

# Analysis of Algorithms

## Assignment 1

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Ans: to the Ques: No: 1(a)

Loop Invariant: After each iterations,

$$K = 2^c$$

For each iteration,  $K$  is multiplied by 2 and  $c$  is incremented by 1. That mean  $K$  gives  $2^c$  for the current value of  $c$  in each iteration.

Ans: to the Ques: No: 1(b)

Base Case: Before the first iteration,

$K=1$  and  $c=0$ . According to the loop invariant,

$$K = 2^c = 2^0 = 1 \text{ which is the initial}$$

value of  $K$ . So the loop invariant holds.

Induction: Lets assume the loop invariant is true for first  $m$  iterations. So,

$$c = m \text{ and } K = 2^m$$

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After the next iteration,

$$K = 2^m \times 2 = 2^{m+1}$$

and  $C = m+1$ .

So the loop invariant holds for first  $(m+1)$  iterations also.

At the end: The loop terminates when  $C = n$ , which gives us  $K = 2^n$  which is the ~~the~~ correct output of the program.

Therefore, we can say that the code correctly computes  $2^n$  for any integer  $n \geq 0$ .  
(Proved)

Ans: to the Ques: No: 1(c)

The loop counter  $C$  starts at 0, runs as long as  $C \leq n$  and increments by 1. So the run time of the algorithm is  $O(n)$ .



### Ans to Ques No: 2(a)

The outer loop starts at  $i = 3n$ , runs till  $i > 0$  and decreases by  $i = i - 4$ . So the number of iterations is:

$$(\text{initial value} - \text{final value}) / \text{decrement}$$

$$\Rightarrow (3n - 0) / 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 3n/4 \text{ which is } O(n)$$

The inner loop starts at  $j = 20n$ , runs till  $j > 0$  and decreases by  $j = j/3$ . So the number of iterations is:

$$\log_3(20n)$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_2(20n) \text{ which is } O(\log n).$$

Here both the loops runs for an exact number of times. So, this gives us a tight bound on both upper and ~~upper~~ lower bound. So here, total running time:

$$O(n) \times O(\log n)$$

$$= O(n \log n) = \Omega(n \log n) = \Theta(n \log n)$$

$$\boxed{\text{Answer: } \Theta(n \log n)}$$

Answer to Question No: 2(b)

The outer loop starts at  $i = 3n^2$ , runs till  $i > 0$ , and decreases by  $i = i - 1$ . So the number of iterations is: (initial value - final value) / decrement

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3n^2 - 0}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3n^2 \text{ which is } O(n^2)$$

The inner loop starts at  $j = i$ , runs till  $j > 0$ , and decreases by  $j = j/2$ . So for each value of  $i$ , the loop runs for  $O(\log_2 i)$  times. Now

$i$  can be from  $3n^2$  to  $0$ , so the total run

time for the inner loop is  $\sum_{i=1}^{3n^2} \log_2 i$

$$\approx n^2 \log_2 n, \text{ which}$$

$$\text{is } O(n^2 \log n).$$



Here, both the loops run for an exact number of iterations. So both the tight upper bound and tight lower bound is same.

So total running time:

$$O(n^2) \times O(n^2 \log n) \\ = O(n^2 \log n) = \Omega(n^2 \log n) = \Theta(n^2 \log n)$$

$$\boxed{\text{Answer: } \Theta(n^2 \log n)}$$

Ans: to the Ques: No: 3(a)

Here,  $f(n) = 4n^5 - 50n^2 + 10n$  and  $g(n) = n^5$

We have find constants  $C_1, C_2$  and  $n_0$  such that,

$$C_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq C_2 g(n) \text{ for all } C_1 > 0, C_2 > 0, n_0 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow C_1 n^5 \leq 4n^5 - 50n^2 + 10n \leq C_2 n^5$$

Now,

~~$$4n^5 - 50n^2 + 10n \leq 4n^5 + 50n^5 + 10n^5$$~~

$$4n^5 - 50n^2 + 10n \leq 4n^5 + 10n \\ \leq 4n^5 + 10n^5$$

$$\leq 15n^5 \text{ for all } n > 1$$

Here  $C = 15, n_0 = 1$ . So  $f(n) = O(g(n))$ .

Again,

$$3n^5 \leq 4n^5 - 50n^2 + 10n \text{ for all } n > n_0$$

and where  $n_0$  is extremely large.

Here,  $n_0$  is so large that the term  $-50n^2 + 10n$  become negligible compared to the term  $4n^5$ .

So,  $c = 3$  and  $n_0$  is large which is  $n_0 > 0$ .  
So,  $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$

So we have  $f(n) = O(g(n))$  and  $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$ . Now  
~~can~~ we can say that  $f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$

(Proved)

Ans: to the Ques: No: 3(b)

According to Limit Theorem, for two functions  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$ , where  $g(n)$  is non-zero for sufficiently large  $n$ , if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \right| = 0$ , then  ~~$f(n) = o(g(n))$~~

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

Here,  $f(n) = 5n^{\frac{2}{3}} + 8 \log n$ ,  $g(n) = n$ . We have to prove that,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{5n^{\frac{2}{3}} + 8 \log n}{n} \right| = 0$

Here, if  $n$  becomes greater, then the term  $n$  grows faster than the other terms.



So when  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , then the equation approaches zero. So we can say that,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5n^{\frac{2}{3}} + 8 \log n}{n} = 0.$$

So ~~we can~~ according to Limit Theory,

$$5n^{\frac{2}{3}} + 8 \log n \in o(n) \quad (\text{Proved})$$

Ans: to the Ques: No: 3(c)

Here,  $f(n) = n^5 + 4n^2 + 15$  ~~and~~ and

$g(n) = n^3$ , we have to find a constant  $c$

and  $n_0$  such that

$$f(n) \geq c g(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0 \text{ and } c > 0.$$

now,

$$n^5 + 4n^2 + 15 \geq n^5 \geq 1n^3 \text{ for all } n \geq 1$$

Here,  $c = 1$  and  $n_0 = 1$ .

So, we can say that

$$n^5 + 4n^2 + 15 \in \Omega(n^3) \quad (\text{Proved})$$

Ans: to the Ques. No: 4

There are six functions. If we order them  $f_1, f_2, f_3, \dots$  such that,  $f_1 \in O(f_2), f_2 \in O(f_3)$  etc,

$$f_1 = \log_2 n$$

$$f_2 = n^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$f_3 = n^5$$

$$f_4 = 2^{\sqrt{\log_2 n}}$$

$$f_5 = 10^n$$

$$f_6 = n^n$$