

CISS350: Data Structures and Advanced Algorithms
Quiz q10205

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Note that **answercode** is for writing code/pseudocode/simple answers and does not require mathematical notation. For **answerlong**, you can enter \LaTeX code for mathematical notation. Some incomplete/wrong answers are included in the **answerlong** – you will need make modifications.

Here are some pointers on writing math \LaTeX code:

1. For “inline math mode”, use $\$ \dots \$$. Example: $\$x = 42 + y\$$ gives you $x = 42 + y$. (Mathematical expressions have their own spacing, special symbols, and are in italics.)
2. For “display math mode”, use $\backslash[\dots \backslash]$. Example: $\backslash[x = 42 \backslash]$ gives you

$$x = 42$$

(Display math mode is used for emphasis.)

3. Here’s how you do fractions: $\$ \backslash \text{frac}\{1\}\{2\} \$$ gives you $\frac{1}{2}$.
4. Here’s how you do subscript: $\$ \text{t}_{\{123\}} \$$ gives you t_{123} .
5. Here’s how you do superscript: $\$ \text{n}^{\{123\}} \$$ gives you n^{123} .
6. Here’s how you do log: $\$ \backslash \text{lg } n \$$ gives you $\lg n$.
7. Example: $\$ T(n) = \backslash \text{frac}\{1\}\{2\} \text{t}_{\{42\}} \text{n}^3 \backslash \text{lg } n = A \text{n}^3 \backslash \text{lg } n = O(\text{n}^3 \backslash \text{lg } n) \$$ gives you $T(n) = \frac{1}{2}t_{42}n^3 \lg n = An^3 \lg n = O(n^3 \lg n)$.

The above information should be enough for this quiz. For more information on \LaTeX you can go to [my website](#), scroll down to the Tutorials section and click on latex.pdf.

For the following algorithms, state the big-O of the runtime complexity. For each problem the size of the problem is n . You should state your runtimes as big-O of n^k or $\lg n$ or $n^k \lg n$ where k is as small as possible (You do not need to do the math. Just state the big-O.) Unless otherwise stated, recall that “runtime” means “worst runtime”. Also, recall that for recursion runtimes:

1. If the recursive runtime has the form

$$T(n) = T(n/2) + A$$

where A is a constant, then

$$T(n) = O(\lg n)$$

2. And if

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + An + B$$

where A, B are constants, then

$$T(n) = O(n \lg n)$$

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Q1.

```
a = x[0]
for i = 0, 1, 2, ..., n - 1:
    x[i] = a + x[i]
    a = a + 1
```

ANSWER:

$T(n) = O(??)$

Q2.

```
for i = n, n - 1, ..., 1:
    a = rand() % n
    b = rand() % n
    if x[a] > x[b]:
        t = x[a]
        x[a] = x[b]
        x[b] = t
```

ANSWER:

$T(n) = O(??)$

Q3.

```
p = 1
for i = 1, 2, ..., (n - 1)/2:
    p = p * 2
```

ANSWER:

$T(n) = O(??)$

Q4.

```
a = x[0]
for i = 0, 1, 2, ..., n - 1:
    x[i] = a + x[i]
    for j = 0, 1, 2, ..., i:
        x[0] = x[0] + x[i]
    a = a + 1
```

ANSWER:

$T(n) = O(??)$

Q5. State the best runtime:

```
for i = 0, 1, 2, ..., n - 1:
    if x[i] > 0:
        for j = 0, 1, 2, ..., i:
            x[j] = 2 * x[j]
```

ANSWER:

$T(n) = O(??)$

Q6. State the worst runtime:

```
p = 1
for i = 1, 2, 3, ..., n - 1:
    if x[i] == 0:
        for j = 0, 1, 2, ..., i - 1:
            x[i] = 1
        x[i] = x[i] + 2
```

ANSWER:

$T(n) = O(??)$

Q7.

```
int f(int n)
{
    if n <= 3:
        return 42
    else:
        return f(n/2) + 43
}
```

ANSWER:

$T(n) = O(??)$

Q8. The size of the problem is **end - start**.

```
int f(int start, int end)
{
    n = end - start
    if n <= 1:
        return 0
    else:
        mid = n / 2
        if mid is even:
            return f(start, mid) + 42
        else:
            return f(mid, end) + 43
}
```

ANSWER:

 $T(n) = O(??)$ Q9. The size of the problem is `end - start`.

```
int f(int start, int end)
{
    n = end - start
    if n <= 1:
        return start % 2
    else:
        mid = n / 2
        left = f(start, mid)
        right = f(mid, end)
        s = 0
        for i = 1, ..., n:
            s += mid
        return left + right + s
}
```

ANSWER:

 $T(n) = O(??)$

INSTRUCTIONS

In the file `thispreamble.tex` look for

```
\renewcommand\AUTHOR{}
```

and enter your email address:

```
\renewcommand\AUTHOR{jdoe5@cougars.ccis.edu}
```

(This is not really necessary since alex will change that for you when you execute `make`.) In your bash shell, execute “`make`” to recompile `main.pdf`. Execute “`make v`” to view `main.pdf`.

Enter your answers in `main.tex`. In the bash shell, execute “`make`” to recompile `main.pdf`. Execute “`make v`” to view `main.pdf`.

For each question, you’ll see boxes for you to fill. For small boxes, if you see

```
1 + 1 = \answerbox{}
```

you do this:

```
1 + 1 = \answerbox{2}
```

`answerbox` will also appear in “true/false” and “multiple-choice” questions.

For longer answers that need typewriter font, if you see

```
Write a C++ statement that declares an integer variable name x.
\begin{answercode}
\end{answercode}
```

you do this:

```
Write a C++ statement that declares an integer variable name x.
\begin{answercode}
int x;
\end{answercode}
```

`answercode` will appear in questions asking for code, algorithm, and program output. In this case, indentation and spacing is significant. For program output, I do look at spaces and newlines.

For long answers (not in typewriter font) if you see

```
What is the color of the sky?
\begin{answerlong}
\end{answerlong}
```

you can write

```
What is the color of the sky?
\begin{answerlong}
The color of the sky is blue.
\end{answerlong}
```

A question that begins with “T or F or M” requires you to identify whether it is true or false, or meaningless. “Meaningless” means something’s wrong with the question and it is not well-defined. Something like “ $1 + 2 = 4$ ” is either true or false (of course it’s false). Something like “ $1+2 = 4?$ ” does not make sense.

When writing results of computations, make sure it’s simplified. For instance write 2 instead of $1 + 1$.

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For students beyond 245: You can put L^AT_EX commands in `answerlong`.

More examples of meaningless statements: Questions such as “Is $42 = 1+2$ true or false?” or “Is $42 = \{2\}^{\{3\}}$ true or false?” does not make sense. “Is $P(42) = \{42\}$ true or false?” is meaningless because $P(X)$ is only defined if X is a set. For “Is $1 + 2 + 3$ true or false?”, “ $1 + 2 + 3$ ” is well-defined but as a “numerical expression”, not as a “proposition”, i.e., it cannot be true or false. Therefore “Is $1 + 2 + 3$ true or false?” is also not a well-defined question.

More examples of simplification: When you write down sets, if the answer is $\{1\}$, do not write $\{1, 1\}$. And when the values can be ordered, write the elements of the set in ascending order. When writing polynomials, begin with the highest degree term.

When writing a counterexample, always write the simplest.