

MIDTERM: 90 Minutes

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Answer **ALL** questions. You may use one double sided $8\frac{1}{2} \times 11$ crib sheet.

NO COLLABORATION or electronic devices. Any violations result in an **F**.

NO questions allowed during the test. Interpret and do the best you can.

You **MUST** show **CORRECT** work, even on multiple choice questions, to get credit.

GOOD LUCK!

1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
150	20	20	20	20	20	250

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This is a **closed book** test. No electronics, books, notes, internet, etc.
2. **One** 8.5×11 **double sided crib sheet** is allowed.
3. The test will become available in Submitty at 8am on the test date.
4. Your PDF is due in Submitty by 2pm.
5. By submitting the test you attest that:
 - the work is entirely your own.
 - you obeyed the time limits of the exam.
6. Your submission *must* be typed and submitted as a PDF file.
7. The first page should list your 15 multiple choice answers, like:

(1)	A
(2)	B
(3)	C
(4)	D
⋮	
(15)	A

8. Start each of problems 2–6 on a new page. **SHOW WORK.**
9. After the answers, start a new page to show work for the multiple choice:

(1)	Because x is even
(2)	Because $\sqrt{2}$ is irrational.
(3)	Number of links is
	$1 + 2 + \dots + 10 = 55$
⋮	
(15)	Because we proved in class that $\ell = n - 1$

- Some problems may be “easy”, so give a one line justification.
- Some problems may require a detailed reasoning.
- correct answers: 10 points
- wrong answers or no work/explanation: 0.

10. **If you don't show correct work, you won't get credit.**
11. Submit with plenty of time to spare. A late test won't be accepted.
 - We won't accept submissions that are even 1 second late.

1 Circle one answer per question. 10 points for each correct answer.

(1) What is the correct asymptotic behavior (order analysis) for the sum $S(n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \sqrt{i}$.

- A $S(n) \in \Theta(n)$.
- B $S(n) \in \Theta(n^2)$.
- C $S(n) \in \Theta(n^3)$.
- D $S(n) \in \Theta(n^4)$.
- E None of the above.

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order 1/2

$$\Theta(\sum_{i=1}^n \sqrt{i}) = \Theta(n^{3/2})$$

(2) What is the correct asymptotic behavior (order analysis) for the sum $S(n) = \sum_{i=1}^{n^2} i$.

- A $S(n) \in \Theta(n)$.
- B $S(n) \in \Theta(n^2)$.
- C $S(n) \in \Theta(n^3)$.
- D $S(n) \in \Theta(n^4)$.
- E None of the above.

Common Sum

$$\Theta((n^2)^2) = \Theta(n^4)$$

(3) Which is the correct asymptotic order relationship that describes the sum $S(n) = \sum_{i=0}^n 2^i$.

- A $S(n) \in \Theta(n^2)$.
- B $S(n) \in \Theta(2^n)$.
- C $S(n) \in \omega(2^n)$.
- D $S(n) \in o(2^n)$.
- E None of the above.

Common Sum

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

(4) Estimate $\ln(10^9!)$, that is the logarithm of the factorial of 10^9 .

- A 2×10^{10} .
- B 2×10^{20} .
- C 2×10^{30} .
- D 2×10^{40} .
- E 2×10^{50} .

these are WAY out.

$$\ln(10^9!) = \sum_{i=1}^{10^9} \log i \approx \int_1^{10^9} \log x \, dx \approx 10^9 \ln 10^9 - 10^9$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \log i \approx n \ln n - n \approx 10^9 (9 \ln 10 - 1) \approx 2 \times 10^{10}$$

integration

$\ln 10 \geq 2$

(5) $\gcd(210, 385) = 210x + 385y$ where $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$. What are a possible choice for x, y ?

- A $x = 1, y = 1$.
- B $x = -1, y = 1$.
- C $x = 2, y = -1$.
- D $x = 1, y = 1$.
- E None of the above.

$$\begin{aligned} \gcd(210, 385) &= \gcd(175, 210) \\ &= \gcd(35, 175) \\ &= \gcd(0, 35) \end{aligned}$$

$$210(2) + 385(-1) = 35$$

$x=2, y=-1$ ✓

(6) What is the remainder when $29^{2019} - 22^{2019}$ is divided by 3? (mod 3)

- A 0
- B 1
- C 2
- D 3
- E None of the above.

B

$29 \equiv 2$

$(29)^2 \equiv 4 \equiv 1$

$(29)^{2018} \equiv (29^2)^{1009} \equiv 1^{1009} \equiv 1$

$22 \equiv 1 \rightarrow 22^{2019} \equiv 1$

$\therefore 29^{2019} \equiv 29 \equiv 2$

$29^{2019} - 22^{2019} \equiv 2 - 1 \equiv 1$

(7) A friendship network (simple graph) has vertices having degree sequence $\delta = [5, 4, 3, 2, 2]$. How many edges (friendship links) are in this friendship network?

