

1. (a) Consider  $c := 12 + 11 + 10 = 33$  and  $n_0 := 1$ . Then  $0 \leq 12n^3 + 11n^2 + 10 \leq cn^3$  for all  $n \geq n_0$ .  
 (b) Consider  $c := 1$  and  $n_0 := 1$ . Then  $0 \leq cn^3 \leq 12n^3 + 11n^2 + 10$  for all  $n \geq n_0$ .  
 (c) Follows from parts (a) and (b), i.e., let  $c_1 := 33$ ,  $c_2 := 1$  and  $n_0 := 1$ .  
 (d) Let  $c > 0$  be given. Set  $n_0 > 0$  to be minimal such that  $1000 < c \log n_0$  (i.e.,  $n_0 := 1 + \lfloor e^{1000/c} \rfloor$ ). Then  $0 \leq 1000n < cn \log n$  for all  $n \geq n_0$ .  
 (e) Let  $c > 0$  be given. Set  $n_0 := 21 + c$ . Then, for  $n \geq n_0$ , we have  $n^n = n^{n-20} n^{20} \geq (21+c)^{1+c} n^{20}$ . Since  $(21+c)^{1+c} > c$ , this shows that  $0 \leq cn^{20} < n^n$  for all  $n \geq n_0$ .
2. (a)  $f(n) \in \omega(g(n))$ . Either show directly that the definition of  $\omega$ , or show that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(n)/g(n) = \infty$ .  
 (b)  $f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$ . It suffices to show that both  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  are  $\Theta(n^3)$ .
3. (a) False. Counter example: Consider  $f(n) := n$  and  $g(n) := \begin{cases} 1 & n \text{ odd} \\ n^2 & n \text{ even} \end{cases}$ . To prove the claim false it will be sufficient to show that  $f(n) \notin O(g(n))$  and  $f(n) \notin \Omega(g(n))$ , since then the antecedent of the implication is satisfied while the consequent is not.  
 If  $f(n) \in O(g(n))$ , then there exist constants  $n_0 > 0$  and  $c > 0$  such that  $f(n) \leq cg(n)$  for all  $n \geq n_0$ . But for any odd number  $n_1 > c$  we have  $f(n_1) = n_1 > c = cg(n_1)$ , showing that  $f(n) \notin O(g(n))$ .  
 Similarly, if  $f(n) \in \Omega(g(n))$ , then there exists constants  $n_0 > 0$  and  $c > 0$  such that  $cg(n) \leq f(n)$  for all  $n \geq n_0$ . But for any even number  $n_1 > 1/c$  we have  $cg(n_1) = cn_1^2 > n_1 = f(n_1)$ , showing that  $f(n) \notin \Omega(g(n))$ .  
 (b) True. We will show that  $f(n)g(n)/(f(n)+g(n)) \leq \min(f(n), g(n)) \leq 2f(n)g(n)/(f(n)+g(n))$  for all  $n \geq 1$ . The desired result will then follow from the definition of  $\Theta$  using  $c_1 = 1$ ,  $c_2 = 2$  and  $n_0 = 1$ .  
 For brevity, let  $f$  denote  $f(n)$  and  $g$  denote  $g(n)$ ,  $n \geq n_0$ . By assumption,  $f$  and  $g$  are positive, so  $fg/(f+g) = \min(f, g) \max(f, g)/(f+g)$ , which is less than  $\min(f, g)$  since  $\max(f, g)/(f+g) < 1$ . Similarly,  $\min(f, g) = 2fg/(2 \max(f, g)) \leq 2fg/(f+g)$ .
4. We have  $S(n) = 2S(n) - S(n) = 1 + (\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (1/2^i)) - n/2^n = 2 - (n+2)/2^n$ .
5. (a)  $2^n$ , since each entry can be 0 or 1  
 (b)  $n+1$ , when all entries of  $v[1 \dots n]$  are zero  
 (c)  $S_i$  is the set of boolean vectors of length  $n$  for which the first  $i-1$  entries are 0 and entry  $i$  is 1. We have  $|S_i| = 2^{n-i}$  since the first  $i$  entries of a vector in  $S_i$  are fixed while the last  $n-i$  entries are chosen arbitrarily.

(d) The average case calls to print is

$$\frac{1}{2^n} \left( (n+1) + \sum_{i=1}^n i 2^{n-i} \right) = \frac{n+1}{2^n} + S(n) = 2 - \frac{1}{2^n}.$$

6. To arrive at a contradiction, assume there exists a value of  $n$  for which the code fragment will not terminate. For  $i \geq 0$ , let  $s_i$  be the value of  $s$  after the  $i$ 'th iteration of the loop. Then each  $s_i$  is positive. Observe that during two consecutive iterations of the loop body, the first branch of the if statement will be executed at least once. Then  $s_{i+2} \leq \max(\lfloor \lfloor s_i/4 \rfloor / 4 \rfloor, \lfloor (2s_i)/4 \rfloor, 2\lfloor s_i/4 \rfloor) \leq \lfloor s_i/2 \rfloor \leq s_i - 1$ . Thus  $s_0, s_2, s_4, \dots$  is an infinite, monotonically decreasing sequence of positive integers, a contradiction.

7. We count the number of times that line 6 is executed:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^{3n} \sum_{j=1388}^{2010} \sum_{k=4i}^{6i} 1 &= \sum_{i=1}^{3n} \sum_{j=1388}^{2010} (2i+1) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^{3n} 623(2i+1) \\ &= 1246 \sum_{i=1}^{3n} i + 623 \sum_{i=1}^{3n} 1 = 623(3n)(3n+1) + 1869n \\ &\in \Theta(n^2) \end{aligned}$$

Since line 6 contains only a single primitive operation and takes constant time, the total cost for line 6 is  $\Theta(n^2)$ . The primitive operation in line 1 is executed one time and the one in line 3 is executed  $3n$  times. The total running time is thus  $\Theta(n^2)$ .

8. Consider the heap as a binary tree. The algorithm is based on the following property of a max-heap. For any node  $v$ , if the key stored in  $v$  is strictly less than  $c$ , then all keys in the left and right subtrees of  $v$  are also strictly less than  $c$ .

*Algorithm:* Check if the key at the root is less than  $c$  and if so exit without reporting any integers. If the key at the root is at least  $c$  then report it and make recursive calls on the left and right sub-heaps (sub-trees).

*Running time:* All nodes that are visited that contain a key that is strictly less than  $c$  have a parent node that contains a key that is greater than or equal to  $c$ . Thus, the number of nodes visited that contain a key that is strictly less than  $c$  is at most  $2k$ . The total number of nodes visited is therefore at most  $3k$ . This shows that the running time is  $O(k)$ .