Homework Submission Instructions for On Campus Students

1. ABSOLUTELY NO e-mail submission. E-mail submissions will receive the same credit for late assignment, which is ZERO. We have print quotas enforced, and we cannot afford use it up for printing your answers before correcting them.

2. NO LATE submissions are accepted. If you are not completely done, submit "as is", since that will fetch some partial credits, which is better than no credit.

3. You MUST attach the cover sheet on all your homework submissions.

4. All answers should be typed (printouts). If there are some figures that are difficult to draw, leave space for it in the printout and then hand-draw it in that space. Handwritten submissions are permitted too, provided it is very neat and legible. Illegible / unreadable / semi-readable answers will receive ZERO credits.

5. If possible, please have the answers printed / written in the same order of the questions. (This is only a suggestion, not a strict requirement.)

6. You can submit your homework to the any of the TAs during their office hours before the deadline. TAs will not accept any homework after the deadline. You can also submit your work to the Dr. Ranka in the class on the due date.

7. Usually, Your homework assignments would be given on either a Tuesday or Thursday and you have exactly one week to turn in your assignment. If it is given on a Tuesday, you must submit it in class as no TA is holding office hours on that date. However, if it is given on Thursday, you may turn it in either to Dr. Ranka in class or to the TA during his office hours subsequently. Remember – the deadline is NOT 5 PM as usually presumptuously assumed.

8. Be precise while explaining your logic. Your credits are NOT proportional to the length of your answer. False or deliberately deceiving logics are strongly discouraged. Points may be deducted for unnecessarily long answers.

9. Discussion with fellow students is permitted, but you MUST write your own answers. In case you collaborate with someone, please mention it. Without any mention of any collaboration, we will assume that your work is completely original. If cheating is discovered in such "original" cases, it will be strictly dealt with.

10. If you manage to find the solution on Internet or from previous semester solutions, any copying from there would be treated as cheating. First of all, you should not try to obtain the solution in that manner, but if you did it anyway, please understand it and then write it from your own mind.

11. You MUST provide complexity analysis of all the algorithms that you propose, irrespective of whether asked specifically or not. The only exception could be when we ask you specifically not to do it.