

TUTORIAL - 1

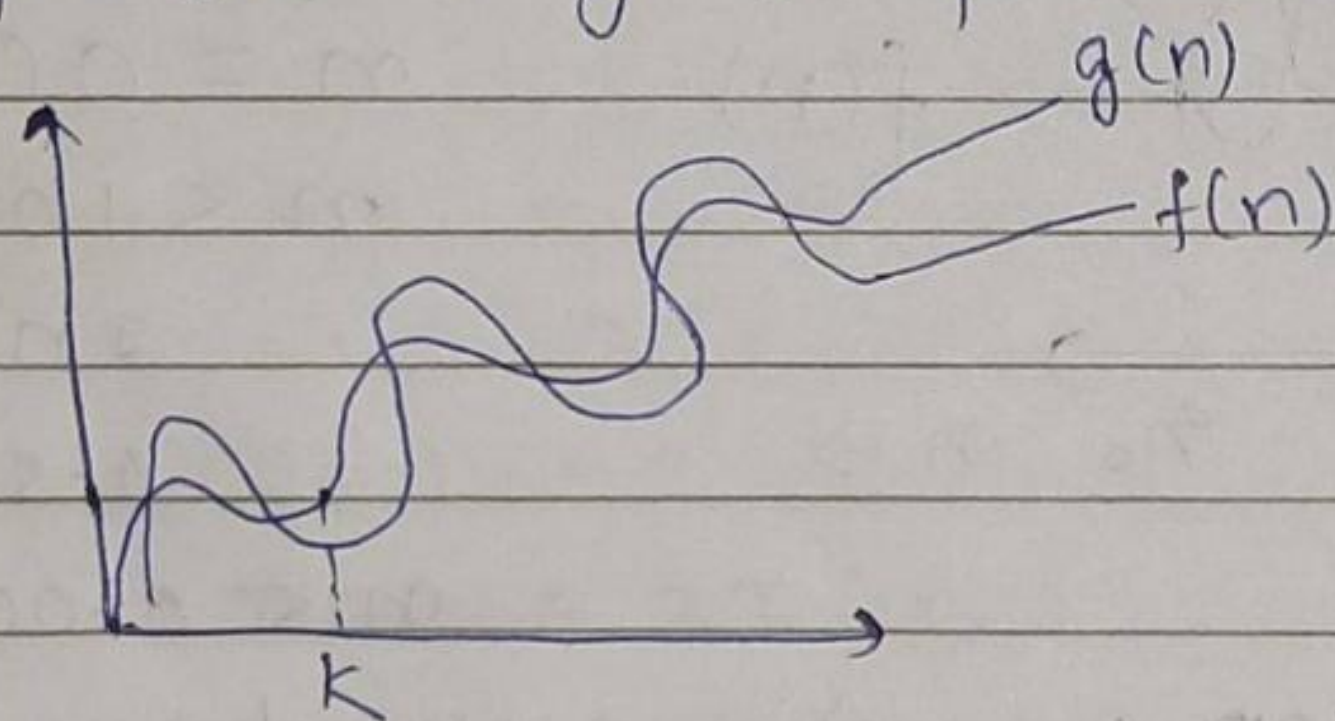
Q1: What do you understand by Asymptotic notations. Define different Asymptotic notation with examples.

Ans:- Asymptotic Notation:- are used to tell the complexity of an algorithm when the input is very large.

→ It describes the algorithm efficiency and the performance in a meaningful way. It describes the behaviour of time or space complexity for large instance characteristics.

The asymptotic notation of an algorithm is classified into 5 types:-

(i) Big-oh-notation (O):- (Asymptotic upper bound)
The function $f(n) = O(g(n))$, if and only if there exist a constant c and k such that $f(n) \leq c * g(n)$ for all n , $n \geq k$.

