

1. [3.0 points] Order the following expressions using their related asymptotic group functions:

$$2^n, n!, (\log n)!, n^3, e^n, 2^{\log_2 n}, n \log n, 2^{2^n}, n^{\log \log n}$$

$$2^{\log_2(n)}, n \log n, n^3, (\log(n))!, n^{\log(\log(n))}, 2^n, e^n, n!, 2^{2^n}$$

2. [3.0 points] Express the following function in terms of notation\

$$n^3/1000 - 100 n^2 - 100 n + 3$$

$$n^3 / 1000 \rightarrow \text{highest order}$$

$$n^3 / 1000 \rightarrow n^3 * (1 / 1000) \rightarrow 1/1000 \text{ constant doesn't affect}$$

$$F(n) = O(n^3)$$

3. [5.0 points] Insertion sort can be expressed as a recursive procedure as follows. In order to sort $A[1..n]$, we recursively sort $A[1..n-1]$ and then insert $A[n]$ into the sorted array $A[1..n-1]$. Write a recurrence for the running time of this recursive version of insertion

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

4. [5.0 points] Use iteration method to give asymptotic bounds for the following recurrence relation

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n = 1 \\ T(n-1) + n(n-1) & \text{if } n \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Iter 1 : } T(n) = T(n-1) + n(n-1)$$

$$\text{Iter 2 : } T(n) = T(n-2) + (n-2)(n-1)$$

$$\text{Iter 3 : } T(n) = T(n-3) + (n-3)(n-2)$$

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

$$n-k=1, k=n-1 \approx n$$

$$\sum_{i=2}^n i^2 - i = \sum_{i=2}^n i^2 - \sum_{i=2}^n i$$

$$= \left[\frac{i(i+1)(2i+1)}{6} - \frac{i(i+1)}{2} \right] + 1$$

$$= \frac{i^3}{3} - \frac{i^2}{2} = \frac{n^3}{3} - \frac{n^2}{2}$$

$$T(n) = O(n^3)$$

5. [5.0 points] Use the iterative method to give asymptotic bounds for the following recurrence relation

$$T(n) = 7T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^2$$

$$\text{Iter 1 : } 7T(n/2) + n^2$$

$$\text{Iter 2 : } 7^2 T(n/2^2) + (n/2^2)^2 + (n/2)^2 + n^2$$

$$\text{Iter 3 : } 7^3 T(n/2^3) + (n/2^3)^2 + (n/2^2)^2 + (n/2)^2 + n^2$$

$$\text{Iter K : } 7^k T(n/2^k) + (n/2^{k-1})^2 + (n/2^{k-2})^2 + n^2$$

$$(n/2^k) = 1, n = 2^k, k = \log(n), T(1) = 1$$

$$T(n) = O(7^{\log(n)}) = O(n^{\log(7)})$$

6. [4.0 points] Use Master Theory to give asymptotic bounds for the following recurrence relation

$$T(n) = 8 T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^2$$

$$a = 8, b = 2, F(n) = n^2$$

$$n^{\log_b(a)} = n^{\log_2(8)} = n^3 \rightarrow F(n) < n^{\log_b(a)}$$

$$\text{Case 1 : } T(n) = O(n^3)$$