

Question 1

$$1. (n^2 + 1)^{10} \\ (n^2 + 1)^{10} \approx (n^2)^{10} = n^{20} \in \Theta(n^{20})$$

Proof:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (n^2 + 1)^{10} / n^{20} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (n^2 + 1)^{10} / (n^2)^{10} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} ((n^2 + 1) / (n^2))^{10} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 + 1/n^2)^{10} = 1$$

$$2. \sqrt{10n^2 + 7n + 3} \\ \sqrt{10n^2 + 7n + 3} \approx \sqrt{10n^2} = \sqrt{10}n \in \Theta(n)$$

Proof:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{10n^2 + 7n + 3} / n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{(10n^2 + 7n + 3) / n^2} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{10 + 7/n + 3/n^2} = \sqrt{10}$$

$$3. 2n \lg(n+2)^2 + (n+2)^2 \lg(n/2) \\ 2n \lg(n+2)^2 + (n+2)^2 \lg(n/2) = (2n)2 \lg(n+2) + (n+2)^2 (\lg n - \lg 2) \in \Theta(n \lg n) + \Theta(n^2 \lg n) \\ = \Theta(n^2 \lg n)$$

Proof:

First prove $(2n)2 \lg(n+2) \in \Theta(n \lg n)$ and $(n+2)^2 (\lg n - \lg 2) \in \Theta(n^2 \lg n)$ by using limits.

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$$4. 2^{n+1} + 3^{n-1} \\ 2^{n+1} + 3^{n-1} = 2(2^n) + (1/3)(3^n) \in \Theta(2^n) + \Theta(3^n) = \Theta(3^n).$$

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$$5. \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor \\ \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor \approx \log_2 n \in \Theta(\log n).$$

Proof:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor / \log_2 n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} ((\log_2 n - \epsilon) / \log_2 n) = \\ \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\log_2 n / \log_2 n - \epsilon / \log_2 n) = 1 \\ \text{where } 0 \leq \epsilon < 1.$$

Question 2

$$(n-2)!, 5 \lg(n+100)^{10}, 2^{2n}, 0.001n^4 + 3n^3 + 1, \ln^2 n, \sqrt[3]{n}, 3^n.$$

$$(n-2)! \in \Theta(n!), 5 \lg(n+100)^{10} \in \Theta(\log n), 2^{2n} \in \Theta(4^n), 0.001n^4 + 3n^3 + 1 \in \Theta(n^4), \\ \ln^2 n \in \Theta(\log^2 n), \sqrt[3]{n} \in \Theta(n^{1/3}), 3^n \in \Theta(3^n).$$

The order should be $5 \lg(n+100)^{10}$, $\ln^2 n$, $\sqrt[3]{n}$, $0.001n^4 + 3n^3 + 1$, 3^n , 2^{2n} , $(n-2)!$,

Question 3

1. $1+3+5+7+\dots+999 = \sum_{i=1}^{500} (2i-1) = \sum_{i=1}^{500} 2i - \sum_{i=1}^{500} 1 = 2(500 \times 501)/2 - 500 = 250,000$
2. $2+4+8+16+\dots+1,024 = \sum_{i=1}^{10} 2^i = \sum_{i=0}^{10} 2^i - 1 = (2^{11} - 1) - 1 = 2046$
3. $\sum_{i=3}^{n+1} 1 = (n+1) - 3 + 1 = n - 1$
4. $\sum_{i=3}^{n+1} i = \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} i - \sum_{i=1}^2 i = (n+1)(n+2)/2 - (1+2) = (n^2 + 3n - 4)/2$
5. $\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i(i+1) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i^2 + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i = (n-1)n(2n-1)/6 + (n-1)n/2 = n(n^2 - 1)/3$
6. $\sum_{j=1}^n 3^{j+1} = 3 \sum_{j=1}^n 3^j = 3[\sum_{j=0}^n 3^j - 1] = 3[(3^{n+1} - 1)/(3 - 1) - 1] = (3^{n+2} - 9)/2$
7. $\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n ij = \sum_{i=1}^n i \sum_{j=1}^n j = \sum_{i=1}^n i[n(n+1)/2] = [n(n+1)/2] \sum_{i=1}^n i = [n(n+1)/2][n(n+1)/2] = n^2(n+1)^2/4$
8. $\sum_{i=1}^n 1/[i(i+1)] = \sum_{i=1}^n [(1/i) - (1/(i+1))] = (1-1/2) + (1/2-1/3) + \dots + (1/n-1/(n+1)) = 1 - 1/(n+1) = n/(n+1)$

Question 4

1. $\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (i^2+1)^2 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (i^4+2i^2+1) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i^4 + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 2i^2 + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 1 \in \Theta(n^5) + \Theta(n^3) + \Theta(n) = \Theta(n^5)$
2. $\sum_{i=2}^{n-1} \lg i^2 = \sum_{i=2}^{n-1} 2 \lg i = 2 \sum_{i=2}^{n-1} \lg i = 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \lg i - 2 \lg n \in \Theta(n \log n) - \Theta(\log n) = \Theta(n \log n)$
3. $\sum_{i=1}^n (i+1)2^{i-1} = \sum_{i=1}^n i2^{i-1} + \sum_{i=1}^n 2^{i-1} = (1/2) \sum_{i=1}^n i2^i + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} 2^j \in \Theta(n2^n) - \Theta(2^n) = \Theta(n2^n)$
4. $\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} (i+j) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} [\sum_{j=0}^{i-1} i + \sum_{j=0}^{i-1} j] = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} [i^2 + ((i-1)i/2)] = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} [(3/2)i^2 + (1/2)i] = (3/2) \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i^2 - (1/2) \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i \in \Theta(n^3) - \Theta(n^2) = \Theta(n^3)$