

CS/DSA 4413 Algorithm Analysis
Homework-4, Due on Feb 14, 2019

1) Solve the following recurrences: (30- points)

a) $T(n) = 3 T(n/2) + 5n, n = 2^k, T(1) = 1$

b) $T(n) = 4 T(n/2) + n, n = 2^k, T(1) = 1$

c) $T(n) = T(\sqrt{n}) + 1, n = 2^{2^k}, T(2) = 1$

Note: Use substitution method and show all steps

2) a) If $10 = 2^X$, find X. Compute the value of $Y = 2^{2^{2^2}}$ (15- points)

b) Define $\log_2^{(k)} n = \log(\log(\log \dots (\log n) \dots))$ (repeated k times) The least value of k such that $\log_2^{(k)} n$ is called $\log^* n$. Find value of $\log^* Y$ where Y is defined in 2 a).

c) Find $\log_2^* n$ where $n = 10^{12}$.