

Design and Analysis of Algorithms

Tutorial - 1

(1) Asymptotic notations : These are the mathematical representation, which helps to find the complexity of an algorithm when input is very large.

There are 5 types of different Asymptotic notation

(i) Big O (o) :

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

iff

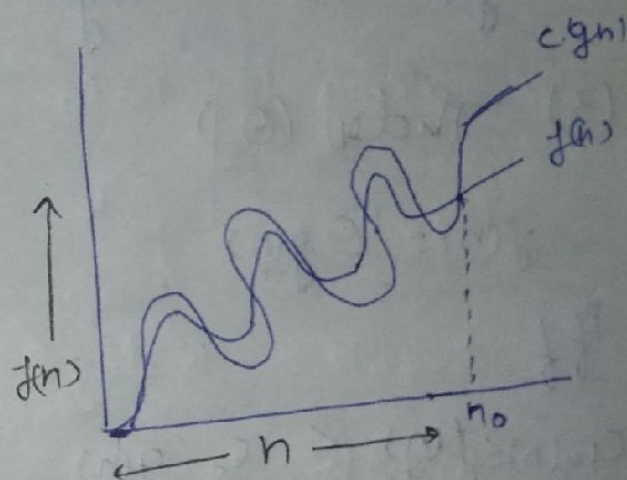
$$f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n)$$

$$\forall n \geq n_0$$

for some constant $c, > 0$;

* $g(n)$ is "tight" upper bound of $f(n)$

* Used for worst time complexity.



(2) Big (Ω)

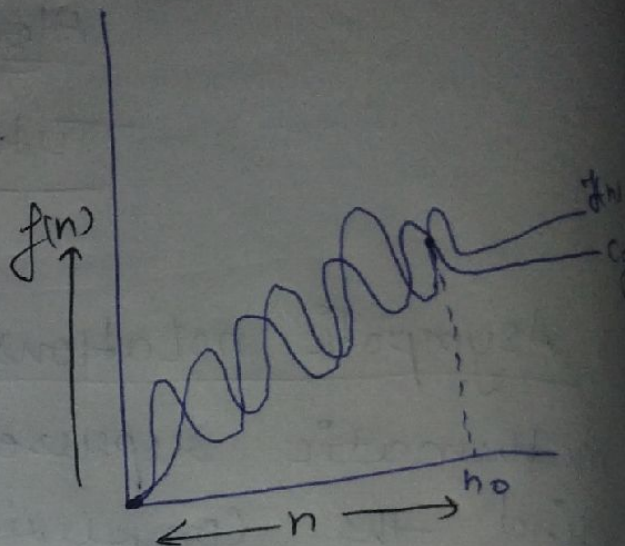
$$f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$$

iff

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

$$\forall n \geq n_0$$

for some constant, $c > 0$.



* used for Best time Complexity

* $g(n)$ is "tight" lower bound of function $f(n)$

(3) Theta (Θ)

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

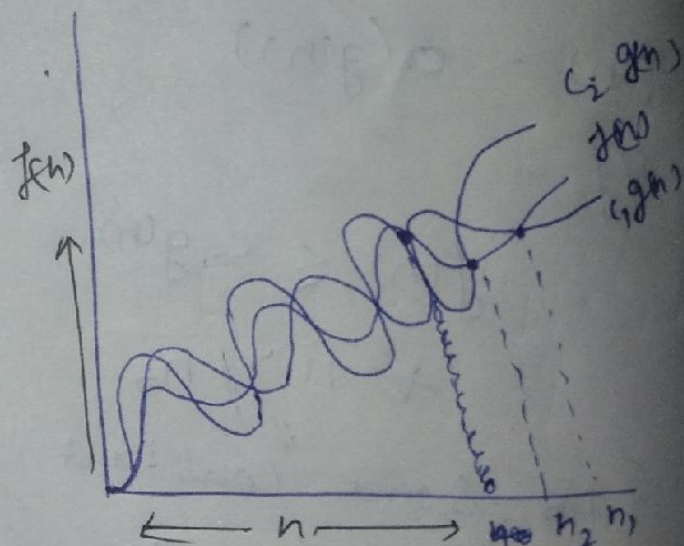
iff

$$c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n)$$

$$\forall n \geq \max(n_1, n_2)$$

for some constant $c_1 > 0$

and $c_2 > 0$.



