



Design and Analysis of Algorithm, B.Tech. (2nd Year)

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Any contiguous subarray $A[i..j]$ must lie exactly in one the following places.

- ☐ Entirely in the subarray $A[\text{low}..\text{mid}]$, i.e., $\text{low} \leq i \leq j \leq \text{mid}$
- ☐ Entirely in the subarray $A[\text{mid}+1..\text{high}]$, i.e., $\text{mid}+1 \leq i \leq j \leq \text{high}$
- ☐ Crossing the midpoint, i.e., $\text{low} \leq i \leq \text{mid} < j \leq \text{high}$
- ☒ All of the above

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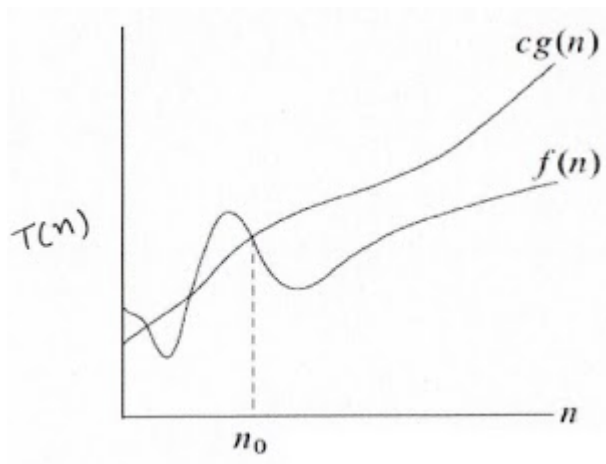
How many matrix multiplications required by the Strassen's matrix multiplication algorithm?

- ☐ 0
- ☒ 7
- ☐ 8

☐ None of the above

Clear selection

Given a figure, which of the following relations is correct?



☐ $O(g(n)) = f(n)$

☐ $g(n) = O(f(n))$

☒ $f(n) = O(g(n))$

☐ $O(f(n)) = g(n)$

Clear selection

Matrix Multiplication using Divide and Conquer takes _____ time.

☐ $O(n)$

☐ $O(n^2)$

☒ $O(n^3)$

☐ $O(n \log n)$

Clear selection

Write the following function in theta notation.

$$f(n) = 10^{80}$$

- ☐ theta (n^2)
- ☐ theta ($n \log n$)
- ☐ theta (n)
- ☒ theta (1)

Clear selection

Consider a situation where you don't have function to calculate power and you need to calculate x^n where x can be any number and n is a positive integer. What can be the best possible time complexity of your power function?

- ☒ $O(\log n)$
- ☐ $O(n)$
- ☐ $O(\log \log n)$
- ☐ $O(n \log n)$

Clear selection

The following functions are arranged as per their growth from slowest growing function to the fastest growing function. Which of the following is incorrect?

- ☒ $n, n^{1.1}, n * \log n, n^2$
- ☐ $n, n * \log n, n^{1.1}, n^2$
- ☐ $\log n, n * \log n, n^2, 2^n$



☐ $1, n^2, (3/2)^n, 2^n$

Clear selection

In the worst-case, the number of swaps required to sort n elements using selection sort is _____.

☐ $O(n^2)$

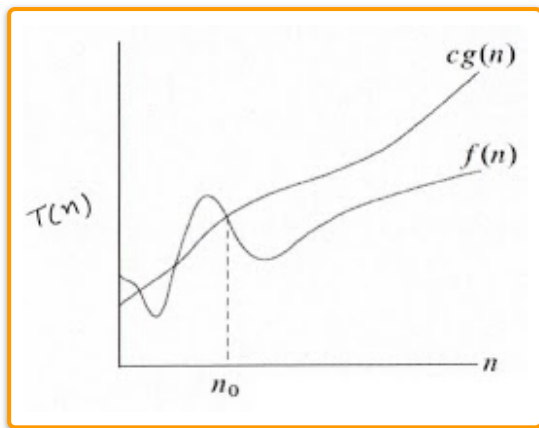
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☒ $O(n)$

