

Casey Levy - CS 325 - HW 1

Problem 1

- $\frac{2}{N} < 37 < \sqrt{N} < N < N \log(\log N) < N \log N \leq N \log(N^2) < N \log^2 N < N^{1.5} < N^2 < N^2 \log N < N^3 < N^{N/2} < 2^N$
- **$N \log N$ and $N \log(N^2)$ are the only functions that grow at the same rate**
 - o $N \log(N^2) = 2N \log N = O(N \log N)$

Problem 2

- claim that $N \log N < N^{(1+\frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{\log N}})}$

$$N^{(1+\frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{\log N}})} = N * N^{\frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{\log N}}}$$

$$N * N^{\frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{\log N}}} < N \log N$$

$$N^{\frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{\log N}}} < \log N$$

$$\frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{\log N}} \log N < \log \log N$$

Simplified gives us $\frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{\log N}}$ which then shows us that $\frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{\log N}} < \log \log N$

Problem 3

- a) $\text{sum} = 0;$ **$O(1)$**
 $\text{for}(i = 0; i < n; ++i)$ **$O(n)$**
 $++\text{sum};$ **$O(1)$**

$O(1) + O(n) + O(1)$
Fragment runs in $O(n)$

- b) $\text{sum} = 0;$ **$O(1)$**
 $\text{for}(i = 0; i < n; ++i)$ **$O(n)$**
 $\text{for}(j = 0; j < n; ++j)$ **$O(n)$**
 $++\text{sum};$ **$O(1)$**

$O(1) + O(n * n) + O(1)$
Fragment runs in $O(n^2)$

c) `sum = 0;` $O(1)$
`for(i = 0; i < n; ++i)` $O(n)$
`for(j = 0; j < n*n; ++j)` $O(n^2)$
`++sum;` $O(1)$

$O(1) + O(n * n^2) + O(1)$
Fragment runs in $O(n^3)$

d) `sum = 0;` $O(1)$
`for(i = 0; i < n; ++i)` $O(n)$
`for(j = 0; j < i; ++j)` $O(n)$
`++sum;` $O(1)$

$O(1) + O(n * n) + O(1)$
Fragment runs in $O(n^2)$

e) `sum = 0;` $O(1)$
`for(i = 0; i < n; ++i)` $O(n)$
`for(j = 0; j < i * i; ++j)` $O(n^2)$
`for(k = 0; k < j; ++k)` $O(n^2)$
`++sum;` $O(1)$

