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1. a. True

Let $f(n) = 2n^2 + 10n^3$, $g(n) = n^3$
Let c and n_0 be constants

$$n^2 \leq n^3 < 2n^2 + 10n^3 \text{ for all } n \geq 1$$
$$\Rightarrow 2n^2 + 10n^3 \leq 2n^3 + 10n^3$$
$$\leq 12n^3 \text{ for all } n \geq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0,$$

where $c=12$ and $n_0=1$

$$\Rightarrow 2n^2 + 10n^3 \text{ is } O(n^3)$$

b. True

Let $f(n) = \sqrt{n} + 10\log_2 n$, $g(n) = n$
Let c and n_0 be constants

$$\log_2 n \leq \sqrt{n} \text{ for all } n \geq 16$$
$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{n} + 10\log_2 n \leq \sqrt{n} + 10\sqrt{n}$$
$$\leq 11\sqrt{n}$$

$$\sqrt{n} \leq n \text{ for all } n \geq 1$$
$$\Rightarrow 11\sqrt{n} \leq 11n \text{ for all } n \geq 16$$

$$\Rightarrow f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0, \text{ where}$$

$c=11$ and $n_0=16$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{n} + 10\log_2 n \text{ is } O(n)$$

c. False

Assume $3^n + n^3 \text{ is } \Theta(2^n)$

$$\Rightarrow c' \cdot 2^n \leq 3^n + n^3 \leq c'' \cdot 2^n \text{ for all } n \geq n_0,$$

where $c' > 0$ and $c'' > 0$

$$\Rightarrow \text{There exist } c'' > 0 \text{ and } n_0 \text{ s.t.}$$
$$3^n + n^3 \leq c'' \cdot 2^n \text{ for all } n \geq n_0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3^n + n^3}{2^n} \leq c''$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3^n + n^3}{2^n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^n + \frac{n^3}{2^n} \right)$$
$$= \infty$$

$\Rightarrow \infty \leq c'' \rightarrow$ This is a contradiction. ∞ has no upper bound.

By contradiction, $3^n + n^3$ cannot be $\Theta(2^n)$

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d.

Assume $\log_{10} n + 10n^3 + 100$ is $\Omega(n^2)$

\Rightarrow There exists $c > 0$ and n_0 s.t.
 $\log_{10} n + 10n^3 + 100 \geq c \cdot n^2$ for all $n \geq n_0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\log_{10} n}{n^3} + 10 + \frac{100}{n^3} \geq \frac{c}{n}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\log_{10} n}{n^3} + 10 + \frac{100}{n^3} \right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{3n^3 \ln 10} + 10 = 10$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{c}{n} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 \geq 0$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow 1^+} \left(\frac{\log_{10} n}{n^3} + 10 + \frac{100}{n^3} \right) = 0 + 10 + 100 = 110$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{c}{n} = c$$

$$\Rightarrow 110 \geq c$$

\Rightarrow If $c = 1$ and $n_0 = 1$,

$$\log_{10} n + 10n^3 + 100 \geq c \cdot n^2, \quad n \geq n_0$$

$\Rightarrow \log_{10} n + 10n^3 + 100$ is $\Omega(n^2)$

2. a. $T(n)$ is $O(\sqrt{n})$

This is the case where a large prime number is inputted. Line 5 will never evaluate to true, so the loop will continue until $x^2 \leq n$. Because x increments by 1 each iteration, it will take \sqrt{n} iterations before the loop is complete. Then the function returns true.

b. $B(n)$ is $O(1)$

This is the case where n is any even number. On the first iteration of the loop, $x=2$. Line 5 will evaluate $n \% x == 0$ to true as all even numbers are divisible by 2. This will trigger the 'return false' and the function will end after a constant number of operations.

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3. **Algorithm** sortStack(Stack s):
Input: An n-element stack of integers

Stack tempStack	
int tmp	
tempStack.push(s.pop())	
while !s.isEmpty()	n+1
if s.peek() >= tempStack.peek()	n
tempStack.push(s.pop())	n
else	
tmp = s.pop()	n
while !tempStack.isEmpty() and tmp < tempStack.peek()	1+2+3+...+n
s.push(tempStack.pop())	1+2+3+...+n-1
tempStack.push(tmp)	n
while !tempStack.isEmpty()	n+1
s.push(tempStack.pop())	n

⇒ Worst case of sortStack() is $O(n^2)$. This would occur if the stack was sorted with the smallest elements on the bottom.

4. a. The lineup would be implemented using a Deque. Cashiers would be implemented using a class with a single instance variable representing the customer they are helping.

Algorithm serve(int i):

Input: integer i representing cashier 1 or 2

if lineup is empty
 throw error

if i == 1
 cashier1.setCustomer(lineup.removeFirst())
else if i == 2
 cashier2.setCustomer(lineup.removeFirst())

Algorithm interruptService(int i):

Input: integer i representing cashier 1 or 2

if i == 1
 lineup.addLast(cashier1.removeCustomer())
else if i == 2
 lineup.addLast(cashier2.removeCustomer())

Algorithm newCustomer(Customer p)

Input: Customer to add

lineup.addLast(p)

Algorithm giveUp(int n)

Input: integer n representing last n Customers in line

for i <- 0 to n do
 lineup.removeLast()

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b.	Operations:	Output:
	Newcustomer(A);	
	Newcustomer(B);	
	Newcustomer(C);	
	PrintLineup();	A, B, C
	Serve(2);	
	Serve(1);	
	Serve(1);	
	Newcustomer(D);	
	Newcustomer(E);	
	PrintLineup();	D, E
	InterruptService(2);	
	InterruptService(1);	
	PrintLineup();	D, E, A, C
	Newcustomer(F);	
	GiveUp(2);	
	PrintLineup();	D, E, A