

# Assignment 1

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## **Question 1**

What is the time, space complexity of following code:

```
int a = 0, b = 0;
for (i = 0; i < N; i++)
{
    a = a + 1;
}
for (j = 0; j < M; j++)
{
    b = b + j;
}
```

Ans:  $O(N + M)$  time,  $O(1)$  space

## **Question 2**

What does it mean when we say that an algorithm X is asymptotically more efficient than Y?

- a) X will be a better choice for all inputs
- b) X will be a better choice for all inputs except possibly small inputs
- c) X will be a better choice for all inputs except possibly large inputs
- d) Y will be a better choice for small inputs

Ans: X will be a better choice for all inputs except possibly small inputs

