## **Assignment 3**

1) B: 
$$4n^2 + 5n + 2$$

$$D: O(n^2)$$

2) B: 
$$3n^2 + 13n + 3$$

This only happens when the entire array is filled with one number, for ex. [1,1,1,1,1]. When this happens, the nested while loop at most runs once, meaning it runs linearly.

Worst case; 
$$(3n^2)/2 + (11n)/2 + 3$$

This only happens when the array has no duplicates, for ex. [1,2,3,4,5]. This means that the nested while loop will slowly run more and more as the index increases, meaning it must run at quadratic time (nested loop).

C: Best case; everything inside the first while loop (int iResult, if(!duplicate), etc.)

Worst case; everything inside nested while loop (while condition, if(equal), iResult++)

D: Best case; 
$$O(n)$$
 Worst case;  $O(n^2)$ 

4) B: 
$$3n^3 + 6n^2 + 4n + 4$$

$$D: O(n^3)$$

**5)** B: Best case; 
$$(3n^2)/2 + (11n)/2 - 6$$

C: Best case; everything in while loop **EXCEPT** for smallest=next, i.e., while(), if(), next++

This happens when the array is already sorted, so no need to keep changing the "smallest" index to a different one since it is already the smallest.

Worst case; everything in while loop, i.e., while(), if(), smallest=next, next++

This happens most of the time when using selection sort. Due to the fact that no matter what happens, the algorithm will always walk through the array n-1 times. So, while it is worse than the best case, it isn't much different since you are only doing one extra operation in the while loop; changing the "smallest" index a certain number of times.

D: Selection sort has the same best and worst order, therefore both are  $O(n^2)$ 

6) B:  $3nlog_2(n) + 17n - 6$ 

C: Barometer operations; everything in while loop i.e., while(ast<n), cout << "\*", ast++

D: O(nlog<sub>2</sub>n)