

CS 101: Master and Graph Theory

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- Master Method

Example 1:

i. $T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + \frac{n}{\log n}$

ii. compare $\frac{n}{\log n}$ to $n^{\log_2 2}$

iii. case 1: requires $\frac{n}{\log n} = O(n^{1-\epsilon})$

iv. some $\epsilon > 0$ Pick any $\epsilon > 0$ Then

v. $\frac{\frac{n}{\log n}}{n^{1-2}} = \frac{\frac{n}{\log n}}{\frac{n}{n^2}} = \frac{n^2}{\log n} \Rightarrow \infty$

vi. Conclusion: $\frac{n}{\log n} = \omega(n^{1-2})$

vii. Conclusion: $\frac{n}{\log n} \neq O(n^{1-2})$

viii. So maser theorem does not apply!

Excercise: find another example illustrating the gap between case 2 and case 3

Example 2:

i. $T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 1$

ii. case 1: $1 = n^0$ to $n^{\log_2 1} = n^0$

iii. case 2: $T(n) = \Theta(\log n)$

Mergestort Example:

i. $T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n$

ii. compare n to $n^{\log_2 2} = n^1$

iii. case 2: $T(n) = \Theta(n \log n)$

Example 4:

i.

Inversion(A,p,r)

if $p < r$

$$q = \lfloor \frac{p+r}{2} \rfloor$$

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    a=Inversion(A,p,q)
    b=Inversion(A,q+1,r)
    c=Compare(A,p,q,r)
    return a+b+c
else
    return 0

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Compare(A,p,q,r)
count = 0
for i =p to q
    for j = q+1 to r
        if A[i]>A[j]
            count++;
return count

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$$\text{ii. } T(n) = \begin{cases} 0 & n=1 \\ T\left(\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor\right) + T\left(\lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil\right) + \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil & n \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{iii. Simplify: } T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^2$$

$$\text{iv. Compare } n^2 \text{ to } n^{\log_2 2} = n^1$$

$$\text{v. Case 3: Let } \varepsilon = 2 - 1 = 1 > 0, \text{ Then,}$$

$$\text{vi. } n^2 = n^{1+\varepsilon} = n^{\log_2 2 + \varepsilon} = \Omega(n^{\log_2 2 + 2})$$

$$\text{vii. Regular Condition: find } c \text{ in } (0,1) \text{ s.t. } 2\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)^2 \leq cn^2$$

$$\text{viii. } \frac{2}{4}n^2 \leq cn^2$$

$$\text{ix. } \frac{1}{2} \leq c < 1 \quad \text{Pick any such } C$$

$$\text{x. By case 3: } T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$$

- Graph Theory:

- Isomorphism: A function $\phi: V(G_1) \Rightarrow V(G_2)$ iff the following holds:

$$\{x, y \mid \varepsilon E(G_1)\} \text{ iff } \{\phi(x), \phi(y) \mid \varepsilon E(G_2)\}$$

- Let $x \in V(G)$ the degree of x , denoted by $\deg(x)$ is the # of edges incident with x

Note: if $\phi: V(G_1) \Rightarrow V(G_2)$ is an isomorphism, then $\deg(\phi(x)) = \deg(x)$ for any $x \in V(G_1)$

- The degree Sequence at G is a list of its vertices degrees in increasing order

Note: isomorphic graphs have same degree sequence

- LEMMA: Handshake

$$\sum_{x \in V(G)} \deg(x) = 2|E(G)|$$

Proof: Each edge contributes exactly 2 to the sum of the left.