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DATA STRUCTURE

Lecture 03: Recursion, Algorithm Analysis. (Examples)

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RECURSIVE ALGORITHMS

- Recursion is usually used to solve a problem in a *divided-and-conquer* manner
- Direct Recursion
 - Functions that call themselves
- Indirect Recursion
 - Functions that call other functions that invoke calling function again
- $C\binom{n}{m} = \frac{n!}{m!(n-m)!}$
 - $C\binom{n}{m} = C\binom{n-1}{m} + C\binom{n-1}{m-1}$
- Boundary condition for recursion

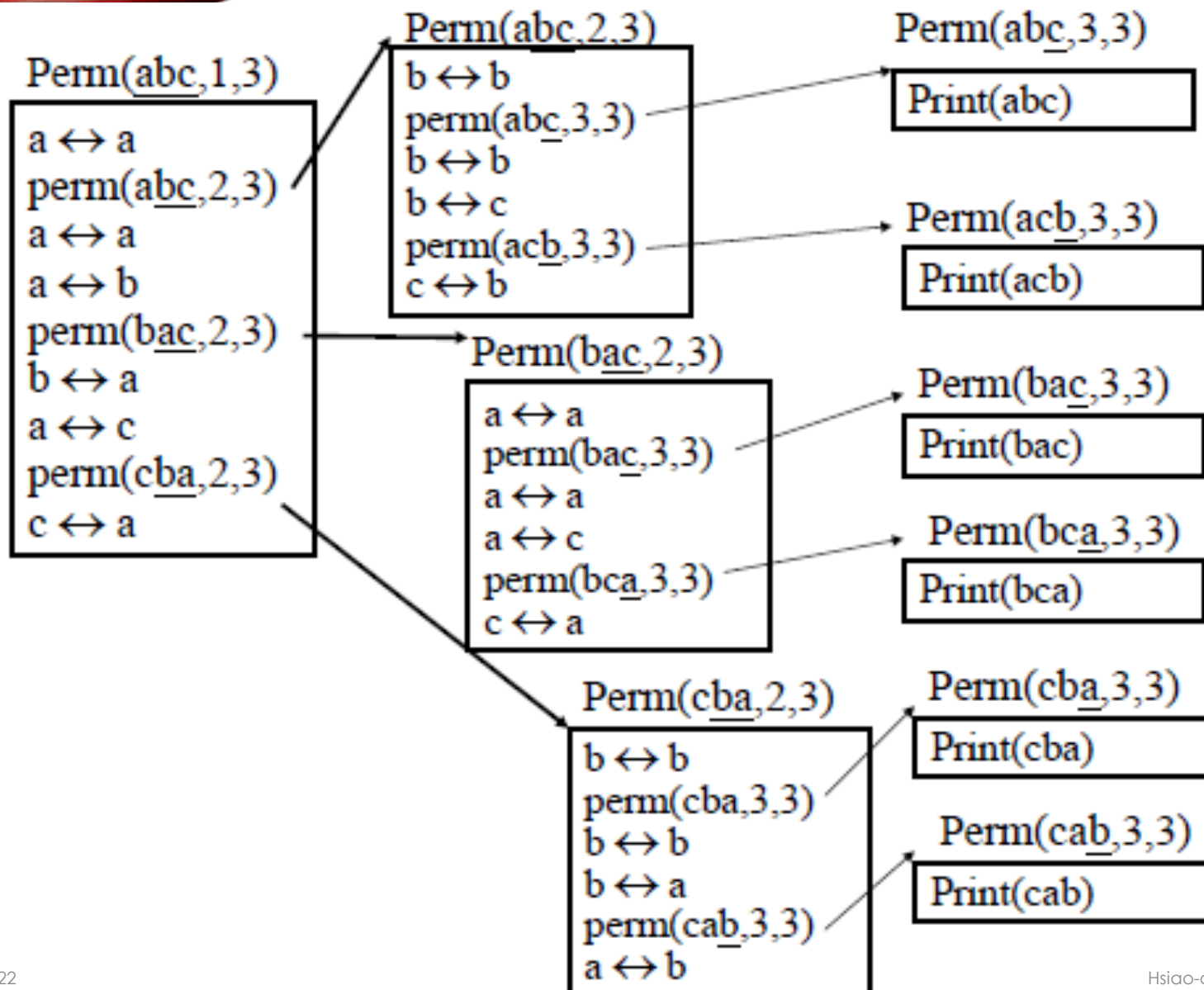
RECURSIVE FACTORIAL

- $n! = n (n-1)!$
- $\text{factorial}(n) = n \times \text{factorial}(n-1)$
- $0! = 1$

```
int fact(int n)
{
    if ( n== 0)
        return (1);
    else
        return (n*fact(n-1));
}
```

RECURSIVE PERMUTATION

- Permutation of $\{a, b, c\}$
 - $(a, b, c), (a, c, b)$
 - $(b, a, c), (b, c, a)$
 - $(c, a, b), (c, b, a)$
- Recursion?
 - $a + \text{Perm}(\{b, c\})$
 - $b + \text{Perm}(\{a, c\})$
 - $c + \text{Perm}(\{a, b\})$



RECURSIVE PERMUTATION (CONT'D.)

```
void perm(char *list, int i, int n)
{
    if (i==n) {
        for (j=0; j<=n; j++)
            printf("%c", list[j]);
    }
    else {
        for (j=i; j<= n; j++) {
            SWAP(list[i], list[j], temp);
            perm(list, i+1, n);
            SWAP(list[i], list[j], temp);
        }
    }
}
```



PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

- Criteria
 - Is it correct?
 - Is it readable?
- Performance analysis
 - Machine Independent
- Performance measurement
 - Machine dependent



PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS

- Complexity theory
- Space Complexity
 - Amount of memory
- Time Complexity
 - Amount of computing time

TIME COMPLEXITY

- $T(P) = c + T_p(I)$
