=180 \end{cases}$$

$$m[1, 3] = 88$$

Let  $i = 2, j = 4, k = 2$ , or  $k = 3$

$$m[2, 4] = \min \begin{cases} (m[2,2]+m[3,4]+P_1 P_2 P_4) \rightarrow k=2 \\ (m[2,3]+m[4,4]+P_1 P_3 P_4) \rightarrow k=3 \end{cases}$$

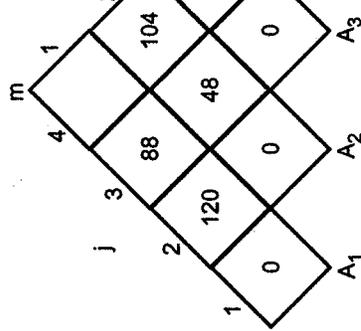
$$= \min \begin{cases} 0+84+4 \times 6 \times 7 \\ 48+0+4 \times 2 \times 7 \end{cases}$$

$$\min[2, 4] = \min \begin{cases} 84+168 \\ 48+56 \end{cases}$$

$$= \min \begin{cases} 252 \\ 104 \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{when } k=3$$

$$\min[2, 4] = 104$$

The table can be partially shown as :



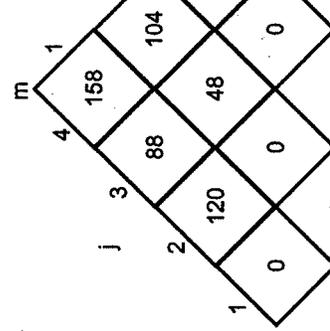
Now, Let  $i = 1, j = 4$  then  $k = 1$  or  $2$  or  $3$

$$m[1, 4] = \min \begin{cases} m[1,1]+m[2,4]+P_0 P_1 P_4 \\ m[1,2]+m[3,4]+P_0 P_2 P_4 \\ m[1,3]+m[4,4]+P_0 P_3 P_4 \end{cases}$$

$$= \min \begin{cases} 0+104+5 \times 4 \times 7 \\ 120+84+5 \times 6 \times 7 \\ 88+0+5 \times 2 \times 7 \end{cases}$$

$$= \min \begin{cases} 244 \\ 414 \\ 158 \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{when } k=3$$

Hence the matrix table will be -



We will build the s table using  $s[i, j] = k$

Consider  $S[1, 4] = 3$

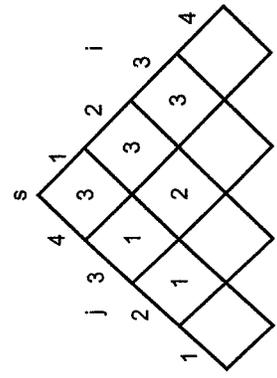
$\therefore (A1, A2, A3)$  and (A4).

Now consider  $S[1, 3] = 1$

$\therefore (A1) (A2, A3)$  & (A4)

$\therefore$  Matrix chain order will be

$(A1 * (A2 * A3)) * A4$



$m[1, 4]$  determines the optimal cost i.e. 158.

**Step 4 : Printing optimal parenthesization**

The sequence of optimal parenthesization which gives the optimum cost is obtained using following algorithm.

```

Algorithm display_matrix_order (s, i, j)
// Problem Description : This algorithm prints
// the optimal parenthesization of matrix
if (i = j) then
 print (" Ai ")
else
{ print " ("
 display_matrix_order (s, i, s [i, j])
 display_matrix_order (s, s [i, j] + 1, j)
 print ") "
} // end of else
} // end of algorithm

```

Using above algorithm we get the matrix chain order as  $( A_1 ( A_2 A_3 ) ) A_4$

**4.8.1 Algorithm**

The algorithm for building the matrix chain table  $m[i,j]$  and  $s[i,j]$  is as follows -

**Algorithm** Matrix\_chain(p[0...n])

```

//Problem Description: This algorithm is to build the table m[i,j] and s[i,j]
for (i ← 1 to n) do
 m[i,i] ← 0
for (len ← 2 to n) do

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m[i,j]=infinity
for (k ← i to j - 1) do
{
 q ← m [i,k] +m[k+1,j]+p[i-1]*p[k]*p[j]
 if (q<m[i,j]) then
 {
 m[i,j]← q
 s[i,j] ← k
 } //end of if
} //end of k's for loop
} //end of i's for loop
} //end of len's for loop
return m[1,n]
} //end of algorithm

```

**Analysis**

The basic operation in this algorithm is comp within three nested for loops. Hence the time cc  $\Theta(n^3)$ .

**Example 4.8.2**

Consider the chain of matrices  $A1, A2, \dots$ . Give the optimal parenthesization to get the product

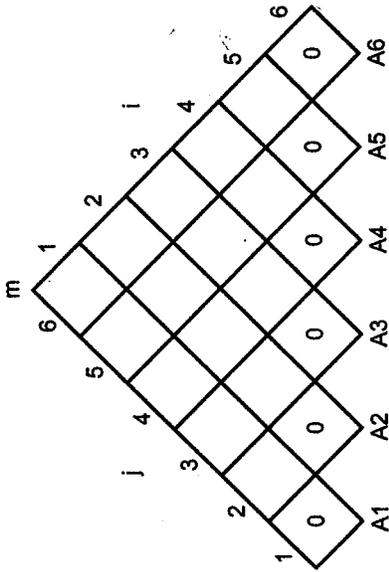
| Matrix | D |
|--------|---|
| A1     |   |
| A2     |   |
| A3     |   |
| A4     |   |
| A5     |   |
| A6     |   |

**Solution :** We will compute matrix chain order.

Here  $P_0 = 30, P_1 = 35, P_2 = 15, P_3 = 5, P_4 = 10, P_5 = 10, P_6 = 10$

For all  $1 \leq i \leq n$

$$m[i, i] = 0 \quad \therefore m[1, 1] = m[2, 2] = m[3, 3]$$



Now, we will fill up the table horizontally from left to right, assuming  $i \leq k \leq j - 1$

Let  $i = 1, j = 2, k = 1$

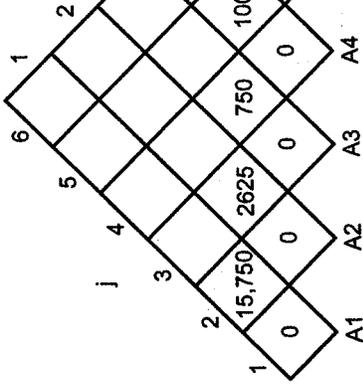
$$\begin{aligned} \therefore m[1, 2] &= m[1, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} P_k P_j \\ &= m[1, 1] + m[2, 2] + P_0 P_1 P_2 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 30 * 35 * 15 \\ &= 15750 \quad \text{with } k = 2 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly

$$\begin{aligned} m[2, 3] &= m[2, 2] + m[3, 3] + P_1 P_2 P_3 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 35 * 15 * 5 \\ m[2, 3] &= 2625 \quad \text{with } k = 2 \\ m[3, 4] &= m[3, 3] + m[4, 4] + P_2 P_3 P_4 \\ &= 0 + 15 * 5 * 10 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} m[3, 4] &= 750 \quad \text{with } k = 3 \\ m[4, 5] &= m[4, 4] + m[5, 5] + P_3 P_4 P_5 \\ m[4, 5] &= 1000 \quad \text{with } k = 4 \\ m[5, 6] &= m[5, 5] + m[6, 6] + P_4 P_5 P_6 \\ m[5, 6] &= 5000 \quad \text{with } k = 5 \end{aligned}$$

The table will be.



Now

$i = 1, j = 3, k = 1$  or  $2$ .

$$m[1, 3] = \min \begin{cases} m[1, 1] + m[2, 3] + P_0 P_1 P_2 = 0 + 2 \\ m[1, 2] + m[3, 3] + P_0 P_2 P_3 = 15750 \end{cases}$$

$$m[1, 3] = 7875 \quad \text{with } k = 1$$

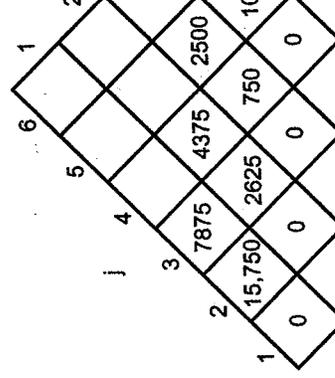
$$m[2, 4] = \min \begin{cases} m[2, 2] + m[3, 4] + P_1 P_2 P_4 = 0 + 7 \\ m[2, 3] + m[4, 4] + P_1 P_3 P_4 = 2625 \end{cases}$$

$$m[2, 4] = 4375 \quad \text{with } k = 3$$

$$m[3, 5] = \min \begin{cases} m[3, 3] + m[4, 5] + P_2 P_3 P_5 = 0 + 100 \\ m[3, 4] + m[5, 5] + P_2 P_4 P_5 = 750 + \end{cases}$$

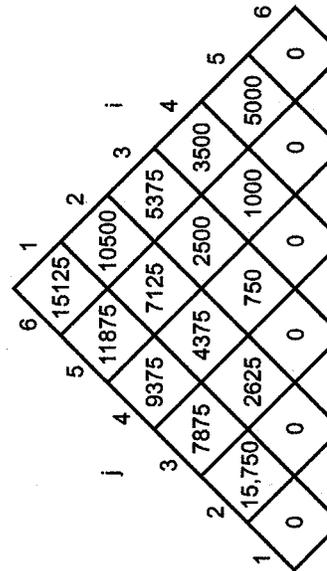
$$m[3, 5] = \min \begin{cases} m[4, 4] + m[5, 6] + P_3 P_4 P_6 = 0 + 50 \\ m[4, 5] + m[6, 6] + P_3 P_5 P_6 = 1000 \end{cases}$$

The table will then be -

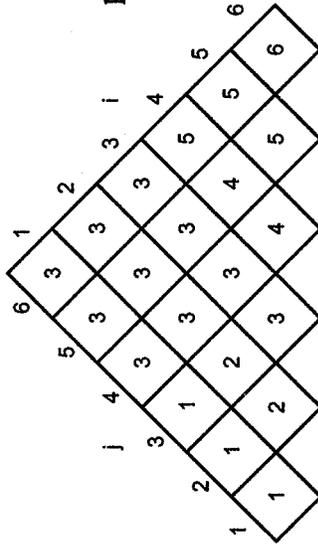


$$\begin{aligned}
 m[1,4] &= \min \begin{cases} m[1,1] + m[2,4] + P_0 P_1 P_4 = 0 + 4375 + (30 \cdot 35 \cdot 10) = 14875 \\ m[1,2] + m[3,4] + P_0 P_2 P_4 = 15750 + 750 + (30 \cdot 15 \cdot 10) = 21000 \text{ min} = 9375 \\ m[1,3] + m[4,4] + P_0 P_3 P_4 = 7875 + 0 + (30 \cdot 5 \cdot 10) = 9375 \quad k = 3 \end{cases} \\
 m[2,5] &= \min \begin{cases} m[2,2] + m[3,5] + P_1 P_2 P_5 = 0 + 2500 + (30 \cdot 15 \cdot 20) = 13000 \\ m[2,3] + m[4,5] + P_1 P_3 P_5 = 2625 + 1000 + (35 \cdot 5 \cdot 20) = 5125 \text{ min} = 7125 \\ m[2,4] + m[5,5] + P_1 P_4 P_5 = 4375 + 0 + (35 \cdot 10 \cdot 20) = 11375 \quad k = 3 \end{cases} \\
 m[3,6] &= \min \begin{cases} m[3,3] + m[4,6] + P_2 P_3 P_6 = 0 + 3500 + (15 \cdot 5 \cdot 25) = 5375 \\ m[3,4] + m[5,6] + P_2 P_4 P_6 = 750 + 5000 + (15 \cdot 10 \cdot 25) = 9500 \text{ min} = 5375 \\ m[3,5] + m[6,6] + P_2 P_5 P_6 = 2500 + 0 + (15 \cdot 20 \cdot 25) = 10000 \quad k = 3 \end{cases} \\
 m[1,5] &= \min \begin{cases} m[1,1] + m[2,5] + P_0 P_1 P_5 = 0 + 7125 + (30 \cdot 35 \cdot 20) = 25125 \\ m[1,2] + m[3,5] + P_0 P_2 P_5 = 15750 + 2500 + (30 \cdot 15 \cdot 20) = 27250 \text{ min} = 11875 \\ m[1,3] + m[4,5] + P_0 P_3 P_5 = 7875 + 1000 + (30 \cdot 5 \cdot 20) = 11875 \quad k = 3 \\ m[1,4] + m[5,5] + P_0 P_4 P_5 = 9375 + 0 + (30 \cdot 10 \cdot 20) = 15375 \end{cases} \\
 m[2,6] &= \min \begin{cases} m[2,2] + m[3,6] + P_1 P_2 P_6 = 0 + 9375 + (35 \cdot 15 \cdot 25) = 22500 \\ m[2,3] + m[4,6] + P_1 P_3 P_6 = 2625 + 3500 + (35 \cdot 5 \cdot 25) = 10500 \text{ min} = 10500 \\ m[2,4] + m[5,6] + P_1 P_4 P_6 = 4375 + 5000 + (35 \cdot 10 \cdot 25) = 18125 \quad k = 3 \\ m[2,5] + m[6,6] + P_1 P_5 P_6 = 7125 + 0 + (35 \cdot 20 \cdot 25) = 24625 \end{cases} \\
 m[1,6] &= \min \begin{cases} m[1,1] + m[2,6] + P_0 P_1 P_6 = 0 + 10500 + (30 \cdot 35 \cdot 25) = 36750 \\ m[1,2] + m[3,6] + P_0 P_2 P_6 = 15750 + 9375 + (30 \cdot 15 \cdot 25) = 36375 \text{ min} = 15125 \\ m[1,3] + m[4,6] + P_0 P_3 P_6 = 7875 + 3500 + (30 \cdot 5 \cdot 25) = 15125 \quad k = 3 \\ m[1,4] + m[5,6] + P_0 P_4 P_6 = 9375 + 5000 + (30 \cdot 10 \cdot 25) = 21875 \\ m[1,5] + m[6,6] + P_0 P_5 P_6 = 11875 + 0 + (30 \cdot 20 \cdot 25) = 26875 \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

The table will then be -



The table  $s[i, j]$  for  $k$  will be



The matrix chain order will be

$$((A_1(A_2A_3))((A_4A_5)A_6))$$

**Example 4.8.3** Using algorithm find an optimal  $k$  whose sequence of dimension is (5, 10, 3, 12, 5, 5, 5)

**Solution :** We will compute matrix chain order.

Here  $P_0 = 5, P_1 = 10, P_2 = 3, P_3 = 12, P_4 = 5, P_5 = 5$

Our first step is to set  $m[i, i] = 0$  for  $1 \leq i \leq 5$

Hence  $m[1, 1] = m[2, 2] = m[3, 3] = m[4, 4] = m[5, 5] = 0$

Now

$$m[1, 2] = P_0 * P_1 * P_2 = 5 * 10 * 3 = 150$$

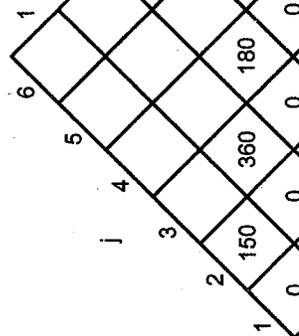
$$m[2, 3] = P_1 * P_2 * P_3 = 10 * 3 * 12 = 360$$

$$m[3, 4] = P_2 * P_3 * P_4 = 3 * 12 * 5 = 180$$

$$m[4, 5] = P_3 * P_4 * P_5 = 12 * 5 * 5 = 300$$

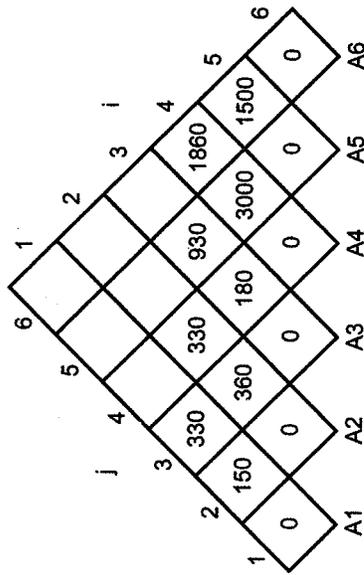
$$m[5, 6] = P_4 * P_5 * P_6 = 5 * 5 * 6 = 150$$

The table will then be



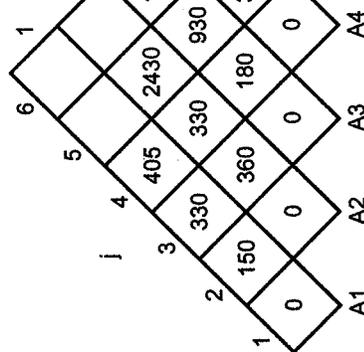
Now we will fill up the table for the values  $m[1, 3]$ ,  $m[2, 4]$ ,  $m[3, 5]$  and  $m[4, 6]$ .

|                  |                                                                                |                              |
|------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| $m[1, 3] = \min$ | $m[1,1] + m[2,3] + P_0 P_1 P_3$<br>$= 0 + 360 + (5 \cdot 10 \cdot 12) = 960$   | $\min = 330$<br>with $k = 2$ |
| $m[2, 4] = \min$ | $m[1,2] + m[3,3] + P_0 P_2 P_3$<br>$= 150 + 0 + (5 \cdot 3 \cdot 12) = 330$    | $\min = 330$<br>$k = 2$      |
| $m[3, 5] = \min$ | $m[2,3] + m[4,4] + P_1 P_3 P_4$<br>$= 360 + 0 + (10 \cdot 12 \cdot 50) = 6360$ | $\min = 930$<br>$k = 4$      |
| $m[4, 6] = \min$ | $m[3,4] + m[5,5] + P_2 P_4 P_5$<br>$= 180 + 0 + (3 \cdot 5 \cdot 50) = 930$    | $\min = 1860$<br>$k = 4$     |

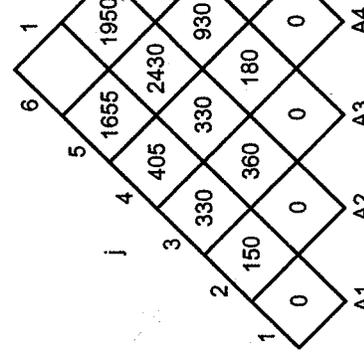


Now we will compute  $m[1, 4]$ ,  $m[2, 5]$  and  $m[3, 6]$

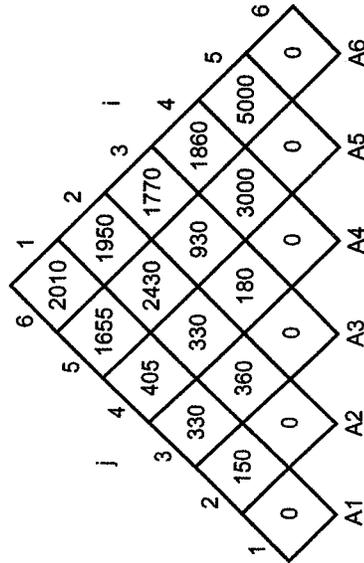
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| $m[1, 4] = \min$ | $m[1,1] + m[2,4] + P_0 P_1 P_4$<br>$= 0 + 330 + (5 \cdot 10 \cdot 5) = 580$  | $\min = 405$<br>$k = 2$  |
| $m[2, 5] = \min$ | $m[1,2] + m[3,4] + P_0 P_2 P_4$<br>$= 150 + 180 + (5 \cdot 3 \cdot 5) = 405$ | $\min = 2430$<br>$k = 2$ |
| $m[3, 6] = \min$ | $m[1,3] + m[4,4] + P_0 P_3 P_4$<br>$= 330 + 0 + (5 \cdot 12 \cdot 5) = 630$  | $\min = 1770$<br>$k = 4$ |



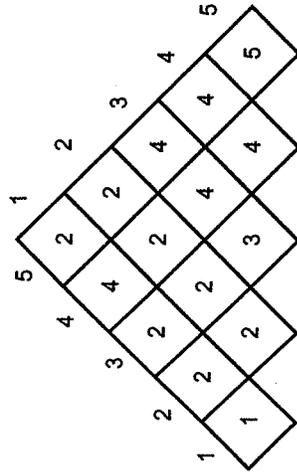
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| $m[1, 5] = \min$ | $m[1, 1] + m[2, 5] + P_0 P_1 P_5$<br>$= 0 + 0 + 1950 = 1950$                     | $= 0 + 1950$ |
|                  | $m[1, 2] + m[3, 5] + P_0 P_2 P_5$<br>$= 150 + 0 + (5 \cdot 3 \cdot 12) = 330$    | $= 150$      |
|                  | $m[1, 3] + m[4, 5] + P_0 P_3 P_5$<br>$= 330 + 0 + (10 \cdot 3 \cdot 5) = 330$    | $= 330$      |
|                  | $m[1, 4] + m[5, 5] + P_0 P_4 P_5$<br>$= 330 + 0 + (10 \cdot 12 \cdot 50) = 6360$ | $= 405$      |
|                  | $m[2, 2] + m[3, 6] + P_1 P_2 P_6$<br>$= 360 + 0 + (10 \cdot 5 \cdot 50) = 2830$  | $= 2430$     |
|                  | $m[2, 3] + m[4, 6] + P_1 P_3 P_6$<br>$= 360 + 0 + (10 \cdot 12 \cdot 50) = 9360$ | $= 330$      |
|                  | $m[2, 4] + m[5, 6] + P_1 P_4 P_6$<br>$= 330 + 0 + (10 \cdot 5 \cdot 50) = 2830$  | $= 330$      |
|                  | $m[2, 5] + m[6, 6] + P_1 P_5 P_6$<br>$= 330 + 0 + (3 \cdot 5 \cdot 50) = 930$    | $= 24$       |



|                  |                                                                                  |              |
|------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| $m[1, 6] = \min$ | $m[1, 1] + m[2, 6] + P_0 P_1 P_6$<br>$= 0 + 0 + 1950 = 1950$                     | $= 0 + 1950$ |
|                  | $m[1, 2] + m[3, 6] + P_0 P_2 P_6$<br>$= 150 + 0 + (5 \cdot 3 \cdot 12) = 330$    | $= 150$      |
|                  | $m[1, 3] + m[4, 6] + P_0 P_3 P_6$<br>$= 330 + 0 + (10 \cdot 3 \cdot 5) = 330$    | $= 330$      |
|                  | $m[1, 4] + m[5, 6] + P_0 P_4 P_6$<br>$= 330 + 0 + (10 \cdot 12 \cdot 50) = 6360$ | $= 405$      |



The s [i,j] table for the values of k will be



The optimal parenthesization will be

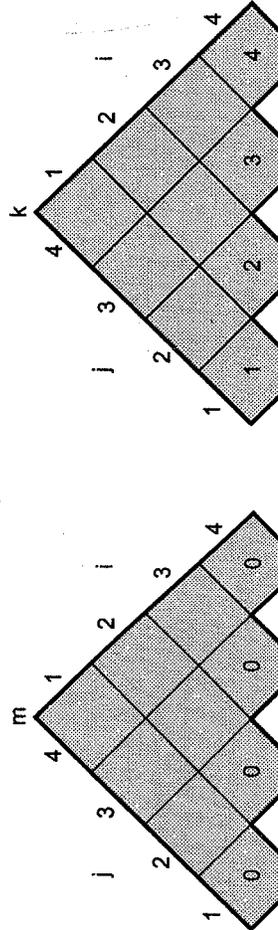
$$(A1 * A2) * ((A3 * A4) * (A5 * A6))$$

**Example 4.8.4** Using algorithm find an optimal parenthesization of a matrix chain product whose sequence of dimension is (13, 5, 89, 3, 34) (Use dynamic programming) .

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**Solution :** Here  $P_0 = 13, P_1 = 5, P_2 = 89, P_3 = 3, P_4 = 34$  For all  $1 \leq i \leq n$

$m[i, i] = 0 \therefore m[1, 1] = m[2, 2] = m[3, 3] = m[4, 4] = 0$  with value of  $k = 1, 2, 3$  and 4 respectively Hence

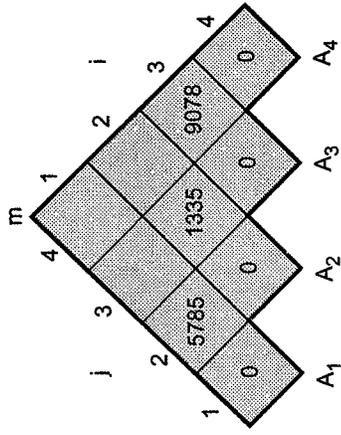


$$m[1, 2] = P_0 * P_1 * P_2 = 13 * 5 * 89 = 5785$$

$$m[2, 3] = P_1 * P_2 * P_3 = 5 * 89 * 3 = 1335$$

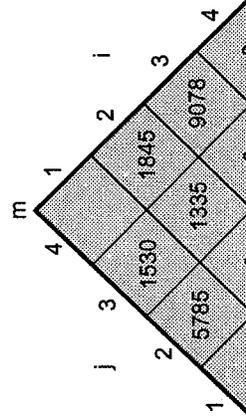
$$m[3, 4] = P_2 * P_3 * P_4 = 89 * 3 * 34 = 9078$$

The table will be partially filled up as -



Now we will compute  $m[1, 3], m[2, 4]$

|                                                       |                                                                                     |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| $m[1,3]$<br>Here<br>value of<br>$k = 1$ or<br>$k = 2$ | $\min \{ m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} * P_k * P_j \}$<br>where $i \leq k \leq j-1$ |
| $m[2,4]$<br>Here<br>value of<br>$k = 2$ or<br>$k = 3$ | $m[1,1] + m[2,3] + P_0 * P_1 * P_3$                                                 |
|                                                       | $m[1,2] + m[3,3] + P_0 * P_2 * P_3$                                                 |
|                                                       | $m[2,2] + m[3,4] + P_1 * P_2 * P_4$                                                 |
|                                                       | $m[2,3] + m[4,4] + P_1 * P_3 * P_4$                                                 |



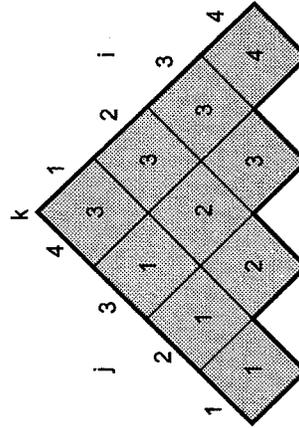
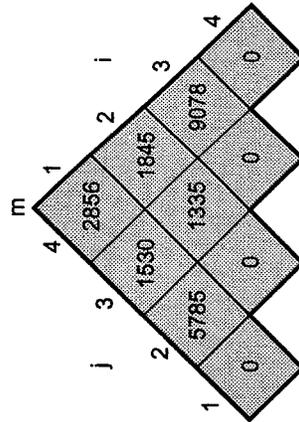
Now we will compute  $m[1, 4]$

$i = 1, j = 4$  then  $k = 1, 2$  or  $3$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore m[1,4] &= \min \begin{cases} m[i,k] + m[k+1,j] + P_{i-1}P_kP_j \\ m[1,1] + m[2,4] + P_0P_1P_4 \rightarrow k=1 \\ m[1,2] + m[3,4] + P_0P_2P_4 \rightarrow k=2 \\ m[1,3] + m[4,4] + P_0P_3P_4 \rightarrow k=3 \end{cases} \\ &= \min \begin{cases} 0 + 1845 + (13 * 5 * 34) \\ 5785 + 9078 + (13 * 89 * 34) \\ 1530 + 0 + (13 * 3 * 34) \end{cases} \\ &= \min \begin{cases} 4055 \\ 54201 \\ 2856 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

$m[1,4] = 2856$  with  $k = 3$

Hence  $m$ -table and  $k$  table will be -



The matrix chain order will be  $((A_1(A_2A_3))A_4)$ .

**Example 4.8.5** For the following chain of matrices find the order of parenthesization for the optimal chain multiplication (15, 5, 10, 20, 25).

**Solution :** Here  $P_0 = 15, P_1 = 5, P_2 = 10, P_3 = 20, P_4 = 25$ .

For all  $i, 1 \leq i \leq n$

$m[i, i] = 0$

Hence  $m[1, 1] = 0, m[3, 3] = 0$

$m[2, 2] = 0, m[4, 4] = 0$

Let  $i = 1, j = 2, k = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore m[1, 2] &= m[i, k] + m[k + 1, j] + P_{i-1}P_kP_j \\ &= m[1, 1] + m[2, 2] + P_0P_1P_2 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 15 * 5 * 10 \\ m[1, 2] &= 750 \end{aligned}$$

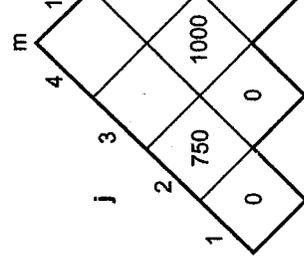
Let  $i = 2, j = 3, k = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore m[2, 3] &= m[i, k] + m[k + 1, j] + P_{i-1}P_kP_j \\ &= m[2, 2] + m[3, 3] + P_1P_2P_3 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 5 * 10 * 20 \\ m[2, 3] &= 1000 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $i = 3, j = 4, k = 3$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore m[3, 4] &= m[i, k] + m[k + 1, j] + P_{i-1}P_kP_j \\ &= m[3, 3] + m[4, 4] + P_2P_3P_4 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 10 * 20 * 25 \\ m[3, 4] &= 5000 \end{aligned}$$

The table can be represented partially as -



Let  $i = 1, j = 3, k = 1$  or  $k = 2$



Let  $i = 2, j = 3, k = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} m[i, j] &= m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} P_k P_j \\ &= m[2, 2] + m[3, 3] + P_1 P_2 P_3 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 100 * 5 * 50 \end{aligned}$$

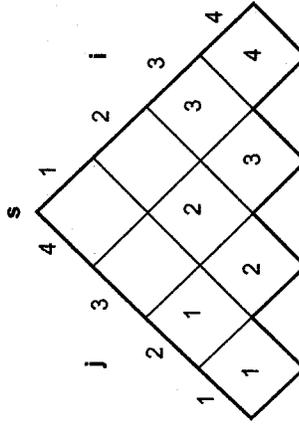
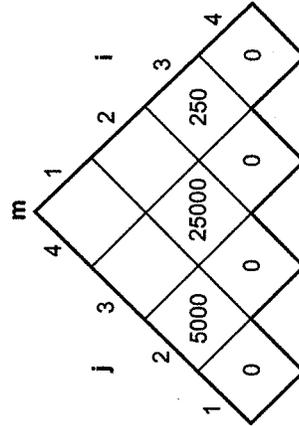
$$m[2, 3] = 25000$$

Let  $i = 3, j = 4, k = 3$

$$\begin{aligned} m[i, j] &= m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} P_k P_j \\ m[3, 4] &= m[3, 3] + m[4, 4] + P_2 P_3 P_4 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 5 * 50 * 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$m[3, 4] = 250$$

The tables can be partially filled as



Let  $i = 1, j = 3, k = 1$  or  $k = 2$

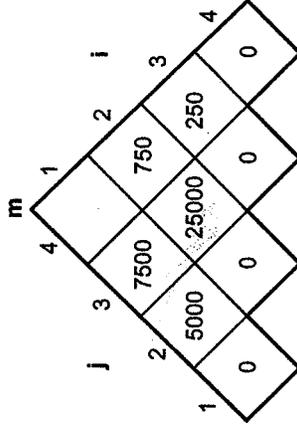
$$\begin{aligned} m[i, j] &= \min\{m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} P_k P_j\} \\ m[1, 3] &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &m[1, 1] + m[2, 3] + P_0 P_1 P_3 \\ &m[1, 2] + m[3, 3] + P_0 P_2 P_3 \end{aligned} \right\} \\ &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &0 + 25000 + 10 * 100 * 50 \\ &5000 + 0 + 10 * 5 * 50 \end{aligned} \right\} \\ &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &75000 \\ &7500 \end{aligned} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$m[1, 3] = 7500 \quad \text{with} \quad k = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} m[i, j] &= \min\{m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} P_k P_j\} \\ m[2, 4] &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &m[2, 2] + m[3, 4] + P_1 P_4 P_2 \\ &m[2, 3] + m[4, 4] + P_1 P_4 P_3 \end{aligned} \right\} \\ &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &0 + 250 + 100 * 1 * 5 \\ &25000 + 0 + 100 * 1 * 50 \end{aligned} \right\} \\ &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &750 \\ &30,000 \end{aligned} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$m[2, 4] = 750 \quad \text{with} \quad k = 2$$

The tables can be partially filled as

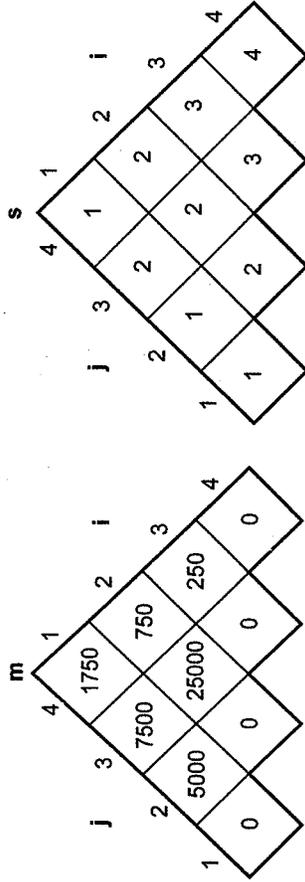


Let  $i = 1, j = 4, k = 1$  or  $k = 2$  or  $k = 3$

$$\begin{aligned} m[i, j] &= \min\{m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + P_{i-1} P_k P_j\} \\ &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &m[1, 1] + m[2, 4] + P_0 P_4 P_1 \\ &m[1, 2] + m[3, 4] + P_0 P_4 P_2 \\ &m[1, 3] + m[4, 4] + P_0 P_4 P_3 \end{aligned} \right\} \\ m[1, 4] &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &0 + 750 + 10 * 1 * 100 \\ &5000 + 250 + 10 * 1 * 5 \\ &7500 + 0 + 10 * 1 * 50 \end{aligned} \right\} \\ &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &1750 \\ &5300 \\ &8000 \end{aligned} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$m[1, 4] = 1750 \quad \text{with} \quad k = 1$$

The tables are as follows



The optimal chained matrix order = (A1(A2(A3A4)))

**Example 4.8.7** Find optimal sequence of multiplication using dynamic programming of following matrices :

$A[3 \times 2]$  ,  $B[2 \times 5]$  ,  $C[5 \times 4]$  ,  $D[4 \times 3]$  ,  $E[3 \times 3]$

Solution : A : 3\*2, B : 2\*5, C : 5\*4, D : 4\*3, E : 3\*3

**Step 1 :** Set  $M[i,j]=0$ . As there are five matrices - A, B, C, D, and E we make

$$M[1,1] = M[2,2] = M[3,3] = M[4,4] = M[5,5] = 0$$

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1 | 0 |   |   |   |   |
| 2 |   | 0 |   |   |   |
| 3 |   |   | 0 |   |   |
| 4 |   |   |   | 0 |   |
| 5 |   |   |   |   | 0 |

**Step 2 :** Now consider multiplication of every two matrices i.e. A,B, B,C, C,D and D,E, accordingly we will fill up  $M[1,2]$ ,  $M[2,3]$ ,  $M[3,4]$  and  $M[4,5]$

i) Consider  $A * B$

$$= (3*2)(2*5) = 30$$

Hence  $M[1,2] = 30$

ii) Consider  $B * C$

$$= (2*5)(5*4) = 40$$

iii) Consider  $C * D$

$$= (5*4)(4*3) = 60$$

Hence  $M[3,4] = 60$

iii) Consider  $D * E$

$$= (4*3)(3*3) = 36$$

Hence  $M[3,4] = 36$

The cost table and matrix table is as shown below

|   |   |    |    |    |    |
|---|---|----|----|----|----|
|   | 1 | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  |
| 1 | 0 | 30 |    |    |    |
| 2 |   | 0  | 40 |    |    |
| 3 |   |    | 0  | 60 |    |
| 4 |   |    |    | 0  | 36 |
| 5 |   |    |    |    | 0  |

**Step 3 :** Given that  $A3*2$ ,  $B2*5$ ,  $C5*4$ ,  $D4*3$ ,  $E3*3$

Hence  $P0=3$ ,  $P1=2$ ,  $P2=5$ ,  $P3=4$ ,  $P4=3$ ,  $P5=3$

Now we will consider multiplication of three matrices

Thus we will compute  $M[1,3]$ ,  $M[2,4]$  and  $M[3,5]$

|                                                        |                                                                                                                                                 |                 |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| $M[1,3]$<br>Here value of $k=1$ or $k=2$<br>$i=1, j=3$ | Formula Used: $\min\{M[i,k]+M[k,j]\}$<br>where $i \leq k \leq j-1$<br>$M[1,1]+M[2,3]+P0*P1*P3$<br>$M[1,2]+M[3,3]+P0*P2*P3$<br>$=$<br>$=$<br>$=$ | 0+<br>30<br>$=$ |
| $M[2,4]$<br>Here value of $k=2$ or $k=3$<br>$i=2, j=4$ | Formula Used: $\min\{M[i,k]+M[k,j]\}$<br>where $i \leq k \leq j-1$<br>$M[2,2]+M[3,4]+P1*P2*P4$<br>$M[2,3]+M[4,4]+P1*P3*P4$<br>$=$<br>$=$<br>$=$ | 0+<br>40<br>$=$ |

|                                                       |                                                                                     |                                                              |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>M[3,5]</b><br>Here value of k=3 or k=4<br>i=3, j=5 | Formula Used : $\min(M[i,k]+M[k+1,j]+P_{i-1}*P_k*P_j)$<br>where $i \leq k \leq j-1$ | Hence select minimum value as 96. Hence $M[3,5]=96$ with k=3 |
|                                                       | $M[3,3]+M[4,5]+P_2*P_3*P_5$<br>$= 0+36+(5*4*3) = 96$                                |                                                              |
|                                                       | $M[3,4]+M[5,5]+P_2*P_4*P_5$<br>$= 60+0+(5*3*3) = 105$                               |                                                              |

The cost and k table will be

|   |   |    |    |    |    |
|---|---|----|----|----|----|
|   | 1 | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  |
| 1 | 0 | 30 | 64 |    |    |
| 2 |   | 0  | 40 | 64 |    |
| 3 |   |    | 0  | 60 | 96 |
| 4 |   |    |    | 0  | 36 |
| 5 |   |    |    |    | 0  |

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 2 |   |   | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 3 |   |   |   | 3 | 3 |
| 4 |   |   |   |   | 4 |
| 5 |   |   |   |   |   |

Step 4 : Now we will compute M[1,4] and M[2,5] with P0=3, P1=2, P2=5, P3=5, P4=3, P5=3.

|                                                            |                                                                                    |                                                        |
|------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>M[1,4]</b><br>Here value of k=1<br>i=1, j=4             | Formula Used: $\min(M[i,k]+M[k+1,j]+P_{i-1}*P_k*P_j)$<br>where $i \leq k \leq j-1$ | Hence select minimum value. Hence $M[1,4]=82$ with k=1 |
|                                                            | $M[1,1]+M[2,4]+P_0*P_1*P_4$<br>$= 0+64+(3*2*3) = 82$                               |                                                        |
|                                                            | $M[1,2]+M[3,4]+P_0*P_2*P_4$<br>$= 30+60+(3*5*3) = 135$                             |                                                        |
|                                                            | $M[1,3]+M[4,4]+P_1*P_3*P_4$<br>$= 64+0+(2*4*3) = 88$                               |                                                        |
| <b>M[2,5]</b><br>Here value of k=2, k=3 or k=4<br>i=2, j=5 | Formula Used: $\min(M[i,k]+M[k+1,j]+P_{i-1}*P_k*P_j)$<br>where $i \leq k \leq j-1$ | Hence select minimum value. Hence $M[2,5]=82$ with k=4 |
|                                                            | $M[2,2]+M[3,5]+P_1*P_2*P_5$<br>$= 0+96+(2*5*3) = 126$                              |                                                        |
|                                                            | $M[2,3]+M[4,5]+P_1*P_3*P_5$<br>$= 40+36+(2*4*3) = 100$                             |                                                        |
|                                                            | $M[2,4]+M[5,5]+P_1*P_4*P_5$<br>$= 64+0+(2*3*3) = 82$                               |                                                        |

|   |   |    |    |    |    |
|---|---|----|----|----|----|
|   | 1 | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  |
| 1 | 0 | 30 | 64 | 82 |    |
| 2 |   | 0  | 40 | 64 | 82 |
| 3 |   |    | 0  | 60 | 96 |
| 4 |   |    |    | 0  | 36 |
| 5 |   |    |    |    | 0  |

Step 5 : Now we will compute M[1,5] with P0=

Formula Used:  $\min(M[i,k]+M[k+1,j]+P_{i-1}*P_k*P_j)$   
where  $i \leq k \leq j-1$

$$M[1,1]+M[2,5]+P_0*P_1$$

$$M[1,2]+M[3,5]+P_0*P_2$$

$$M[1,3]+M[4,5]+P_0*P_3$$

$$M[1,4]+M[5,5]+P_0*P_4$$

|   |   |    |    |    |     |
|---|---|----|----|----|-----|
|   | 1 | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5   |
| 1 | 0 | 30 | 64 | 82 | 100 |
| 2 |   | 0  | 40 | 64 | 82  |
| 3 |   |    | 0  | 60 | 96  |
| 4 |   |    |    | 0  | 36  |
| 5 |   |    |    |    | 0   |

As the k table indicates k[1,5]=1. Hence , the (B,C,D,E),

Now from (B,C,D,E) we check  $M[2,5]=4$ , Hence

Now from (B,C,D) we check  $M[2,4] = 2$ ,  $M[3,4]$

Matrix chain order will be  $(A*(B*(C*D))*E)$ .

**Review Questions**

1. Design and analyze dynamic programming algorithm matrix chain multiplication problem.
2. Explain chained matrix multiplication with example.

## 4.9 Longest Common Subsequence

GTU : Winter-10,11,14,15,18, June-11, Summer-13,14,17,19, Marks 8

Let,  $B = \langle b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n \rangle$  and  $A = \langle a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m \rangle$  be strings over an alphabet. Then  $B$  is a subsequence of  $A$  if  $B$  can be generated by striking out some elements from  $A$ .

### For example

$\langle x, z, y, x \rangle$  is a subsequence of  $\langle x, y, x, z, y, z, y, x, z, z \rangle$

The **longest Common Subsequence problem (LCS)** is the problem of finding given two sequences  $A = \langle a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m \rangle$  and  $B = \langle b_1, b_2, b_3, \dots, b_n \rangle$  a maximum length common subsequence of  $A$  and  $B$ . Let us apply the steps of dynamic programming for obtaining Longest Common Subsequence (LCS).

### Step 1 : Characterizing the longest common subsequence

If we apply the straightforward approach of obtaining common subsequence then for the sequence  $A = \langle a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m \rangle$  and  $B = \langle b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n \rangle$ , all the sequences of  $A$  has to be checked against all the subsequences of  $B$ . But this approach will not be useful for long sequences. Hence to solve the problem of LCS we need to define **optimal substructure** of LCS. Let us discuss one theorem based on optimal substructure of LCS.

**Theorem :** Let,  $A = \langle a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m \rangle$  and  $B = \langle b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n \rangle$  then,

- If  $a_m = b_n$  then longest common subsequence of  $A_{m-1}$  and  $B_{n-1}$  can be constructed by appending  $a_m (= b_n)$  to LCS of  $A$  and  $B$ .
- If  $a_m \neq b_n$  then it implies
  - LCS of  $A_{m-1}$  and  $B$  or
  - LCS of  $A$  and  $B_{n-1}$ .

**Proof :** Consider  $C = \langle c_1, c_2, c_3, \dots, c_k \rangle$  be the LCS of  $A$  and  $B$ . Then if  $c_k = a_m$  then we could append  $a_m = b_n$  to  $C$  for getting the longest common subsequence. If necessary modify the production of  $C$  from either  $A$  or from  $B$ , so that its last element could be  $a_m$  or  $b_n$ . Then  $C$  becomes a common subsequence of string of  $A_{m-1}$  and  $B_{n-1}$ . Hence  $C$  with maximum length becomes the longest common subsequence.

If  $c_k \neq a_m$  then for any LCS of  $C$  of  $A$  and  $B$ , generation of  $C$  cannot use both  $a_m$  and  $b_n$ . So  $C$  is either  $a_n$  LCS of  $A$  and  $B_{n-1}$  or it can be LCS of  $A_{m-1}$  and  $B$ .

### Step 2 : A recursive definition

If  $a_m = b_n$  then we should find LCS of  $A_{m-1}$  and  $B_{n-1}$  otherwise, compare LCS of  $A$  and  $B_{n-1}$  and LCS of  $A_{m-1}$  and  $B$ . Then from these sequences pick up the longer

Let,

$c[i, j]$  be the length of an LCS of  $A_i$  and  $B_j$

$$c[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i=0 \text{ or } j=0 \\ c[i-1, j-1]+1 & \text{if } i, j > 0 \text{ and} \\ & \text{max}(c[i, j-1], c[i-1, j]) \end{cases}$$

From this definition we could build  $c[i, j]$  mentioned.

### Step 3 : Computing length of an LCS

Let us construct an algorithm using which the

Algorithm compute\_LCS(A, B)

```
// Problem Description : This algorithm builds c
m ← length(A)
n ← length(B)
for (i ← 1 to m) do
 c[i, 0] ← 0
for (j ← 0 to n) do
 c[0, j] ← 0
for (i ← 1 to m) do
 for (j ← 1 to n) do
 if (a_i = b_j) then
 c[i, j] ← c[i-1, j-1] + 1
 else if (c[i-1, j] ≥ c[i, j-1]) then
 c[i, j] ← c[i-1, j]
 else
 c[i, j] ← c[i, j-1]
 }
}
// end of inner for loop
// end of outer for loop.
return c and d
```

From the above algorithm let us solve some

**Example 4.9.1** Given two sequences of characters

$A = \langle X, Y, Z, Y, T, X, Y, X \rangle$  and

$B = \langle Y, T, Z, Z, X, Y, X \rangle$

obtain longest common subsequence.

**Solution :** We have to obtain longest common subsequence. Arrange elements of A and B in the arrays as -

|      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|      | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| A[i] | X | Y | Z | Y | T | X | Y |
| B[j] | Y | T | Z | X | Y | X |   |

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**Step 1 :** We will build  $c[i, j]$  and  $d[i, j]$ . Initially  $c[i, 0] \leftarrow 0$  where  $i$  represents row and  $c[0, j] \leftarrow 0$  where  $j$  represents the column. Note that  $c$  table will store values and  $d$  table will store directions.

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 2 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 3 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 4 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 5 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 6 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 7 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |

Then

for ( $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $m$ ) and

for ( $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$ )

We go on filling up  $c[i, j]$  and  $d[i, j]$  horizontally

$\therefore$  Let  $i = 1, j = 1$

|      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| A[i] | X | Y | Z | Y | T | X | Y |
| B[j] | Y | T | Z | X | Y | X |   |

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

$i \uparrow$

As  $A[i] \neq B[j]$

If  $(c[0, 1] \geq c[1, 0])$  is true

$\therefore 0 \geq 0$

$c[1, 1] \leftarrow c[i - 1, j]$

$\therefore c[1, 1] \leftarrow c[0, 1]$

$\therefore c[1, 1] \leftarrow 0$

and  $d[1, 1] \leftarrow \uparrow$

**Step 2 :**

Let  $i = 1, j = 2$  then

|      |   |   |   |   |
|------|---|---|---|---|
|      | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| A[i] | X | Y | Z |   |
| B[j] | Y | T | Z |   |

As  $A[i] \neq B[j]$

then if  $(c[i - 1, j] \geq c[i, j - 1]) \rightarrow$  is true

$\therefore c[0, 2] \geq c[1, 1]$

i.e.  $0 \geq 0$

Hence  $c[i, j] \leftarrow c[i - 1, j]$

$d[i, j] \leftarrow \uparrow$

and  $d[i, j] \leftarrow \uparrow$

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | ↑ | ↑ |   |   |   |   |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |   |   |   |   |
| 3 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 4 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 5 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 6 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 7 | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |

Continuing in this fashion we can fill up the table as follows -

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 |
| 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 |
| 6 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 |
| 7 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 |

Now we can construct a longest common subsequence using  $c[i, j]$  and  $d[i, j]$ .

**Step 3 : Constructing LCS**

To decide the LCS We have to make use of  $d$  shown below -

```

Algorithm display_LCS (d, A [1, i, j])
{
// Problem Description : This algorithm
// points the longest common subsequence
if (i = 0 || j = 0) then
 return
if (d [i, j] = "↑" then
 {
 display_LCS (d, A, i - 1, j - 1)
 print (ai)
 }
else if (d [i, j] = "↖") then
 {
 display_LCS (d, A, i - 1, j)
 }
}
else
 display_LCS (d, A, i, j - 1)
} // end of algorithm

```

Let us apply this algorithm for obtaining LCS

```
display_LCS (d, A [[7, 6])
```

Here 7 is upper bound of  $i$  and 6 is the upper

As  $d [ 7, 6 ] = \uparrow$  we get recursive call  $d [ 6, 6 ] = \uparrow$  a recursive call  $d [ 6, 6 ] = \uparrow$  algorithm tells us to print value of  $a_i$  which is  $a_7$  which is 'X'.  
algorithm we get YZYX as LCS.

**Example 4.9.2** Explain how to find out longest common subsequence using dynamic programming method. Find any one longest common subsequence.

```

S1 = abbacdba
S2 = bcdabaac

```

**Solution : Longest common subsequence - Refer**

Let, S1 = abbacdba  
S2 = bcdabaac

We will arrange these strings in arrays

|        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|--------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|        | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| S1 [i] | a | b | b | a | c | d | c | b | a |
| S2 [j] | b | c | d | b | b | c | a | a | c |

**Step 1 :** We will build  $c [ i, j ]$  and  $d [ i, j ]$ . Initially  $c [ i, 0 ] \leftarrow 0$  where  $i$  represents columns and  $c [ 0, j ] \leftarrow 0$  where  $j$  represents the rows.

The  $c$  table stores the values and  $d$  table stores the directions. The table will be for  $( i \leftarrow 1 \text{ to } m)$  and

|   |                 |                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
|---|-----------------|----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|
|   | $i \rightarrow$ |                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
|   |                 | a              | b | b | a | c | d | c | b | a |  |
| 0 | 0               | 0              | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| b | 1               | 0              |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
| c | 2               | 0              |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
| d | 3               | 0              |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
| b | 4               | 0              |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
| b | 5               | 0              |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
| c | 6               | 0              |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
| a | 7               | 0              |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
| a | 8               | 0              |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
| c | 9               | 0              |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |
|   |                 | $j \downarrow$ |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |

for  $( j \leftarrow 1 \text{ to } n)$   
 We go on filling up  $c [ i, j ]$  and  $d [ i, j ]$  vertically  
 $\therefore$  Let  $i = 1, j = 1$

|        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|--------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|        | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| S1 [i] | a | b | b | a | c | d | c | b | a |

```

S1 [i] ≠ S2 [j]
if (c [i - 1, j] ≥ c [i, j - 1]) true
i.e. if (c [0, 1] ≥ c [1, 0]) true
∴ 0 ≥ 0
c [1, 1] ← c [i - 1, j]
c [1, 1] ← c [0, 1]
c [1, 1] ← 0
d [1, 1] ← ↑

```

**Step 2 :**

```

Let i = 1, j = 2
S1 [i] = a and S2 [j] = c
i.e. S1 [i] ≠ S2 [j]
if (c [i - 1, j] ≥ c [i, j - 1]
i.e. if (c [0, 2] ≥ c [1, 1]
0 ≥ 0 → is true
∴ c [1, 2] ← c [i - 1, j]
c [1, 2] ← c [0, 2]
∴ c [1, 2] ← 0
d [1, 2] ← ↑

```

**Step 3 :**

```

Let i = 1, j = 3
S1 [1] = a and S2 [3] = d
i.e. S1 [1] ≠ S2 [3]
if (c [i - 1, j] ≥ c [i, j - 1]
i.e. if (c [0, 3] ≥ c [1, 2])
i.e. if (0 ≥ 0) → is true.
∴ c [1, 3] = c [i - 1, j]
= c [0, 3]
c [1, 3] = 0

```

**Step 4 :**

Let  $i = 1, j = 4$

$S1[1] = a, S2[4] = b$

i.e.  $S1[i] \neq S2[j]$

if  $(c[i-1, j] \geq c[i, j-1])$

i.e. if  $(c[0, 4] \geq c[1, 3])$

i.e. if  $(0 \geq 0) \rightarrow$  is true.

$$\therefore c[1,4] = c[i-1, j] = c[0, 4]$$

$$\therefore c[1, 4] = 0$$

$$d[1, 4] = \uparrow$$

We will start filling up the table in this manner finally we will get.

|   |     |   |     |   |     |     |   |     |     |
|---|-----|---|-----|---|-----|-----|---|-----|-----|
|   | a   | b | (b) | a | (c) | (d) | c | (b) | (a) |
| 0 | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   |
| 1 | (b) | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   |
| 2 | (c) | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   |
| 3 | (d) | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   |
| 4 | b   | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   |
| 5 | (b) | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   |
| 6 | c   | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   |
| 7 | a   | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   |
| 8 | (a) | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   |
| 9 | c   | 0 | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   | 0 | 0   | 0   |

Thus the matching longest sub sequence is **bcdba**.

**Example 4.9.3** Using algorithm determine longest sequence of (A, B, C, D, B, A, C, D, F) and (C, B, A, F) (use dynamic programming). **GTU : Winter-11, Marks 7**

**Solution :** Let,

|      |   |   |   |   |   |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|
|      | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| A[i] | A | B | C | D | B |
| B[j] | C | B | A | F |   |

We will build  $c[i, j]$  and  $d[i, j]$ . Initially  $c$  and  $c[0, j] \leftarrow 0$  where  $j$  represents the column.  $d$  table will store directions.

**Step 1 :**

|    |   |   |   |
|----|---|---|---|
|    | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| 0  | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| A1 | 0 |   |   |
| B2 | 0 |   |   |
| C3 | 0 |   |   |
| D4 | 0 |   |   |
| B5 | 0 |   |   |
| A6 | 0 |   |   |
| C7 | 0 |   |   |
| D8 | 0 |   |   |
| F9 | 0 |   |   |

**Step 2 :**

|      |   |   |   |   |   |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|
|      | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| A[i] | A | B | C | D | B |
| B[j] | C | B | A | F |   |

As  $A[i] \neq B[j]$

If  $(c[0, 1] \geq c[1, 0])$  is true

i.e.  $0 \geq 0$

$$c[1, 1] = c[i-1, j]$$

$$c[1, 1] = c[0, 1]$$

$$d[1, 1] = 1$$

**Step 3 :**

Let  $i = 1, j = 2$  then

|      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|      | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| A[i] | A | B | C | D | B | A | C | D | F |
| B[j] | C | B | A | F |   |   |   |   |   |

As  $A[i] \neq B[j]$

If  $(c[i-1, j] \geq c[i, j-1])$

i.e.  $c[0, 2] \geq c[1, 1]$  is true i.e.  $0 \geq 0$ .

$$c[i, j] = c[i-1, j]$$

$$c[1, 2] = c[0, 2] = 0$$

$$d[i, j] = 1$$

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

The table will be

|   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 |
| 0 |   |   |
| A | 0 | 0 |
| B | 0 | 0 |
| C | 0 | 1 |
| D | 0 | 1 |
| E | 0 | 1 |
| F | 0 | 1 |

Continuing in this fashion we can fill up the

**Example 4.9.4** Given two sequences of characters, the longest common subsequence.

**Solution :**

Let

|      |   |   |   |
|------|---|---|---|
|      | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| P[i] | M | L | N |
| Q[j] | M | N | C |

We will build the  $c[i, j]$  and  $d[i, j]$  table as follows

|   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
|   | 0 | 1 |
| 0 |   |   |
| 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 2 | 0 | 1 |
| 3 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | 0 | 1 |



**Winter - 2011**

**Q.5** Explain the difference between divide and conquer and dynamic programming. [3]

**Summer - 2012**

**Q.6** What is principle of optimality? Explain its use in dynamic programming method. [4]

**Q.7** Explain chained matrix multiplication with example. [Refer section 4.8] [7]

**Winter - 2014**

**Q.8** Describe an assembly line scheduling problem and give dynamic programming algorithm to solve it. [Refer section 4.5] [7]

**Summer - 2015**

**Q.9** Discuss matrix multiplication problem using divide and conquer technique. [Refer section 4.8] [7]

**Q.10** Discuss and derive an equation for solving the 0/1 Knapsack problem using dynamic programming method. Design and analyze the algorithm for the same. [Refer section 4.6] [7]

**Q.11** Discuss Assembly line scheduling problem using dynamic programming with example. [Refer section 4.5] [7]

**Summer - 2017**

**Q.12** For the following chain of matrices find the order of parenthesization for the optimal chain multiplication (15, 5, 10, 20, 25). [Refer example 4.8.5] [7]

**Winter - 2017**

**Q.13** Find optimal sequence of multiplication using dynamic programming of following matrices:  $A_1 [10 \times 100]$ ,  $A_2 [100 \times 5]$ ,  $A_3 [5 \times 50]$  and  $A_4 [50 \times 1]$ . List optimal number of multiplication and parenthesization of matrices. [Refer example 4.8.6] [7]

**Q.14** Describe longest common subsequence problem. Find longest common subsequence of following two strings  $X$  and  $Y$  using dynamic programming.  $X = \text{abbacdcba}$ ,  $Y = \text{bcdbbcaac}$ . [Refer example 4.9.2] [7]

**Q.15** Discuss and derive an equation for solving the 0/1 Knapsack problem using dynamic programming method. [Refer section 4.6] [7]

**Summer - 20**

**Q.16** Justify with example that shortest path optimality. [Refer section 4.7]

**Q.17** Which are the three basic steps of the dev algorithm? Mention any two examples using in real life. [Refer sections 4.2.2, 4.4.4]

**Q.18** Justify with example that longest path optimality. [Refer section 4.7]

**Winter - 20**

**Q.19** Solve making change problem using dynamic programming.  $d_4 = 6$ , Calculate for making change of  $R$ . [Refer similar example 4.4.3]

**Q.20** For the following chain of matrices find optimal chain multiplication (13, 5, 89, 3, 10)

**Q.21** Explain principle of optimality with example

**Q.22** Find all pair of shortest path using Floyd's algorithm. [Refer example 4.7.3]

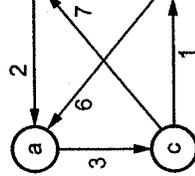


Fig. 1

**4.11 Short Questions and Answers**

**Q.1** Which type of problems can be solved using dynamic programming?

**Ans.:** Dynamic programming is technique for solving optimization problems. Dynamic programming is typically used for solving optimization problems.

