

Q.1 What do you understand by Asymptotic Notation, define different asymptotic notation with example.

TUTORIAL-1

(i) Big Oh (θ)

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

$$\text{if } f(n) \leq cg(n) \quad \forall n \geq n_0$$

for some constant, $c > 0$

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

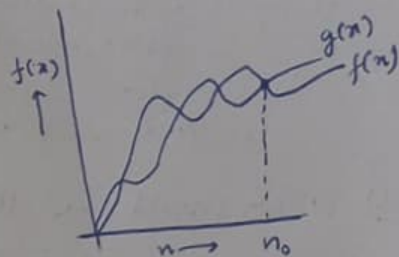
eg:-

$$f(n) = n^2 + n$$

$$g(n) = n^3$$

$$n^2 + n \leq cn^3$$

$$n^2 + n = O(n^3)$$



(ii) Big Omega (ω)

$$\text{When } f(n) = \omega(g(n))$$

means $g(n)$ is 'tight' lower bound of $f(n)$; i.e., $f(n)$ can go beyond $g(n)$

$$\text{i.e.: } f(n) = \omega(g(n))$$

$$\text{iff } f(n) \geq cg(n) \quad \forall n > n_0 \text{ and some constant } c > 0$$

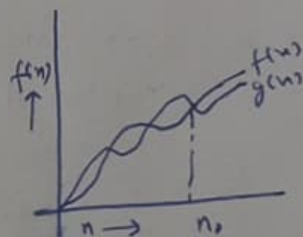
eg:-

$$f(n) = n^3 + 4n^2$$

$$g(n) = n^2$$

$$\text{i.e.: } f(n) \geq cg(n)$$

$$n^3 + 4n^2 = \omega(n^2)$$



(iii) Big Theta (θ)

When $f(n) = \theta(g(n))$, gives the tight upperbound and lowerbound both.

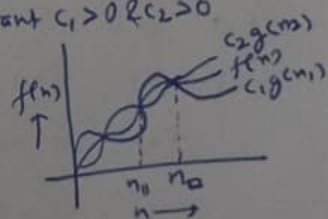
$$\text{i.e.: } f(n) = \theta(g(n))$$

$$\text{iff } c_1 g(n_1) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n_2)$$

for all $n \geq \max(n_1, n_2)$ and some constant $c_1 > 0, c_2 > 0$

i.e.: $f(n)$ can never go beyond $c_2 g(n)$ and will never come down of $c_1 g(n)$.

$$\text{eg: } 3n + 2 = \theta(n) \text{ as } 3n + 2 \geq 3n$$



(iv) Small Oh (o)

when $f(n) = o(g(n))$ gives the upper bound

$$\text{i.e.: } f(n) = o(g(n))$$

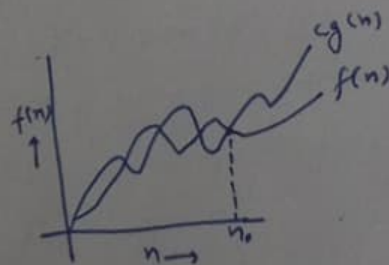
$$\text{iff } f(n) < cg(n)$$

$$\forall n > n_0 \text{ and } n > 0$$

$$\text{eg: } f(n) = n^2; g(n) = n^3$$

$$f(n) < cg(n)$$

$$n^2 = o(n^3)$$

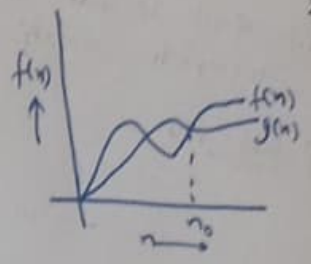


(v) Small Omega (ω):-

It gives the lower bound;
i.e. $f(n) = \omega(g(n))$

where $g(n)$ is lower bound of $f(n)$

iff $f(n) > c g(n)$ $\forall n > n_0$ and some const. $c > 0$



Q.2) What should be the time complexity of
for (int i = 1 to n)

{
 i = i * 2 $\rightarrow O(1)$
}

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

G.P.

So, $a = 1, r = 2, n = 2/1 = 2$

k^{th} value of G.P:

$$t_k = ar^{k-1}$$

$$t_k = 1(2)^{k-1}$$

$$2^n = 2^k$$

$$\log_2(2^n) = k \log_2 2$$

$$\log_2 2 + \log_2 n = k$$

$$\log_2 n + 1 = k$$

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

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

$$T(n) = 3T(n-1) \text{ --- ①}$$

$$T(n) = 1$$

Put $n = n-1$ in ①

$$T(n-1) = 3T(n-2) \text{ --- ②}$$

Put ② in ①

$$T(n) = 3 \times 3T(n-2)$$

$$T(n) = 9T(n-2) \text{ --- ③}$$

Put $n = n-2$ in ①

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

Put in ③

$$T(n) = 27T(n-3) \text{ --- ④}$$

$$T(k) = 3^k T(n-k) \text{ --- (5)}$$

for k^{th} term, Let $n-k=1$

$$k = n-1$$

Put in (5)

$$T(n) = 3^{n-1} T(1)$$

$$= 3^{n-1}$$

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

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

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

Put $n=n-1$

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

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

$$= 4T(n-2) - 2 - 1 \text{ --- (3)}$$

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

Put in (1)

$$T(n) = 8T(n-3) - 4 - 2 - 1 \text{ --- (4)}$$

$$T(n) = 2^k T(n-k) - 2^{k-1} - 2^{k-2} - 2^{k-3} \dots - 2^0$$

k^{th} term:

$$\text{Let } n=k-1$$

$$k = n-1$$

$$T(n) = 2^{n-1} T(1) - 2^k \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} \right)$$

$$= 2^{n-1} - 2^{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} \right)$$

$$a = \frac{1}{2}, \quad r = \frac{1}{2}$$

So,
$$T(n) = 2^{n-1} \left(1 - \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{n-1} \frac{(1 - (\frac{1}{2})^{n-1})}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} \right)$$

$$= 2^{n-1} \left(1 - 1 + \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2^{n-1}}{2^{n-1}}$$

