

CS 112 Practice Midterm Solutions

Question 1)

```
class TreeNode<T>
{
    void set_left (TreeNode<T> new_left); // Update lchild to point to new_left
    void set_data (T new_data); // Set the data field to new_data
    T data;
    TreeNode<T> lchild;
    TreeNode<T> rchild;

    TreeNode( TreeNode<T> newLeft, TreeNode<T> newRight, T newData )
    {
        lchild = newLeft;
        rchild = newRight;
        data = newData;
    }
}

public class TreeNodeClient
{
    public static void main( String [] args )
    {
        // Create an instance of TreeNode with String data
        TreeNode<String> tree =
            new TreeNode<String>( null, null, "cs112" );
    }
}
```

Question 2a) The stack stored in an array,

55	10				
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s.size = 2

s.pop(); // = 10

55					
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s.size = 1

s.push(41);

55	41				
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s.size = 2

s.push(23);

55	41	23			
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s.size = 3

s.pop(); // = 41

55	41				
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s.size = 2

s.push(31);

55	41	31			
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s.size = 3

Question 2b) (consistent with class version)

The queue stored in an array,

55	10	7		
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q.front = 0, q.rear = 3

q.enqueue(43)

55	10	7	43	
----	----	---	----	--

q.front = 0, q.rear = 4

q.dequeue() // = 55

	10	7	43	
--	----	---	----	--

q.front = 1, q.rear = 4

q.dequeue() // = 10

		7	43	
--	--	---	----	--

q.front = 2, q.rear = 4

q.dequeue() = 7

			43	
--	--	--	----	--

q.front = 3, q.rear = 4

q.enqueue(9)

			43	9
--	--	--	----	---

q.front = 3, q.rear = 0

q.enqueue(3)

3			43	9
---	--	--	----	---

q.front = 3, q.rear = 1

Question 2c)

$q.size = (q.front \leq q.rear) ? (q.rear - q.front) : (q.rear + (N - q.front));$

OR using modulo arithmetic,

$q.size = \text{Math.mod}(q.rear - q.front, N);$

Examples of modulo operation: $\text{mod}(2, 5) = 2$

$\text{mod}(-2, 5) = 5 - 2 = 3$

$\text{mod}(-3, 5) = 5 - 3 = 2$

Question 2b) (inconsistent with class version only for reference)

The queue stored in an array,

55	10	7		
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$q.front = 0, q.rear = 2$

$q.enqueue(43)$

55	10	7		43
----	----	---	--	----

$q.front = 4, q.rear = 2$

$q.dequeue() = 7$

55	10			43
----	----	--	--	----

$q.front = 4, q.rear = 1$

$q.dequeue() = 10$

55				43
----	--	--	--	----

$q.front = 4, q.rear = 0$

$q.dequeue() = 55$

				43
--	--	--	--	----

$q.front = 4, q.rear = 4$

$q.enqueue(9)$

			9	43
--	--	--	---	----

$q.front = 3, q.rear = 4$

$q.enqueue(3)$

		3	9	43
--	--	---	---	----

$q.front = 2, q.rear = 4$

Question 2c)

$q.size = (q.front \leq q.rear) ? (q.rear - q.front + 1) : ((q.rear + 1) + (N - q.front));$

OR using modulo arithmetic,

$q.size = \text{Math.mod}(q.rear - q.front, N) + 1;$

Question 3)

```
(1) void quicksort(Item [] a, int l, int r) {  
  
(2)     if (r >= l) return; // base case, incorrect, fix below  
(3)     int i = partition (a, l, r);  
        // quicksort the right side, then the left side  
(4)     quicksort(a, i+1, r);  
(5)     quicksort(a, l, i-1);  
}  
  
(6) int partition(Item [] a, int l, int r) {  
(7)     int i = l, j = r-1, Item v = a[r];  
(8)     for (;;) {  
        // find the next i such that a[i] is larger than v  
(9)         while (a[ i ] <= v) // bounds checking missing  
(10)            i++;  
  
        // find the previous j such that a[j] is smaller than v  
        // stop if j goes outside the array bounds.  
(11)        while (v < a[j]) {  
(12)            j--;  
(13)            if (j == l-1) break;  
        }  
        if (i >= j) break; // pointers crossed  
(14)        else swap (a[i], a[j]);  
    }  
    // swap (a[ i ], a[ r ]); missing here  
(15)    return i;  
}
```