**Q.2** Write the general procedure of dynamic programming.

**Ans.:** Dynamic programming is typically applied to a wide range of optimization problems. In a given problem, we may get any number of subproblems.



**Ans. :** The transitive closure is basically a Boolean matrix in which the existence of directed paths of arbitrarily lengths between vertices is mentioned.

**Q.18 What is the purpose of Floyd and Warshall's algorithm ?**

**Ans. :** The Floyd - Warshall algorithm is used to construct transitive closure of a given diagraph.

**Q.19 What is matrix chain problem ?**

**Ans. :** The problem can be stated as - In what order should  $A_1A_2\dots A_n$  be multiplied so that it would take the minimum number of computations to derive the product.

**Q.20 What is the time complexity of matrix chain multiplication method ?**

**Ans. :** The time complexity of matrix chain multiplication method is  $O(n^3)$ .

**Q.21 State the longest common subsequence problem.**

**Ans. :** The longest Common Subsequence problem ( LCS ) is the problem of finding given two sequences  $A = \langle a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m \rangle$  and  $B = \langle b_1, b_2, b_3, \dots, b_n \rangle$  a maximum length common subsequence of A and B.



# 5

# Greedy

## Syllabus

General characteristics of greedy algorithms, Problem selection problem, Elements of greedy strategy, Minimum Spanning Tree (MST), Graphs : Shortest paths, The knapsack problem, Huffman code.

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3. From the set of feasible solutions, particularly the objective of the function. Such a solution is optimal.
4. As Greedy method works in stages. At each time. Based on this input it is decided whether the solution is optimal or not.

### 5.3 Comparison between Greedy and Dynamic Programming

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In this section we will discuss "What are the characteristics of Greedy algorithm and dynamic programming?"

| Sr. No. | Greedy method                                                                              |
|---------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.      | Greedy method is used for obtaining optimum solution.                                      |
| 2.      | In Greedy method a set of feasible solutions and the picks up the optimum solution.        |
| 3.      | In Greedy method the optimum selection is without revising previously generated solutions. |
| 4.      | In Greedy method there is no as such guarantee of getting optimum solution.                |

#### Review Questions

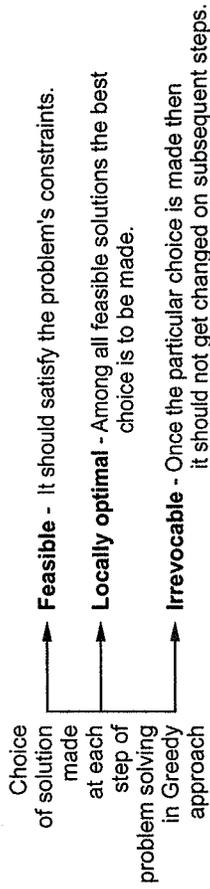
1. Give the characteristics of greedy algorithms.
2. What are the differences between greedy approach and dynamic programming?

### 5.4 Problem Solving using Greedy Algorithm

- In this section we will discuss various problems solved using Greedy algorithm.
- i) Knapsack problem
  - ii) Prim's algorithm for minimum spanning tree
  - iii) Kruskal's algorithm for minimum spanning tree
  - iv) Finding shortest path.

### 5.1 Introduction

In an algorithmic strategy like Greedy, the decision of solution is taken based on the information available. The Greedy method is a straightforward method. This method is popular for obtaining the **optimized solutions**. In Greedy technique, the solution is constructed through a sequence of steps, each expanding a partially constructed solution obtained so far, until a complete solution to the problem is reached. At each step the choice made should be,



In short, while making a choice there should be a Greedy for the optimum solution. In this chapter we will first understand the concept of Greedy method. Then we will discuss various examples for which Greedy method is applied.

### 5.2 General Characteristics of Greedy Algorithm

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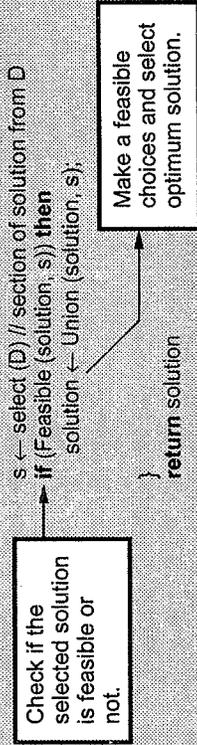
In this section we will understand "What is Greedy method?"

#### Algorithm

```

Greedy (D, n)
//In Greedy approach D is a domain
//from which solution is to be obtained of size n
//Initially assume
Solution ← 0
for i ← 1 to n do

```



In Greedy method following activities are performed.

1. First we select some solution from input domain.

For solving all above problems a set of feasible solutions is obtained. From these solution optimum solution is selected. This optimum solution then becomes the final solution for given problem.

With these fundamental issues of Greedy method, let us now discuss various applications of Greedy algorithm.

## 5.5 Elements of Greedy Strategy

GTU : June-11, Marks 2

Following are the elements of Greedy strategy -

### 1. Greedy choice property :

By this property, a globally optimal solution can be arrived at by making a locally optimal choice. That means, for finding the solution to the problem. We solve the subproblems, and whichever choice. We find the best possible solution for the subproblem. Then solve the subproblem is considered. Then solve the subproblem arising after the choice is made. This choice may depend upon the previously made choices but it does not depend on any future choice. Thus in greedy method, greedy choices are made one after the another, reducing each given problem instance to smaller one. The greedy choice property brings efficiency in solving the problem with the help of subproblems.

### 2. Optimal substructure :

A problem shows optimal substructure if an optimal solution to the problem contains optimal solution to the sub-problems. In other words a problem has optimal substructure if the best next choice always leads to the optimal solution.

## Review Questions

1. Explain the elements of the greedy strategy.
2. Explain the term - optimal substructure property.

GTU : June-11, Marks 2

## 5.6 Activity Selection Problem

GTU : Winter-19, Marks 7

Activity selection problem is defined as follows :

Given a resource such as a CPU or a lecture hall and  $n$  set of activities, such as task or lectures that want to utilize the resource. The activity  $i$  have the starting and finishing time which can be denoted by  $S_i$  and  $F_i$ . Then activity selection problem is to find  $\text{max\_size}$  subset  $A$  of mutually compatible activities. [ i.e. maximize the number of lecture all in the lecture hall or maximize number of tasks assigned to the CPU ]

**Example 5.6.1** Consider the following set of activities of activities.

|       |   |   |   |   |   |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|
| $i$   | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| $S_i$ | 1 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 3 |
| $F_i$ | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |

**Solution :**

**Step 1 :** Sort  $F_i$  i.e. finishing time into  $F_1 \leq F_2 \leq F_3 \leq \dots \leq F_n$

**Step 2 :** Select the next activity  $i$  to the solution set.

**Step 3 :** Repeat step 2, until all the activities are selected. From above set first of all we will select activity 1 for the activity with  $S_1 \geq 4$ . We will select activity 7. Hence select next activity such that  $S_i \geq 4$ . We will select next activity such that  $S_i \geq 11$ . We obtain solution set = {1, 4, 8, 11}.

The algorithm for activity selection problem

### Algorithm

**Algorithm Greedy\_Act\_sel (S, F)**

```
// Problem Description : This algorithm selects
// that are compatible to each other
// Input : The set of starting time and finish time
// Output : Set of selected activities.
n ← length [S] // n represents total number of activities
A ← {a} // selection of first activity
i ← 1 // current activity is denoted by ai
for m ← 2 to n
{
 if (Sm ≥ Fi) then
 A ← A ∪ {am}
 i ← m
}
return A
```

$F_i$  is maximum finish time of any activity in  $A$

Selection feasible at

The activity selection problem can be solved using two approaches -

1. Greedy-choice property.
2. Optimal substructure.

### 1. Greedy choice property :

- In this approach of problem solution a globally optimal solution can be obtained by making a **locally optimal choice**.
- Select a **choice** whichever seems to be **best at the moment** and then solve the subproblem arising after the choice is made.
- The choice made by a greedy algorithm depends upon the **choices made so far** but it does not depend upon the future choices.

### 2 Optimal substructure

A problem shows **optimal substructure** if an optimal solution to the problem contains within it optimal solutions to sub-problems.

The optimal solution is denoted by A. The selection process starts by selecting activity 1 and then  $A' = A - \{1\}$  where  $i \in s$  and  $S_i \geq f_1$ .

**Example 5.6.2** Write greedy algorithm for activity selection problem. Give its time complexity.

For following intervals, select the activities according to your algorithm.  $I_1(1-3), I_2(0-2),$

$I_3(3-6), I_4(2-5), I_5(5-8), I_6(3-10), I_7(7-9).$

GTU : Winter-19, Marks 7

**Solution :**

**Step 1 :** Sort the given activities in ascending order according to their finishing time.

**Step 2 :** Select the first activity from sorted array and add it to **solution array**.

**Step 3 :** For next subsequent activity if start time of currently selected activity is greater than or equal to finish time of previously selected activity, then add it to **solution array**.

**Step 4 :** Select next activity.

**Step 5 :** Repeat step 3 and step 4 for all remaining activities.

Time complexity is  $O(n \log n)$ .

**Example :**

**Step 1 :** We will sort the given activities in ascending order according to their finish

| Start Time | Finish Time |
|------------|-------------|
| 0          | 2           |
| 1          | 3           |
| 2          | 5           |
| 3          | 6           |
| 5          | 8           |
| 7          | 9           |
| 3          | 10          |

**Step 2 :** Select first activity i.e. activity  $I_2$  to add  
Hence **Solution** =  $\{I_2\}$ .

**Step 3 :** Now select activity  $I_1$ . If start  $(I_1) <$   
**solution array**.

**Step 4 :** Now select activity  $I_4$ . Start  $(I_4) =$  Finis

$\therefore$  Solution =  $\{I_2, I_4\}$

**Step 5 :** Select  $I_3$ . Start  $(I_3) <$  Finish  $(I_5)$ . Hence

**Step 6 :** Similarly activities  $I_3, I_5, I_7$  and  $I_6$  will

**Step 7 :** Hence solution is  $\{I_2, I_4\}$ .

### Review Question

1. Explain the two approaches that can be used for solving this problem.

## 5.7 Minimum Spanning Tree

GTU : Winter-10,11,15,18,19, Jun

### Spanning tree

A spanning tree of a graph G is a subgraph which contains all the vertices of G containing no circuit.

**Minimum spanning tree :** A minimum spanning tree is a spanning tree with minimum or smallest weight.

**Weight of the tree :** A weight of the tree is defined as the sum of the weights of all the edges.

For example :

Consider a graph G with vertices  $V = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5\}$  and edges  $E = \{(v_1, v_2), (v_1, v_3), (v_2, v_4), (v_3, v_4), (v_4, v_5)\}$ . The weight of the tree is 10.

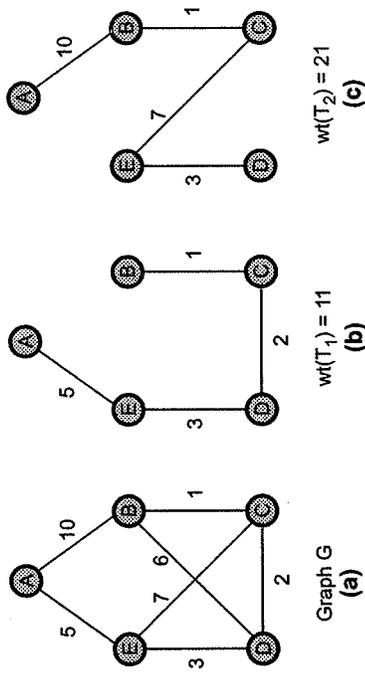


Fig. 5.7.1 Graph and two spanning trees out of which (b) is a minimum spanning tree

Applications of spanning trees :

- Spanning trees are very important in designing efficient routing algorithms.
- Spanning trees have wide applications in many areas such as network design.

5.7.1 Prim's Algorithm

Let us understand the prim's algorithm with the help of example.

**Example 5.7.1** Consider the graph given below. Obtain minimum spanning tree using prim's algorithm.

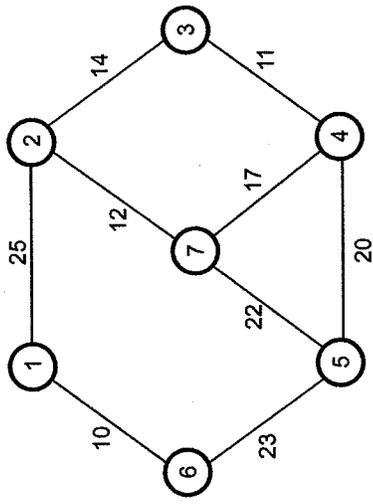
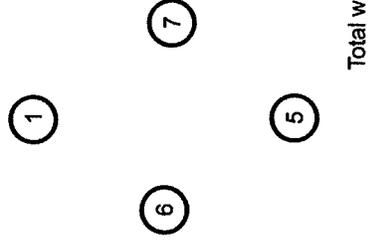


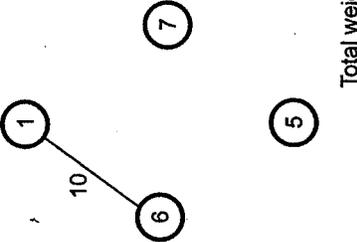
Fig. 5.7.2 Graph

**Solution :** Now, we will consider all the vertices first. Then we will select an edge with minimum weight. The algorithm proceeds by selecting adjacent edges with minimum weight. Care should be taken for not forming circuit.

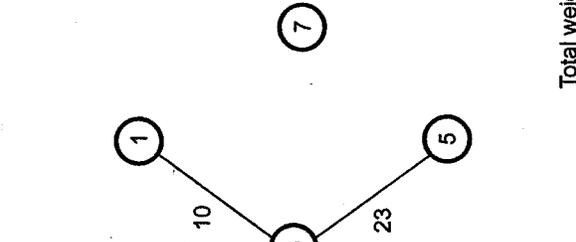
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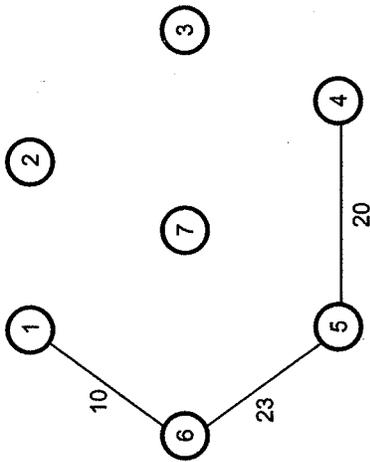
Step 2 :



Step 3 :

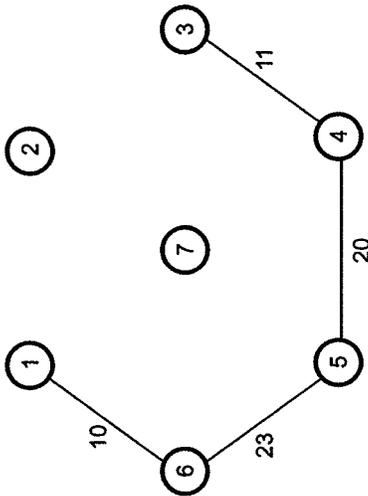


Step 4 :



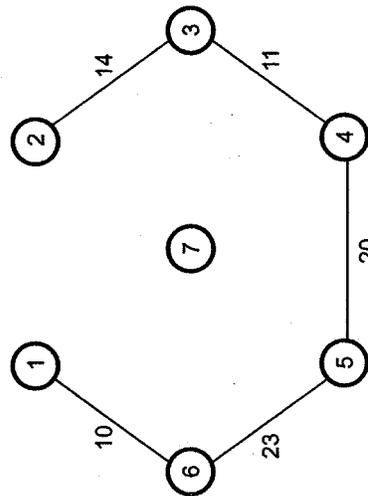
Total weight = 53

Step 5 :

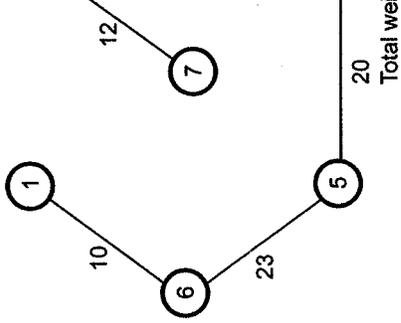


Total weight = 64

Step 6 :

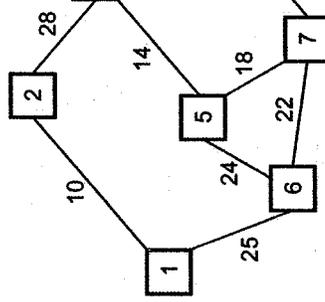


Step 7 :



Total weight = 20

Example 5.7.2 Generate minimum spanning tree of fo

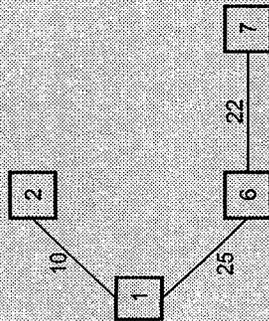


Solution :

Step 1 :

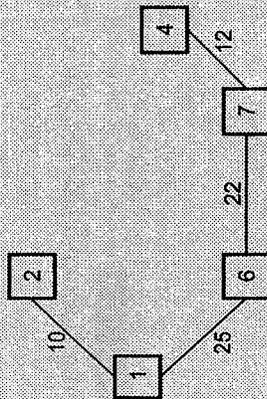
Step 2 : The next adjacent edge with minimum weight is 1 - 6.

Step 3 : Select next adjacent edge with minimum weight.



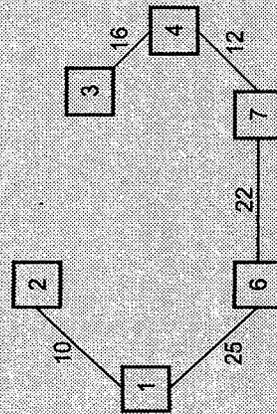
Select an edge 6 - 7.  
Total weight = 57

Step 4 : Select next adjacent edge with minimum weight.



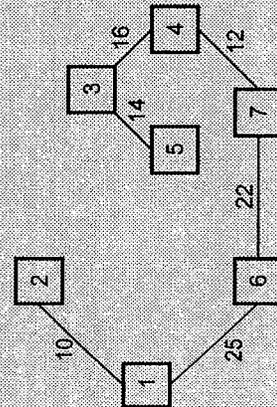
Select an edge 7 - 4  
Total weight = 69

Step 5 : Select next adjacent edge with minimum weight.



Select an edge 3 - 4  
Total weight = 85

Step 6 : Select next adjacent edge with minimum weight.



Select an edge 3 - 5  
Total weight = 99

Minimum spanning tree

**Example 5.7.3** Apply Prim's algorithm to the following graph and obtain minimum spanning tree.

**Solution :**

**Step**

We will first select a minimum distance edge from given graph.

**Step**

The next minimum distance edge is b-e. This edge is adjacent to previously selected vertex e.

**Step**

The next minimum distance edge is c-e which is adjacent to already selected edge b-e.

**Step**

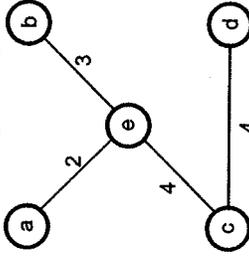
Then next select an edge c-d which is with minimum distance and it is adjacent to already selected edge c-e.

Since all the vertices are visited and we get a connected tree as minimum spanning tree.

Step 5 :  $V(a, e, b, c, d)$  and

Cost =  $2 + 3 + 4 + 4 = 13$ .

The final minimum spanning tree will be -



**Example 5.7.4** Find minimum spanning tree for the given graph using Prim's Algo. (initialization from node A).

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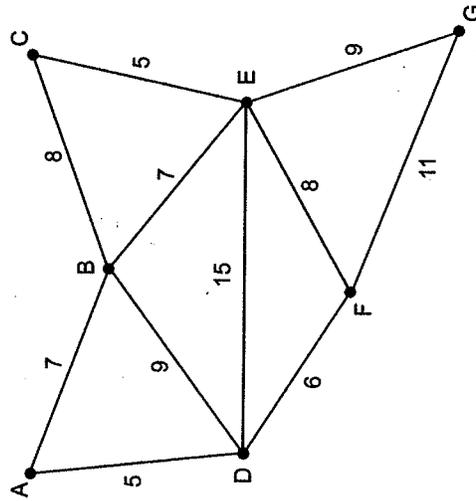
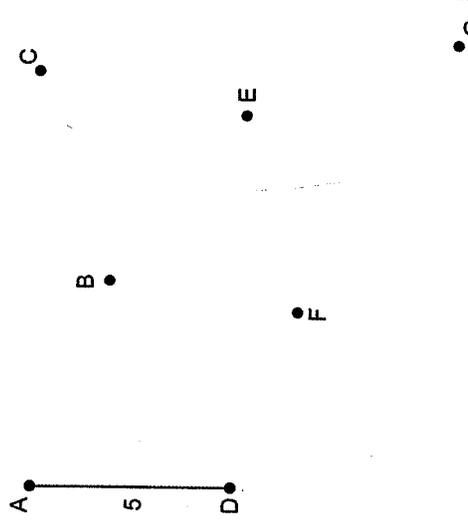


Fig. 5.7.4

**Solution :**

Select an edge A - D  
Total path length = 5



Select an edge A - B  
Total path length = 18

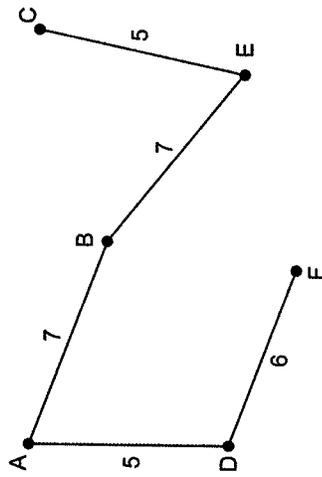
Select an edge B - E  
Total path length = 25

Select an edge D - F  
Total path length = 11

Select an edge E - G

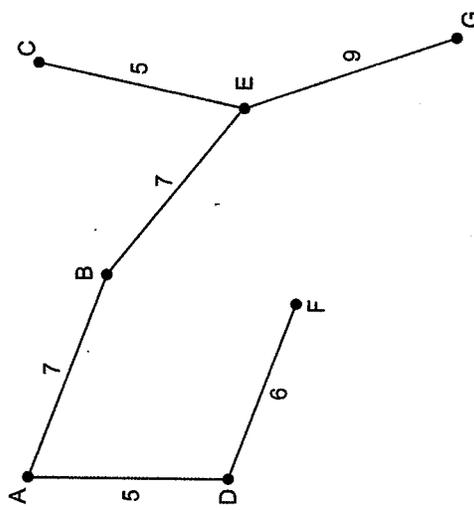
Total path length = 39

This is required minimum spanning tree



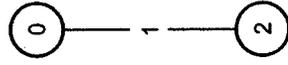
Select an edge C - E

Total path length = 30

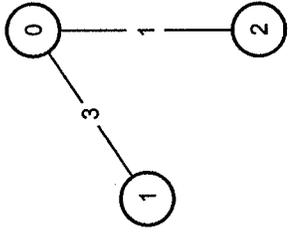


**Solution : Prim's Algorithm - Refer section 5.7.1.**

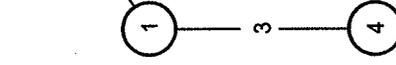
**Step 1 :**



**Step 2 :**



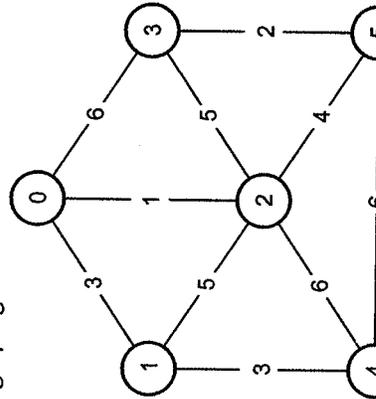
**Step 4 :**



**Step 5**

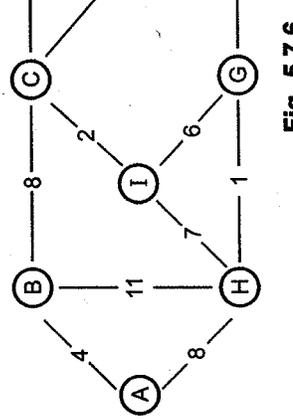
**Example 5.7.5** Write the Prim's Algorithm to find out Minimum Spanning Tree. Apply the same and find MST for the graph given below.

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**Example 5.7.6** What is a minimum spanning tree correspond to following graph using prim's algorithm



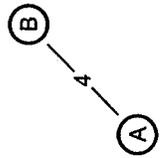
**Fig 5.7.6**

**Solution :**

**Step 1 :**

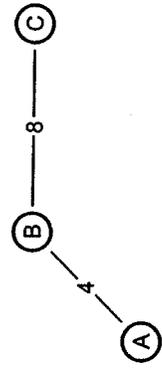
Select vertex A.

Choose edge with minimum weight which is  $AB = 4$ .



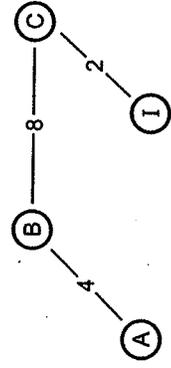
**Step 2 :**

Select edge  $B - C = 8$



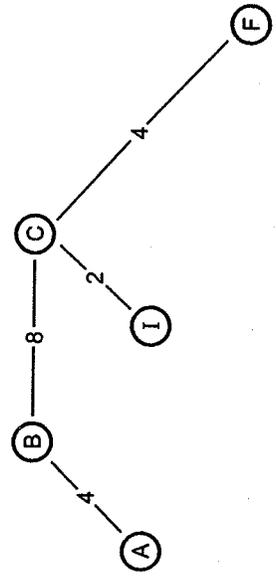
**Step 3 :**

Select edge  $C - I = 2$



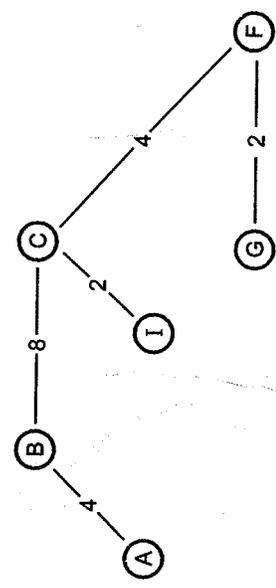
**Step 4 :**

Select edge  $C - F = 4$



**Step 5 :**

Select edge  $G - F = 2$



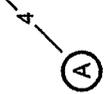
**Step 6 :**

Select edge  $G - H = 1$



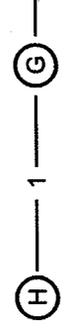
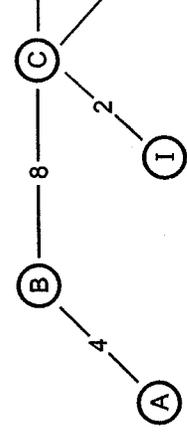
**Step 7 :**

Select edge  $C - D = 7$



**Step 8 :**

Finally select edge  $D - E = 9$ .



This is required

**Algorithm**

Prim(G[0..Size-1,0..Size-1],nodes)

//Problem Description : This algorithm is for impl

//Prim's algorithm for finding spanning tree

//Input : Weighted Graph G and total number of r

//Output : Spanning tree gets printed with total p

total=0;

//initialize the selected vertices list

for i<-0 to nodes-1 do

tree[i] <- 0

tree[0] = 1;//take initial vertex

for k<-1 to nodes do

```

min_dist ← ∞
//initially assign minimum dist as infinity
for i ← 0 to nodes-1 do
{
 for j ← 0 to nodes-1 do
 {
 if (G[i,j] AND ((tree[i] AND tree[j]) OR (!tree[i] AND tree[j]))) then
 {
 if (G[i,j] < min_dist) then
 {
 min_dist ← G[i,j]
 v1 ← i
 v2 ← j
 }
 }
 }
}
Write(v1, v2, min_dist);
tree[v1] ← tree[v2] ← 1
total ← total + min_dist
}
Write("Total Path Length Is", total)
}

```

Select an edge such that one vertex is selected and other is not and the edge has the least weight.

Obtained edge with minimum wt.

Picking up those vertices yielding minimum edge.

### C function

```

void Prim(int G[][SIZE], int nodes)
{
 int tree[SIZE], i, j, k;
 int min_dist, v1, v2, total = 0;
 //Initialize the selected vertices list
 for (i = 0; i < nodes; i++)
 tree[i] = 0;
 printf("\n\n The Minimal Spanning Tree Is : \n");
 tree[0] = 1;
 for (k = 1; k <= nodes-1; k++)
 {
 min_dist = INFINITY;
 //initially assign minimum dist as infinity
 for (i = 0; i <= nodes-1; i++)
 {
 for (j = 0; j <= nodes-1; j++)
 {
 if (G[i][j] && ((tree[i] && !tree[j]) || (!tree[i] && tree[j])))
 }
 }
 }
}

```

```

{
 min_dist = G
 v1 = i;
 v2 = j;
}
}
}
printf("\n Edge (%d %d) and weight = %d", v1, v2, G[v1][v2]);
total = total + min_dist;
}
printf("\n\n Total Path Length Is = %d", total);
}
}
}

```

### Analysis

The algorithm spends most of the time in selecting the minimum edge. Hence the basic operation of this algorithm is selecting the minimum edge. This can be given by following formula.

$$T(n) = \sum_{k=1}^{nodes-1} \left( \sum_{i=0}^{nodes-1} 1 + \sum_{j=0}^{nodes-1} 1 \right)$$

Time taken by for k=1 to nodes-1 loop

Time taken for i=0 to nodes-1

We take variable n for 'nodes' for the sake of

$$T(n) = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \left( \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 1 + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} 1 \right)$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} [(n-1) + 0 + 1] + ((n-1) + 0 + 1)$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} (2n)$$

$$= 2n \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} 1$$

$$= 2n[(n-1) - 1 + 1] = 2n(n-1)$$

$$= 2n^2 - 2n$$

∴ T(n) ≈ n<sup>2</sup>

But  $n$  stands for total number of nodes or vertices in the tree. Hence we can also state

Time complexity of Prim's Algorithm is  $\Theta(|V|^2)$ .

But if the Prim's algorithm is implemented using binary heap with the creation of graph using adjacency list then its time complexity becomes  $\Theta(E \log_2 V)$  where  $E$  stands for total number of edges and  $V$  stands for total number of vertices.

### C Program

```

/*****
This program is to implement Prim's Algorithm using Greedy Method
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#define SIZE 20
#define INFINITY 32767

/*This function finds the minimal spanning tree by Prim's Algorithm */
void Prim(int G[SIZE][SIZE],int nodes)
{
 int tree[SIZE],i,j,k;
 int min_dist,v1,v2,total=0;
 //Initialize the selected vertices list
 for (i=0; i<nodes; i++)
 tree[i] = 0;
 printf("\n\n The Minimal Spanning Tree Is :\n");
 tree[0] = 1;
 for (k=1; k<=nodes-1; k++)
 {
 min_dist = INFINITY;
 //Initially assign minimum dist as infinity
 for (i=0; i<=nodes-1; i++)
 {
 for (j=0; j<=nodes-1; j++)
 {
 if (G[i][j]&&((tree[i]&&tree[j]) ||
 (tree[j]&&tree[i])))
 {
 if (G[i][j]<min_dist)

```

```

 v1 = i;
 v2 = j;
 }
}
printf("\n Edge (%d %d) and weight =
tree[v1] = tree[v2] = 1;
total =total+min_dist;
}
printf("\n\n\t Total Path Length is = %
}
void main()
{
 int G[SIZE][SIZE],nodes;
 int v1,v2,length,i,j,n;
 clrscr();
 printf("\n\n\t Prim'S Algorithm\n");
 printf("\n Enter Number of Nodes in T
scanf("%d",&nodes);
printf("\n Enter Number of Edges in T
scanf("%d",&n);
for (i=0 ; i<nodes ; i++)// Initialize the
 for (j=0 ; j<nodes ; j++)
 G[i][j] = 0;
//entering weighted graph
printf("\n Enter edges and weights \n
for (i=0 ; i<n; i++)
{
 printf("\n Enter Edge by V1 and
printf("\n [Read the graph from star
scanf("%d %d",&v1,&v2);
printf("\n Enter corresponding w
scanf("%d",&length);
G[v1][v2] = G[v2][v1] = length;
}
getch();
printf("\n\n\t");
clrscr();
Prim(G,nodes);
}

```

**Output**

**Prim's Algorithm**

Enter Number of Nodes in The Graph 5

Enter Number of Edges in The Graph 7

Enter edges and weights

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]  
0 1

Enter corresponding weight : 10

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]  
1 2

Enter corresponding weight : 1

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]  
2 3

Enter corresponding weight : 2

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]  
3 4

Enter corresponding weight : 3

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]  
4 0

Enter corresponding weight : 5

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]  
1 3

Enter corresponding weight : 6

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]  
4 2

Enter corresponding weight : 7

The Minimal Spanning Tree Is :

Edge (0 4) and weight = 5

Edge (3 4) and weight = 3

Edge (2 3) and weight = 2

Graph will be

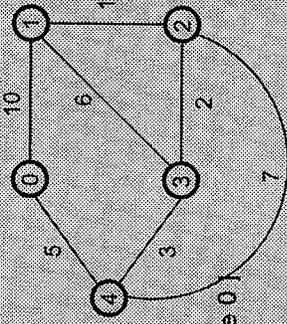
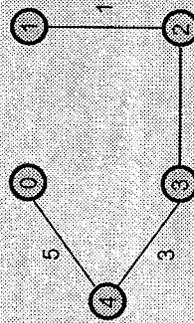


Fig. 5.7.7

The MST will be



**5.7.2 Kruskal's Algorithm**

Kruskal's algorithm is another algorithm of a greedy algorithm. It is discovered by a second year graduate student. This algorithm always selects the minimum cost edge that does not create a cycle in the selected optimum edge set.

**Difference between Prim's and Kruskal's Algorithms**

**Prim's Algorithm**

This algorithm is for obtaining a minimum spanning tree by selecting the adjacent vertices of already selected vertices.

This algorithm is for obtaining a minimum spanning tree by selecting the adjacent vertices of already selected vertices.

Let us understand this algorithm with the help of an example.

**Example 5.7.7**

Consider the graph given below and obtain its MST.

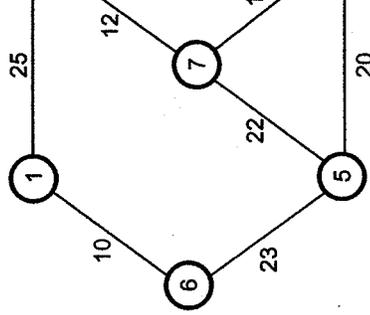


Fig. 5.7.8 Graph

**Solution :** First we will select all the vertices. Then we will select edges from heap, even though it is not adjacent to the selected vertices. It should be taken for not forming a cycle.

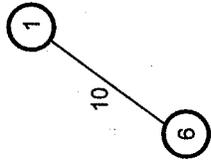
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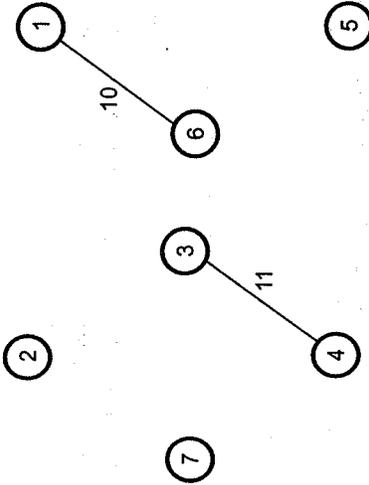
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**Step 3 :**

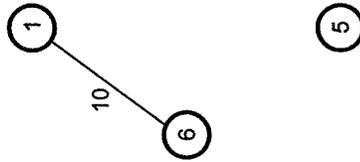


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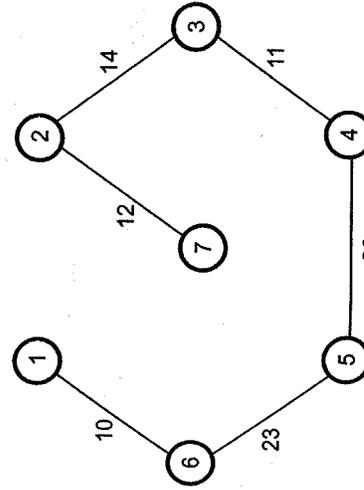
Total weight = 21

**Step 5 :**



Total weight = 47

**Step 7 :**



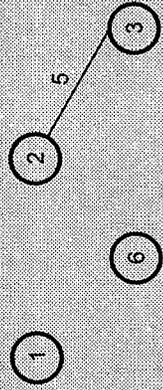
Total weight = 67

**Example 5.7.8** Consider the following undirected weighted graph. Find minimum spanning tree for the same using Kruskal's algorithm.

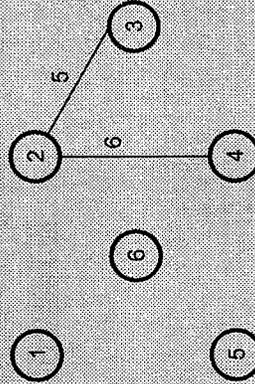
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**Solution :**

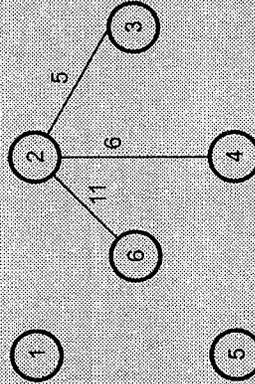
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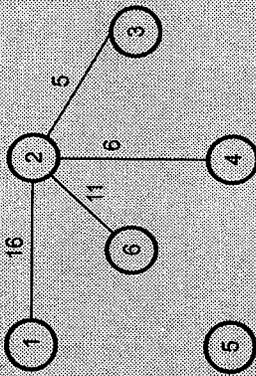
**Step 2 :**



**Step 3 :** If we select edge 3 - 4, then a cycle will be formed which is not desired.

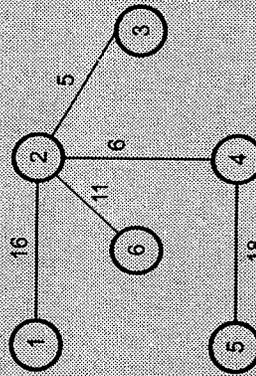


Step 4:



Select an edge 1 - 2  
Total weight = 38

Step 5:

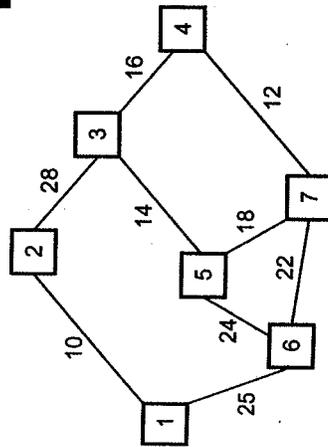


Select an edge 4 - 5  
Total weight = 56

This is the required MST.

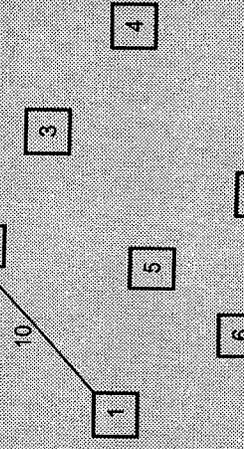
**Example 5.7.9** Generate minimum spanning tree of following figure using Kruskal's algorithm.

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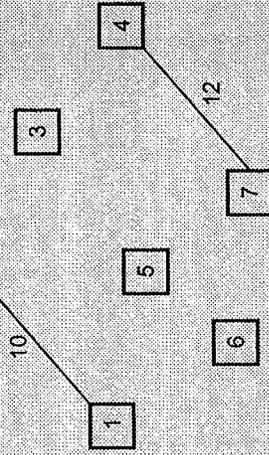
**Solution :**

Step 1:

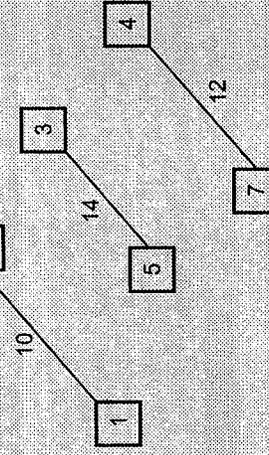


Select an edge 1 - 2  
Total weight = 10

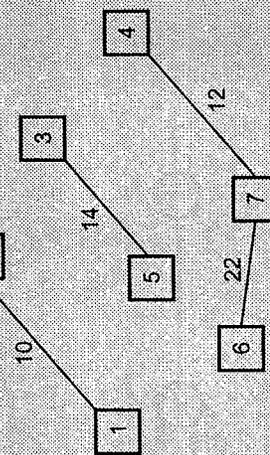
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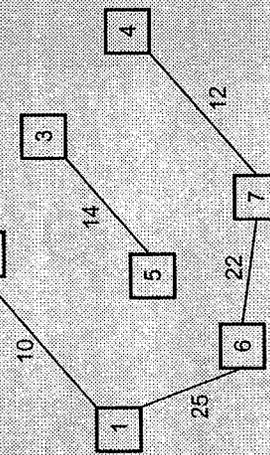
Step 3:

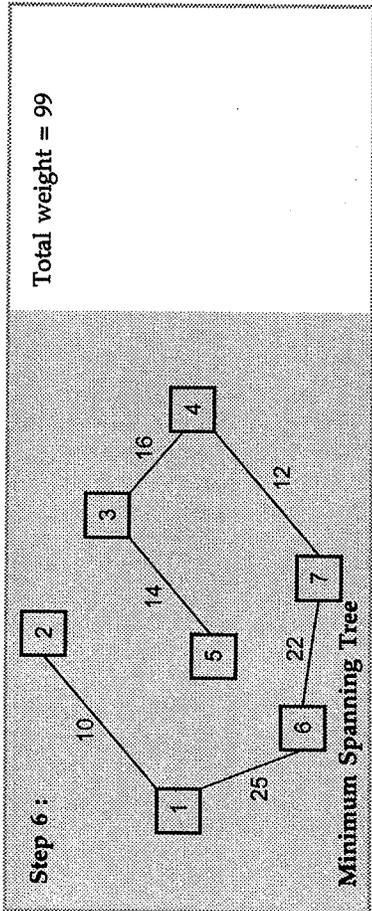


Step 4:



Step 5:





**Example 5.7.10** Apply Kruskal's algorithm to find a minimum spanning tree of a given graph.

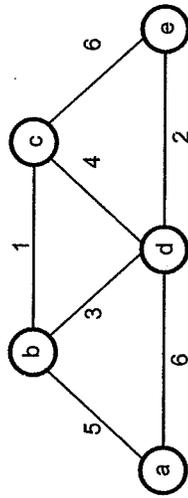
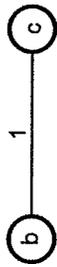


Fig. 5.7.9

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**Solution :**

We first select an edge with minimum weight.



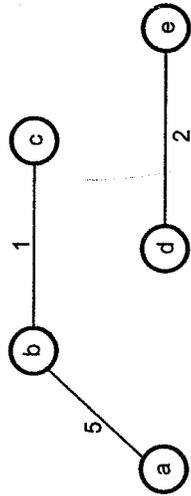
Total cost = 1

Then we select the next minimum weighted edge. It is not necessary that selected edge is adjacent.



Total cost = 3

Then we select next minimum weight for an unvisited vertex.



Total cost = 8

All the vertices are visited but since the spanning tree should be connected one. Hence we select an edge with minimum weight.

Thus we get a minimum spanning tree with Kruskal's algorithm.

**Example 5.7.11** There is a network given in the below as a highway map and the number recorded to each arc as the maximum elevation encountered traversing the arc. A traveller plans to drive from 1 to 12 on this highway. The traveller dislikes altitudes and so would like to find a path of node 1 to 12 that minimizes the maximum altitude. Find the best path for the traveller. MST (Graph to be drawn for Kruskal's algorithm for minimum spanning tree)

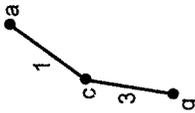
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**Solution :** We will use Prim's algorithm.

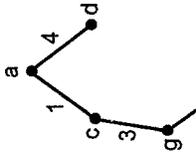
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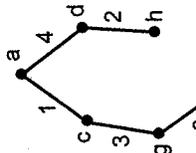
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Step 4



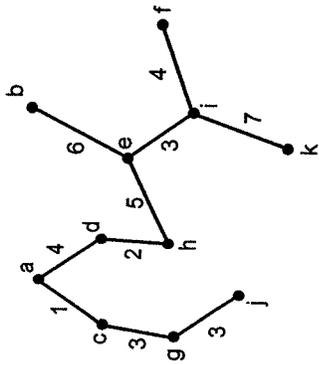
Step 5



Step 6



**Step 8**



This is the best path for the traveller.

**Example 5.7.12** Find minimum spanning tree for the following undirected weighted graph using Kruskal's algorithm.

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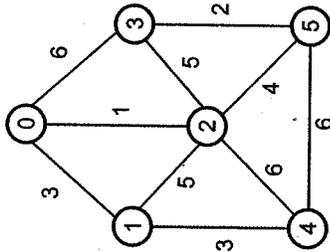
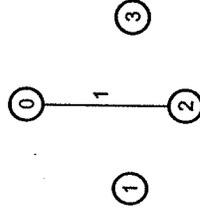


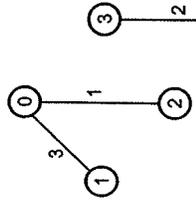
Fig. 5.7.10

**Solution :**

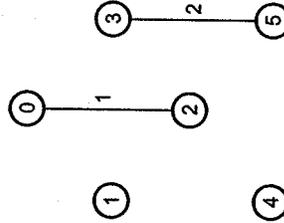
**Step 1 :** Select edge 0-2



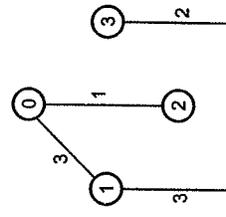
**Step 3 :** Select edge 0-1



**Step 2 :** Select edge 3-5



**Step 4 :** Select edge 1-4



**Step 5 :** Select edge 2-5

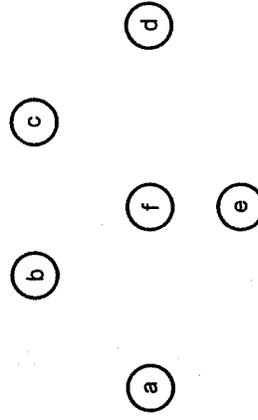
This is required minimum spanning tree with total path length = 13

**Example 5.7.13** Find out the minimum spanning tree using Kruskal algorithm for given graph.

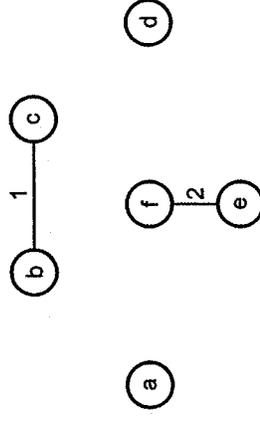
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**Solution :**

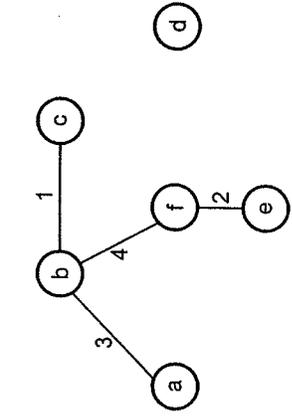
**Step 1 :**



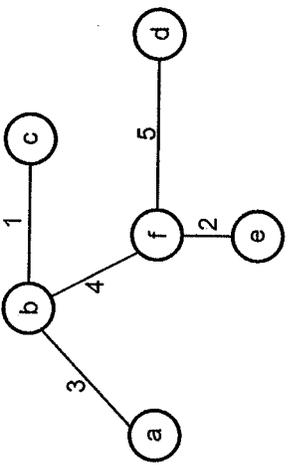
**Step 3 :**



Step 5 :



Step 6 :



Total Path Length = 15

5.7.3 Algorithm

**Algorithm** spanning\_tree()  
**//Problem Description** : This algorithm finds the minimum spanning tree using Kruskal's algorithm  
**//Input** : The adjacency matrix graph G containing cost  
**//Output** : prints the spanning tree with the total cost of spanning tree

```

count ← 0
k ← 0
sum ← 0
for i ← 0 to tot_nodes do
 parent[i] ← i
while (count != tot_nodes - 1) do
 pos ← Minimum(tot_edges) // finding the minimum cost edge
 if (pos == -1) then // Perhaps no node in the graph
 break
 v1 ← G[pos].v1
 v2 ← G[pos].v2
 i ← Find(v1, parent)
 j ← Find(v2, parent)
 if (i == j) then
 {
 tree[k][0] ← v1
 // storing the minimum edge in array tree[]
 tree[k][1] ← v2
 k++
 count++
 sum + ← G[pos].cost
 // accumulating the total cost of tree
 }
 }

```

tree [ ] [ ] is an array in which the spanning tree edges are stored.

Computing total cost of all the minimum distances.

```

Union(i,j,parent);
}
G[pos].cost = INFINITY
}
if (count == tot_nodes - 1) then
{
 for i ← 0 to tot_nodes - 1
 {
 write(tree[i][0], tree[i][1])
 }
 write("Cost of Spanning Tree is ")
}
}

```

C function

```

void spanning_tree()
{
 int count, k, v1, v2, i, j, tree[10][10], pos, parent[10];
 int sum;
 void Find(int v2, int parent[]);
 void Union(int i, int j, int parent[]);
 count = 0;
 k = 0;
 sum = 0;
 for (i = 0; i < tot_nodes; i++)
 parent[i] = i;
 while (count != tot_nodes - 1)
 {
 pos = Minimum(tot_edges); // finding
 if (pos == -1) // Perhaps no node in the
 v1 = G[pos].v1;
 v2 = G[pos].v2;
 i = Find(v1, parent);
 j = Find(v2, parent);
 if (i == j)
 {
 tree[k][0] = v1; // storing the min
 tree[k][1] = v2;
 k++;
 count++;
 sum + = G[pos].cost; // accumulati
 Union(i, j, parent);
 }
 G[pos].cost = INFINITY;
 }
}

```

```

printf("\n Spanning tree is...");
printf("\n-----\n");
for(i=0 ; i<tot_nodes-1 ; i++)
{
 printf("%d",tree[i][0]);
 printf(" - ");
 printf("%d",tree[i][1]);
 printf("\n");
}
printf("\n-----");
printf("\nCost of Spanning Tree is = %d",sum);
}
else
{
 printf("There is no Spanning Tree");
}
}

```

### Analysis

The efficiency of Kruskal's algorithm is  $\Theta(|E| \log |E|)$  where  $E$  is total number of edges in the graph.

### C Program

```

/*****
Implementation of Kruskal's Algorithm
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#define INFINITY 999
typedef struct Graph
{
 int v1;
 int v2;
 int cost;
}GR;
GR G[20];
int tot_edges,tot_nodes;
void create();
void spanning_tree();
int Minimum(int);
void main()
{
 printf("\n\t Graph Creation by adjacency matrix ");
 create();
}

```

```

void create()
{
 int k;
 printf("\n Enter Total number of nodes: ");
 scanf("%d",&tot_nodes);
 printf("\n Enter Total number of edges: ");
 scanf("%d",&tot_edges);
 for(k=0;k<tot_edges;k++)
 {
 printf("\n Enter Edge in (V1 V2)form ");
 scanf("%d%d",&G[k].v1,&G[k].v2);
 printf("\n Enter Corresponding Cost ");
 scanf("%d",&G[k].cost);
 }
}
void spanning_tree()
{
 int count,k,v1,v2,i,j,tree[10][10],pos,parent[10];
 int sum;
 int Find(int v2,int parent[]);
 void Union(int i,int j,int parent[]);
 count=0;
 k=0;
 sum=0;
 for(i=0;i<tot_nodes;i++)
 parent[i] = i;
 while(count!=tot_nodes-1)
 {
 pos=Minimum(tot_edges);//finding the
 if(pos==-1)//Perhaps no node in the gr
 v1 = G[pos].v1;
 v2 = G[pos].v2;
 i=Find(v1,parent);
 j=Find(v2,parent);
 if(i=j)
 {
 tree[k][0]=v1;//storing the minimum
 tree[k][1]=v2;
 k++;
 count++;
 sum += G[pos].cost;//accumulating
 Union(i,j,parent);
 }
 G[pos].cost = INFINITY;
 }
}

```

**Output**

Graph Creation by adjacency matrix

Enter Total number of nodes: 4

Enter Total number of edges: 5

Enter Edge in (V1 V2)form 1 2

Enter Corresponding Cost 2

Enter Edge in (V1 V2)form 1 4

Enter Corresponding Cost 1

Enter Edge in (V1 V2)form 1 3

Enter Corresponding Cost 3

Enter Edge in (V1 V2)form 2 3

Enter Corresponding Cost 3

Enter Edge in (V1 V2)form 4 3

Enter Corresponding Cost 5

Spanning tree is...

[1 - 4][1 - 2][1 - 3]

Cost of Spanning Tree is = 6

**Examples For Practice**

**Example 5.7.14** Find out minimum cost spanning

| Edge                               | Cost |
|------------------------------------|------|
| (V <sub>1</sub> , V <sub>7</sub> ) | 1    |
| (V <sub>3</sub> , V <sub>4</sub> ) | 3    |
| (V <sub>2</sub> , V <sub>7</sub> ) | 4    |
| (V <sub>3</sub> , V <sub>7</sub> ) | 9    |
| (V <sub>2</sub> , V <sub>3</sub> ) | 15   |

```

printf("\n Spanning tree is...");
printf("\n-----\n");
for(i=0 ; i<tot_nodes-1;i++)
{
 printf("[%d",tree[i][0]);
 printf(" - ");
 printf("%d",tree[i][1]);
 printf("]");
}
printf("\n-----");
printf("\nCost of Spanning Tree is = %d",sum);
}
else
{
 printf("There is no Spanning Tree");
}
}
int Minimum(int n)
{
 int i,small,pos;
 small = INFINITY;
 pos=-1;
 for(i=0 ; i<n;i++)
 {
 if(G[i].cost<small)
 {
 small=G[i].cost;
 pos=i;
 }
 }
 return pos;
}
int Find(int v2,int parent[])
{
 while(parent[v2] != v2)
 {
 v2=parent[v2];
 }
 return v2;
}
void Union(int i,int j,int parent[])
{
 if(i<j)
 parent[j]=i;
}

```

**Example 5.7.15** Find MST using Prim's algorithm.

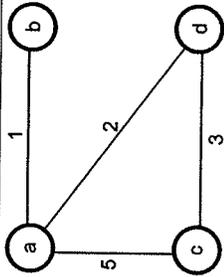


Fig. 5.7.13

**Review Questions**

1. Give and explain the Prim's algorithm to find out minimum spanning tree with illustration. **GTU : Winter-10, Marks 7**
2. Give and explain the Kruskal's algorithm to find out minimum spanning tree with illustration. **GTU : Winter-10, Marks 7**
3. Write and analyze Prim's algorithm to generate minimum spanning tree. **GTU : June-11, Marks 4**
4. Define Minimal Spanning Tree (MST). Explain Kruskal's Algorithm to find MST with example. **GTU : June-12, Marks 7**
5. Mention applications of minimum spanning tree. **GTU : Summer-15, Marks 2**

**5.8 Graphs : Shortest Path**

**GTU : June-11, Summer-12, Winter-14,18, Marks 7**

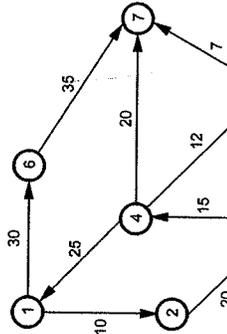
Many times, Graph is used to represent the distances between the two cities. Everybody is often interested in moving from one city to other as quickly as possible. The single source shortest path is based on this interest.

In single source shortest path problem the shortest distance from a single vertex called source is obtained. This shortest path algorithm is called Dijkstra's shortest path algorithm.

Let  $G(V, E)$  be a graph, then in single source shortest path the shortest paths from vertex  $v_0$  to all remaining vertex is determined. The vertex  $v_0$  is then called as source and the last vertex is called destination.

It is assumed that all the distances are positive. This algorithm does not work for negative distances.

**Example :** Consider a graph G as given below.



We will start from source vertex 1. Hence set S  
Now shortest distance from vertex 1 is 10. i.e. 1  
From vertex 2 the next vertex chosen is 3.

- {1, 2} = 10
- {1, 3} = ∞
- {1, 5} = ∞
- {1, 6} = ∞
- {1, 7} = ∞

Now

- {1, 2, 3} = 30
- {1, 2, 4} = ∞
- {1, 2, 7} = ∞
- {1, 2, 5} = ∞
- {1, 2, 6} = ∞

Hence select 3.

