

Ques 1 $T(n) = 3T(n/3) + n^2$
 $T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$
 $a \geq 1, b > 1$
 on comparing
 $a = 3, b = 3, f(n) = n^2$
 Now $c = \log_b a = \log_3 3 = 1.584$
 $n^c = n^{1.584} < n^2$
 $\therefore f(n) > n^c$
 $T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$

Ques 2 $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2$
 $a \geq 1, b > 1$
 $a = 4, b = 2, f(n) = n^2$
 $c = \log_2 4 = 2$
 $n^c = n^2 = f(n)$
 $\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n^2 \log n)$

Ques 3 $T(n) = T(n/2) + 2^n$
 $a = 1, b = 2, f(n) = 2^n$
 $c = \log_b a = \log_2 1 = 0$
 $n^c = n^0 = 1$
 $f(n) > n^c$
 $T(n) = \Theta(2^n)$

Ques 4 $T(n) = 2^n T(n/2) + n^n$
 Here master's theorem can't be applied as 'a' must be constant

Ques 5 $T(n) = 16T(n/4) + n$
 $a = 16, b = 4$
 $f(n) = n$
 $c = \log_4 16 = \log_4 4^2 = 2$
 $n^c = n^2$
 $f(n) < n^c$
 $\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$

Ques 6 $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n \log n$
 $a = 2, b = 2$
 $f(n) = n \log n$
 $c = \log_2 2 = 1$
 $n^c = n$
 Since $n \log n > n$
 $\therefore f(n) > n^c$
 $\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n \log n)$

Ques 7 $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n/\log n$
 $a = 2, b = 2, f(n) = n/\log n$
 $c = \log_2 2 = 1$
 $n^c = n$
 Since $n/\log n < n$
 $\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n)$

Ques 8 $T(n) = 2T(n/4) + n^{0.5}$
 $a = 2, b = 4, f(n) = n^{0.5}$
 $c = \log_4 2 = \log_2 2 / 2 = 0.5$
 $n^c = n^{0.5}$
 Since $n^{0.5} < n^{0.5}$
 $f(n) > n^c$
 $\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n^{0.5})$

Ques 9 $T(n) = 0.5T(n/2) + 1/n$
 $a = 0.5, b = 2$
 \therefore Not to Master's theorem
 $a \geq 1$ but here a is 0.5
 So M.T cannot be applied.

Ques 10 $T(n) = 16T(n/4) + n!$
 $a = 16, b = 4, f(n) = n!$
 $c = \log_4 16 \Rightarrow \log_4 4^2 = 2$
 $n^c = n^2$
 as $n! > n^2$
 $\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n!)$

$$Q11 \quad 4T(n/2) + \log n$$

$$a=4, b=2, f(n)=\log n$$

$$c = \log_b a = \log_2 4 = 2$$

$$n^c = n^2 \text{ and } f(n) = \log n$$

$$\log n < n^2$$

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

$$Q12 \quad T(n) = \sqrt{n} T(n/2) + \log n$$

here MT cannot be applied

as 'a' must be constant

$$Q13 \quad T(n) = 3T(n/3) + n$$

$$a=3, b=3, f(n)=n$$

$$c = \log_b a = \log_3 3 = 1.5849$$

$$\therefore n < n^{1.5849}$$

$$f(n) < n^c$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^{1.5849})$$

$$Q14 \quad T(n) = 3T(n/3) + \sqrt{n}$$

$$a=3, b=3, c = \log_3 3 = 1$$

$$n^c = n$$

$$\text{As } \sqrt{n} < n$$

$$\therefore f(n) < n^c$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n)$$

$$Q15 \quad T(n) = 4T(n/2) + cn$$

$$a=4, b=2$$

$$c = \log_b a = \log_2 4 = 2$$

$$n^c = n^2$$

$$cn < n^2 \text{ (for any constant)}$$

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

$$Q16 \quad T(n) = 3T(n/4) + n \log n$$

$$a=3, b=4, f(n)=n \log n$$

$$c = \log_b a = \log_4 3 = 0.792$$

$$n^c = n^{0.792}$$

$$n^{0.792} < n \log n$$

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

$$Q17 \quad T(n) = 3T(n/3) + n/2$$

$$a=3, b=3$$

$$c = \log_b a = \log_3 3 = 1$$

$$f(n) = n/2$$

$$\therefore n^c = n^1 = n$$

$$\text{as } n/2 < n$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n)$$

$$Q18 \quad T(n) = 6T(n/3) + n^2 \log n$$

$$a=6, b=3$$

$$c = \log_b a = \log_3 6 = 1.6309$$

$$n^c = n^{1.6309}$$

$$\text{as } n^{1.6309} < n^2 \log n$$

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

$$Q19 \quad T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n \log n$$

$$a=4, b=2, f(n)=n \log n$$

$$c = \log_b a = \log_2 4 = 2$$

$$n^c = n^2 > n \log n$$

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

$$Q20 \quad T(n) = 64T(n/8) + n^2 \log n$$

MT can't be applied

here as $f(n)$ is -ve

$$Q21 \quad T(n) = 7T(n/3) + n^2$$

$$a=7, b=3, f(n)=n^2$$

$$c = \log_b a = \log_3 7 = 1.7712$$

$$n^c = n^{1.7712} < n^2$$

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

$$Q22 \quad T(n) = T(n/2) + n(2 - \cos n)$$

$$a=2, b=2$$

$$c = \log_b a = \log_2 2 = 1$$

$$n^c = n^1 = n$$

$$n(2 - \cos n) > n$$

$$\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n(2 - \cos n))$$