

Assignment : 1

Q.1) * Asymptotic notations are mathematical tools used for analysis of algorithms that describe their behaviour.

* They provide a way to express the time and space complexity of an algorithm.

1) Big O : Represents the upper bound of an algo.

ex - If an algo. has time complexity of $O(n^2)$, it means its worst-case running time grows quadratically with input size.

2) Omega Ω : Represents the lower bound of algo.

ex - If an algo has time complexity of $\Omega(n)$ it means its best-case running time grows linearly with input size.

3) Theta notation Θ : Represents range [both upper and lower bound].

ex - If an algo. has a time complexity of $\Theta(n)$, it means its running time grows linearly with input size, both best and worst cases.

Q.2) for ($i = 1$ to n) — $1, 2, 4, 8, 16 \dots \frac{n}{2} \dots n$
 $i = i * 2;$

$$2^k \geq n$$

taking log on both sides
 $k \geq \log_2(n)$

Complexity $= O(\log_2 n)$

Q.3)
$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 3T(n-1) & \text{if } n > 0 \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$T(0) = 1$$

$$T(1) = 3T(0) = 3(1) = 3$$

$$T(2) = 3T(1) = 3(3) = 9$$

$$T(n) = 3^n$$

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

\therefore complexity $= O(3^n)$

$$Q.4) T(n) = \begin{cases} 2T(n-1) - 1 & \text{if } n > 0 \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$T(0) = 1$$

$$T(1) = 2T(0) - 1 = 2(1) - 1 = 1$$

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

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

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$$T(n) = 1$$

$$\text{Complexity} = O(1)$$

Q.5) int $i = 1$, $s = 1$; — (1)
 while ($s \leq n$)

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    i++;
    s = s + i;
    print("#");
}

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$i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots$
 $s = 1, 3, 6, 10, 15, \dots, n$

$$s = \frac{i(i+1)}{2}$$

$$\frac{i(i+1)}{2} \leq n$$

$$i(i+1) \leq 2n$$

$$i^2 + i - 2n \leq 0$$

$$\therefore i < \frac{-1 + \sqrt{1 + 8n}}{2}$$

$$\text{complexity} = O(\sqrt{n})$$

Q. 6) void function (int n)

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int i, count = 0;
for (i = 1; i * i <= n; i++)
    count++
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i = 1, 2, 3, 4, ... \sqrt{n}
 $i^2 = 1, 4, 9, 16, \dots, n^2$

$$\text{complexity} = O(\sqrt{n})$$

Q.7) void function (int n)

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    int i, j, k, count = 0;
    n/2 — for (i = n/2; i <= n; i = i * 2)
    log2(n) — for (j = 1; j <= n; j = j * 2)
    log2(n) — for (k = 1; k <= n; k = k * 2)
                count++
    }

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$$\frac{n}{2} \times \log_2(n) \times \log_2(n)$$

complexity $= O(n \log^2(n))$

Q.8) function (int n) — T(n)

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    if (n == 1) return;
    for (i = 1 to n) { — n
        for (j = 1 to n) { — n^2
            print ("*"); — n^2
        }
    }
}

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function (n-3); — T(n-3)

$$T(n) = O(n^2) + T(n-3)$$

T.C = $O(n^2)$

Q.9) void function (int n)

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{
  for (i = 1 to n) {
    for (j = 1; j <= n; j = j + i)
      print ("*")
  }
}

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i = 1, 2, 3, 4, ...
j = 1, 3, 6, 10, ...

i = 1, n times
i = 2, $\frac{n}{2}$ times
i = 3, $\frac{n}{3}$ times

$$1 + \frac{n}{2} + \frac{n}{3} + \dots + 1$$

complexity = $O(n \log n)$

Q.10) n^k ($k \geq 1$) c^n ($c > 1$)

~~nk~~ c^n grows faster than n^k .