Quiz 2

Wed Sep 30

You have up to 20 minutes. You may use a standard calculator if necessary, but no text book or notes.

- 1. (5 points) Below is a tree representing a variable-width encoding of 9 letters. Use it to:
- decode the bits 10011111010011010 into a word:

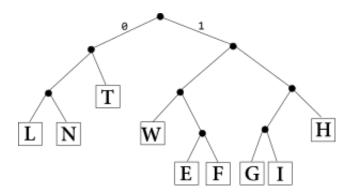


Figure 1:

2. (5 points) Decode the following 8×8 image indicated by the hexadecimal number along the right side, which uses 1 bit per pixel.

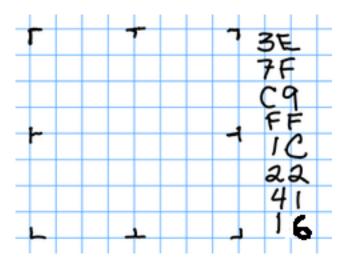


Figure 2:

- 3. (5 points) If an image uses 9 bits for each pixel, what is the maximum number of distinct colors it can contain?
- 4. (5 points) Draw a tree representing a **variable-width** encoding of the four letters **A**, **L**, **N**, and **T**. Use it to encode the word ATLANTA. The fixed-width tree (below) uses exactly 2 bits per character, so encoding ATLANTA requires 14 bits. How many bits does your tree need to encode ATLANTA?

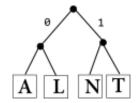


Figure 3: A **fixed-width** encoding of four letters.