

Problem 3

part a)

1. Analysing running time for all parts:

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if (right <= left + 10)
{
    InsertionSort(a, left, right);
    return a[left];
}
    
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Although the worst case runtime for insertion sort is $O(N^2)$, the input size will always be smaller than 10, in this case, the runtime for this if statement is $O(1)$

else {

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    int smallsize = (right - left) / 5;
    T * b = new T[smallsize];
    }
    
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⇒ constant runtime: $O(1)$

for (int i = 0; i < smallsize; i++)

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    b[i] = quantile(a, left + i * 5, left + 5 * (i + 1) - 1, a);
    
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The input size for each recursive call is $5(i+1) - 5i = 5$, so the quantile() will go into the if statement we analysed before, which takes constant time $O(1)$

∴ $smallsize = n/5$

∴ $\frac{n}{5}$ times of recursive calls are called

∴ total runtime = $\frac{n}{5} \cdot O(1) = O(n)$

$T_{pivot} = quantile(b, 0, smallsize - 1, smallsize/2)$ ⇒ The array has a size of $\frac{n}{5}$

∴ The recursive call will take $T(n/5)$.

$int p = linearSearch(a, left, right, pivot);$ ⇒ worstcase runtime $O(n)$
 $a.swap(p, right);$ ⇒ constant time $O(1)$

$int m = partition(a, left, right);$ ⇒ partition will take $O(n)$

if (left+k==m) return a[m]
 else if (left+k<m) return quantile(a, left, m+1, k);
 else return quantile(a, m+1, right, k-(m+1-left));

Because the size of b[l] is $n/5$ and the pivot is the median of this array, so $\frac{n}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{n}{10}$ elements have to be smaller than pivot. Because these $\frac{n}{10}$ elements are also medians in its 5-element subarray, so the elements on the left side in the sub-arrays also have to be smaller than pivot.

$$\therefore \text{at least : } \frac{n}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{n}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{n}{10} + \frac{n}{10} = \frac{2n}{10}$$

\therefore at least $\frac{2n}{10}$ elements in a are smaller than pivot.

By using the same theory for the elements larger than pivot.

$$\text{at least : } \frac{n}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{n}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{2n}{10}$$

\therefore at least $\frac{2n}{10}$ elements in a are larger than pivot

Therefore, if at least $\frac{2n}{10}$ elements are smaller and larger than pivot
 $n - \frac{2n}{10} = \frac{4n}{5}$

\therefore At most $\frac{4n}{5}$ elements larger and smaller than pivot.

\therefore At most $\frac{4n}{5}$ element the array will have for last or second-to-last element.

\therefore For last or second-to-last element $\Rightarrow T(n) \leq T(\frac{4n}{5})$

