

# Examination Complexiteit IBC028

April 5, 2018, 15.00 - 18.00

This examination consists of five problems counted by the indicated weights. The examination is 'closed book', so no use of book or notes is allowed.

For all questions: motivate your answer.

## Problem 1.

(15 %) The function  $T$  is given by  $T(1) = 5$  and

$$T(n) = 2T(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + T(\lfloor 2n/3 \rfloor) + 3n^2$$

if  $n > 1$ . Prove that  $T(n) = O(n^2)$ .

## Problem 2.

(15 %) For  $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$  the function  $T_i$  is given by  $T_i(1) = 1$  and

$$T_i(n) = 3iT_i(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + n^3 \log n$$

if  $n > 1$ . Determine functions  $f_i$  such that  $T_i(n) = \Theta(f_i(n))$  for  $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ .

## Problem 3.

(10 %) Give a sketch of an algorithm of complexity  $O(n)$  to find an element  $a$  in an unordered sequence of  $n$  distinct numbers, such that exactly  $k$  elements of the sequence are  $\leq a$ . In particular, give the corresponding recurrence relation.

## Problem 4.

- (10 %) Give the definition of the decision problem ILP (integer linear programming).
- (15 %) Describe a transformation  $f$  from an arbitrary CNF  $\Phi$  to a  $\leq 3$ -CNF such that  $\Phi$  is satisfiable if and only if  $f(\Phi)$  is satisfiable.
- (10 %) Give an example of a quantified boolean formula with both types of quantifications that yields false.

## Problem 5.

The decision problem *Clique3cover* reads: given an undirected graph  $(V, E)$ , are there three subsets  $V_1, V_2, V_3$  of  $V$  such that the union of these sets is  $V$ , and for every  $i = 1, 2, 3$  the graph restricted to  $V_i$  is a clique?

- (10 %) Describe what has to be proved to conclude that *Clique3cover* is NP-complete, based on the fact that 3-Color is NP-complete.
- (15 %) Give the proof.