 - c : compile time
 - $T_p(I)$: program execution time
 - Depends on characteristics of instance I
- Predict the growth in run times as the instance characteristics change

TIME COMPLEXITY (CONT'D.)

- Compile time (c)
 - Independent of instance characteristics
- Run (execution) time T_p
 - Real measurement
 - Analysis: counts of program steps
- Definition

A **program step** is a syntactically or semantically meaningful program segment whose execution time is independent of the instance characteristics.

METHODS TO COMPUTE THE STEP COUNT

- Introduce variable count into programs
- Tabular method
- Determine the total number of steps contributed by each statement
 - $\text{step per execution} \times \text{frequency}$
- Add up the contribution of all statements

TIME COMPLEXITY (CONT'D.)

```
float sum(float list[], int n)
{
    float tempsum = 0;
    count++;           /* for assignment */
    int i;
    for (i=0; i<n; i++) {
        count++;       /* for the for loop */
        tempsum += list[i];
        count++;       /* for assignment */
    }
    count++;           /* last execution of for */
    count++;           /* for return */
    return tempsum;
}
```

$2n+3$ steps

TIME COMPLEXITY (CONT'D.)

```
float rsum(float list[ ], int n)
{
    count++;                /* for conditional if */
    if (n<=0) {
        count++;           /* for return */
        return 0;
    }
    else {
        count++;           /* for return */
        return rsum(list, n-1) + list[n-1];
    }
    count++;                /* for return */
    return list[0];
}
```

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= 2 + T(n-1) \\ &= 2 + 2 + T(n-2) \\ &= \dots \\ &= 2n + T(0) \\ &= 2n + 2 \end{aligned}$$

TABULAR METHOD

Table 1.1: Step count table for Program 1.13 (p.40)