- A 6 edges
- B 7 edges
- C 8 edges
- D Not enough information to determine the number of edges
- E This friendship network cannot possibly exist

E

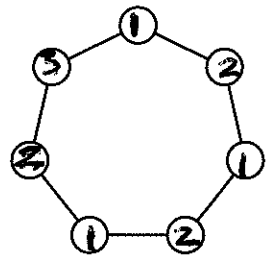
5 vertices, max degree = 4 cant exist.

(8) You wish to color the graph on the right so that linked vertices do not get the same color. What is the minimum number of colors needed (the chromatic number).

- A 2
- B 3
- C 4
- D 5
- E 6

B

3 colors needed.



(9) At a party with n people, everyone shakes hands with everyone else. How many handshakes occur?

- A $\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)$.
- B $\frac{1}{2}n(n+1)$.
- C $2n$.
- D n^2 .
- E None of the above.

A

Every pair shakes hands

$\binom{n}{2}$ pairs = $\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)$

$n=2$ 1 hand shake

$n=3$ 3 hand shakes

(10) A connected graph has $n \geq 2$ vertices and no cycles. Does the graph have a degree 1 vertex?

- A Yes, always.
- B No, never.
- C If n is even yes, otherwise no.
- D If n is even no, otherwise yes.
- E None of the above.

A

tree has a leaf

(11) How many subsets of $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$ contain one even number?

- A $3 + 2^4$.
- B 3×2^4 .
- C $\binom{7}{3}$.
- D 2^7 .
- E None of the above.

① Choose even 3 ways
 ② Choose subset of odd numbers 2^4 ways
Product Rule 3×2^4

(12) There are 4 candy colors. How many goody-bags with 10 candies can you make.

- A 10^4 .
- B 4^{10} .
- C $\binom{10}{4}$.
- D $\binom{14}{4}$.
- E None of the above.

$$\binom{n+k-1}{k-1} = \binom{13}{3}$$

(13) How many sequences of four non-negative integer solutions add up to 10? (e.g. $(4, 3, 2, 1)$, $(3, 4, 2, 1)$).

- A 10^4 .
- B 4^{10} .
- C $\binom{10}{4}$.
- D $\binom{14}{4}$.
- E None of the above.

$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 10$
 (4 colors) \uparrow 10 candies.
 $\binom{13}{3}$

Problem
Same as (12)

(14) In how many ways can you misspell TEDDY, assuming you use all the same letters?

- A 57.
- B 58.
- C 59.
- D 60.
- E None of the above.

Anagrams = $\frac{5!}{1!} = 60$
 miss spell $\rightarrow \frac{5!}{2!} = 59$ ways. $[60 - 1]$

(15) How many of the 1,000 numbers in $\{0, 1, \dots, 999\}$ contain the digits 1 or 2?

- A 460.
- B 474.
- C 488.
- D 512.
- E None of the above.

Do not contain 1 or 2
~~488~~ $7(1 \vee 2) = 7 \cdot 1 \cdot 72$
 Such numbers use 8 digits $\rightarrow 8^3$
 Contain 1 or 2 = $10^3 - 8^3 = 1000 - 512 = 488$.
 \uparrow
 $512 = 2^9$

2 Prove that $\log_2 9$ is not a rational number.

Proof by contradiction

$$\text{Assume } \log_2 9 = \frac{a}{b}$$

$$\rightarrow 9 = 2^{a/b}$$

$$\rightarrow 9^b = (2^{a/b})^b = 2^a$$

\uparrow odd \uparrow even

Contradiction

$$\therefore \log_2 9 \neq \frac{a}{b} \quad \square$$

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Progress = 80%

Full proof
100%

3 Prove by induction for all $n \geq 1$: $\sum_{i=1}^n i2^i = (n-1)2^{n+1} + 2$. $\swarrow P(n)$.

Proof by Induction

Base Case $P(1)$: $\sum_{i=1}^1 i2^i = 2^1 = 2$ } Base case is true.
 $(1-1)2^{1+1} + 2 = 2$ }