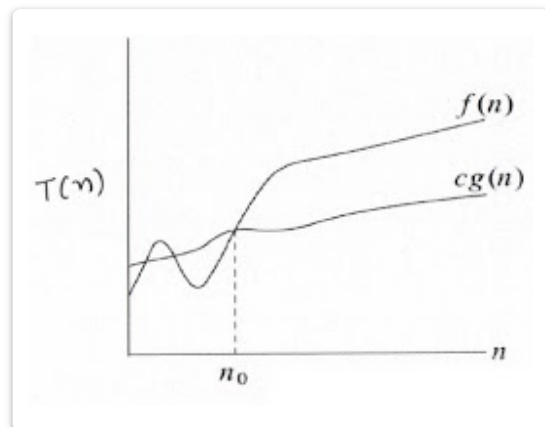
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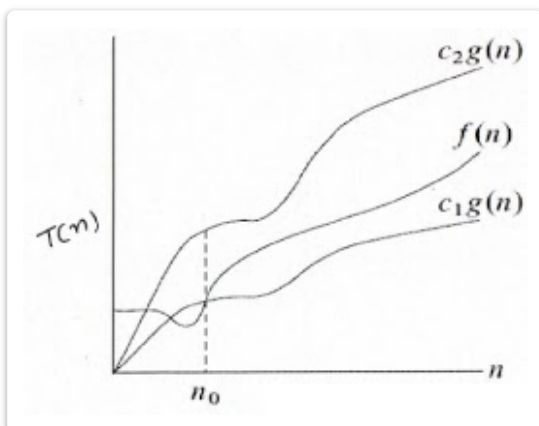
Which of the following represents that $f(n) = O(g(n))$? [Not: O means Big-oh]



☒ Option 1



☐ Option 2



☐ All of the above

☐ Option 3

Clear selection

$O(g(n)) = \{f(n): \text{there exists positive constants } c \text{ and } n_0 \text{ such that } 0 \leq f(n) \leq c g(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0\}.$

- ☐ <
- ☐ >=
- ☐ >
- ☒ <=

Clear selection

If $f(n) = 2n + 5$ and $g(n) = 3n - 2$, then _____.

- ☐ The function $f(n)$ grows faster than $g(n)$ when n approaches infinity.
- ☐ The function $f(n)$ grows slower than $g(n)$ when n approaches infinity.
- ☒ The function $f(n)$ and $g(n)$ grow at the same rate when n approaches infinity.
- ☐ None of the above

Clear selection

You have a sorted array of n elements where each element is present twice except one, which is present once. You want to identify that element. The time complexity using divide and conquer is

- ☒ $O(\log n)$
- ☐ $O(1)$
- ☐ $O(n \log n)$
- ☐ $O(n)$

Clear selection



For merging two sorted lists of sizes m and n into a sorted list of size $m+n$, we require comparisons of

- ☐ $O(m)$
- ☒ $O(m+n)$
- ☐ $O(n)$
- ☐ $O(\log m + \log n)$

Clear selection

The best-case running time of merge-sort algorithm is _____.

- ☒ $O(n \log n)$
- ☐ $O(n)$
- ☐ $O(\log n)$
- ☐ $O(n^2)$

Clear selection

Which of the following is not a member of the set $O(n^2)$?

- ☐ $(3^{30}) * n$
- ☒ $(n^5) / (\text{sqrt}(n))$
- ☐ $n^{1.45}$
- ☐ All of the above

Clear selection



The recurrence relation of a binary search is _____.

$$T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + C$$

☒ Option 1

$$T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + O(n)$$

☐ Option 2

$$T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + C$$

☐ Option 3

$$T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + O(n)$$

☐ Option 4

Clear selection

How many matrix additions/subtractions required by the Strassen's matrix multiplication algorithm?

☐ 0

☐ 8

☒ 18

☐ None of the above



☐ None of the above

Clear selection

A sorting technique is called stable if:

- ☐ It takes $O(n \log n)$ time
- ☐ It uses divide and conquer paradigm
- ☐ It takes $O(n)$ space
- ☒ It maintains the relative order of occurrence of non-distinct elements

Clear selection

Which of the following statements is correct?

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} = 0$$

- ☐ Function f grows faster than function g as input n approaches infinity.
- ☒ Function g grows faster than function f as input n approaches infinity.
- ☐ Function f and g grows at the same rate as input n approaches infinity.
- ☐ None of the above

Clear selection

When $n = 2^{2^k}$ for some $k \geq 0$, the recurrence relation $T(n) = \sqrt{2} T(n/2) + \sqrt{n}$, $T(1) = 1$ evaluates to :

- ☐ $n \log \sqrt{n}$



- ☐ $\sqrt{n} \log \sqrt{n}$
- ☒ $\sqrt{n} (\log n + 1)$
- ☐ $\sqrt{n} (\log n)$

Clear selection

What is the worst-case running time of the following algorithm? Array A of n integers is an input to the algorithm.

