Recitation 4

Asymptotic Analysis Practice

R-4.2 The number of operations executed by algorithms A and B is $8n\log n$ and $2n^2$, respectively. Determine n_0 such that A is better than B for $n \geq n_0$.

R-4.3 The number of operations executed by algorithms A and B is $40n^2$ and $2n^3$, respectively. Determine n_0 such that A is better than B for $n \geq n_0$.

R-4.8 Order the following functions by asymptotic growth rate.

$$\begin{array}{lll} 4n\log n + 2n & 2^{10} & 2^{\log n} \\ 3n + 100\log n & 4n & 2^n \\ n^2 + 10n & n^3 & n\log n \end{array}$$

Q: What is the asymptotic complexity for the following examples

```
1  /** Returns the sum of the integers in given array. */
2  public static int example1(int[ ] arr) {
3    int n = arr.length, total = 0;
4    for (int j=0; j < n; j++)                          // loop from 0 to n-1
5      total += arr[j];
6    return total;
7  }

9  /** Returns the sum of the integers with even index in given array. */
10 public static int example2(int[ ] arr) {
11   int n = arr.length, total = 0;
12   for (int j=0; j < n; j += 2)                       // note the increment of 2
13     total += arr[j];
14   return total;
15 }

17 /** Returns the sum of the prefix sums of given array. */
18 public static int example3(int[ ] arr) {
19   int n = arr.length, total = 0;
20   for (int j=0; j < n; j++)                          // loop from 0 to n-1
21     for (int k=0; k <= j; k++)                       // loop from 0 to j
22       total += arr[j];
23   return total;
24 }

26 /** Returns the sum of the prefix sums of given array. */
27 public static int example4(int[ ] arr) {
28   int n = arr.length, prefix = 0, total = 0;
29   for (int j=0; j < n; j++) {                        // loop from 0 to n-1
30     prefix += arr[j];
31     total += prefix;
32   }
33   return total;
34 }
35
36 /** Returns the number of times second array stores sum of prefix sums from first. */
37 public static int example5(int[ ] first, int[ ] second) { // assume equal-length arrays
38   int n = first.length, count = 0;
39   for (int i=0; i < n; i++) {                        // loop from 0 to n-1
40     int total = 0;
41     for (int j=0; j < n; j++)                        // loop from 0 to n-1
42       for (int k=0; k <= j; k++)                     // loop from 0 to j
43         total += first[k];
44     if (second[i] == total) count++;
45   }
46   return count;
47 }
```

Code Fragment 4.12: Some sample algorithms for analysis.

R-4.18 Show that if $d(n)$ is $O(f(n))$ and $f(n)$ is $O(g(n))$, then $d(n)$ is $O(g(n))$.

R-4.19 Show that $O(\max\{f(n), g(n)\}) = O(f(n) + g(n))$.

C-4.37 Give an example of a positive function $f(n)$ such that $f(n)$ is neither $O(n)$ nor $\Omega(n)$.

Another implementation for stack

```
1  public class ArrayStack<E> implements Stack<E> {
2    public static final int CAPACITY=1000;  // default array capacity
3    private E[ ] data;                      // generic array used for storage
4    private int t = −1;                     // index of the top element in stack
5    public ArrayStack( ) { this(CAPACITY); } // constructs stack with default capacity
6    public ArrayStack(int capacity) {       // constructs stack with given capacity
7      data = (E[ ]) new Object[capacity];   // safe cast; compiler may give warning
8    }
9    public int size( ) { return (t + 1); }
10   public boolean isEmpty( ) { return (t == −1); }
11   public void push(E e) throws IllegalStateException {
12     if (size( ) == data.length) throw new IllegalStateException("Stack is full");
13     data[++t] = e;                        // increment t before storing new item
14   }
15   public E top( ) {
16     if (isEmpty( )) return null;
17     return data[t];
18   }
19   public E pop( ) {
20     if (isEmpty( )) return null;
21     E answer = data[t];
22     data[t] = null;                       // dereference to help garbage collection
23     t−−;
24     return answer;
25   }
26 }
```

Code Fragment 6.2: Array-based implementation of the Stack interface.

Q: What are the advantages and disadvantages of this implementation, compared with the linked list version seen in class?

Stack and Queue Exercise

R-6.4 Implement a method with signature transfer(S, T) that transfers all elements from stack S onto stack T, so that the element that starts at the top of S is the first to be inserted onto T, and the element at the bottom of S ends up at the top of T.

Q: What if I want the elements starting at the top of S ends up at the top of T?