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21-393 Operations Research II Test2

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Problem	Points	Score
1	33	
2	33	
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Q1: (33pts)

Find a minimum weight path from s to all other nodes of the digraph below. The 2 numbers a, b on the directed edge vw are to be interpreted as follows: If a path P from s to v has weight t, then the weight of the path P + vw is t + (a + bt).



Q2: (33pts) Find the optimal ordering strategy for the following inventory system. If you order an amount Q, it costs $AQ^{1/2}$ and the inventory cost is I per unit per period. The demand is λ units per period and no stock-outs are allowed.

Q3: (34pts) Two players A,B simultaneously choose an integer between 1 and 5. If the numbers are equal there is no payoff. The player that chooses a number one larger than that chosen by their opponent wins two. The player that chooses a number two or more larger than that chosen by their opponent loses one.

- (a) Set up the payoff matrix for this game.
- (b) What is the value of this game?
- (c) Argue that there is an optimal solution in which the strategy for A satisfies $p_1 = p_5$ and $p_2 = p_4$. Find such a strategy and a strategy for B.
- (d) Show that what you have found is a stable solution.