

**Homework 3***Instructor: Shi Li***Deadline: 4/11/2019**

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Problems	1	2	3	4	Total
Max. Score	10	15	15	40	80
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**Problem 1 (10 points)** For each of the following recurrences, using the master theorem to give the asymptotically tight upper bound.

- (a)  $T(n) = 4T(n/4) + O(n)$ .
- (b)  $T(n) = 3T(n/3) + O(n)$ .
- (c)  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + O(n^3\sqrt{n})$ .
- (d)  $T(n) = 5T(n/2) + O(n)$ .

**Problem 2 (15 points)** Consider a sequence of numbers defined using the following recursion:

$$F_n = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ 1 & \text{if } n = 1 \\ 2 & \text{if } n = 2 \\ F_{n-3} + 2F_{n-2} + F_{n-1} & \text{if } n \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

The first few numbers in the sequence is 0, 1, 2, 4, 9, 19, 41, 88,  $\dots$ . Given an integer  $n$ , you need to output  $F_n$ . Assume you are given the implementation of the BigInteger class; each object of the class holds an integer as large as  $F_n$ ; the basic operations such addition, subtraction and multiplication for BigInteger class are also provided to you. Design an algorithm to compute  $F_n$  that uses  $O(\log n)$  basic operations over the BigInteger class.

**Problem 3(15 points)** Given two sorted arrays  $A$  and  $B$  with total size  $n$ , you need to design and analyze an  $O(\log n)$ -time algorithm that outputs the median of the  $n$  numbers in  $A$  and  $B$ . You can assume  $n$  is odd and all the numbers are distinct. For example, if  $A = [3, 5, 12, 18, 50]$  and  $B = [2, 7, 11, 30]$ , then you need to output 11 since the set of numbers are  $[2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 12, 18, 30, 50]$ .

**Problem 4 (40 points)** We consider the following problem of counting strong inversions. Given an array  $A$  of  $n$  positive integers, a pair  $i, j \in \{1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$  of indices is called a strong inversion if  $i < j$  and  $A[i] > 2A[j]$ . The goal of the problem is to count the number of strong inversions for a given array  $A$ . Implement an  $O(n \lg n)$ -time divide-and-conquer algorithm that runs in  $O(n \lg n)$  time to solve the problem. You need to read from the standard input (i.e, the terminal) and output to the standard output (i.e, the screen).

- **Input format:** The first line of the input contains one positive integers  $n$ ,  $1 \leq n \leq 10^6$ . The next  $n$  lines contain the  $n$  integers  $A[1], A[2], \dots, A[n]$ ; every integer is between 0 and  $10^8$ .
- **Output format:** Just output 1 line, which is total number of strong inversions.

<p><b>Input:</b> 6 7 3 20 16 5 8</p>	<p><b>Output:</b> 4</p>	<p>The pairs are (7, 3), (20, 5), (20, 8), (16, 5).</p>
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