

20.26. LOG LOG N COMPLEXITY

EXAMPLE

```
for(i = 1; i ≤ n ; i = i * 2){  
    c = c + 1;  
}  
for(j = 1; j ≤ c; j = j * 2){  
    k = k + 1;  
}
```

ANSWER

Note: $c = c + 1$ will execute $\log n$ times, we may say:

$\lfloor \log n \rfloor + 1$, now j loop will execute \log of $\lfloor \log n \rfloor + 1$ i. e.

which generates $\log(\log(n))$ for the 2nd loop. Hence:

Time Complexity for the 2nd Loop:

```
for(j = 1; j ≤ c; j = j * 2){  
    k = k + 1;  
}
```

is: $O(\log(\log(n)))$