

1.

Using Figure 2.4 as a model, illustrate the operation of merge sort on the array  $A = \langle 3, 41, 52, 26, 38, 57, 9, 49 \rangle$ .

2.

Describe a  $\Theta(n \lg n)$ -time algorithm that, given a set  $S$  of  $n$  integers and another integer  $x$ , determines whether or not there exist two elements in  $S$  whose sum is exactly  $x$ .

3. Following code segment is the JAVA implementation of Binary Search,

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int binarySearch(int arr[], int l, int r, int x)
{
    if (r >= l)
    {
        int mid = l + (r - l)/2;

        if (arr[mid] == x)
            return mid;

        if (arr[mid] > x)
            return binarySearch(arr, l, mid-1, x);

        return binarySearch(arr, mid+1, r, x);
    }
    return -1;
}
```

The time complexity of all divide-and-conquer algorithms can be expressed using following recurrence:

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} \Theta(1) & \text{if } n \leq c, \\ aT(n/b) + D(n) + C(n) & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Binary search is a divide-and-conquer algorithm, determine the values of constants  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$ , and the orders of growth of  $C(n)$  and  $D(n)$ .

4.

For recurrence  $T(n) = \begin{cases} 1, & n = 1 \\ 2T(n/2) + n, & n > 1 \end{cases}$ , give the values of  $T(2)$ ,  $T(4)$ ,  $T(8)$ ,  $T(16)$  and  $T(32)$ . Is  $T(n) = n(\lg n + 1)$  true for  $n = 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32$ ?

5.

Use the recursion tree to solve recurrence  $T(n) = \begin{cases} 1, & n = 1 \\ 5T(n/5) + n, & n > 1 \end{cases}$ .