CSE 5500 Algorithms. Fall 2018

Home work 2. Due on November 14 (1:25 PM).

- 1. Present an O(n) time algorithm to compute the coefficients of the polynomial $(1+x)^n$. How much time is needed if you use the FFT algorithm to solve this problem?
- 2. An $n \times n$ Toeplitz matrix is a matrix A with the property that $A[i, j] = A[i 1, j 1], 2 \le i, j \le n$. Give an $O(n \log n)$ algorithm to multiply a Toeplitz matrix with an arbitrary $(n \times 1)$ column vector.
- 3. Let f(x) be a polynomial of degree n > 0. This polynomial has n derivatives, each one obtained by taking the derivative of the previous one. Devise an algorithm that computes all the derivatives of f(.) at a given point a. Your algorithm should run in time $O(n \log^2 n)$.
- 4. Let G(V, E) be any weighted connected graph. If C is any cycle of G, then show that the heaviest edge of C cannot belong to a minimum-cost spanning tree of G.
- 5. Given a sequence X of symbols, a subsequence of X is defined to be any contiguous portion of X. For example, if $X = x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_2, x_3$ and x_1, x_2, x_3 are subsequences of X. Given two sequences X and Y, present an algorithm that will identify the longest subsequence that is common to both X and Y. This problem is known as the longest common subsequence problem. What is the time complexity of your algorithm?
- 6. Let $M_1 \times M_2 \times \cdots \times M_r$ be a chain of matrix products. This chain may be evaluated in several different ways. Two possibilities are $(\cdots ((M_1 \times M_2) \times M_3) \times M_4) \times \cdots) \times M_r$ and $(M_1 \times (M_2 \times (\cdots \times (M_{r-1} \times M_r) \cdots))$. The cost of any computation of $M_1 \times M_2 \times \cdots \times M_r$ is the number of multiplications used. Let M_{ij} denote the matrix product $M_i \times M_{i+1} \times \cdots \times M_j$. Let $D(i), 0 \le i \le r$, represent the dimensions of the matrices, i.e., M_i has D(i-1) rows and D(i)columns. Let C(i, j) be the cost of computing M_{ij} using an optimal product sequence for M_{ij} . Observe that $C(i, i) = 0, 1 \le i \le r$, and that $C(i, i+1) = D(i-1)D(i)D(i+1), 1 \le i \le r$.
 - (a) Obtain a recurrence relation for C(i, j), j > i.
 - (b) Write an algorithm to solve the recurrence relation of (a) for C(1,r). Your algorithm should be of complexity $O(r^3)$.
- 7. Let f be a flow in a network and let α be a real number. The function $\alpha f : V \times V \to R$ is defined as $(\alpha f)(u, v) = \alpha f(u, v)$. Show that if f_1 and f_2 are flows in the network then so is $\alpha f_1 + (1 \alpha) f_2$ for all α in the range [0, 1].
- 8. Show the execution of the Ford-Fulkerson technique in finding a max-flow in the network G(V, E) where $V = \{s, 1, 2, 3, 4, t\}$. c(s, 1) = 18; c(s, 3) = 12; c(1, 2) = 8; c(2, 1) = 7; c(2, 3) = 4; c(3, 2) = 11; c(3, 1) = 7; c(1, 3) = 6; c(3, 4) = 5; c(4, 3) = 6; c(2, t) = 14; c(4, t) = 16.