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

Q5) What should be time complexity of

```
int i=1, s=1;
while (s ≤ n)
{
    i++;
    s = s+i;
    printf("#");
}
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$i = 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4 \quad 5 \quad 6 \quad \dots$ — ①

$s = 1 + 3 + 6 + 10 + 15 + 21 + \dots$

Sum of $s = 1 + 3 + 6 + 10 + \dots \quad T_{n-1} + T_n$ — ②

$$0 = 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + n - T_n$$

$$T_k = 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + k$$

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

for k iterations

$$1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + k \leq n$$

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

$$\frac{k^2 + k}{2} \leq n$$

$$O(k^2) \leq n$$

$$k = O(\sqrt{n})$$

$$T(n) = O(\sqrt{n})$$

Q6) Time Complexity of

void f(int n)

```
{
    int i, count=0;
    for(int i=1; i ≤ n; i++)
    {
        // ...
    }
}
```

$$i = \sqrt{n}$$

$$i = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, \sqrt{n}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\sqrt{n}} 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + \sqrt{n}$$

$$T(n) = \frac{\sqrt{n} * (\sqrt{n} + 1)}{2}$$

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

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

Q.7) Time Complexity of

void f (int n)

```
{ int i, j, k, count = 0;
  for (int i = n/2; i <= n; i++)
    for (int j = 1; j <= n; j *= 2)
      for (k = 1; k <= n; k += 2)
        count++;
}
```

Since for $k = k^2$
 $k = 1, 2, 4, 8, \dots, n$
 $a = 1, r = 2$

$$\frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r - 1}$$

$$\frac{1(2^k - 1)}{1}$$

$$n = 2^k - 1$$

$$n + 1 = 2^k$$

$$\log_2(n) = k$$

i	j	k
1	$\log n$	$\log(n) * \log(n)$
2	$\log n$	$\log(n) \log(n)$
3	$\log n$	$\log(n) \log(n)$
⋮	⋮	⋮
n	$\log n$	$\log(n) \log(n)$

$$T.C \Rightarrow O(n \log(n) \log(n))$$

Q.8) Time Complexity of

void function (int n)

```
{ if (n == 1) return;
  for (i = 1 to n)
    for (j = 1 to n)
      printf("*");
}
```

function (n-1);

}

for (i=1 to n)

we get j n times every time

$$i * j = n^2$$

k^{th} ;

$$T(n) = n^2 + T(n-3)$$

$$T(n-3) = (n-3)^2 + T(n-6)$$

$$T(n-6) = (n-6)^2 + T(n-9)$$

$$\text{and } T(1) = 1$$

Now, substitute each value in $T(n)$

$$T(n) = n^2 + (n-3)^2 + (n-6)^2 + \dots + 1$$

$$\text{let } k^{th} - 3k = 1$$

$$k = (n-1)/3 \quad \text{total terms} = k+1$$

$$T(n) = n^2 + (n-3)^2 + (n-6)^2 + \dots + 1$$

$$T(n) \approx k \cdot k^2$$

$$T(n) \approx (k-1)/3 \cdot n^2$$

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

Q.9) Time Complexity of
void function (int n)

{

for (int i=1 to n)

for (int j=1; j <= n; j+=i)

print ("*");

}

for i=1

i=2

i=3

$$j = 1 + 2 + \dots \quad n \geq j+1$$

$$j = 1 + 3 + 5 + \dots \quad n \geq j+1$$

$$j = 1 + 4 + 7 + \dots \quad n \geq j+1$$

n^{th} term of AP is

$$T(n) = a + d(n-1)$$

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

$$(n-1)d = n$$

$$(n-1)/2 \text{ times}$$

$$(n-1)/2 \text{ times}$$

for

i=1

i=2

i

i=n-1

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{we get, } T(n) &= i_1 j_1 + i_2 j_2 + \dots + i_{n-1} j_{n-1} \\
 &= \frac{(n-1)}{2} + \frac{n-2}{2} + \frac{n-3}{3} + \dots + 1 \\
 &= n + \frac{n}{2} + \frac{n}{3} + \dots + \frac{n}{n-1} - n \times 1 \\
 &= n \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{n-1} \right] - n \times 1 \\
 &= n \log n - n + 1
 \end{aligned}$$

Since $\int \frac{1}{x} = \log x$

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

Q.10) For the function n^k & c^n . What is the asymptotic relationship b/w these functions?

Assume that $k \geq 1$ & $c > 1$ are constants. Find out the value of c and no. of which relationship holds.

As given n^k & c^n .

Relationship b/w n^k & c^n is

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

$$n^k \leq a(c^n)$$

$$\forall n \geq n_0 \text{ \& constant, } a > 0$$

$$\text{for } n_0 = 1; c = 2$$

$$1^k < 2^2$$

$$n_0 = 1 \text{ \& } c = 2$$