

3. a) $f(n) \notin O(g(n))$ & $f(n) \notin \omega(g(n)) \Rightarrow f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$

False. Consider $f(n) = \begin{cases} e^n & n \text{ is even} \\ 1 & n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$
 $g(n) = n$

~~$f(n) \notin \Theta(g(n))$~~ It is evident that $f(n) \notin O(g(n))$
 & $f(n) \notin \omega(g(n))$ as $\forall c > 0$, there exists no
 $n_0 > 0$ st $0 < f(n) < cg(n)$ or $0 \leq cg(n) < f(n)$
 $\forall n \geq n_0$.

Also, \exists no $c_1, c_2 > 0$ & $n_0 > 0$ st $0 \leq c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n) \forall n \geq n_0$ as $f(n)$ toggles
 between 1 & e^n based on parity (even/odd).
 $\therefore f(n) \notin \Theta(g(n))$.

b) $f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$ & $h(n) \in \Theta(g(n)) \Rightarrow \frac{f(n)}{h(n)} \in \Theta(1)$

$\exists c_1, n_0 > 0 \cdot 0 \leq f(n) \leq c_1 g(n) \quad \forall n \geq n_0$ (premise)
 $\exists c_2, n_1 > 0 \cdot 0 \leq h(n) \leq c_2 g(n) \quad \forall n \geq n_1$

$$\frac{f(n)}{h(n)} \leq \frac{c_1 g(n)}{c_2 g(n)} \leq c_3 (1) \quad [c_3 \geq \frac{c_1}{c_2}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(n)}{h(n)} \in O(1) \quad (1)$$

Similarly, $\exists c_4, n_2 > 0 \cdot 0 \leq c_4 g(n) \leq f(n) \quad \forall n \geq n_2$ (premise)
 $\exists c_5, n_3 > 0 \cdot 0 \leq c_5 g(n) \leq h(n) \quad \forall n \geq n_3$

$$\frac{f(n)}{h(n)} \geq \frac{c_4 g(n)}{c_5 g(n)} \geq c_6 (1) \quad [c_6 \leq \frac{c_4}{c_5}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(n)}{h(n)} \in \Omega(1) \quad (2)$$

From (1) & (2), $\frac{f(n)}{h(n)} \in \Theta(1)$. □

$$c) f(n) \in \Theta(g(n)) \Rightarrow 2^{f(n)} \in \Theta(2^{g(n)})$$

False.

$$\text{Let } f(n) = \log n^2 \text{ \& } g(n) = \log n.$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\log n^2}{\log n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \log n}{\log n} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{2^{f(n)}}{2^{g(n)}} = \frac{2^{\log n^2}}{2^{\log n}} = \frac{n^2}{n} = n$$

$$\text{Let } p(n) = n^2 \text{ \& } q(n) = n \text{ \& } p(n) \notin \Theta(q(n))$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{p(n)}{q(n)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2}{n} = \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow p(n) \in \omega(q(n))$$

$$\Rightarrow p(n) \notin O(q(n))$$

$$\Rightarrow p(n) \notin \Theta(q(n))$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^{f(n)} \notin \Theta(2^{g(n)})$$

[Relationships b/w order notations from class]

$$d) \min(f(n), g(n)) \in \Theta\left(\frac{f(n)g(n)}{f(n)+g(n)}\right)$$

Assume $\min(f(n), g(n)) = f(n)$ w/o loss of generality.

$$\text{Let } h(n) = \frac{f(n)g(n)}{f(n)+g(n)}$$

$$\exists c_1, c_2, n_0 > 0 \cdot 0 \leq c_1 h(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 h(n) \quad \forall n \geq n_0$$

[premise]

$$\frac{1}{2} f(n) = \frac{f(n)}{2} \cdot \frac{g(n)}{g(n)} \leq \frac{f(n)g(n)}{f(n)+g(n)}$$

$\forall n > 0$

[$f(n) \leq g(n)$]

$$\Rightarrow f(n) \leq 2h(n)$$

\therefore for $c_1 = 2$ & $n_0 = 1$, since $\exists c_2 > 0, n_0 > 0 \cdot 0 \leq f(n) \leq c_2 h(n)$
 $\forall n \geq n_0, f(n) \in O(h(n))$ (1)

$$\text{Also, } \frac{f(n)g(n)}{f(n)+g(n)} \leq \frac{f(n)\cancel{g(n)}}{\cancel{g(n)}} = f(n) \quad [f(n) \geq 0]$$

$$\therefore \text{ for } c_2 = 1 \text{ \& } n_0 = 1, \text{ since } \exists c_2, n_0 > 0 \cdot 0 \leq c_2 g(n) \leq f(n) \\ \forall n \geq n_0, f(n) \in \Omega(h(n)). \quad (2)$$

$$\text{From (1) \& (2),} \\ f(n) \in \Theta(h(n))$$

$$\text{Similarly for } \min(f(n), g(n)) = g(n), g(n) \in \Theta(h(n)).$$

$$\therefore \min(f(n), g(n)) = \Theta\left(\frac{f(n)g(n)}{f(n)+g(n)}\right). \quad \square$$