

Practice Problems

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$$\textcircled{1} \quad f(n) = n - 10 \quad g(n) = n + 10 \\ f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad f(n) = n \quad g(n) = n \\ f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad 64^{\log_2 n} \cdot 32^{\log_2 n} = \Theta(n^5)$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \frac{4^n}{2^n} = \Theta(2^n)$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad 128^{\log_2 n} \cdot n^2 = \Theta(n^9)$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \underline{f(n) = n - 10} \quad \underline{g(n) = n + 10} \\ \underline{f(n) = \Theta(g(n))}$$

Note: - $f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n)$ & $f(n) \geq c \cdot g(n)$ i.e. Both Big O and Big Omega

Big O

$$f(n) = c \cdot g(n)$$

$$n - 10 \leq c \cdot n + 10$$

$$n - 10 \leq n + 10 \quad \text{when } c = 1$$

Since L.H.S is less than R.H.S

Big O is true

Omega

$$f(n) \geq c \cdot g(n)$$

$$n - 10 \geq n + 10$$

$$n - 10 \geq \frac{n + 10}{2}$$

$$\text{when } c = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\therefore f(n) = \Theta(g(n)) \rightarrow$ True Omega

$$\textcircled{2} \quad f(n) = n \quad g(n) = n \\ f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$$

Big O

$$n \leq c \cdot n$$

$$n \leq n \quad \text{when } c = 1$$

Big O \rightarrow True

Omega

$$n \geq c \cdot n$$

$$n \geq n \quad \text{when } c = 1$$

Omega \rightarrow True

Hence $f(n) = \Theta(g(n)) \rightarrow$ True.

③ $64^{\log_2 n} \cdot 32^{\log_2 n} = O(n^5)$

$n \log_2 64 \cdot n \log_2 32 = O(n^5)$

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$n^6 \cdot n^5 = O(n^5)$

$n'' = O(n^5)$

Big O

$f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n)$

$n'' \leq c \cdot n^5$

$n'' \leq n^6 \cdot n^5$ when $c = n^6 \rightarrow$ where n is not

$= n'' \leq n''$ a constant,

\therefore It is false. [Big O \rightarrow False]

④ $\frac{4^n}{2^n} = O(2^n)$

$= \frac{2^n \times 2^n}{2^n} = O(2^n)$

Big O

$2^n \leq c \cdot 2^n$

$2^n \leq 2^n$ when $c = 1$

Big O \rightarrow True

⑤ $128^{\log_2 n} \cdot n^2 = O(n^9)$

~~$n \log_2 128 \cdot n^2 \leq c \cdot n^9$~~

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~~$n^7 \cdot n^2 \leq n^9$~~

Big O \nless

$128^{\log_2 n} \cdot n^2 \geq c \cdot n^9$

$n \log_2 128 \cdot n^2 \geq c \cdot n^9$

$n^7 \cdot n^2 \geq n^9$

$n^9 \geq n^9$

True \nless

$128^{\log_2 n} \cdot n^2 = O(n^9) \rightarrow$ True