∴ S[3] = 1

Now

- {1, 2, 3, 4} = 45
- {1, 2, 3, 5} = 35
- {1, 2, 3, 6} = ∞
- {1, 2, 3, 7} = ∞

Hence select next vertex as 5.

∴ S[5] = 1

Now

- {1, 2, 3, 5, 6} = ∞
- {1, 2, 3, 5, 7} = 42

Hence vertex 7 will be selected. In single source shortest path algorithm, the shortest path from vertex 1 to vertex 7 then we have achieved shortest path 1 - 2 - 3 - 5 - 7

The single source shortest path from each vertex is summarised below -

|               |    |
|---------------|----|
| 1, 2          | 10 |
| 1, 2, 3       | 30 |
| 1, 2, 3, 4    | 45 |
| 1, 2, 3, 5    | 35 |
| 1, 2, 3, 4, 7 | 65 |
| 1, 2, 3, 5, 7 | 42 |
| 1, 6          | 30 |
| 1, 6, 7       | 65 |

**Example 5.8.1** Solve the following instances of single-source shortest path problem with vertex *a* as source. **GTU : Winter-14, Marks 7**

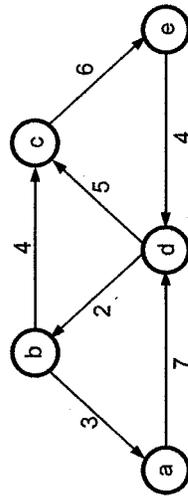


Fig. 5.8.2

**Solution :** We will find the distances from source *a* to every other vertices. We write the distances in **destination (source minimum distance)** form.

|                 |                                                         |  |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------------------------|--|
| <i>a</i> (-, 0) | $b(a, \infty), c(a, \infty)$<br>$d(a, 7), e(a, \infty)$ |  |
| <i>d</i> (a, 7) | $b(d, 9), c(d, 12)$<br>$e(d, \infty)$                   |  |

*b*(d, 9)  
 $\min[c(b, 13), c(d, 12)]$   
 $= c(d, 12)$   
 $e(b, \infty)$



*c*(d, 12)  
 $e(c, 18)$



Thus from source *a* to all other remaining vertices

|                      |           |
|----------------------|-----------|
| <i>a</i> to <i>b</i> | (a-d-b)   |
| <i>a</i> to <i>c</i> | (a-d-c)   |
| <i>a</i> to <i>d</i> | (a-d)     |
| <i>a</i> to <i>e</i> | (a-d-c-e) |

**Example 5.8.2** Find single source shortest path using

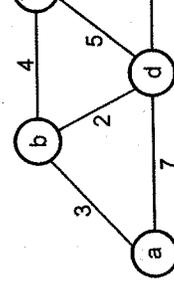


Fig. 5.8.3

**Solution :**

**Step 1 :** Source = { *a* }, Target = { *b, c, d, e* }

$d(a, b) = 3$     $d(a, c) = \infty$

$d(a, d) = 7$     $d(a, e) = \infty$

The  $d(a, b) = 3$  is minimum

**Step 2 :** Source = {a, b}, Target = {c, d, e}

$$d(a, c) = 3 + 4$$

$$= 7d$$

$$d(a, d) = d(a, b) + d(b, d)$$

$$= 3 + 2 = 5$$

$$d(a, e) = \infty$$

The  $d(a, d) = 5$  is minimum distance. Hence select vertex  $d$ .

**Step 3 :** Source = {a, b, d}, Target = {c, e}

$$d(a, c) = 7$$

$$d(a, e) = d(a, d) + d(d, e) = 5 + 4 = 9$$

The  $d(a, c) = 7$  is minimum

$\therefore$  Select vertex  $c$

**Step 4 :** Source = {a, b, d, c}, Target = {e}

$$d(a, e) = 9$$

**Step 5 :** Thus we obtain single source shortest paths for all other vertices. The shortest path  $a-e = 5$  i.e.  $a-d-e$ .

### 5.8.1 Algorithm

The algorithm for single source shortest path is given as

**Algorithm** Single\_Short\_Path( p, cost, Dist, n)

```
{
// cost is an adjacency matrix storing cost of each edge i.e. cost[1 : n, 1 : n]. Given
// graph can be represented by cost.
// Dist is a set that stores the shortest path from the source vertex 'p' to any other
// vertex in the graph.
// S stores all the visited vertices of graph. It is of Boolean type array.
// initially
for i ← 1 to n do
{
S[i] ← 0;
Dist ← cost[p, i];
}
S[p] ← 1 // set pth vertex to true in array S and i.e. put p in S
Dist[p] ← 0;
for val ← 2 to n-2 do
```

Choose  $q$  from the vertices that are not visited distance.

```
Dist[q] = min{Dist[i];
```

```
S[q] ← 1 // put q in S
```

/\* update the Distance values of the other nodes

for (all node  $r$  adjacent to  $q$  with  $S[r] = 0$ ) **d**

```
if (Dist[r] > (Dist[q] + cost[p, q])) then
```

```
Dist[r] ← Dist[q] + Dist[p, q];
```

```
}
```

```
}
```

### 5.8.2 Analysis

Time Complexity of the algorithm:

- The 1st for-loop clearly takes  $O(n)$  time
- Choosing  $q$  takes  $O(n)$  time, because it involves scanning all nodes.
- The innermost for-loop for updating Dist it takes  $O(n)$  time.
- Therefore, the for-loop iterating over val takes  $O(n^2)$  time.

Thus, single source shortest path takes  $O(n^2)$  time.

### 5.8.3 C Program

```

/*****
This program is for implementing Dijkstra's single source shortest path algorithm.
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#define infinity 999
int path[10];
void main()
{
int tot_nodes, i, j, cost[10][10], dist[10], s[10];
void create(int tot_nodes, int cost[10][10]);
void Dijkstra(int tot_nodes, int cost[10][10], int i, int j);
void display(int i, int j, int dist[10]);
clrscr();
printf("\n\n\t\t Creation of graph ");
printf("\n Enter total number of nodes ");
scanf("%d", &tot_nodes);
create(tot_nodes, cost);
for(i=0; i<tot_nodes; i++)

```

```

 printf("\n\n\t\t When Source = %d\n", i);
 for(j=0; j<tot_nodes; j++)
 {
 Dijkstra(tot_nodes, cost, i, dist);
 if(dist[j] == infinity)
 printf("\n There is no path to %d\n", j);
 else
 {
 display(i, j, dist);
 }
 }
}

void create(int tot_nodes, int cost[][10])
{
 int i, j, val, tot_edges, count=0;
 for(i=0; i<tot_nodes; i++)
 {
 for(j=0; j<tot_nodes; j++)
 {
 if(i==j)
 cost[i][j]=0; //diagonal elements are 0
 else
 cost[i][j] = infinity;
 }
 }

 printf("\n Total number of edges ");
 scanf("%d", &tot_edges);
 while(count<tot_edges)
 {
 printf("\n Enter V1 and V2");
 scanf("%d%d", &i, &j);
 printf("\n Enter the cost along this edge ");
 scanf("%d", &val);
 cost[j][i] = val;
 cost[i][j] = val;
 count++;
 }
}

void Dijkstra(int tot_nodes, int cost[10][10], int source, int
dist[])
{
 int i, j, v1, v2, min_dist;
 int s[10];
 for(i=0; i<tot_nodes; i++)

```

```

 s[i]=0; //distance from source vertex to
 //i is varied for each vertex
 path[i] = source; //all the sources are pu
}
s[source] = 1;
for(i=1; i<tot_nodes; i++)
{
 min_dist = infinity;
 v1=-1; //reset previous value of v1
 for(j=0; j<tot_nodes; j++)
 {
 if(s[j] == 0)
 {
 if(dist[j]<min_dist)
 {
 min_dist = dist[j]; //finding mini
 v1=j;
 }
 }
 }
 s[v1]=1;
 for(v2=0; v2<tot_nodes; v2++)
 {
 if(s[v2]==0)
 {
 if(dist[v1]+cost[v1][v2]<dist[v2])
 {
 dist[v2] = dist[v1]+cost[v1]
 path[v2] = v1;
 }
 }
 }
}

void display(int source, int destination, int dist[])
{
 int i;
 getch();
 printf("\n Step by Step shortest path is...\n");
 for(i=destination; i!=source; i = path[i])
 {
 printf("%d<-", i);
 }
 printf("%d", i);
 printf("\n The length = %d", dist[destination]);
}

```

Output

Creation of graph

Enter total number of nodes 5

Total number of edges 7

Enter  $V_i$  and  $V_j$  0 1

Enter the cost along this edge 4

Enter  $V_i$  and  $V_j$  0 2

Enter the cost along this edge 8

Enter  $V_i$  and  $V_j$  1 2

Enter the cost along this edge 1

Enter  $V_i$  and  $V_j$  1 3

Enter the cost along this edge 3

Enter  $V_i$  and  $V_j$  2 3

Enter the cost along this edge 7

Enter  $V_i$  and  $V_j$  2 4

Enter the cost along this edge 3

Enter  $V_i$  and  $V_j$  3 4

Enter the cost along this edge 8

Press any key to continue...

When Source = 0

Step by Step shortest path is...

0 The length = 0

Step by Step shortest path is...

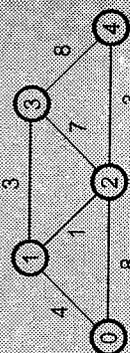
1 <- 0 The length = 4

Step by Step shortest path is...

2 <- 1 <- 0 The length = 5

Step by Step shortest path is...

The input graph is



Press any key to continue...

When Source = 1

Step by Step shortest path is...

0 <- 1 The length = 4

Step by Step shortest path is...

1 The length = 0

Step by Step shortest path is...

2 <- 1 The length = 1

Step by Step shortest path is...

3 <- 1 The length = 3

Step by Step shortest path is...

4 <- 2 <- 1 The length = 4

Press any key to continue...

When Source = 2

Step by Step shortest path is...

0 <- 1 <- 2 The length = 5

Step by Step shortest path is...

1 <- 2 The length = 1

Step by Step shortest path is...

2 The length = 0

Step by Step shortest path is...

3 <- 1 <- 2 The length = 4

Step by Step shortest path is...

4 <- 2 The length = 3

Press any key to continue...

When Source = 3

Step by Step shortest path is...

0 <- 1 <- 3 The length = 7

Step by Step shortest path is...

1 <- 3 The length = 3

Step by Step shortest path is...

2 <- 1 <- 3 The length = 4

Step by Step shortest path is...

3 The length = 0

Step by Step shortest path is...

4 <- 2 <- 1 <- 3 The length = 7

Press any key to continue...

When Source = 4

Step by Step shortest path is...

0 <- 1 <- 2 <- 4 The length = 8

Step by Step shortest path is...

- 2 < - 4 The length = 3
- Step by Step shortest path is...
- 3 < - 1 < - 2 < - 4 The length = 7
- Step by Step shortest path is...
- 4 The length = 0

**Review Questions**

1. Design and explain Dijkstra's shortest path algorithm. **GTU : June-11, Marks 5**
2. Explain Dijkstra's algorithm to find minimum distance of all nodes from a given node. (Greedy algorithm) **GTU : Summer-12, Marks 6**

**5.9 Knapsack Problem**

**GTU : June-11, Summer-17,18, Winter-19, Marks 7**

The Knapsack problem can be stated as follows.

Suppose there are n objects from i = 1, 2, ... n. Each object i has some positive weight  $w_i$  and some profit value is associated with each object which is denoted as  $p_i$ . This Knapsack carry at the most weight W.

While solving above mentioned Knapsack problem we have the capacity constraint.

When we try to solve this problem using Greedy approach our goal is,

1. Choose only those objects that give maximum profit.

2. The total weight of selected objects should be  $\leq W$ .

And then we can obtain the set of feasible solutions. In other words,

$$\text{maximized } \sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \text{ subject to } \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \leq W$$

Where the Knapsack can carry the fraction  $x_i$  of an object i such that  $0 \leq x_i \leq 1$  and  $1 \leq i \leq n$ .

**Example 5.9.1** Consider knapsack capacity  $W = 50$ ,  $W = (10, 20, 40)$  and  $V = (60, 80, 100)$ . Find maximum profit using greedy approach. **GTU : Summer-17, Marks 7**

**Solution :** We will first find the feasible solutions. From these feasible solutions we choose the solution that gives us maximum profit. For obtaining feasible solution we use 3 approaches, these are -

- 1) Select object with maximum profit
- 2) Select object with minimum weight
- 3) Select object with maximum  $P/W$  or  $V/W$  ratio

**Method 1 :** Select object with maximum profit

|        |    |
|--------|----|
| Object | 1  |
| V      | 60 |
| W      | 10 |

| Selected object | Profit |
|-----------------|--------|
| $x_3$           | 100    |
| $x_1$           | 60     |

Hence maximum profit = 160 with solution

**Method 2 :** Select object with minimum weight

| Selected object | Profit                   |
|-----------------|--------------------------|
| $x_1$           | 60                       |
| $x_2$           | 80                       |
| $x_3$           | $100 * \frac{1}{2} = 50$ |

Hence solution is  $\left( x_1, x_2, \frac{x_3}{2} \right)$  with total profit

**Method 3 :** Select object with maximum  $V/W$

|       |       |
|-------|-------|
| V / W | $x_1$ |
|       | 6     |

| Selected object | Profit                   | Weight                  |
|-----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| $x_1$           | 60                       | 10                      |
| $x_2$           | 80                       | 20                      |
| $x_3$           | $100 * \frac{1}{2} = 50$ | $40 * \frac{1}{2} = 20$ |

Hence solution is  $\left( x_1, x_2, \frac{x_3}{2} \right)$  with total profit

**Example 5.9.2**

Solve the following knapsack problem

Solution : Let, the given data be -

| Item       | $x_1$ | $x_2$ | $x_3$ | $x_4$ | $x_5$ |
|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Profit (p) | 1     | 2     | 3     | 4     | 5     |
| Weight (w) | 50    | 40    | 30    | 20    | 10    |
| P/w        | 0.02  | 0.05  | 0.1   | 0.2   | 0.5   |

Method 1 : Maximum profit object.

| Item selected | Profit | Weight | Remaining Weight |
|---------------|--------|--------|------------------|
| $x_5$         | 5      | 10     | 100 - 10 = 90    |
| $x_4$         | 4      | 20     | 90 - 20 = 70     |
| $x_3$         | 3      | 30     | 70 - 30 = 40     |
| $x_2$         | 2      | 40     | 40 - 40 = 0      |

Total profit = 14

Total weight = 100

Method 2 : Minimum weight object.

| Item selected | Profit | Weight | Remaining Weight |
|---------------|--------|--------|------------------|
| $x_5$         | 5      | 10     | 100 - 10 = 90    |
| $x_4$         | 4      | 20     | 90 - 20 = 70     |
| $x_3$         | 3      | 30     | 70 - 30 = 40     |
| $x_2$         | 2      | 40     | 40 - 40 = 0      |

Total profit = 14

Total weight = 100

Method 3 : Maximum profit / weight ration.

| Item selected | Profit | Weight | Remaining Weight |
|---------------|--------|--------|------------------|
| $x_5$         | 5      | 10     | 100 - 10 = 90    |
| $x_4$         | 4      | 20     | 90 - 20 = 70     |
| $x_3$         | 3      | 30     | 70 - 30 = 40     |
| $x_2$         | 2      | 40     | 40 - 40 = 0      |

and Total weight = 100

Thus the solution to this problem is  $(x_5, x_4, x_3, x_2)$ .  
**Example 5.9.3** Consider the instance of the 0/1 knapsack problem depicting the value and W depicting the weight carrying capacity of knapsack. Find weight carrying capacity of knapsack. Also write the time complexity of greedy technique.  
 $P = [40, 10, 50, 30, 60]$ ,  $W = [80, 10, 40, 20, 20]$

Solution : Let  $n = 5$  and  $M = 110$  we will first decreasing order of P/W ratio.

|         |                     |    |
|---------|---------------------|----|
| Objects | 1                   | 2  |
| Profit  | 40                  | 10 |
| Weight  | 80                  | 10 |
| P/W     | $\frac{1}{2} = 0.5$ | 1  |

Now each time we will select  $\max\left(\frac{P}{W}\right)$  value

| Object selected                     | Profit |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| 4                                   | 30     |
| 3                                   | 50     |
| 2                                   | 10     |
| 5 Not selected                      | 60     |
| Total profit = 90. Solution remains |        |

From above table, note that we can not select knapsack problem and we can not put fractional

Thus now, total weight = 70  
 total profit = 90

The solution is  $(x_4, x_3, x_2)$ .

**5.9.1 Algorithm**

The algorithm for solving Knapsack problem with Greedy approach is as given below.

**Algorithm Knapsack\_Greedy(W,n)**

```
{
//pi[i] contains the profits of i items such that 1 ≤ i ≤ n
//w[i] contains weights of i items.
//x[i] is the solution vector.
//W is the total size of Knapsack.
for i := 1 to n do
```

**if** (w[i] < W) **then** //capacity of knapsack is a constraint

```
{
x[i] := 1.0;
W = W - w[i];
}
```

**if** (i <= n) **then** x[i] := W/w[i];

This is the basic operation of selecting x[i] lies within for loop. ∴ Time complexity =  $\Theta(n)$ .

**Review Question**

1. What is a fractional knapsack problem? Design and analyze greedy algorithm to solve it.

**GTU : June-11, Marks 5**

**5.10 Job Scheduling Problem**

**GTU : Winter-11, 14, 15, Marks 7**

Consider that there are n jobs that are to be executed. At any time  $t = 1, 2, 3, \dots$  only exactly one job is to be executed. The profits  $\pi_i$  are given. These profits are gained by corresponding jobs. For obtaining feasible solution we should take care that the jobs get completed within their given deadlines.

Let  $n = 4$

| n | $\pi_i$ | $d_i$ |
|---|---------|-------|
| 1 | 70      | 2     |
| 2 | 12      | 1     |
| 3 | 18      | 2     |
| 4 | 35      | 1     |

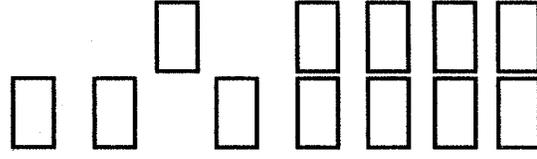
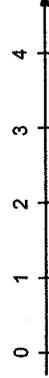
- If job starts before or at its deadline, profit
- Goal is to schedule jobs to maximize the total profit
- Consider all possible schedules and compare them to find the best one.

Consider the Time line as



The feasible solutions are obtained by various

| n   |
|-----|
| 1   |
| 2   |
| 3   |
| 4   |
| 1,3 |
| 2,1 |
| 2,3 |
| 3,1 |
| 4,1 |
| 4,3 |



Each job takes only one unit of time. Deadline of job means a time on which or before which the job has to be executed. The sequence {2,4} is not allowed because both have deadline 1. If job 2 is started at 0 it will be completed on 1 but we cannot start job 4 on 1 since deadline of job 4 is 1. The feasible sequence is a sequence that allows all jobs in a sequence to be executed within their deadlines and highest profit can be gained.

- The optimal solution is a feasible solution with maximum profit.
- In above example sequence 3,2 is not considered as  $d_3 > d_2$  but we have considered the sequence 2,3 as feasible solution because  $d_2 < d_3$ .
- We have chosen job 1 first then we have chosen job 4. The solution 4,1 is feasible as the order of execution is 4 then 1. Also  $d_4 < d_1$ . If we try {1,3,4} then it is not a feasible solution, hence reject 3 from the set. Similarly if we add job 2 in the sequence then the sequence becomes {1,2,4}. This is also not a feasible solution hence reject it. Finally the feasible sequence is 4,1. This sequence is optimum solution as well.

**Example 5.10.1** Using greedy algorithm find an optimal schedule for following jobs with

$n = 7$  profits:  $(P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4, P_5, P_6, P_7) = (3, 5, 18, 20, 6, 1, 38)$  and deadline  $(d_1, d_2, d_3, d_4, d_5, d_6, d_7) = (1, 3, 3, 4, 1, 2, 1)$

GTU : Winter-11, Marks 7

Solution :

**Step 1 :**

We will arrange the profits  $p_i$  in ascending order. Then corresponding deadlines will appear.

|          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Profit   | 38    | 20    | 18    | 6     | 5     | 3     | 1     |
| Job      | $p_7$ | $p_4$ | $p_3$ | $p_5$ | $p_2$ | $p_1$ | $p_6$ |
| Deadline | 1     | 4     | 3     | 1     | 3     | 1     | 2     |

**Step 2 :**

Create an array  $J[]$  which stores the jobs. Initially  $J[]$  will be

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

$J[]$

**Step 3 :**

First job is  $p_7$ . The deadline for this job is 1 index.

|       |   |   |   |
|-------|---|---|---|
| 1     | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| $p_7$ |   |   |   |

**Step 4 :**

Next job is  $p_4$ . Insert it in array  $J[]$  at index

|       |   |   |       |
|-------|---|---|-------|
| 1     | 2 | 3 | 4     |
| $p_7$ |   |   | $p_4$ |

**Step 5 :**

Next job is  $p_3$ . Its has a deadline 3. Therefore

|       |   |       |       |
|-------|---|-------|-------|
| 1     | 2 | 3     | 4     |
| $p_7$ |   | $p_3$ | $p_4$ |

**Step 6 :** Next job is  $p_5$ , it has deadline 1. But empty slot at index  $< J[1]$ . Hence just discarded.

**Step 7 :** Next job is  $p_2$ . Its has a deadline 3. Therefore insert it at index 2

|       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1     | 2     | 3     | 4     |
| $p_7$ | $p_2$ | $p_3$ | $p_4$ |

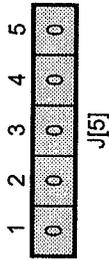
**Step 8 :** Thus we now obtain the job sequence

**Example 5.10.2** Using greedy algorithm find an

$n = 5$  profits :  $(P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4, P_5) = (3, 5, 18, 20, 3)$   
 $(d_1, d_2, d_3, d_4, d_5) = (1, 3, 3, 4, 1)$

**Solution : Step 1 :** We will arrange profits  $P_i$  deadlines are also mentioned.

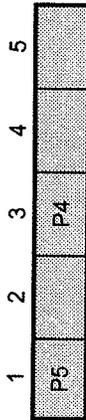
|          |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Profit   | 38    | 20    | 18    | 6     | 5     | 3     |
| Job      | $p_7$ | $p_4$ | $p_3$ | $p_5$ | $p_2$ | $p_1$ |
| Deadline | 1     | 4     | 3     | 1     | 3     | 1     |



**Step 3 :** Add  $i^{th}$  job in array J [ ] at index denoted by its deadline Di. First job is P5 in array J [ ] at 1<sup>st</sup> index, because its deadline is 1.

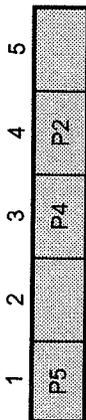


**Step 4 :** Next job is P4. Insert it at index 3.



**Step 5 :** Next job is P3, but its deadline is 3 and it is not possible to insert P3 at 3. Hence just discard it.

**Step 6 :** Insert P<sub>2</sub> at 4<sup>th</sup> index as deadline of P<sub>2</sub> is 4.



**Step 7 :** Just discard P1 whose deadline is 1.

**Step 8 :** Thus we now obtain the job sequence as 5-4-2 with profit of 63.

**Example 5.10.3** Using greedy algorithm find an optimal schedule for following jobs with  $n = 6$ .

Profits : (P1, P2, P3, P4, P5, P6) = (20, 15, 10, 7, 5, 3)

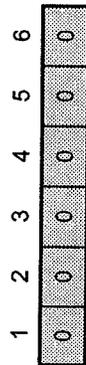
Deadline : (d1, d2, d3, d4, d5, d6) = (3, 1, 1, 3, 1, 3)

**Solution :**

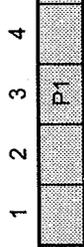
**Step 1 :** We will arrange the profits P<sub>i</sub> in descending order. Then corresponding deadlines will appear.

|          |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Profit   | 20 | 15 | 10 | 7  | 5  | 3  |
| Job      | P1 | P2 | P3 | P4 | P5 | P6 |
| Deadline | 3  | 1  | 1  | 3  | 1  | 3  |

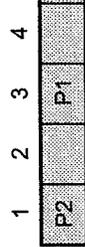
**Step 2 :** Create an array J [ ] which stores the jobs. Initially J [ ] will be



**Step 3 :** Add  $i^{th}$  job in array J [ ] at index denoted by its deadline Di. First job is P1 in array J [ ] at 1<sup>st</sup> index, because its deadline is 1.

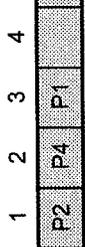


**Step 4 :** Next job is P2. Insert it at index 1 in J [ ] at index 2.



**Step 5 :** Next job is P3 having deadline 1. The array. Hence discard P3.

**Step 6 :** Next job is P4 having deadline 3. The array. Hence discard P3.



**Step 7 :** Next job is P5 whose deadline is 1. The array. Hence discard P5.

**Step 8 :** Thus we now obtain the job sequence as 5-4-2 with profit of 63.

**5.10.1 Algorithm**

The algorithm for job sequencing is as given below.

Algorithm Job\_seq(D,J,n)

```

{
//Problem description : This algorithm is for job sequencing
//D[i] denotes ith deadline where 1 ≤ i ≤ n
//J[i] denotes ith job
//D[J[i]] ≤ D[J[i+1]]
//Initially
D[0] ← 0;
J[0] ← 0;
J[1] ← 1;
count ← 1;
for ← 2 to n do
{

```

```

t ← count;
while (D[J[t]] > D[J[t+1]]) do t ← t - 1;
}
}

```

```

{
 //insertion of ith feasible sequence into J array
 for s ← count to (t+1) step -1 do
 J[s+1] ← J[s];
 J[t+1] ← I;
 count ← count + 1;
 } //end of if
} //end of while
return count;
}

```

The sequence of J will be inserted if and only if  $D[J[t]] = t$ . This also means that the job J will be processed if it is in within the deadline.

The computing time taken by above Job\_seq algorithm is  $O(n^2)$ , because the basic operation of computing sequence in array J is within two nested for loops.

### 5.11 Huffman Code

GTU : Winter-15, Summer-17, Marks 7

The Huffman's algorithm was developed by David. Huffman when he was a Ph.D. student at MIT. This algorithm is basically a coding technique for encoding data. Such an encoded data is used in data compression techniques.

- In Huffman's coding method, the data is inputted as a sequence of characters. Then a table of frequency of occurrence of each character in the data is built.
- From the table of Frequencies **Huffman's tree** is constructed.
- The Huffman's tree is further used for encoding each character, so that binary encoding is obtained for given data.
- In Huffman's tree is further is a specific method of representing each symbol. This method produces a code in such a manner that no code word is **Prefix** of some other code word. Such codes are called **Prefix codes** or **Prefix Free codes**. Thus this method is useful for obtaining optimal data compression.

Let us understand the technique of Huffman's coding with the help of some example.

**Example 5.11.1** Obtain Huffman's encoding for following data

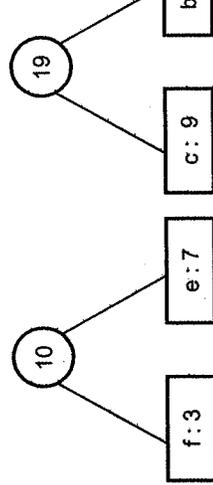
a : 39 b : 10 c : 9 d : 25 e : 7 f : 3

**Solution :** Basically there are two types of **length coding**. If we use fixed length coding represent any character from a to h : We use 3 we will arrange given symbols along with their

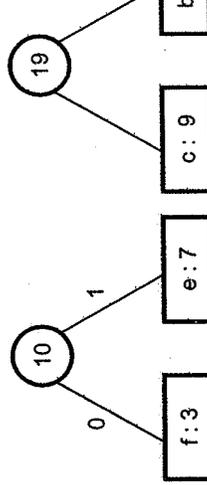
**Step 1 :** The symbols are arranged in ascending



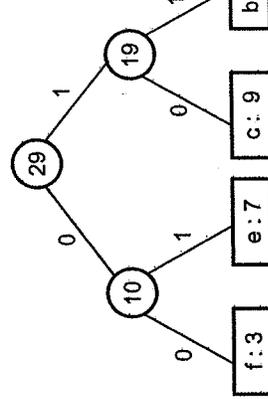
**Step 2 :**



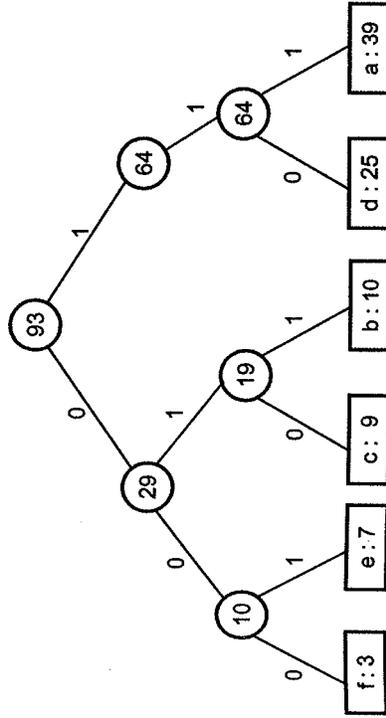
We will encode each of the above branch. down. If we follow the **left branch** then we should the **right branch** then we should encode it as "1



**Step 3 :**



**Step 4 :**



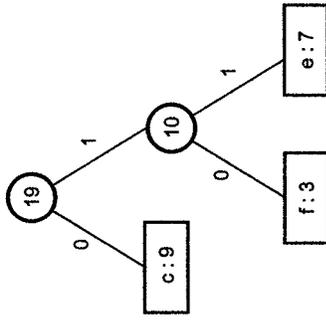
Hence the Huffman's coding with fixed length code will be

Now we will follow some steps to obtain variable length encoding.

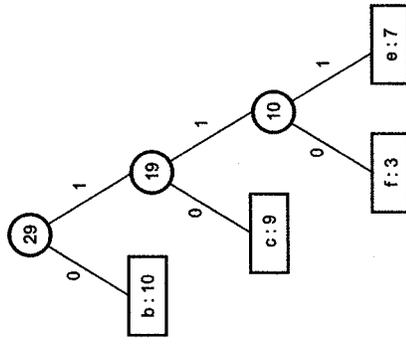
| Symbol | Code word |
|--------|-----------|
| a      | 111       |
| b      | 011       |
| c      | 010       |
| d      | 110       |
| e      | 001       |
| f      | 000       |

If we want to encode a string "aeed" then we get 111001001110 as a code word.

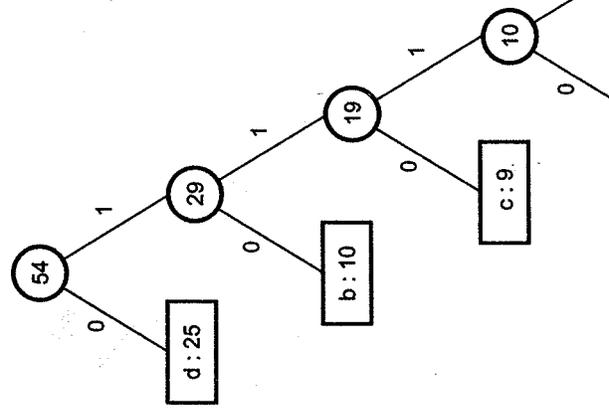
**Step 3 :**



**Step 4 :**



**Step 5 :**



**Step 1 :**



The symbols are arranged in ascending order of frequencies.

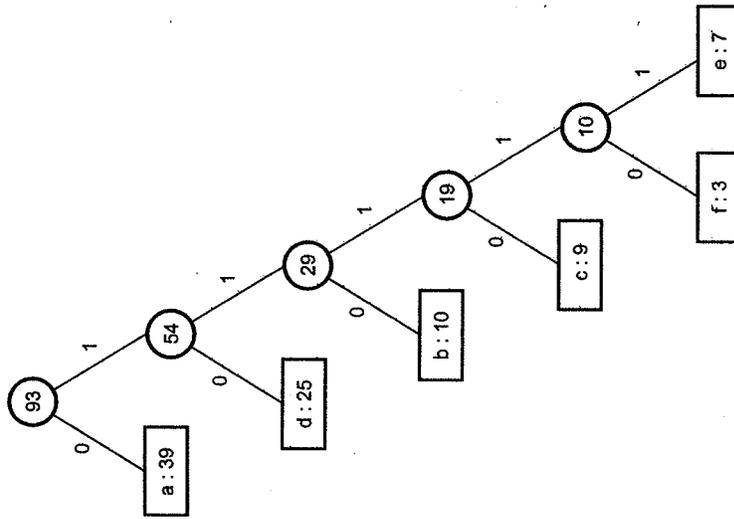
The symbols are arranged in ascending order of frequencies.

|     |     |     |      |      |      |
|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| f:3 | e:7 | c:9 | b:10 | d:25 | a:39 |
|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|

**Step 2 :**



**Step 6 :**



**Fig. 5.11.1 Huffman tree with variable length encoding**

The codewords for each symbol are as given below

Note that the symbol with higher frequency (i.e. which occurs more than often) is having small length codeword i.e. symbol a has a codeword 0 whose length is one. On the contrary, the symbol f has frequency 3, hence its codeword is 11110 i.e. of length 5.

Now we will formulate the number of bits required for both the encoding technique -

$$\text{Total bits required} = \text{Frequency} \times \text{Number of bits used for representation}$$

$\therefore$  **Total bits required in fixed length encoding**

$$\begin{aligned} & (39 \times 3) + (10 \times 3) + (9 \times 3) + (25 \times 3) + (7 \times 3) + (3 \times 3) \\ &= \uparrow \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow \\ & \quad \quad \quad a \quad \quad b \quad \quad c \quad \quad d \quad \quad e \quad \quad f \\ &= 117 + 30 + 27 + 75 + 21 + 9 \\ &= 279\text{-bits} \end{aligned}$$

similarly, Total bits required in variable length encoding

$$\begin{aligned} & (39 \times 1) + (25 \times 2) + (10 \times 3) \\ &= \uparrow \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow \\ & \quad \quad \quad a \quad \quad d \quad \quad b \\ &= 39 + 50 + 30 + 36 + 15 + 35 \\ &= 205\text{-bits} \end{aligned}$$

Clearly variable length encoding requires encoding .

**Merits of variable length encoding**

1. The variable length encoding method, assigns used characters and long code word for infrequent characters.
2. This method is more efficient than fixed length encoding.

**Decoding**

Decoding is an exact reverse procedure of encoding. The leaves represent the character and from the original characters.

**Example 5.11.2** Construct the Huffman tree for the text "DAD-BE" using the above code.

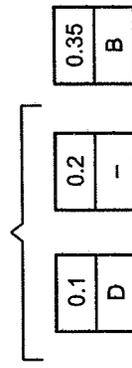
| Character   | A   | B    | C   |
|-------------|-----|------|-----|
| Probability | 0.5 | 0.35 | 0.5 |

Encode text DAD-BE using the above code.

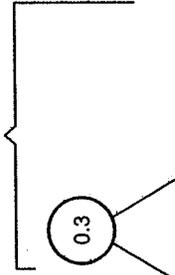
Decode the text 1100110110 using above information.

**Solution : Step 1 :**

We will arrange the characters by ascending order of probability.



**Step 2 :**



The encoding for each character will be

| Character | Code |
|-----------|------|
| A         | 01   |
| B         | 111  |
| C         | 10   |
| D         | 1100 |
| E         | 00   |
| -         | 1101 |

The encoding  
DAD - BE  
1100011100  
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1100110110  
D - C

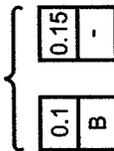
**Example 5.11.3** Why Huffman code is called prefix free the following data :

| Character   | A    | B   |
|-------------|------|-----|
| Probability | 0.35 | 0.1 |

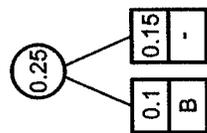
Find codes of A, B, C, D and '-'

Solution :

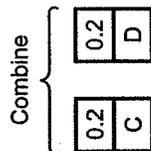
**Step 1 :** We will arrange the characters by ascending order of probabilities



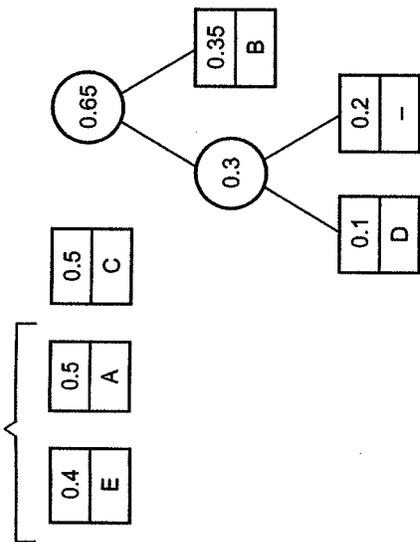
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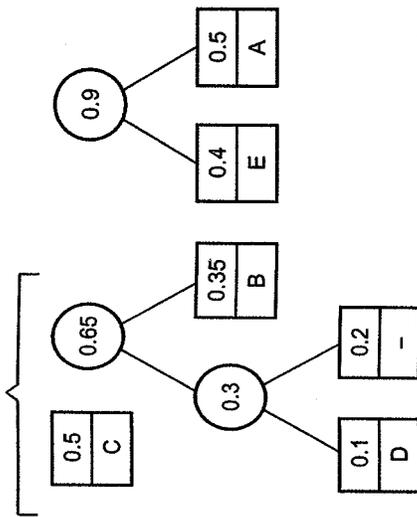
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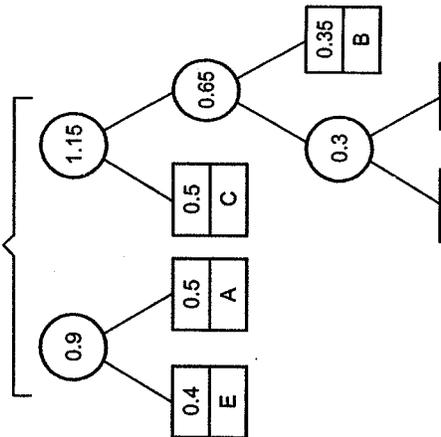
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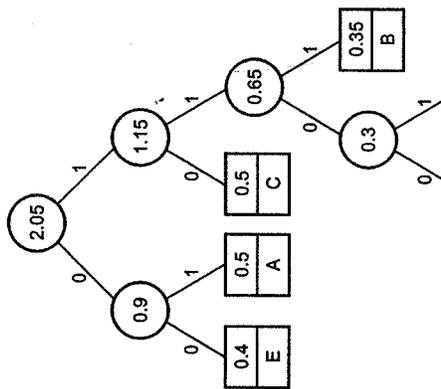
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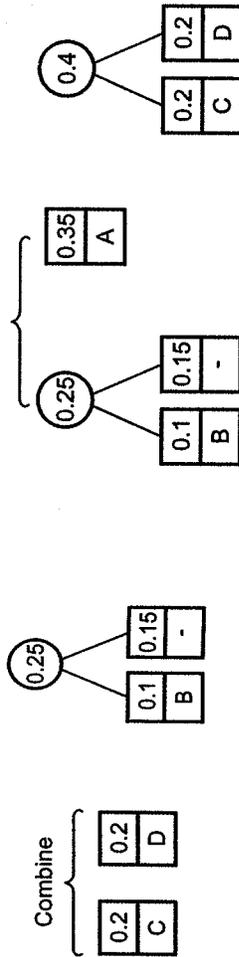
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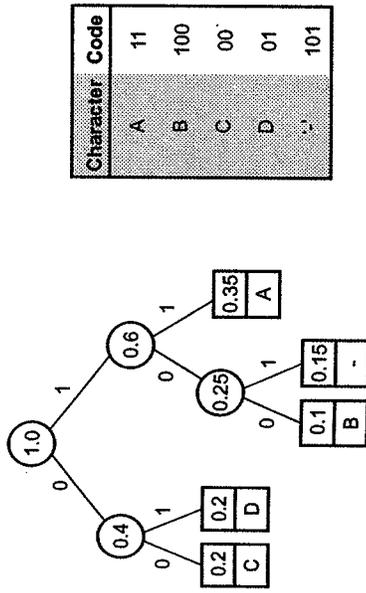
**Step 6 :**



**Step 4 :**



**Step 6 :** We will encode the Huffman's tree created in step 5. The encoding for each character is summarized in the table.



| Character | Code |
|-----------|------|
| A         | 11   |
| B         | 100  |
| C         | 00   |
| D         | 01   |
| -         | 101  |

**Example 5.11.4** Write Huffman code algorithm and Generate Huffman code for following

| Letters   | A  | B  | C  | D | E |
|-----------|----|----|----|---|---|
| Frequency | 24 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 8 |

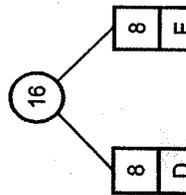
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**Solution :** Huffman code algorithm : Refer section 5.11.1.

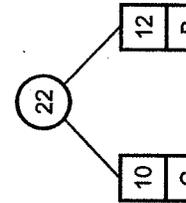
**Example**

| Letters   | A  | B  | C  | D | E |
|-----------|----|----|----|---|---|
| Frequency | 24 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 8 |

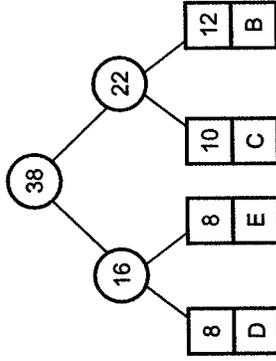
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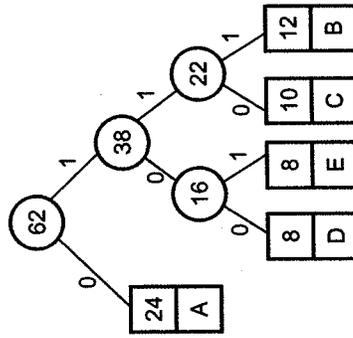
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**Step 3 :**



**Step 4 :**



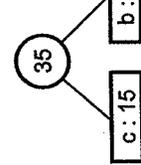
**Step 5 :** Apply codes. The left branch is coded 1.

**Example 5.11.5** Find an optimal Huffman code for the following set of frequency.  $a : 50, b : 20, c : 15, d : 30$ .

**Solution :** We will arrange the characters in ascending order of frequency.

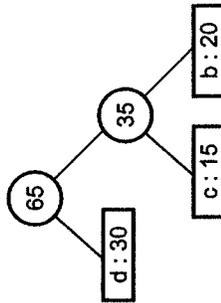
|        |        |        |
|--------|--------|--------|
| c : 15 | b : 20 | d : 30 |
|--------|--------|--------|

**Step 1 :** Remove first two entries from table and



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|--------|---------|--------|
| d : 30 | cb : 35 | a : 50 |
|--------|---------|--------|

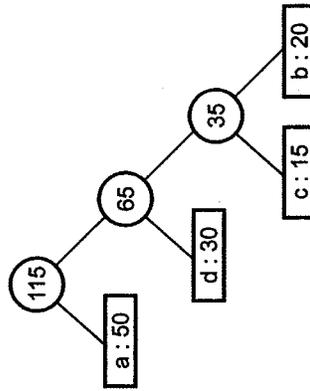
Step 2 : Remove first two entries from the table and form a node.



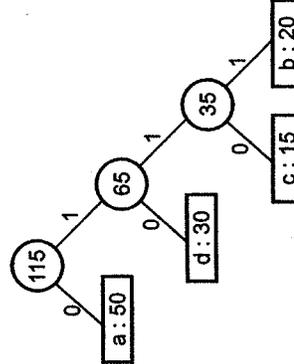
Insert this new entry in table at appropriate position.

|        |          |
|--------|----------|
| a : 50 | cbd : 65 |
|--------|----------|

Step 3 : Remove first two entries from the table and form a node.



Step 4 : We will encode left branch as 0 and right branch as 1.



| Frequency | Code |
|-----------|------|
| a : 50    | 0    |
| b : 20    | 111  |
| c : 15    | 110  |
| d : 30    | 10   |

**5.11.1 Algorithm**

The method which is used to construct optimal Huffman tree is called Huffman coding. This algorithm builds a tree in bottom up manner.

Let, |c| be number of leaves

|c| - 1 are number of operations required to construct Huffman tree

Q be the priority queue which can be used with Huffman coding

**Algorithm Huffman (c)**

```

{
n = |c|
Q = c
for i ← 1 to n - 1
do
{
temp ← get_min(Q)
left[temp] = Get_Min(Q)
right[temp] = Get_Min(Q)
a = left[temp]
b = right[temp]
f[temp] ← f[a] + f[b]
insert(Q, temp)
}
return Get_Min(Q)
}

```

**5.11.2 Analysis**

The Huffman's algorithm requires  $O(\log n)$  time per node.

**Example for Practice**

**Example 5.11.6 :** What is the optimal Huffman code for the following characters based on first 8 Fibonacci numbers?  
 g : 13, h : 21

**5.12 University Questions with Answers**  
 (Regulation 2019)

Winter - 2021

- Q.1** Give the characteristics of greedy algorithm.
- Q.2** Give and explain the Prim's algorithm to find a minimum spanning tree. [Refer section 5.7]

## Summer - 2011

- Q.4** Give the characteristics of greedy algorithms. [Refer section 5.3] [3]
- Q.5** Explain the term - optimal substructure property. [Refer section 5.5] [2]
- Q.6** Write and analyze Prim's algorithm to generate minimum spanning tree. [Refer section 5.7] [4]
- Q.7** Design and explain Dijkstra's shortest path algorithm. [Refer section 5.8] [5]
- Q.8** What is a fractional knapsack problem? Design and analyze greedy algorithm to solve it. [Refer section 5.9] [5]

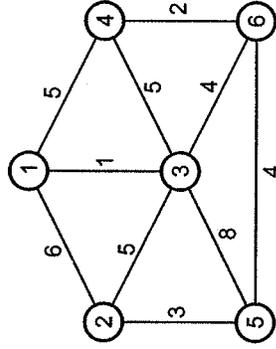
## Summer - 2012

- Q.9** Give the characteristics of greedy algorithms. [Refer section 5.3] [3]
- Q.10** Define Minimal Spanning Tree (MST). Explain Krushkal's Algorithm to find MST with example. [Refer section 5.7] [7]
- Q.11** Explain Dijkstra's algorithm to find minimum distance of all nodes from a given node. (Greedy algorithm) [Refer section 5.7] [6]

## (Regulation 2013)

## Summer - 2017

- Q.12** Explain the difference between greedy and dynamic algorithm. (Refer section 5.3) [3]
- Q.13** Write down the characteristics of greedy algorithm. (Refer section 5.2) [3]
- Q.14** Compute MST using PRIM's Algorithm. (Refer similar example 5.7.5) [4]



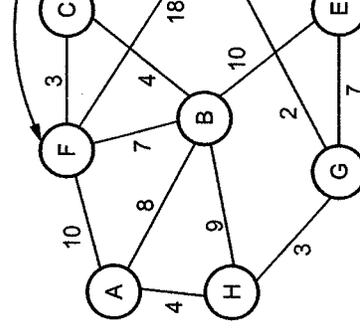
- Q.15** Explain Dijkstra algorithm to find the shortest path. (Refer section 5.8) [3]

## Winter - 2011

- Q.16** Differentiate between greedy method and dynamic programming. (Refer section 5.3) [3]
- Q.17** Prove that the fractional knapsack problem is solvable by greedy method. (Refer section 5.9) [5]
- Q.18** Briefly describe greedy choice property and optimality substructure property. (Refer section 5.5) [3]
- Q.19** Suppose that we have a set of activities  $S = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$  with lecture halls, where any activity can take place in a lecture hall if it does not conflict with any activity already scheduled in that hall. Schedule all the activities using as few lecture halls as possible. (Refer section 5.6) [7]
- Q.20** List applications of a minimum spanning tree. Find minimum spanning tree using Krushkal's algorithm of the following graph. (Refer section 5.7 and similar example 5.7.9) [7]

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- Q.21** Define minimum spanning tree. Find minimum spanning tree using Prim's algorithm. (Refer similar example 5.7.4) [7]



**Summer - 2018**

**Q.22** Discuss general characteristics of greedy method. Mention any two examples of greedy method that we are using in real life.

[4]

**Q.23** Write an algorithm for Huffman code. (Refer section 5.11)

[3]

**Winter - 2018**

**Q.24** Differentiate the Greedy And dynamic algorithm. (Refer section 5.3)

[3]

**5.13 Short Questions and Answers**

**Q.1** State the general principle of Greedy algorithm.

**Ans. :** In Greedy technique, the solution is constructed through a sequence of steps, each expanding partially constructed solution obtained so far, until a complete solution to a problem is reached. At each step the choice of feasible solutions is made. From the set of feasible solutions the optimal solution is selected as the solution to the problem.

**Q.2** State the general characteristics of Greedy algorithm.

**Ans. :** There are two general characteristics of Greedy algorithm -

- Greedy choice property
- Optimal substructure property .

**Q.3** Why is the name Greedy method ?

**Ans. :** The name greedy suggests that for solving the given problem, on each step, the choice made must be feasible, locally optimal and irrevocable. Thus there is always a greed for obtaining optimum solution. This method provides optimal solution directly.

**Q.4** What is feasible solution ?

**Ans. :** For solving the particular problem there exists n inputs and we need to obtain a subset that satisfies some constraints. Then any subset that satisfies these constraints is called feasible solution.

**Q.5** What is an optimal solution ?

**Ans. :** Optimal solution is the best choice selected from the set of feasible solutions. This solution can be minimum or the maximum value of the solution.

**Q.6** Compare feasible and optimal solution.

**Ans. :** While solving the problem using Greedy approach solutions are obtained in number of stages. These solutions satisfy problem's constraints. Such solutions are called feasible solutions. Among the feasible solutions if the best solution (either with

**Q.7** How to get optimal solution ?

**Ans. :** Following are the activities that are performed to get the optimal solution -

- Select some solutions from input domain.
- Then check whether the solution is feasible or not.
- From the set of feasible solutions there exist one solution which nearly satisfies the objective of the function and is called optimal solution.

**Q.8** What is objective function ?

**Ans. :** A feasible solution that either minimizes or maximizes the value of the objective function is called objective function.

**Q.9** What is the drawback of Greedy algorithm ?

**Ans. :** Following are the demerits of greedy method -

- Greedy method is comparatively efficient than other methods as such guarantee of getting optimum solution is not there.
- In greedy method, the optimum selection is not guaranteed.

**Q.10** What is minimum spanning tree ?

**Ans. :** A minimum spanning tree of a weighted undirected graph with minimum or smallest weight.

**Q.11** What is spanning tree ?

**Ans. :** A spanning tree of a graph G is a subgraph of G which contains all the vertices of G containing no circuit.

**Q.12** What are the applications of spanning tree ?

- Spanning trees are very important in network design.
- Spanning trees have wide applications in many areas.

**Q.13** List the algorithms used for minimum spanning tree ?

**Ans. :** 1. Prim's algorithm 2. Kruskal's algorithm

**Q.14** What is the difference between Prim's and Kruskal's algorithm ?

**Ans. :** Prim's algorithm is for obtaining minimum spanning tree from adjacent vertices of already selected vertices.

Kruskal's algorithm is for obtaining minimum spanning tree from all vertices of already selected vertices.

**Ans. :** The time complexity of Prim's algorithm is  $O(|V|^2)$ .

**Q.16 What is the purpose of Dijkstra's algorithm ?**

**Ans. :** The Dijkstra's algorithm is to find the shortest path from a single source vertex. This algorithm works for non negative weights only.

**Q.17 Does Dijkstra's algorithm work for negative weight ?**

**Ans. :** No, Dijkstra's algorithm does not work for negative weights.

**Q.18 Is it possible to solve the 0/1 knapsack problem using greedy approach ?**

**Ans. :** The greedy method is not suitable for solving the 0/1 knapsack problem. This problem can be solved using the dynamic programming method.

**Q.19 What is Job sequencing problem ?**

**Ans. :** Consider that there are  $n$  jobs that are to be executed. At any time  $t = 1, 2, 3, \dots$  only exactly one job is to be executed. The profits  $p_i$  are given. These profits are gained by corresponding jobs. For obtaining feasible solution we should take care that the jobs get completed within their given deadlines.

**Q.20 What is the purpose of Huffman's tree ?**

**Ans. :** The Huffman trees are constructed for encoding a given text of  $n$  characters. While encoding a given text, each character is associated with some bit sequence. Such a bit sequence is called code word.

**Q.21 What is prefix code ?**

**Ans. :** In Huffman's tree is further is a specific method of representing each symbol. This method produces a code in such a manner that no code word is Prefix of some other code word. Such codes are called Prefix codes or Prefix Free codes.

**Q.22 State the applications of Huffman's tree.**

**Ans. :** 1. Huffman encoding is used in file compression algorithm.

2. Huffman's code is used in transmission of data in an encoded form.

3. This encoding is used in game playing method in which decision trees need to be formed.



# 6

## Exploring

### Syllabus

*An introduction using graphs and games, Undirected & Depth first search, Breadth first search, Topological sort*

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**6.1 An Introduction using Graphs and Games**

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Various problems can be formulated using graphs. Graph is a non linear data structure. Game playing applications can be represented using graphs. Consider a game named **Mgrienbad** which is variant of **Nim** (Nim is a popular game which is originated in China). To understand the strategy for this game consider following rules -

1. Initially there is a heap of objects between two players.
2. Each player can pick up the objects alternatively.
3. Each player can pick up at the most twice the number of objects than its opponent and not more than that.
4. Any object is removed from one row at a time.
5. The person who picks up lastly loses. And the opponent wins.
6. There is no draw between two players.

To illustrate this game consider that there are two Players : I and you. The heap of objects is arranged in two rows namely A and B. Following are some instances which shows winning and loosing of two players.

**Instance 1 :**

| A | B | Moves                                        |
|---|---|----------------------------------------------|
| 3 | 2 | I take 1 from B.                             |
| 3 | 1 | You take 2 from A.                           |
| 1 | 1 | I take 1 from A.                             |
| 0 | 1 | You take 1 from B.<br>∴ I win and you loose. |

Because you have picked up lastly.

**Instance 2 :**

| A | B | Moves                                        |
|---|---|----------------------------------------------|
| 3 | 2 | I take 2 from B.                             |
| 3 | 0 | You take 3 from A.<br>∴ I win and you loose. |

**Instance 3 :**

| A | B | Moves                       |
|---|---|-----------------------------|
| 3 | 2 | I take 1 from B.            |
| 3 | 0 | You take 3 from A.          |
| 1 | 0 | I take 1 from A.<br>∴ I win |

**Instance 4 :**

| A | B | Moves                       |
|---|---|-----------------------------|
| 3 | 2 | I take 1 from B.            |
| 2 | 2 | You take 2 from A.          |
| 2 | 1 | I take 1 from B.            |
| 1 | 1 | You take 1 from A.          |
| 1 | 0 | I take 1 from A.<br>∴ I win |

**Instance 5 :**

| A | B | Moves                         |
|---|---|-------------------------------|
| 3 | 2 | I take 1 from B.              |
| 2 | 2 | You take 2 from A.            |
| 2 | 1 | I take 1 from B.              |
| 0 | 1 | You take 1 from B.<br>∴ I win |

These moves can be represented by the graph as follows -

Fig. 6.1.1 graph showing moves in the game - Marienbad. If we assume that I always play first, then the shaded nodes in graph shows that "I win".

**Review Question**

1. Explain with example how games can be formulated using graphs ?

GTU : June-11, Marks 4

**6.2 Concept of Graph**

**Definition of Graph**

A graph is a collection of two sets  $V$  and  $E$  where  $V$  is a finite non empty set of vertices and  $E$  is a finite non empty set of edges.

Vertices are nothing but the nodes in the graph and the two adjacent vertices are joined by edges. The graph is thus a set of two sets. Any graph  $G$  is denoted by

$$G = \{V, E\}.$$

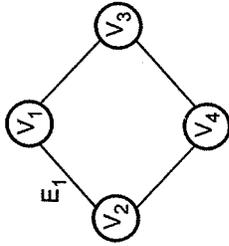


Fig. 6.2.1 Undirected graph

**6.3 Directed and Undirected Graph**

Basically graphs are of two types

1. Directed graphs
2. Undirected graphs.

In the directed graph the directions are shown on the edges. As shown in the Fig. 6.3.1 the edges between the vertices are ordered. In this type of graph, the edge  $E_1$  is in between the vertices  $V_1$  and  $V_2$ . The  $V_1$  is called head and the  $V_2$  is called the tail. Similarly for  $V_1$  head the tail is  $V_3$  and so on.

We can say  $E_1$  is the set of  $(V_1, V_2)$  and not of  $(V_2, V_1)$ .

Similarly, in an undirected graph, the edges are not ordered. See the Fig. 6.3.2 for clear understanding of undirected graph. In this type of graph the edge  $E_1$  is set of  $(V_1, V_2)$  or  $(V_2, V_1)$ .

Similarly the object shown in the Fig. 6.3.2 is a multigraph .

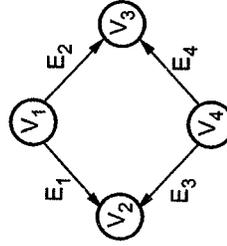
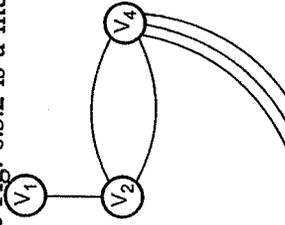


Fig. 6.3.1 Directed graph



**Directed Acyclic Graph (DAG)**

A directed acyclic graph is a directed graph which is used in compilers for identifying the common

**For example**

Consider an expression

$$(a - b) * c + (a - b) * d$$

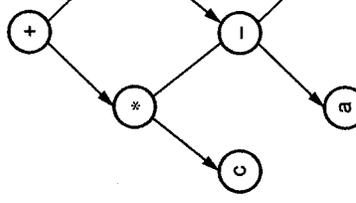
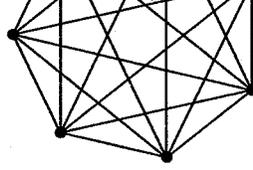


Fig. 6.3.3

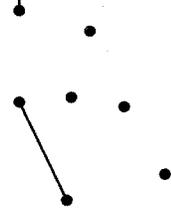
**Dense graph :** The graph which contains many vertices of a graph is called the dense graph.