Induction Step

Assume. $\sum_{i=1}^n i2^i = (n-1)2^{n+1} + 2$

Prove $\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} i2^i = n2^{n+2} + 2$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} i2^i = \sum_{i=1}^n i2^i + (n+1)2^{n+1}$$

$$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{(n-1)2^{n+1} + 2}$$

$$= (n-1)2^{n+1} + 2 + (n+1)2^{n+1}$$

$$= (n-1+n+1)2^{n+1} + 2$$

$$= 2n \cdot 2^{n+1} + 2$$

$$= n2^{n+2} + 2$$

Proving $P(n+1)$ By Induction

$P(n)$ is true for all $n \geq 1$. \square

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Progress gets 80%

Full proof 100%

Tinker
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4 Find a formula for A_n and prove your answer. $A_0 = 1$ and $A_n = A_{n-1} + n$ for $n \geq 1$

$$A_n = A_{n-1} + n$$

$$A_{n-1} = A_{n-2} + n-1$$

$$A_{n-2} = A_{n-3} + n-2$$

⋮

$$A_2 = A_1 + 2$$

$$A_1 = A_0 + 1$$

$$A_0 = 1$$

ADD.

$$\begin{aligned}
 A_n &= n + n-1 + \dots + 1 + 1 \\
 &= 1 + \underbrace{(1+2+3+\dots+n)}_{\text{Common sum}} \\
 &= 1 + \frac{1}{2} n(n+1)
 \end{aligned}$$

Proof By Induction

Base $A_0 = 1 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot 0 \cdot (0+1) = 1 \quad \checkmark$

Induction Step Assume $A_n = 1 + \frac{1}{2} n(n+1)$
 Prove $A_{n+1} = 1 + \frac{1}{2} (n+1)(n+2)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 A_{n+1} &= A_n + n+1 \\
 &= 1 + \frac{1}{2} n(n+1) + n+1 \\
 &= 1 + \left(\frac{1}{2} n + 1\right)(n+1) \\
 &= 1 + \frac{1}{2} (n+1)(n+2) \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

By induction $A_n = 1 + \frac{1}{2} n(n+1) \quad \forall n \geq 0.$

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 If got
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 formula or
 made good
 progress

100% if
 correct
 induction
 proof



3 Proofs.

5 How many subsets of $\{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\}$ have an even sum. (The empty set ϕ has even sum.)
 For example, the subset $\{2, 6\}$ has even sum but $\{2, 7\}$ has odd sum.

TINKER
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① 5 even #'s and 5 odd #'s.
 pick any subset $\rightarrow 2^5$ ways
 pick an even number $\rightarrow 2^5 \times 16 = 2^9 = \underline{\underline{512}}$

$\binom{5}{0} + \binom{5}{2} + \binom{5}{4}$
 $1 + 10 + 5 = 16$

Some Progress
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Full result
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② Sum = $1+2+3+\dots+10 = \frac{10 \times 11}{2} = 55$ is odd.

If you pick an even subset, the complement subset is odd.

\therefore every even subset \longleftrightarrow Corresponding odd subset

\rightarrow # even subsets = # odd subsets

even + # odd = All subsets = 2^{10} .

$2 \times \# \text{ even} \rightarrow \# \text{ even} = \frac{2^{10}}{2} = 2^9 = 512$

③ ~~E(n)~~ $E(n)$ = even subsets with $\{1, \dots, n\}$
 $O(n)$ = odd subsets with $\{1, \dots, n\}$ } Build-Up Counting

You can either choose n or not.

$$O(n) = \begin{cases} 2O(n-1) & n \text{ even} \\ O(n-1) + E(n-1) & n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$$

$O(1) = 1$

By Symmetry
 $E(n) = O(n)$

$$E(n) = \begin{cases} 2E(n-1) & n \text{ even} \\ O(n-1) + E(n-1) & n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$$

$E(1) = 1$

n	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
$E(n)$	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512
$O(n)$	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512

Idea 80%
Complete
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For Idea

Full Proof
100%

6 FOCsbook has n people and each person has $n-2$ friends. Find all n where it is possible?
 Precisely state your result and prove it. TINKER!

Claim This is possible when n is even.
 Not possible when n is odd.

Tinker
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Proof Look at # enemies. Each person has 1 enemy.

Enemy Network has n -people each with 1 enemy

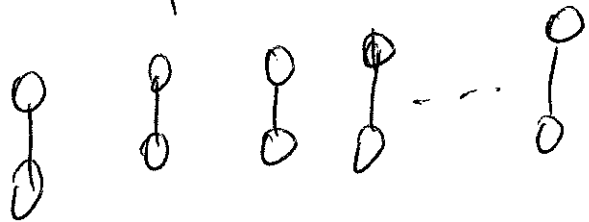
Idea + some progress

if n is odd, degree sum is $n \pmod{2}$

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not possible by handshaking theorem.

If n is even, ~~we~~ make $\frac{n}{2}$ pairs and each pair are enemies:



} Enemy network for even n .

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Full Proof
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