

⑥ Big Omega Notation prove that $g(n) = n^3 + 2n^2 + 4n$ is $\Omega(n^3)$

Sol: $g(n) \geq c \cdot n^3$

$$g(n) = n^3 + 2n^2 + 4n$$

for finding constants c and n_0

$$n^3 + 2n^2 + 4n \geq c \cdot n^3$$

Divide both sides with n^3

$$1 + \frac{2n^2}{n^3} + \frac{4n}{n^3} \geq c$$

$$1 + \frac{2}{n} + \frac{4}{n^2} \geq c$$

Here $\frac{2}{n}$ and $\frac{4}{n^2}$ approaches 0

$$1 + \frac{2}{n} + \frac{4}{n^2}$$

Example, $c = 1/2$

$$1 + \frac{2}{n} + \frac{4}{n^2} \geq 1/2$$

$$1 + \frac{2}{n} + \frac{4}{n^2} \geq 1 \quad (1 \geq 1/2, n \geq 1)$$

$$1 + \frac{2}{n} + \frac{4}{n^2} \geq 1/2 \quad (n \geq 1, n_0 = 1)$$

Thus, $g(n) = n^3 + 2n^2 + 4n$ is indeed $\Omega(n^3)$

⑦ Big Theta Notation: Determine whether $h(n) = 4n^2 + 3n$ is $\Theta(n^2)$ or not.

Sol: $c_1 n^2 \leq h(n) \leq c_2 n^2$

In upper bound $h(n)$ is $\Theta(n^2)$

In lower bound $h(n)$ is $\Omega(n^2)$

upper bound ($O(n^2)$):

$$h(n) = 4n^2 + 3n$$

$$h(n) \leq c_2 n^2$$

$$4n^2 + 3n \leq c_2 n^2$$

$$4n^2 + 3n \leq 5n^2$$

let $c_2 = 5$

Divide both sides by n^2

$$4 + 3/n \leq 5$$

$$h(n) = 4n^2 + 3n \text{ is } O(n^2) \quad (c_2 = 5, n_0 \geq 1)$$

lower bound:

$$h(n) = 4n^2 + 3n$$

$$h(n) \geq c_1 n^2$$

$$4n^2 + 3n \geq c_1 n^2$$

let's $c_1 = 4 \Rightarrow 4n^2 + 3n \geq 4n^2$

Divide both sides by n^2

$$4 + \frac{3}{n} \geq 4$$

$$h(n) = 4n^2 + 3n \quad (c_1 = 4, n_0 \geq 1)$$

$$h(n) = 4n^2 + 3n \text{ is } \Theta(n^2)$$

- ⑧ let $f(n) = n^3 - 2n^2 + n$ and $g(n) = -n^2$ show whether $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$ is true or false and justify your answer.

Sol:

$$f(n) \geq c g(n)$$

substituting $f(n)$ and $g(n)$ into this inequality we get

$$n^3 - 2n^2 + n \geq c(-n^2)$$

find c and n_0 holds $n \geq n_0$

$$n^3 - 2n^2 + n \geq -cn^2$$

$$n^3 - 2n^2 + n \geq c \cdot n^2 \geq 0$$

$$n^3 + (c-2)n^2 + n \geq 0$$

$$n^3 + (c-2)n^2 + n \geq 0 \quad (n^3 \geq 0)$$

$$n^3 + (1-2)n^2 + n = n^3 - n^2 + n \geq 0 \quad (c=2)$$

$$f(n) = n^3 - 2n^2 + n \text{ is } \Omega(g(n)) = \Omega(-n^2)$$

Therefore the statement $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$ is true.

Q) Determine whether $h(n) = n \log n + n$ is $\Theta(n \log n)$ prove a rigorous proof for your conclusion

Sol: $c_1 \cdot n \log n \leq h(n) \leq c_2 n \log n$

upper bound:

$$h(n) \leq c_2 n \log n$$

$$h(n) = n \log n + n$$

$$n \log n + n \leq c_2 n \log n$$

Divide both sides by $n \log n$

$$1 + \frac{n}{n \log n} \leq c_2$$

$$1 + \frac{1}{\log n} \leq c_2 \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$1 + \frac{1}{\log n} \leq 2 \quad (c_2 = 2)$$

Then $h(n)$ is $O(n \log n)$ ($c_2 = 2, n_0 = 2$)

lower bound:

$$h(n) \geq c_1 \cdot n \log n$$

$$h(n) = n \log n + n$$

$$n \log n + n \geq c_1 n \log n$$

Divide both sides by $n \log n$

$$1 + \frac{n}{n \log n} \geq c_1$$

$$1 + \frac{1}{\log n} \geq c_1 \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$1 + \frac{1}{\log n} \geq 1 \quad (c_1 = 1)$$

$$\frac{1}{\log n} \geq 0 \text{ for all } n > 1$$

$h(n)$ is $\Omega(n \log n)$ ($c_1 = 1, n_0 = 1$)

$h(n) = n \log n + n$ is $\Theta(n \log n)$

- ⑩ Solve the following Recurrence relations and find the order of growth for solutions $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2$, $T(1) = 1$

Sol:

$$T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2, T(1) = 1$$

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$$

$$a=4, b=2, f(n)=n^2$$

applying master Theorem

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$$

$$f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - 1}) \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \epsilon > 0 \\ T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a}) \end{array} \right)$$

$$f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a}), \text{ then } T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a} \log n)$$

$$f(n) = \Omega(n^{\log_b a + 1}), \text{ then } T(n) = f(n)$$

calculating $\log_b a$:

$$\log_b a = \log_2 4 = 2$$

$$f(n) = n^2 = O(n^2)$$

$$f(n) = O(n^2) = O(n^{\log_b a}), \text{ (case 2)}$$

$$f(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2$$

$$T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a} \log n) = O(n^2 \log n)$$

order of growth

$$T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2 \text{ with } T(1) = 1 \text{ is } O(n^2 \log n)$$