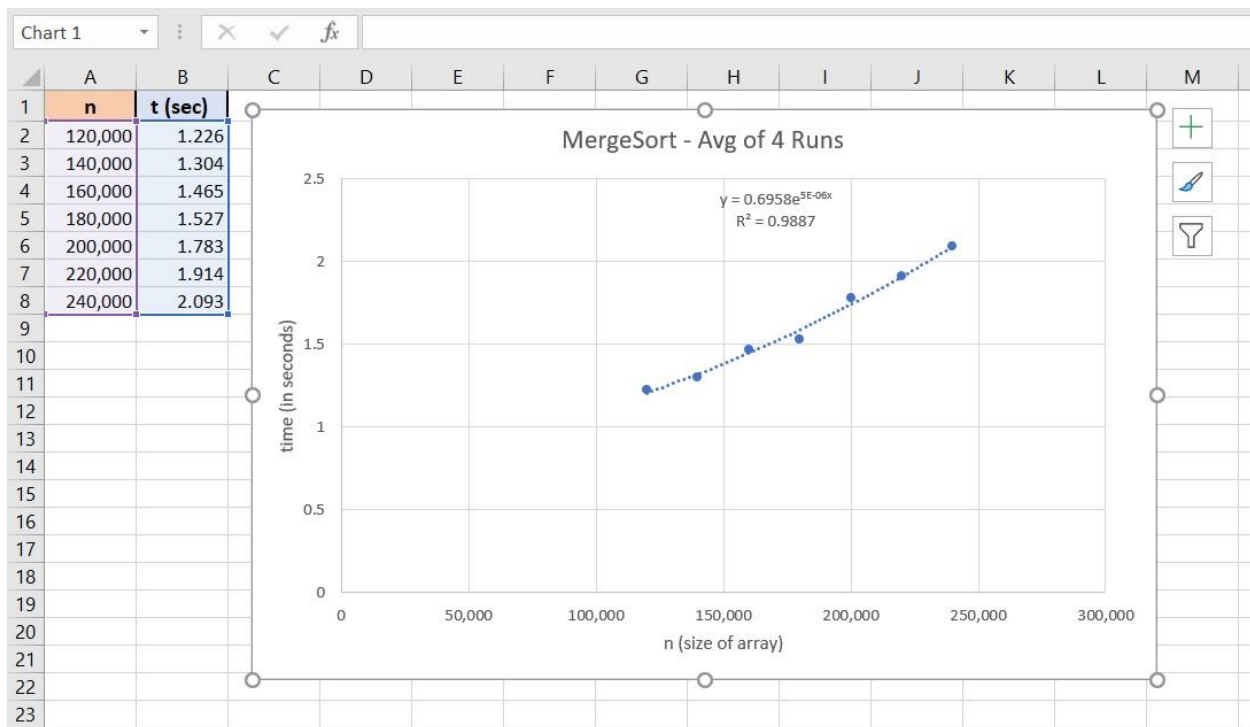
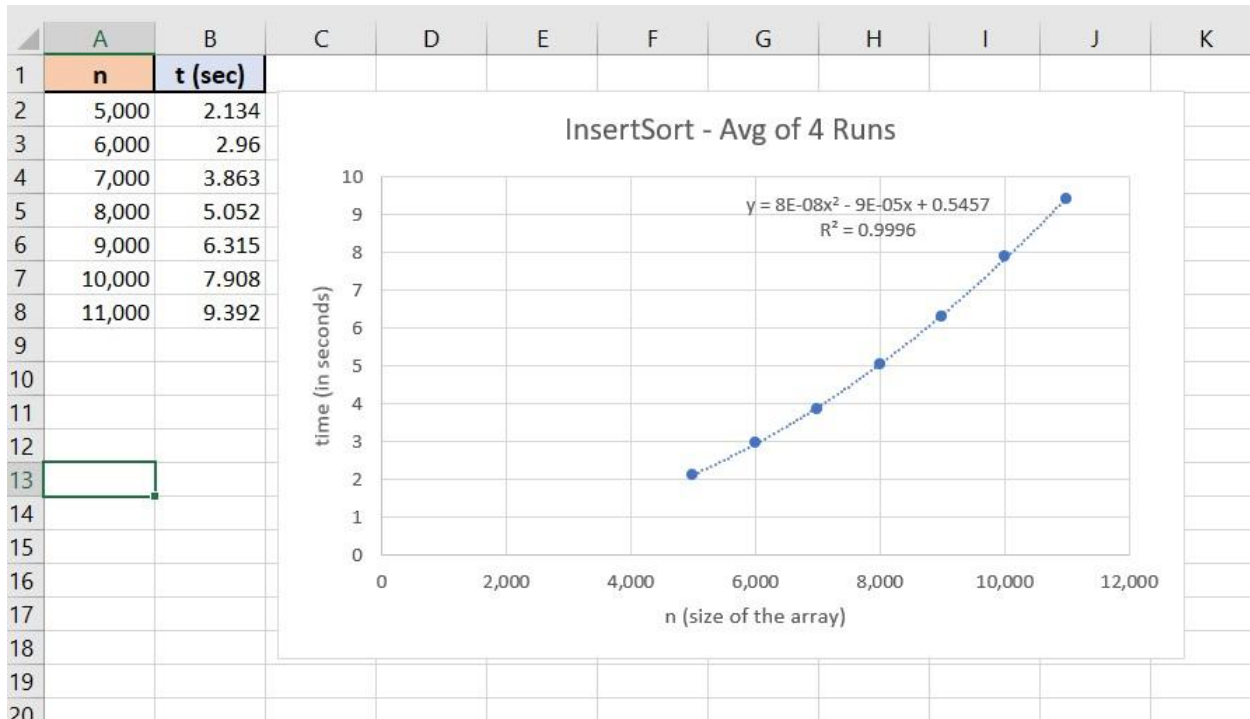
$O(1) + O(n * n^2 * n^2) + O(1)$
Fragment runs in $O(n^5)$