Statement	s/e	Frequency	Total steps
<code>float sum(float list[], int n)</code>			
<code>{</code>	0	1	0
<code> float tempsum = 0;</code>	1	1	1
<code> for(int i=0; i <n; i++)</code>	1	$n+1$	$n+1$
<code> tempsum += list[i];</code>	1	n	n
<code> return tempsum;</code>	1	1	1
<code>}</code>	0	1	0
Total			$2n+3$

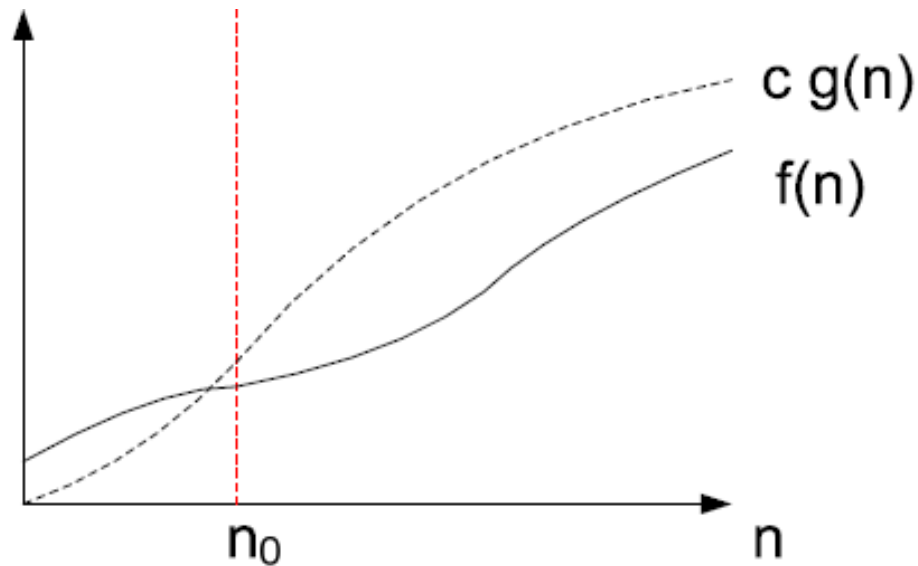
s/e: steps per execution

TIME COMPLEXITY (CONT'D.)

- Difficult to determine the exact step counts
- What a step stands for is inexact
eg. $x := y$ versus $x := y + z + (x/y) + \dots$
- Exact step count is not useful for comparison
- Step count doesn't tell how much time step takes
- Just consider the growth in run time (Time Complexity)
 - Best case
 - Worst case
 - Average case

ASYMPTOTIC NOTATION – BIG “OH”

- $f(n) = O(g(n))$ iff
 - \exists a real constant $c > 0$ and an integer constant $n_0 \geq 1$, s.t. $f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n)$, $\forall n \geq n_0$

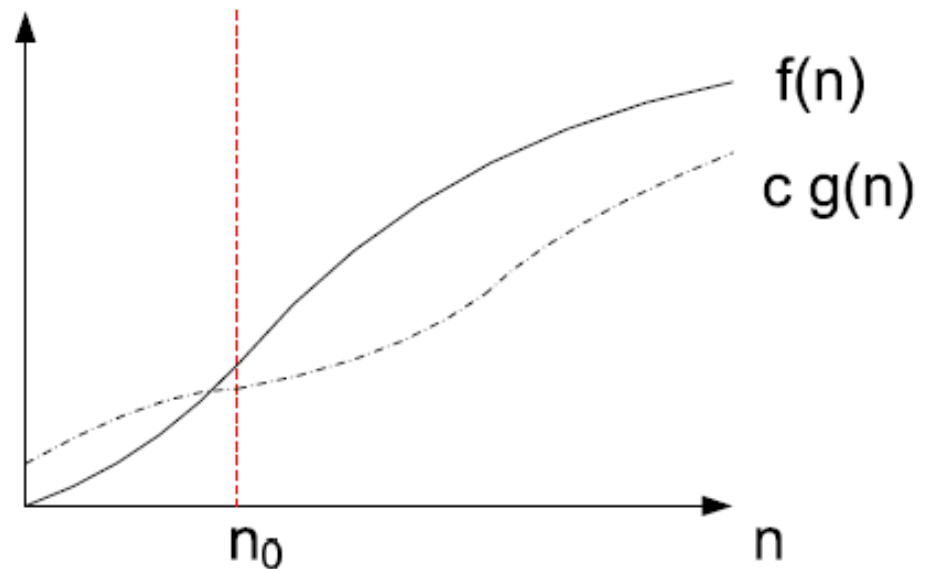


ASYMPTOTIC NOTATION – BIG “OH” (CONT'D.)

