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# Assignment 3

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.

**Due on 2021-02-10, 23:59 IST.**

As per our records you have not submitted this assignment.

- 1) Let  $T$  be a rooted binary tree of  $n$  nodes and height  $h$  that represents an arithmetic expression as follows: each leaf node of  $T$  is labeled with an integer in the range 1 to  $n$  and each non-leaf node is labeled with "+" or "-". Given  $T$  as an input, what is best space bound that can be achieved for evaluating the expression represented by  $T$ ? 3 points

- $O(n)$   
  $O(h)$   
  $O(\log n)$   
  $O(n + h)$

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

 $O(h)$ 

- 2) Given an  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$  such that each entry of  $A$  is either 0 or 1. What is the best space complexity known to compute  $A^n$ ? 3 points

- $O(n)$   
  $O(\log n)$   
  $O(n \log n)$   
  $O(\log^2 n)$

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

 $O(\log^2 n)$ 

- 3) Consider the following language:  $NEG\text{CYCLE} = \{G \mid G \text{ is weighted directed graph that contains a cycle of negative weight}\}$ . What is the smallest complexity class known that  $NEG\text{CYCLE}$  belongs to? 3 points

- $NEG\text{CYCLE} \in L$   
  $NEG\text{CYCLE} \in NL$   
  $NEG\text{CYCLE} \in P$   
  $NEG\text{CYCLE} \in NP$

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

 $NEG\text{CYCLE} \in NL$ 

- 4) Consider the following language:  $LTQBF = \{\phi \mid \phi \text{ is a TQBF such that at most } \log n \text{ many variables in } \phi \text{ have quantifiers}\}$ . What is the smallest complexity class known that  $LTQBF$  belongs to? 3 points

- $LTQBF \in NL$   
  $LTQBF \in P$   
  $LTQBF \in NP$   
  $LTQBF \in PSPACE$

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

 $LTQBF \in NP$ 

- 5) Given an undirected graph  $G$  what is the best space bound that can be achieved for computing a spanning tree of  $G$ ? 3 points

- $O(n)$   
  $O(n^2)$   
  $O(\log^2 n)$   
  $O(\log n)$

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

 $O(\log n)$ 

- 6) Suppose we have  $\Pi_2^p \neq \Sigma_2^p$ . What can we conclude for  $P$ ,  $NP$  and  $coNP$ ? 2 points

- $P = NP$   
  $P \neq NP$   
  $P \subsetneq NP$ , where ( $\subsetneq$  represents strict subset)  
  $P = NP \cap coNP$

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

 $P \neq NP$ 
 $P \subsetneq NP$ , where ( $\subsetneq$  represents strict subset)

- 7) Consider the following statements 2 points

- $L = NL$
- $NL = P$
- $P = NP$
- $NP = PSPACE$

Mark all the correct options below.

- All the above statements can be true.  
 All of the above statements can be false.  
 Some of them can be true.  
 If directed reachability can be solved in  $L$  then 1 is true.

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

All of the above statements can be false.

Some of them can be true.

 If directed reachability can be solved in  $L$  then 1 is true.

- 8) Which of the following is(are) true for logspace reduction ( $\leq_l$ )? 1 point

- $\leq_l$  is reflexive  
  $\leq_l$  is symmetric  
  $\leq_l$  is transitive  
  $\leq_l$  is one-to-one

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

 $\leq_l$  is reflexive

 $\leq_l$  is transitive

- 9) A graphs  $G$  is called a layered DAG (directed acyclic graph) if vertices of  $G$  can be partitioned into layers  $l_1, l_2, \dots, l_k$  such that each edge in  $G$  always goes from layer  $l_i$  to  $l_{i+1}$ , for all  $1 \leq i \leq k - 1$ . Consider the following language.  $REACHLDAG = \{\langle G, s, t \rangle \mid G \text{ is a layered DAG and there is a directed path from } s \text{ to } t \text{ in } G\}$ . Which of the following statement is (are) known to be true? 2 points

- $REACHLDAG \in L$   
  $REACHLDAG \in NL$  but  $REACHLDAG \notin L$   
  $REACHLDAG \in NL$   
  $REACHLDAG$  is  $NL$ -hard

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

 $REACHLDAG \in NL$ 
 $REACHLDAG$  is  $NL$ -hard