→ Average time Complexity

→ Exact time

4. Small $O(o)$

$$f(n) = o(g(n))$$

$g(n)$ is upper bound of $f(n)$

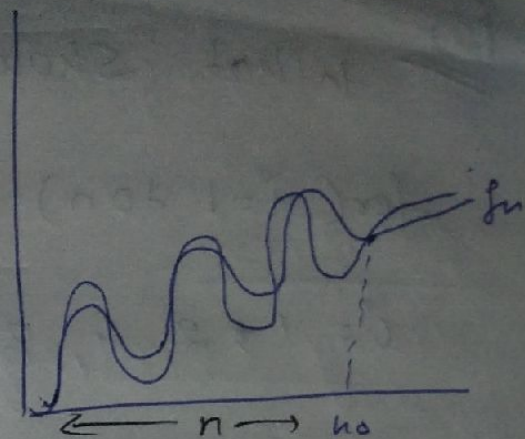
$$f(n) = O(g(n))$$

when

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

$$\forall n > n_0$$

$c, g(n)$ and \forall constant, $c > 0$



5. Small omega (ω)

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

$g(n)$ is lower bound of function

then

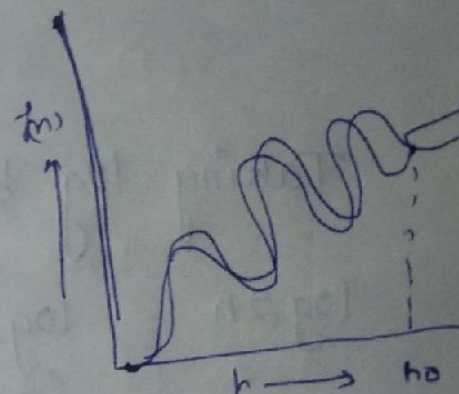
$$f(n) > c \cdot g(n)$$

when

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

$$\forall n > n_0$$

and \forall constants, $c > 0$.



Q2 What should be time complexity of -

for($i=1$ to n) { $i = i * 2$ }

$i = 1 * 2, 4, 8, 16 \dots n$

$$a=1, r = \frac{t_1}{t_2} = 2$$

GP k^{th} value = $t_k = a r^{k-1}$

$$n = 1 \times 2^{k-1}$$

$$n = \frac{2^k}{2}$$

$$2n = 2^k$$

Taking log both side

$$\log 2n = \log 2^k$$

$$\log 2n = k \log 2$$

$$\log 2n = k$$

$$\log 2 + \log n = k$$

$$1 + \log n = k$$

Since

$$= O(1 + \log_2 n)$$

$= O(\log_2 n)$ is the time complexity.

$$[\because \log a^b = b \log a]$$

$$[\log ab = \log a + \log b]$$

$$[\because k=1]$$

$$(3) T_n = \begin{cases} 3T(n-1) & \text{if } n > 0 \\ \text{otherwise } 1 \end{cases}$$

Solution :-

using here substitution method (Back Substitution)

$$T(n) = 3T(n-1) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Put $n = n-1$

$$T(n-1) = 3T(n-2) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Putting the value of $(n-1)$ in eqⁿ (1)

$$T(n) = 3^2 T(n-2) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Now put $n = (n-2)$

$$T(n-2) = 3T(n-3) \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Putting $(n-2)$'s value in eqⁿ (3)

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

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

$$T(n) = 3^n T(0)$$

$$= 3^n$$

Therefore, the complexity of this fn is $O(3^n)$.

$$(4) T_n = \begin{cases} 2T(n-1) - 1 & \text{if } n > 0 \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Solution:

using here forward substitution method

$$T(0) = 1$$

$$T(1) = 2T(0) - 1 = 1$$

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

$$T(3) = 2T(3-1) - 1 = 1$$

$$T(4) = 2T(3) - 1 = 1$$

...

So $T(n) = 1$ for any value of n

i.e it remains constant.

time complexity = $O(1)$

Q5

what should be time complexity of

int $i=1$, $S=1$;

while ($S \leq n$)

{ $i++$, $S = S + i$

Print ('#')

}

$$= 1 + 3 + 6 + 10 \dots k = n$$

$$= \frac{k(k+1)(k+2)}{6} = n$$

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

Ans

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

Q6 Time complexity of

Void function (int n) {

int i, j, k ; Count = 0;

for (~~i~~ i = n/2 ; i <= n ; i++) $\rightarrow O(n)$

for (j = 1 ; j <= n : j = j * 2) $\rightarrow O(\log n)$

for (k = 1 ; k <= n : k = k * 2 $\rightarrow O(\log n)$

Count++

}

Time complexity = $O(n) * O(\log n \times \log n)$
 $= O(n \log^2 n)$ Ans.

Q7 Time complexity of

Void function (int n)

{
int i, Count = 0

for (i = 1 ; i * i <= n ; i++)

Count++;

}

the time complexity of above function
is ~~log n~~ $O(n)$.

Q8 Time complexity of
function (int n)

if (n=1)
return;

for (i=1 to n) $\rightarrow O(n)$

for (j=1 to n) $\rightarrow O(n)$

print("A") ~~return~~

}

}

function(n-3)

}

Time complexity = $O(n \times n)$

= $O(n^2)$

Q9

Time complexity of

void function (int n)

for (i=1 to n) { \leftarrow ~~$O(n)$~~ }

for (j=1 ; j <= n ; j=j+1) $O(n)$

Print ("x")

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

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$$\sum_{j=n} n + \frac{n}{2} + \frac{n}{3} + \frac{n}{4} + \dots + 1$$

$$\sum_{j=n} n \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots + \frac{1}{n} \right]$$

$$\sum_{j=n} n [\log n]$$

$$T(n) = [n \log n]$$

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

Q10 for function, n^a and c^n , what
is the asymptotic relation...

as given n^a and c^n

relation b/w n^a and c^n is

$$n^a = O(c^n)$$

$$\text{as } n^a \leq O(c^n),$$

$\forall n \geq n_0$ and some const $a > 0$.

for $n_0 = 1$

$$c = 2.$$

$$\Rightarrow 1^a \leq 2^1$$

$$n_0 = 1 \text{ and } c = 2.$$