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(CUCSS)

Computer Science

CSC 1 C02—ADVANCED DATA STRUCTURES

Time: Three Hours Maximum: 36 Weightage

Part A

Answer all questions.

Each question carries a weightage of 1.

- 1. Distinguish between a data structure and its representation.
- 2. What are infix and postfix expressions? What are their uses?
- 3. What is a threaded binary tree? Why such a structure is required?
- 4. Define inverse adjacency list of a graph.
- 5. Explain any two collision resolution strategies used in hashing.
- 6. What is a recurrence relation?
- 7. What are the structural properties of a B-tree?
- 8. Give an example of a binary heap defined on an array.
- 9. Draw a binomial tree of order B₃.
- 10. What is a trie?
- 11. What is amortized analysis?
- 12. How skew heaps are related to leftist heaps?

 $(12 \times 1 = 12 \text{ weightage})$

Part B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries a weightage of 2.

- 13. Define a linear list. Write operations defined on this list.
- 14. Outline row major representation of a 2D array.
- 15. Provide possible traversals on a binary tree with examples.
- 16. Given input (4371, 1323, 6173, 4199, 4344, 9679, 1989) and $h(x) \propto \pmod{10}$ as hash function. Show the resulting open address hash table using linear and quadratic probing.

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- 17. Explain merge operation defined on a binomial heap.
- 18. Illustrate decrease key operation on a Fibonacci heap.
- 19. What is toplogical sorting? Explain with a suitable data structure.
- 20. Explain how a 2-d tree is suitable for range queries.
- 21. Explain two-pass merging of pairing heaps.

 $(6 \times 2 = 12 \text{ weighta})$

Part C

Answer any three questions. Each question carries a weightage of 4.

- 22 Define a polynomial as a computer structure. Write a complete specification of the data structure polynomial.
- 23. Define a circularly linked list. Write an algorithm Length (x) to count the number of nodes in a circularly linked list
- 24. What is a red-black tree? Explain the properties and operations defined on it.
- 25. Define a B-tree. Illustrate insertion and deletion routines for a B-tree.
- 26. Write down deletion process for a 1-2-3 deterministic skip list.
- 27. Write a recursive routine to insert a node in a treap structure.

 $(3 \times 4 = 12 \text{ weightage})$