**For example :** Following graph is a sense graph



**Sparse graph :** The sparse graph is a kind of graph within it.

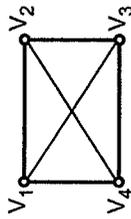
**For example :** Following graph is a sparse graph



**Properties of Graph**

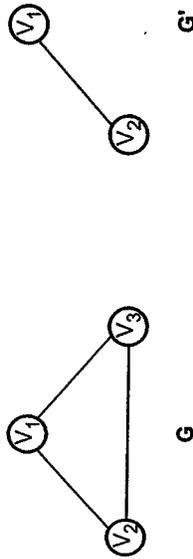
**Complete graph :** If an undirected graph of  $n$  vertices consists of  $n(n - 1)/2$  number of edges then it is called as complete graph.

The graph shown in Fig. 6.3.4 is a complete graph.



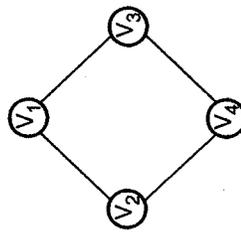
**Fig.6.3.4 A complete graph**

**Subgraph :** A subgraph  $G'$  of graph  $G$  is a graph such that the set of vertices and set of edges of  $G'$  are proper subset of the set of edges of  $G$ .



**Fig. 6.3.5 A subgraph**

**Connected graph :** An undirected graph is said to be connected if for every pair of distinct vertices  $V_i$  and  $V_j$  in  $V(G)$  there is a graph from  $V_i$  to  $V_j$  in  $G$ .



**Fig. 6.3.6 A connected graph**

**6.4 Representation of Graphs**

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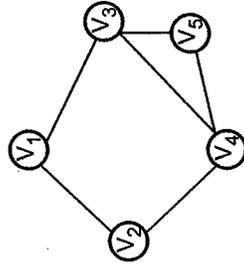
There are several representations of graphs, but we will discuss the two commonly used representations called

- Adjacency matrix
  - Adjacency lists
- Let us see each one by one.

**Adjacency Matrix**

Consider a graph  $G$  of  $n$  vertices and the matrix  $M$ . If there is an edge present

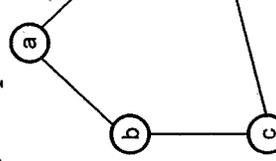
graph if  $M[i][j] = 1$  then for  $M[j][i]$  is also 1. Hence  $M$  is a symmetric matrix.



**Adjacency List**

In the previous sections we have seen how to represent a graph using an adjacency matrix. Mainly we have used arrays to represent a graph. We feel that there should be some flexible data structure for creation of a graph. The type in which the vertices and edges are stored is called adjacency list. So all the advantages of array are still there in this structure. We need not have a prior knowledge of the number of vertices and edges. Actually there are many ways to create an adjacency list. We will discuss some of the methods of adjacency list.

**Method 1 :** As we know the graph is a set of vertices and edges. We will discuss two structures, for vertices and edges respectively.



**Fig. 6.4.1 Graph**

**For example**

Now the above graph have the nodes as a, b, c. The adjacency list of these head nodes as well as the adjacent nodes are as follows.

typedef struct head

{

```

struct head *down;
struct head *next;
}
typedef struct node
{
 int ver;
 struct node *link;
}

```

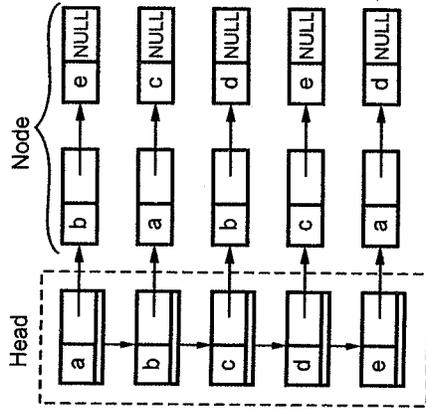


Fig. 6.4.2 Adjacency list

**Explanation :** This is purely the adjacency list graph. The down pointer helps us to go to each node in the graph whereas the next node is for going to adjacent node of each of the head node.

**Method 2 :** In this method of representing the adjacency list, We take mixed data structure. That means instead of taking the head list as a linked list we will take an array of head nodes. So only one 'C' structure will be there representing the adjacent nodes. See the figure representing the adjacency list for the above graph. First, let us see the 'C' structure.

```

typedef struct node1
{
 char vertex;
 struct node1 *next;
}node;
node * head [10]

```

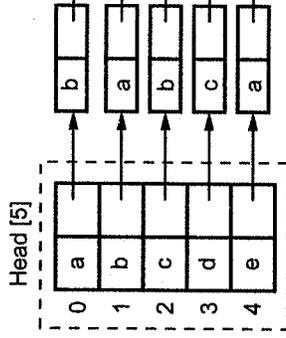


Fig. 6.4.3 Adjacency list

**Explanation :** This is the graph which can be represented as an adjacency list data structures. Array is used to store the head nodes and the same throughout.

**Review Questions**

1. Define the terms : Directed acyclic graph, dense graph, sparse graph.
2. Define graph. Explain types of graph and different ways of representing a graph.

**6.5 Traversing a Graph**

Searching a graph means traversing a graph. There are two commonly used graph searching algorithms.

- Breadth first search
- Depth first search

Let us discuss these algorithms with the help of an example.

**6.5.1 Breadth First Search (BFS)**

Let us define some terminologies in BFS formally.

**Breadth First Forest**

The breadth first forest is a collection of trees in which each tree serves as the root of the first tree in such a forest. A vertex is visited then it is attached as a child to the vertex from which it was visited.

**Algorithm**

**Algorithm BFS(G)**

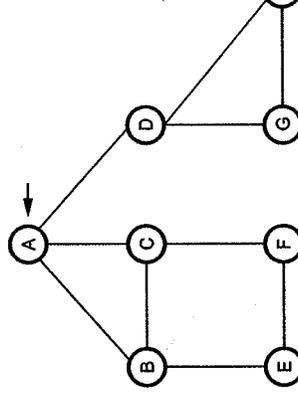
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//Problem Description : This algorithm is for finding
Queue Q: //create a que for storing the adjacent v
// visit | is an array that keeps track of all the vis
//Initially, the visit | is initialized to 0
while (G has an unvisited node) do
{
 v ← an unvisited node;
 visit[v] ← 1;
 en que(v,Q); //add element to the queue
 while (Q is not empty) do
 {
 x ← del que(Q); //delete element from the que
 for (unvisited neighbour y of x) do
 {
 visit[y] ← 1;
 en que(v,Q); //add adjacent vertices of x to
 } //end of for loop
 } //end of inner while
} //end of outer while

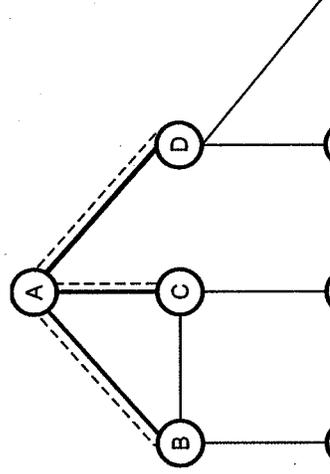
```

**Example :** Consider the graph given below :

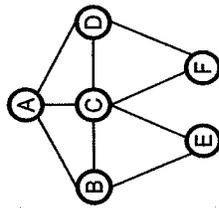
**Step 1 :**



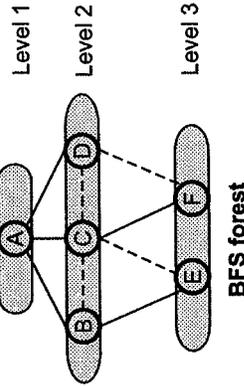
**Step 2 :**



Consider following graph



Graph G



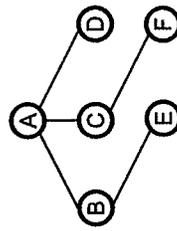
$A_1, B_2, C_3, D_4, E_5, F_6$

Order in which nodes are visited (i.e. BFS sequence)

**Tree Edge**

In a graph G containing an edge  $(u, v)$ , if a new unvisited vertex  $v$  is reached from the current vertex then edge  $(u, v)$  is called **tree edge**.

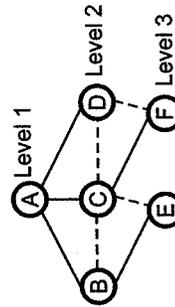
The edges between these vertices are tree edges.



**Cross Edge**

If an edge leading to its previously visited vertex other than its immediate predecessor is encountered then that edge is called **cross edge**.

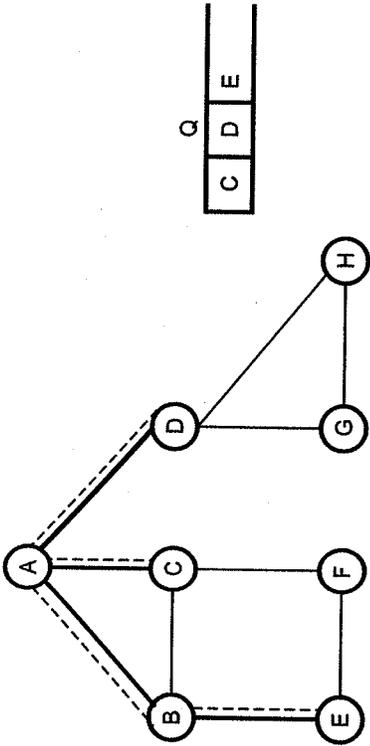
The cross edges are shown by dotted line and tree edges are shown by solid edges. The cross edges connect either siblings or cousins on the same level.



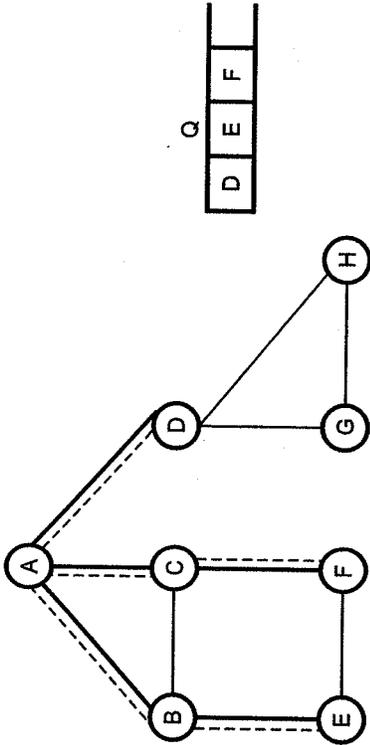
BFS follows the following rules :

1. Select an unvisited node  $v$ , visit it, have it be the root in a BFS tree being formed. Its level is called the current level.
2. From each node  $x$  in the current level, in the order in which the level nodes were visited, visit all the unvisited neighbours of  $x$ . The newly visited nodes from this level form a new level. This new level becomes the next current level.
3. Repeat step 2 for all the unvisited vertices.
4. Repeat from Step 1 until no more vertices are remaining.

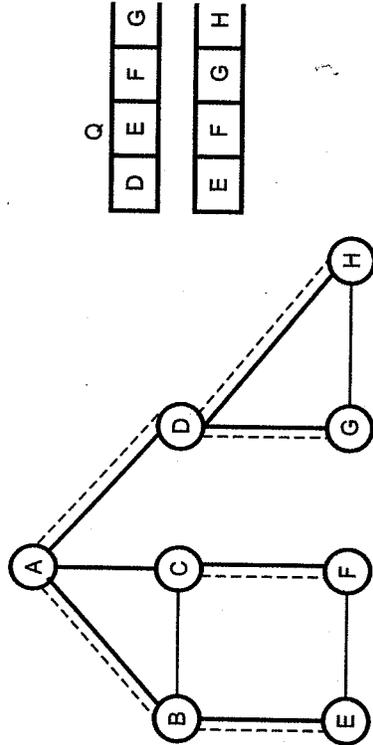
**Step 3 :**



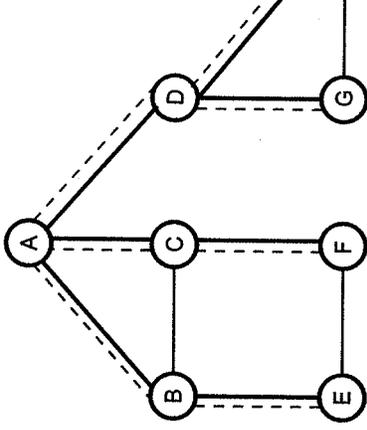
**Step 4 :**



**Step 5 :**



**Step 6 :**



Hence we get a sequence as A, B, C, D, E, F, G

**'C' Program**

```

/*****
Program to create a Graph. The graph is re
Adjacency Matrix.
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

#define size 20
#define TRUE 1
#define FALSE 0

int g[size][size];
int visit[size];

int Q[size];
int front, rear;
int n;
/*

```

The main Function  
Calls: create, bfs  
Called By: O.S.

void main ()

```

char ans = 'y';
void create(), bfs();
clrscr();
create();
clrscr();
printf("The Adjacency Matrix for the graph is \n");
for (v1 = 0; v1 < n; v1++)
{
 for (v2 = 0; v2 < n; v2++)
 printf(" %d ", g[v1][v2]);
 printf("\n");
}
getch();
do
{
 for (v1 = 0; v1 < n; v1++)
 visit[v1] = FALSE;
 clrscr();
 printf("Enter the Vertex from which you want to traverse ");
 scanf("%d", &v1);
 if (v1 >= n)
 printf("Invalid Vertex\n");
 else
 {
 printf("The Breadth First Search of the Graph is \n");
 bfs(v1);
 getch();
 }
 printf("\nDo you want to traverse from any other node?");
 ans = getch();
} while (ans == 'y');
exit(0);
}

```

The create function

g : None

Output: None, creates graph and stores in Adj. Matrix

Parameter Passing Method : None

Called By : main()

```

void create()

```

```

char ans = 'y';
printf("\n\t\t This is a Program To Create a
printf("\n\t\t The Display Is In Breadth First
printf("\nEnter no. of nodes");
scanf("%d", &n);
for (v1 = 0; v1 < n; v1++)
 for (v2 = 0; v2 < n; v2++)
 g[v1][v2] = FALSE;
printf("\nEnter the vertices no. starting from
do
{
 printf("\nEnter the vertices v1 & v2");
 scanf("%d%d", &v1, &v2);
 if (v1 >= n || v2 >= n)
 printf("Invalid Vertex Value\n");
 else
 {
 g[v1][v2] = TRUE;
 g[v2][v1] = TRUE;
 }
 printf("\nAdd more edges?(y/n)");
 ans = getch();
} while (ans == 'y');
}

```

The bfs function

g : Pointer to a vertex of a graph

Output: Displays data in breadth First Search

Parameter Passing Method : By Value

Called By : main()

Calls : None

```

void bfs(int v1)
{
 int v2;

```

visit[v1] = TRUE;

front = rear = -1;

Q[+ + rear] = v1;

while ( front != rear )

{

v1 = Q[+ + front];

```

{
 if (g[v1][v2] == TRUE && visit[v2] == FALSE)
 {
 Q[++rear] = v2;
 visit[v2] = TRUE;
 }
}
}

```

**Output**

This is a Program To Create a Graph  
The Display Is In Breadth First Manner

Enter no. of nodes 4  
Enter the vertices no. starting from 0  
Enter the vertices v1 & v2

0 1  
Add more edges?(y/n)y  
Enter the vertices v1 & v2  
0 2  
Add more edges?(y/n)y  
Enter the vertices v1 & v2

1 3  
Add more edges?(y/n)y  
Enter the vertices v1 & v2  
2 3  
Add more edges?(y/n)

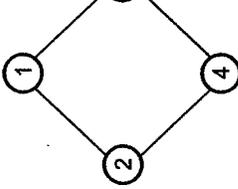
The Adjacency Matrix for the graph is  
0 1 1 0  
1 0 0 1  
1 0 0 1  
0 1 1 0

Enter the Vertex from which you want to traverse 0  
The Breadth First Search of the Graph is

0  
1  
2  
3  
Do you want to traverse from any other node?  
Enter the Vertex from which you want to traverse 1  
The Breadth First Search of the Graph is

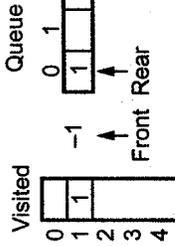
1  
0  
3  
2

**Explanation of Logic of BFS**

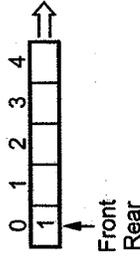


In BFS the queue is maintained for storing the maintained for keeping the track of visited nodes. should not be revisited again. Let us see how our

**Step 1 : Start with vertex 1**



**Step 2 :**



**Step 3 : Find adjacent vertices of vertex 1 and Queue.**



**Step 4 : Find adjacent to '2' and insert those not visited.**

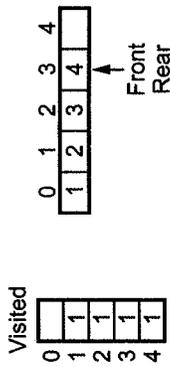


**Step 5 : Increment front and delete the node present at front.**



**Step 6 :** Find adjacent to '3' i.e. 4 check whether it is marked as visited. If it is marked as visited donot insert in the queue.

Increment front, delete the node from Queue and print it.



So '4' gets printed since front = rear stop the procedure.

So output will be - BFS for above graph as

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4

### 6.5.2 Depth First Search (DFS)

Let us define some terminologies in DFS formally.

#### Depth First Forest

The depth first forest is a collection of trees in which the traversal's starting vertex serves as the root of the first tree in such a forest. Whenever a new unvisited vertex is visited then it is attached as a child to the vertex from which it is being reached.

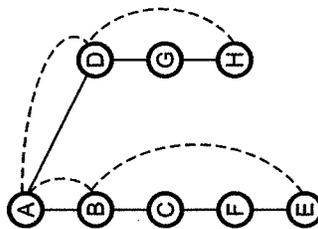


Fig. 6.5.1 DFS forest

#### Tree Edge

In a graph G containing an edge (u, v) if a new unvisited vertex v is reached from the current vertex then edge (u, v) is called tree edge.

#### Back Edge

In a graph G if a previously visited vertex v is reached from the current vertex u then edge (u,v) is called back edge.

In Fig. 6.5.1 the tree edge and back edges are shown. The solid edges are tree edges and dotted lines show back edges.

DFS follows the following rules :

1. Select an unvisited node v, visit it, and treat as the current node.
2. Find an unvisited neighbour of the current node, visit it, and make it the new current node.
3. If the current node has no unvisited neighbours, backtrack to its parent, and make it new current node;

#### Algorithm

The recursive algorithm for implementing the

#### Algorithm DFS(v)

```

{
 visit[v] = 1;
 for (each vertex x adjacent from v)
 {
 if (visit[x]=0) then
 DFS(x);
 }
}

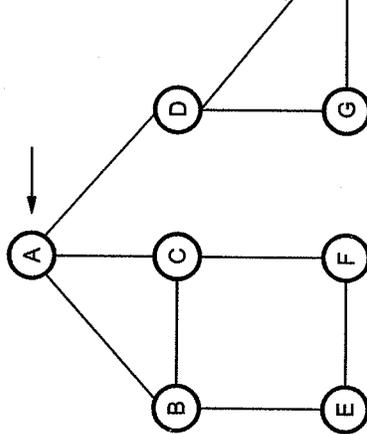
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#### Analysis

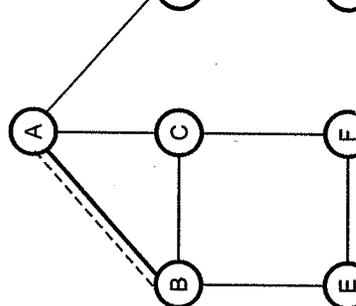
Every node is visited once. Also, every edge Therefore, the time of DFS is  $O(n+|E|)$ .

#### Example :

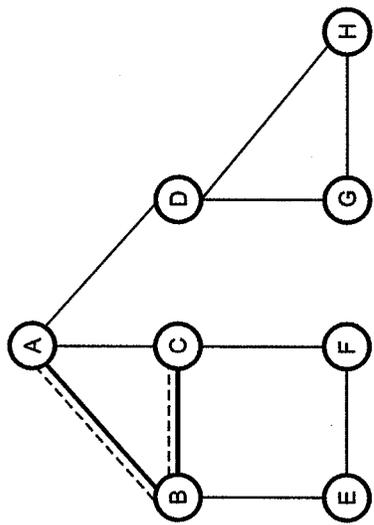
##### Step 1 :



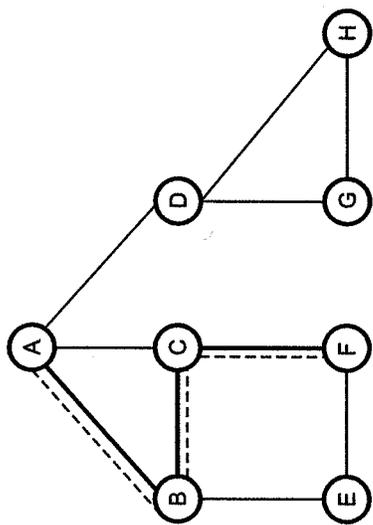
##### Step 2 :



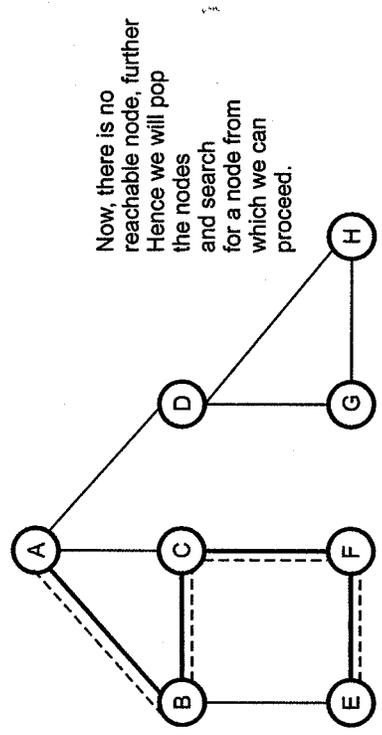
Step 3 :



Step 4 :

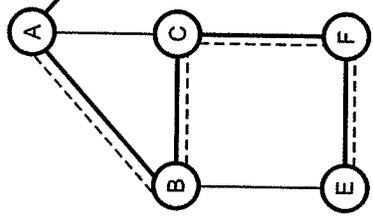


Step 5 :

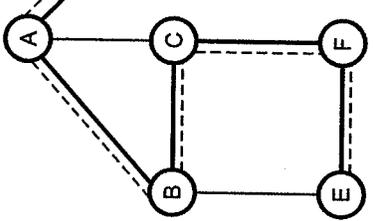


Now, there is no reachable node, further Hence we will pop the nodes and search for a node from which we can proceed.

Step 6 :



Step 7 :



Hence we obtain DFS sequence as A, B, C, F, E, D, G

'C' Program

```

/*****
Program to create a Graph. The graph is represented
Adjacency Matrix.

#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

/* List of defined constants */
#define MAX 20
#define TRUE 1
#define FALSE 0

/* Declare an adjacency matrix for storing the graph

```

Parameter Passing Method :None  
Called By : main()

```

*/
void create()
{
 int ch, v1, v2, flag;
 char ans='y';
 printf("\n\t\t This is a Program To Create a C
 printf("\n\t\t The Display Is In Depth First I
 getch();
 clrscr();
 fflush();
 for (v1 = 0; v1 < n; v1++)
 for (v2 = 0; v2 < n; v2++)
 g[v1][v2] = FALSE;
 printf("\nEnter no. of nodes");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\nEnter the vertices no. starting from
 do
 {
 printf("\nEnter the vertices v1 & v2");
 scanf("%d%d", &v1, &v2);
 if (v1 >= n || v2 >= n)
 printf("Invalid Vertex Value\n"
 else
 {
 g[v1][v2] = TRUE;
 g[v2][v1] = TRUE;
 }
 printf("\n\nAdd more edges??(y/n)");
 ans=getche();
 }while(ans=='y');
 }
/*

```

The Dfs function

Input :Pointer to a vertex of a graph

Output :Displays data in Depth First Search order

Parameter Passing Method : By Value

Called By : main()

Calls : Dfs() itself(recursive call)

```

/*
The main function
Called By : The O.S.
Calls : create(), Dfs()
*/
void main ()
{
 /* Local declarations */
 int v1, v2;
 char ans;
 void create();
 void Dfs(int);
 clrscr();
 create();
 clrscr();
 printf("The Adjacency Matrix for the graph is \n");
 for (v1 = 0; v1 < n; v1++)
 {
 for (v2 = 0; v2 < n; v2++)
 printf(" %d ", g[v1][v2]);
 printf("\n");
 }
 getch();
 do
 {
 for (v1 = 0; v1 < n; v1++)
 v[v1] = FALSE;
 clrscr();
 printf("Enter the Vertex from which you want to traverse :");
 scanf("%d", &v1);
 if (v1 >= MAX)
 printf("Invalid Vertex\n");
 else
 {
 printf("The Depth First Search of the Graph is \n");
 Dfs(v1);
 }
 printf("\n Do U want To Traverse By any Other Node?");
 ans=getche();
 }while(ans=='y');
 }
/*

```

```

int v2;
printf("%d\n", v1);
v[v1] = TRUE;
for (v2 = 0; v2 < MAX; v2++)
 if (g[v1][v2] == TRUE && v[v2] == FALSE)
 Dis(v2);
}

```

**Output**

This is a Program To Create a Graph  
 The Display Is In Depth First Manner  
 Enter no. of nodes 4  
 Enter the vertices no. starting from 0  
 Enter the vertices v1 & v2 0 1  
 Add more edges??(y/n)y  
 Enter the vertices v1 & v2 0 2  
 Add more edges??(y/n)y  
 Enter the vertices v1 & v2 1 3  
 Add more edges??(y/n)y  
 Enter the vertices v1 & v2 2 3  
 Add more edges??(y/n)

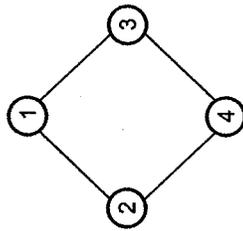
The Adjacency Matrix for the graph is

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |

Enter the Vertex from which you want to traverse :1  
 The Depth First Search of the Graph is

1  
0  
2  
3  
Do U want To Traverse By any Other Node?

**Explanation of Logic for Depth First Traversal**



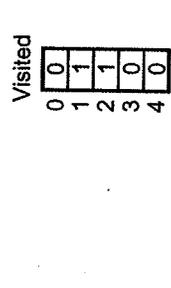
In DFS the basic data structure for storing the adjacent nodes is stack. In our program we have used a recursive call to DFS function. When a recursive call is invoked

actually push operation gets performed. When we be performed. Let us see how our program work

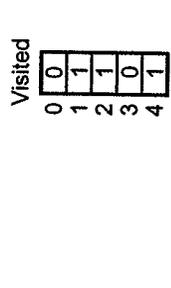
**Step 1 :** Start with vertex 1, print it so '1' gets



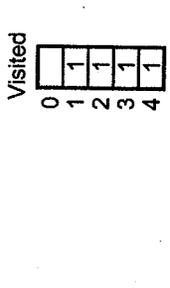
**Step 2 :** Find adjacent vertex to 1, say i.e. 2 if get inserted in the stack, mark it as visited.



**Step 3 :** Find adjacent to '2' i.e. vertex 4 if it pushed on to the stack mark it as visited.



**Step 4 :** Find adjacent to '4' i.e. vertex 3 if it pushed onto the stack mark it visited.



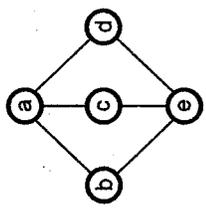
Since all the nodes are covered stop the proceed  
 So output of DFS is

- 1
- 2
- 4
- 3

**Difference between BFS and DFS**

| Sr. No. | Depth First Traversal (DFS)                                   |
|---------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.      | This traversal is done with the help of stack data structure. |

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                           |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <p>2. It works using <b>two ordering</b>. The first order is the order in which the vertices are reached for the first time (i.e. the visited vertices are pushed onto the stack) and the second order in which the vertices become dead end (the vertices are popped off the stack).</p> | <p>It works using <b>one ordering</b>. The order in which the vertices are reached in the same order they get removed from the queue.</p> |
| <p>3. The DFS sequence is composed of tree edges and back edges.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <p>The DFS sequence is composed of tree edges and cross edges.</p>                                                                        |
| <p>4. The efficiency of the adjacency matrix graph is <math>\Theta(V^2)</math>.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <p>The efficiency of the adjacency matrix graph is <math>\Theta(V^2)</math>.</p>                                                          |
| <p>5. The efficiency of the adjacency list graph is <math>\Theta( V  +  E )</math>.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                   | <p>The efficiency of the adjacency list graph is <math>\Theta( V  +  E )</math>.</p>                                                      |
| <p>6. <b>Application</b> : To check connectivity, acyclicity of a graph and to find articulation point DFS is used.</p>                                                                                                                                                                   | <p><b>Application</b> : To check connectivity, acyclicity of a graph and to find shortest path between two vertices BFS is used.</p>      |



This graph contains cycle, because it contains cycle (shown by dotted lines in above graph).  
 3. DFS is used to find articulation point.  
 A vertex of connected graph is said articulation point if its removal with all edges breaks the graph into disjoint pieces.  
 The vertex d is an articulation point.

**Review Questions**

1. Explain breadth first traversal method for graph with an example.
2. Explain Depth First Traversal Method for Graph with an example.

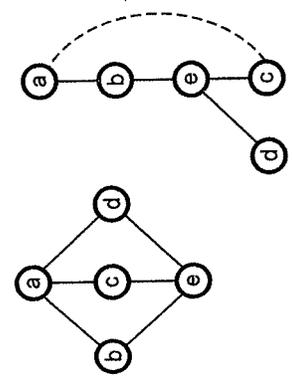
**6.5.3 Applications**

**Applications of Breadth First Search**

1. For finding the connected components in the graph.
2. For checking if any cycle exists in the given graph.
3. To obtain shortest path between two vertices.

**Applications of Depth First Traversal**

1. DFS is used for checking connectivity of a graph.
  - Start traversing the graph using depth first method and after an algorithm halts if all the vertices of graph are visited then the graph is said to be a connected graph.

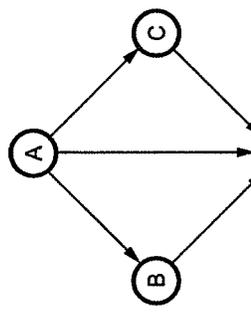


**6.6 Topological Sort**

We have discussed two principle traversal a One of the application of DFS is that it helps u graph or not. Let us define one commonly used digraph i.e. DAG.

**Definition of DAG**

A directed acyclic graph is a directed graph v For example :



If the DFS forest does not have back edges, then the graph is a DAG.

Based on the principle of DAG, specific ordering of vertices is possible. This method of arranging the vertices in some specific manner is called **topological sort**.

There are two commonly used algorithms for sorting the vertices using topological sort method.



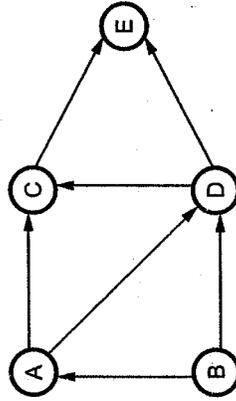
Let us understand topological sorting with the help of these two algorithms.

**6.6.1 DFS based Algorithm**

Topological sort is a process of assigning a linear ordering to the vertices of a DAG, so that if there is an edge from vertex i to vertex j then i appears before j in the linear ordering.

In this method the depth first search is done. Then note the order in which vertices become dead ends. The dead end vertices are popped off the stack. Then reverse the contents that are popped off the stack.

**Example 6.6.1** Sort the digraph for topological sort using DFS based algorithm.



**Solution :** As the graph contains no cycle i.e. the graph is a DAG, the topological sorting is possible.

**Step 1 :** First find the Depth First Search and push the visited vertices in the stack. Thus create a DFS traversal stack.

|                |
|----------------|
| E <sub>1</sub> |
| C <sub>2</sub> |
| D <sub>3</sub> |
| A <sub>4</sub> |
| B <sub>5</sub> |

**Step 2 :** Now pop-off the contents of the stack.  
**Step 3 :** Reverse the popped contents. The sorted list.

∴ B, A, D, C, E.

**Example 6.6.2** Sort the given digraph using topological sort using DFS based algorithm .

**Solution :** The graph is a acyclic graph, hence  
**Step 1 :** Create a DFS traversal stack by finding

|                |
|----------------|
| E <sub>1</sub> |
| D <sub>2</sub> |
| C <sub>3</sub> |
| A <sub>4</sub> |
| B <sub>5</sub> |

**DFS stack**

**Step 2 :**

Now pop-off the contents of the stack.

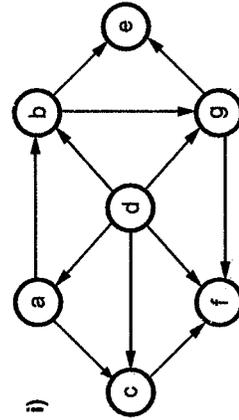
E, D, C, A, B

**Step 3 :**

Reverse the popped contents. Thus the list sorted list.

∴ B, A, C, D, E.

**Example 6.6.3** Apply the DFS based algorithm to following digraphs.



**Solution :** i) As the graph contains no cycle, topological sorting is possible.

**Step 1 :**

The order in which the vertices are visited in DFS traversal is noted. Hence the stack will be as shown in Fig. 6.6.1

The DFS forest will be as shown in Fig. 6.6.2

**Step 2 :** After popping off the stack contents we get

e, f, g, b, c, a, d

**Step 3 :** Reversing the stack contents we get topologically sorted list as

d, a, c, b, g, f, e

ii) As the graph contains cycle topological ordering is not possible.

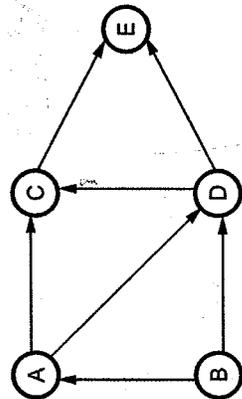
**6.6.2 Source Removal Algorithm**

This is a direct implementation of decrease and conquer method. Following are the steps to be followed in this algorithm -

1. From a given graph find a vertex with no incoming edges. Delete it along with the edges outgoing from it. If there are more than one such vertices then break the tie randomly.
2. Note the vertices that are deleted.
3. All these recorded vertices give topologically sorted list.

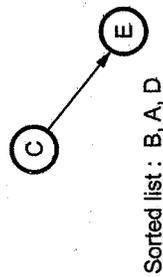
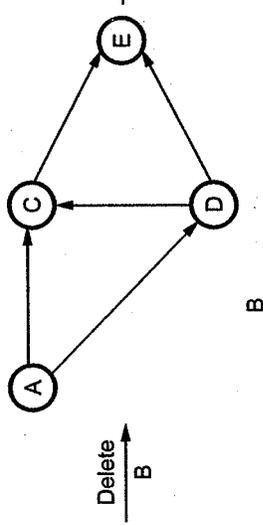
Let us understand this algorithm with some examples -

**Example 6.6.4** Sort the digraph for topological sort using source removal algorithm.



**Solution :** We will follow following steps to obtain topologically sorted list.

Choose vertex B, because it has no incoming edge, delete it along with its adjacent



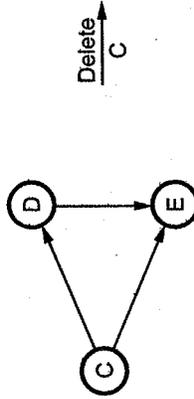
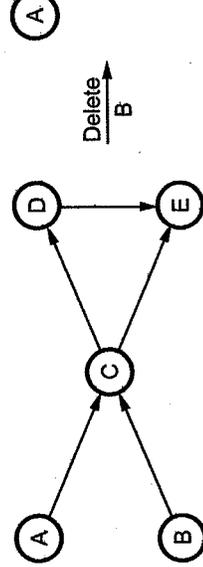
Sorted list : B, A, D

B, A, D, C

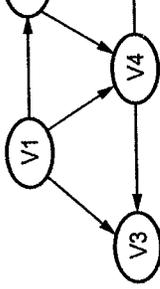
**Example 6.6.5**

Sort the given digraph using topological sort using source removal algorithm.

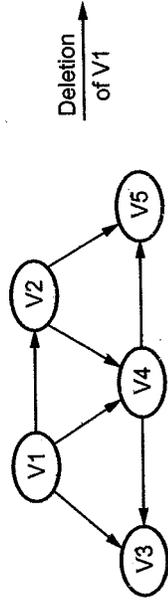
**Solution :** Let us start with the vertex with no incoming edge. There are two such vertices arbitrarily. Let us first delete vertex B.



**Example 6.6.7** What is DFS? Explain with example by Topological-sort for the following graph.



**Solution :** We will find the node having no incoming delete it along with adjacent edges.



After deletion of V2



After deletion of V3



Thus the sequency in which we have deleted is Hence the topological ordering is

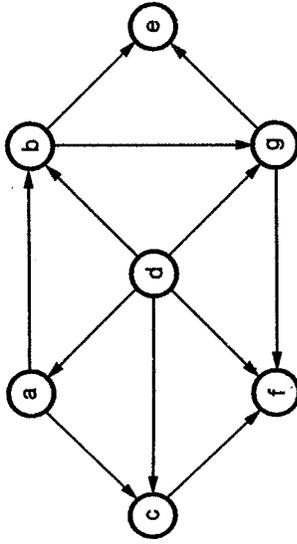
V1, V2, V4, V3, V5

**6.7 Bi - Connected Components**

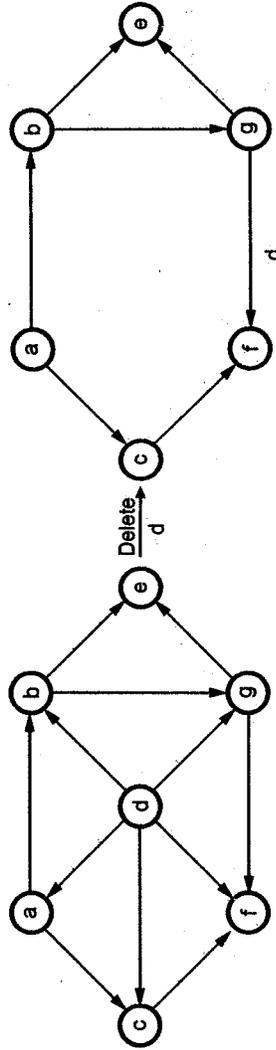
Let us now discuss strongly connected components In this section we will understand two important and bi-connected components. We will also learn an articulation point and bi-connected component

**Definition of articulation point :** Let undirected graph, then an articulation point removal disconnects graph G. This articulation

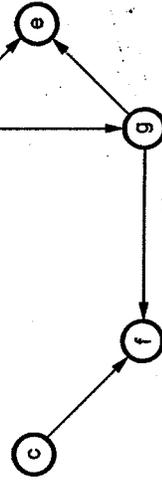
**Example 6.6.6** Apply source removal algorithm to solve topological sorting problem for the following graph.



**Solution :** We will find the node having no incoming edge. Such a vertex is d. Hence delete it first along with its adjacent edges.

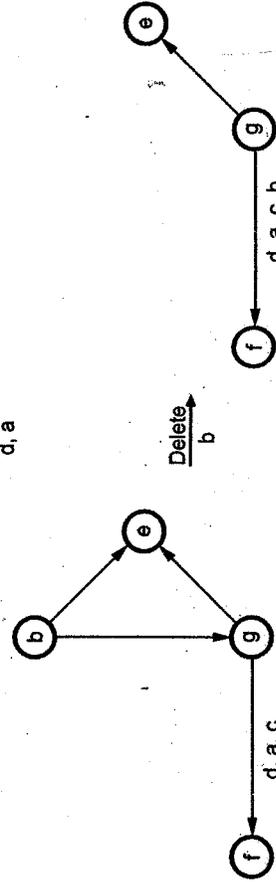


Delete a



Delete c

d, a



Delete b



Delete g

Delete f

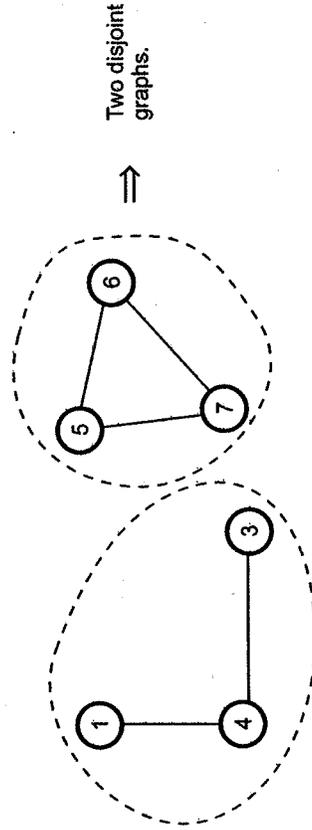
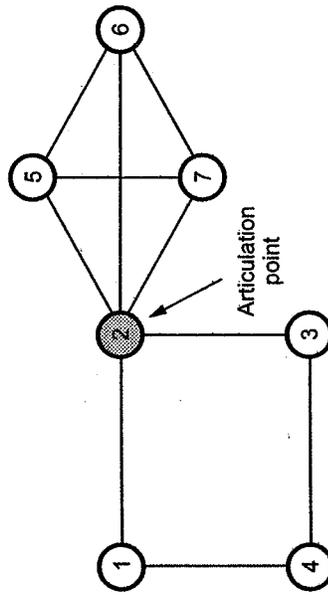


Delete e

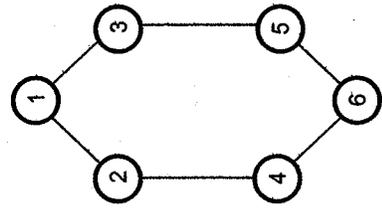
For example :

- A graph G is said to be bi-connected if it contains no articulation points.

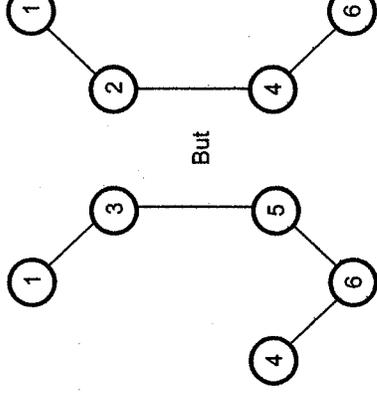
For example :



- Even though we remove any single vertex we do not get disjoint graphs.



- Let us remove vertex 2 and we will get,



Biconnectivity

Not a biconnected graph

- If there exists any articulation point in the feature of that graph. For instance in communication systems, vertices represent the communication stations and an articulation point then failure of this station will bring the whole system down ! And this is surely not desirable.

### 6.7.1 Identification of Articulation Point

- The easiest method is to remove a vertex from graph G and test whether the resulting graph is connected. The time complexity of this activity will be  $O(V^2)$ .
- Another method is to use depth first search. After performing depth first search on the graph, we can identify articulation points.
- While building the DFS tree we number the vertices in the order in which a depth first search is performed. These numbers are called as depth first search numbers (dfn).
- While building the DFS tree we can classify edges as follows:
  - Tree edge** : It is an edge in depth first search tree.
  - Back edge** : It is an edge (u,v) where v is an ancestor of u. It basically indicates a cycle in the graph.
  - Forward edge** : An edge (u,v) where v is not an ancestor of u.

• To identify articulation points following observations can be made.

- i) The root of the DFS tree is an articulation if it has two or more children.
- ii) A leaf node of DFS tree is not an articulation point.
- iii) If  $u$  is any internal node then it is not an articulation point if and only if from every child  $w$  of  $u$  it is possible to reach an ancestor of  $u$  using only a path made up of descendant of  $w$  and back edge.

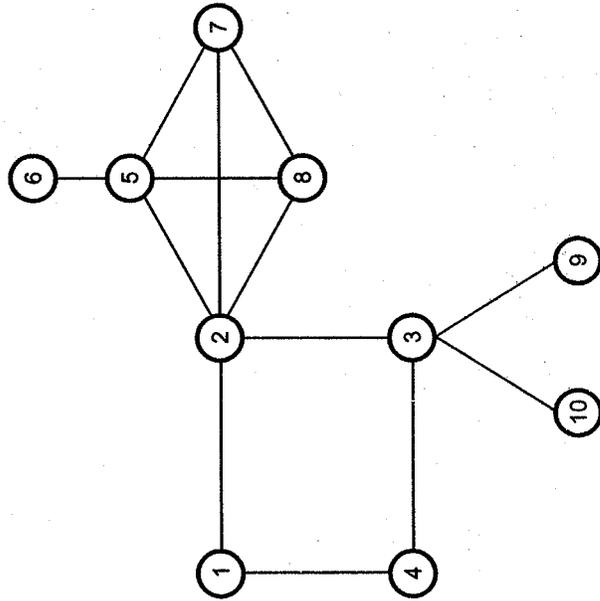
This observation leads to a simple rule as,

$$\text{Low}[u] = \min \{ \text{dfn}[u], \min \{ \text{Low}[w] \mid w \text{ is a child of } u \}, \min \{ \text{dfn}[w] \mid (u,w) \text{ is a back edge} \} \}$$

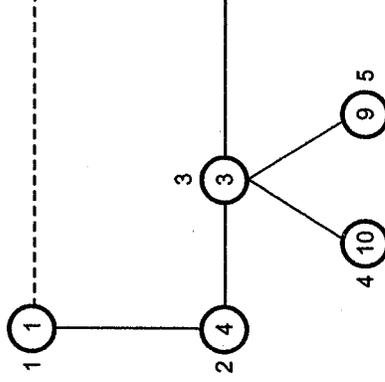
Where  $\text{Low}[u]$  is the lowest depth first number that can be reached from  $u$  using a path of descendant followed by at most one back edge. The vertex  $u$  is an articulation point if  $u$  is child of  $w$  such that

$$L[w] \geq \text{dfn}[u].$$

**Example 6.7.1** Obtain the articulation point for following graph.



Solution : The DFS tree can be drawn as follow



Let us compute  $\text{Low}[u]$  using the formula

$$\text{Low}[u] = \min \left\{ \text{dfn}[u], \min \{ \text{Low}[w] \mid w \text{ is a child of } u \} \right\}$$

$$\text{Low}[1] = \min \{ \text{dfn}[1], \min \{ \text{Low}[2], \text{Low}[4] \} \}$$

$$= \min \{ 1, \text{Low}[2], 6 \}$$

$$\therefore \text{Low}[1] = 1$$

$$\text{Low}[2] = \min \{ \text{dfn}[2], \min \{ \text{Low}[3], \text{Low}[5], \text{Low}[6], \text{Low}[7], \text{Low}[8] \} \}$$

$$= \min \{ 6, \dots, \text{Low}[5], 1 \}$$

$$\therefore \text{Low}[2] = 1$$

$$\text{Low}[3] = \min \{ \text{dfn}[3], \min \{ \text{Low}[4], \text{Low}[9], \text{Low}[10] \} \}$$

no backedge

$$= \min \{ 3, \min \{ \text{Low}[10], \text{Low}[9] \} \}$$

$$= \min \{ 3, 1, - \}$$

```

Low [4] = min {dfn [4], min {Low [3]} - }
 = min {2, 1, - }
∴ Low [4] = 1
Low [5] = min {dfn [5], min {Low [6], Low [7], - } }
 = min {7, min{Low [6], Low [7] - } }

```

∴ Low [5] = Keep it as it is after getting value of Low[6] and Low [7] we will decide Low [5]

∴ leaf mode

```

Low [6] = min {dfn [6], - , - }
∴ Low [6] = 8
Low [7] = min {dfn[8], - ,dfn [2]}
 = min {10, -, 6}
∴ Low [7] = 6

```

As we have got Low [6] = 8 and Low [7] = 6. We will compute our incomplete computation Low [5].

```

∴ Low [5] = min {7, min {8, 6}, - }
 = min {7, 6, - }
∴ Low [5] = 6
Now Low [8] = min {dfn [8], - , dfn [2] }
 = min {10, 6}
∴ Low [8] = 6
Low [9] = min {dfn [9], - , - }
∴ Low [9] = 5
Low [10] = min {dfn [10], - , - }
 = min {4, -, -}
∴ Low [10] = 4

```

Hence Low values are Low [1 : 10] = {1, 1, 1, 1, 6, 8, 6, 6, 5, 4}. Here vertex 3 is articulation point because child of 3 is 10 and Low [10] = 4.  $\text{dfn}[3] = 3$ . That is  $\text{Low}[w] \geq \text{dfn}[u]$ .

Similarly vertex 2 is an articulation point. Because child of 2 is 5 and

i.e.  $\text{Low}[w] \geq \text{dfn}[u]$

Vertex 5 is articulation point, because child of 5 is

$\text{Low}[6] = 8$

$\text{dfn}[5] = 7$

i.e.  $\text{Low}[w] \geq \text{dfn}[u]$

Hence in above given graph vertex 2, 3 and 5

### Algorithm for Articulation Points

The algorithm for obtaining the articulation points

#### Algorithm DFS\_Art(u,v)

```

// the vertex u is a starting vertex for depth first search
//In depth first tree v is a parent(ancestor) of u.
//Initially an array dfn[] is initialized to 0.The dfn[]
//numbers
//Array Low[] is used to give the lowest depth first
//from u
{
//put the dfn number for u in dfn array
dfn[u] := dfn_num;
Low[u] := dfn_num;
dfn_num := dfn_num + 1;
for (each vertex w adjacent to u) do
{
// w is child of u and if w is not visited
if(dfn[w]=0) then
{
DFS_Art(w,u);//finding the dfn of w
Low[u] := min(Low[u],Low[w]);
}
else if(w=u) then //the edge u w can be a back edge
Low[u] := min(Low[u],dfn[w]);
}
}
}

```

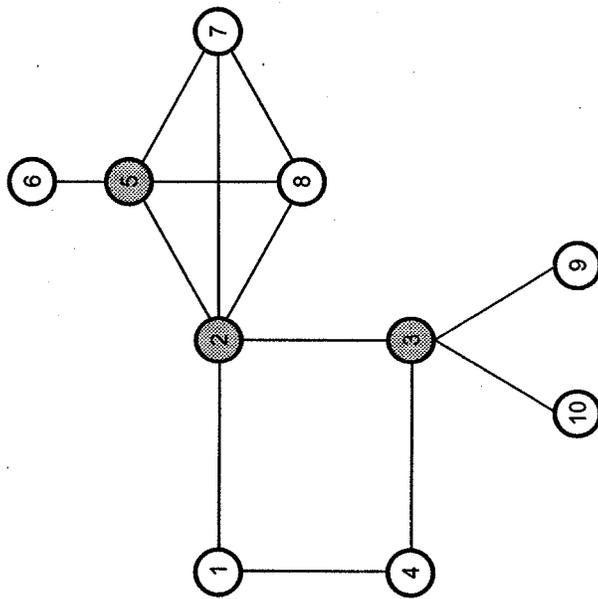
### Analysis

The DFS\_Art has a complexity  $O(n + E)$  where  $n$  is total number of nodes. Thus the algorithm has a complexity  $O(n+E)$  time.

### 6.7.2 Identification of Bi-Connected Components

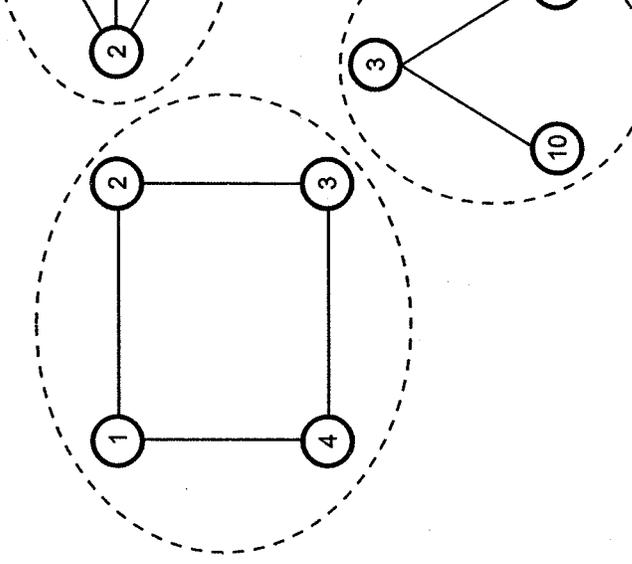
- A bi-connected graph  $G = (V, E)$  is a connected graph which has no articulation points.
- A bi-connected component of a graph  $G$  is maximal biconnected subgraph. That means it is not contained in any larger bi-connected subgraph of  $G$ .
- Some key observations can be made in regard to bi-connected components of graph.
  1. Two different bi-connected components should not have any common edges.
  2. Two different bi-connected components can have common vertex.
  3. The common vertex which is attaching two (or more) bi-connected components must be an articulation point of  $G$ .

For example : In following graph,



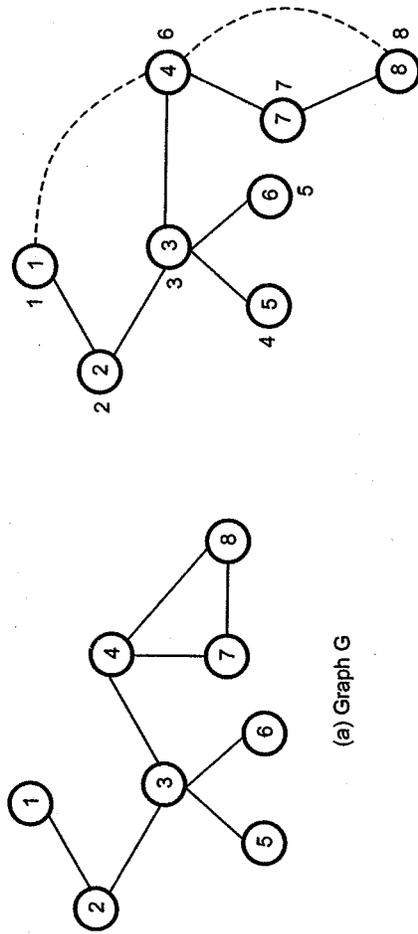
**Example 6.7.2** Decide the articulation points and bi-connected components, for the graph given below in Fig. 6.7.2.

The articulation points are 2, 3, 5. Hence bi-



**Fig. 6.7.1** Bi-connected components, for the graph given below in Fig. 6.7.2.

**Solution :** The articulation point can be calculated as follows -



(b) DFS tree with dfn

Fig. 6.7.3

Consider the given graph G and let us draw a depth first tree for the same.

Now let us compute Low[u] for each vertex u using following formula.

$$Low[u] = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} dfn[u], \min\{Low[w] \mid w \text{ is child of } u\}, \\ \min\{dfn[w] \mid (u, w) \text{ is backedge}\} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$Low [1] = \min \{dfn[1], \min\{ Low [2], dfn [4] \}$$

$$Low [1] = \min \{ 1, \min\{ Low [2], 6 \}$$

$$Low [1] = 1$$

$$Low [2] = \min \{ dfn[2], \min \{ Low [3] \}$$

$$Low [2] = 1$$

$$Low [3] = \min \{ dfn[3], \min\{Low [4], Low [5], Low [6]\}$$

$$Low [3] = 1$$

$$Low [4] = \min \{ dfn[4], Low [7], dfn[1] \}$$

$$= 1$$

$$Low [5] = \min \{ dfn[5], -, - \}$$

$$= 4$$

$$Low [6] = \min \{ dfn[6], -, - \}$$

$$= 5$$

$$Low [7] = \min \{ dfn[7], Low [8] \} = \min \{ 7, 6 \}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Low [8] &= \min \{ dfn[8], -, dfn[4] \} \\ &= \min \{ 8, 6 \} \\ &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

Now we will check for the condition  $dfn [u] \leq dfn [3] \leq Low [u]$ . The computation of Low is  $\{ 1, 1, 1, 1, 4, 5, 6, 6 \}$

Now vertex 3 has children 5 and 6. Hence vertex 3 is articulation point. Hence vertex 4 is an articulation point.

The Bi-connected components are

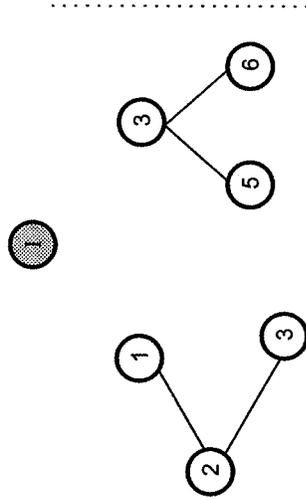


Fig. 6.7.4 Bi-connected components

The algorithm for obtaining bi-connected components

```

Algorithm Bi_connect(u,v)
// the vertex u is a starting vertex for depth first tree
//In depth first tree v is a parent(ancestor) of u.
//Initially an array dfn[] is initialized to 0.The defn
// numbers
//Array Low[] is used to give the lowest depth first
//from u
{
//put the dfn number for u in dfn array
dfn[u]←dfn_num.
Low[u]←dfn_num.
def_num ← def_num + 1;
for (each vertex w adjacent to u) do
{
// w is child of u and if w is not visited
if((v!=w) and (dfn[w]<dfn[u])) then
push(u,w) onto the stack st;
}
}

```

```

if(Low[w]>=dfn[u]) then
{
write ("Obtained Articulation Point");
write("The new bi-connected component :");
repeat
{
edge(x,y)← pop edge from the top of the stack;
write(x,y);
}until((x,y)=(u,w)) OR ((x,y) = (w,u));
// if w is unvisited then
Bi_connect(w,u)
// update Low[u]
Low[u]←min(Low[u],Low[w]);
}
else if(w=u) then //the edge u w can be a back edge then update Low[u]
Low[u]←min(Low[u],dfn[w]);
}
}

```

For the above given algorithm the time complexity remains  $O(n + E)$ .

