

# Common Complexity Functions

Consider the below complexity functions, where  $k > j > 2$ ,  $b > a > 1$ , and  $c$  is a constant. If a complexity function  $g(n)$  is before complexity function  $f(n)$ , then  $g(n)$  is more efficient than  $f(n)$ .

1.  $f(n) = c$       Constant
2.  $f(n) = \log^* n$       Log-Star
3.  $f(n) = \lg n$       Log
4.  $f(n) = n$       Linear
5.  $f(n) = n \lg n$        $n \text{ Log } n$
6.  $f(n) = n^2$        $n \text{ Squared}$
7.  $f(n) = n^j$        $n \text{ to the } j^{th}$
8.  $f(n) = n^k$        $n \text{ to the } k^{th}$
9.  $f(n) = a^n$        $a \text{ to the } n^{th}$
10.  $f(n) = b^n$        $b \text{ to the } n^{th}$
11.  $f(n) = n!$        $n \text{ Factorial}$
12.  $f(n) = n^n$        $n \text{ to the } n^{th}$