

Log Rules

- $\log(ab) = \log(a) + \log(b)$
- $\log\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) = \log(a) - \log(b)$
- $\log(a^k) = k\log(a)$
- $\log(1) = 0$
- $\log_b(b) = 1$
- $\log_b(b^k) = k$
- $b^{\log_b(k)} = k$
- $\log_b(a) = \frac{\log_d(a)}{\log_d(b)}$

Summation Identities

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{i=a}^b f(x) &= \sum_{i=a}^b (x) + \sum_{i=a}^b (y) \\ \sum_{i=a}^b f(x) &= \sum_{i=0}^b f(x) - \sum_{i=0}^{a-1} f(x) \\ \sum_{i=a}^b (c) f(i) &= c \sum_{i=0}^{a-1} f(i) \\ \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} c &= cn \\ \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i &= \frac{n(n-1)}{2} \\ \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} ar^i &= \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r - 1} \quad r \neq 1\end{aligned}$$

Asymptomatic Analysis Definitions

- $f(n) = O(g(n))$
 - $O(g(n)) = \{f \in \mathcal{F} : \exists c, n_0 > 0, \forall n \geq n_0, f(n) \leq cg(n)\}$
 - f grows no faster than g, i.e. the growth of g is an upper bound to the growth of f.
- $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$
 - $\Omega(g(n)) = \{f \in \mathcal{F} : \exists c, n_0 > 0, \forall n \geq n_0, f(n) \geq cg(n)\}$
 - f grows at least as fast as g, i.e. g is a lower bound to the growth of f.
- $f(n) = \theta(g(n))$
 - $\theta(g(n)) = O(g(n)) \cap \Omega(g(n))$
 - The set of $f(n)$ where f grows as fast as g
- $f(n) = o(g(n))$
 - $o(g(n)) = O(g(n)) \setminus \theta(g(n))$
 - f grows noticeably slower than g
- $f(n) = \omega(g(n))$
 - $\omega(g(n)) = \Omega(g(n)) \setminus \theta(g(n))$
 - f grows noticeably faster than g

Upper Bound / Lower Bound Method Examples

- $f(n) = 3^{n+1} + 5n^4$

Upper Bound

$$\begin{aligned}3^{n+1} + 5n^4 &\leq 3^{n+1} + 5(3^{n+1}) \\ &= 3 * 3^n + 15 * 3^n \\ &= 18 * 3^n \\ &= O(3^n)\end{aligned}$$

Lower Bound

$$\begin{aligned}3^{n+1} + 5n^4 &\geq 3^{n+1} \\ &= 3 * 3^n \\ &= \Omega(3^n)\end{aligned}$$

Limit Method

Let f and g be monotonically increasing

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \begin{cases} 0 & \text{then } f(n) = O(g(n)) \\ c > 0 & \text{then } f(n) = \theta(g(n)) \\ \infty & \text{then } f(n) = \Omega(g(n)) \end{cases}$$

Helpful Lemma

If $f(n) = O(g(n))$ then $\ln(f(n)) = O(\ln(g(n)))$.

For Loop Examples

Function T1(n):

```
x = 0
for i=1 to n do
    for j=1 to i do
        x = x + (i-j)
    end
end
```

$$T2(n) = \sum_{a=1}^n \left(\sum_{b=1}^a 1 \right) = \sum_{a=1}^n a = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \theta(n^2)$$

Function T2(n):

```
x = 0
for i=1 to n do
    for j=1 to √n do
        x = x + (i-j)
    end
end
```

*Note $n[\sqrt{n}] \leq n\sqrt{n}$

$$T2(n) = \sum_{a=1}^n \sum_{b=1}^{\sqrt{n}} 1 = \sum_{a=1}^n \sqrt{n} = n\sqrt{n} = \theta(n^{1.5})$$

While Loop Examples

Function T3(n):

```
x = 0
i = 1
while i < n do
    x = (x + 1)^2
    i = 2i
end
```