### University Questions

1. Explain the term : (Give example wherever necessary)  
Articulation point  
**GTU : June-11, Marks 2.**
2. Write down the algorithm to determine articulation points in a given undirected graph. Give any application where it is applicable.  
**GTU : June-11, Marks 4**
3. Give the algorithm for depth first search of a graph. Also define "articulation point" of the graph and explain how to find it.  
**GTU : Winter-14, Marks 7, Winter-10, Marks 6**
4. How you can identify articulation points explain with example. Describe use of articulation point.  
**GTU : Winter-14, Marks 7**

### 6.8 University Questions with Answers

Regulation 2008

Winter - 2010

- Q.1 Define the terms : Directed acyclic graph, dense graph, sparse graph.  
[Refer section 6.4] [3]
- Q.2 Give the algorithm for depth first search of a graph. Also define "articulation

Summer - 20

- Q.3 Explain with example how games can be found.  
[Refer section 6.1]
- Q.4 Explain the term : (Give example wherever necessary)  
Articulation point [Refer section 6.7]
- Q.5 Write down the algorithm to determine articulation points in a graph. Give any application where it is applicable.  
[Refer section 6.7]
- Q.6 Define the terms : Directed acyclic graph, Hamiltonian path.  
[Refer section 6.4]
- Q.7 Explain breadth first traversal method for a graph.  
[Refer section 6.5]

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- Q.8 Define graph. Explain types of graph and cycle in a graph.  
[Refer section 6.4]
- Q.9 Give the algorithm for depth first search of a graph and explain how to find articulation points.  
[Refer section 6.7]
- Q.10 How you can identify articulation points in a graph.  
[Refer section 6.7]

Regulation 2008

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- Q.11 Explain Depth First Traversal Method for a graph.  
[Refer section 6.5]
- Q.12 Explain in brief breadth first search method for a graph.  
[Refer section 6.5]
- Q.13 Explain : Articulation point, graph, tree. (R)

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**Winter - 2017**

- Q.14** Differentiate between depth first search and breadth first search. (Refer section 6.5.2) [3]
- Q.15** Define graph. Describe strongly connected graph with example. (Refer section 6.2) [3]
- Q.16** Given an adjacency - list representation of a directed graph, how long does it take to compute the out - degree of every vertex ? How long does it take to compute the in - degrees ? (Refer section 6.4) [4]
- Q.17** Explain breadth first search with example. (Refer section 6.5.1) [4]
- Q.18** Define BFS. How it is differ from DFS. (Refer sections 6.5.1 and 6.5.2) [4]
- Q.19** Explain DFS algorithm in brief. (Refer section 6.5.2) [4]

**Summer - 2018****Winter - 2018****6.9 Short Questions and Answers**

- Q.1** Name the two components of a graph.  
 Ans. : The graph contains vertices and edges.
- Q.2** What are the two different types of graph ?  
 Ans. : Two types of graph are directed and undirected graphs.
- Q.3** What is DAG ?  
 Ans. : A directed acyclic graph is a directed graph that contains no cycle.
- Q.4** Where is the DAG used ?  
 Ans. : DAG is used in compilers for optimization of code.
- Q.5** What is complete graph ?  
 Ans. : If an undirected graph of  $n$  vertices consists of  $n(n - 1)/2$  number of edges then it is called as complete graph.
- Q.6** What is connected graph ?  
 Ans. : An undirected graph is said to be connected if for every pair of distinct vertices  $V_i$  and  $V_j$  in  $V(G)$  there is a graph from  $V_i$  to  $V_j$  in  $G$ .

Ans. : Two commonly used method for representation

1. Adjacency matrix
2. Adjacency list

**Q.8** Name the method of representation of graph

Ans. : Adjacency matrix.

**Q.9** Name the method of representation of graph

Ans. : Adjacency list.

**Q.10** Which data structure is used for breadth first search.

Ans. : The queue is used for breadth first search.

**Q.11** Which data structure is used for depth first search.

Ans. : The stack data structure is used for depth first search.

**Q.12** Specify two applications of BFS.

Ans. : 1. For finding the connected components in

2. To obtain shortest path between two vertices

**Q.13** List out two applications of DFS.

Ans. : 1. For checking the connectivity of graph

**Q.14** What is articulation point ?

Ans. : Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a connected undirected graph  $G$  is a vertex whose removal disconnects the graph into two or more kind of cut-vertex.



## 7.1 Introduction

GIU : Winter-14, Marks 7

- In the backtracking method
- 1. The desired solution is expressible as an  $n$  tuple  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$  where  $x_i$  is chosen from some finite set  $S_i$ .
- 2. The solution maximizes or minimizes or satisfies a criterion function  $C(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$ .
- The problem can be categorized into **three categories**.  
Finding whether there is any feasible solution? - Is the **decision problem**.  
What is the best solution? - Is the **optimization problem**.  
Listing of all the feasible solution - Is the **enumeration problem**.
- The basic idea of backtracking is to build up a vector, one component at a time and to test whether the vector being formed has any chance of success.
- The major **advantage** of backtracking algorithm is that we can realize the fact that the partial vector generated does not lead to an optimal solution. In such a situation that vector can be ignored.
- Backtracking algorithm determines the solution by systematically searching the solution space (i.e. set of all feasible solutions) for the given problem.
- Backtracking is a **depth first search** with some **bounding function**.
- Backtracking algorithm solves the problem using **two types of constraints** -  
**Explicit constraint** and **Implicit constraints**.
- **Definition : Explicit constraints** are the rules that restrict each element  $x_i$  has to be chosen from given set only. Explicit constraints depends on particular instance  $I$  of the problem. All the tuples from solution set must satisfy the explicit constraints.
- **Definition : Implicit constraints** are the rules that decide which tuples in the solution space of  $I$  satisfy the criterion function. Thus the implicit constraints represent by which  $x_i$  in the solution set must be related with each other.

### For example

**Example 1 : 8-Queen's problem** - The 8-queen's problem can be stated as follows.  
"Consider a chessboard of order  $8 \times 8$ . The problem is to place 8 queens on this board such that no two queens can attack each other. That means no two queens can be placed on the same row, column or diagonal."

The solution to 8-queens problem can be obtained using backtracking method.

The solution can be given as below -

|   | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 2 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 3 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 4 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 5 |   |   |   |   |   |

This 8 Queen's problem is solved by applying

The **explicit constraints** show that the solution consists of  $8$  with  $1 \leq i \leq 8$ . Hence solution space consists of  $8$

The **implicit constraint** will be -

- 1) No two  $x_i$  will be same. That means all the
  - 2) No two queens can be on the same row, column
- Hence the above solution can be represented as

### Example 2 : Sum of subsets -

"There are  $n$  positive numbers given in a set of subsets of this set, the contents of which add onto

In other words,

Let there be  $n$  elements given by the set  $w = \{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$  subsets from whose sum is  $M$ .

### For example

Consider  $n = 6$  and  $(w_1, w_2, w_3, w_4, w_5, w_6) = \{2, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$  we will get desired sum of subset as  $(2, 5, 8, 26)$ .

We can also represent the sum of subset as  $(2, 5, 8, 26)$  represented by an  $n$ -tuple  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$  such that

The **explicit constraint** on sum of subset problem will be that any element  $x_i \in \{i | i \text{ is an integer and } 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ . That means we must select the integer from given set of elements.

The **implicit constraints** on sum of subset problem will be -

- 1) No two elements will be the same. That means no element can be repeatedly selected.
- 2) The sum of the elements of subset =  $M$  (a predefined value).
- 3) The selection of the elements should be done in an orderly manner. That means  $(1, 3, 7)$  and  $(1, 7, 3)$  are treated as same.

### 7.1.1 Some Terminologies used in Backtracking

Backtracking algorithms determine problem solutions by systematically searching for the solutions using **tree structure**.

**For example -**

Consider a 4-queen's problem. It could be stated as "there are 4 queens that can be placed on  $4 \times 4$  chessboard. Then no two queens can attack each other".

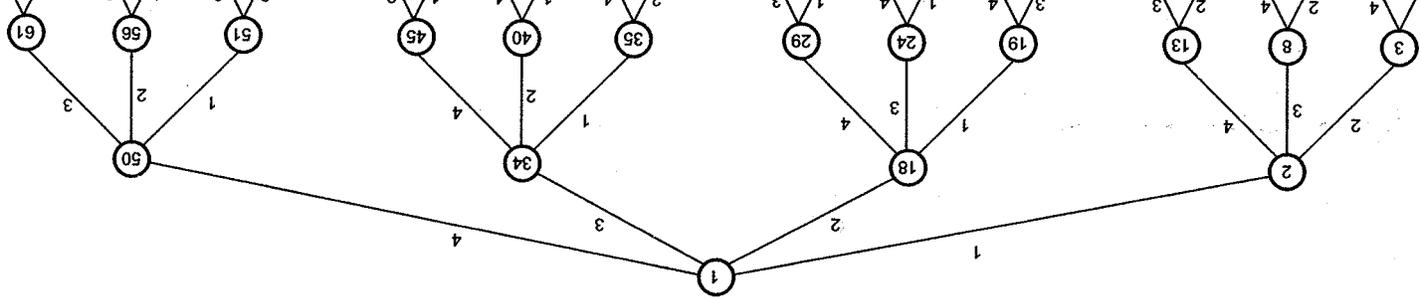
Following Fig. 7.1.1 shows tree organization for this problem.  
(See Fig. 7.1.1 on next page)

- Each node in the tree is called a **problem state**.
- All paths from the root to other nodes define the **state space** of the problem.
- The solution states are those problem states  $s$  for which the path from root to  $s$  defines a **tuple** in the solution space.
- In some trees the leaves define the **solution states**.
- **Answer states** : These are the leaf nodes which correspond to an element in the set of solutions, these are the states which satisfy the implicit constraints.

For example

(See Fig. 7.1.2 on Page 7-6)

- A node which is been generated and all whose children have not yet been generated is called **live node**.
- The live node whose children are currently being expanded is called **E-node**.
- A **dead node** is a generated node which is not to be expanded further or all of whose children have been generated.
- There are two methods of generating state search tree -





**Bounding functions :** Bounding functions will be used to kill live nodes without generating all their children. A care should be taken while doing so, because atleast one answer node should be produced or even all the answer nodes be generated if problem needs to find all possible solutions.

## 7.1.2 Algorithms for Backtracking

### Recursive Algorithm

```

Algorithm Backtrack()
//This is recursive backtracking algorithm
//a[k] is a solution vector. On entering (k-1) remaining next
//values can be computed.
//T(a1, a2, ..., ak) be the set of all values for ak+1, such that
//(a1, a2, ..., ak+1) is a path to problem state.
// Bk+1 is a bounding function such that if Bk+1(a1, a2, ..., ak+1) is false
//for a path (a1, a2, ..., ak+1) from root node to a problem state then
//path can not be extended to reach an answer node
{
for (each ak that belongs to T(a1, a2, ..., ak-1)) do
{
if (Bk(a1, a2, ..., ak) = true) then // feasible sequence
{
if ((a1, a2, ..., ak) is a path to answer node then
print(a[1], a[2], ..., a[k]);
if (k < n) then
Backtrack(k+1); //find the next set.
}
}
}
}

```

### Iterative Algorithm

The non recursive backtracking algorithm can be given as -

```

Algorithm Non_Rec_Back(n)
// This is a non recursive version of backtracking
//a[1], ..., a[n] is a solution vector and each a1, a2, ..., ak will be used to print solution.
{
k:=1;
while(k ≠ 0) do
{
if (any a[k] that belongs to T(a[1], a[2], ..., a[k-1]) remains untried)
AND (Bk(a[1], a[2], ..., a[k]) is true) then
{

```

```

k:=k+1;
else
k:=k-1; //backtrack to most recent value
}
}
}

```

### Efficiency of Backtracking Algorithm

The efficiency of both the backtracking algorithm

- 1) The time required to generate a[k].
- 2) The number of a[k] elements which satisfy
- 3) The time required by bounding functions
- 4) The number of elements a[k] that satisfy values of k.

The first three factors are independent on the given problem instance. And the time complexity of these three factors is polynomial time. But the fourth factor varies according to the size of problem instance. That means, if there are n! nodes which satisfy the bounding function then the worst case time complexity of backtracking.

### Review Question

1. What is the central principle of backtracking taking solution process ?

## 7.2 Applications of Backtracking

Various applications that are based on backtracking

1. 8 Queen's problem : This is a problem based stated that arrange the queens on chessboard can attack each other.
2. Sub of subset problem.
3. Graph coloring problem.
4. Finding Hamiltonian cycle.

### 7.3 The Eight Queens Problem

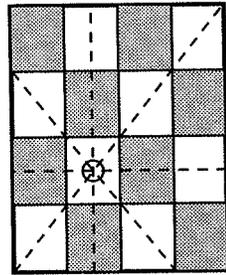
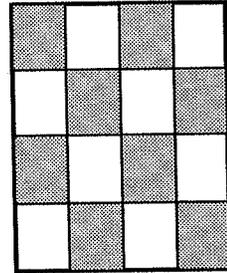
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The n-queen's problem can be stated as follows.

Consider a  $n \times n$  chessboard on which we have to place  $n$  queens so that no two queens attack each other by being in the same row or in the same column or on the same diagonal.

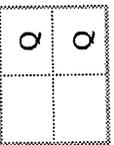
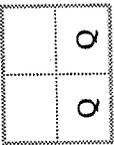
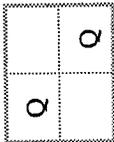
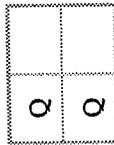
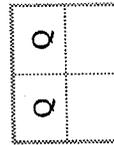
#### For example

Consider  $4 \times 4$  board

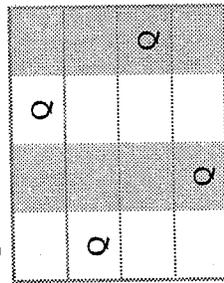


The next queen - if is placed on the paths marked by dotted lines then they can attack each other

- 2-Queen's problem is not solvable - Because 2-queens can be placed on  $2 \times 2$  chessboard as



- But 4-queen's problem is solvable.

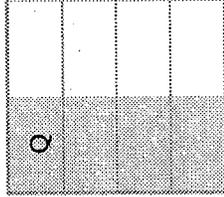


Note that no two queens can attack each other.

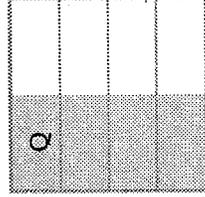
#### 7.3.1 How to Solve n-Queen's Problem ?

Let us take 4-queens and  $4 \times 4$  chessboard.

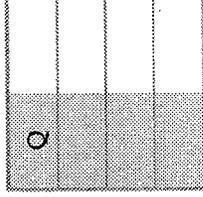
- Now we start with empty chessboard.



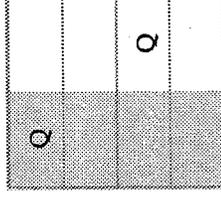
- Then place queen 2 after trying unsuccessfully i.e. 2<sup>nd</sup> row and 3<sup>rd</sup> column.



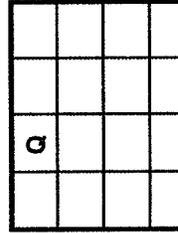
- This is the dead end because a 3<sup>rd</sup> queen there is no acceptable position for queen 3. the 2<sup>nd</sup> queen at (2, 4) position.



- The place 3<sup>rd</sup> queen at (3, 2) but it is acceptable (4<sup>th</sup> queen) cannot be placed at permissible

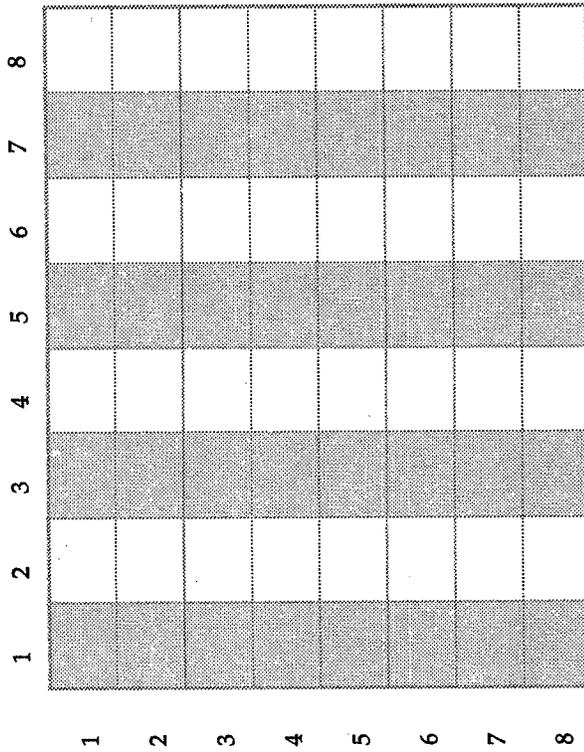


- Hence we need to backtrack all the way up

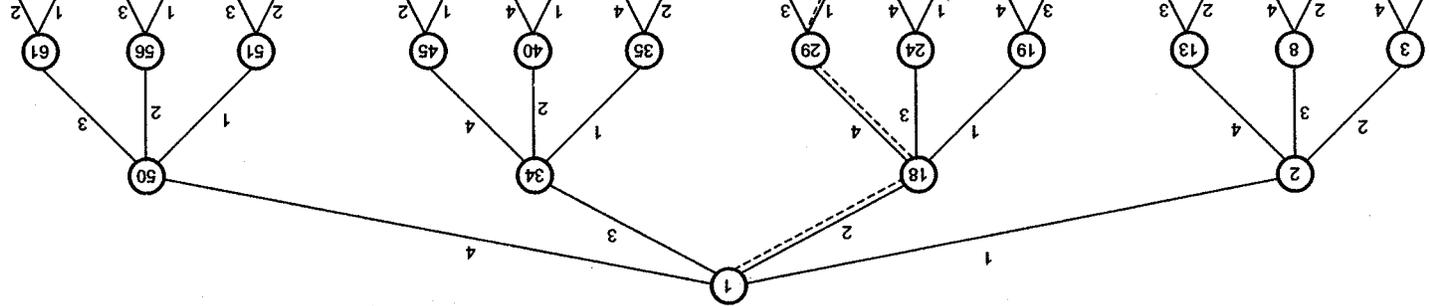
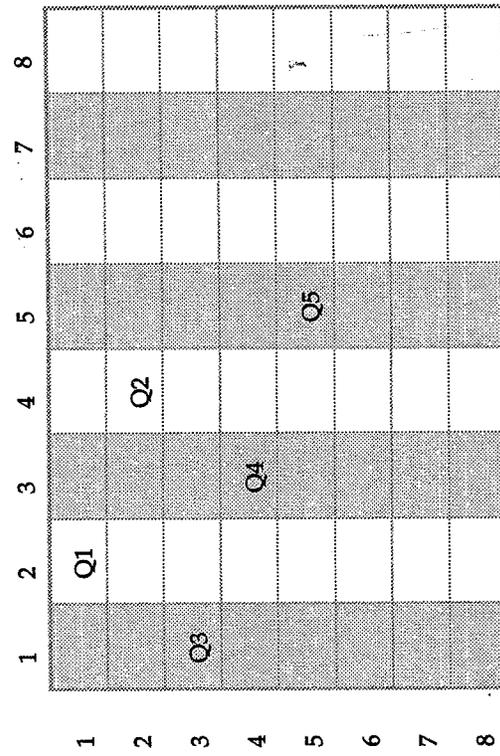


- Place queen 1 at (1, 2), queen 2 at (2, 4), queen 3 at (3, 1) and queen 4 at (4, 3).  
The state space tree of 4-queen's problem is shown in Fig. 7.3.1 (See on next page)

Now we will consider how to place 8-Queen's on the chessboard.  
Initially the chessboard is empty.

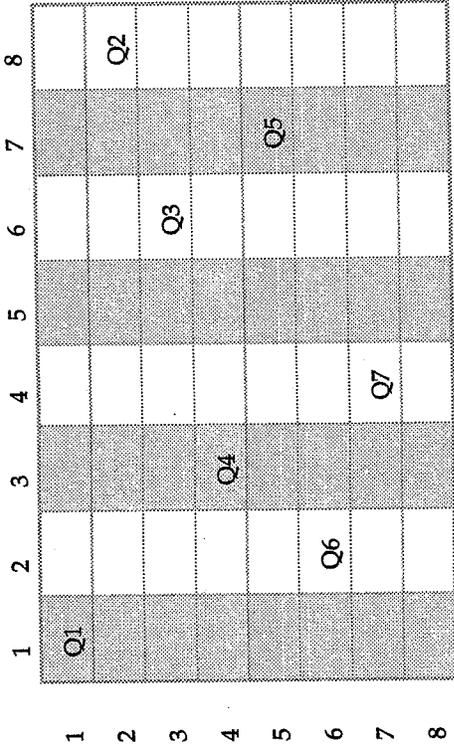
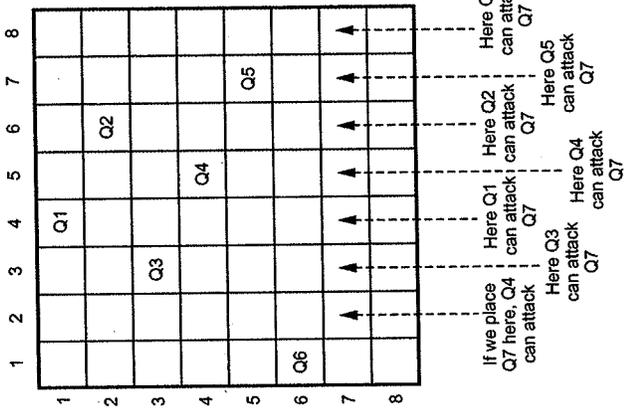


Now we will start placing the queens on the chessboard.

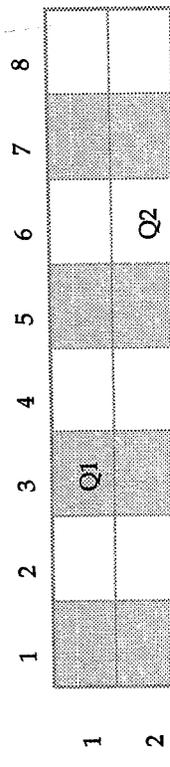


Thus we have placed 5 queens in such a way that no two queens can attack each other. Now if we want to place Q6 at location (6, 6) then queen Q5 can attack, if Q6 is placed at (6, 7) then Q1 can attack, if Q6 is placed at (6, 8) then Q2 can attack it. Similarly at (6, 5) the Q5 will attack it. At (6, 4) the Q2 will attack, at (6, 3) the Q4 will attack, at (6, 2) the Q1 will attack and at (6, 1) Q3 will attack the queen Q6. This shows that we need to backtrack and change the previously placed queens positions. It could then be -

Hence we have to backtrack to adjust already placed queens.



But again Q8 cannot be placed at any empty location safely. Hence we need to backtrack. Finally the successful placement of all the eight queens can be shown by following figure.



|   |    |  |  |  |  |    |  |
|---|----|--|--|--|--|----|--|
| 4 |    |  |  |  |  |    |  |
| 5 | Q5 |  |  |  |  |    |  |
| 6 |    |  |  |  |  | Q6 |  |
| 7 |    |  |  |  |  |    |  |
| 8 |    |  |  |  |  |    |  |

**7.3.2 Algorithm**

**Algorithm** Queen(n)

//Problem description : This algorithm is for implementing queen's problem

//Input : total number of queen's n.

for column ← 1 to n do

{  
if (place(row,column)) then

{  
board[row|column]//no conflict so

if (row = n) then //dead end

print\_board(n)

//printing the board configuration

else //try next queen with next position

Queen(row+1,n)

}

}

}  
}

**Algorithm** place(row,column)

//Problem Description : This algorithm is for placing queen at appropriate position

//Input : row and column of the chessboard

//output : returns 0 for the conflicting row and column position and 1 for no conflict.

for i ← 1 to row-1 do

{ //checking for column and diagonal conflict

if (board[i] = column) then

return 0

else if (abs(board[i]-column) = abs(i - row))

return 0

}

return 1

//no conflicts hence Queen can be placed

return 1

```

*/
void Queen(int row,int n)
{
 int column;
 for(column=1;column<=n;column++)
 {
 if(place(row,column))
 {
 board[row] = column;//no conflict so place queen
 if(row==n)//dead end
 print_board(n);
 else //try next queen with next position
 Queen(row+1,n);
 }
 }
}

int place(int row,int column)
{
 int i;
 for(i=1;i<=row-1;i++)
 { //checking for column and diagonal conflicts
 if(board[i] == column)
 return 0;
 else
 if(abs(board[i] - column) == abs(i - row))
 return 0;
 }
 //no conflicts hence Queen can be placed
 return 1;
}

```

**Example 7.3.1** Solve 8-queen's problem for a feasible sequence (6, 4, 7, 1).

**Solution :** As the feasible sequence is given, we will place the queens accordingly and then try out the other remaining places.

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 1 |   |   |   |   | Q |   |   |
| 2 |   |   | Q |   |   |   |   |
| 3 |   |   |   |   |   | Q |   |
| 4 | Q |   |   |   |   |   |   |

|   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The diagonal conflicts can be checked by follo

Let,  $P_1 = (i, j)$  and  $P_2 = (k, l)$  are two position are on the same diagonal, if

$$i + j = k + l \quad \text{or} \\ i - j = k - l$$

Now if next queen is placed on (5, 2) then

|   |   |   |   |       |   |
|---|---|---|---|-------|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5     | 6 |
| 1 |   |   |   |       | Q |
| 2 |   |   | Q |       |   |
| 3 |   |   |   |       |   |
| 4 | Q |   |   |       |   |
| 5 |   |   |   | (5,2) |   |
| 6 |   |   |   |       |   |
| 7 |   |   |   |       |   |
| 8 |   |   |   |       |   |

It can be summarized below.

|                 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|-----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Queen Positions |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 1               | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 6               | 4 | 7 | 1 |   |   |   |   |
| 6               | 4 | 7 | 1 | 2 |   |   |   |
| 6               | 4 | 7 | 1 | 3 |   |   |   |
| 6               | 4 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 2 |   |   |
| 6               | 4 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 5 |   |   |
| 6               | 4 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 2 |   |
| 6               | 4 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 2 |

The 8-queens on  $8 \times 8$  board with this sequence is -

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 1 |   |   |   |   |   | Q |   |   |
| 2 |   |   | Q |   |   |   |   |   |
| 3 |   |   |   |   |   |   | Q |   |
| 4 | Q |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 5 |   |   | Q |   |   |   |   |   |
| 6 |   |   |   |   | Q |   |   |   |
| 7 |   | Q |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 8 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | Q |

8-queens with feasible solution (6, 4, 7, 1, 3, 5, 2, 8)

**Example 7.3.2**

Draw the tree organization of the 4-queen's solution space. Number the nodes using depth first search.

**Solution :** The state space tree for 4-queen's problem consists of  $4!$  leaf nodes. That means there are 24 leaf nodes. The solution space is defined by a path from root to leaf node.

The solution can be obtained for 4 queen's problem. For instance from 1 to leaf 31 represents one possible solution.

**Example 7.3.3**

For a feasible sequence (7, 5, 3, 1) solve 8 queen's problem using backtracking.

**Solution :** While placing the queen at next position we have to check whether the current position chosen is on the same diagonal of previous queen's position.

If  $P_1 = (i, j)$  and  $P_2 = (k, l)$  are two positions then  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  lie on the same diagonal if  $i + j = k + l$  or  $i - j = k - l$ . Let us put the given feasible sequence and try out remaining positions.

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

|                                   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| j →                               | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| i values<br>i.e.<br>row<br>values | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 |   |   |   |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 2 |   |   |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 4 |   |   |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 6 |   |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 8 |   |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 4 |   |   |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 6 |   |   |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 2 |   |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 4 |   |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 2 |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 2 |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 8 |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 8 |   |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 8 | 2 |
|                                   | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 8 | 2 |

**Example 7.3.4**

Obtain any two solutions to 4-queens problem between them.

**Solution :** The solutions to 4-queen's problem are



```

12 c ← c+w[i]
13 if (c < m) then //m is capacity of knapsack
14 ub ← ub + p[i]
15 else
16 {
17 ub ← ub + (1-(c-m)/w[i])*p[i]
18 return ub
19 }
20 return ub
21 }

```

This function is invoked by a Knapsack function Bk (k, cp, cw). The algorithm for the same is as given below.

#### Algorithm Bk (k, cp, cw)

```

1 //Problem description : This algorithm is to obtain
2 //solution for knapsack problem. Using this algorithm
3 //a state space tree can be generated.
4 //Input : Initially k=1, cp=0 and cw=0. The
5 //k represents the index of currently referred
6 //item. The cp and cw represent the profit and
7 //weights of items, so far selected.
8 //Output : The set of selected items that are
9 //satisfying the objective of knapsack problem.

```

```

10 if (cw+w[j] ≤ m) then
11 {
12 temp[k] ← 1 //temp array
13 selected object
14 if (k < n) then
15 Bk(k+1, cp+p[k], cw+w[k]) //recursive call
16 if ((cp+p[k] > final_profit) AND (k == n)) then
17 { //final_profit is initially -1, it represents final profit
18 final_profit ← cp + p[k]
19 final_wt ← cw + w[k]
20 for (j ← 1 to k) then
21 x[j] ← temp[j]
22 }
23 if (Bound_calculation (cp, cw, k) ≥ final_profit) then
24 {
25 temp[k] ← 0
26 if (k < n) then
27 Bk(k+1, cp, cw)
28 if ((cp > final_profit) AND (k == n)) then
29 {

```

Generates left child

stores currently

Finally get the solution

Generates right child

Invoke this function in order to obtain upper bound.

```

30 final_profit ← cp
31 final_wt ← cw
32 for (j ← 1 to k)
33 x[j] ← temp [j]
34 }
35 }

```

#### Example 7.4.1 Obtain the optimal solution to the

$(p_1, p_2, p_3) = (25, 24, 15)$  and  $(w_1, w_2, w_3) = (1$

**Solution :** Given that  $n = 3$  and  $m = \text{Capacity of}$

We have

| i | p [i] | w [i] |
|---|-------|-------|
| 1 | 25    | 18    |
| 2 | 24    | 15    |
| 3 | 15    | 10    |

As we want  $p[i] / w[i] \geq p[i+1] / w [i+1]$ , let

| i | p [i] | w [i] |
|---|-------|-------|
| 1 | 24    | 15    |
| 2 | 15    | 10    |
| 3 | 25    | 18    |

**Step 1 :** Here we will trace knapsack backtrack.

Initially set **final\_profit = - 1**

Bk (1, 0, 0)

∴ k = 1

cp = 0

cw = 0

Check if  $(cw + w [k] < = m)$

i.e. if  $(0 + w [1] = 0 + 15 < = 20) \rightarrow \text{yes}$

∴ set temp [1] = 1

if  $(k < n)$  i.e. if  $(1 < 3) ? \rightarrow \text{yes}$

∴ Bk (k + 1, cp + p [k], cw + w [k]) is called

**Step 2 :**  $k = 2$

$$cp = 24$$

$$cw = 15$$

Check if  $(cw + w [k] \leq m)$

i.e. if  $(15 + w [2] \leq 20)$  → no

Hence we will calculate ub i.e. upper bound.

**Step 3 :** For calculating upper bound, initially set

$$ub = cp = 24$$

$c = cw = 15$  Refer line 8 and 9 of Algorithm Bound\_calculation

for  $(i = k+1$  to  $n)$  we will update upper bound value.

Consider  $i = k+1 = 3$

$$c = c + w [i]$$

$$c = 15 + w [3]$$

$$c = 15 + 18 = 33$$

As  $33 > 20$  i.e. exceeding the Knapsack capacity, we will compute ub as

$$\begin{aligned} ub &= ub + (1 - (c - m) / w [i]) * p [i] \\ ub &= 24 + (1 - (15 - 20) / w [3]) * p [3] \\ &= 24 + (1 - 5 / 18) * 25 \\ ub &= 30.94 \approx 31 \end{aligned}$$

As  $(ub > \text{final\_profit})$  i.e.  $30.94 > -1$

Set temp [2] = 0

Now refer line 27 of Bk algorithm, a recursive call with  $k = 3$  is made.

**Step 4 :**

$$k = 3$$

$$cp = 24 + p [2] = 24 + 15 = 39$$

$$cw = 15 + w [2] = 15 + 10 = 25$$

Check if  $(cw + w [k] \leq m)$

i.e. if  $(25 + w [3] = 25 + 18 < 20)$  → no

Hence we will calculate upper bound.

**Step 5 :** For calculating upper bound, initially s

$$ub = cp = 39$$

$$c = cw = 25$$

Set  $i = k + 1$  i.e.  $3 + 1 = 4$  But  $i = 4 > n$

Hence we will keep ub as it is

∴  $ub = 39$

As  $(39 > \text{final\_profit})$  i.e.  $39 > -1$

Set temp [k] = temp [3] = 0

Now  $k = n = 3$  and  $cp = 39 > \text{final\_profit}$  (i.e.

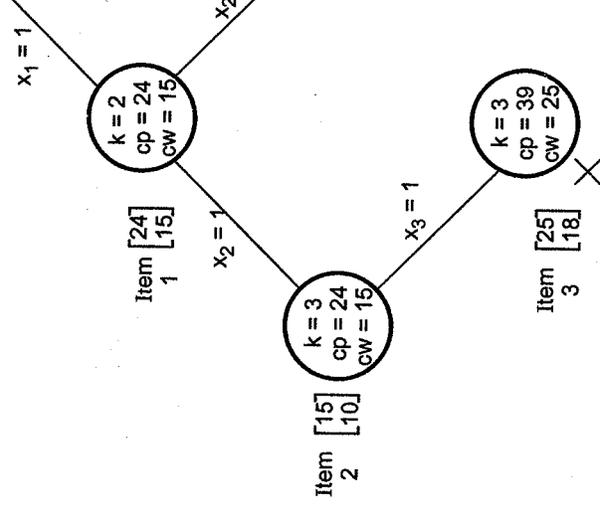
final\_profit = cp = 39

final\_wt = cw = 25

Now copy all the contents of temp array  
**Algorithm Bk.**

Hence  $x = \{1, 0, 0\}$  i.e. item 1 with weight = 1

The state space tree can be drawn as



Here the left branch indicates inclusion of item and right branch indicates exclusion of items. Hence  $x_1 = 1$  means 1<sup>st</sup> item selected and  $x_2 = 0$ ,  $x_3 = 0$  means 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> items are not selected. The state space tree can be created in DFS manner.

### C Function

```
float Bound_Calculation(int cp,int cw,int k)
{
 int ub,c,i;
 ub=cp;c=cw;
 for(i=k+1;i<=n,i++)
 {
 c=c+w[i];
 if(c<=m)
 ub=ub+p[i];
 else
 return(ub+(1-(c-m)/w[i])*p[i]);
 }
 return ub;
}

void BK(int k,int cp,int cw)
{
 int new_k,new_cp,new_cw,j;
 //Generate left child
 if(cw+w[k]<=m)
 {
 temp[k]=1;
 if(k<n)
 {
 new_k=k+1;
 new_cp=cp+p[k];
 new_cw=cw+w[k];
 BK(new_k,new_cp,new_cw);
 }
 if((new_cp>final_profit)&&(k==n))
 {
 final_profit=new_cp;
 final_wt=new_cw;
 for(j=1;j<=k;j++)
 x[j]=temp[j];
 }
 }
}
```

```
temp[k]=0;
if(k<n)
 BK(k+1,cp,cw);
if((cp>final_profit)&&(k==n))
{
 final_profit=cp;
 final_wt=cw;
 for(j=1;j<=k;j++)
 x[j]=temp[j];
}
}
```

### Example 7.4.2

$n = 8$

$P = (11, 21, 31, 33, 43, 53, 55, 65)$   $W = (1, 11, 11, 21, 31, 33, 43, 53, 55, 65)$

**Solution :** We will arrange all the items in  $\frac{P_i}{W_i} >$

The instance will be

| Item | $P_i$ |
|------|-------|
| 1    | 11    |
| 2    | 21    |
| 3    | 31    |
| 4    | 33    |
| 5    | 43    |
| 6    | 53    |
| 7    | 55    |
| 8    | 65    |

Let  $M = 110$

Initially total-profit = - 1

$cp = 0$ ,  $cw = 0$  Let  $k = 0$

$cp = cp + 11 = 0 + 11 = 11$

$cw = cw + 1 = 0 + 1 = 1 < m$

$k = 1$ ,  $p[i] = 21$

$cw = 1 + 11 = 12 < 110$   $\therefore$  select item 2  
 $k = 2$   $p[3] = 31$   
 $w[3] = 21$   
 $\therefore$   $cp = 32 + 31 = 63$   
 $cw = 12 + 21 = 33 < 110$   $\therefore$  select item 3  
 $k = 3$   $p[4] = 33$   
 $w[4] = 23$   
 $\therefore$   $cp = 63 + 33 = 96$   
 $cw = 33 + 23 = 56 < 110$   $\therefore$  select item 4  
 $k = 4$   $p[5] = 43$   
 $w[5] = 33$   
 $\therefore$   $cp = 96 + 43 = 139$   
 $cw = 33 + 56 = 89 < 110$   $\therefore$  select item 5  
 $k = 5$   $p[6] = 53$   
 $w[6] = 43$   
 $\therefore$   $cp = 139 + 53 = 192$   
 $cw = 99 + 43 = 142 > 110$   $\therefore$  not to select item 6

Thus upper bound will be,  $11 + 21 + 31 + 33 + 43 + \left(\frac{110 - 89}{43}\right) * 53 = 164.88$  on selecting item 6, 7, 8 the total weight will exceed the capacity hence we will back track at item 4. That means item 1, item 2, item 3, item 4 are selected. Thus upper bound will be calculated and a space tree is constructed, as follows. (See Fig. 7.4.2 on next page).

**Computation at node I**

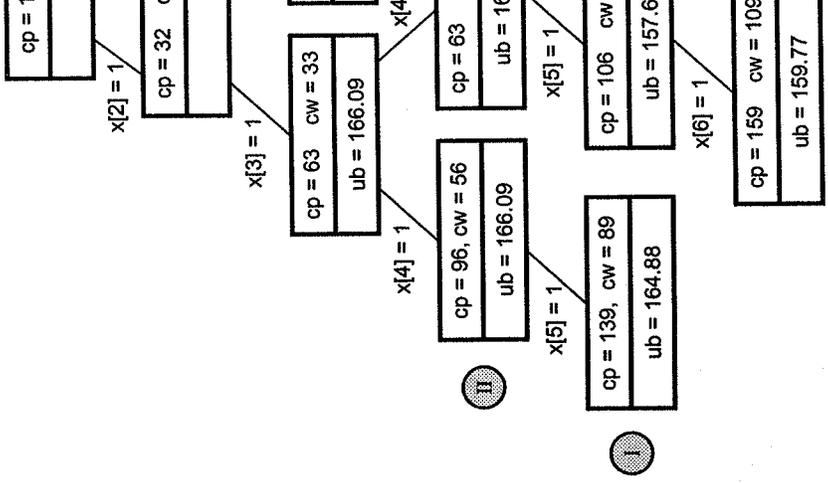
$$ub = cp + \left(\frac{m - cw}{W_{i+1}}\right) * P_{i+1}$$

$$ub = 11 + 21 + 31 + 33 + 43 + \left(\frac{110 - 89}{43}\right) * 53$$

$$ub = 164.88$$

**Computation at node II**

$$ub = 11 + 21 + 31 + 33 + 43 + \left(\frac{110 - 56}{43}\right) * 43$$



**Solution Fig. 7.4.2**

**Computation at node III**

$$ub = 11 + 21 + 31 + 43 + 53 + \left(\frac{110 - 109}{43}\right) * 43$$

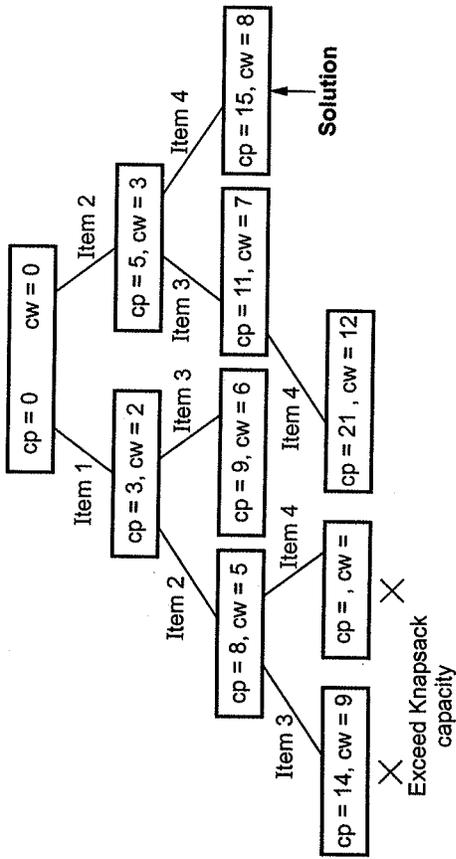
$$ub = 160.22$$

The solution giving maximum profit will be item 5 and item 6.

**Example 7.4.3**

Solve the following instance of knapsack. The capacity of the knapsack  $W = 8$  and  $w = (2,$

**Solution :** The state space tree can be built as follows :



**Fig. 7.4.3**

Thus solution is { item 2, item 4 } with profit 15.

### Review Questions

1. Construct an implicit tree for 0-1 knapsack problem. Give backtracking algorithm to solve it.  
GTU : June-11, Marks 6
2. Explain backtracking with knapsack problem.  
GTU : Winter-14, Marks 7

## 7.5 Branch and Bound Method

- In branch and bound method a state space tree is built and all the children of E nodes (a live node whose children are currently being generated) are generated before any other node can become a live node.
- For exploring new nodes either a BFS or D-search technique can be used.
- In Branch and bound technique, BFS-like state space search will be called FIFO (First In First Out) search. This is because the list of live nodes is First In First Out list (queue). On the other hand the D-search like state space search will be called LIFO search because the list of live node is Last in First out list (stack).
- In this method a space tree of possible solutions is generated. Then partitioning (called as branching) is done at each node of the tree. We compute lower bound and upper bound at each node. This computation leads to selection of answer node.

## 7.5.1 General Algorithm for Branch and Bound

The algorithm for branch and bound method

**Algorithm Branch\_Bound()**

```

{
//E is a node pointer;
E ← new(node); // This is the root node which is
//start node
//H is heap for all the live nodes.
// H is a min-heap for minimization problems,
//H is a max-heap for maximization problems.
while (true)
{
if (E is a final leaf) then
{
//E is an optimal solution
write(path from E to the root);
return;
}
Expand(E);
if (H is empty) then //if no element is present
{
write(" there is no solution");
return;
}
E ← delete_top(H);
}
}

```

Following is an algorithm named Expand

**Algorithm Expand(E)**

```

{
Generate all the children of E;
Compute the approximate cost value of each child;
Insert each child into the heap H;
}

```

### For Example

Consider the 4-queens problem using branch and bound method a bounding function is associated with optimum bounding function becomes an E node expanded. The state space tree for the same is as

In Fig. 7.5.1 based on bounding function the

**Example 7.5.1** Explain use of branch and bound technique

**Ans. : Problem statement :** There are  $n$  people to that total cost of assignment is as small as possible. by  $n$  by  $n$  matrix and each element in each row has two selected elements are in the same column possible.

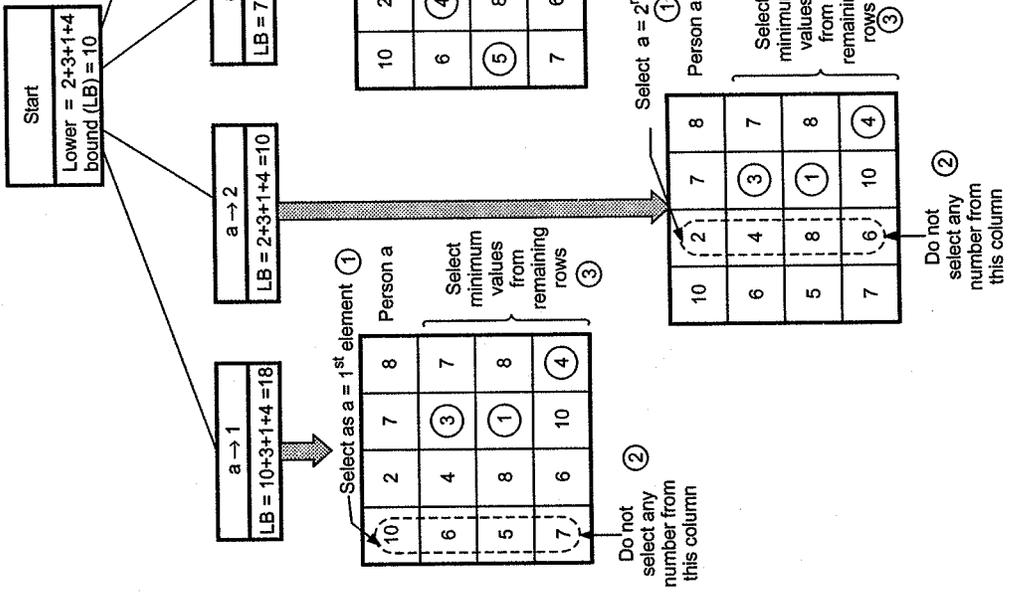
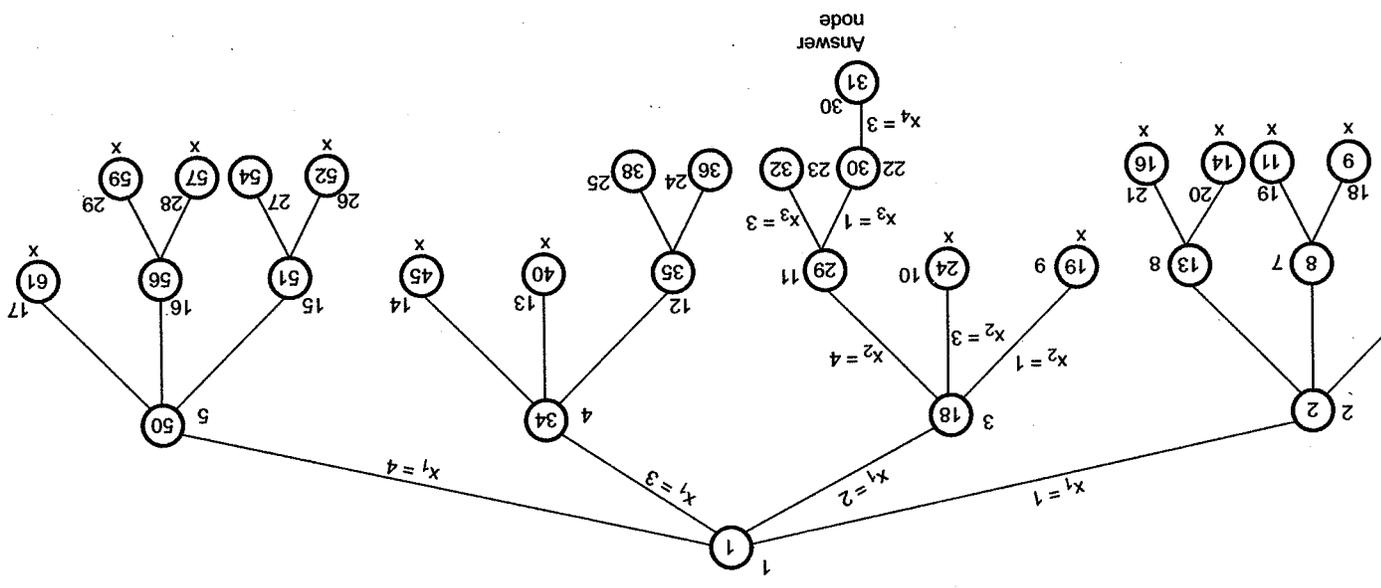


Fig. 7.5.2



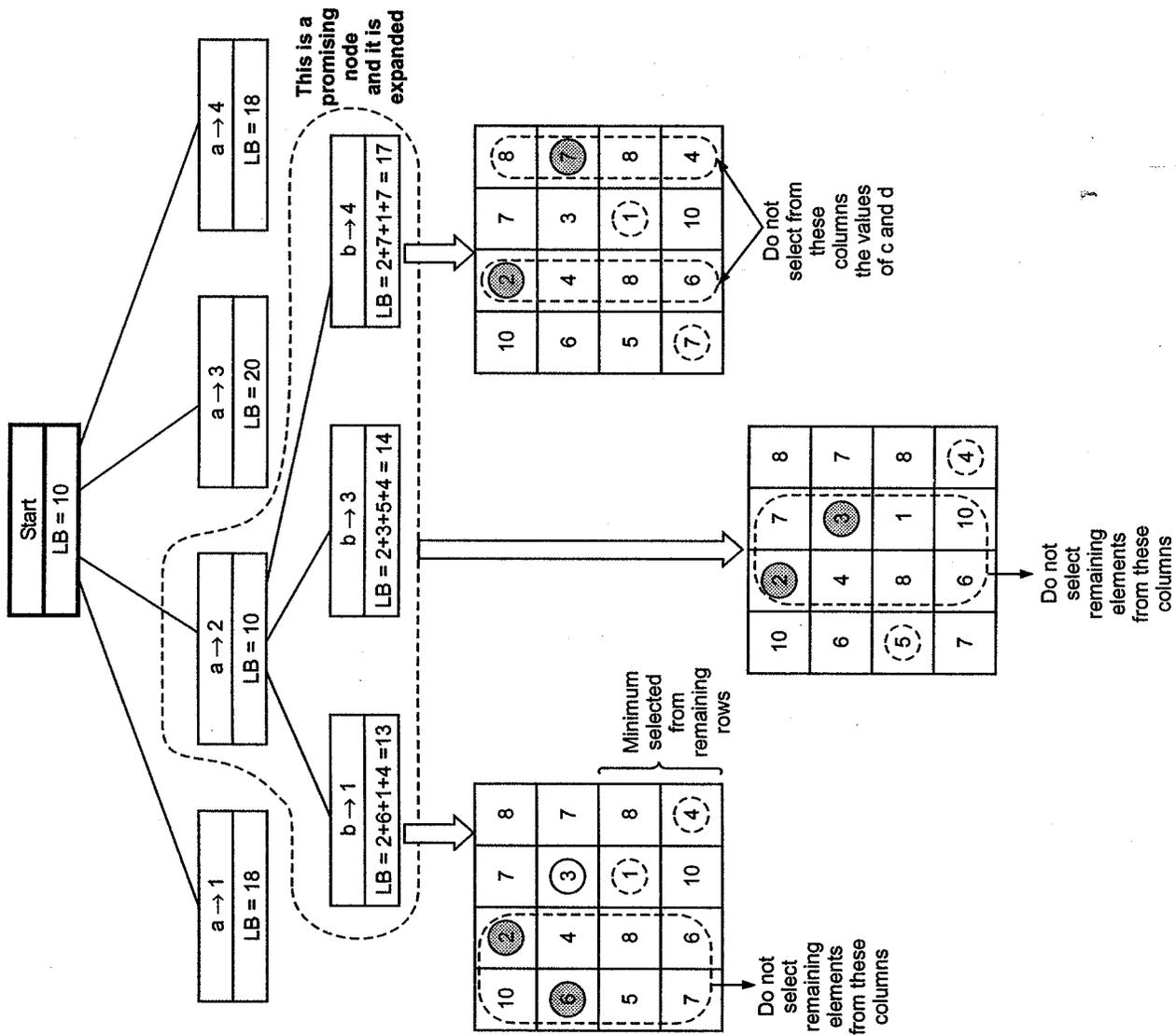


Fig. 7.5.3

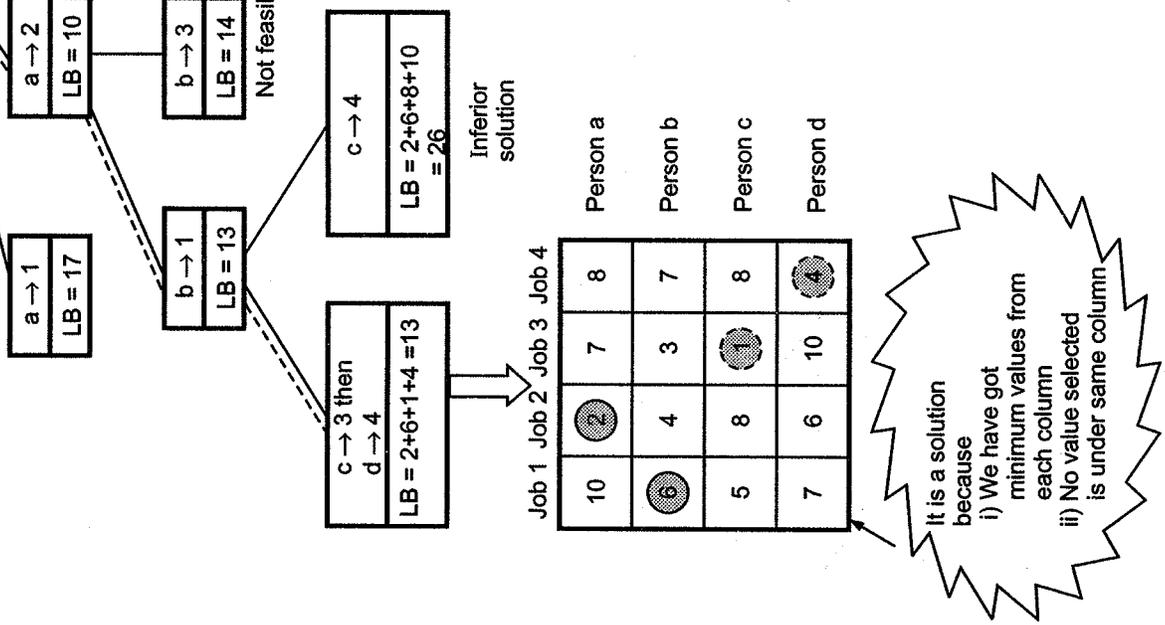


Fig. 7.5.4

Let us take one example and understand this problem.

|          | Job1 | Job2 | Job3 | Job4 |  |
|----------|------|------|------|------|--|
| Person a | 10   | 2    | 7    | 8    |  |
| Person b | 6    | 4    | 3    | 7    |  |
| Person c | 5    | 8    | 1    | 8    |  |
| Person d | 7    | 6    | 10   | 4    |  |

If we select minimum value from each row then we get,

|    |   |    |   |
|----|---|----|---|
| 10 | 2 | 7  | 8 |
| 6  | 4 | 3  | 7 |
| 5  | 8 | 1  | 8 |
| 7  | 6 | 10 | 4 |

$\Rightarrow 2 + 3 + 1 + 4 = 10$   
 Hence set lower bound = 10.  
 Now the state space tree can be drawn step by step.

Thus we have set jobs for person a, then we select jobs for person b then for person c and finally for person d.

Thus assignment problem can be solved with best fit branch and bound algorithm.

**Example 7.5.2** Differentiate branch and bound and back tracking algorithm.

**GTU : Winter-18, Marks 7**

**Solution :**

| Sr. No. | Backtracking                                                  | Branch and Bound                                                                                                                                           |
|---------|---------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.      | Solution for backtracking is traced using depth first search. | In this method, it is not necessary to use depth first search for obtaining the solution, even the breadth first search, best first search can be applied. |
| 2.      | Typically decision problems can be solved using backtracking. | Typically optimization problems can be solved using branch and bound.                                                                                      |
| 3.      | While finding the solution to the                             | It proceeds on better solutions. So there cannot be a bad solution                                                                                         |

4. The state space tree is searched until the solution is obtained.

5. Applications of backtracking are - M coloring, Knapsack.

**Review Question**

1. Explain in brief : Branch and bound method.

**7.6 Traveling Salesman Problem**

**Problem Statement**

If there are n cities and cost of travelling from one city to another is given. Then we have to obtain the cheapest round-trip once and then returning to starting city, complete.

Typically travelling salesperson problem is represented as follows.

**For example :** Consider an instance for TSP is given as follows.

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & 20 & 30 & 10 & 11 \\ 15 & \infty & 16 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & \infty & 2 & 4 \\ 19 & 6 & 18 & \infty & 3 \\ 16 & 4 & 7 & 16 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

There n = 5 nodes. Hence we can draw a state space tree as follows.

Fig. 7.6.1.

Tour(x) is the path that begins at root and returns to root. In branch and bound strategy travelling salesperson problem is solved by ch Hence,

$$c(x) = \text{cost of tour } (x)$$

The  $c^*(x)$  is the approximation cost along the path

### 7.6.1 Row Minimization

To understand solving of travelling salespers approach we will reduce the cost of the cost matrix

$$\text{Red\_Row } (M) = \left[ M_{ij} - \min \{ M_{ij} \mid 1 \leq j \leq n \} \right]$$

For example : Consider the matrix M representing

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & 20 & 30 & 10 & 11 \\ 15 & \infty & 16 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & \infty & 2 & 4 \\ 19 & 6 & 18 & \infty & 3 \\ 16 & 4 & 7 & 16 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

We will find minimum of each row.

