

ANALYTICAL QUESTIONS-1

1) Solve the following recurrence relations

a) $x(n) = x(n-1) + 5$ for $n > 1$ $x(1) = 0$

Given

$$x(n) = x(n-1) + 5$$

$$x(1) = 0 \text{ [For } n=1]$$

For $n = 2$:

$$\begin{aligned} x(2) &= x(2-1) + 5 \\ &= x(1) + 5 \\ &= 0 + 5 = 5 \end{aligned}$$

For $n = 3$

$$\begin{aligned} x(3) &= x(3-1) + 5 \\ &= x(2) + 5 \\ &= 5 + 5 = 10 \end{aligned}$$

For $n = 4$

$$\begin{aligned} x(4) &= x(4-1) + 5 \\ &= x(3) + 5 \\ &= 10 + 5 = 15 \end{aligned}$$

For $n = 5$

$$\begin{aligned} x(5) &= x(5-1) + 5 \\ &= x(4) + 5 \\ &= 15 + 5 = 20 \end{aligned}$$

From the pattern we can observe:

$$x(n) = x(n-1) + 5 \quad = \quad x(n) = 0 + 5(n-1)$$

$$x(n) = 5(n-1)$$

The General form for the eqn:

$$x(n) = x(1) + (n-1) \cdot d$$

$$x(n) = 0 + (n-1) \cdot 5$$

$$\therefore \boxed{x(n) = 5(n-1)}$$

b) $x(n) = 3x(n-1)$ for $n > 1$ $x(1) = 4$

Given

$$x(n) = 3x(n-1)$$

For $n = 1$:

$$x(1) = 4$$

For $n = 2$:

$$x(2) = 3x(2-1)$$

$$= 3x(1)$$

$$= 3 \cdot 4 = 12$$

For $n = 3$

$$x(3) = 3x(3-1)$$

$$= 3x(2)$$

$$= 3 \cdot 12 = 36$$

For $n = 4$

$$x(4) = 3x(4-1)$$

$$= 3x(3)$$

$$= 3 \cdot 36 = 108$$

The General Form of eqn:

$$x(n) = 3x(n-1)$$

$$= 3^{n-1} \cdot x(1)$$

$$= 3^{n-1} \cdot 4$$

$$\therefore \boxed{x(n) = 4 \cdot 3^{n-1}}$$

c) $x(n) = x(n/2) + n$ for $n > 1$ $x(1) = 1$ (solve for $n = 2k$)

Given

$$x(n) = x(n/2) + n$$

$$x(1) = 1$$

$$n = 2k$$

$$x(2k) = x\left(\frac{2k}{2}\right) + 2k$$

$$x(2k) = x(k) + 2k$$

Sub $k=1$

$$T(2 \cdot 1) = T(1) + 2(1)$$

$$= 1 + 2$$

$$T(2) = 3$$

Sub $k=2$

$$T(2 \cdot 2) = T(2) + 2(2)$$

$$T(4) = 3 + 4 = 7$$

Sub $k=3$

$$T(2 \cdot 3) = T(3) + 2(3)$$

$$T(6) = T(3) + 6$$

\therefore The general eq for given equation

$$T(2k) = T(k) + 2k$$

d) $T(n) = T(n/3) + 1$ for $n > 1$ $T(1) = 1$ (solve for $n = 3k$)

Given

$$T(n) = T(n/3) + 1$$

$$n = 3k$$

$$T(3k) = T\left(\frac{3k}{3}\right) + 1$$

$$T(3k) = T(k) + 1$$

Sub $k=1$

$$T(3 \cdot 1) = T(1) + 1$$

$$= 1 + 1$$

$$= 2$$

Sub $k=2$

$$T(3 \cdot 2) = T(2) + 1$$

$$T(6) = T(2) + 1$$

\therefore The General equation for

$$T(3k) = 1 + \log_3(k)$$

2) evaluate the following recurrences completely

(i) $T(n) = T(n/2) + 1$, where $n = 2^k$ for all $k \geq 0$

Given $n = 2^k$, i.e. $k = \log n$

$$T(2k) = T\left(\frac{2k}{2}\right) + 1$$

$$T(2k) = T(k) + 1$$

$$T(2 \cdot k) = T(k/2) + 2 \quad (\text{if } k \text{ is even})$$

$$T(2 \cdot k) = T(k-1/2) + 2 \quad (\text{if } k \text{ is odd})$$

$$T(2 \cdot k) = T(1 \cdot k)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Reccurences} \Rightarrow \boxed{T(n) = \Theta(\log n)}$$

(ii) $T(n) = T(n/3) + T(2n/3) + cn$, where 'c' is a constant and 'n' is the input size.

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

$$a = 2, \quad b = 3, \quad f(n) = cn$$

Master's theorem

$$f(n) = O(n^c) \quad \text{where } c < \log_b a$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n \log_b a)$$

$$f(n) = \Theta(n \log_b a)$$

Then

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

$$f(n) = \Omega(n^c)$$

$$\text{where } c > \log_b a, \quad aT\left(\frac{n}{b}\right) \leq k f(n)$$

$$\text{for } k < 1$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(f(n))$$

$$\text{find } \log_b a = \log_3 2$$

$$f(n) = cn = n \log_a b$$

Recurrence Relation $\Rightarrow T(n) = O(n)$.

3) consider the following recursion algorithm

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Min1(A[0...n-1])
if n=1 return A[0]
else temp = Min1(A[0...n-2])
    if temp <= A[n-1] return temp
    else
        Return A[n-1]
    
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a) what does algorithm compute?

\Rightarrow This algorithm computes the minimum element in an array A of size using a recursive approach.

\Rightarrow Recursive Case:

* If the array has more than one element ($n > 1$) min element in subarray consisting of first $(n-1)$ elements.

* The result of this recursive call ("Temp") is then compared to the last element of the current array segment ("A[n-1]").

* The function returns the smaller of these two values.

b) Setup a recurrence relation for the algorithm's basic operation count and solve it.

$T(n)$ = No of basic operations

if $n=1$ then $T(1) = 0$

" $T(n) = T(n-1) + 1$ " is the recurrence relation.

$$T(1) = 0$$

$$T(2) = T(2-1) + 1$$

$$= T(1) + 1$$

$$= 0 + 1 = 1$$

$$T(3) = T(3-1) + 1$$

$$= 1 + 1 = 2$$

$$T(4) = T(4-1) + 1$$

$$= T(3) + 1$$

$$= 2 + 1 = 3,$$

$$T(n) = n-1$$

\therefore Time complexity = $O(n)$, where n = size of array

4) Analyze the order of growth

(i) $F(n) = 2n^2 + 5$ and $g(n) = 7n$. Use the $\Omega(g(n))$ notation.

$$F(n) = 2n^2 + 5$$

$$g(n) = 7n$$

$$\text{if } n=1 \Rightarrow f(n) = 2(1)^2 + 5 \\ = 7$$

$$g(n) = 7(1) \\ = 7$$

$$n=2 \Rightarrow f(n) = 2(2)^2 + 5 \\ = 13$$

$$g(n) = 7(2) \\ = 14$$

$$n=3$$

$$\Rightarrow f(n) = 2(3)^2 + 5 \\ = 23$$

$$g(n) = 7(3) \\ = 21$$

$$n=4 \Rightarrow f(n) = 2(4)^2 + 5 \\ = 2(16) + 5 \\ = 37$$

$$g(n) = 7(4) \\ = 28$$

$F(n) \geq g(n) \cdot c$ condition satisfies at $n=1$
onwards so the $\Omega(n)$ is the occurrence of n .

\therefore Time complexity is $\Omega(n)$