Homework 4

1. Master Theorem

a.
$$T(n) = 5T(n/3) + n$$

$$a = 5, b = 3, d = 1,$$
 $b^d = 3 < 5 = a$

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since b^d is less than a, this is recursion dominant

therefore Θ (n^(log3 (n)))

b.
$$T(n) = 2.7T(n/5) + n^2$$

$$a = 2.7$$
, $b = 5$, $d = 2$, $b^d = 25 > 2.7 = a$

$$b^d = 25 > 2.7 = 3$$

since b^d is greater than a, this is overhead dominate

therefore ⊕ (n^2)

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

There is no b in this case and therefore we cannot use the master theorem

d.
$$T(n) = 1.1 T(0.2n) + 1 = 1.1 T(n/5) +1$$

$$a = 1.1$$
, $b = 5$, $d = 0$ $b^d = 1 < 1.1 = a$

since b^d is less than a, this is recursion dominant

therefore Θ (n^(log5 (n)))

e.
$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + nlogn$$

$$a = 2$$
, $b = 2$, $c = log 2 (2) = 1$

 $n^1 \log n = f(n)$ meaning the MT is balanced

therefore Θ (n log(n))

f.
$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n^1/2$$

$$a = 2$$
, $b = 2$, $d = \frac{1}{2}$ $b^d \sim 1.414 < 2 = a$

since b^d is less than a, this is recursion dominant

therefore Θ (n^(log2 (n)))

g.
$$T(n) = 4T(n/2) + (n^4 - n + 10)^1/2 = \Theta(n^2)$$

$$a = 4$$
, $b = 2$, $d = 2$ $b^d = 4 = 4 = 4$

$$b^d = 4 = 4 = a$$

since b^d is equal to a, this is balanced

therefore Θ (n^(log2 (n)) log 2 (n))

h.
$$T(n) = 7T(n/3) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} i = 7 T(n/3) + (n^2 + n)/2$$

$$a = 7, b = 3, d = 2$$
 $b^d = 9 > 7 = a$

$$b^d = 9 > 7 = a$$

since b^d is greater than a, this is overhead dominate

therefore ⊕ (n^2)

i.
$$T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^n$$

Not in right format to get d, though n^n is one of the worst complexities so will assume that is the dominant one.

j.
$$T(n) = 8T(n/3) + n^3$$

$$a = 8, b = 3, d = 3$$
 $b^d = 27 > 8 = a$

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since b^d is greater than a, this is overhead dominate

therefore ⊕ (n^3)

2. D&C Master Theorem

a. Algo 1
$$T(n) = 1 T(n/3) + 1$$

a = 1, b = 3, d = 0 $b^d = 1 = 1 = a$

Worst case would be if there were no negative numbers in the list as it looks as though the algorithm looks for the first negative number?

Best case the first element is negative as it makes the recursive call at the front of the list first

b. Algo 2
$$T(n) = 2 T(n/2) + 1$$

 $a = 2$, $b = 2$, $d = 0$ $b^d = 1 < 2 = a$ so this is recursive dominant therefore $\Theta(n^{(\log 2(n))})$

Wost case would be same as the best case as this simply looks like it sums all the elements in a list

3. Merge Sort

a. Design k way merge sort

MergeSortK(A[0, n-1]):

Return A

Else:

b. Worst Case

$$T(n) = k T(n/k) + \Theta(n)$$

a = k, b = k, d = 1 b^ d = k == k = a

therefore the equation is balanced at Θ (n)

c. Better or Worse

Better, in class we discussed that the recursion by 2 is Θ (n log n) and Θ (n) is better than that.

We would pick a value of k depending on the number of pieces we want, this skips the number of recursions for later?

This seems wrong but I am not sure what about it is off.

d. Does it run in Θ (n)

Yes it is reasonable since the master theorem showed that T(n) is balanced.

4. Consider Algorithm

The algorithm as written will always return 0 as it adds up a number of zeros equal to the number of nodes (including root)

To correct this we could check if left + right = 0 then we would know this is a leaf and could return 1

If T = null return 0

Else If (LeafCounter(Tleft) + LeafCounter(Tright) == 0

Return 1

Else return LeafCounter(Tleft) + LeafCounter(Tright)

Now we have check if this node is null, if this node has children (if not it is a leaf, and if not a leaf, call further down to see where the leaves are.

5. Travers Tree

b. In

D, B, E, A, C, F

c. Post

D, E, B, F, C, A

6. Karatsuba Algorithm (2101 * 1130)

$$10^4$$
 axc + 10^2 (ad + bc) + bd a = 21, b = 01, c = 11, d = 30

2,374,130

7. Straasen's Algorithm (left is top of matrix, right is bottom)

8. D&C 2-D Closest Pair

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

$$T(n) = 2 T(n/2) + \Theta (n \log (n))$$

a = 2, b = 2, c = log 2 (2) = 1

n log (n) lower bounded by n is true so case 3 of master theorem

 Θ (n log (n))