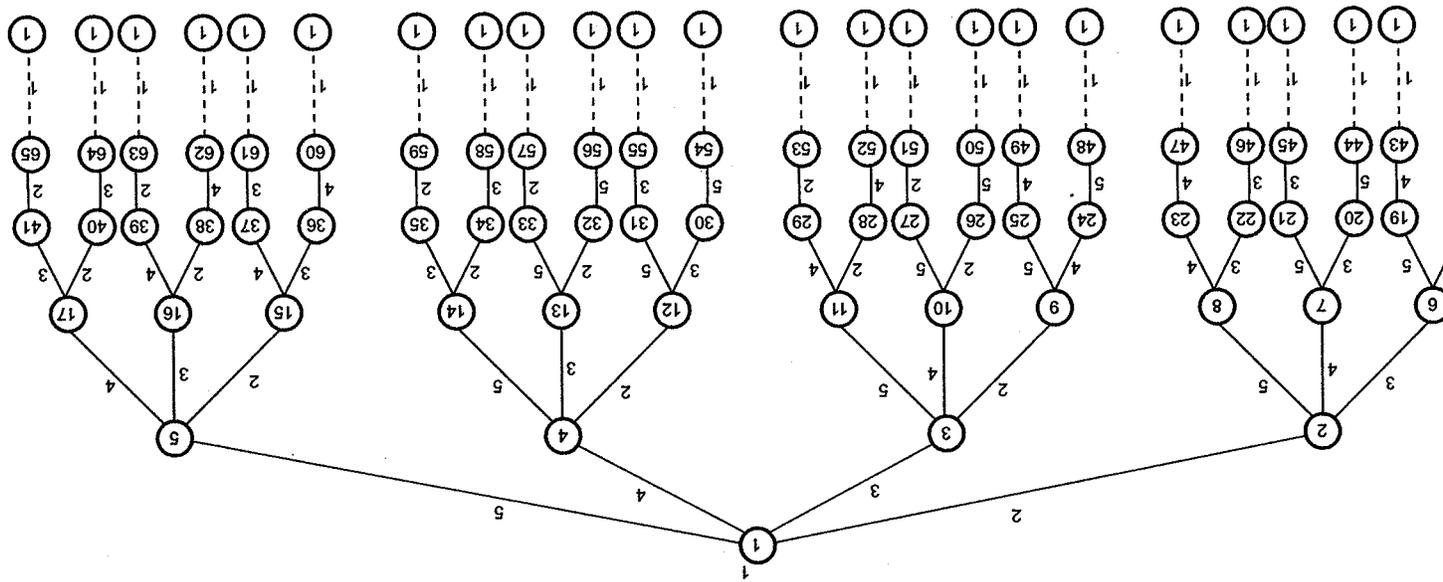
$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & 20 & 30 & 10 & 11 \\ 15 & \infty & 16 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & \infty & 2 & 4 \\ 19 & 6 & 18 & \infty & 3 \\ 16 & 4 & 7 & 16 & \infty \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} 10 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{matrix}$$

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We will subtract the row\_minimum value from cost

$$\text{Red\_Row}(M) = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & 10 & 20 & 0 & 1 \\ 13 & \infty & 14 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & \infty & 0 & 2 \\ 16 & 3 & 15 & \infty & 0 \\ 12 & 0 & 3 & 12 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

### 7.6.2 Column Minimization



$$\text{Red\_Col}(M) = M_{ji\_min} \left\{ M_{ji} \mid 1 \leq j \leq n \right\} \text{ where } M_{ji} < \infty$$

### 7.6.3 Full Reduction

Let  $M$  be the cost matrix for travelling salesperson problem for  $n$  vertices then  $M$  is called reduced if each row and each column consists of either entirely  $\infty$  entries or else contain at least one zero. The full reduction can be achieved by applying both row\_reduction and column reduction.

**For example :** Consider, the matrix  $M$  as given below and reduce it fully.

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & 20 & 30 & 10 & 11 \\ 15 & \infty & 16 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & \infty & 2 & 4 \\ 19 & 6 & 18 & \infty & 3 \\ 16 & 4 & 7 & 16 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

Red\_Row ( $M$ ) can be obtained as,

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & 20 & 30 & 10 & 11 \\ 15 & \infty & 16 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & \infty & 2 & 4 \\ 19 & 6 & 18 & \infty & 3 \\ 16 & 4 & 7 & 16 & \infty \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} 10 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{array}$$


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$$\text{Red\_Row } (M) = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & 10 & 20 & 0 & 1 \\ 13 & \infty & 14 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & \infty & 0 & 2 \\ 16 & 3 & 15 & \infty & 0 \\ 12 & 0 & 3 & 12 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

Red\_Col( $M$ ) be obtained as,

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & 10 & 20 & 0 & 1 \\ 13 & \infty & 14 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & \infty & 0 & 2 \\ 16 & 3 & 15 & \infty & 0 \\ 12 & 0 & 3 & 12 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Red\_Col}(M) = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & 10 & 17 & 0 & 1 \\ 12 & \infty & 11 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & 0 & 2 \\ 15 & 3 & 12 & \infty & 0 \\ 11 & 0 & 0 & 12 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus total reduced cost will be

$$\begin{aligned} &= \text{cost}(\text{Red\_Row}(M)) + \text{cost}(\text{Red\_Col}(M)) \\ &= 21 + 4 \\ &= 25 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus } \begin{bmatrix} \infty & 20 & 30 & 10 & 11 \\ 15 & \infty & 16 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 5 & \infty & 2 & 4 \\ 19 & 6 & 18 & \infty & 3 \\ 16 & 4 & 7 & 16 & \infty \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} \text{fully} \\ \Rightarrow \\ \text{reduced} \\ \text{matrix} \end{array}$$

### 7.6.4 Dynamic Reduction

We obtained the total reduced cost as 25. We have a length at least 25.

Using dynamic reduction we can make the

#### Steps in dynamic reduction technique

1. Draw a state space tree with optimum cost.
2. Obtain the cost of matrix for path  $i \rightarrow j$  as  $\infty$ . Also set  $M[i][j] = \infty$ .
3. Cost of corresponding node  $x$  with path  $M[i][j]$ .
4. Set node with minimum cost as E-node 1 to 4 for completing tour with optimum

**For example :**

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} \infty & 20 & 30 & 10 & 11 \\ 15 & \infty & 16 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & \infty & 2 & 4 \\ 19 & 6 & 18 & \infty & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Fully reduced matrix is,

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & 10 & 17 & 0 & 1 \\ 12 & \infty & 11 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & 0 & 2 \\ 15 & 3 & 12 & \infty & 0 \\ 11 & 0 & 0 & 12 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

Optimum cost = 21 + 4 = 25.

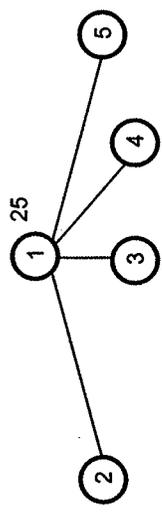


Fig. 7.6.2 Portion of state space tree

Consider path 1, 2. Make 1<sup>st</sup> row and 2<sup>nd</sup> column  $\infty$ . And set  $M[2][1] = \infty$ .

|          |          |          |          |          |        |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|--------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | ignore |
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 11       | 2        | 0        | ignore |
| 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 0        | 2        | ignore |
| 15       | $\infty$ | 12       | $\infty$ | 0        | ignore |
| 11       | $\infty$ | 0        | 12       | $\infty$ | ignore |

ignore ignore ignore ignore ignore

Cost of node 2 is

$$25 + 0 + 10$$

↑  
optimum reduced old value of cost cost  $M[1][2]$

$$= 35$$

Consider path 1, 3. Make 1<sup>st</sup> row =  $\infty$ , 3<sup>rd</sup> column =  $\infty$  and  $M[3][1] = \infty$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 12 & \infty & \infty & 2 & 0 \\ \infty & 3 & \infty & 0 & 2 \\ 15 & 3 & \infty & \infty & 0 \\ 11 & 0 & \infty & 12 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

Cost of node 3 is

$$= 25 + 11 + \uparrow \text{optimum cost reduced cost} = 53$$

Consider path 1, 4.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 12 & \infty & 11 & \infty & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & \infty & 2 \\ \infty & 3 & 12 & \infty & 0 \\ 11 & 0 & 0 & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

Cost of node 4 is = 25 + 0 + 0

$$= 25$$

Consider path 1, 5.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 12 & \infty & 11 & 2 & \infty \rightarrow 2 \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & 0 & \infty \\ 15 & 3 & 12 & \infty & \infty \rightarrow 3 \\ \infty & 0 & 0 & 12 & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

Cost of node 5 is = 25 + 5 + 1

$$= 31$$

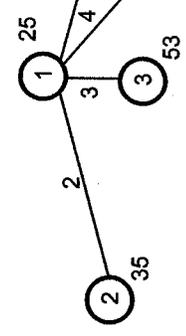


Fig. 7.6.3 Portion of state space tree

Now, as cost of node 4 is optimum, we will children nodes 6, 7, 8.

Consider path 1, 4, 2 for node 6. Set 1<sup>st</sup> row, 4<sup>th</sup> column =  $\infty$ ,  $M[2][1] = \infty$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & 11 & \infty & 0 \\ 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty & 2 \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 11 & \infty & 0 & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

Cost of node 6 = 25 + M [4, 2]  
 = 25 + 3  
 = 28

Consider path 1, 4, 3 for node 7. Set 1<sup>st</sup> row, 4<sup>th</sup> row to ∞. Set 4<sup>th</sup> column, 3<sup>rd</sup> column to ∞. Set M [4] [1] = M[3] [1] = ∞.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 12 & \infty & \infty & \infty & 0 \rightarrow 2 \\ \infty & 3 & \infty & \infty & 2 \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 11 & 0 & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

↑  
11

Cost of node 7 = 25 + 13 + M [4] [3]  
 = 25 + 13 + 12  
 = 50

Consider path 1, 4, 5 for node 8.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 12 & \infty & 11 & \infty & \infty \rightarrow 11 \\ 0 & 3 & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & 0 & 0 & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

Cost of node 8 = 25 + 11  
 = 36

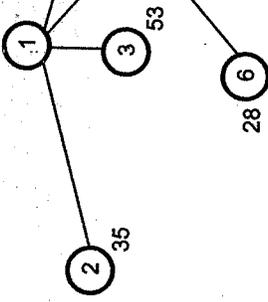


Fig. 7.6.4 Portion of

Now as cost of node 6 is minimum, no children for node 6. Node 9 and 10 are children of node 6.  
 Consider path 1, 4, 2, 3 for node 9. Set 1<sup>st</sup> row, 2<sup>nd</sup> column and 3<sup>rd</sup> column to ∞.

Set M[4, 1] = M[2, 1] = M[3, 1] = ∞.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & 2 \rightarrow 2 \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \\ 11 & \infty & \infty & \infty & \infty \end{bmatrix}$$

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Cost of node 9

= 28 + 13  
 = 52

↑  
optimum cost reduced cost

Consider path 1, 4, 2, 5 for node 10. Set 1<sup>st</sup> row, 2<sup>nd</sup> column and 5<sup>th</sup> column to ∞. Set M

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

Cost of node 10 = 28 + M[2] [5]  
 = 28 + 0

**Example 7.6.1** Apply the branch and bound algorithm matrix.

|    |    |    |   |   |
|----|----|----|---|---|
| ∞  | 11 | 10 | 9 | 6 |
| 8  | ∞  | 7  | 3 | 4 |
| 8  | 4  | ∞  | 4 | 8 |
| 11 | 10 | 5  | ∞ | 5 |
| 6  | 9  | 5  | 5 | ∞ |

**Solution :**

**Step 1 :** We will find the minimum value from e corresponding row.

|    |    |    |   |   |     |
|----|----|----|---|---|-----|
| ∞  | 11 | 10 | 9 | 6 | → 6 |
| 8  | ∞  | 7  | 3 | 4 | → 3 |
| 8  | 4  | ∞  | 4 | 8 | → 4 |
| 11 | 10 | 5  | ∞ | 5 | → 5 |
| 6  | 9  | 5  | 5 | ∞ | → 5 |

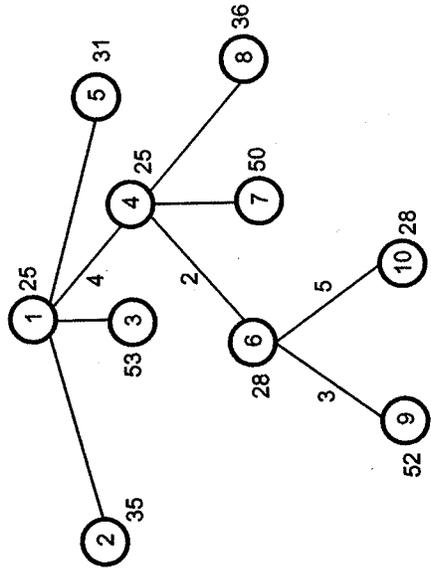
**Fig. 7.6.7**

Now we will obtain minimum value from each then ignore that column and a fully reduced matrix

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ∞ | 5 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| 5 | ∞ | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | 0 | ∞ | 0 | 4 |
| 6 | 5 | 0 | ∞ | 0 |
| 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | ∞ |

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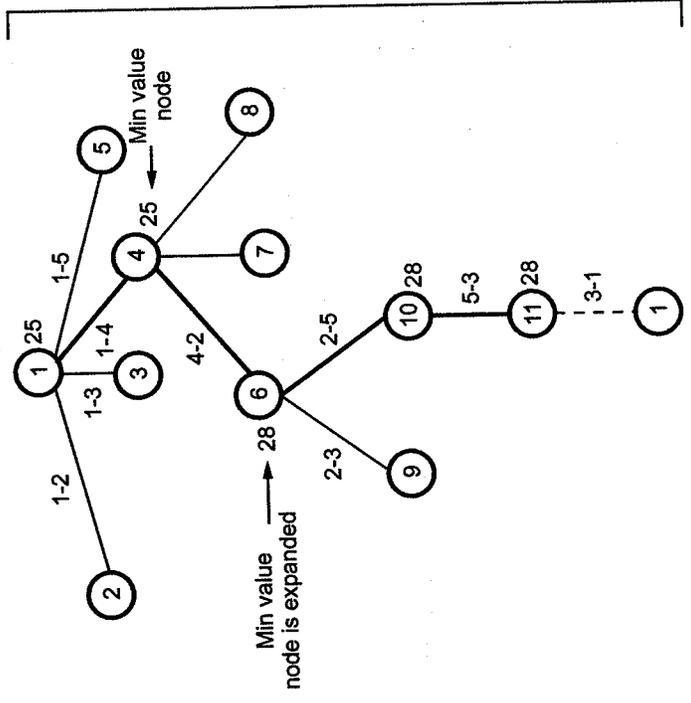
Total reduced cost = Total reduced row cost + Total reduced column cost = 23 + 1 = 24



**Fig. 7.6.5** Portion of state space tree

Node 10 becomes E-node now.

As for node 10 only child being generated is node 11. We set path as 1, 4, 2, 5, 3. To complete the tour we return to 1. Hence the state space tree is,



By tracing the route along the edge we get 1-4-2-5-3-1

**Fig. 7.6.6** State space tree

Now we will set 24 as the optimum cost.

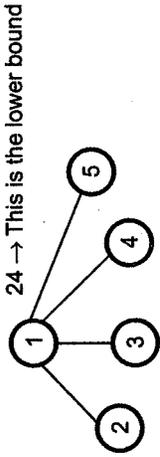


Fig. 7.6.8

**Step 2 :** Now we will consider the paths [1, 2], [1, 3], [1, 4] and [1, 5] of state space tree as given above consider path [1, 2] make 1<sup>st</sup> row, 2<sup>nd</sup> column to  $\infty$ . Set  $M[2][1] = \infty$ .

|          |          |          |          |          |          |                      |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------------------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 4        | 0        | 1        | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 3        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 0        | 4        | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 5        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 0        | $\infty$ | 0        | 0        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |

Now we will find min value from each corresponding column.

|          |          |          |          |          |          |                      |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------------------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 4        | 0        | 1        | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 3        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 0        | 4        | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 5        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 0        | $\infty$ | 0        | 0        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |

There is no minimum value from any column

Hence total reduced cost for node 2 is -  
 = Optimum cost + old value of  $M[1][2]$   
 = 24 + 5  
 = 29

Consider path (1, 3). Make 1<sup>st</sup> row, 3<sup>rd</sup> column to be  $\infty$ .

Set  $M[3][1] = \infty$ .

|          |          |          |          |          |          |               |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ |
| 4        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 0        | 1        | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ |
| $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | 0        | 4        | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ |
| 5        | 5        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ |
| 0        | 4        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ |

Hence total cost for node 3 is

= Optimum cost +  $M[1][3]$   
 = 24 + 4  
 = 28

Consider path (1, 4). Make 1<sup>st</sup> row, 4<sup>th</sup> column

|          |          |          |          |          |          |                      |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------------------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 4        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 4        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 3        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| $\infty$ | 5        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 0        | 4        | 0        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |

|          |          |          |          |          |          |                      |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------------------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 4        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 3        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 3        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| $\infty$ | 5        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |
| 0        | 4        | 0        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\rightarrow$ ignore |

The total cost for node 4 is



|          |          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| 4        | $\infty$ | 0        | 0        | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ |
| 1        | 1        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 4        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ |

Subtract 1 from 1<sup>st</sup> column

↑ ignore ↑ ignore ↑ ignore ↑ ignore

|          |          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| 3        | $\infty$ | 0        | 0        | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ |
| 0        | 1        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 4        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ |

The total cost for node 7 will be -

= Optimum cost at node 5 + Column reduced cost + M [5] [3]  
 = 27 + 1 + 0  
 = 28.

Consider the path [1, 5, 4]. Make first row, fifth row and fourth column to be  $\infty$ . Set  $M [5] [1] = M [4] [1] = \infty$ .

|          |          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| 4        | $\infty$ | 4        | $\infty$ | 1        |
| 3        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 4        |
| $\infty$ | 5        | 0        | $\infty$ | 0        |
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |

→ ignore  
 → 1  
 → ignore  
 → ignore  
 → ignore

Subtracting 1 from

⇒ 2<sup>nd</sup> row

|          |          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| 3        | $\infty$ | 3        | $\infty$ | 0        |
| 3        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 4        |
| $\infty$ | 5        | 0        | $\infty$ | 0        |
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |

Subtract 3 from  
 ⇒ 1<sup>st</sup> column

↑ ignore ↑ ignore ↑ ignore ↑ ignore

|          |          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| 0        | $\infty$ | 3        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| 0        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 5        | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |

The total cost for node 8 will be

= Optimum cost at node 5 + Column-reduced  
 = 27 + (1 + 3) + 0  
 = 31

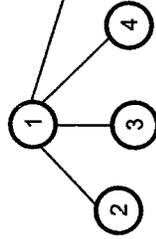


Fig. 7.6.10

The partial state space tree will be -  
 The node 7 has optimum cost. Hence 7 becomes further.

**Step 4 :** Now we will consider paths [1, 5, 3, 2] and make as  $\infty$ .  
 Set  $M [2] [1] = M [3] [1] = M [5] [1] = \infty$ .

The matrix becomes -

|          |          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 4        | 0        | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| 5        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |

↑ ignore ↑ ignore ↑ ignore ↑ ignore

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| 0 | ∞ | 0 | ∞ | 0 |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |

The reduced cost at node 9 [i.e. path [1, 5, 3, 2]] will be

= Optimum cost at node 7 + Column-reduced cost + M [3] [2]

= 28 + 5 + 0

= 33

Consider the path [1, 5, 3, 4]. Make 1<sup>st</sup> row, 5<sup>th</sup> row, 3<sup>rd</sup> row and 4<sup>th</sup> column as ∞.

Set M [5] [1] = M [3] [1] = M [4] [1] = ∞.

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| 4 | ∞ | 4 | ∞ | 1 |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | 5 | 0 | ∞ | 0 |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |

- ignore
- 1
- ignore
- ignore
- ignore

Subtracting 1 from second row,

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| 3 | ∞ | 3 | ∞ | 0 |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | 5 | 0 | ∞ | 0 |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |

Subtracting 3 from 1<sup>st</sup> column and 5 from 2<sup>nd</sup> column

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| 0 | ∞ | 3 | ∞ | 0 |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | 0 | 0 | ∞ | 0 |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |

The total reduced cost at node 10 [i.e. path  
= Optimum cost at node 7 + Row-reduced

= 28 + (3 + 5) + 0

= 36

The partial state space tree will be -

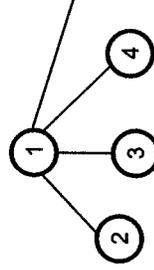


Fig. 7

Step 5 : Now consider path [1, 5, 3, 2, 4]

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | 5 | 0 | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |

↓ 5 minvalue

Now subtract 5 from 2<sup>nd</sup> column

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | 0 | 0 | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |

= Optimum cost at node 9 + column reduced cost + M [2] [4]  
 = 33 + 5 + 0  
 = 38

The final state space tree will be -

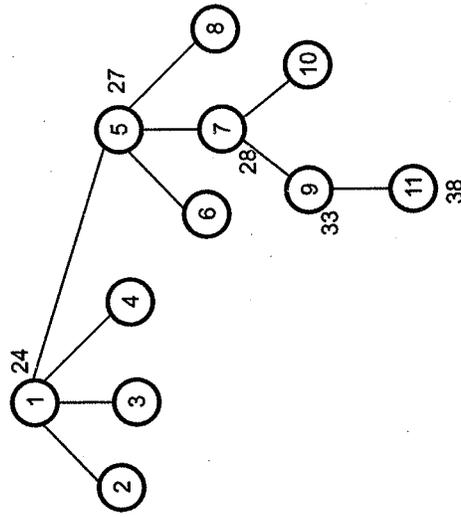
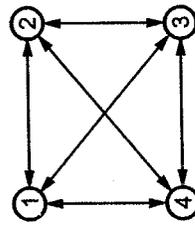


Fig. 7.6.12

The tour with minimum cost is 29. The path will be 1, 5, 3, 2, 4, 1.

**Example 7.6.2** What is travelling salesperson problem ? Find the solution of the following travelling salesperson problem using dynamic approach and branch and bound approach.

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 10 & 15 & 20 \\ 5 & 0 & 9 & 10 \\ 6 & 13 & 0 & 12 \\ 8 & 8 & 9 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Fig. 7.6.13

**Solution : Step 1 :** We will find the minimum value from each row and subtract it from corresponding row.

|   |    |    |    |
|---|----|----|----|
| ∞ | 10 | 15 | 20 |
| 5 | ∞  | 9  | 10 |
| 6 | 13 | ∞  | 12 |
| 8 | 8  | 9  | ∞  |

⇒

|   |   |   |    |
|---|---|---|----|
| ∞ | 0 | 5 | 10 |
| 0 | ∞ | 4 | 5  |
| 0 | 7 | ∞ | 6  |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | ∞  |

Reduced Matrix

Now we will obtain min value from each then ignore that column. The fully reduced ma

|   |   |   |    |
|---|---|---|----|
| ∞ | 0 | 5 | 10 |
| 0 | ∞ | 4 | 5  |
| 0 | 7 | ∞ | 6  |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | ∞  |

↑ ignore    ↑ ignore    1    5  
 ↑ ignore    ignore

⇒

Total reduced cost = Total reduced row cost + Total reduced column cost

= 29 + 6 = 35

The 35 is now set as optimum cost

**Step 2 :** Now consider path [1, 2]. Mark 1<sup>st</sup> row and 2<sup>nd</sup> column as ∞. Also set M[2][1] = ∞. Then we will find min from each row.

Now we will find min from each column

Hence total reduced cost for node 2 is

= Optimum cost + Old value of M[1][2]  
 = 35 + 0 = 35

Now consider path (1, 3). Make 1<sup>st</sup> row and

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| 0 | ∞ | 0 | ∞ |
| ∞ | 7 | ∞ | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | ∞ | ∞ |

→ ignore    → ignore    → 1    → ignore

Total cost for node 3 is

= Optimum cost + Old value of  $M[1][3]$  + Reduced cost

=  $35 + 4 + 1 = 40$

Now consider path (1, 4). Marks 1<sup>st</sup> row and 4<sup>th</sup> column to be  $\infty$ . Set  $M[4][1] = \infty$ .

Optimum cost for node 3 is =

Optimum cost + Old value of  $M[1][4]$

=  $35 + 5 = 40$

The partial tree will be

Node 2 with minimum cost. Hence it will be expanded further.

**Step 3 :** Consider paths [1, 2, 3], [1, 2, 4].

Consider path 1, 2, 3. Make 1<sup>st</sup> row, 2<sup>nd</sup> row and 3<sup>rd</sup> column as  $\infty$ . Mark  $M[2][1]$  and  $M[3][1] = \infty$ .

|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 7        | $\infty$ | 1        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| 0        | 0        | $\infty$ |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |

|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 6        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| 0        | 0        | $\infty$ |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
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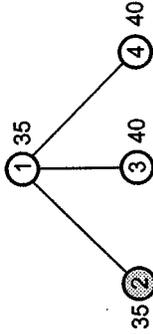


Fig. 7.6.15

Hence total cost for node 5 will be

= Optimum cost at node 2 + Reduced cost +  $M[2][3]$

=  $35 + 1 + 3 = 39$

Consider path [1, 2, 4]. Make 1<sup>st</sup> row, 2<sup>nd</sup> row and 4<sup>th</sup> column as  $\infty$ .

$M[2][1] = M[4][1] = \infty$

|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 7        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| 0        | 0        | $\infty$ |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |

No minimum value

= Optimum cost at node 2 + Reduced cost + N  
 =  $35 + 0 + 0 = 35$

The partial tree will be

**Step 4 :** Consider path [1, 2, 4, 3].

Mark 1<sup>st</sup> row = 2<sup>nd</sup> row = 4<sup>th</sup> row = 3<sup>rd</sup> column

$M[3][1] = M[4][1] = M[2][1] = \infty$

Subtract 6 from 2<sup>nd</sup> column.

|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 7        | $\infty$ | 1        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |

Optimum cost = Optimum cost at node 6 +  $M[$

|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |

=  $35 + 0 = 35$

Final state space tree will be

The path will be 1 - 2 - 4 - 3 - 1.

The tour with minimum cost is 35.

**Example 7.6.3** Explain branch and bound strategy.

Take an example of travelling salesman problem using branch and bound.

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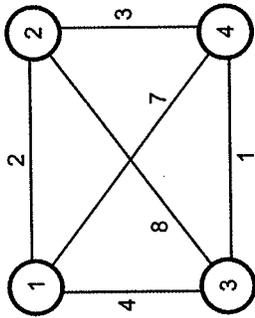


Fig. 7.6.18

**Solution :** Branch and bound strategy -

Refer section 7.5.1.

We will create adjacency matrix for given graph.

|   |          |          |          |          |
|---|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|   | 1        | 2        | 3        | 4        |
| 1 | $\infty$ | 2        | 4        | 7        |
| 2 | 2        | $\infty$ | 8        | 3        |
| 3 | 4        | 8        | $\infty$ | 1        |
| 4 | 7        | 3        | 1        | $\infty$ |

**Step 1 :** We will find the minimum value from each row and subtract it from corresponding row.

|                          |          |          |          |   |
|--------------------------|----------|----------|----------|---|
| $\infty$                 | 2        | 4        | 7        | 2 |
| 2                        | $\infty$ | 8        | 3        | 2 |
| 4                        | 8        | $\infty$ | 1        | 1 |
| 7                        | 3        | 1        | $\infty$ | 1 |
| Total reduced row cost 6 |          |          |          |   |

 $\Rightarrow$ 

|          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ | 0        | 2        | 5        |
| 0        | $\infty$ | 6        | 1        |
| 3        | 7        | $\infty$ | 0        |
| 6        | 2        | 0        | $\infty$ |

Now we will obtain minimum value from each column. If some column contains 0 value the ignore that column. The fully reduced matrix can be -

**Matrix M [Used in further steps]**

|          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ | 0        | 2        | 5        |
| 0        | $\infty$ | 6        | 1        |
| 3        | 7        | $\infty$ | 0        |
| 6        | 2        | 0        | $\infty$ |

↑ ignore  
↑ ignore  
↑ ignore  
↑ ignore

← This is reduced matrix

Total reduced cost = Total reduced row cost + Total reduced column cost

$\therefore$  The 6 is now set as optimum cost.

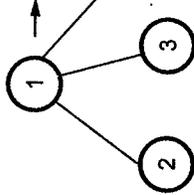


Fig. 7.6.1

**Step 2 :** Consider path [1,2]. Mark first row  $M[2,1] = \infty$ . We will then find minimum

The reduced matrix will be

|          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 6        | 1        |
| 3        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 0        |
| 6        | $\infty$ | 0        | $\infty$ |

|          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 5        |
| 3        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | $\infty$ |
| 6        | $\infty$ | $\infty$ | 0        |

↓ 3 ignore

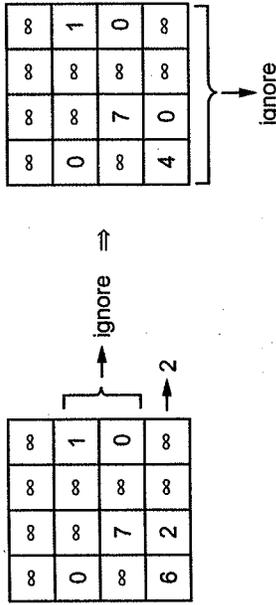
The reduced matrix will be

$\therefore$  Reduced cost for node 2 = Optimum cost + Old cost

$$= 6 + 0 + (1 + 3)$$

$$= 10$$

**Step 3 :** Consider path (1, 3). Mark first row and 3<sup>rd</sup> column as  $\infty$ . Also set  $M[3,1] = \infty$

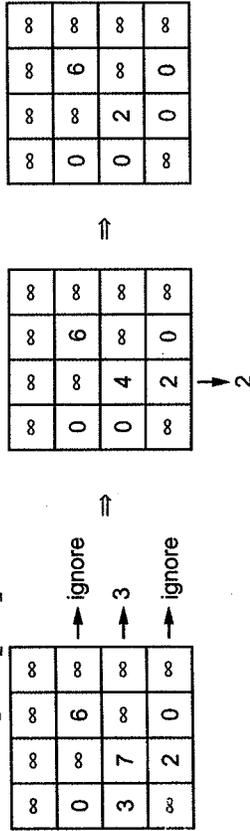


Cost for node 3 = Optimum cost + Old value  $M[1,3] + \text{Reduced cost}$

$$= 6 + 2 + (2 + 0)$$

$$= 10$$

**Step 4 :** Consider path [1,4]. Mark first row and 4<sup>th</sup> column as  $\infty$ . Set  $M[4,1] = \infty$



Reduced cost at node 4

$$= \text{Optimum cost} + \text{Old value } M[1,4] + \text{Reduced cost} = 6 + 5 + (3 + 2) = 16$$

The partial tree will be

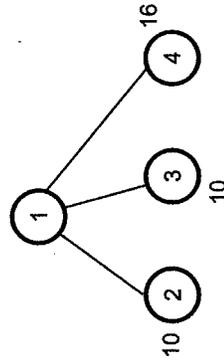
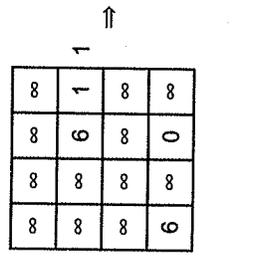


Fig. 7.6.20

We can choose either node 2 or node 3. Let us select node 3. We will expand it further.

**Step 5 :** Consider path [1,3,4] and [1,3,2]. First consider path [1,3,2]. Mark 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> row as  $\infty$  and 2<sup>nd</sup> column as  $\infty$ . Also  $M[2,1] = M[3,1] = \infty$ .



Reduced cost at node 5 will be optimum cost

$$= 10 + 7 + (1 + 6)$$

$$= 24$$

Consider path [1,3,4]. Mark row 1 = row  $\infty$  and column 4 =  $\infty$ .  $M[4,1] = M[3,1] = \infty$

From Both row and column. we cannot obtain any minimum value. Hence reduced cost = 0.

$\therefore$  Reduced cost at node 6 will be optimum cost at node  $3 + M[3,4] + \text{Reduced cost} = 10 + 1 + 0 =$

Partial tree will be

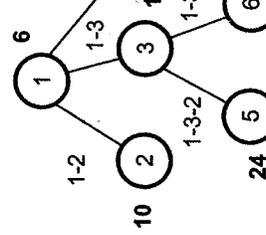


Fig. 7.6.21

Naturally node 6 will be expanded.

**Step 6 :** Consider path [1,3,4,2]

Mark 1<sup>st</sup> row = 3<sup>rd</sup> row = 4<sup>th</sup> row =  $\infty$

Mark 2<sup>nd</sup> column =  $\infty$

$M[2,1] = M[4,1] = M[3,1] = \infty$

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | 6 | 1 | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |

⇒

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | 5 | 0 |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |

↑ 5

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | 0 | 0 |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |
| ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ |

⇒

∴ Reduced cost at node 7

$$= \text{Optimum cost at node } 6 + M[4, 2] + \text{Reduced cost}$$

$$= 11 + 2 + (1 + 5)$$

$$= 19$$

The tree will be

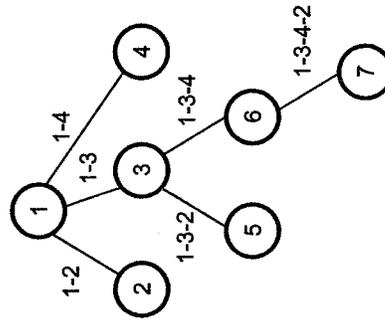


Fig. 7.6.22

Thus path with optimum tour length is 1-3-4-2-1.

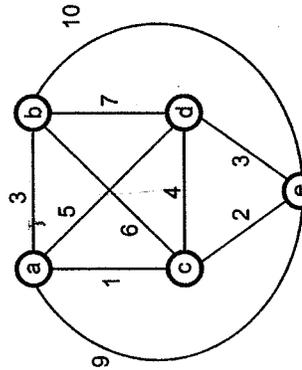
The cost of tour = 10.

**7.6.5 Alternate Method to Solve TSP**

In this method we consider computing of lower bounds. The lower bound is denoted by LB and can be obtained using following formula.

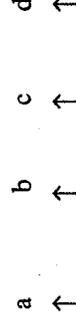
$$LB = \sum_{v \in V} \left( \text{Sum of costs of the two least cost edges adjacent to } v \right)$$

This method can be well understood with the help of some examples.



We will first obtain Lower Bound LB as

$$LB = \left( \sum \text{Sum of costs of the two least cost edges adjacent to } v \right)$$



$$= \lceil [(1+3) + (3+6) + (1+2) + (3+4)] \rceil$$

$$= 14$$

Because

a = 2 Minimum cost edges adja

$$= ac + ab$$

$$a = 1 + 3 = 4$$

b = 2 Minimum cost edges adja

$$= ba + bc$$

$$b = 3 + 6 = 9$$

c = 2 Minimum cost edges adja

$$= ac + ce$$

$$c = 1 + 2 = 3$$

d = 2 Minimum cost edges adja

$$= de + dc$$

$$= 3 + 4$$

$$= 7$$

e = 2 Minimum cost edges adja

$$= ce + ed$$

$$= 2 + 3$$

$$= 5$$

Hence we have obtained  $LB = \frac{1}{2} \sum_v$  adjacent

of the state space tree. Then we consider a-b, a-b-c, a-b-d, a-b-e. Then at level 3 we consider a-b-c, a-b-d, a-b-e. Then at level 4 we consider a-b-d-c and a-b-d-e. Thus the state space tree

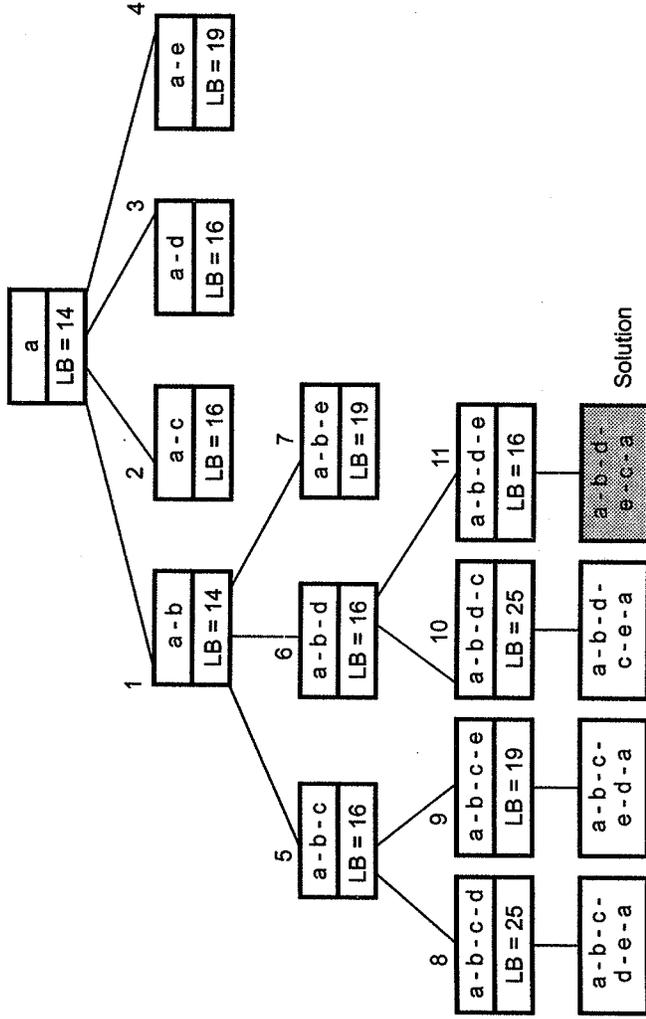


Fig. 7.6.23 State space tree

Consider node 1 : It says that consider distance a-b in computation of the corresponding vertices along with one minimum distance.

$$a = (a - b) + (a - c) = 3 + 1$$

$$b = (a - b) + (b - c) = 3 + 6$$

$c = (a - c) + (c - e) = 1 + 2 \rightarrow$  can not consider (a - b) because an edge (a - b) is not adjacent to c.

$$d = (d - e) + (c - d) = 3 + 4 \rightarrow$$
 can not consider (a - b)

$$e = (c - e) + (d - e) = 2 + 3 \rightarrow$$
 can not consider (a - b)

$$[(3 + 1) + (3 + 6) + (1 + 2) + (3 + 4) + (2 + 3)]/2$$

LB = 14 is for node 1.

Consider node 2 : It says that consider distance a-c in computation of corresponding vertices.

$$a = (a - b) + (a - c) = 3 + 1$$

$$b = (a - b) + (b - c) = 3 + 6 \rightarrow$$
 can not consider (a - c) here

because (a - c) is not adjacent to vertex b.

$$d = (d - e) + (c - d) = 3 + 4$$

$$e = (c - e) + (d - d) = 2 + 3$$

$$LB = [(3 + 1) + (3 + 6) + (1 + 2)]$$

$$LB = 14 \text{ is for node 2.}$$

But can not be considered because b is before

Consider node 3 : It says that consider distance vertices.

$$a = (a - c) + (a - d) = 15$$

$$b = (a - b) + (b - c) = 3 + 6 \rightarrow$$

$$c = (a - c) + (c - e) = 1 + 2 \rightarrow$$

$$d = (d - e) + (a - d) = 3 + 5$$

$$e = (c - e) + (d - e) = 2 + 3$$

$$LB = [(1 + 5) + (3 + 6) + (1 + 2)]$$

$$= 32/2$$

$$LB = 16$$

Consider node 4 : This node says include edge

$$a = (a - c) + (a - e) = 1 + 9 = 10$$

$$b = (a - b) + (b - c) = 3 + 6 = 9$$

$$c = (a - c) + (c - e) = 1 + 2 = 3$$

$$d = (c - d) + (d - e) = 4 + 3 = 7$$

$$e = (c - e) + (a - e) = 2 + 9 = 11$$

$$LB = (10 + 9 + 3 + 7 + 11)/2$$

$$= 20$$

Consider node 5 : This node says path wherever possible.

$$a = (a - b) + (a - c)$$

$$= 3 + 1 \rightarrow$$
 can not include (b

$$= 4$$



**7.8 University Questions with Answer**

**Regulation**

**Winter - 2**

**Q.1** Explain the use of backtracking method in its algorithm. [Refer section 7.3]

**Q.2** Explain minimax principle with its use. [Refer section 7.3]

**Summer - 2**

**Q.3** Discuss how 8-queen problem can be solved. [Refer section 7.3]

**Q.4** Construct an implicit tree for 0-1 knapsack problem to solve it. [Refer section 7.4]

**Winter - 2**

**Q.5** Find all possible solution for the 4 \* 4 backtracking. [Refer section 7.3]

**Summer - 2**

**Q.6** Explain backtracking method. What is 4-queens problem using backtracking method?

**Q.7** Explain minimax principle with its use. [Refer section 7.3]

**Summer - 2**

**Q.8** Find all possible solution for the 4 \* 4 backtracking. [Refer section 7.3]

**Winter - 2**

**Q.9** What is the central principle of backtracking? example, explain the solution process?

**Q.10** Explain backtracking with knapsack problem.

At each step it assumes that player A is trying to maximize the chances of A winning, on the other hand, player B is trying to minimize the chance of A winning so that B can win. Thus minimax principle is applied in making out the decisions.

The representation of minimax principle in tic-tac-toe game playing is as shown by following figure -

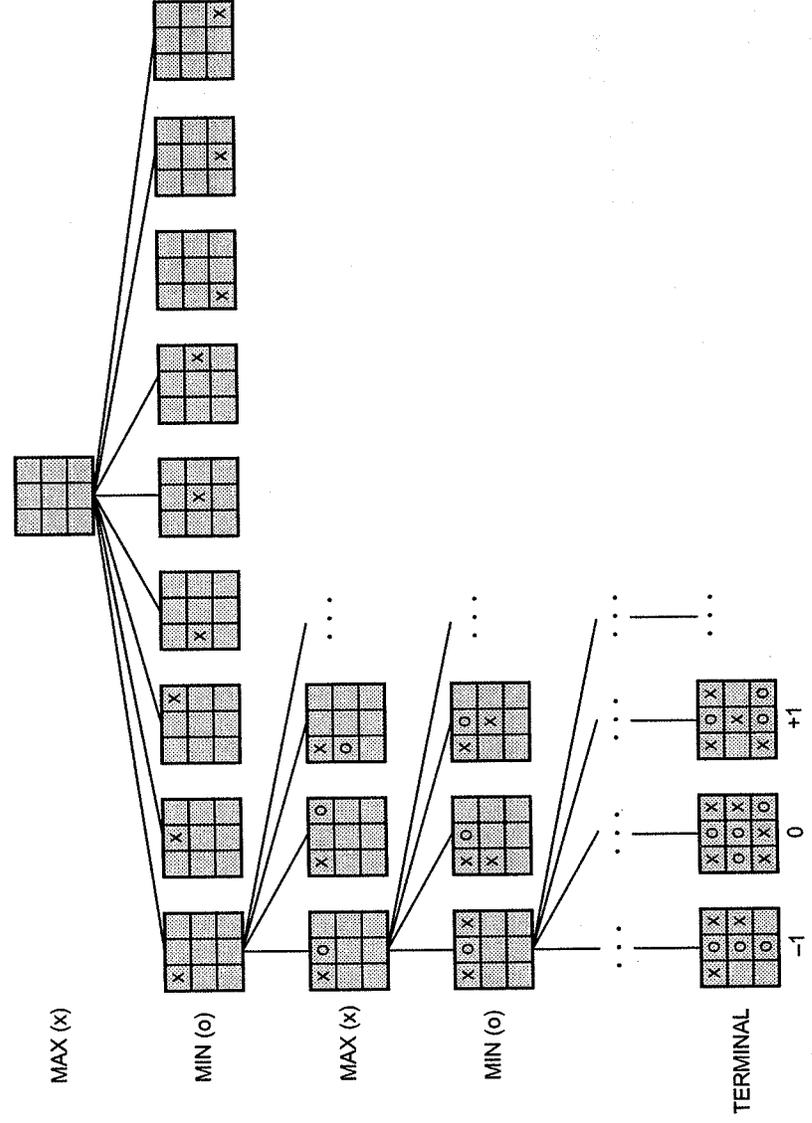


Fig. 7.7.1

**Review Question**

1. Explain minimax principle with its use.

**Regulation 2013****Winter - 2015**

**Q.11** Explain backtracking method. What is n-queens problem ? Give solution of 4-queens problem using backtracking method. [Refer section 7.3] [7]

**Summer - 2017**

**Q.12** Explain 4 queen problem with one of the solution. [Refer section 7.3] [4]

**Winter - 2017**

**Q.13** Define backtracking. State types of constraints used in backtracking. [Refer section 7.1] [3]

**7.9 Short Questions and Answers**

**Q.1** State the principle of backtracking.

**Ans. :** Backtracking is a method in which the desired solution is expressed as n tuple which is chosen from solution space, using backtrack formulation. The solution obtained i.e. can either minimizes or maximizes or satisfies the criteria function.

**Q.2** What is state space tree ?

**Ans. :** A state space tree is a rooted tree whose nodes represent partially constructed solutions to given problem. In backtracking method the state space tree is built for finding the solution. This tree is built using depth first search fashion.

**Q.3** What do the leaves of state space tree represent ?

**Ans. :** The leaves of state space tree represent either the solution (i.e. answer nodes) or the non promising dead ends.

**Q.4** Define the term problem state in backtracking.

**Ans. :** Backtracking algorithm determines problem solutions by systematically searching for the solutions using tree structure. Each node in this tree is called problem state.

**Q.5** What are the applications of backtracking ?

**Ans. :** Following are some applications of backtracking -  
 1. Eight queens problem      2. Sum of Subset problem  
 3. Finding Hamiltonian path    4. Knapsack problem.

**Q.6** What is the advantage of backtracking algorithm ?

**Ans. :** The main advantage of backtracking algorithm which the partial vector generated does not lead to a dead end problem, the partial vector can be ignored.

**Q.7** Give the formal definition of n-queen's problem.

**Ans. :** Definition : Consider a  $n \times n$  chessboard such that no two queens can attack each other in the same column or on the same diagonal.

The diagonal conflicts can be checked by following method.

Let,  $(i, j)$  and  $(k, l)$  are two positions.

Then and are the positions that are on the same diagonal.

$$i + j = k + l \quad \text{or}$$

$$i - j = k - l$$

**Q.8** What type of constraints need to be satisfied in n-queens problem ?

**Ans. :** The implicit and explicit constraints need to be satisfied in n-queens problem.

**Q.9** What type of searching method is adopted in n-queens problem ?

**Ans. :** The backtracking makes use of depth first search bounding function.

**Q.10** Differentiate explicit and implicit constraints.

**Ans. :** Explicit constraints : Explicit constraints are those constraints that are element to be chosen from given set.

**Implicit constraints :** Implicit constraints are those constraints that are not element to be chosen from given set.

**Q.11** Give the explicit constraint for 8-queens problem.

**Ans. :** The explicit constraints show that the solution space consists of all  $(i, j)$  with  $1 \leq i \leq 8$ . Hence solution space consists of all  $(i, j)$  with  $1 \leq i \leq 8$ .

**Q.12** Give the implicit constraint for the 8-queens problem.

**Ans. :** The implicit constraint will be -

- 1) No two queens can be on the same row, column or diagonal.
- 2) No two queens can be on the same row, column or diagonal.

**Q.13** What is the difference between live node and dead node ?

**Ans. :** Live node : The live node which is generated and whose children have not yet been generated is called live node. While tracing for the solution each internal node is a live node.

**Dead node :** The dead node is a generated node which is not to be expanded further or all of whose children have been generated.

**Q.14 Describe the sum of subset problem.**

**Ans. :** Let,  $S =$  be a set of  $n$  positive integers, then we have to find a subset whose sum is equal to given positive integer  $d$ .

It is always convenient to sort the set's elements in ascending order. That is,

$$s_1 \leq s_2 \leq \dots \leq s_n$$

**Q.15 What is the principle behind branch and bound technique ?**

**Ans. :** Principle - The branch and bound technique is a kind of technique in which state space tree is built and all the children of  $E$  node are generated before any other node can become a live node. The exploring can be done using BFS or D-search.

**Q.16 What do you mean by the E-node ?**

**Ans. :** The live nodes whose children are currently being expanded are called E-node.

**Q.17 What is answer states ?**

**Ans. :** The answer states are the leaf nodes which correspond to an element in the set of solutions. These are the states which satisfy the implicit constraint.

**Q.18 State the usefulness of bounding function.**

**Ans. :** The bounding functions are used to avoid the generation of subtrees that do not contain an answer node.



# 8

# String

## Syllabus :

*Introduction, The Naive string matching algorithm. with finite automata, The Knuth-Morris-Pratt algorithm*

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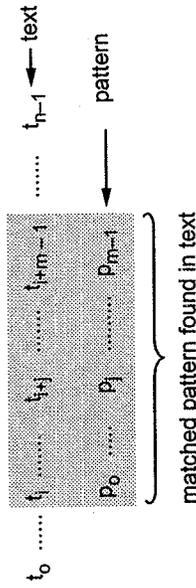
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### 8.1 Introduction

String matching algorithms are normally used in text processing. Normally text processing is done in compilation of program. In software design or in system design also text processing is a vital activity. And while processing the text, string matching is an important activity which is needed, most of the time. String matching means finding one or more generally all the occurrences of a string in the text. These occurrences are called as **pattern**. Hence sometimes string matching algorithms are also called as **pattern matching algorithms**.

Let,

Text T is denoted by  $t_0 \dots t_{n-1}$  and  
 pattern P is denoted by  $P_0 \dots P_{m-1}$



In this section we will discuss various string matching algorithms such as -

1. The naive method.
  2. Rabin-Karp method.
  3. Finite automaton for string matching.
- Let us discuss these algorithms with the help of some examples.

### 8.2 The Naive String Matching Algorithm

GTU : Winter - 17, Summer - 19, Marks 4

This is the simplest method which works using **Brute Force** approach. The Brute force is a straightforward approach of solving the problem. This method has "Just do it" approach. This algorithm performs a checking at all positions in the text between 0 to  $n-m$ , whether an occurrence of the pattern starts there or not. Then after each attempt, it shifts the pattern by exactly one position to the right. If the match is found then it returns otherwise the matching process is continued by shifting one character to the right. If there is no match at all in the text for the given pattern even then we have to do  $n$  comparisons. Let us understand this method with the help of some example -

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| r | a | m | a | n |   |   |   |   |   |

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| m | a | n | g | o |

Pattern

We will start finding match for pattern from ( found the shift to the right by 1 position.

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| r | a | m | a | n |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |

|   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|---|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| ↑ |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| m | a | n | g | o |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
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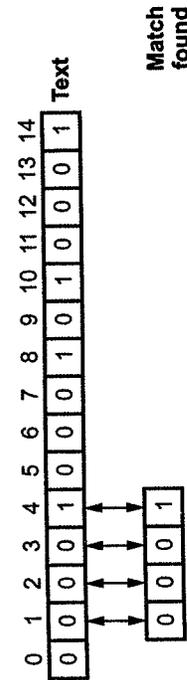
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| m | a | n | g | o |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|
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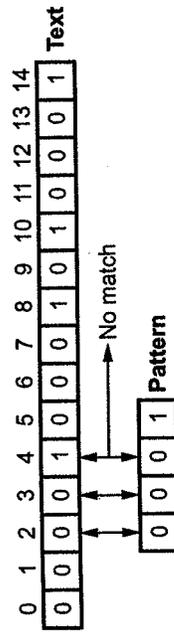
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Shift to right by one position.

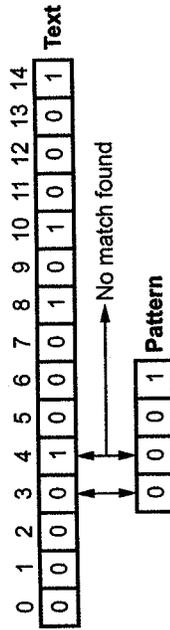


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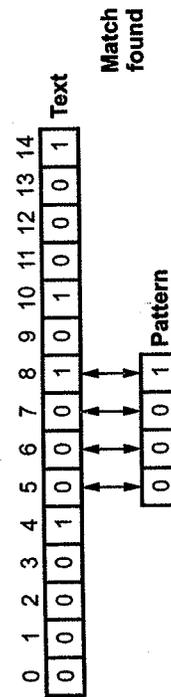
No match

Shift pattern right by one position.



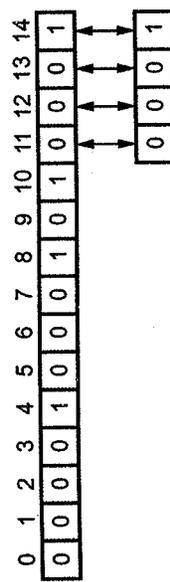
No match found

Shift pattern right by one position, each time and check pattern against text. The matched pattern will be



Match found

Similarly



Match found

**Example 8.2.2** What is string-matching problem ? De

**Solution :** String matching algorithm : String matching in which one or several strings are found in one or more strings.   
**Shift :** The number of position before the pattern is shifted.   
**Invalid Shift :** The position after which partial match is not possible.

**Algorithm**

```

Algorithm Naive (T[1...n], P[1...m])
{
// Problem Description : This algorithm finds
// the string matching using Naive method.
// Input : The array text T and pattern P
for (s ← 0 to n-m) do
{
if (P[1...m] = T[s+1...s+m]) then
print ("pattern finding with shift", S);
}
} // end of algorithm

```

**Analysis**

In the given example, if a match is not found at a particular position i.e. almost always we are shifting the pattern against the text when we have to make all the m comparisons. The time complexity of the naive string matching algorithm is  $\Theta(n \cdot m)$ . For a typical word search in natural language, the time complexity is  $\Theta(n)$ .

**Basic Notations and terminologies**

- $\Sigma^*$  - It is pronounced as set of all finite length strings. e.g. :  $\Sigma = \{a\}$  then  $\Sigma^*$  is called empty or non-empty strings. It means length of a string is  $|x| + |y|$ . The concatenation of strings  $x$  and  $y$  are followed by all the strings in  $\Sigma^*$ . The prefix means part of some string a there. The suffix means part of a string. It is denoted by  $x \cdot y$ .
- Zero length string -  $|a|$  -
- Concatenation -
- Prefix of a string -
- Suffix of a string -

### 8.3 The Robin Karp Algorithm

**GTU : Winter-10,11,14,15, June-11,12, Marks 7**

The Rabin-Karp method is based on hashing technique. This algorithm assumes each character to be a digit in radix-d notation. It makes use of equivalence of two numbers modulo a third number. Let,  $p[1...m]$  be a pattern then  $p$  denotes its corresponding decimal value. The  $d = 10$  for decimal number,  $d = 2$  for binary number.

Similarly,

Let,  $T [1, \dots, n]$  be a text then  $t_s$  denotes the decimal value of the substring  $T[s+1, \dots, s+m]$  for  $s = 0, 1, \dots, n - m$ .

The method follows following steps-

1. Compute  $p$  in  $O(m)$  time.
2. Compute all  $t_i$  values in total of  $O(n)$  time.
3. Find all valid shifts  $s$  in total of  $O(n)$  time.

The computation of  $p$  can be done using Horner's rule as follows.

$$p = p[m] + d(p[m-1] + d(p[m-2] + \dots + d(p[2] + d(p[1])))$$

For example : To compute pattern

$$p[1, \dots, m] = 41603 \text{ we have } m = 5 \text{ (i.e. length of pattern), } d = 10. \text{ Then}$$

$$p = p[m] + 10(p[m-1]) + 10^2(p[m-2]) + \dots + 10^{m-1}(p[1])$$

$$= 3 + 10(0) + 100(6) + 1000(1) + 10000(4)$$

$$p = 41603$$

We can then compute to from  $T[1, \dots, m]$  in  $O(m)$  time. Then remaining  $t_i$  can be computed in  $O(n-m)$  time as :

$$t_{s+1} = d(t_s - d^{m-1} T[s + 1] + T[s + m + 1])$$

where  $d = 10$ .

But these values of  $p$  and  $t_s$  may be too large hence we use mod value.

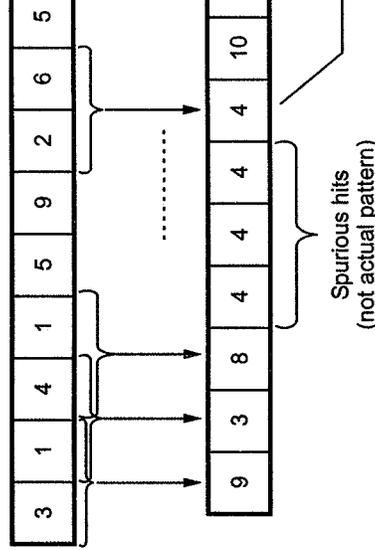
**Example 8.3.1** Using the Rabin - Karp algorithm for text  $T = 3141592653589793$  find for pattern  $P = 26$  with modulo  $q = 11$ .

**Solution :**

|      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Text | 3 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 9 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 8 | 9 | 7 | 9 | 3 |
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We will now obtain mod 11 value for each te

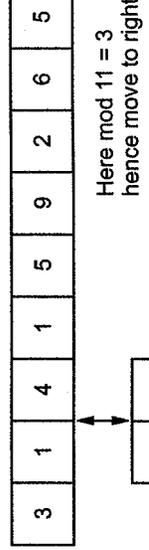
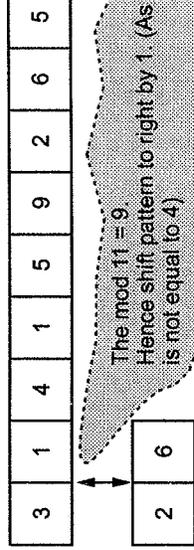
**Step 1 :**

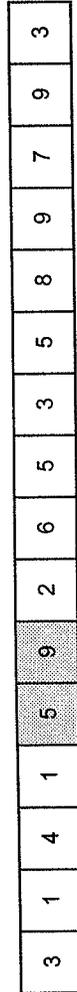


For  $m = 2$ , consider  $t_s = 26$  then we can compute

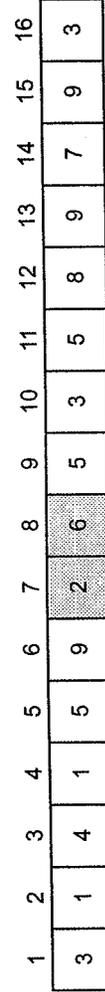
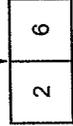
$$\begin{aligned}
 t_{s+1} &= 10(t_s - d^{m-1} \cdot \text{old high order}) \\
 &= 10(26 - 10 \cdot 2) + 5 \\
 &= 10(26 - 20) + 5 \\
 &= 60 + 5 \\
 t_{s+1} &= 65
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus we can obtain every successive bit in te  
According to Rabin-Karp method we start beginning itself.

