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Time and Space Complexity

Q1) Analyze the time complexity of the following Java code and suggest a way to improve it:

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int sum = 0;
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for (int i = 1; i ≤ n; i++) {
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    for (int j = 1; j ≤ i; j++) {
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        sum++;
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    }
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}
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Sol $i=1$ $i=2$ $i=3$ $i=n$
 $j=1$ $j=1, j=2$ $j=1, j=2, j=3$ $j=1, j=2, \dots, j=n$

$$1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

As there are nested loops, by iteration we get time complexity = $O(n^2)$.

Improvement by using mathematical

sum formula $\frac{n(n+1)}{2}$ directly

the time complexity $O(n^2)$ will be reduced to $O(1)$.

Q2. Find the value of $T(2)$ for the recurrence relation $T(n) = 3T(n-1) + 12n$, given that $T(0) = 5$.

So) Given $T(n) = 3T(n-1) + 12n$ — ①

$n=1$ in ①

$$T(1) = 3T(0) + 12n$$

$$T(1) = 3 \times 5 + 12 = 15 + 12 = 27$$

$$\boxed{T(1) = 27}$$

$n=2$ in ①

$$T(2) = 3T(1) + 12 \times 2$$

$$= 3 \times 27 + 24$$

$$= 81 + 24 \Rightarrow \boxed{T(2) = 105}$$

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Q3. Given a recurrence relation, solve it using a substitution method.

$$\text{Relation: } T(n) = T(n-1) + C$$

So) $T(n) = T(n-1) + C$ — ①

$$T(n-1) = T(n-1-1) + C$$

$$T(n-1) = T(n-2) + C$$

$$T(n) = T(n-2) + 2C$$
 — ②

$$T(n-2) = T(n-3) + C$$

$$T(n) = T(n-3) + 3C$$
 — ③

$$T(n) = T(n-k) + kc - (E)$$

$$n-k=1$$

$$\boxed{n = k+1}$$

$$\boxed{k = n-1}$$

$$T(n) = T(n-(n-1)) + (n-1)c$$

$$T(n) = T(1) + (n-1)c$$

$O(n-1) \Rightarrow \underline{O(n)}$ is time complexity of given recurrence relation.

Q4. Given a recurrence relation:

$$T(n) = 16T(n/4) + n^2 \log n$$

find the time complexity of this relation using the master theorem.

So > given $T(n) = 16T(n/4) + n^2 \log n$

master's theorem

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + \Theta(n^k \log^p n)$$

$a \geq 1 \rightarrow$ number of sub problems

$b > 1 \rightarrow$ size of sub problem

$k \geq 0 \rightarrow k \geq 0$

$p \rightarrow$ real number

Case 1

$$a > b^k$$

$$16 > 4^1$$

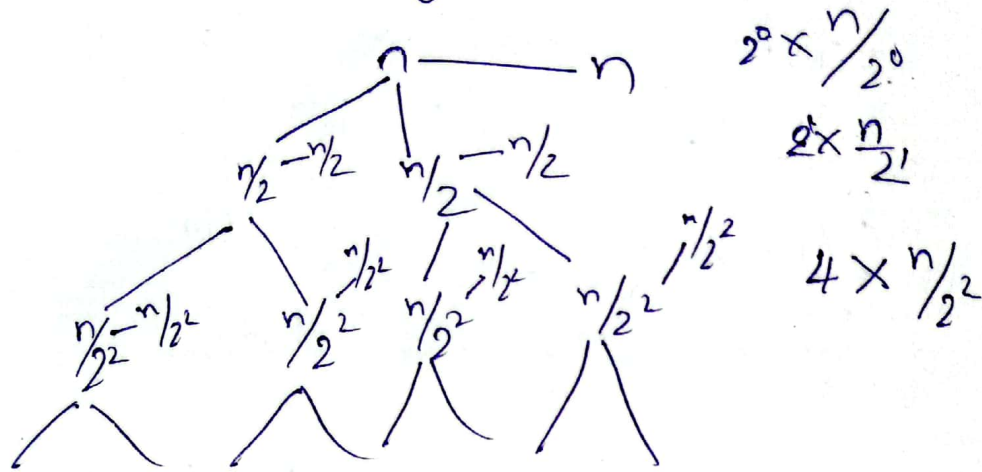
$$\therefore \text{Time complexity} = O(n^{\log_4 16}) \\ = O(n^2) //$$