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 - eg.
 - $3n + 6 = O(n)$
 - $4n^2 + 2n - 6 = O(n^2)$
 - $f(n) = a_m n^m + a_{m-1} n^{m-1} + \dots + a_1 n + a_0$
 $f(n) = O(n^m)$
- $g(n)$ should be a least upper bound.

ASYMPTOTIC NOTATION - OMEGA

- $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$ iff
 - \exists a real constant $c > 0$ and an integer constant $n_0 \geq 1$, s.t. $f(n) \geq c \cdot g(n), \forall n \geq n_0$
- $g(n)$ should be a most lower bound.

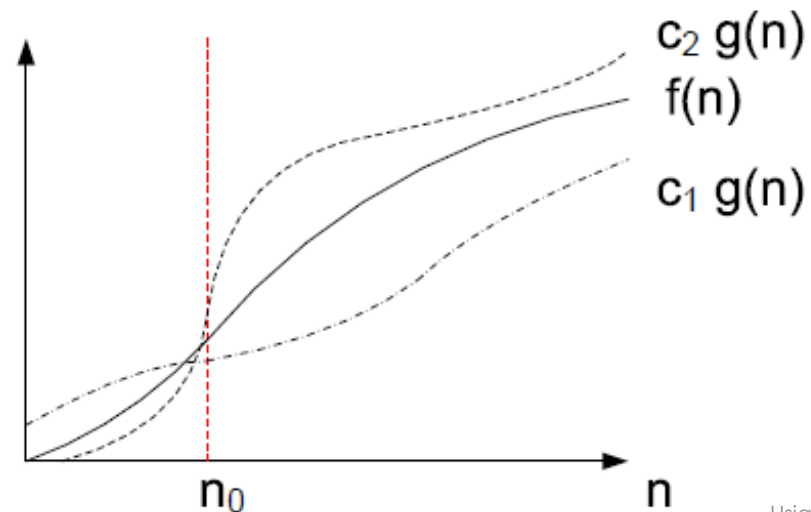


ASYMPTOTIC NOTATION – OMEGA (CONT'D)

- eg.
 - $3n+3 = \Omega(n)$
 - $3n^2+4n-8 = \Omega(n^2)$
 - $6 \cdot 2^n + n^2 = \Omega(2^n)$

ASYMPTOTIC NOTATION - THETA

- $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$ iff
 - \exists real constants c_1 and $c_2 > 0$ and an integer constant $n_0 \geq 1$, s.t.
 $c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n), \forall n \geq n_0$
- $g(n)$ should be both upper bound and lower bound. It is called precise bound.



ASYMPTOTIC NOTATION – THETA (CONT'D)

- eg.
 - $f(n) = 3n^2 + 4n - 8$
 - $f(n) = \log(n!)$
- $f(n) = \Theta(g(n)) \Leftrightarrow f(n) = O(g(n)) \text{ and } f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$

RUNNING TIME CALCULATIONS

- For loop

```
for (i=0; i<n; i++)  
{  
    x++;  
    y++;  
    z++;  
}
```


RUNNING TIME CALCULATIONS (CONT'D)

- Nested for loops

```
for (i=0; i<n; i++)  
    for (j=0; j<n; j++)  
        k++;
```

RUNNING TIME CALCULATIONS (CONT'D)

