CSE 21 HW 4

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1. Consider the set H of all non-negative integer solutions to the equation:

$$a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + a_4 + a_5 + a_6 = 30$$

You wish to pick one of the elements of H at random and the way you decide to do it is the following: Initialize a 6-tuple to be all zeros (0,0,0,0,0,0) Roll a fair 6 sided die 30 times. For each roll that shows a 1, increment the 1st position, for each roll that shows a 2, increment the 2nd position and so on

a) What is the expected number of entries equal to zero using this sampling method?

$$X_i = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ if entry } a_i = 0. \text{ (You roll none of i)} \\ 0 \text{ else} \end{cases}$$

$$E(X) = \sum_{k=1}^{6} E(X_i)$$
 (1)

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{6} p(x=r) \tag{2}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{6} \frac{5^{30}}{6^{30}} = 6 \cdot \frac{5^{30}}{6^{30}} \tag{3}$$

$$\approx 0.0253$$
 (4)

$$= 0 (5)$$

Using this distribution method, you can expect 0 $a_i = 0$

b) What is the expected number of entries equal to zero using a uniform sampling method?

$$E(X) = \sum_{k=1}^{6} E(X_i)$$
 (6)

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{6} \frac{\binom{30+5-1}{5-1}}{\binom{30+6-1}{6-1}} \tag{7}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{6} \frac{\binom{34}{4}}{\binom{35}{5}} \tag{8}$$

$$\approx 0.871$$
 (9)

$$= 1 \tag{10}$$

Using this distribution method, you can expect 1 $a_i = 0$

c) What is the expected number of entries equal to 1 using this sampling method?

$$X_i = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ if entry } a_i = 1. \text{ (You roll only one of i)} \\ 0 \text{ else} \end{cases}$$

$$E(X) = \sum_{k=1}^{6} E(X_i)$$
 (11)

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{6} \frac{\binom{30}{1} \cdot 5^{29}}{6^{30}} \tag{12}$$

$$= 6 \cdot \frac{30 \cdot 5^{29}}{6^{30}} \tag{13}$$

$$\approx 0.152$$
 (14)

$$= 0 \tag{15}$$

Using this distribution method, you can expect at $0 \ a_i = 1$

d) What is the expected number of entries equal to 1 using a uniform sampling method?

$$E(X) = \sum_{k=1}^{6} E(X_i)$$
 (16)

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{6} \frac{\binom{30-1+5-1}{5-1}}{\binom{30+6-1}{6-1}} \tag{17}$$

$$= 6 \cdot \frac{\binom{33}{4}}{\binom{35}{5}} \tag{18}$$

$$\approx 0.756 \tag{19}$$

$$= 1 \tag{20}$$

Using this distribution method, you can expect at $1 a_i = 1$

- 2. Recall MinSort and BubbleSort from class. For these problems, assume that the input is a permutation of length n of distinct integers chosen uniformly at random.
- a) Use linearity of expectation to compute the expected number of swaps for MinSort on an input $(a_1...a_n)$ of distinct integers chosen uniformly at random

$$X_i = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ if } a_1 \text{ is in the wrong place (a swap occours)} \\ 0 \text{ else} \end{cases}$$

$$E(X) = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} E(X_i) = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} 1 - (\frac{1}{n-k+1})$$
 (21)

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \left(\frac{n-k}{n-k+1} \right) \tag{22}$$

b) Use linearity of expectation to compute the expected number of swaps for Bubble-Sort on an input $(a_1...a_n)$ of distinct integers chosen uniformly at random

$$X_i = Expected number of swaps for a_i = \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} X_j$$

$$X_j = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ if } a_j > a_i \\ 0 \text{ else} \end{cases}$$

$$E(X_i) = \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} E(X_j) = \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \frac{n-i}{n}$$
 (23)

(24)

 $\frac{n-i}{n}$ is the probability that some a_j before a_i is great than a_i

$$E(X) = \sum_{k=1}^{n} E(X_i) \tag{25}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} \frac{n-k}{n} \tag{26}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{n} (k-1)(\frac{n-k}{n}) \tag{27}$$

$$= \frac{-(n+1)(n+2)}{6} + \frac{(n+1)(n+1)}{2} - n \tag{28}$$

$$= \frac{1}{6}n^2 - \frac{1}{2}n + \frac{1}{3} \tag{29}$$

3. For each algorithm, compute the exact number of times the algorithm prints in terms of n and compute the runtime in terms of θ , where $n \geq 3$.

a)

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n} 2i - 1 \tag{30}$$

$$= 2 \cdot \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} i\right) - n \tag{31}$$

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

$$= n^{2}$$
(32)
$$= n^{2}$$
(33)

$$= n^2 (33)$$

(34)

$$f(n) = \theta(n^2)$$

b) if n is even:

$$2\sum_{i=1}^{n/2} i = n(n-1)$$

if n is odd:

$$2(\sum_{i=1}^{n/2} i) - 1 = n(n-1) - 1$$

in both cases $f(n) = \theta(n^2)$

c)

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \sum_{j=i+1}^{n-1} (n-j) \tag{35}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} n(n-i-1) - \left(\frac{(n-1)(n)}{2} - \frac{i(i+1)}{2}\right)$$
 (36)

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} \frac{n^2 - 2n + n}{2} - ni + \frac{1}{2}(i^2 + i)$$
 (37)

$$= \frac{1}{6}n^3 - \frac{1}{2}n^2 + \frac{1}{3}n\tag{38}$$

$$f(n) = \theta(n^3)$$

4. Let $f: R \to R$ be a continuous increasing function. Then we can use a version of binary search to solve for the "root" of the function f (value x such that f(x) = 0.) This algorithm will take the input f, starting value f such that f(x) = 1 where f is the root of the function and an error term f.

a) Trace through the algorithm on the input FunctionSolverp($ln(x) + x^2$, 2, 0.03125).

iteration	hi - lo > 2E	f(v)	$f(v)_{}0$	lo	hi	v
0				0	2	1
1	TRUE	1	>	0	1	0.5
2	TRUE	-0.443	<	0.5	1	0.75
3	TRUE	0.2748	>	0.5	0.75	0.625
4	TRUE	-0.07938	<	0.625	0.75	0.6875
5	TRUE	0.0979	>	0.625	0.6875	0.656250
6	FALSE					

b) if $n = 2^j$ and $E = 2^k$ for some integers k and j such that k < j, how many iterations does the algorithm go through and why?

For every
$$v > 1$$
, $f(v) = \ln(v) + v^2 > 0$.

Specifically, this happens when $v = 2^i$ for any $i \in \mathbb{Z}, i > 0$

This means that the lowerBound (lo), will always stay 0 (since f(v) > 0), and that the upperBound (hi) will be divided by 2 each iteration. Observe:

iteration	hi - lo > 2E	$f(v)_{}0$	lo	hi	v
0			0	2^j	2^{j-1} 2^{j-2}
1	$2^{j} > 2^{k+1}$ $2^{j-1} > 2^{k+1}$	>	0	2^{j-1}	2^{j-2}
2	$2^{j-1} > 2^{k+1}$	>	0	2^{j-2}	2^{j-3}
				•	•

This will end once $2^{j-n} \le 2^{k+1}$

This happens when n = j - k - 1