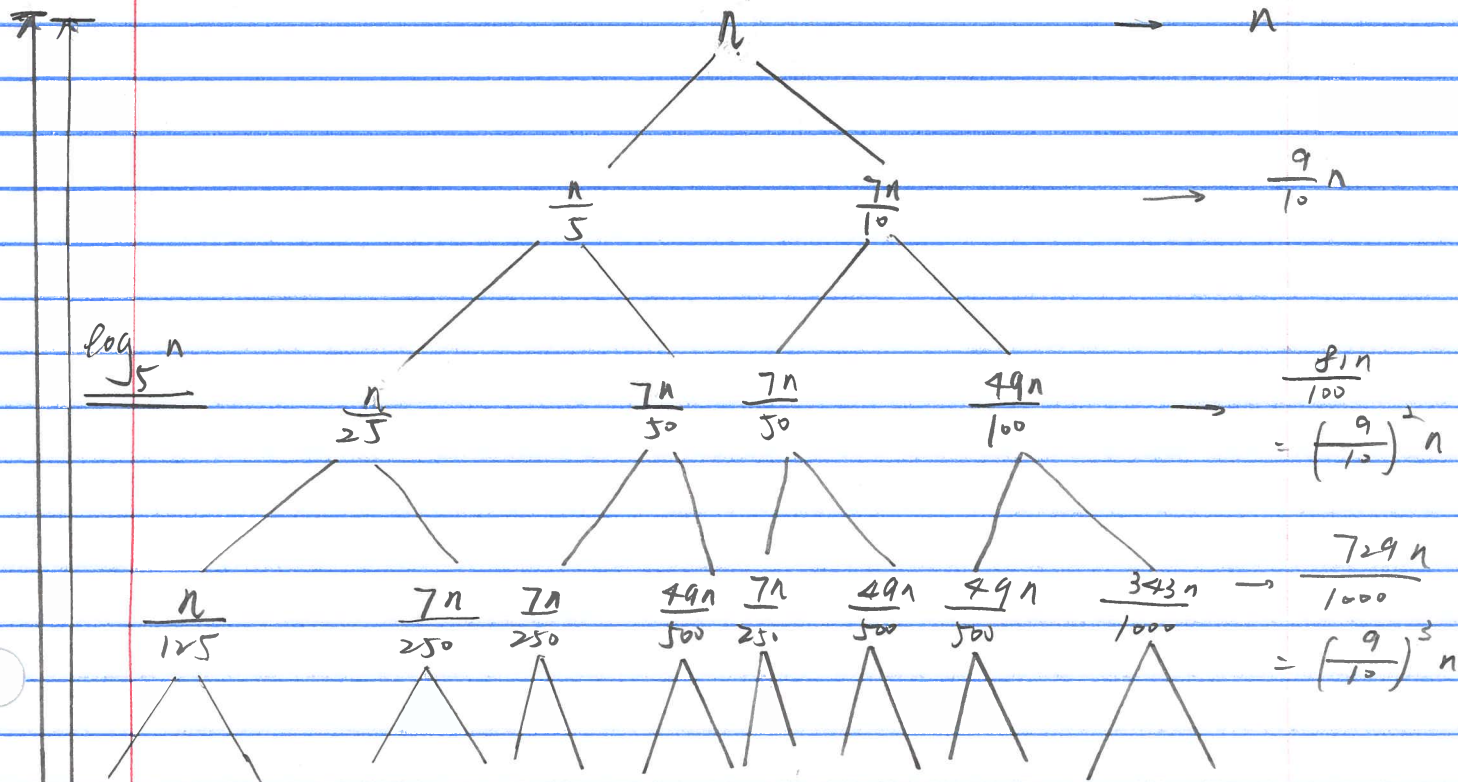
\therefore when $n \geq 10$

$$T(n) = O(1) + O(n) + T(n/5) + O(n) + O(1) + O(n) + T(7n/10) \\ = T(n/5) + T(7n/10) + O(n)$$

In addition: The base case is when $n < 10$, it will just return median using insertion sort which will take $O(1)$ with size smaller than 10

Question 3
part b.

Recursive call tree (The value on each node represents both size of array and runtime)



$$\log_5 n$$

$$\log_{\frac{10}{7}} n$$

- For each layer, if you sum up the size of each node

$$n, \frac{9}{10}n, \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^2 n, \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^3 n, \dots, \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^i (n)$$

The reason for that is $\frac{1}{5} + \frac{7}{10} = \frac{9}{10}$. Each new layer will simply time $\left(\frac{9}{10}\right)$ for each leaf in the previous tree.

$$\therefore \underline{\underline{\text{The total work} = \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^i n}}$$

- Because $\frac{1}{5} \neq \frac{7}{10}$, the tree will have different height on each leaf. However, the largest height will happen on the rightmost leaf, because $\frac{7}{10} > \frac{1}{5}$, it will take more layers to get to size = 1.

$$\therefore \text{number of layers} = \log_{\frac{10}{7}} n$$

- $\therefore \frac{1}{5} < \frac{7}{10}$

\therefore The smaller size recursion will always on the left, the larger size recursion will always on the right.

\therefore The leaf with smallest height is the left most path, smallest number of layer = $\log_5 n$

Therefore, ~~the~~ in each the first $\log_5 n$ layer, there are $\left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^i n$ nodes in total, so it's a geometric progression

For the rest, each layer has lower than $\left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^i n$, so every layer is at most $\left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^i n$, \therefore we can use the at-most

value to calculate the upper-bound \odot

$$T(n) = n + \frac{9}{10}n + \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^2 n - \dots - \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^i n$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{\log_{10} n - 1} \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^i n$$

$$= \frac{1 - \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^{\log_{10} n - 1}}{1 - \frac{9}{10}} n$$

we can bound this equation :

$$T(n) = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{10}} n$$

$$= 10n$$

$$\therefore T(n) = O(10n)$$

$$= O(n)$$