- Consecutive statements

```
for (i=0; i<n; i++)  
    A[i] = 0;           n 回      ...  $O(n)$   
for (i=0; i<n; i++)     n 回  
    for (j=0; j<n; j++)  
        A[i] += A[j]+i+j;  n 回 }  $O(n^2)$             $O(n) + O(n^2)$   
                                            $O(n^2)$   
                                           #
```

$$\max(n, n^2) = O(n^2)$$

RUNNING TIME CALCULATIONS (CONT'D)

- If/Else

```
If (i > 0)
{
    i++;
    j++;
}
else
{
    for (j=0; j<n; j++)
        k++;
}
```

$$\max(2, n) = n$$

RUNNING TIME CALCULATIONS (CONT'D)

- Recursive

```
long int F (int N)
{
    if (N==1)
        return 1;
    else
        return N*F(N-1);
}
```

$$T(N) = T(N-1) + C$$

$$T(k) = T(k-1) + C$$

$$T(n) = T(n-1) + C$$

$$= T(n-2) + C + C$$

$$\vdots$$

$$= T(1) + n \times C$$

$$= \Theta(n) \#$$

RUNNING TIME CALCULATIONS (CONT'D)

- Example 1: (Tower of Hanoi)
 - $T(n) = 2T(n-1) + 1, T(1) = 1$

$$T(k) = 2T(k-1) + 1$$

- Example 2: (Binary Search)
 - $T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 1, T(1) = 1$

$$f(n)=1, \log_b a = \log_2 1, n^{\log_2 1}$$

- Example 3: (sum of 0,1,...,n)
 - $T(n) = T(n-1) + n, T(0) = 0$

- Other example:

- $T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n, T(1) = 0$
- $T(n) = 2T(\sqrt{n}) + 1, T(2) = 1$

$$T(n) = 2T(n-1) + 1$$

$$= 2 \cdot [2T(n-2) + 1] + 1$$

$$= 2^2 \cdot T(n-2) + 2 + 1$$

$$= 2^2 \cdot [2T(n-3) + 1] + 2 + 1$$

$$= 2^3 \cdot T(n-3) + 2^2 + 2 + 1$$

⋮

$$= 2^n \cdot T(1) + \frac{1[1-2^{n+1}]}{1-2}$$

$$= \Theta(2^n)$$

SOME RULES

- Rule 1:

If $T_1(N) = O(f(N))$ and $T_2(N) = O(g(N))$ then

(a) $T_1(N) + T_2(N) = \max(O(f(N)), O(g(N)))$

(b) $T_1(N) \times T_2(N) = O(f(N) \times g(N))$

- Rule 2:

If $T(N)$ is a polynomial of degree k , then

$$T(N) = \Theta(N^k)$$

- Rule 3:

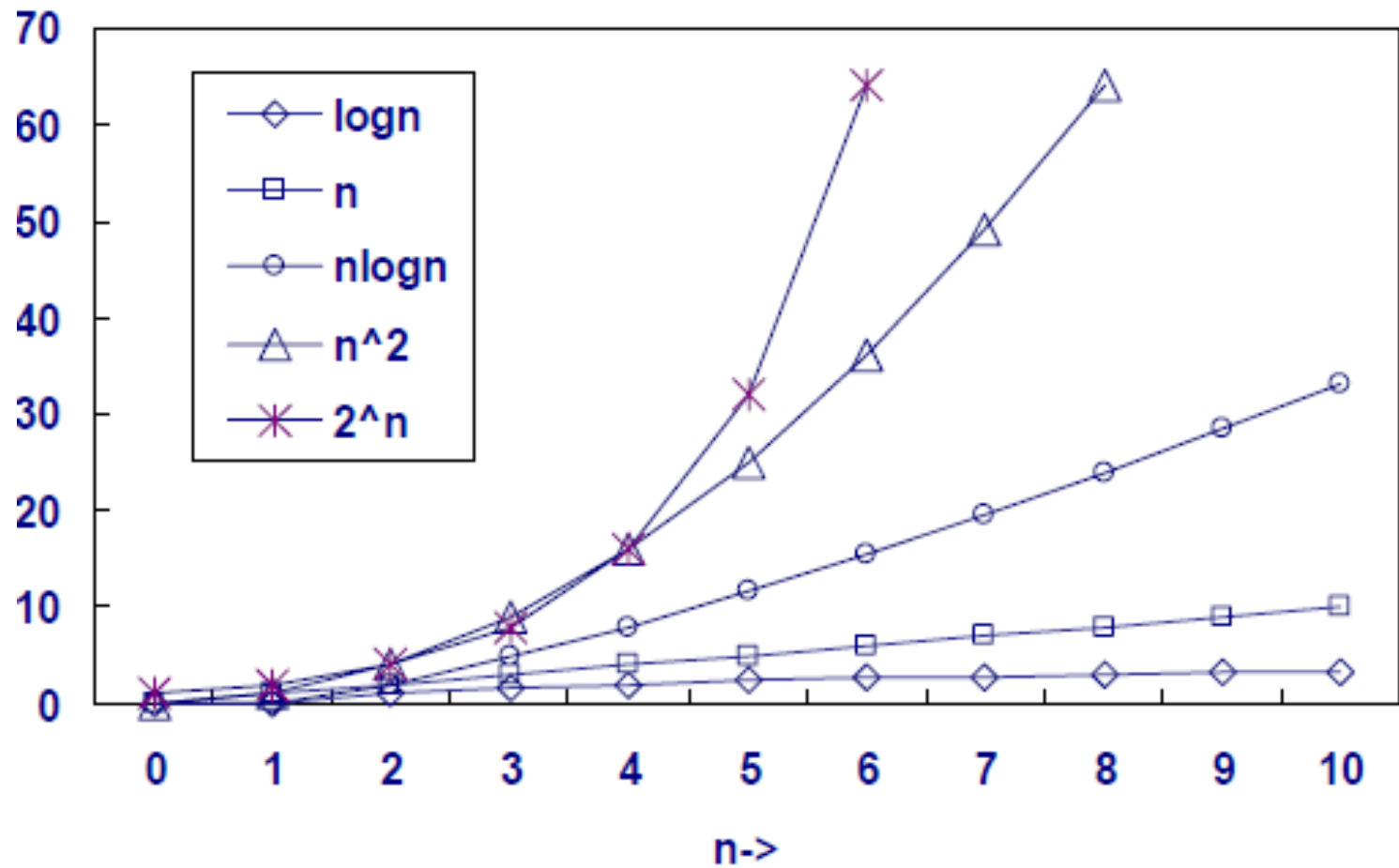
$$T(N) = (\log N)^k = \Theta(N) \quad (\text{Prove it yourself.})$$



TYPICAL GROWTH RATE

- c : Constant
- $\log N$: Logarithmic
- $\log^2 N$: Log-squared
- N : Linear
- $N \log N$:
- N^2 : Quadratic
- N^3 : Cubic
- 2^N : Exponential

GROWTH RATE



EXAMPLE

- List the complexity from low to high for the following big-oh representation:

$$\sqrt{n}, \log \log n, \log^3 n, n^2 \log n, \log n!, n^{1.5}, \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^n, \log n^5$$

BCT

Time Complexity

set $m=2$

According to the results,
$$\begin{cases} T(n) = T(n-1) + (5+2^2 \cdot n) \\ T(1) = 14 \end{cases}$$

$$T(n) = T(n-1) + (5+2^2 \cdot n)$$

$$= T(n-2) + (5+2^2 \cdot (n-1)) + (5+2^2 \cdot n)$$

$$= T(n-3) + (5+2^2 \cdot (n-2)) + (5+2^2 \cdot (n-1)) + (5+2^2 \cdot n)$$

\vdots

$$= T(1) + \underline{[13 + 17 + \dots + (5+4n)]}$$

$$\because A_1 = (5+4n), A_{n-1} = 13, d = -4$$

$$\therefore S_{n-1} = \frac{[(5+4n) + 13](n-1)}{2} = 2n^2 + 7n - 9$$

$$= 2n^2 + 7n + 5$$

$$= O(n^2) \#$$



PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT

- Timing event
- In C's standard library: `time.h`
 - Clock function: system clock
 - Time function