Solution:

Note from the pair of while loops: all $a[i] \leq \text{pivot } v$ should be in the left partition and $a[i] > \text{pivot } v$ should be in the right partition.

(2) if (r <= l) return; // base case should check for length <= 1

(9) while (i < r && a[i] <= v) // need bounds checking for i

**(14 - 15) swap (a[i], a[r]); // move the pivot value to the end of left
// partition, so that we satisfy the condition
// a[l to (i - 1)] <= a[i] < a[(i + 1) to r]
// we can now call quicksort on
// the two partitions.**

Complete test code:

```
package test;
import java.util.*;

public class TestSort {

    public static void main(String[] args) {

        int [] arr = new int[1000];
        Random rand = new Random(1234);
        for(int i = 0; i < arr.length; i++)
            arr[i] = rand.nextInt(arr.length/10);
        quicksort(arr, 0, arr.length - 1);

        System.out.println(Arrays.toString(arr));
    }

    static void quicksort(int [] a, int l, int r) {

        if (r <= l) return; // base case
        int i = partition (a, l, r);
        // quicksort the right side, then the left side
        quicksort(a, i+1, r);
        quicksort(a, l, i-1);
    }

    static int partition(int [] a, int l, int r) {
        int i = l, j = r-1, v = a[r];
        for (;;)
        {
            // find the next i such that a[i] is larger than v
            while ( i < r && a[ i ] <= v )
                i++;

            // find the previous j such that a[j] is smaller than v
            // stop if j goes outside the array bounds.
            while (v < a[j]) {
                j--;
                if (j == l-1) break;
            }
            if (i >= j) break; // pointers crossed
            else{
                //swap (a[i], a[j]);
                int temp = a[i]; a[i] = a[j]; a[j] = temp;
            }
        }
        // swap(a[i], a[r]);
        int temp = a[i]; a[i] = a[r]; a[r] = temp;
        return i;
    }
}
```

Question 5)

```
public class ListNode
{
    int data;
    ListNode next;
}
```

5a) remove duplicates in sorted linked list

```
public removeDuplicatesSorted( ListNode p )
{
    while( p != null )
    {
        while( p.next != null && p.data == p.next.data )
            p.next = p.next.next;

        p = p.next;
    }
    // this pair of loops is linear: in each while loop iteration we either
    // (a) delete a node or (b) move to the next node.
}
```

5b) remove duplicates in unsorted linked list

```
public removeDuplicatesUnSorted( ListNode p )
{
    while( p != null )
    {
        // Remove all duplicates in list that match p
        // Need to check all nodes succeeding p since list is unsorted

        ListNode q = p; // start with p to allow next node delete
        while( q != null )
        {
            // Is next node to q a duplicate for p?
            if( q.next != null && q.next.data == p.data )
                q.next = q.next.next; // remove successive duplicates
            else
                q = q.next; // advance q to next node (non-duplicate)
        }

        p = p.next; // advance p
    }
}
```

Analysis: The best case for unsorted is when all elements are duplicates, in this case inner loop for q does one pass removing duplicates and we are done $\Rightarrow O(N)$ operations.

The worst case is with a linked list of all distinct elements. In this case, the inner loop for q scans the following number of nodes,

N nodes in outer iteration 1,

$(N - 1)$ nodes in outer iteration 2,

$(N - 2)$ nodes in outer iteration 3,

.....

1 node in outer iteration N,

The total computation is $1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + N$ is $O(N^2)$

The unsorted algorithm is hence $O(N^2)$