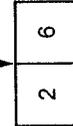




The mod 11 = 4.  
But pattern is not matching against text.  
Hence it is called **spurious hit**.



The mod 11 = 4.  
and pattern is also matching against text.  
Hence we declare that at 7<sup>th</sup> position we find pattern matching.



The algorithm is as follows -

**Algorithm RabinKarp** (T[1.....n], P[1.....m], d, q)

**Problem Description :** This algorithm is for matching the pattern using Rabin-Karp method

```

h ← pow (d, m-1) mod q ← high order digit position
p ← 0
t₀ ← 0
for (i ← 1 to m)
{

```

```

p ← (dp + P[i]) mod q } Θ (m) time
t₀ ← (dt₀ + T[i] mod q)
}

```

```

for (s ← 0 to n - m)
{
// with shift value each time
// incremented by one we
// go on matching pattern
// against text.
if (p = tₛ) then
{

```

```

if (T[1.....m] = T [s+1s+m]) then
write(" pattern found with shift," s)
}
if (s < n - m)

```

```

tₛ₊₁ ← (d (tₛ - T[s+1]h) + T[s+m+1]) mod q
} // end of for
} // end of algorithm

```

Yet end of text is not reached.

Computing t<sub>s+1</sub>

The matching time required by above algorithm is Θ ((n - m+1)m). Hence worst case

**Review Questions**

1. Explain Rabin-Karp method for string matching and GTU : Winter-10,
2. Explain Rabin-Karp string matching algorithm with GTU : June-11,
3. Give and explain Rabin-Carp string matching algorithm

**8.4 String Matching with Finite Automaton**

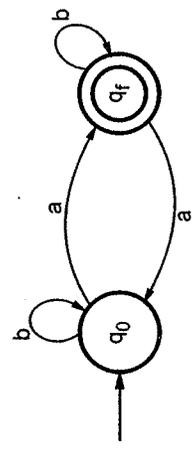
Finite automata is a very effective tool which Matching the pattern in this manner makes the In this method each character of the text is ma required for examining the text characters. But is needed to build a finite automaton. Before algorithm let us go through some basic concepts

**Definition of Finite Automata :**

A finite automaton is a collection of

1. Q a finite set of states.
2. q₀ ∈ Q is a start state.
3. q\_f ∈ Q is a Accept state or a final state.
4. Σ is a finite input set.
5. δ is a mapping function or a transition func

**For example**



(a) Finite Automata

Fig. 8.4.1

Here q₀ is a start state and q\_f is a final state for accepting a language which consists of odd Hence for the pattern "aaabaa" the finite autom "aaabaa" is said to be accepted. But input "aab discuss, how finite automata is useful for pattern



**Consider**

Initially we will put 0 in 0<sup>th</sup> location of prefix array.

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| a | b | a | d | a | b |
| 0 |   |   |   |   |   |

Consider string

ab

No match of prefix and suffix. Hence we will put 0 in prefix array at 1<sup>st</sup> location.

Prefix : ε, a  
Suffix : ε, b

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| a | b | a | d | a | b |
| 0 | 0 |   |   |   |   |

Consider string

aba

The length of matching prefix-suffix is 1. Hence make entry 1 in prefix table.

Prefix : ε, a, ab  
Suffix : ε, a, ba

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| a | b | a | d | a | b |
| 0 | 0 | 1 |   |   |   |

Consider string

abada

The length of matching prefix-suffix is 0. Hence make entry 0 in prefix table.

Prefix : ε, a, ab, aba  
Suffix : ε, d, ad, bad

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| a | b | a | d | a | b |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |   |   |

Consider string

abada

The length of matching prefix-suffix is 1. Hence make entry 1 in prefix table.

Prefix : ε, a, ab, aba, abada  
Suffix : ε, a, da, ada, bada

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| a | b | a | d | a | b |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |   |

Consider string

abada

The length of matching prefix-suffix is 2. Hence make entry 2 in prefix table.

Prefix : ε, a, ab, aba, abada, abada  
Suffix : ε, b, ab, dab, adab, badab

|   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| a | b | a | d | a | b |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |

Thus we have computed the prefix or  $\pi$  algorithm. The pseudo code for computing prefix

**Algorithm Compute\_Prefix (char p[size])**

```
//Problem description : This algorithm computes
//table for given pattern
//Input : pattern p
//Output : prefix table for given pattern
prefix table [0] ← 0
for (i ← 1 to m) do //m is length of pattern
 while (k > 0 AND p[k] ≠ p[i])
 k ← prefix table [k-1]
 if (p[k] = p[i]) then
 k ← k + 1
 prefix table[i] ← k
return prefix table;
```

Now the next step is to compare the characters understood with following example :

Consider

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| b | a | d | b | a | b | a |
| a | b | a | b | a | d | a |

Text

Pattern

We will first compute the prefix table for the

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| a | b | a | b |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |

Text

Pattern

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| b | a | d | b | a | b | a |
| a | b | a | b | a | d | a |

↑

Comparing b and a, as it is not matching. We

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| b | a | d | b | a | b | a |
| a | b | a | b | a | d | a |

Text

Pattern



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**Q.8** What is finite automata ? How it can be used  
[Refer Section 8.4]

Winter - 201

**Q.9** Explain Rabin-Karp method for string matching  
[Refer Section 8.3]

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**Q.10** What is finite automata ? Explain use of finite  
suitable example. [Refer Section 8.4]

**Q.11** Give and explain Rabin-Karp string matching  
[Refer Section 8.3]

Summer - 201

**Q.12** What is Rabin Karp algorithm ? Where is  
this algorithm used and calculate its time complexity.

**Q.13** What is finite automata ? Explain use of finite  
suitable example. (Refer section 8.4)

**Q.14** Explain naive string matching algorithm with  
suitable example.

Winter - 201

**Q.15** Working modulo  $q = 11$ , how many spurious  
encounters in the text  $T = 3141592653588177137$   
 $P = 26$  ? (Refer example 8.3.1)

Summer - 201

**Q.16** Write Naive string-matching algorithm. Explain  
(Refer section 8.2)

Winter - 201

**Q.17** Explain finite automata algorithm for string  
matching.

**Q.18** Explain naive string matching algorithm with  
suitable example.

```

j++;
if (j == m) then
{
Write("\n\nPattern is present in the text at: ")
Write(i-m+1)
j ← prefix_table[j-1]; //consult prefix table for
//positioning the pointer in pattern array
}
}

```

### Analysis

The time complexity of the above algorithm is  $O(n+m)$ . The  $n$  represents the length of text and  $m$  represents the length of pattern.

### Review Question

1. Explain KMP algorithm with suitable example.

## 8.6 University Questions with Answers

Regulation 2008

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**Q.1** Explain Rabin-Karp method for string matching and also give the algorithm. [7]

Summer - 2011

**Q.2** Explain Rabin-Karp string matching algorithm with example. [5]

**Q.3** What is finite automata ? How it can be used in string matching ? [5]

Winter - 2011

**Q.4** Explain Rabin-Karp method for string matching and also give the algorithm. [4]

**Q.5** Explain string matching with finite automata. [Refer Section 8.4] [4]

Summer - 2012

**Q.6** Explain Rabin-Karp method for string matching and also give the algorithm. [7]

**8.7 Short Questions and Answers**

**Q.1 What is the applicability of string matching algorithm ?**

**Ans. :** String matching algorithm is used in text processing.

**Q.2 Name few string matching algorithms.**

**Ans. :** 1. Naïve Method 2. Rabin Karp Method 3. Finite automata for string matching

**Q.3 Name the algorithmic technique on which the Naïve method is used.**

**Ans. :** The Naïve method is based on Brute Force method.

**Q.4 The hashing technique is used in which string matching algorithm ?**

**Ans. :** The Rabin Karp method is based on string matching algorithm.

**Q.5 What is the principle idea behind the Knuth Morris Pratt algorithm ?**

**Ans. :** The basic idea behind this algorithm is to build a prefix array. Some times this array is also called  $\pi$  array. This prefix array is built using the prefix and suffix information of pattern. The overlapping prefix and suffix is used in K-M-P algorithm.



# 9

## Introduction to NP

### Syllabus

The class P and NP, Polynomial reduction, NP-completeness, Travelling salesman problem, Hamiltonian problem, algorithms, Class of problems beyond NP – P SPACE

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**9.1 The Class P and NP**

GTU : Winter-10, Marks 6, Summer-15, Marks 4

There are two groups in which a problem can be classified. The first group consists of the problems that can be solved in polynomial time. For example : searching of an element from the list  $O(\log n)$ , sorting of elements  $O(\log n)$ .

The second group consists of problems that can be solved in non-deterministic polynomial time. For example : Knapsack problem  $O(2^{n/2})$  and Travelling Salesperson problem  $(O(n^2 2^n))$ .

- Any problem for which answer is either yes or no is called **decision problem**. The algorithm for decision problem is called **decision algorithm**.
- Any problem that involves the identification of optimal cost (minimum or maximum) is called optimization problem. The algorithm for optimization problem is called **optimization algorithm**.
- **Definition of P** - Problems that can be solved in polynomial time. ("P" stands for polynomial).
- Examples - Searching of key element, Sorting of elements, All pair shortest path.
- **Definition of NP** - It stands for "non-deterministic polynomial time". Note that NP does not stand for "non-polynomial".

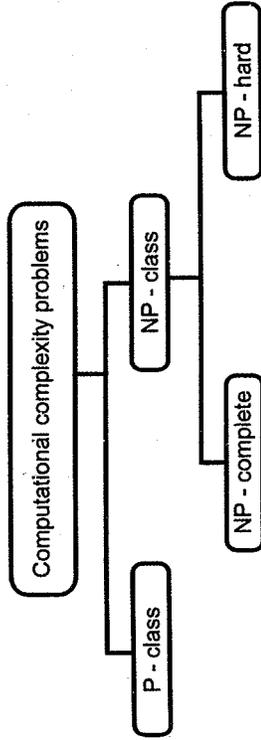


Fig. 9.1.1 Classification of problems

Examples - Travelling Salesperson problem, Graph coloring problem, Knapsack problem, Hamiltonian circuit problems.

- The NP class problems can be further categorized into **NP-complete** and **NP hard** problems.
- A problem D is called **NP-complete** if -
  - i) It belongs to class NP
  - ii) Every problem in NP can also be solved in polynomial time.
- If an NP-hard problem can be solved in polynomial time then all NP-complete problems can also be solved in polynomial time.

- The NP class problems are the decision non-deterministic polynomial algorithms.
- **Computational complexity** - The computation of instances with a solution for every instance. In computational complexity the solution to Such type of problems are called **decision** can be **function problem**. The function problem single output is expected for every input. The more complex than the decision problem.

The computational problems also consists of be obtained in polynomial time.

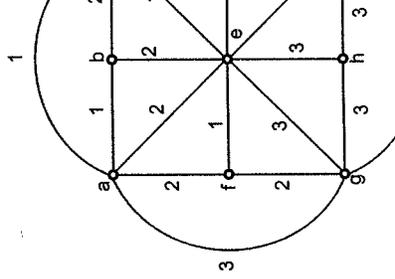
- **Complexity classes** - The complexity class complexity. It includes function problem and problem.
- **Intractability** - Problems that can be so solutions is known as intractable problems. If NP is not same as P then NP complete problem

**9.1.1 Example of P Class Problem**

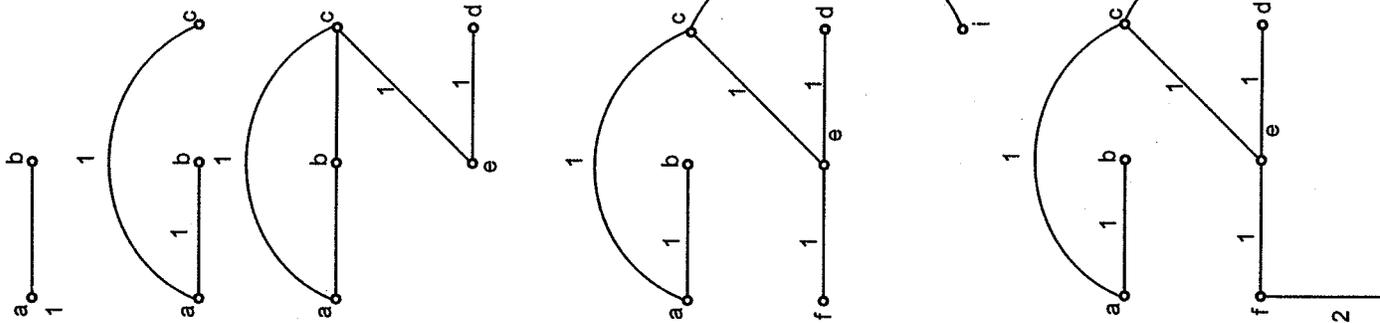
**Kruskal's algorithm** : In Kruskal's algorithm the algorithm also the circuit should not be formed. has to be selected, from the graph. It is not necessary minimum weights to be adjacent. Let us solve one

**Example :**

Find the minimum spanning tree for the following



In Kruskal's algorithm, we will start with some vertex and will cover all the vertices with minimum weight. The vertices need not be adjacent.



**9.1.2 Example of NP Class Problem**

**Travelling Salesman's Problem (TSP) :** This problem is to find a path that visits every city once and returns to the first city with the minimum cost.

**For example :**

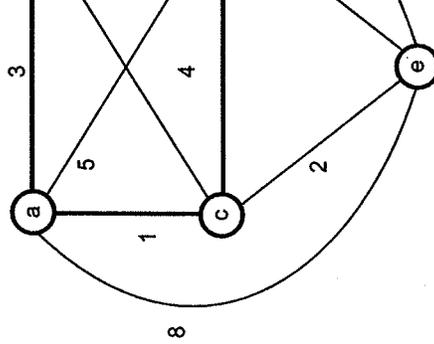


Fig. 9.1.4

The tour path will be a-b-d-e-c-a and total cost is 15.

This problem is NP problem as there may exist a solution for a given instance of the problem. If you get the solution by applying a greedy algorithm then the travelling salesman problem becomes a polynomial time problem.

**Example 9.1.1 Distinguishing between deterministic and non-deterministic algorithms**

**Solution :** **Deterministic algorithm :** An algorithm which always produces the same output for a given input. **Non-deterministic algorithm :** An algorithm which produces different outputs for the same input.

**Non-deterministic algorithm :** An algorithm which produces different outputs for the same input. There are more than one paths that the algorithm can follow to reach the next state to be followed after the current state. These paths are basically non-deterministic.

**Solution :** The problems that can be solved in polynomial time are called P - class problems. For example -

- 1. Binary search** - In searching an element using binary search method, the list is simply divided at the mid and either left or right sublist is searched for key element. This process is carried out in  $O(\log n)$ .
  - 2. Evaluation of polynomial** - In a polynomial evaluation we make out the summation of each term of polynomial. The evaluated result is simply an integer. This process is carried out in  $O(n)$  time.
  - 3. Sorting a list** - The elements in a list can be arranged either in ascending or descending order. This procedure is carried out in  $O(n \log n)$  time.
- This shows that all the above problems can be solved in polynomial time.

### Review Questions

1. Explain P and NP problems giving examples.
2. Explain class P and class NP.

GTU : Winter-10, Marks 6

GTU : Summer-15, Marks 4

## 9.2 Non-deterministic Algorithm

- The algorithm in which every operation is uniquely defined is called **deterministic algorithm**.
- The algorithm in which every operation may not have unique result, rather there can be specified set of possibilities for every operation. Such an algorithm is called non-deterministic algorithm. Non-deterministic means that no particular rule is followed to make the guess.
- The non-deterministic algorithm is a two stage algorithm -
  - i) Non-deterministic (Guessing) stage** - Generate an arbitrary string that can be thought of as a candidate solution.
  - ii) Deterministic ("Verification") stage** - In this stage it takes as input the candidate solution and the instance to the problem and returns *yes* if the candidate solution represents actual solution.

```

Algorithm Non_Determin()
// A[1:n] is a set of elements
// we have to determine the index i of A at which element x is
// located.
{

```

```

// Next is the verification(deterministic) stage
if (A[i] = x) then
{
 write(i);
 success();
}
write(0);
fail();
}

```

In the above given non-deterministic algorithm

- 1) Choose - Arbitrarily chooses one of the elements
- 2) Fail - Indicates the unsuccessful completion.
- 3) Success - Indicates successful completion.

The algorithm is of non-deterministic complex the deterministic search algorithm has a complex

**Example 9.2.1** Give the non-deterministic algorithm in order.

**Solution :**

```

Algorithm Non_DSORT(A,n)
// A[1:n] is an array that stores n elements which
auxiliary
// array in which elements are put at appropriate
{
 // guessing stage
 for i ← 1 to n do
 B[i] ← 0; // initialize B to 0
 for i ← 1 to n do
 {
 j ← choose(1,n) // select any element from
 if (B[j] = 0) then
 fail();
 B[j] ← A[i];
 }
} //verification stage
for i ← 1 to n-1 do
 if (B[i] > B[i+1]) then
 fail(); // not sorted elements
write(B[1:n]); // print the sorted list of elements
success();
}

```

The time required by a non-deterministic algorithm with some input set is minimum number of steps needed to reach to a successful completion if there are multiple choices from input set leading to successful completion. In short, a non-deterministic algorithm is of complexity  $O(f(n))$  where  $n$  is the total size of input.

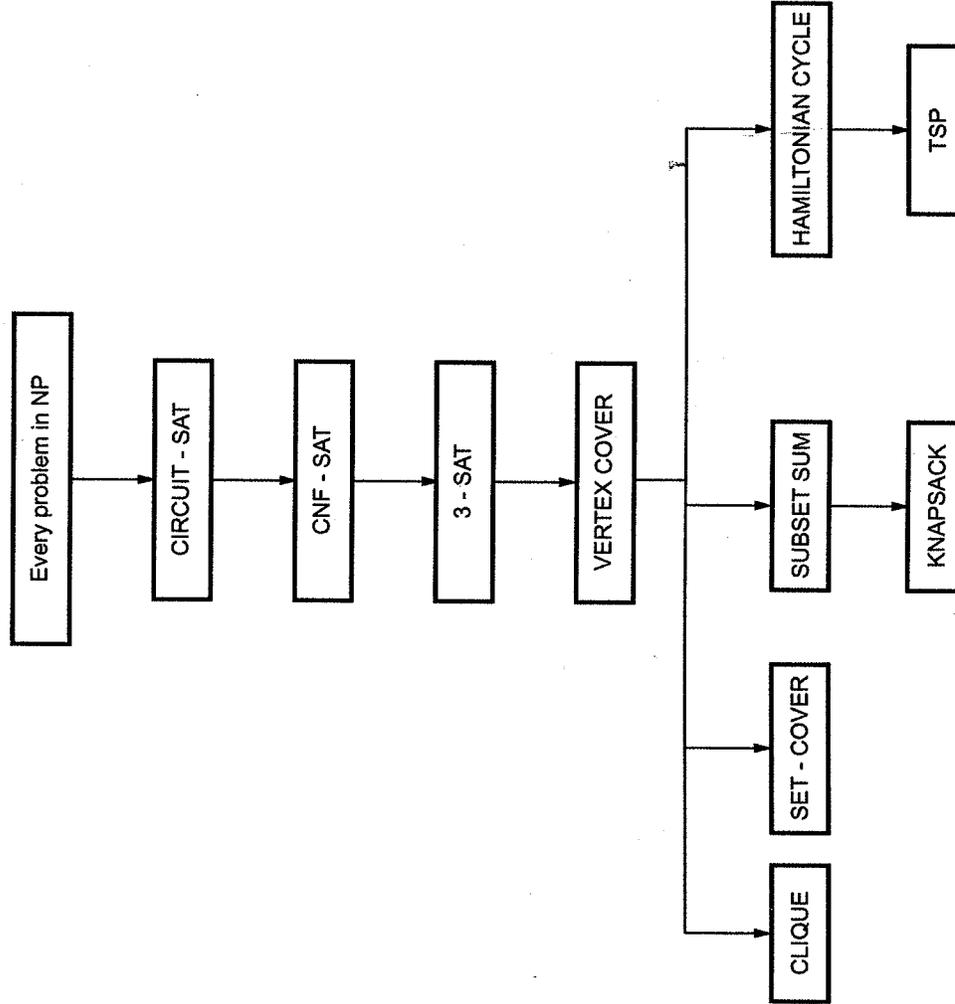
**9.3 Polynomial Reduction**

GTU : June-11, Winter-11, 14, Marks 7

To prove whether particular problem is NP complete or not we use polynomial time reducibility. That means if

$$A \xrightarrow{\text{Poly}} B \text{ and } B \xrightarrow{\text{Poly}} C \text{ then } A \xrightarrow{\text{Poly}} C.$$

The reduction is an important task in NP completeness proofs. This can be illustrated by Fig. 9.3.1.



Various types of reductions are -

**Local replacement** - In this reduction  $A \rightarrow$  components and then these components can be

**Component design** - In this reduction  $A \rightarrow$  input  $B$  that enforce properties required by  $A$ .

**Review Questions**

1. What is polynomially turing reducible problem? polynomially turing reduced to problem B.
2. Explain polynomial reduction.

**9.4 NP Completeness Problem**

In this section we will discuss various problems complete. Their proofs of NP completeness is based on there are some problems which are already polynomially reducible to these problems we can prove the desired problem.

**9.4.1 Satisfiability Problem**

**1. CNF - SAT problem**

This problem is based on Boolean formula. The operations such as OR(+), AND (·) and NOT (means implies) and  $\leftrightarrow$  (means if and only if).

A Boolean formula is in **Conjunctive Normal Form** of subexpressions. These subexpressions are called

**For example**

$$(\bar{a} + b + d + \bar{g})(c + \bar{e})(\bar{b} + d + \bar{f} + h)(a + c + \dots)$$

This formula evaluates to 1 if  $b, c, d$  are 1.

The CNF - SAT is a problem which takes Boolean assignment is there to Boolean value

**Theorem :** CIRCUIT-SAT is in NP

**Proof :**

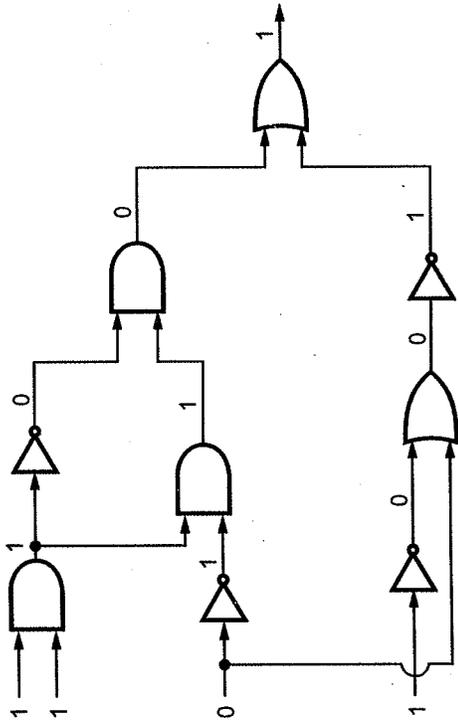


Fig. 9.4.1

The logic gates that used are -



Fig. 9.4.2

Let us construct a non-deterministic algorithm. Which works in polynomial time. Then we should have choose ( ) method which can guess the values of input node as well as the output, then the algorithm says "no" if we get output of Boolean circuit as 0. Similarly the algorithm says "yes" if we get output of Boolean circuit as 1.

Now from the output of algorithm we can guess the inputs to logic gates in the circuit. If the algorithm has output "yes" then we can say that Boolean circuit has satisfying input values. Thus we can say that CIRCUIT-SAT is in NP.

**Theorem :** CNF - SAT is in NP complete.

**Proof :** Let S be the Boolean formula for which we can construct a simple non-deterministic algorithm which can guess the values of variables in Boolean formula and then evaluates each clause of S. If all the clauses evaluate S to 1 then S is satisfied.

**2. A 3SAT problem**

A 3SAT problem is a problem which takes a each clause having exactly three literals and check that CNF means each literal is ORed to form a clause Boolean formula S].

Following formula is an instance of 3SAT problem  $(\bar{a} + b + g)(c + \bar{e} + f)(\bar{b} + d + \bar{f})(a + e + \bar{h})$

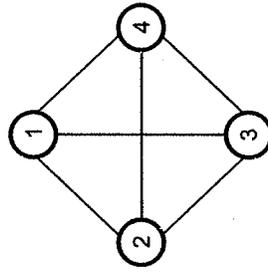
**Theorem :** 3SAT is in NP complete.

**Proof :** Let S be the Boolean formula having 3 literals construct a simple non-deterministic algorithm Boolean values to S. If the S is evaluated as 1 then 3SAT is in NP-complete.

**9.4.2 Clique Problem**

Clique is nothing but a maximal complete subgraph set of (V, E) where V is a set of vertices and E is a number of vertices present in it.

For example :



Graph G

Clique size = 3

Note that Clique of size = 3 and 4 are complete

**Max Clique Problem -** It is an optimization problem is to be obtained.

In the decision problem of Clique, we have to size at least k for given k.

Let, DClique (G, k) is a deterministic decision problem graph G has Clique or not of size atleast k. Then we

where  $F(n)$  is the time complexity of DClique. If Clique decision problem is solved in polynomial time then max Clique problem can be solved in polynomial time.

**Theorem :** The Clique Decision Problem (CDP) is NP-complete.

**Proof :** Let,  $F$  be a formula for CNF which is satisfiable.

$$F = C_1 \wedge C_2 \wedge \dots \wedge C_k$$

where  $C$  is a clause. Every clause in CNF is denoted by  $a_i$  where  $1 \leq i \leq n$ . If length of  $F$  is  $F$  and is obtained in time  $O(m)$  then we can obtain polynomial time algorithm in CDP.

Let us design a graph  $G = (V, E)$  with set of vertices

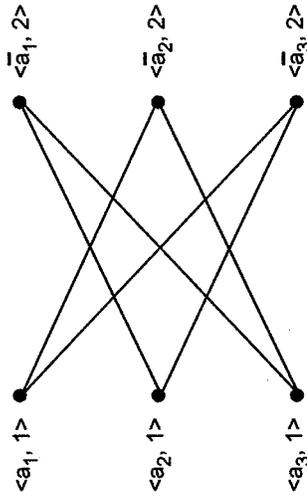
$V = \{ \langle \sigma, i \rangle \mid \sigma \text{ is a literal in } C_i \}$  and set of edges

$$E = \{ \langle \sigma, i \rangle, \langle \delta, j \rangle \mid i \neq j \text{ and } \sigma \neq \bar{\delta} \}$$

**For example**

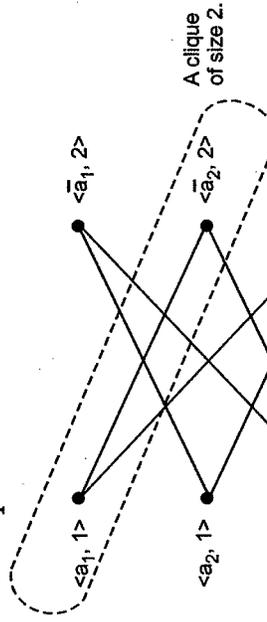
$$F = \left( \underbrace{a_1 \vee a_2 \vee a_3}_{C_1} \right) \wedge \left( \underbrace{\bar{a}_1 \vee \bar{a}_2 \vee \bar{a}_3}_{C_2} \right)$$

The graph  $G$  can be drawn as follows



The formula  $F$  is satisfiable if and only if  $G$  has a clique of size  $> k$ . The  $F$  will be satisfiable only when at least one literal  $\sigma$  in  $C_i$  is true.

Thus the graph as six cliques of size two. Note that  $F$  is satisfiable as well.



As CNF satisfiability is NP complete CDP is a

### 9.4.3 Vertex Cover

The vertex cover problem is to find vertex cover of minimum size in a given graph. The word vertex cover means each vertex covers its incident edges. Thus by vertex cover we expect to choose the set of vertices which cover all the edges in a graph.

**For example :** consider a graph  $G$  as given below.

Now we will select some arbitrary edge and delete process until all the incident edges get deleted.

**Step 1 :** Select an edge  $a-b$  and delete all the in

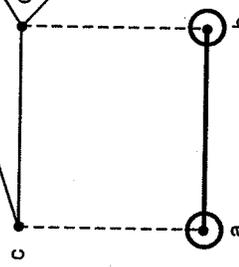
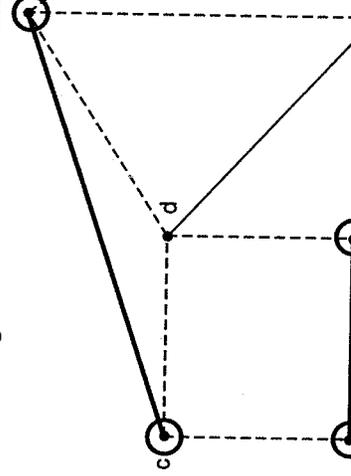
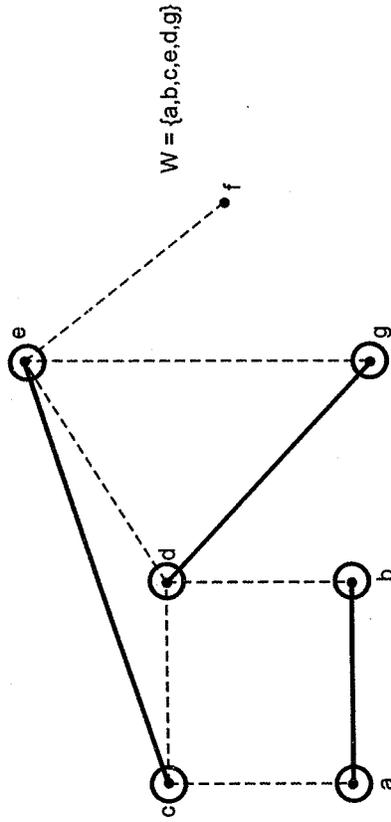


Fig. 9.4.4

**Step 2 :** Select an edge  $c-e$  and delete all the in



**Step 3 :** Select an edge d-g. All the incident edges are already deleted.



**Fig. 9.4.6**

Thus we obtain vertex cover as {a, b, c, d, e, g}.

**Theorem :**

The vertex cover is NP-complete.

**Proof :**

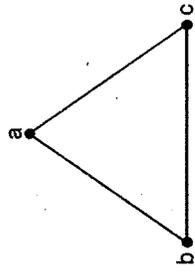
To prove that vertex cover is NP-complete we will apply reduction technique. That means reduce 3-SAT to vertex cover. As we know 3-SAT to basically a Boolean expression s containing 3 variables in each clause and value of S is true.

To prove this theorem consider S be some Boolean formula in CNF (conjunctive Normal Form) having 3 variables in each clause no for each variable a we will create,



**Fig. 9.4.7**

If the clause is a + b + c we will create a triangle (as there are 3 - variables)



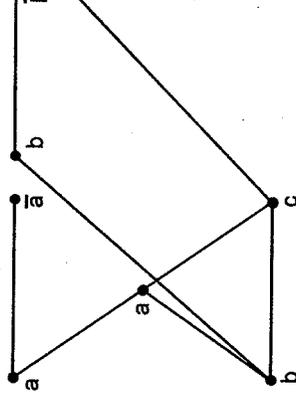
**Fig. 9.4.8**

Using 3-SAT we will build a graph as follows for given expression.

$$(a + b + c) (\bar{a} + c + \bar{d})$$

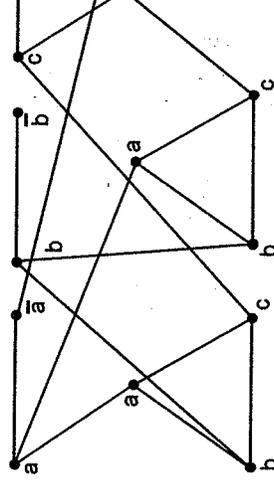
The graph has vertex cover of size  $K = n + 2$  3-SAT, m is number of clauses in CNF, K is total the set of vertex cover.

For a clause (a + b + c) we can build a graph a



**Fig. 9.4.9**

Thus for given expression (a + b + c) (a + b + c̄) (a



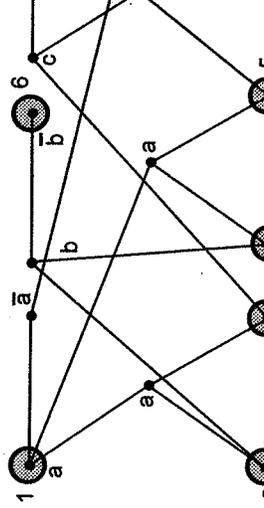
**Fig. 9.4.10**

Here n = Number of variable = 4

m = Number of clauses = 3

∴ K = n + 2m = 4 + 2(3) = 10

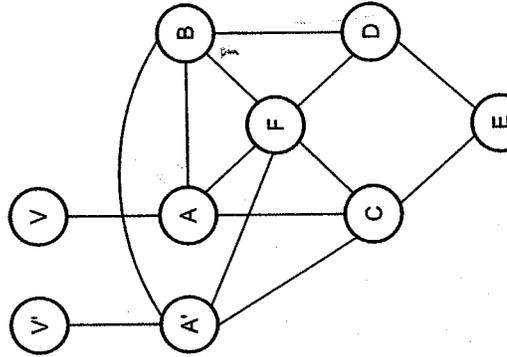
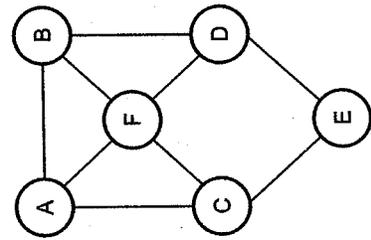
In vertex cover we get K = 10 vertices which c is shown by following graph in which the covering



Thus  $K = n + 2m$  is proved as  $K = 10$ . This is how 3-SAT can be reduced to vertex cover. The 3-SAT is NP-complete. Hence vertex is NP-complete is proved.

**9.4.4 Hamiltonian Problem**

- Hamiltonian path is a simple open path that contains each vertex in a graph exactly once. And if the source vertex and the destination vertex of this Hamiltonian path is the same then it is called Hamiltonian cycle.
- The Hamiltonian path problem is the problem to determine whether a given graph contains a Hamiltonian path.
- To show that this problem is NP-complete we first need to show that it actually belongs to the class NP and then find a known NP-complete problem that can be reduced to Hamiltonian path.
- For a given graph G we can solve Hamiltonian path by deterministically choosing edges from G that are to be included in the path. Then we traverse the path and make sure that we visit each vertex exactly once. This obviously can be done in polynomial time and hence the problem belongs to NP.
- Now we have to find out an NP complete problem that can be reduced to Hamiltonian path. One such closely related problem is the problem to determine whether the graph contains Hamiltonian cycle (Hamiltonian cycle is basically an Hamiltonian path that begin and end in the same vertex). Hamiltonian cycle is NP complete so we try to reduce this problem to Hamiltonian path.
- **For example** - Consider a graph G, from which we can construct a graph G'' such that G contains a Hamiltonian cycle if and only if G'' contains Hamiltonian path.

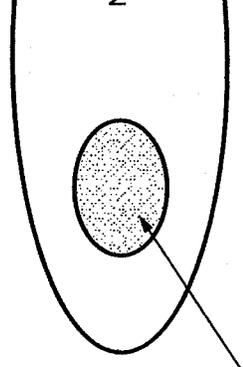


- For instance in graph G the Hamiltonian cycle is the Hamiltonian path V- A-B-D-E-C-F-A'-V'.
- Conversely if G'' contains Hamiltonian path then Hamiltonian cycle present in G by removing mapping A' to A.
- Thus we can show that G contains Hamiltonian path which concludes the problem is NP-Complete.

**9.5 P, NP Complete and NP-Hard Problems**

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- As we know, P denotes the class of all problems and NP denotes the class of all non-deterministic problems. Hence,  $P \subseteq NP$ .
- The question of whether or not  $P = NP$  holds, is the most famous outstanding problem in computer science. Problems which are known to lie in P are often called tractable or easy. Problems which lie outside of P are often termed as intractable or hard.  $P = NP$  or  $P \neq NP$  is the same as that of asking whether or not there are NP problems which are intractable or not. The relationship between P and NP is depicted as follows:



P Problems

Fig. 9.5.1 P and NP problems as sets

- We don't know if  $P = NP$ . However in 1971, Stephen Cook proved that SAT (Satisfiability of Boolean expressions) is NP-complete. This property that, if it is solvable in polynomial time, then all NP problems are solvable in polynomial time.

- Let A and B be two problems then problem A reduces to B if and only if there is a way to solve A by deterministic polynomial time algorithm using a deterministic algorithm that solves B in polynomial time.
- A reduces to B can be denoted as  $A \in B$ . In other words we can say that if there exists any polynomial time algorithm which solves B then we can solve A in polynomial time. We can also state that if  $A \in B$  and  $B \in C$  then  $A \in C$ .
- A NP problem such that, if it is in P, then  $NP = P$ . If a (not necessarily NP) problem has this same property then it is called "NP-hard". Thus the class of NP-complete problem is the intersection of the NP and NP-hard classes.
- Normally the decision problems are NP-complete but optimization problems are NP-hard. However if problem A is a decision problem and B is optimization problem then it is possible that  $A \in B$ . For instance the Knapsack decision problem can be Knapsack optimization problem.

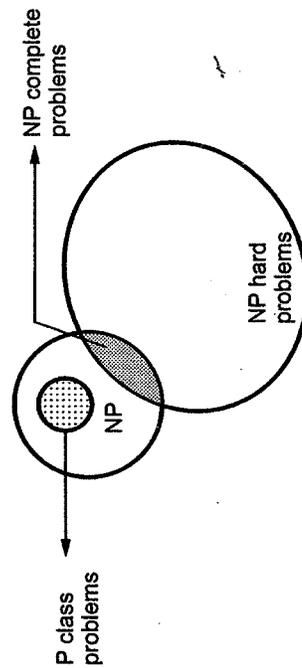
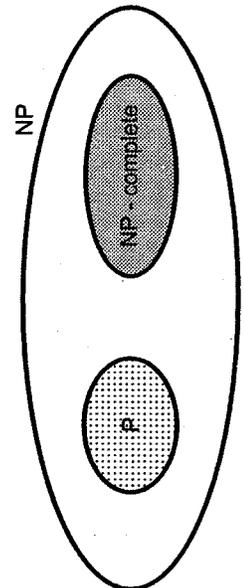


Fig. 9.5.2 Relationship between P, NP, NP-complete and NP-hard problems

- There are some NP-hard problems that are not NP-complete. For example halting problem. The halting problem states that : "Is it possible to determine whether an algorithm will ever halt or enter in a loop on certain input?"
- Two problems P and Q are said to be polynomially equivalent if and only if  $P \in Q$  and  $Q \in P$ .



**Review Questions**

1. Compare NP-hard with NP-complete problems.
2. Define P, NP, NP complete and NP-hard problems.
3. Explain P, NP and NP complete problems.
4. Define P, NP, NP complete and NP-Hard problems. Give examples.

**9.6 NP Hard Problem**

**Definition :** A problem A is said to be NP hard A can be translated into the problem which solves atleast as hard as any NP - problem.

**Difference between NP Complete and NP Hard Problems**

The NP complete has a property that it can be solved if all other NP complete problems can also be solved. If an NP-hard problem can be solved in polynomial time. All the NP complete problems are NP-hard but that are not known to be NP complete.

**Review Question**

1. Explain in brief : NP hard problem

**9.7 Traveling Salesman Problem**

The travelling salesman decision problem can be of cities and a travelling salesman has to visit each that the travelling salesman can visit each and every

**Theorem :** Prove that a directed Hamiltonian cycle problem.

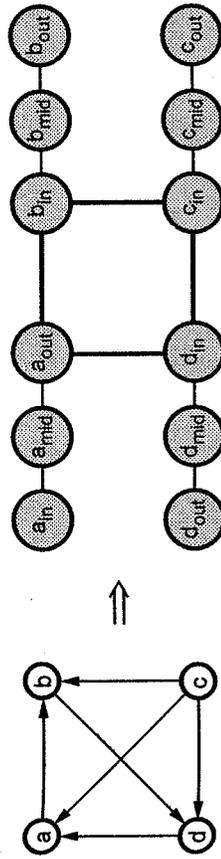
**Proof**

The directed Hamiltonian cycle is a cycle in which visited only once. To prove that directed Hamiltonian Salesperson Problem (TSP) we will apply following steps. If there are two problems A and B and if we want to prove that A is NP-hard, we will show that B is NP-complete and A is at least as hard as B.

2) Reduce A to B. This can be done in following steps

- a) Describe a transformation that maps the instance of A to instance of B in such a manner that "yes" for B = "yes" for A.
- b) Prove that this transformation runs in polynomial time.
- 3) This proves that problem B is also NP complete.

To prove that  $DHC \in TSP$  we will reduce Directed Hamiltonian cycle to undirected Hamiltonian Cycle. The conversion is as follows -



In this undirected graph if there exists a Hamiltonian cycle, then that denotes visiting cities in the order of nodes being visited in Hamiltonian cycle.

If no Hamiltonian cycle exists that means TSP has no solution. The Hamiltonian cycle problem is NP complete. This proves that TSP is also NP complete.

**Review Question**

- 1. Prove that traveling salesman problem is NP complete.

**9.8 Approximation Algorithms**

The approximation algorithms are algorithms used to find approximate solutions to optimization problems. Approximation algorithms are often associated with NP-hard problems because it is very difficult to get an efficient polynomial time exact algorithm for solving NP-hard problems. Note that approximate algorithms are mainly useful for solving those problems where exact polynomial algorithms are known but running such algorithm is too expensive because of their sizes of data sets. The philosophy behind approximation algorithm is *find 'good' solution fast*. That means you won't get the exact solution but you will get the approximate solution quickly. For approximation algorithm we start with inaccurate data, hence optimization may be as good as optimal solution. Hence approximation algorithms are based on heuristics (i.e. proceeding to solution by trial and error).

**For example :** In travelling salesperson problem knapsack problem start with highest value and minimum weight.

**Accuracy Ratio**

It is always necessary to know the accuracy of solution. Hence accuracy ratio is defined as

$$r(s_a) = \frac{f(s_a)}{f(s^*)}$$

where  $s_a$  denotes approximate solution,  $r(s_a)$  denotes ratio of objective function for solution given by approximate solution to objective function. Generally  $r(s_a) > 1$ . When  $r(s_a) = 1$ , it denotes a better approximate solution.

**Performance Ratio**

The best upper bound on accuracy ratio taken over all approximate solutions is called performance ratio. It is denoted by  $R_A$ . By judge quality of approximation algorithm. The performance ratio is a number greater than or equal to 1 is supposed to be a better approximation algorithm.

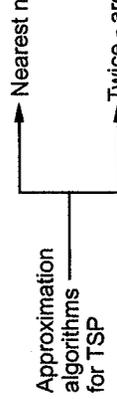
**c-Approximation Algorithm**

If there exists a value  $c$  which is  $c \geq 1$  and  $r(s_a) \leq c$  for all approximate solutions, then the algorithm is called  $c$ -approximation algorithm. For a  $c$ -approximation algorithm, the performance ratio is  $c$ .

$$f(s_a) \leq c f(s^*)$$

**9.8.1 Approximation Algorithms for the Travelling Salesman Problem**

The travelling salesman problem is based on finding a minimum length tour that visits every city exactly once and returns to the starting city. The decision version of this problem is NP-complete. There are two approximation algorithms for TSP: Nearest Neighbor and Twice-around.



**1. Nearest neighbor algorithm**

This algorithm is based on the idea of choosing nearest-neighbor while travelling from one city to another. This nearest neighbor should be unvisited one. Let see the algorithm.

1. Start at any arbitrary city.
2. Repeat until all the nodes are visited : Go to the nearest city (the unvisited one) each time.
3. Return to the starting city.

Let us apply this algorithm on some example.

**Example 9.8.1** Using nearest-neighbor algorithm, obtain the optimal solution for given travelling salesman problem.

Also find the accuracy ratio for the same.

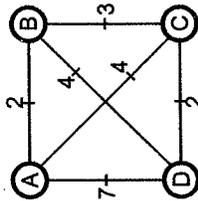


Fig. 9.8.2

**Solution :** We will apply nearest neighbor algorithm for the tour for given traveling salesman problem. Hence nearest neighbor will produce :

A-B-C-D-A,

$$\therefore s_a = 2 + 3 + 2 + 7$$

i.e.  $s_a = 14$

Now the optimal solution can be obtained by exhaustive search. Then tour will be:

A-B-D-C-A

$$\therefore s^* = 2 + 4 + 2 + 4$$

$$s^* = 12$$

The accuracy ratio  $r(s_a)$  will be -

$$r(s_a) = \frac{f(s_a)}{f(s^*)} = \frac{14}{12}$$

This algorithm is simple to use but it has some drawback. This method is that there may exist some long path to the starting city (Note that we will go on choosing nearest neighbor but to return back to starting point there may not have to traverse a long distance only!). For instance, in a tour A-B-C-D-A, the distance D-A will play an important role in accuracy ratio  $r(s_a)$  will be

$$r(s_a) = \frac{f(s_a)}{f(s^*)}$$

$$r(s_a) = \frac{7+w}{12}$$

where w is the distance

As value of w increases,  $r(s_a)$  increases. For instance, if w=7,  $r(s_a) = 14/12$ . Hence our approximation algorithm will fail to obtain the optimal solution.

**2. Twice around-the-tree algorithm**

This algorithm is based on important subset accuracy for the nearest neighbor algorithm can be used to find a tour.

Eudidean instances satisfy following conditions

**1. Triangle inequality**

$$\text{dist}[i, j] \leq \text{dist}[i, k] + \text{dist}[k, j]$$

where i, j and k denote cities.

**2. Symmetry**

$$\text{dist}[i, j] = \text{dist}[j, i]$$

The distance from city i to j should be same as from j to i.

The Eudidean instances satisfy following conditions

$$r(s_a) \text{ i.e. } = \frac{f(s_a)}{f(s^*)} \leq \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{f(s_a)}{f(s^*)} + \frac{f(s_a)}{f(s^*)} \right)$$

where n is total number of cities.

Now let us discuss another approximation algorithm. This is a 2-approximation (i.e. c-approximation) for the travelling salesman problem with Euclidean distance. The accuracy ratio is at most 2.

Algorithm

### 9.9 Randomized Algorithm

In probability theory various "experiments" are of those experiments determine the specific character

**For example :** Picking up a card from a deck choosing a red ball from an urn containing red ; Each possible result of such experiment is called points is called **sample space**. The sample space finite set. An event E occurs from sample space possible events.

**Probability :** The probability of event E is the

$$\text{Probability} = \frac{|E|}{|S|}$$

**For example :** When a coin is tossed, then w Suppose, we have tossed four coins together th HHHH, HHHH, HHHH, HHHH, HHHH, HHHH, HHHH, HHHH, TTTT, TTTT, TTTT, TTTT. For 4 even probability is  $\frac{4}{16} = \frac{1}{4}$ .

**Mutual exclusion :** Two events A and B are s not have any common sample point. Hence  $A \cap B = \{HTT, THTT\}$  are mutually exclusive.

**Independence :** Two events A and B are said t

$$P[A \cap B] = P[A] * P[B]$$

**Random variable :** The random variable is bas S to set of real numbers.

For sample point  $a \in S$  the  $F(a)$  denotes the elements then it is called **discrete**. Thus the ran variables.

**For example -** If we pick up four balls from then the number of red balls that get selected is so on.

**Probability distribution :** If F is discrete ran probability distribution can be defined for a rang

$$P[F = a_1], P[F = a_2], \dots, P[F = a_n]$$

2. Start at any arbitrary city and walk around the tree (i.e. depth first search) and record nodes visited.

3. Eliminate duplicates from the generated node list.

**Example :** Consider the graph as given below and apply the twice-around-the-tree algorithm.

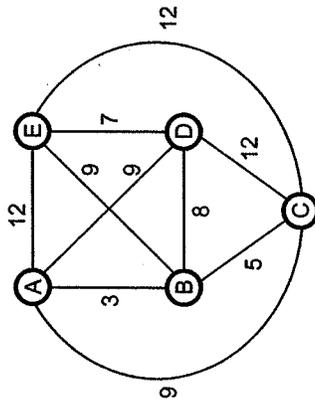


Fig. 9.8.3

**Step 1 :** Now we will obtain the Minimum Spanning Tree (MST) for given graph.

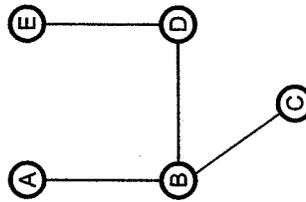


Fig. 9.8.4

**Step 2 :** Start from city A and have a DFS walk around the tree.

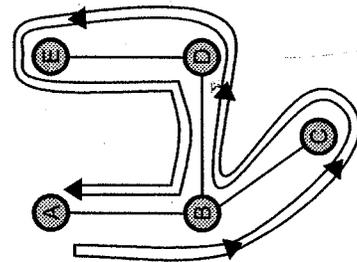


Fig. 9.8.5

**Step 3 :** Record the visited nodes

A - B - C - B - D - E - D - B - A. Eliminate duplicates then A-B-C-D-E-A . This basically gives Hamiltonian circuit.

But the tour obtained is not the optimal tour.

For example if we pick up four balls randomly from an urn containing red and white balls and F is number of red balls, then F can take on five values 0, 1, 2, 3 and 4 then

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
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| 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
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Here 1 means presence of red balls and 0 means absence of red ball from the four balls that are picked up

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Hence probability distribution of F is given by

$$P [F = 0] = \frac{1}{16} \text{ i.e. no red ball present.}$$

$$P [F = 1] = \frac{4}{16} \text{ i.e. only one red ball present.}$$

$$P [F = 2] = \frac{6}{16} \text{ i.e. two red balls present from picked up balls.}$$

$$P [F = 3] = \frac{4}{16} \text{ i.e. when 3 red balls present from picked balls.}$$

**Binomial distribution**

Suppose an experiment is conducted then the success or failure.

Let, p represents success outcome.

Let n be number trials or experiments. These e The sample space S contains  $2^n$  sample points distribution with (n, p) which can be given by -

$$P [F = i] = \binom{n}{i} p^i (1-p)^{n-i}$$

**Markov inequality** : The Markov inequality is

$$p [F \geq f] \leq \frac{\mu}{f}$$

where F is a non-negative random variable wh

**9.9.1 Advantages and Disadvantages**

There are two major advantages of randomized

1. These algorithms are simple to implement.
2. These algorithms are many times efficient th

However randomized algorithms may have some

1. The small degree of error may be dangerous
2. It is not always possible to obtain better re

**9.10 Class of Problems Beyond NP - P**

**Definition** : The class of problems that can be of space is called PSPACE problem.

Unlike time the space is reusable.

Many exponential algorithms are in PSPACE.

In polynomial time an algorithm can only con For example

- Consider an algorithm that counts from ( n-bit counter.
- Here input length is n , running time

The relationship between P, NP and NSPACE problems is represented by following Fig. 9.10.1.

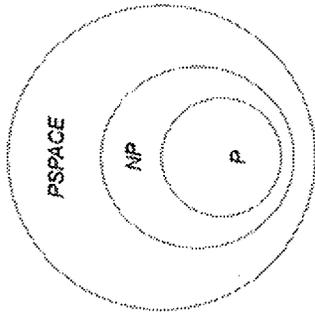


Fig. 9.10.1

Thus all NP complete problems are in PSPACE.

### 9.11 University Questions with Answers

#### Regulation 2008

#### Winter - 2010

- Q.1** Explain P and NP problems giving examples. [Refer section 9.1] [6]  
**Q.2** Compare NP-hard with NP-complete problems. [Refer section 9.5] [4]

#### Summer - 2011

- Q.3** What is polynomially turing reducible problem ? Explain with example how problem A can be polynomially turing reduced to problem B. [Refer section 9.3] [6]  
**Q.4** Define P, NP, NP complete and NP-hard problems. [Refer section 9.5] [4]

#### Winter - 2011

- Q.5** Explain polynomial reduction. [Refer section 9.3] [3]

#### Summer - 2013

- Q.6** Explain P, NP and NP complete problems. [Refer section 9.5] [3]

#### Winter - 2014

- Q.7** What is polynomially turing reducible problem ? Explain with example how

- Q.8** Explain polynomial reduction. [Refer section 9.3] [6]  
**Q.9** Explain in brief : NP hard problem. [Refer section 9.5] [3]  
**Q.10** Explain class P and class NP. [Refer section 9.1] [6]  
**Q.11** Define P, NP, NP complete and NP-Hard [Refer sections 9.1 and 9.6] [6]  
**Q.12** Explain traveling salesman problem with example. [Refer section 9.4] [6]  
**Q.13** State whether travelling salesman problem your answer. [Refer section 9.7] [3]  
**Q.14** Prove that if G is an undirected bipartite graph then G is nonhamiltonian. [Refer section 9.4] [6]  
**Q.15** What is an approximation algorithm approximation algorithm. [Refer section 9.8] [6]  
**Q.16** Explain polynomial-time reduction algorithm. [Refer section 9.3] [6]  
**Q.17** Which are the three major concepts used to solve NP-complete problem ? [Refer section 9.5] [6]  
**Q.18** Define P, NP, NP-hard and NP-complete problems. [Refer sections 9.1 and 9.5] [6]

## 9.12 Short Questions and Answers

**Q.1 What is decision problem ?**

**Ans. :** Any problem for which answer is either yes or no is called decision problem.

**Q.2 What is decision algorithm ?**

**Ans. :** The algorithm used to solve the decision problem is called decision algorithm.

**Q.3 What is optimization problem ?**

**Ans. :** Any problem that involves the identification of optimal cost is called optimization problem.

**Q.4 What is P class problems ?**

**Ans. :** The problems that can be solved in polynomial time are called P class problems.

**Q.5 What is NP class problems ?**

**Ans. :** The problems that can be solved in non deterministic polynomial time are called NP class problems.

**Q.6 Give examples of P and NP class problems.**

**Ans. :** Examples of P class problems - Binary search method, sorting techniques.

Examples of NP class problems - Traveling Salesperson Problem, Hamiltonian circuit problem.

**Q.7 Define NP Complete problems.**

**Ans. :** A problem D is called NP-complete if - i) It belongs to class NP ii) Every problem in NP can also be solved in polynomial time.

**Q.8 What is computational complexity?**

**Ans. :** The computational problems is an infinite collection of instances with a solution for every instance. The computational complexity can be classified into P class and NP class problems.

**Q.9 List out the type of problems involved in complexity classes**

**Ans. :** The complexity classes involve functional problems, P classes, NP classes, optimization problems.

**Q.10 What is the use of polynomial time reduction?**

**Ans. :** To prove whether particular problem is NP complete or not we use polynomial time reducibility.

**Q.11 What is Boolean Formula?**

**Q.12 What is CNF-SAT ?**

**Ans. :** The CNF-SAT stands for Conjunctive Normal form which takes Boolean formula in assignment is there to Boolean values so that form

$$(\bar{a} + b + d + \bar{g})(c + \bar{e})(\bar{b} + d + \bar{f} + h)(a$$

This formula evaluates to 1 if b, c, d are 1.

**Q.13 When a problem is said to be NP hard ?**

**Ans. :** A problem A is said to be NP hard if A can be translated into the problem which solves NP-F as hard as any NP-problem.

**Q.14 What is non deterministic polynomial time**

**Ans. :** The polynomial time means the complexity of deterministic polynomial time. The nondeterministic polynomial time required by the algorithm to execute which can not

**Example :** Travelling salesperson problem, Knapsack

**Q.15 Differentiate between "polynomial" and "non-**

**polynomially polynomial :** An algorithm is called polynomial for given input the same output is generated for algorithm.

**Non-deterministically polynomial :** An algorithm is called polynomially polynomial (NP class) when for given input the algorithm can follow. Due to this complexity to be followed after a particular stage. All the NP class problems are non-deterministic.

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# Analysis & Design Lab

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**Experiment 1(a) : Implementation of Bubble Sort****Solution :**

```

#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
int n;
void main()
{
 int i,A[10];
 void bubble(int A[10]);
 clrscr();
 printf("\n\t\t Bubble Sort\n");
 printf("\n How many elements are there?");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\n Enter the elements\n");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 scanf("%d",&A[i]);
 bubble(A);
}

getch();
}

void bubble(int A[10])
{
 int i,j,temp;
 for(i=0;i<=n-2;i++)
 {
 for(j=0;j<=n-2-i;j++)
 {
 if(A[j]>A[j+1])
 {
 temp=A[j];
 A[j]=A[j+1];
 A[j+1]=temp;
 }
 }
 }
}

```

```

printf(" %d",A[i]);
}

```

**Output**

Bubble Sort

How many elements are there??

Enter the elements

70

30

20

50

60

10

40

The sorted List is ...