EXAMPLE

- Write a C program that prints out the integer values of x,y,z in ascending order.

```
#include <stdio.h>
int min(int, int);
#define TRUE 1
#define FALSE 0

int main()
{
    int x,y,z;
    printf("x: "); scanf("%d", &x);
    printf("y: "); scanf ("%d", &y);
    printf("z: "); scanf("%d", &z);
    if (min(x,y) && min(x,z)) { /*x is smallest */
        printf("%d ", x);
        if (min(y,z)) printf ("%d %d\n", y,z);
        else printf ("%d %d\n", z, y);
    }
}
```

→ not count

```
else if (min(y,x) && min(y,z)){ /*y is the smallest */
    printf("%d ", y);
    if (min(x,z)) printf ("%d %d\n", x,z);
    else printf ("%d %d\n", z,x);
}
else
    printf("%d %d %d\n", z, y, x);
}

int min(int a, int b) {
    if (a < b) return TRUE;
    return FALSE;
}
```

Your turn.

Introduce step counts into the function.

EXERCISE

```
void Printmatrix(int matrix[][MAX_SIZE], int rows, int cols)
{
    int i,j;
    for (i = 0; i<rows; i++)
    {
        for (j = 0; j<cols; j++)
            printf("%5d",matrix[i][j]);

        printf("\n");
    }
}
```

1. Introduce step counts into the function.
2. Step count table.
3. Given a square matrix $n \times n$, determine its time complexity.
4. (Additional) Write a recurrence version.

Statement	s/e	f	Total steps
<pre>void Printmatrix(int matrix[][MAX_SIZE], int rows, int cols) { int i,j; for (i = 0; i<rows; i++) { for (j = 0; j<cols; j++) printf("%5d",matrix[i][j]); printf("\n"); } }</pre>			
Total			
Complexity (asymptotic notation)			

PROGRAM EXERCISE: FIBONACCI NUMBERS

- Fibonacci numbers are defined as
$$f_0 = 0, f_1 = 1, \text{ and } f_i = f_{i-1} + f_{i-2} \text{ for } i > 1.$$
- Write both recursive and iterative C function to compute f_i .

```
#include <stdio.h>
int iterFib(int);
int recurFib(int);

int main(){
    int n;
    printf("n:(>=0): ");
    scanf("%d", &n);
    while (n < 0)
    { /*error loop */
        printf("n:(>=0): ");
        scanf("%d", &n);
    }
    printf("%d Fibonacci is %d.\n", n, iterFib(n));
    printf("%d Fibonacci is %d.\n", n, recurFib(n));
}
```

```
int recurFib(int n)
{ /*recursive version */
    if ((n==0) || (n==1)) return n;
    return (recurFib(n-1) + recurFib(n-2));
}

int iterFib(int n)
{ /* find the factorial, return as a double
   to keep it from overflowing */
    int i;
    int fib, fib1, fib2;
    if ((n == 0) || (n == 1)) return n;
    fib = 0; fib1 = 1; fib2 = 1;
    for (i = 2; i <= n; i++) {
        fib = fib1 + fib2;
        fib1 = fib2;
        fib2 = fib;
    }
    return fib;
}
```

→ 初始化的值

→ 數列中的第i個數 $f(i)$

- Exception handling: Add some lines that can handle exceptions.

PROGRAM EXERCISE: FIBONACCI NUMBERS

- Test your code using the following cases:

Fib(n)	Output	
N	iterFib	recurFib
0	Fibonacci is 0.	Fibonacci is 0.
1	Fibonacci is 1.	Fibonacci is 1.
2
9
13		
-1
-10

- Find the running time equation for Fibonacci.