



EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS SECOND EXAMINATION IN SCIENCE (2012/2013)

FIRST SEMESTER (Apr/May,2015) CS 201-DATA STRUCTURE AND DESIGN OF ALGORITHMS

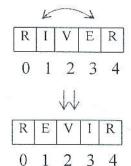
ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

TIME: TWO HOURS

1)

- a. Define "Data structure" and state its importance in solving problems.
- b. Briefly describe complexity analysis of algorithms and Big-O-notation.
- c. Compare Abstract Data type (ADT) and Primitive Data Type.
- d. Describe Circular Linked list and state an application of it.
- e. Describe the advantages of recursion in algorithm design using a suitable example.
- f. Consider the following figure in reversing a string





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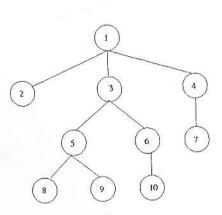
Using the above steps as guidance write a recursive algorithm to reverse a given string.

g. Write a recursive algorithm to check whether a given string is a palindrome or not.

- 2) Stack and Queue are two important data structures.
 - a. Describe how a stack can be implemented using an array.
 - b. State the common stack operations.
 - c. Write algorithms for the following:
 - To check whether a Circular queue is full;
 - To insert an element into the Circular Queue (EnCqueue);
 - III. To delete an element from the Queue (Dequeue).
 - d. Write an algorithm for "Converting decimal numbers to any base" using a "Stack".
 - e. Write an algorithm for "Postfix conversion" using "Stack".
 - f. Write an algorithm for "Palindrome checking" using "Stack and Queue".
 - a. Write the definition for the following:
 - I. Binary tree;
 - , II. Complete binary tree;
 - III. Degree of a tree.
 - b. Represent the following numbers in a Binary Search tree.

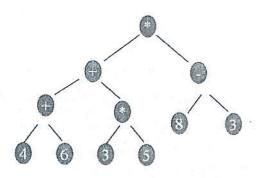
14, 15, 49, 7, 18, 3, 5, 16

- c. Briefly explain the following search techniques:
 - Depth first search;
 - II. Breadth first search.
 - d. Write the pre-order, post-order, in-order and level order traversals for the following tree:



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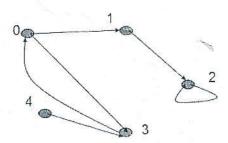
e. Write the algorithm for **Pre-order** traversal to visit each node in a binary tree. Apply your algorithm to find the value of an equation represented in the following tree:



4)

- a. Write the algorithm for "Merge sort" and "Bubble sort":
- b. Write the definitions for the following:
 - I. Graph;
 - II. Complete Undirected graph;
 - III. Adjacency matrix of a graph.

c. Give the Adjacency matrix for the following graph:



- d. Describe briefly the shortest path problem and how "Dijkstra's Algorithm" finds a solution for that problem.
- e. Find the shortest distance of the nodes 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 from the source node 1 using "Dijkstra's Algorithm":

