

Q1 $T(n) = 3T(n/2) + n^2$

$a=3 \quad b=2 \quad f(n)=n^2$

$\therefore a$ & b are constant & $f(n)$ is the function
 \therefore Master's theorem is applicable.

$$c = \log_b a$$
$$= \log_2 3 = 1.58$$

$n^c = n^{1.58}$ which is $< n^2$

\therefore case 3 is applicable

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

Q2 $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2$

$a=4 \quad b=2 \quad f(n)=n^2$

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

$n^c = n^2 \quad n^c = f(n)$

case 2. $T(n) = O(n^2 \log n)$

Q3 $T(n) = T(n/2) + 2^n$

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

$c = \log_b a \Rightarrow \log_2 1 = 0 \quad n^c = n^0 = 1$

$f(n) > n^c$

\therefore case 3

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

Q4 $T(n) = 2^n T(n/2) + n^n$

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

$\therefore a$ is not constant, its value depends on n
 \therefore Master's theorem not applicable.

Q5

$$T(n) = 16T(n/4) + n$$

$$a = 16, b = 4, f(n) = n$$

$$c = \log_b a = \log_4 16 = 2$$

$$n^c > f(n)$$

Case 1

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

Q6

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

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

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

$$n^c = n$$

$f(n) > n^c$
Case 3 is applied

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

Q7

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

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

$$c = \log_2 2 = 1$$

$$n^c = n$$

non polynomial diff b/w n^c & $f(n)$,
 \therefore master's theorem not applicable

Q8

$$T(n) = 2T(n/4) + n^{0.51}$$

$$a = 2, b = 4, f(n) = n^{0.51}$$

$$c = \log_b a = \log_4 2 = 0.5$$

$$n^c = n^{0.5}$$

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

case 3 is applied

$$T(n) = O(n^{0.51})$$

Q9

$$T(n) = 0.5 T(n/2) + \frac{1}{n}$$

$a < 1 \therefore$ master's theorem applicable

Q10

$$T(n) = 16 T(n/4) + n!$$

$$a = 16, b = 4, f(n) = n!$$

$$c = \log_4 16 = 2$$

$$n^c = n^2$$

$$f(n) > n^c \quad \text{case 3.}$$

$$T(n) = O(n!)$$

Q11

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

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

$$c = \log_2 4 = 2$$

$$n^c = n^2$$

$$n^c > f(n)$$

\therefore case 1 is applied

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

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

a is not constant, therefore master's theorem not applicable

Q13 $T(n) = 3T(n/2) + n$

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

$c = \log_b a = \log_2 3 = 1.58$

$n^c = n^{1.58} > f(n)$

Case 1
 $T(n) = O(n^{1.58})$

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

$a=3, b=3, f(n)=\sqrt{n}$

$c = \log_b a = 1$

$n^c = n > \sqrt{n}$

Case 1 is applied $T(n) = O(n)$

Q15 $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + c \cdot n$

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

$n^c = n^2 > f(n)$

\therefore Case 1 is applied

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

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

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

$c = \log_b a = \log_4 3 = 0.78$

$n^c = n^{0.78} < f(n)$

\therefore Case 3 is applied $T(n) = O(n \log n)$

Q17 $T(n) = 3T(n/3) + \frac{n}{2}$

$a=3, b=3 \quad f(n) = \frac{n}{2}$

$c = \log_3 a = 1$

$n^c = n > f(n)$

case 1: $T(n) = O(n)$

Q18

$T(n) = 6T(\frac{n}{3}) + n^2 \log n$

$c = \log_3 6 \Rightarrow 1.63$

$n^c = n^{1.63} < f(n)$

case 3 is applied $\therefore T(n) = O(n^2 \log n)$

Q19

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

$c = \log_2 4 = 2$

$n^c = n^2 \quad f(n) = n \log n$

$n^c \not> f(n)$

\therefore case 1 is applied $T(n) = O(n^2)$

Q20

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

$a=64 \quad b=8 \quad f(n) = n^2 \log n$

$c = \log_8 a = 2$

$n^c = n^2 < f(n)$

case 3 is applied $T(n) = O(n^2 \log n)$

Q21 $T(n) = 7T(n/3) + n^2$
 $a = 7, b = 3, f(n) = n^2$
 $c = \log_3 7 = 1.77$

$$n^c = n^{1.77} < f(n)$$

Case 3 is applied $T(n) = O(n^2)$

Q22 $T(n) = T(n/2) + n(2 - \cos n)$
 $\therefore f(n)$ is not a regular function
 \therefore Master's theorem cannot be applied