

# EL9343 Homework 1

Due: Sept. 15th 11:00 a.m.

1. Prove the following properties of asymptotic notation:

(a)  $n = \omega(\sqrt{n})$

(b) If  $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$ , and  $h(n) = \Theta(g(n))$ , then  $f(n) = \Omega(h(n))$

(c)  $f(n) = O(g(n))$  if and only if  $g(n) = \Omega(f(n))$  (*Transpose Symmetry* property)

2. Indicate, for each pair of expressions  $(A, B)$  in the table below, whether  $A$  is  $O$ ,  $o$ ,  $\Omega$ ,  $\omega$ , or  $\Theta$  of  $B$ . Assume that  $k \geq 1, \epsilon > 0$ , and  $c > 1$  are constants. Your answer should be **in the form of the table** with “yes” or “no” written in each box.

	$A$	$B$	$O$	$o$	$\Omega$	$\omega$	$\Theta$
a	$\lg^k n$	$n^\epsilon$					
b	$n^k$	$c^n$					
c	$\sqrt{n}$	$n^{\sin n}$					
d	$2^n$	$2^{n/2}$					
e	$n^{\lg c}$	$c^{\lg n}$					
f	$\lg(n!)$	$\lg(n^n)$					

3. You have 5 algorithms, A1 took  $O(n)$  steps, A2 took  $\Theta(n \log n)$  steps, and A3 took  $\Omega n^2$  steps, A4 took  $o(n^3)$  steps, A5 took  $\omega(n^{3/2})$  steps. You had been given the exact running time of each algorithm, but unfortunately you lost the record. In your messy desk you found the following formulas:

(a)  $4(5^{3 \log_5 n}) + 12n + 9527$

(b)  $\sqrt[5]{3n!}$

(c)  $\frac{1}{6}(5^{\log_{16} n})^2 + 4n + 17$

(d)  $3n \log_3 n + (\log_2 n)^3$

(e)  $\log_4 \log_2 n + 61$

(f)  $2^{5 \log_4 n}$

(g)  $(\log_2 n)^2 + \log_3 \log_3 n$

For each algorithm check all the possible formulas that could be associated with it in the following table. Your submitted answer should be **in the form of the table**.

	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
A1							
A2							
A3							
A4							
A5							

4. We want to check if there is an element occurs more than  $\frac{n}{2}$  times in an array containing  $n$  elements, assuming only equality checks are allowed.

(a) Algo. 1 is part of the required algorithm. What is the time complexity now?

(b) Make the algorithm complete by adding a few more lines to substitute the underlined text. Your modification should **NOT** change the time complexity. Be sure to return things as indicated.

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**Algorithm 1** Find majority element in an array

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**Input:**  $L[1, \dots, n]$  as input list containing  $n$  real numbers

**Output:** True or False. If true, also returning the majority element

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1:  $c = 0, v = L[1]$ 
2: for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$  do
3:   if  $c == 0$  then
4:      $v = L[i]$ 
5:   end if
6:   if  $v == L[i]$  then
7:      $c = c + 1$ 
8:   else
9:      $c = c - 1$ 
10:  end if
11: end for
12: Future steps
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