

Assignment 1

Q.1. In each of the following situations, indicate whether $f = O(g)$ or $f = \Omega(g)$ or both ($f = \Theta(g)$)

a. $f(n) = n - 100$
 $g(n) = n - 200$

$\rightarrow f = O(g)$
 $g = O(f)$ or $f = \Omega(g)$

Therefore, $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$

b. $f(n) = n^{1/2}$
 $g(n) = n^{2/3}$

$\rightarrow n^{1/2} < n^{2/3}$

Therefore $f(n) = O(g(n))$

c. $f(n) = 100n + 10 \log n$, $g(n) = n + (\log n)^2$

\rightarrow both are $O(n)$ that is $f = O(g)$ and $g = O(f)$

Therefore $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$

d. $f(n) = n \log n$, $g(n) = 10n \log 10n$

$\rightarrow f = O(g)$ and $g = O(f)$ or $f = \Omega(g)$

Therefore $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$

$$e. f(n) = \log 2n, \quad g(n) = \log 3n$$

$$\Rightarrow f(n) = \log 2 + \log n$$

$$g(n) = \log 3 + \log n$$

Therefore $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$

$$f. f(n) = 50 \log n, \quad g(n) = \log(n^2)$$

$$g(n) = 2 \cdot \log n$$

Both are $O(n \log n)$ that is $f = O(g)$ and $g = O(f)$

Therefore $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$

$$g. f(n) = n^{1.01}, \quad g(n) = n \log^2 n$$

$f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$

$$h) f(n) = n^2 / \log n, \quad g(n) = n (\log n)^2$$

$f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$

$$I) f(n) = n^{0.1}, \quad g(n) = (\log n)^{20}$$

$f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$

$$J) f(n) = (\log n)^{\log n}, \quad g(n) = n / \log n$$

$$f(n) = n^{\log \log n}$$

Therefore $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$

$$K. f(n) = \sqrt{n} \quad , \quad g(n) = (\log n)^3$$

$$\text{Let } n = 2^k$$

$$f(n) = 2^{k/2}$$

$$g(n) = k^3$$

$$\text{Therefore } \underline{\underline{f(n) = \Omega(g(n))}}$$

$$L. f(n) = n^{1/2} \quad , \quad g(n) = 5^{\log_2 n}$$

$$g(n) = n^{\log_2 5} \approx n^{2.32}$$

$$n^{1/2} < n^{2.32}$$

$$\text{Therefore } \underline{\underline{f(n) = O(g(n))}}$$

$$M. f(n) = n 2^n \quad , \quad g(n) = 3^n$$

$$- 2^n < 3^n$$

$$\text{Therefore } \underline{\underline{f(n) = O(g(n))}}$$

$$N. f(n) = n 2^n \quad , \quad g(n) = 3^n$$

$$f = O(g)$$

$$g = O(f) \text{ or } f = \Omega(g)$$

$$\text{Therefore } \underline{\underline{f(n) = \Theta(g(n))}}$$

$$O. f(n) = n! \quad , \quad g(n) = 2^n$$

$$n! = \Theta(n \log n)$$

$$\text{Therefore } \underline{\underline{f(n) = \Omega(g(n))}}$$

Q.4) Is there a faster way to compute the n^{th} Fibonacci Number than by fib2? One idea involves matrices

We start by writing the equation $F_1 = F_1$ and $F_2 = F_0 + F_1$ in Matrix notation.

$$\begin{pmatrix} F_1 \\ F_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} F_0 \\ F_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^2 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} F_0 \\ F_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

In General

$$\begin{pmatrix} F_n \\ F_{n+1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^n \cdot \begin{pmatrix} F_0 \\ F_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

So in order to compute F_n , it suffices to raise this 2×2 matrix, call it X , to the n^{th} power.

a) Show that two 2×2 matrix can be multiplied using 4 additions and 8 Multiplication

Consider 2×2 matrices as X and Y

$$XY = \begin{bmatrix} X_{11} & X_{12} \\ X_{21} & X_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} Y_{11} & Y_{12} \\ Y_{21} & Y_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$XY = \begin{bmatrix} X_{11}Y_{11} + X_{12}Y_{21} & X_{11}Y_{12} + X_{12}Y_{22} \\ X_{21}Y_{11} + X_{22}Y_{21} & X_{21}Y_{12} + X_{22}Y_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

\Rightarrow therefore the multiplication of two matrices has been performed by using 4 additions and 8 Multiplications.

Computing X^n requires $\log n$ matrix Multiplications. Since each Matrix Multiplication has at most 4 additions and 8 Multiplications this becomes $4(\log n) + 8(\log n) = 12(\log n) = O(\log n)$, logarithmic growth.

b) show that $O(\log n)$ matrix multiplications suffice for computing X^n .

\Rightarrow 1 can be written as power of 2. i.e

$$1 = 2^{k_1} + 2^{k_2} + \dots + 2^{k_m}$$

So X^1 can be expressed as:

$$X = X^{2^{k_1}} \cdot X^{2^{k_2}} \cdot \dots \cdot X^{2^{k_m}}$$

Therefore X^n can be determined by looking at each bit in binary representation of n , and multiplying all $X^{2^{k_i}}$ together. Where k_i is the bit position of the i^{th} standing bit.