*k is number of iterations

$$\begin{aligned}i &= 1 * 2^k < n \\ \lg(2^k) &< \lg(n) \\ k &< \lg(n)\end{aligned}$$

$$T3(n) = \sum_{a=1}^{\lg(n)} 1 = \lg(n) = \theta(\lg(n))$$

For and While Loop Examples

Function T4(n):

```

for i = 1 to n do
  j = 1
  while j < n do
    x = (x + 1)^2
    j = 2*j
  end
end

```

$$\begin{aligned}
 j &= 2^k < n \\
 \lg(2^k) &< \lg(n) \\
 k &< \lg(n)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$T_4(n) = \sum_{a=1}^n \sum_{b=1}^{\lg(n)} 1 = \sum_{a=1}^n \lg(n) = n \lg(n) = \theta(n \lg(n))$$

Recursion Trees

Expression

$$\begin{aligned}
 T(n) &= 2T(n-1) + 1 & \forall n > 1 \\
 T(1) &= 1
 \end{aligned}$$

General Expression

$$\begin{aligned}
 T(n) &= 2T(n-1) + 1 \\
 &= 2(2T(n-2) + 1) + 1 \\
 &= 2(2(2T(n-3) + 1) + 1) + 1 \\
 &= 2^3T(n-3) + 4 + 2 + 1 \\
 T(n) &= 2^{k+1}T(n-(k+1)) + \sum_{i=0}^k 2^i
 \end{aligned}$$

Find Number of Expansions

$$\begin{aligned}
 n - (k+1) &= 1 \\
 k &= n - 2
 \end{aligned}$$

Solve Runtime

$$\begin{aligned}
 T(n) &= 2^{n-2+1}T(n-(n-2+1)) + \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} 2^i \\
 &= 2^{n-1}T(1) + \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} 2^i \\
 &= 2^{n-1} + \frac{1-2^{n-1}}{1-2} \\
 &= 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-1} - 1 \\
 &= 2^n - 1 \\
 T(n) &= \theta(2^n)
 \end{aligned}$$

Recurrence Relation From Code

$$T(n) = f(n)T(g(n)) + h(n)$$

1. $f(n)$ is the number of recursive calls that will happen ($f(n) = 1$ or 2 for most algorithms you will see)
2. $g(n)$ describes how the size of the problem changes from one call to the next
3. $h(n)$ describes the amount of work happening before and after the recursive calls

Example

```

int BinarySearch(Array, low, high, value)
  if low > high
    index = -1
  else
    midpt = (low+high)/2
    if value = Array[midpt]
      index = midpt
    else if k < Array[midpt]
      index = BinarySearch(Array, low, midpt - 1, value)
    else
      index = BinarySearch(Array, midpt + 1, high, value)
  return index

```

$$\begin{aligned}
 T(n) &= T(n/2) + c \\
 T(n) &= 1 & n < 1
 \end{aligned}$$

Sorting Algorithms

A sorting algorithm is any algorithm which solves this problem:

Input A sequence of n numbers a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n

Output A permutation a_1', a_2', \dots, a_n' of the input sequence such that $a_1' \leq a_2' \leq \dots \leq a_n'$

Comparison Sort

```

InsertionSort(A)
for j = 2 to A.length
  key = A[j]
  i = j - 1
  while i > 0 and A[i] > key
    A[i + 1] = A[i]
    i = i - 1
  A[i + 1] = key

```

Best Case: A is already sorted. Then the while loop never runs, because the $A[i] > \text{key}$ condition always fails. Thus, the running time of InsertionSort for an already sorted list is $\theta(n)$

Worst Case: If A comes to us sorted in reverse order, then the while loop will run the maximum number of times in each iteration of the for loop. In this case, the running time will be

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{j=2}^n \sum_{i=1}^{j-1} 1 &= \sum_{j=2}^n (j-1) = \sum_{j=2}^n j - \sum_{j=2}^n 1 = \sum_{j=2}^n j - (n-1) = \sum_{j=1}^n j - 1 \\
 &= \frac{n(n+1)}{2} - 1 - (n-1)
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the running time of InsertionSort for a list in reverse sorted order is $\theta(n^2)$