Assignment **6**

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Problem 1

I do not draw diagrams by tikz for convenience and save time since I am sort of busy, so I draw them by iPad and display them as Fig. [1](#page-0-0) and [2](#page-0-1).

Figure 1: The union diagram.

Figure 2: The union diagram after balancing and path compression.

Problem 2

The code would be incorrect, if just that change is made. Consider an array with two numbers 7 and 9, says *X*[7, 9]. Suppose we implement the binary search to find out whether 6 is in *X*. The execution will set *Middle* to $\frac{Left + Right}{2}$ 2 $\vert = 1$ Since $6 < 7 = X[1] = X[Midde],$ the algorithm invokes *Find*(6, 1, 0), which will result in an access to *X*[0], an erroreous behavior.

To modify the the code, it can be add an if statement before invoking the *Find* function (See line 10 to 14 in Algorithm [1](#page-1-0)).

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Algorithm 1 Corrected Binary Search
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1: function CorrectedBinarySearch(z, Left, Right)
2: if Left = Right then
3: if X[Left] = z then
 4: Find := Left5: else
 6: Find := 07: end if
8: else
 9: Middle := \frac{\left[ \frac{Left + Right}{2} \right]}{2}2
                         \overline{\mathsf{I}}10: if z < X[Middle] then
11: if \text{Middle} \leq 0 then
12: Stop the algorithm and print not found
13: else
14: Find := Find(z, Left, Middle - 1)15: end if
16: else
17: Find := Find(z, Middle, Right)18: end if
19: end if
20: end function
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Problem 3

We have already known that the sum of the heights of all nodes in a full binary tree of height *h* is $2^{h+1} - h - 2$. Let *G(n)* denote the sum of the heights of all nodes in a complete binary tree with *n* nodes. For a full binary tree (a special case of complete binary trees) with $n = 2^{h+1} - 1$ nodes where *h* is the height of the tree, we already know that $G(n) = 2^{h+1} - (h+2) =$ *n* − (*h* + 1) ≤ *n* − 1. Given this knowledge, we prove the general case of arbitrary complete binary trees by induction.

For base case $(n = \{1, 2\})$: When $n = 1$, the tree is the smallest full binary tree with one single node whose height is 0. Hence, $G(n) = 0 ≤ 1 − 1 = n − 1$. When $n = 2$, the tree has one additional node as the left child of the root. The height of the root is 1, while that of its left child is 0. Consequently, $G(n) = 1 ≤ 2 − 1 = n − 1$.

For inductive step ($n > 2$): If *n* happens to be equal to $2^{h+1}1$ for some $h \ge 1$, *i.e.* the tree is full, then we are done. Note that this covers the case of $n = 3 = 2^{1+1} - 1$. On the other hand, suppose 2*^h*+¹ −1 < *n* < 2 *^h*+² −1(*h* ≥ 1) *i*.*e*. the tree is a proper complete binary tree with height

h + 1 ≥ 2. We observe that at least one of the two subtrees of the root is full, while the other is complete (possibly full). There are three cases remaining to consider and discuss.

- 1. The left subtree is full with n_1 nodes and the right one is complete but not full with n_2 nodes (such that $n_1 + n_2 + 1 = n$). In this case, both subtrees much be of height h and $n_1 = 2^{h+1} - 1$. From the special case of full binary trees and the induction hypothesis, *G*(*n*₁) = 2^{h+1} − (*h* + 2) = *n*₁ − (*h* + 1) and *G*(*n*₂) ≤ *n*₂ − 1. *G*(*n*) = *G*(*n*₁) + *G*(*n*₂) + (*h* + 1) ≤ $(n_1 - (h + 1)) + (n_2 - 1) + (h + 1) = (n_1 + n_2 + 1) - 2 \le n - 1.$
- 2. The left subtree is full with n_1 nodes and the right one is also full with n_2 nodes. In this case, the left subtree much be of height *h* and $n_1 = 2^{h+1} - 1$, while the right subtree much be of height $h-1$ and $n_2 = 2^h - 1$. From the special case of full binary trees, $G(n_1) = 2^{h+1} - (h+2) = n_1 - (h+1)$ and $G(n_2) = 2^h - (h+1) = n_2 - h$. $G(n) =$ $G(n_1) + G(n_2) + (h+1) \leq (n_1 - (h+1)) + (n_2 - h) + (h+1) = (n_1 + n_2 + 1) - (h+1) \leq n-1.$
- 3. The left subtree is complete but not full with n_1 nodes and the right one is full with *n*² nodes. In this case, the left subtree much be of height *h*, while the right subtree much be of height $h-1$ and $n_2 = 2^h - 1$. From the induction hypothesis and the special case of full binary trees, $G(n_1) \le n_1 - 1$ and $G(n_2) = 2^h - (h + 1) = n_2 - h$. $G(n) = G(n_1) + G(n_2) + (h+1) \leq (n_1 - 1) + (n_2 - h) + (h+1) = (n_1 + n_2 + 1) - 1 = n - 1.$

Problem 4

The corresponding consequences from Algorithm [2](#page-2-0) alter to {−1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 3, 0, 1}.

Problem 5

The cost matrix is computed as

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C[3,4] = \min\left\{\begin{array}{c} C[2,4]+1 \\ C[3,3]+1 \\ C[2,3] \end{array}\right\} = 2.
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