

Direct Way to Find to Find and Compare Growths

- ① Ignore Lower Order Terms
- ② Ignore Leading Term Constant

Examples: $f(n) = 2n^2 + n + 6$, Order of Growth: n^2 (Quadratic)

$g(n) = 100n + 3$, Order of Growth: n (Linear)

How do we compare terms?

$$c < \log \log n < \log n < n^{1/3} < n^{1/2} < n \\ < n^2 < n^3 < n^4 < 2^n < n^n$$