CS 3824 Homework Assignment 2

Given: September 5, 2011

Due: September 15, 2011

General directions. The point value of each problem is shown in []. Each solution must include all details and an explanation of why the given solution is correct. In particular, write complete sentences. A correct answer without an explanation is worth no credit. The completed assignment must be turned in during class on September 15, 2011. No late homework will be accepted.

Digital preparation of your solutions is mandatory. Use of LATEX is optional, but encouraged. No matter how you prepare your homework, **please include your name.**

Use of LATEX (optional, but encouraged).

- Retrieve this $L^{AT}EX$ source file, named homework2.tex, from the course web site.
- Rename the file < Your VT PID>_solvehw2.tex, For example, for the instructor, the file name would be heath_solvehw2.tex.
- Use a text editor (such as vi, emacs, or pico) to accomplish the next three steps.
- Uncomment the line
 - % \setboolean{solutions}{True}

in the document preamble by deleting the %.

• Find the line

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and replace the instructor's name with your name.

- $\bullet\,$ Enter your solutions where you find the LATEX comments $\,\%\,$ PUT YOUR SOLUTION HERE
- Print out and submit your solutions by 4:00 PM on September 15, 2011.

[50] 1. Jones and Pevzner problem 5.4.

You should use the algorithm IMPROVEDBREAKPOINTREVERSALSORT instead of BREAK-POINTREVERSALSORT.

[50] 2. Jones and Pevzner problem 5.11.

Explain the reasoning behind your answers.