f) `sum = 0;` $O(1)$
`for(i = 1; i < n; ++i)` $O(n)$
`for(j = 1; j < i*i; ++j)` $O(n^2)$
`if(j % i == 0)` $O(1)$
`for(k = 0; k < j; ++k)` $O(n^2)$
`++sum;` $O(1)$

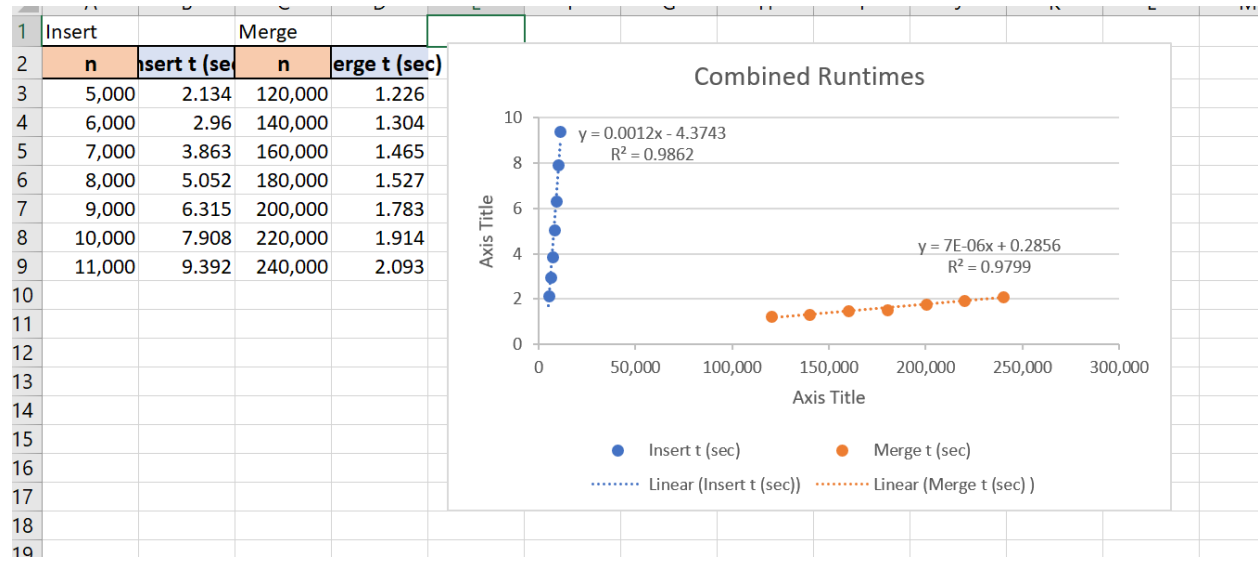
$O(1) + O(n * n^2) + O(1) + O(n^2) + O(1)$
Fragment runs in $O(n^4)$

Problem 5

b and c)



d)



e)

Based on the theoretical runtime of **Merge Sort**, $O(n \log(n))$, my actual runtimes seem to somewhat follow the trend line of such a function, trending linearly.

Based on the theoretical runtime of **Insert Sort**, $O(n^2)$, my actual runtimes seem to grow a bit faster than the theoretical time. Based on the graph above, my runtimes seem to follow more of a trend line of $O(2^n)$.