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for  $j = 2$  to  $A.length$ 
     $key = A[j]$ 
    // Insert  $A[j]$  into the sorted sequence  $A[1 \dots j - 1]$ .
     $i = j - 1$ 
    while  $i > 0$  and  $A[i] > key$ 
         $A[i + 1] = A[i]$ 
         $i = i - 1$ 
     $A[i + 1] = key$ 

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- ☐ $O(n \log n)$
- ☒ $O(n^2)$
- ☐ $O(n)$
- ☐ $O(\log n)$

Clear selection

Which of the following is FALSE?

- a) $(n + a)^m = O(n^m)$ where a is constant
- b) $2^{2^n} = O(2^n)$
- c) Assume $0 < a < b$ then $n^a = O(n^b)$
- d) $2^n \neq O(n^k)$

- ☐ c
- ☐ a
- ☒ b
- ☐ d

Clear selection



If $T(n) = 5 * n^2$, then $T(n) =$ _____.

- ☐ $O(n^2)$
- ☐ $O(n^2 * \log n)$
- ☐ $O(n^3)$
- ☒ All of the above

Clear selection

Consider the following recurrence relation. Find $T(n)$ in terms of θ notation.

$$T(n) = 4T(\lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor) + \log^2 n$$

- ☐ This recurrence is not solvable
- ☐ $\theta(\log n \log \log n)$
- ☐ $\theta(\log \log n)$
- ☒ $\theta(\log^2 n \log \log n)$

Clear selection

In a modified merge sort, the input array is splitted at a position one-third of the length(N) of the array. Which of the following is the tightest upper bound on time complexity of this modified Merge Sort.

- ☒ $N(\log N \text{ base } 3/2)$
- ☐ $N(\log N \text{ base } 3)$
- ☐ $N(\log N \text{ base } 1/3)$



☐ $N(\log N \text{ base } 2/3)$

Clear selection

Arrange the following functions in non-decreasing order of their growth.

$$f_1(n) = n^{0.999999} \log(n)$$

$$f_2(n) = 10000000n$$

$$f_3(n) = 1.000001^n \quad f_4(n) = n^2$$

☐ $f_1(n); f_2(n); f_3(n); f_4(n)$

☐ $f_1(n); f_4(n); f_2(n); f_3(n)$

☒ $f_1(n); f_2(n); f_4(n); f_3(n)$

☐ $f_2(n); f_1(n); f_4(n); f_3(n)$

Clear selection

Consider the Quicksort algorithm. Suppose there is a procedure for finding a pivot element which splits the list into two sub-lists each of which contains at least one-fifth of the elements. Let $T(n)$ be the number of comparisons required to sort n elements. Then

☐ $T(n) \leq 2T(n/5) + n$

☐ $T(n) \leq 2T(4n/5) + n$

☒ $T(n) \leq T(n/5) + T(4n/5) + n$

☐ $T(n) \leq 2T(n/2) + n$

Clear selection



Given the following recurrence relation, which of the following is true?

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 3T(\frac{n}{3}) + n^2 & \text{if } n > 2 \\ 1 & \text{if } n \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

- ☐ $T(n) = \Theta(n^2 \log n)$
- ☒ $T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$
- ☐ $T(n) = \Theta(n)$
- ☐ $T(n) = \Theta(n \log n)$

Clear selection

Suppose we do merge sort with a three-way split: divide the array into 3 equal parts, sort each part and do a 3 way merge. What would be the worst-case complexity of this algorithm?

- ☒ $O(n \log n)$
- ☐ $O(n^2 \log n)$
- ☐ $O(n^2)$
- ☐ $O(n(\log n)^2)$

Clear selection

Let an array $A = \{11, 9, 17, 19, 22, 26, 6, 14\}$. Which of the following options represents the partially sorted array after the first four passes of the insertion sort?

- ☐ $\{6, 9, 11, 14, 17, 19, 22, 26\}$
- ☒ $\{9, 11, 17, 19, 22, 26, 6, 14\}$



☐ {9, 11, 19, 17, 22, 26, 6, 14}

☐ None of the above

Clear selection

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