

# ★ Master theorem:

$$1) T(n) = a T(n/b) + f(n) \quad a \geq 1; b > 1$$

Case 1:- If  $f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - \epsilon})$  for some  $\epsilon > 0$ .  
then  $T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a})$

Ex:-  $T(n) = 9 T(n/3) + n$

do  $a=9 \quad b=3$

$\log_3 9 \geq 2$

do  $T(n) = O(n^2)$

do  $f(n) = O(n^{2-\epsilon})$

Let  $\epsilon = 1$

$f(n) = O(n)$

$n = O(n)$

Case 2:- If  $f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a})$   
then  $T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a} \log n)$

Ex:-  $T(n) = 1 T(n/2) + 1$

$a=1 \quad b=2 \quad f(n)=1$

$n^{\log_{2/2} 1} = n^0 = 1$

$f(n) = 1 = O(1)$

do  $T(n) = O(1 \cdot \log n)$

$T(n) = O(\log n)$

Case 3:-  $T(n) = a T(n/b) + f(n)$   $a \geq 1, b > 1$  ✓  
If  $f(n) = \Omega(n^{\log_b a + \epsilon})$   $\epsilon > 0$  ✓  
(and)  $a f(n/b) \leq c \cdot f(n)$   $c < 1 \quad \forall n$  ✓  
then  $T(n) = O(f(n))$

Ex:-  $T(n) = 3 T(n/4) + n \log n$

$a=3$

$b=4$

$f(n) = n \log n$

$$\log_b a \Rightarrow \log_4 3 = 0.793$$

$$f(n) = \Omega(n^{\log_b a + \epsilon})$$

$$= \Omega(n^{0.793 + \epsilon})$$

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

$$n \log n = \Omega(n)$$

$$\text{Let } \epsilon = 0.2$$

$$\text{so } 0.793 + 0.2 \approx 1$$



$$\text{so if } a f\left(\frac{n}{b}\right) \leq c \cdot f(n)$$

$$3 \cdot \left(\frac{n}{4}\right) \log\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) \leq c \cdot n \log n$$

$$\text{Let } c = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\frac{3}{4} n \log\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) \leq \frac{3}{4} n \log n$$

$$\log\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) \leq \log n \quad \forall n; C_1$$

$$\text{so } T(n) = O(f(n))$$

$$= O(n \log n)$$

★ Extended Master theorem

$$T(n) = aT\left(\frac{n}{b}\right) + O(n^k \log^p n) \quad , a \geq 1, b > 1, k > 0$$

$p$  is a real no:-

Case 1:- if  $a > b^k$  then  $T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a})$

Case 2:- if  $a = b^k$  then

$$a) p > -1 \rightarrow T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a} \log^{p+1} n)$$

$$b) p = -1 \rightarrow T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a} \log \log n)$$

$$c) p < -1 \rightarrow T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a})$$

Case 3:- if  $a < b^k$ .

$$a) p \geq 0 \rightarrow T(n) = O(n^k \log^p n)$$

$$b) p < 0 \rightarrow T(n) = O(n^k)$$



Ex:-  $T(n) = 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + n \log^3 n$

$a=2$   
 $b=2$

$k=1$   
 $p=2$

$a = b^k$   
 $2 = 2^1$

$\Rightarrow p > -1 \rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a} \log^{p+1} n)$

$T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 2} \log^{2+1} n)$

$T(n) = \Theta(n \log^3 n)$

★ Inadmissible (Failure cases of Master theorem) Equat

•  $T(n) = 2^n T(\frac{n}{2}) + n^n$  X  
 $\downarrow$   
 $a$  is not a constant

•  $T(n) = 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + \frac{n}{\log n}$   $\rightarrow$  Master theorem X  
 $\rightarrow$  Extended theorem  $\checkmark$

$\Rightarrow 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + n \log^1 n \Rightarrow aT(\frac{n}{b}) + \Theta(n^k \log^p n)$   
where  $p$  is real.

$k > 0$   
 $a \geq 1$   $\checkmark$   
 $b > 1$

•  $T(n) = 0.5T(\frac{n}{2}) + n$  X

$\Rightarrow 0.5 \Rightarrow a$  should be greater than 1.  
 $a < 1$

•  $T(n) = 64T(\frac{n}{8}) - n^2 \log n$

$\Rightarrow f(n)$  which is the combination time is not positive.

•  $T(n) = T(\frac{n}{2}) + n(2 - \cos n)$  X

$\downarrow$   
regularity violation  
( $\sin n, \cos n$ )

all  
Trigonometric functions.

\* Special cases.

$$1) T(n) = T(n/2) + 2^n \\ \Rightarrow O(2^n).$$

$$2) T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n! \\ \Rightarrow O(n!).$$

⇒ Substitution Method (Mathematical induction) (guess/assume)

⇒  $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n$  ← Merge Sort  $\exists C > 0$   
 $\forall n \geq n_0$

✓ guess  $\Rightarrow T(n) = O(n \log n) \Rightarrow T(n) \leq C n \log n$

assume that it is true  $m < n$

To prove  $T(n) \leq C n \log n$  assuming  $T(m) \leq C m \log m$   
 $\forall m < n$

do let  $m = \frac{n}{2} < n$

⇒  $T(n/2) = O(\frac{n}{2} \log \frac{n}{2}) \Rightarrow T(n/2) \leq C \frac{n}{2} \log \frac{n}{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= 2T(n/2) + n \\ &\leq 2C \frac{n}{2} \log \frac{n}{2} + n \\ &= Cn(\log n - \log 2) + n \\ &= Cn \log n - Cn + n \\ &\leq Cn \log n. \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} T(n/2) &\leq C \frac{n}{2} \log \frac{n}{2} \\ \log \frac{a}{b} &= \log a - \log b \\ \log 2 &= 1 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

X guess  $\Rightarrow T(n) = O(n) \Rightarrow T(n) \leq C(n)$

assume  $T(m) = O(m) \leq C(m) \quad \forall m < n$

To prove  $T(n) \leq Cn$  assuming  $T(m) \leq Cm \quad \forall m < n$

$m = \frac{n}{2} < n$

do  $T(n/2) = C \frac{n}{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= 2T(n/2) + n \\ &= 2C \frac{n}{2} + n \\ &= C(n) + n \end{aligned}$$

$T(n) \leq C(n) + n$  X