

HW#3

$$2. \log_e n! = \sum_{i=1}^n \log_e i \geq \int_1^n \log_e x \, dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^n \log_e x \, dx &= \int (u \, dv - v \, du) = u \int dv - v \int du \\ u &= \log_e x & dv &= \frac{1}{x} \, dx \\ du &= \frac{1}{x} \, dx & v &= \ln x \\ v &= x & dv &= dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \log_e x \int_1^n \frac{1}{x} \, dx - x \int_1^n \frac{1}{x^2} \, dx \\ &= (\log_e x \cdot x) \Big|_1^n - (x \Big|_1^n) \\ &= n \log_e n - \log_e 1 - (n - 1) \\ &= n \log_e n - n + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$\int_1^n \log_e x \, dx$ have a lower bound of $\Omega(n \log_e n)$

$$3. \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i} \approx \int_1^n \frac{dx}{x} \rightarrow \int_1^n \frac{1}{x} \, dx = \log_e x \Big|_1^n$$

$$= \log_e n - \log_e 1$$

$$= \log_e n$$

\therefore As $n \rightarrow \infty$, $\log_e(\infty) = \infty$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^2} \approx \int_1^n \frac{dx}{x^2} \rightarrow \int_1^n \frac{1}{x^2} \, dx = -\frac{1}{x} \Big|_1^n$$

$$= -\frac{1}{n} - (-1)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{n}$$

\therefore As $n \rightarrow \infty$, $1 - \frac{1}{\infty} = 1$

$$4. a) T(n) = T(n-1) + (n-1) \text{ where } T(2) = 1 \dots (1)$$

@ $n = n-1$,

$$T(n-1) = T(n-1-1) + (n-1-1)$$

$$T(n-1) = T(n-2) + (n-2)$$

\therefore Plug into eq. (1)

$$T(n) = [T(n-2) + (n-2)] + (n-1) \dots (2)$$

@ $n = n-2$

$$T(n-2) = T(n-2-1) + (n-2-1)$$

$$= T(n-3) + (n-3)$$

\therefore Plug into eq. (2)

$$T(n) = [[T(n-3) + (n-3)] + (n-2)] + (n-1)$$

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Algorithm Analysis

$$T(n) = T(n-3) + (n-3) + (n-2) + (n-1)$$

$$= T(n-3) + \sum_{i=1}^{n-3} (n-i)$$

$$T(n) = T(n-k) + \sum_{i=1}^k (n-i)$$

We know $T(2) = 1$

$$n-k = 2 \rightarrow k = n-2$$

$$T(n) = T(n-(n-2)) + \sum_{i=1}^{n-2} (n-i)$$

$$= T(2) + (n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + (n-(n-2))$$

$$= 1 + (n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + 2$$

$$\therefore \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} i = (n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + 1 = \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$$

b) $T(n) = T\left(\left\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \right\rfloor\right) + 1$ where $T(1) = 1$ and $n = 2^k - 1 \dots \textcircled{1}$

@ $n = \frac{n}{2}$

$$T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) = T\left(\left\lfloor \frac{n}{4} \right\rfloor\right) + 1$$

\therefore Plug into eq $\textcircled{1}$

$$T(n) = \left[T\left(\left\lfloor \frac{n}{4} \right\rfloor\right) + 1 \right] + 1$$

$$= T\left(\left\lfloor \frac{n}{4} \right\rfloor\right) + 2 \dots \textcircled{2}$$

@ $n = \frac{n}{4}$

$$T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) = T\left(\left\lfloor \frac{n}{8} \right\rfloor\right) + 1$$

\therefore plug into eq $\textcircled{2}$

$$T(n) = \left[T\left(\left\lfloor \frac{n}{8} \right\rfloor\right) + 1 \right] + 2$$

$$= T\left(\left\lfloor \frac{n}{8} \right\rfloor\right) + 3 \dots \textcircled{3}$$

We know $T(1) = 1$ and $n = 2^k - 1$

From $\textcircled{1}$, $\textcircled{2}$, $\textcircled{3}$ we get $T(n) = T\left(\left\lfloor \frac{n}{2^k} \right\rfloor\right) + k$

\therefore @ $n = 2^k$

$$T(2^k) = T\left(\frac{2^k}{2^k}\right) + k = T(1) + k = 1 + k$$

where $k = \log_2 n + 1$ $= 1 + \log_2 n$

$$k \propto \log_2 n$$