Q.5. Solve the following recurrence relation using recursion tree method

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n$$

So)

$$T(n) = T(n/2) + T(n/2) + n$$



Summation of all levels

$$T(n) = 2^0 \times \frac{n}{2^0} + 2^1 \times \frac{n}{2^1} + 2^2 \times \frac{n}{2^2} + \dots + 2^k \times \frac{n}{2^k}$$

$$T(n) = n [1 + 1 + \dots + 1] = n \log_2 n$$

$$T(n) = O(n \log n) \rightarrow \text{Time complexity}$$

But height of the tree is $\log(n)$, since the problem size is halved at each level.

$$\therefore T(n) = n + n + n + \dots + n(\log(n))$$

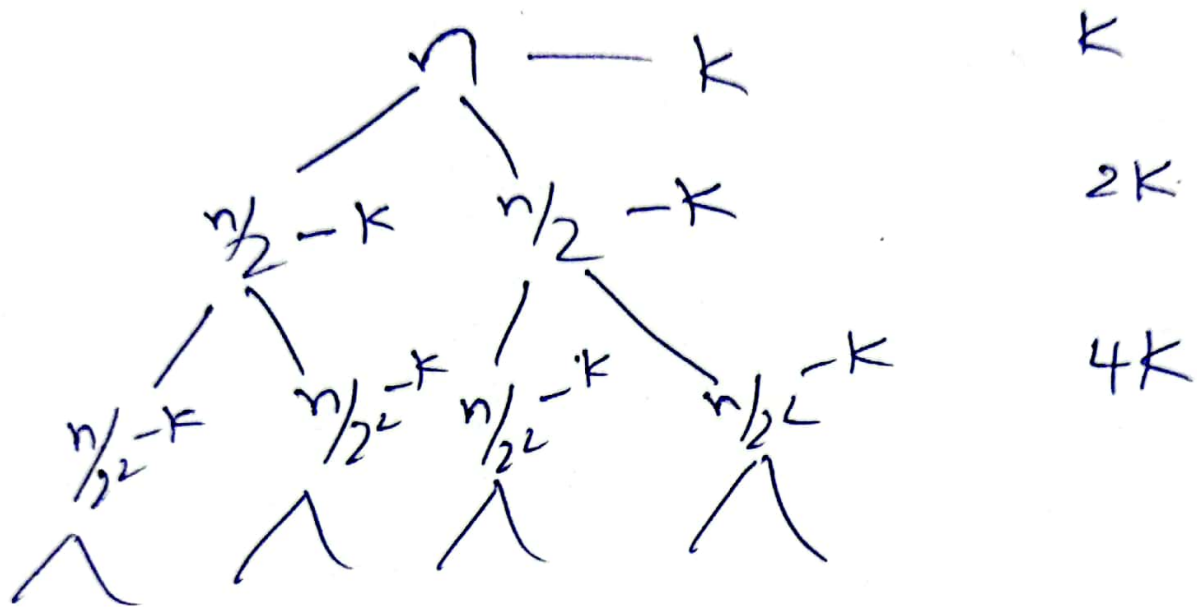
$$\text{Time complexity} = O(n \log(n)) //$$

Q 6) $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + K$, solve using
Recurrence tree method

sol

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + K$$

$$T(n) = T(n/2) + T(n/2) + K$$



The height of the tree is $\log(n)$ because the problem size is halved at each level.
Therefore the total cost of all levels is:

$$T(n) = O(n)$$

$$\therefore \text{Time complexity} = O(n) //$$