

**Problem 1:** (20 points)

- Show the multiplication table (mod 7), and also the multiplication table (mod 10).
- What is the inverse (mod 7) of every integer between 1 and 6?
- Give all the numbers between 1 and 9 that have no inverse mod 10.
- Calculate  $5^{612} \pmod{7}$ , giving an answer between 0 and 6, and using a small number of steps. Show your steps.

**Problem 2:** (20 points)

Let  $G = (V, E)$  be the following undirected graph:  $V = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9\}$ , and  $E = \{(1,2), (3,1), (2,3), (1,4), (5,1), (4,5), (6,1), (1,7), (7,6), (7,8), (9,7), (8,9)\}$ .

- Draw  $G$ , and give the adjacency matrix  $A$  of  $G$ .
- Do a depth-first search (DFS) and a breadth-first search (BFS) on  $G$ , starting from node 1, and show the DFS tree and BFS tree. Tie-breaking is by choosing the smallest node.
- Is  $G$  connected? How can you tell?
- An *articulation point* (or *single point of failure*) of a connected graph is a node whose removal disconnects the graph. List the articulation points of  $G$ , if any.
- Does  $G$  have an Eulerian cycle? If yes, show such a cycle; if no, prove your answer.
- Does  $G$  have a Hamiltonian cycle? If yes, show such a cycle; if no, prove your answer.

**Problem 3:** (20 points)

Take the undirected graph  $G$  of Problem 2.

- The *distance*  $d(x,y)$  between two nodes  $x$  and  $y$  is the length of the shortest path between  $x$  and  $y$ . Recall that the length of a path is the number of the edges in the path. Compute the *distance matrix*  $D$  of  $G$  where  $D[i,j]=d(i,j)$ , for all  $i=1,2,\dots,9$  and all  $j=1,2,\dots,9$ . (Hint: you can use BFSs to compute the distances)
- The *diameter* of a graph is the largest distance in that graph. Give the diameter of  $G$ ?
- The *radius* of the graph from a node  $x$  is the distance from  $x$  to the farthest node. For each node  $x$  in  $G$ , compute the radius of  $G$  from  $x$ .
- The *center* of a graph is a node  $u$  where the radius of  $G$  from  $u$  is the smallest. Note that there can be ties, in which case the graph has multiple centers. Find the center or centers of  $G$ .
- The *average radius* of the graph from a node  $x$  is the average distance from  $x$  to all the nodes of the graph, that is,  $\frac{d(x,1)+d(x,2)+\dots+d(x,9)}{9}$ . For each node  $x$  in  $G$ , compute the average radius of  $G$  from  $x$ . Which node(s) has/have the smallest average radius?

**Problem 4:** (10 points)

Let  $G$  be the same graph given in Problem 2 except that it is now directed.

- Draw  $G$  and give its adjacency matrix  $A$ .
- Compute the indegree and outdegree of each node.
- For every node, list all the nodes reachable from it. Is  $G$  strongly connected?

**Problem 5:** (20 points)

Let  $T$  be a binary tree. Denote by  $L_T$  the number of leaves in  $T$ , and by  $N_T$  the number of nodes in  $T$ . Let  $P$  be a perfect binary tree, and let  $L_P$  and  $N_P$  be defined similarly. Assume that  $T$  and  $P$  have the same height  $h$ .

- a) Prove that  $N_T \leq N_P$  and  $L_T \leq L_P$ .
- b) Prove that  $L_T \leq 2^h$  and  $N_T \leq 2^{h+1} - 1$ . (Hint: Use part (a) and what you know about perfect trees)
- c) Prove  $h \geq \log_2 L_T$  and  $h \geq \log_2 \frac{N_T+1}{2}$ . (Hint: Use part (b) and the fact that  $\log_2 2^k = k$ , and that  $\log_2 x$  is an increasing function of  $x$ )

**Problem 6:** (10 points)

A *binary search tree* (BST) is a binary tree where (1) every node holds a numerical value (called *key*), and (2) for every node  $X$  in the tree, the keys of the nodes of the left subtree of  $X$  are all  $\leq$  the key of  $X$ , and the keys of the nodes of the right subtree of  $X$  are all  $>$  the key of  $X$ . Prove by induction on the number of nodes in a BST that the minimum key of every BST is the “leftmost” node, i.e., the farthest node reachable from the root of that tree by always going to the left child.

**Bonus problem:** (5 points)

Prove that if you remove a single edge (without removing its end nodes) from an arbitrary tree, the tree becomes disconnected.