10 20 30 40 50 60 70

**Experiment 1(b) : Implementation of Insertion****Solution :**

```

/*****
Implementation of insertion sort
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
void main()
{
 int A[10],n,i;
 void Insert_sort(int A[10],int n);
 clrscr();
 printf("\n\t\t Insertion Sort");
 printf("\n How many elements are there?");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\n Enter the elements\n");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 scanf("%d",&A[i]);
 Insert_sort(A,n);
}

```

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void Insert_sort(int A[10],int n)
{
 int i,j,temp;
 for(i=1;i<=n-1;i++)
 {
 temp=A[i];
 j=i-1;
 while((j>=0)&&(A[j]>temp))
 {
 A[j+1]=A[j];
 j=j-1;
 }
 A[j+1]=temp;
 }
 printf("\n The sorted list of elements is...\n");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 printf("%d",A[i]);
}

```

### Output

Insertion Sort

How many elements are there?5

Enter the elements

30

20

10

40

50

The sorted list of elements is...

10

20

30

40

50

```

#include<stdlib.h>
int n;
void main()
{
 int i,low,high;
 int A[10];
 void MergeSort(int A[10],int low,int high);
 void Display(int A[10]);
 clrscr();
 printf("\n\t\t Merge Sort \n");
 printf("\n Enter the length of list:");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\n Enter list elements:");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 scanf("%d",&A[i]);
 low=0;
 high=n-1;
 MergeSort(A,low,high);
 Display(A);
 getch();
}
/*
This function is to split the list into sublists
*/
void MergeSort(int A[10],int low,int high)
{
 int mid;
 void Combine(int A[10],int low,int mid);
 if(low < high)
 {
 mid = (low+high)/2;//split the list
 MergeSort(A,low,mid);//first sublist
 MergeSort(A,mid+1,high);//second
 Combine(A,low,mid,high);//merging
 }
}

```

```

}
/* function to display sorted array */
void Display(int A[10])
{
 int i;
 printf("\n\n The Sorted Array Is ... \n\n");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 printf("%d\t",A[i]);
}

```

**Output**

Merge Sort

Enter the length of list :7

Enter list elements :

70  
20  
30  
40  
10  
50  
60

The Sorted Array Is ...

10 20 30 40 50 60 70

**Experiment 1(d) : Implementation of Quick Sort**

```

/*****
Program to sort the elements in ascending order
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#include <dos.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

#define SIZE 10
void Quick(int A[SIZE],int,int);

```

```

{
 int i,j,k;
 int temp[10];
 k=low;
 i=low;
 j=mid+1;
 while(i <= mid && j <= high)
 {
 if(A[i] <= A[j])
 {
 temp[k]=A[i];
 i++;
 k++;
 }
 else
 {
 temp[k]=A[j];
 j++;
 k++;
 }
 }
 while(i <= mid)
 {
 temp[k]=A[i];
 i++;
 k++;
 }
 while(j <= high)
 {
 temp[k]=A[j];
 j++;
 k++;
 }
}
//copy the elements from temp array to A

```

We compare elements from left sublist and right sublist. If element in the left sublist is lesser than the element in the right sublist then copy that smaller element of left sublist to temp array

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```

int n;
int main()
{
 int i;
 int A[SIZE];
 printf("\n\t\t Quick Sort Method \n");
 printf("\n Generating the list using the random numbers");
 srand(10000);
 n=10;
 for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
 {
 int val = n * ((float)rand() / ((float)RAND_MAX + (float) 1));
 A[i] = val;
 }
 printf("\n The Original List is\n");
 for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
 printf(" %d",A[i]);
 Quick(A,0,n-1);

 printf("\n\t Sorted Array Is: \n");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 printf(" %d",A[i]);
 return 0;
}

/*
This function is to sort the elements in a sublist
*/
void Quick(int A[SIZE],int low,int high)
{
 int m,i;
 if(low < high)
 {
 m=Partition(A,low,high);//setting pivot element
 Quick(A,low,m-1);//splitting of list
 Quick(A,m+1,high);//splitting of list
 }
}

```

```

}
/*
This function is to partition a list and decide
element
*/
int Partition(int A[SIZE],int low,int high)
{
 int pivot=A[low],i=low,j=high;
 while(i<=j)
 {
 while(A[j]<=pivot)
 j--;
 while(A[i]>pivot)
 i++;
 swap(A,&i,&j);
 }
 swap(A,&low,&j);
 return j;
}

void swap(int A[SIZE],int *i,int *j)
{
 int temp;

 temp=A[*i];
 A[*i]=A[*j];
 A[*j]=temp;
}

```

**Output**

Quick Sort Method

Generating the list using the random numbers

The Original List is

6 1 7 6 4 1 8 6 7 2

Sorted Array Is:

**Experiment 2(a) : Implementation of Linear Search****Solution :**

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
void Seq_Search(int a[10],int n,int key)
{
 int i,flag=0,mark;
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 { //searching element from beginning of array
 if(a[i]==key)
 {
 flag=1;//setting the flag if element found
 mark=i;//marking the location of key element
 break;
 }
 }
 if(flag==1)//flag=1 means element is found
 printf("\n The element is present at location: %d",mark+1);
 else
 printf("\n The element is not present in the array");
}

void main()
{
 int key,a[10],i,n;
 clrscr();
 printf("\n How Many Elements are there in an array? ");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\n Enter the elements ");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 scanf("%d",&a[i]);
 printf("\n Enter the element which is to be searched ");
 scanf("%d",&key);
 Seq_Search(a,n,key);
 getch();
}
```

How Many Elements are there in an array

Enter the elements

20

10

50

40

60

30

70

Enter the element which is to be searched

The element is present at location: 5

**Experiment 2(b) : Implementation of Binary Search****Solution :****(i) Recursive Binary Search**

```
/******
Implementation of recursive Binary Search

#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#define SIZE 10
int n;
void main()
{
 int A[SIZE],KEY,i,flag,low,high;
 int BinSearch(int A[SIZE],int KEY,int low,
 int high)
 {
 printf("\n How Many elements in an array: ");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\n Enter The Elements");
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
```

```

scanf("%d",&KEY);
low=0;
high=n-1;
flag=BinSearch(A,KEY,low,high);
printf("\n The element is at A[%d] location",flag);
getch();
}
int BinSearch(int A[SIZE],int KEY,int low,int high)
{
int m;
m=(low+high)/2; //mid of the array is obtained
if(KEY==A[m])
return m;
else if(KEY<A[m])
BinSearch(A,KEY,low,m-1);//search the left sub list
else
BinSearch(A,KEY,m+1,high);//search the right sub list
}

```

### Output

How Many elements in an array? 5

Enter The Elements 10 20 30 40 50

Enter the element which is to be searched 20

The element is at A[1] location

### (ii) Non Recursive Binary Search Program

```

/*****
Implementation of non recursive Binary Search algorithm
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#define SIZE 10
int n;
void main()
{

```

```

clrscr();
printf("\n How Many elements in an array?");
scanf("%d",&n);
printf("\n Enter The Elements");
for(i=0;i<n;i++)
scanf("%d",&A[i]);
printf("\n Enter the element which is to be searched");
scanf("%d",&KEY);
flag=BinSearch(A,KEY);
if(flag==--1)
printf("\n The Element is not present");
else
printf("\n The element is at A[%d] location"
getch();
}
int BinSearch(int A[SIZE],int KEY)
{
int low,high,m;
low=0;
high=n-1;
while(low<=high)
{
m=(low+high)/2; //mid of the array is obtained
if(KEY==A[m])
return m;
else if(KEY<A[m])
high=m-1; //search the left sub list
else
low=m+1; //search the right sub list
}
return-1; //if element is not present in the array
}

```

How Many elements in an array? 6

### Output (Run 1)

20  
30  
40  
50  
60

Enter the element which is to be searched 50

The element is at A[4] location

(Run 2)

How Many elements in an array? 5

Enter The Elements

10  
20  
30  
40  
50

Enter the element which is to be searched 80

The Element is not present

### Experiment 3 : Implementation of Max-heap Sort Algorithm

**Solution :**

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <conio.h>
#define MAX 10
void main()
{
 int i,n;
 int arr[MAX];
 void makeheap(int arr[MAX],int n);
 void heapsort(int arr[MAX],int n);
 void display(int arr[MAX],int n);
```

```
arr[i]=0;
```

```
printf("\n How many elements you want t
```

```
scanf("%d",&n);
```

```
printf("\n Enter the elements");
```

```
for(i=0;i<n;i++)
```

```
scanf("%d",&arr[i]);
```

```
printf("\n The Elements are ... ");
```

```
display(arr,n);
```

```
makeheap(arr,n);
```

```
printf("\n Heapified");
```

```
display(arr,n);
```

```
heapsort(arr,n);
```

```
printf("\nElements sorted by Heap sort...
```

```
display(arr,n);
```

```
getch();
```

```
}
```

```
void makeheap(int arr[MAX],int n)
```

```
{
```

```
int i,val,j,father;
```

```
for(i=1;i<n;i++)
```

```
{
```

```
val=arr[i];
```

```
j=i;
```

```
father=(j-1)/2;//finding the parent of no
```

```
while(j>0&&arr[father]<val)//creating
```

```
{
```

```
arr[j]=arr[father];//preserving parent
```

```
j=father;
```

```
father=(j-1)/2;
```

```
}
```

```
arr[j]=val;
```

```
}
```

```
}
```

```
void heapsort(int arr[MAX],int n)
```

```
{
```

```

{
 temp=arr[i];
 arr[i]=arr[0];
 k=0;
 if(i==1)
 j=-1;
 else
 j=1;
 if(i>2&&arr[2]>arr[1])
 j=2;
 while(j>=0&&temp < arr[j])
 {
 arr[k]=arr[j];
 k=j;
 j=2*k+1;
 if(j+1<=i-1&&arr[j]<arr[j+1])
 j++;
 if(j>i-1)
 j=-1;
 }
 arr[k]=temp;
}

void display(int arr[MAX],int n)
{
 int i;
 for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 printf("\n %d",arr[i]);
}

```

**Output**

How many elements you want to insert?7

Enter the elements14

12

9

10  
18

The

The Elements are ...

14

12

9

8

Heapif

7

10

18

Heapified

18

12

14

8

7

9

10

sorted

Elements sorted by Heap sort...

7

8

9

10

12

14

18

**Experiment 4(a) : Implementation Iterative Fa**

```

#include <stdio.h>
void main(void)
{
 int n;
 long factorial(int n);

```



```

{
for(int j=0;j<=W;j++)
{
table[i][j]=0;
}
DKP(n,W,w,v);
}
int max(int a,int b)
{
if(a>b)
return a;
else
return b;
}

void DKP(int n,int W,int w[5],int v[5])
{
void find_item(int,int,int[]);
int i,j;
int val1,val2;
for(i=0;i<=n;i++)
{
for(j=0;j<=W;j++)
{
table[i][0]=0;
table[0][j]=0;
}
}
for(i=1;i<=n;i++)
{
for(j=1;j<=W;j++)
{
if(j<w[i])
table[i][j]=table[i-1][j];
else if(j>=w[i])
{
val1=table[i-1][j];

```

```

val2=v[i]+table[i-1][j-w[i]];
table[i][j]=max(val1,val2);
}
}
}
printf("\n Table constructed using dynamic programming");
for(i=0;i<=n;i++)
{
for(j=0;j<=W;j++)
printf(" %d",table[i][j]);
printf("\n");
}
find_item(n,W,w);
}

void find_item(int i,int k,int w[5])
{
printf("\nSolution for the Knapsack...");
while(i>0 && k>0)
{
if(table[i][k]==table[i-1][k])
{
printf("\nItem %d is selected",i);
i=i-1;
k=k-w[i];
}
else
{
i=i-1;
}
}
}

Given Data...
w[i] v[i]

Output
0/1 Knapsack Problem using

```

4 5  
5 6

Capacity=5

Table constructed using dynamic programming is ...

0 0 0 0 0 0  
0 0 3 3 3 3  
0 0 3 4 4 7  
0 0 3 4 5 7  
0 0 3 4 5 7

Solution for the Knapsack...

Item 2 is selected

Item 1 is selected

### Experiment 6 : Implementation of a Chain Matrix Multiplication using Dynamic Programming

**Solution :**

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main()
{
 int n,i,cost;
 int p[100];
 int s[20][20];
 int Matrix_chain(int s[20][20],int p[],int i,int j);
 void display_matrix_order(int s[20][20],int i,int j);

 printf("\nEnter the number of matrices: ");
 scanf("%d",&n);

 for(i=0;i<n+1;i++)
 {
 printf("\nEnter the dimension of the matrix: ");
 scanf("%d",&p[i]);
 }

 cost=Matrix_chain(s,p,1,n);
}
```

```
display_matrix_order(s,1,n);
```

```
return 0;
```

```
}
```

```
int Matrix_chain(int s[20][20],int p[],int i,int j)
```

```
{
```

```
 if(i==j)
```

```
 return 0;
```

```
 int k,count;
```

```
 int min = 1000000;//infinity
```

```
 for (k=i;k<j;k++)
```

```
 {
```

```
 count=Matrix_chain(s,p,i,k)+Matrix_chain(s,
```

```
 p,k,j);
```

```
 {
```

```
 min = count;
```

```
 s[i][j]=k;
```

```
 }
```

```
 }
```

```
 return min;//returns optimal cost
```

```
}
```

```
void display_matrix_order(int s[20][20],int i,int
```

```
{
```

```
 if(i==j)
```

```
 printf("A%d",i);
```

```
 else
```

```
 {
```

```
 printf("(");
```

```
 display_matrix_order(s,i,s[i][j]);
```

```
 display_matrix_order(s,s[i][j]+1,i);
```

```
 printf(")");
```

```
 }
```

```
}
```

**Output**

Enter the number of matrices: 4

Enter the dimension of the matrix: 5

Enter the dimension of the matrix: 4

Enter the dimension of the matrix: 6

Enter the dimension of the matrix: 2

Enter the dimension of the matrix: 7

The Optimal Cost: 158

The Optimal Order : ((A1(A2A3))A4)

### Experiment 7 : Implementation of a Making Change Problem using Dynamic Programming

**Solution :**

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main()
{
 int d[5];
 int NumberOfCoins(int [5],int,int);
 int n,N;
 printf("\n Enter the number of Units(n): ");
 scanf("%d",&n);
 printf("\n Enter the value of coins:");
 for(int i=1;i<=n;i++)
 scanf("%d",&d[i]);
 printf("\n Enter total units for which the changes if required(N):");
 scanf("%d",&N);
 printf(" Minimum Number of coins %d ",NumberOfCoins(d,n,N));
}
```

```
int minval(int x,int y)
{
 if(x<y)
 return x;
 else
 return y;
}
int NumberOfCoins(int d[],int n,int N)
{
 int minval(int x,int y);
 int i,j;
 int c[10][10];
 for(i=0;i<=n;i++)
 for(j=0;j<=N;j++)
 c[i][j]=9999;//initialize table by infinity
 for (i=0;i<=n;i++)
 c[i][0]=0;
 for (j=1;j<=N;j++)
 c[0][j]=j;
 //Filling up table column by column
 for (j=1;j<=N;j++)
 {
 for (i=1;i<=n;i++)
 {
 if(i == 1)
 {
 if(j < d[i])
 c[i][j] = 9999;//infinity
 else
 c[i][j] = 1 + c[1][j-d[1]] ;
 }
 else if(j < d[i])
 c[i][j] = c[i-1][j];
 else
 c[i][j] = minval(c[i-1][j],1 + c[i][j-d[i]]);
 }
 }
}
```

```

for(i=0;i<=n;i++)
{
 for(j=0;j<=N;j++)
 {
 printf(" %d",c[i][j]);
 }
 printf("\n");
}
return c[n][N]; //returning bottom most and rightmost element
}

```

### Output

Enter the number of Units(n): 3

Enter the value of coins:1 4 6

Enter total units for which the changes if required(N):8

Printing the table for number of coins

```

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
0 1 2 3 1 2 3 4 2
0 1 2 3 1 2 1 2 2

```

Minimum Number of coins 2

### Experiment 8 : Implementation of a Knapsack Problem using Greedy Algorithm

#### Solution :

```

/*****
To implement knapsack problem using Greedy algorithm
*****/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
void knapsack(int n,float m,float w[],float p[]);
void main()
{
 int i,j,n;
 float p[15],w[15],c[15],temp,m;
 clrscr();

```

```

printf("\nEnter weights:");
for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 scanf("%f",&w[i]);
flushall();
printf("\nEnter profits:");
for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 scanf("%f",&p[i]);
printf("\nEnter knapsack size:");
scanf("%f",&m);

for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 c[i]=p[i]/w[i];
for(i=0;i<n;i++)
{
 for(j=0;j<n-1;j++)
 {
 if(c[j] < c[j+1])
 {
 temp=c[j];
 c[j]=c[j+1];
 c[j+1]=temp;

 temp=w[j];
 w[j]=w[j+1];
 w[j+1]=temp;

 temp=p[j];
 p[j]=p[j+1];
 p[j+1]=temp;
 }
 }
}

printf("\n The items are arranged as ...\n");
printf("\n\nItems\tweights\tProfits");

for(i=0;i<n;i++)

```

```

getch();
}

void knapsack(int n,float m,float w[],float p[])
{
float x[15],U,profit=0.0,weight=0.0;
int i;
U=m;

for(i=0;i<n;i++)
x[i]=0.0;

for(i=0;i<n;i++)
{
if(w[i]>U)
break;
x[i]=1.0;
U=U-w[i];
}
if(i<n)
x[i]=U/w[i]; //take fractional part of item to fulfil the size

printf("\nThe solution vector is:");

for(i=0;i<n;i++)
printf("\n%d\t%.2f",i,x[i]);

for(i=0;i<n;i++)
{
w[i]=w[i]*x[i];
p[i]=p[i]*x[i];
}

for(i=0;i<n;i++)
{
profit=profit+p[i]; //computing total profit & wt.
weight=weight+w[i];
}
}

```

```

printf("\nMaximum profit is:");
printf("\n\t%.2f",profit);
printf("\nMaximum weight is:");
printf("\n\t%.2f",weight);
}

```

**Output**

Enter number of objects:7

Enter weights:2 3 5 7 1 4 1

Enter profits:10 5 15 7 6 18 3

Enter knapsack size:15

The items are arranged as ...

| Items | Weights | Profits |
|-------|---------|---------|
| x[0]  | 1       | 6       |
| x[1]  | 2       | 10      |
| x[2]  | 4       | 18      |
| x[3]  | 5       | 15      |
| x[4]  | 1       | 3       |
| x[5]  | 3       | 5       |
| x[6]  | 7       | 7       |

The solution vector is :

|   |      |
|---|------|
| 0 | 1.00 |
| 1 | 1.00 |
| 2 | 1.00 |
| 3 | 1.00 |
| 4 | 1.00 |
| 5 | 0.67 |
| 6 | 0.00 |

Maximum profit is :

55.33

Maximum weight is :

15.00

**Experiment 9(a) : Implementation Depth First Search for Graph****Solution :**

```

#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

/* List of defined constants */
#define MAX 20
#define TRUE 1
#define FALSE 0

/* Declare an adjacency matrix for storing the graph */

int g[MAX][MAX];
int v[MAX];
int n;

void main ()
{
 /* Local declarations */
 int v1, v2;
 char ans;
 void create();
 void Dfs(int);
 clrscr();
 create();
 clrscr();
 printf("The Adjacency Matrix for the graph is \n");
 for (v1 = 0; v1 < n; v1++)
 {
 for (v2 = 0; v2 < n; v2++)
 printf(" %d ", g[v1][v2]);
 printf("\n");
 }
 getch();
}

```

```

do
{
 for (v1 = 0; v1 < n; v1++)
 v[v1] = FALSE;
 clrscr();
 printf("Enter the Vertex from which you want to start\n");
 scanf("%d", &v1);
 if (v1 >= MAX)
 printf("Invalid Vertex\n");
 else
 {
 printf("The Depth First Search of the Graph\n");
 Dfs(v1);
 }

 printf("\n Do U want To Taverse By any Other Vertex\n");
 ans = getch();
 while(ans == 'y');
}

void create()
{
 int ch, v1, v2, flag;
 char ans = 'y';
 printf("\n\t\t This is a Program To Create a Graph\n");
 printf("\n\t\t The Display Is In Depth First Search\n");
 getch();
 clrscr();
 fflush();
 for (v1 = 0; v1 < n; v1++)
 for (v2 = 0; v2 < n; v2++)
 g[v1][v2] = FALSE;
 printf("\nEnter no. of nodes");
 scanf("%d", &n);
 printf("\nEnter the vertices no. starting from 0\n");
}

```

```

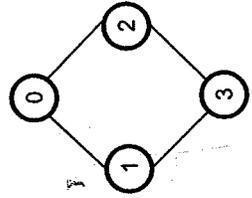
printf("\nEnter the vertices v1 & v2");
scanf("%d%d", &v1, &v2);
if (v1 >= n || v2 >= n)
 printf("Invalid Vertex Value\n");
else
 {
 g[v1][v2] = TRUE;
 g[v2][v1] = TRUE;
 }
}
printf("\n\nAdd more edges??(y/n)");
ans=getche();
}while(ans == 'y');
}

void Dfs(int v1)
{
 int v2;
 printf("%d\n", v1);
 v[v1] = TRUE;
 for (v2 = 0; v2 < MAX; v2++)
 if (g[v1][v2] == TRUE && v[v2] == FALSE)
 Dfs(v2);
}

```

### Output

This is a Program To Create a Graph  
The Display Is In Depth First Manner  
Enter no. of nodes 4  
Enter the vertices no. starting from 0  
Enter the vertices v1 & v2 0 1  
Add more edges??(y/n)y  
Enter the vertices v1 & v2 0 2  
Add more edges??(y/n)y  
Enter the vertices v1 & v2 1 3  
Add more edges??(y/n)y



```

0 1 1 0
1 0 0 1
1 0 0 1
0 1 1 0

```

Enter the Vertex from which you want to traverse  
The Depth First Search of the Graph is

```

1
0
2
3

```

Do U want To Traverse By any Other Node?

### Experiment 9(b) : Implementation Breadth First

#### Solution :

```

#include<stdio.h>
#include<conio.h>
#include<stdlib.h>
#define size 20
#define TRUE 1
#define FALSE 0

int g[size][size];
int visit[size];

int Q[size];
int front, rear;
int n;

void main()
{
 int v1, v2;
 char ans = 'y';
 void create(),bfs();
 clrscr();
 create();
}

```

```

for (v1 = 0; v1 < n; v1++)
{
 for (v2 = 0; v2 < n; v2++)
 printf(" %d ", g[v1][v2]);
 printf("\n");
}
getch();
do
{
 for (v1 = 0; v1 < n; v1++)
 visit[v1] = FALSE;
 clrscr();
 printf("Enter the Vertex from which you want to traverse ");
 scanf("%d", &v1);
 if (v1 >= n)
 printf("Invalid Vertex\n");
 else
 {
 printf("The Breadth First Search of the Graph is \n");
 bfs(v1);
 getch();
 }
 printf("\nDo you want to traverse from any other node?");
 ans=getche();
 while(ans=='y');
 exit(0);
}

void create()
{
 int v1, v2;
 char ans='y';
 printf("\n\t\t This is a Program To Create a Graph");
 printf("\n\t\t The Display Is In Breadth First Manner");
 printf("\nEnter no. of nodes");
 scanf("%d",&n);
}

```

```

g[v1][v2] = FALSE;
printf("\nEnter the vertices no. starting fr
do
{
 printf("\nEnter the vertices v1 & v2");
 scanf("%d%d", &v1, &v2);
 if (v1 >= n || v2 >= n)
 printf("Invalid Vertex Value\n");
 else
 {
 g[v1][v2] = TRUE;
 g[v2][v1] = TRUE;
 }
 printf("\n\nAdd more edges?(y/n)");
 ans=getche();
 while(ans=='y');
}

void bfs(int v1)
{
 int v2;

 visit[v1] = TRUE;
 front = rear = -1;
 Q[++rear] = v1;
 while (front != rear)
 {
 v1 = Q[++front];
 printf("%d\n", v1);
 for (v2 = 0; v2 < n; v2++)
 {
 if (g[v1][v2] == TRUE && visit[v2]
 {
 Q[++rear] = v2;
 visit[v2] = TRUE;
 }
 }
 }
}

```

```
}
}
```

### Output

This is a Program To Create a Graph  
The Display Is In Breadth First Manner

Enter no. of nodes 4

Enter the vertices no. starting from 0

Enter the vertices v1 & v2

0 1

Add more edges?(y/n)y

Enter the vertices v1 & v2

0 2

Add more edges?(y/n)y

Enter the vertices v1 & v2

1 3

Add more edges?(y/n)y

Enter the vertices v1 & v2

2 3

Add more edges?(y/n)

The Adjacency Matrix for the graph is

0 1 1 0

1 0 0 1

1 0 0 1

0 1 1 0

Enter the Vertex from which you want to traverse 0

The Breadth First Search of the Graph is

0

1

2

3

Do you want to traverse from any other node?

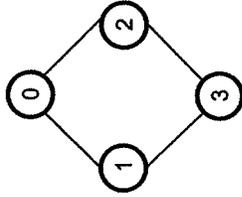
Enter the Vertex from which you want to traverse 1

The Breadth First Search of the Graph is

1

0

3



2

Do you want to traverse from any other node?

### Experiment 10 : Implement Prim's Algorithm

**Solution :**

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
#include <conio.h>
```

```
#define SIZE 20
```

```
#define INFINITY 32767
```

/\*This function finds the minimal spanning tree

```
void Prim(int G[][SIZE],int nodes)
```

```
{
```

```
int tree[SIZE],i,j,k;
```

```
int min_dist,v1,v2,total=0;
```

```
//Initialize the selected vertices list
```

```
for (i=0; i<nodes; i++)
```

```
tree[i] = 0;
```

```
printf("\n\n The Minimal Spanning Tree Is
```

```
tree[0] = 1;
```

```
for (k=1; k<=nodes-1; k++)
```

```
{
```

```
min_dist = INFINITY;
```

```
//Initially assign minimum dist as infinity
```

```
for (i=0; i<=nodes-1; i++)
```

```
{
```

```
for (j=0; j<=nodes-1; j++)
```

```
{
```

```
if (G[i][j]&&((tree[i]&&!tree[j])
```

```
(!tree[i]&&tree[j])))
```

```
{
```

```
if (G[i][j] < min_dist)
```

```

v1 = i;
v2 = j;
 }
}
}

printf("\n Edge (%d %d)and weight = %d",v1,v2,min_dist);
tree[v1] = tree[v2] = 1;
total =total+min_dist;
}
printf("\n\n\t Total Path Length Is = %d", total);
}

void main()
{
int G[SIZE][SIZE],nodes;
int v1,v2,length,i,j,n;

clrscr();
printf("\n\n\t Prim'S Algorithm\n");

printf("\n Enter Number of Nodes in The Graph");

scanf("%d",&nodes);
printf("\n Enter Number of Edges in The Graph");
scanf("%d",&n);

for (i=0 ; i<nodes ; i++)// Initialize the graph
for (j=0 ; j<nodes ; j++)
 G[i][j] = 0;
//entering weighted graph
printf("\n Enter edges and weights \n");
for (i=0 ; i<n; i++)
{
printf("\n Enter Edge by V1 and V2:");
printf("[Read the graph from starting node 0]");

```

```

scanf("%d",&length);
G[v1][v2] = G[v2][v1] = length;
}
getch();
printf("\n\t");
clrscr();
Prim(G,n,nodes);
getch();
}

```

**Output**

**Prim'S Algorithm**

Enter Number of Nodes in The Graph 5

Enter Number of Edges in The Graph 7

Enter edges and weights

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]  
0 1

Enter corresponding weight : 10

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]  
1 2

Enter corresponding weight : 1

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]  
2 3

Enter corresponding weight :2

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]  
3 4

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]

4 0

Enter corresponding weight : 5

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]

1 3

Enter corresponding weight : 6

Enter Edge by V1 and V2 : [Read the graph from starting node 0]

4 2

Enter corresponding weight : 7

The Minimal Spanning Tree Is :

Edge (0 4) and weight = 5

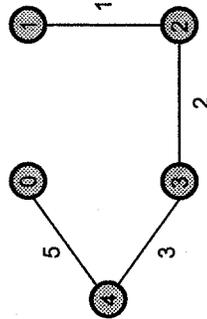
Edge (3 4) and weight = 3

Edge (2 3) and weight = 2

Edge (1 2) and weight = 1

Total Path Length Is = 11

The MST will be



```

void create();
void spanning_tree();
int Minimum(int);
void main()
{
 printf("\n\t Graph Creation by adjacency m
 create();
 spanning_tree();
}
void create()
{
 int k;
 printf("\n Enter Total number of nodes: ");
 scanf("%d",&tot_nodes);
 printf("\n Enter Total number of edges: ");
 scanf("%d",&tot_edges);
 for(k=0;k<tot_edges;k++)
 {
 printf("\n Enter Edge in (V1 V2)form "
 scanf("%d%d",&G[k].v1,&G[k].v2);
 printf("\n Enter Corresponding Cost ")
 scanf("%d",&G[k].cost);
 }
}
void spanning_tree()
{
 int count,k,v1,v2,i,j,tree[10][10],pos,parent[1
 int sum;
 int Find(int v2,int parent[]);
 void Union(int i,int j,int parent[]);
 count=0;
 k=0;
 sum=0;
 for(i=0;i<tot_nodes;i++)
 parent[i]=i;

```

### Experiment 11 : Implement Kruskal's Algorithm

**Solution :**

```

#include <stdio.h>
#define INFINITY 999
typedef struct Graph
{
 int v1;
 int v2;
 int cost;
}GR;

```



Enter Corresponding Cost 2

Enter Edge in (V1 V2)form 1 4

Enter Corresponding Cost 1

Enter Edge in (V1 V2)form 1 3

Enter Corresponding Cost 3

Enter Edge in (V1 V2)form 2 3

Enter Corresponding Cost 3

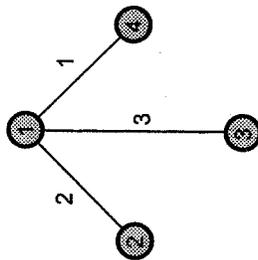
Enter Edge in (V1 V2)form 4 3

Enter Corresponding Cost 5

Spanning tree is...

```
[1 - 4][1 - 2][1 - 3]
```

Cost of Spanning Tree is = 6



### Experiment 12 : Implement LCS Problem

#### Solution :

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#include <string.h>
#define SIZE 20

void compute_LCS(char A[],char B[])
{
 void display(char[][SIZE],char[],int,int);
 int m,n,i,j;
 int c[SIZE][SIZE];
 printf("%3d",c[i][j]);
}
```

```
m=strlen(A);
n=strlen(B);
```

```
for(i=0;i<=m;i++)
```

```
 c[i][0]=0; // first column contains zero
```

```
 for(i=0;i<=n;i++)
```

```
 c[0][i]=0; //first row contains zero
```

```
for(i=1;i<=m;i++) //building c[][] and d[][]
{
```

```
 for(j=1;j<=n;j++)
```

```
 {
```

```
 if(A[i-1]==B[j-1])
```

```
 {
```

```
 c[i][j]=c[i-1][j-1]+1;
```

```
 d[i][j]='\';
```

```
 }
```

```
 else if(c[i-1][j]>=c[i][j-1])
```

```
 {
```

```
 c[i][j]=c[i-1][j];
```

```
 d[i][j]='^';
```

```
 }
```

```
 else
```

```
 {
```

```
 c[i][j]=c[i][j-1];
```

```
 d[i][j]='<';
```

```
 }
```

```
 }
```

```
}
```

```
printf("\n Table is...\n");
```

```
for(i=0;i<=m;i++)
```

```
{
```

```
 for(j=0;j<=n;j++)
```

```
 {
```

```
 printf("%3d",c[i][j]);
```

```

}
printf("\n The Longest Common Subsequence is... ");
display(d,A,m,n); //print the result
}

void display(char d[][20],char A[],int i,int j)
{
 if(i==0 || j==0)
 return;
 if(d[i][j] == '\ ')
 {
 display(d,A,i-1,j-1);
 printf(" %c",A[i-1]);
 }
 else if(d[i][j] == '^')
 display(d,A,i-1,j);
 else
 display(d,A,i,j-1);
}

void main()
{
 char A[SIZE],B[SIZE];
 clrscr();
 printf("Enter First sequence:");
 scanf("%s",A);
 printf("Enter Second sequence:");
 scanf("%s",B);
 compute_LCS(A,B);
 getch();
}

```

**Output**

```

Enter First sequence:ABCDBACDF
Enter Second sequence:CBAF

```

Table is...

```

0 0 1 1 1
0 1 1 1 1
0 1 1 1 1
0 1 2 2 2
0 1 2 3 3
0 1 2 3 3
0 1 2 3 3
0 1 2 3 4

```

The Longest Common Subsequence is... C B A



Q.3 a) Write Huffman code algorithm and Generate Huffman code for following [7]

|           |    |    |    |   |   |
|-----------|----|----|----|---|---|
| Letters   | A  | B  | C  | D | E |
| Frequency | 24 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 8 |

(Refer example 5.11.4)

b) Write an algorithm for quick sort and derive best case, worst case using divide and conquer technique also trace given data (3, 1, 4, 5, 9, 2, 6, 5). [7]  
(Refer example 3.8.4)

OR

Q.3 a) Write equation for Chained matrix multiplication using Dynamic programming. Find out optimal sequence for multiplication : A1 [5 × 4], A2 [4 × 6], A3 [6 × 2], and A4 [2 × 7]. Also give the optimal parenthesization of matrices. [7]  
(Refer example 4.8.1)

b) Using greedy algorithm find an optimal schedule for following jobs with  $n = 6$ .

Profits : (P1, P2, P3, P4, P5, P6) = (20, 15, 10, 7, 5, 3)

Deadline : (d1, d2, d3, d4, d5, d6) = (3, 1, 1, 3, 1, 3) (Refer example 5.10.3) [7]

Q.4 a) Explain Depth First Traversal Method for Graph with algorithm with example. (Refer section 6.5.2) [7]

b) Explain how to find out Longest Common Subsequence of two strings using Dynamic Programming method. Find any one Longest Common Subsequence of given two strings using Dynamic Programming. [7]  
 $X = \text{abbacdcba}$ ,  $Y = \text{bcdbbcaac}$  (Refer example 4.9.2)

OR

Q.4 a) Explain Breadth First Traversal Method for Graph with algorithm with example. (Refer section 6.5.1) [7]

b) Solve making change problem using Dynamic Programming. (Denominations :  $d1 = 1$ ,  $d2 = 4$ ,  $d3 = 6$ ). Give your answer for making change of ₹ 9. (Refer example 4.4.3) [7]

Q.5 a) Explain Backtracking Method. What is N-Queens Problem? Give solution of 4-Queens Problem using Backtracking Method. (Refer section 7.3) [7]

b) What is Finite Automata? Explain use of finite automata for string matching with suitable example. (Refer section 8.4) [7]  
OR

Q.5 a) Define P, NP, NP complete and NP-Hard problems. Give examples of each. (Refer sections 9.1 and 9.5) [7]

b) Give and explain Rabin-Carp string matching algorithm with example. (Refer section 8.3) [7]

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1. Attempt all questions.
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Q.1 a) Why do we use asymptotic notations in the commonly used asymptotic notations. Define MST. Explain Kruskal's algorithm (Refer section 5.7.2)

Q.2 a) Explain finite automata for string matching  
b) Write a brief note on NP-completeness and (Refer section 9.5)

OR

b) What is the basic idea behind Rabin-Karp time of this algorithm? Explain it with example. (Refer section 8.3)

Q.3 a) Explain in brief characteristics of Greedy algorithm dynamic programming method.

Ans. : Characteristics of greedy algorithm :  
Comparison with dynamic programming model  
b) Explain the use of divide and conquer technique the complexity of binary search method? Explain (Refer section 3.5)

OR

Q.3 a) Explain breadth first traversal method for graph (Refer section 6.5.1)

b) Explain depth first traversal method for graph (Refer section 6.5.2)

Q.4 a) What is an amortized analysis? Explain

b) Discuss assembly line scheduling problem using dynamic programming with example. (Refer section 4.5) [7]

OR

Q.4 a) Write a program / algorithm of Quick Sort method and analyze it with example. (Refer section 3.8) [7]

b) Explain Backtracking method. What is N-Queens problem ? Give solution of 4 queens problem using Backtracking method. (Refer section 7.3 and example 7.3.4) [7]

Q.5 a) Explain chained matrix multiplication with example. (Refer section 4.8) [7]

b) Explain selection sort algorithm and give its best case, worst case and average case complexity with example. (Refer section 2.8.1.2) [7]

OR

Q.5 a) Discuss matrix multiplication problem using divide and conquer technique. (Refer section 3.9) [7]

b) Sort the letters of word "EDUCATION" in alphabetical order using insertion sort. (Refer example 2.8.4) [7]

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Instructions :

1. Attempt all questions.
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### Q.1 Short Questions.

- 1 Define the term : Algorithm.

Ans. : The algorithm is defined as a collection of steps to solve a problem. It is a sequence of instructions that are executed in a specific order to solve a problem. It is a finite amount of time.

- 2 What is the average case time complexity of

Ans. :  $O(n^2)$

- 3 State true or false :

"Dynamic programming always leads to an

Ans. : False. Greedy choice always lead to an

- 4 Define the term : Directed graph.

Ans. : In the directed graph the directions are shown on the edges. As shown in the Fig. 1 the edges the vertices are ordered.

- 5 Give any two sorting methods which are based on divide and conquer strategy.

Ans. : Merge sort and quick sort are the sorting methods which are based on divide and conquer strategy.

6 What is the basic nature of greedy strategy ?

**Ans. :** In Greedy technique, the solution is constructed through a sequence of steps, each expanding a partially constructed solution obtained so far, until a complete solution to the problem is reached. At each step the choice made, while making a choice there should be a Greedy for the optimum solution.

7 What is meant by dead node in backtracking ?

**Ans. :** A dead node is a generated node which is not to be expanded further or all of whose children have been generated.

8 Write any one application of string matching.

**Ans. :** String matching algorithms are normally used in text processing. Normally text processing is done in compilation of program. In software design or in system design also text processing is a vital activity.

9 State true or false :  
"Hamiltonian problem is an example of NP-complete".

**Ans. :** True.

10 Write the objective of making change problem.

**Ans. :** The making change problem is to pay the desired amount of money by using as few coins as possible.

11 State true or false :  
"Prim's algorithm is based on greedy strategy."

**Ans. :** True.

12 What is meant by an optimal solution for a given problem ?

**Ans. :** An optimal solution is a feasible solution where the objective function reaches its maximum (or minimum) value - for example, the most profit or the least cost.

13 Time complexity of \_\_\_\_\_ is in linear time.  
(a) Bubble sort (b) Radix sort (c) Shell sort (d) Selection sort.

**Ans. :** Time complexity of Radix sort is in linear time.

14 Which of the following case does not exist in complexity theory of an algorithm?  
(a) Average case (b) Worst case (c) Best case (d) Null case

Q.2 a) Check the correctness for the following equation. (Refer example 2.4.17)  
b) Briefly explain multiplying large integer problem. (Refer section 2.4)  
c) Explain binary search with the suitable example.

OR

c) Discuss insertion sort with its time complexity example. (Refer section 2.8.1.3)

Q.3 a) Enlist various method(s) to solve recurrence relation. (Refer section 2.5)

b) Sort the following numbers using heap sort :  
(Refer example 2.8.6)

c) Elaborate longest common subsequence problem using dynamic programming. Support your answer with proper example. (Refer section 4.9)

OR

Q.3 a) Find out time complexity for the following pseudocode. (Refer example 2.4.18)

```
for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
{
 for (j = n; j > 0; j--)
 {
 if (i < j)
 c = c + 1;
 }
}
```

b) Briefly discuss Huffman code. (Refer section 4.10)

c) Discuss knapsack problem using dynamic programming. Support your answer with proper example. (Refer section 4.11)

Q.4 a) Write brief note on topological sort. (Refer section 4.12)

b) Explain breadth-first-search in brief with suitable example. (Refer section 6.5.1)

OR

- Q.4** a) Write a brief note on branch and bound strategy. (Refer section 7.5) [3]  
 b) Apply counting sort for the following numbers to sort in ascending order. 4, 1, 3, 1, 3. (Refer example 2.8.10) [4]  
 c) Explain job scheduling problem using greedy algorithm. Support your answer by taking proper illustration. (Refer section 5.10) [7]
- Q.5** a) Briefly discuss principle of optimality in dynamic programming. (Refer section 4.2.3) [3]  
 b) Write a short note on NP-completeness problem. (Refer section 9.4) [4]  
 c) What do you mean by backtracking? Explain in brief. Discuss eight queens problem using backtracking. (Refer sections 5.1 and 5.3) [7]

OR

- Q.5** a) State differences between dynamic programming and divide and conquer strategy. (Refer section 4.2.1) [3]  
 b) Write a brief note on NP-hard problems. (Refer section 9.6) [4]  
 c) Discuss Rabin-Karp algorithm for string matching. (Refer section 8.3) [7]

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**Q.1**

Short Questions

- 1) What is an algorithm?

**Ans. :** Algorithm is a collection of unambiguous specific sequence.

- 2) What is worst case time complexity?

**Ans. :** Worst case time complexity is a time consumption of longest time.

- 3) Define space complexity.

**Ans. :** Space complexity is an amount of space required for execution of an algorithm.

- 4) Define big omega asymptotic notation. (Refer section 3.1)

- 5) Define feasible solution. (Refer short answer question 2.1)

- 6) What is vector? Which operations are performed on a vector? (Refer short answer questions of Q.11)

- 7) Define P - type problem. (Refer short answer questions of Q.4)

- 8) Write principle of optimality. (Refer short answer questions of Q.11)

- 9) Define directed acyclic graph. (Refer short answer questions of Q.3)

- 10) List types of algorithms. (Refer section 2.8)
- 11) Write down the best case time complexity of an algorithm.

12) Define minimum spanning tree.

(Refer short answers questions of Q.10 of Chapter - 5 )

13) Write down the small best case, worst case and average case complexity for selection sort.

Ans. : The best case, worst case and average case complexity of selection sort is  $O(n^2)$ .

14) Write down the best case, worst case and average case complexity for heap sort.

Ans. : The average and worst case time complexity of heap sort is  $O(n \log n)$ . While the best case time complexity is  $O(n)$ .

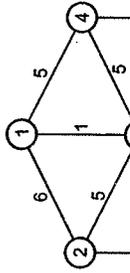
- Q.2 a) Explain the difference between greedy and dynamic algorithm. [3]  
(Refer section 5.3)
- b) Apply the bubble sort algorithm for sorting {U, N, I, V, E, R, S}. [4]  
(Refer example 2.8.2)
- c) Analyze selection sort algorithm in best case and worst case. [7]  
(Refer section 2.8.1.2)

OR

- c) Analyze quick sort algorithm in best case and worst case. [7]  
(Refer section 3.8)
- Q.3 a) Write down the characteristics of greedy algorithm. (Refer section 5.2) [3]
- b) Solve following recurrence using master method. [4]  
 $T(n) = 9T(n/3) + n$  (Refer example 2.5.15)
- c) Solve making change problem using dynamic technique. [7]  
 $1 = 1, d2 = 3, d3 = 5, d4 = 6$ . Calculate for making change of ₹. 8.  
(Refer example 4.4.4)

OR

- Q.3 a) Solve following recurrence using master method  $T(n) = T(2n/3) + 1$ . [3]  
(Refer example 2.5.18)
- b) Compute MST using PRIM's Algorithm. [4]  
(Refer similar example 5.7.5)



- c) Given two sequence of characters,  $X =$  obtain the longest common subsequence. (Refer example 5.11.5)
- Q.4 a) Multiply 981 by 1234 by divide and conquer (Refer section 3.4)

b) Find an optimal Huffman code for the following characters:  $c : 15, d : 30$ . (Refer example 5.11.5)

c) Consider Knapsack capacity  $W = 50, w = 10, v = 100$ . Find the maximum profit using greedy approach. (Refer section 5.8)

OR

Q.4 a) Explain Dijkstra algorithm to find the shortest path in a weighted undirected graph. (Refer section 5.8)

b) Explain in brief breadth first search method.

c) For the following chain of matrices find an optimal chain multiplication (15, 5, 10, 20, 30, 35).

Q.5 a) Explain : Articulation point, graph, tree.

Ans. : Articulation point : Refer section 6.7.1

Graph : Refer section 6.2.

Tree : Tree is a finite set of one or more nodes.

i) There is specially designated node called root. The remaining nodes are partitioned into subtrees where  $T_1, T_2, T_3, \dots, T_n$  are called the subtrees.

b) Explain 4 queen problem with one of the solutions.

c) What is Rabin Karp algorithm ? Where does it fail? Explain and calculate its time complexity. (Refer section 8.4)

OR

Q.5 a) What is finite automata ? Explain use of finite automata with a suitable example. (Refer section 8.4)

b) Explain naive string matching algorithm.

c) Explain traveling salesman problem with an example.

Winter - 2017

## Analysis and Design of Algorithms

Semester - V (CE / CSE / IT / I & CT)

## Gujarat Technological University Solved Paper

Time : 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  Hours

[Total Marks : 70]

### Instructions :

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1** a) Define an algorithm. List various criteria used for analyzing an algorithm. [3]  
(Refer section 2.1)
- b) What is smallest value of  $n$  such that an algorithm whose running time is  $100n^2$  runs faster than an algorithm whose running time is  $2^n$  on the same machine? (Refer example 2.4.5) [4]
- c) What do you mean by asymptotic notation? Describe in brief any three asymptotic notations used for algorithm analysis. (Refer section 2.4) [7]
- Q.2** a) What do you mean by divide and conquer approach? List advantages and disadvantages of it. (Refer section 3.2) [3]
- b) Let  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  be asymptotically nonnegative functions. Using the basic definition of notation, prove the max ( $f(n)$ ,  $g(n)$ ) =  $\Theta(f(n) + g(n))$ . (Refer example 2.5.6) [4]
- c) Solve the following recurrence relation using iteration method.  $T(n) = 8T(n/2) + n^2$   
Here  $T(1) = 1$ . (Refer example 2.5.8) [7]
- OR**
- Q.3** a) Solve the following recurrence relation using substitution method.  $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n$ .  
Here  $T(1) = 1$ . (Refer section 3.7 (Analysis - substitution method)) [7]
- b) Differentiate between greedy method and dynamic programming. (Refer section 5.3) [3]
- c) Prove that the fractional knapsack problem has the greedy - choice property. (Refer section 5.9) [4]
- d) Find optimal sequence of multiplication using dynamic programming of following matrices : A1 [10 × 100], A2 [100 × 5], A3 [5 × 50] and A4 [50 × 11]. [10]

**Q.3** a) Briefly describe greedy choice property and (Refer section 5.5) **OR**

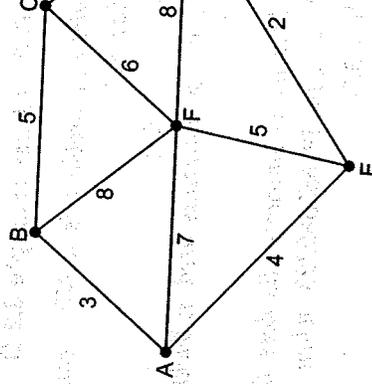
b) Suppose that we have a set of activities lecture halls, where any activity can take schedule all the activities using as few lecture greedy algorithm to determine which activity (Refer section 5.6)

c) Describe longest common subsequence problem of following two strings X and Y using a  $Y = bcdbbcaac$ . (Refer example 4.9.2)

**Q.4** a) Differentiate between depth first search and (Refer section 6.5.2)

b) Discuss and derive an equation for solving dynamic programming method. (Refer section 5.7)

c) List applications of a minimum spanning tree Kruskal's algorithm of the following graph. (Refer section 5.7 and similar example 5.5)

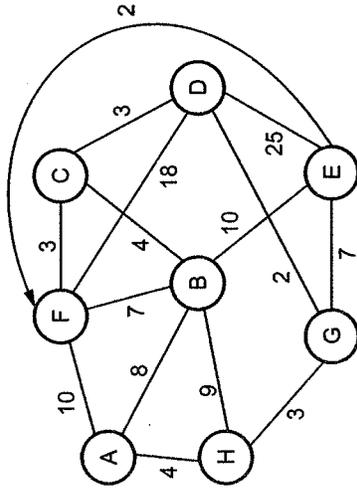


**Q.4** a) Define graph. Describe strongly connected graph **OR**

**Ans. :** Graph : Refer section 6.2.

A directed graph is strongly connected if there is a path between any two pairs of vertices.

- b) Given an adjacency - list representation of a directed graph, how long does it take to compute the out - degree of every vertex ? How long does it take to compute the in - degrees ? (Refer section 6.4) [4]
- c) Define minimum spanning tree. Find minimum spanning tree using Prim's algorithm of the following graph. (Refer similar example 5.7.4) [7]



- Q.5 a) Define amortized analysis. Briefly explain its two techniques. (Refer section 2.7) [3]
- b) Show the comparisons the naive string matcher makes for the pattern  $P = 0001$  in the text  $T = 0000\ 1000\ 1010001$ . (Refer example 8.2.1) [4]
- c) State whether travelling salesman problem is a NP - complete problem ? Justify your answer. (Refer section 9.7) [7]

OR

- Q.5 a) Define backtracking. State types of constraints used in backtracking. (Refer section 7.1) [3]
- b) Working modulo  $q = 11$ , how many spurious hits does the Rabin - Karp matcher encounter in the text  $T = 3141592653589793$  when looking for the pattern  $P = 26$  ? (Refer example 8.3.1) [4]
- c) Prove that if  $G$  is an undirected bipartite graph with an odd number of vertices, then  $G$  is nonhamiltonian. (Refer section 9.4.4) [7]

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# Summer - 2018

## Analysis and Design of Algorithms

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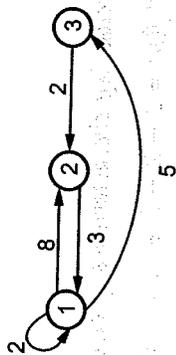
Time :  $2\frac{1}{2}$  Hours]

- Q.1 a) Define algorithm. Discuss key characteristics. [3]
- b) Prove or disprove that  $f(n) = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n$  is  $O(n^2)$ . (Refer example 2.4.19) [3]
- c) Which are the basic steps of counting sort and its time complexity in worst case. (Refer example 2.4.18) [3]
- Q.2 a) What are the advantages of dynamic programming method ? (Refer example 4.2.1) [3]
- b) Solve following recurrence using recursion  $T(n) = 3T(n/3) + n \wedge 3$ . (Refer example 4.2.2) [3]
- c) Write standard (conventional) algorithm for matrix multiplication problem. What is the recursion tree for the naive algorithm? Derive time complexity using master method to derive time complexity. (Refer section 3.9) [3]

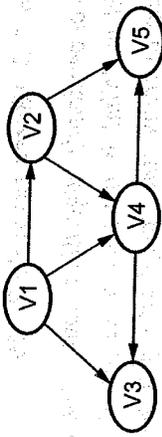
OR

- c) Discuss best case, average case and worst case for binary search. (Refer section 3.8) [3]
- Q.3 a) Justify with example that shortest path problem is NP-hard. (Refer section 4.7) [3]
- b) Which are the three basic steps of the algorithm for finding shortest path in a graph? Mention any two examples of shortest path algorithms in real life. (Refer sections 4.2.2, 4.4 and 4.4.1) [3]
- c) Solve the following making change problem: Amount ₹ 7 and Denominations : (₹ 1, ₹ 2, ₹ 5). (Refer section 4.7) [3]
- Q.3 a) Justify with example that longest path problem is NP-hard. (Refer section 4.7) [3]

- b) Discuss general characteristics of greedy method. Mention any two examples of greedy method that we are using in real life. (Refer sections 5.2, 5.6 and 5.10) [4]
- c) Solve all pair shortest path problem for the following graph using Floyd's algorithm. (Refer example 4.7.4) [7]



- Q.4 a) What are the disadvantages of greedy method over dynamic programming method? (Refer example 4.2.2) [3]
- b) What is DFS? Explain with example. Show the ordering of vertices produced by Topological-sort for the following graph. (Refer section 6.5 and example 6.6.7) [4]



- c) Solve the following Knapsack problem using greedy method. Number of items = 5. Knapsack capacity  $W = 100$ , weight vector = {50, 40, 30, 20, 10} and profit vector = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5}. (Refer example 5.9.2) [7]

OR

- Q.4 a) Write an algorithm for Huffman code. (Refer section 5.11) [3]
- b) What is an approximation algorithm? Explain performance ratio for approximation algorithm. (Refer section 9.8) [4]
- c) Explain use of branch and bound technique for solving assignment problem. (Refer example 7.5.1) [7]
- Q.5 a) Write Naive string-matching algorithm. Explain notations used in the algorithm. (Refer section 8.2) [3]

- b) Explain polynomial-time reduction algorithm. (Refer section 9.3) [4]
- c) Working modulo  $q = 11$ . How many spurious hits does the Rabin-Karp matcher encounter in the text  $T = 3141592653589793$  with the pattern  $P = 10101010101$ ? [4]

OR

- Q.5 a) Which are the three major concepts used in breadth first search? (Refer section 9.5) [3]
- b) Explain breadth first search with example. (Refer example 9.5.1) [4]
- c) Find minimum spanning tree for the following graph using Kruskal's algorithm. (Refer example 5.9.2) [7]

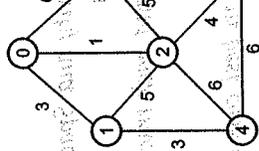


Fig. 1

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**Winter - 2018**

**Analysis and Design of Algorithms**

Semester - V (CE / CSE / IT / I & CT)

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Time :  $2 \frac{1}{2}$  Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

- Q.1**
- Define Algorithm. Time Complexity and Space Complexity. (Refer sections 1.2 and 1.3)(5) [3]
  - Differentiate branch and bound and back tracking algorithm. (Refer example 7.5.2) [4]
  - Analyze selection sort algorithm in best case and worst case. (Refer section 2.8.1.2) [7]

**Q.2** a) Solve the recurrence  $T(n) = 7T(n/2) + n^3$ . (Refer example 2.5.20) [3]

b) Explain : Articulation Point, graph, tree. (Refer Q.5 (a) of Summer-2017) [3]

**Ans. :** Tree : Tree is a collection of vertices and edges with specialized node called root.

c) Write merge sort algorithm and compute its worst case and best-case time complexity. Sort the list G, U, J, A, R, A, T in alphabetical order using merge soft. (Refer example 3.7.1) [7]

OR

c) Consider Knapsack capacity  $W = 9$ ,  $w = (3,4,5,7)$  and  $v = (12,40,25,42)$  find the maximum profit using dynamic method. (Refer example 4.6.8) [7]

**Q.3** a) Differentiate the Greedy And dynamic algorithm. (Refer section 5.3) [3]

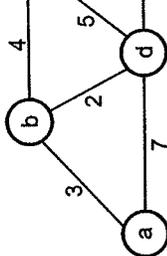
b) Demonstrate binary Search method to search key = 14, form the array  $A = \langle 2, 4, 7, 8, 10, 13, 14, 60 \rangle$ . (Refer example 3.5.2) [4]

c) Solve making change problem using dynamic technique.  $d_1 = 1, d_2 = 2, d_3 = 4, d_4 = 6$ , Calculate for making change of Rs. 10. (Refer similar example 4.4.3) [7]

OR

**Q.3** a) Find out the NCR  $\binom{5}{3}$  using dynamic method. (Refer example 4.3.2) [3]

b) Find single source shortest path using Dijkstra's algorithm form a to e. (Refer example 5.8.2) [4]



**Fig. 1**

- For the following chain of matrices find optimal chain multiplication (13, 5, 89, ...)
- Q.4**
- Explain tower of Hanoi problem. Derive time complexity. (Refer example 2.6.7)
  - Explain finite automata algorithm for string
  - Find out LCS of  $A = \{K, A, N, D, L, A\}$  (Refer example 4.9.6)

OR

**Q.4** a) Explain principle of optimality with example

b) Define BFS. How it is differ from DFS.

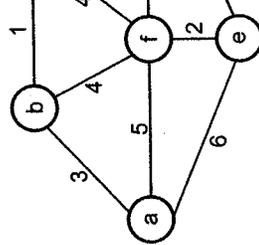
c) Solve the following instance of knapsack capacity of the knapsack  $W = 8$  and  $w$  (Refer example 7.4.3)

**Q.5** a) Draw the state space tree diagram for 4

b) Define P, NP, NP-hard and NP-complex

(Refer sections 9.1 and 9.5)

c) Find out the minimum spanning tree (Refer example 5.7.13)





- c) Using dynamic programming find out the optimal sequence for the matrix chain multiplication of  $A_{4 \times 10}$ ,  $B_{10 \times 3}$ ,  $C_{3 \times 12}$ ,  $D_{12 \times 20}$  and  $E_{20 \times 7}$  matrices. (Refer similar example 4.8.6) [7]

OR

- Q.3** a) Write the best and worst running time of insertion sort algorithm. Why it differ? (Refer section 2.8.1.3) [3]  
b) What are the steps for dynamic programming? Explain principal of optimality. (Refer section 4.2.2 and 4.2.3) [4]  
c) Determine LCS of  $\{1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1\}$  and  $\{0, 1, 0, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 0\}$ . (Refer example 4.9.7) [7]
- Q.4** a) What is string-matching problem? Define valid shift and invalid shift. (Refer example 8.2.2) [3]  
b) Define P, NP, NP-complete and NP-hard problems. (Refer section 9.5 and 9.6) [4]  
c) Explain 0/1 Knapsack using suitable example. (Refer section 5.9) [7]

OR

- Q.4** a) Write pseudo-code for Naive-string-matching algorithm. (Refer section 8.2) [3]  
b) Define spanning tree and MST. How Kruskal's algorithm is different from Prim's algorithm. (Refer section 5.7 and 5.7.2) [4]  
c) Explain fractional Knapsack problem with example. (Refer section 5.9) [7]
- Q.5** a) Define graph, complete graph and connected graph. (Refer sections 6.2 and 6.3) [3]  
b) Differentiate BFS and DFS. (Refer section 6.5.2) [4]  
c) Write and explain Dijkstra algorithm with example. (Refer section 5.8) [7]
- OR
- Q.5** a) Explain "P = NP?" problem. (Refer section 9.5) [3]  
b) Write just steps for backtracking and branch-and-bound algorithms. (Refer section 7.1 and 7.5) [4]  
c) Explain travelling salesman problem. Prove that it is NP complete problem. (Refer section 7.6) [7]