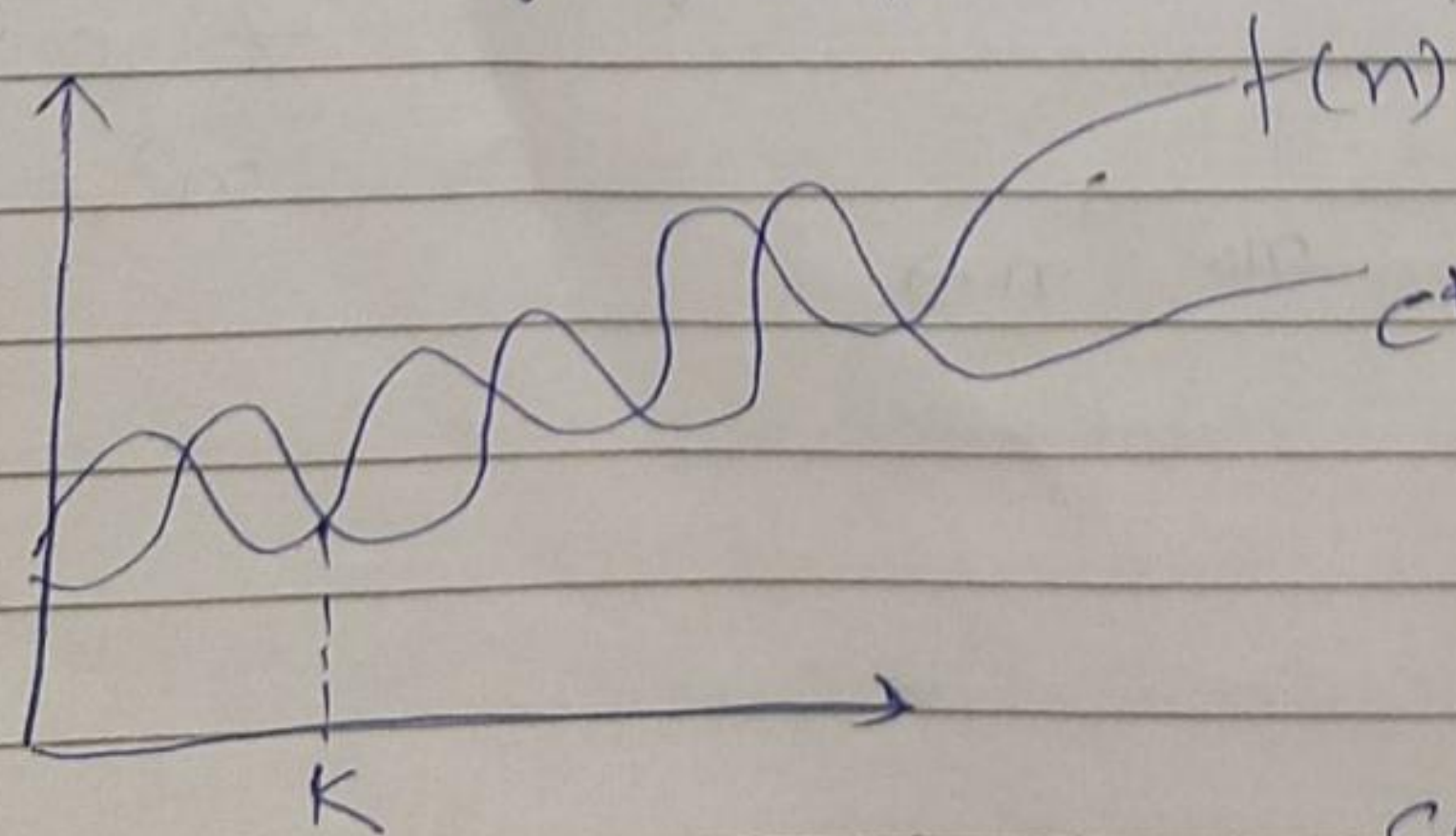


$$f(n) = O(g(n))$$

$$\text{iff } f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n) \\ \forall n \geq n_0$$

Some constant $c > 0$

(ii) Big-omega-notation (Ω):- (Asymptotic lower bound). The function $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$, iff there exists the constant c and k such that $f(n) \geq c * g(n)$ for all n , $n \geq k$.



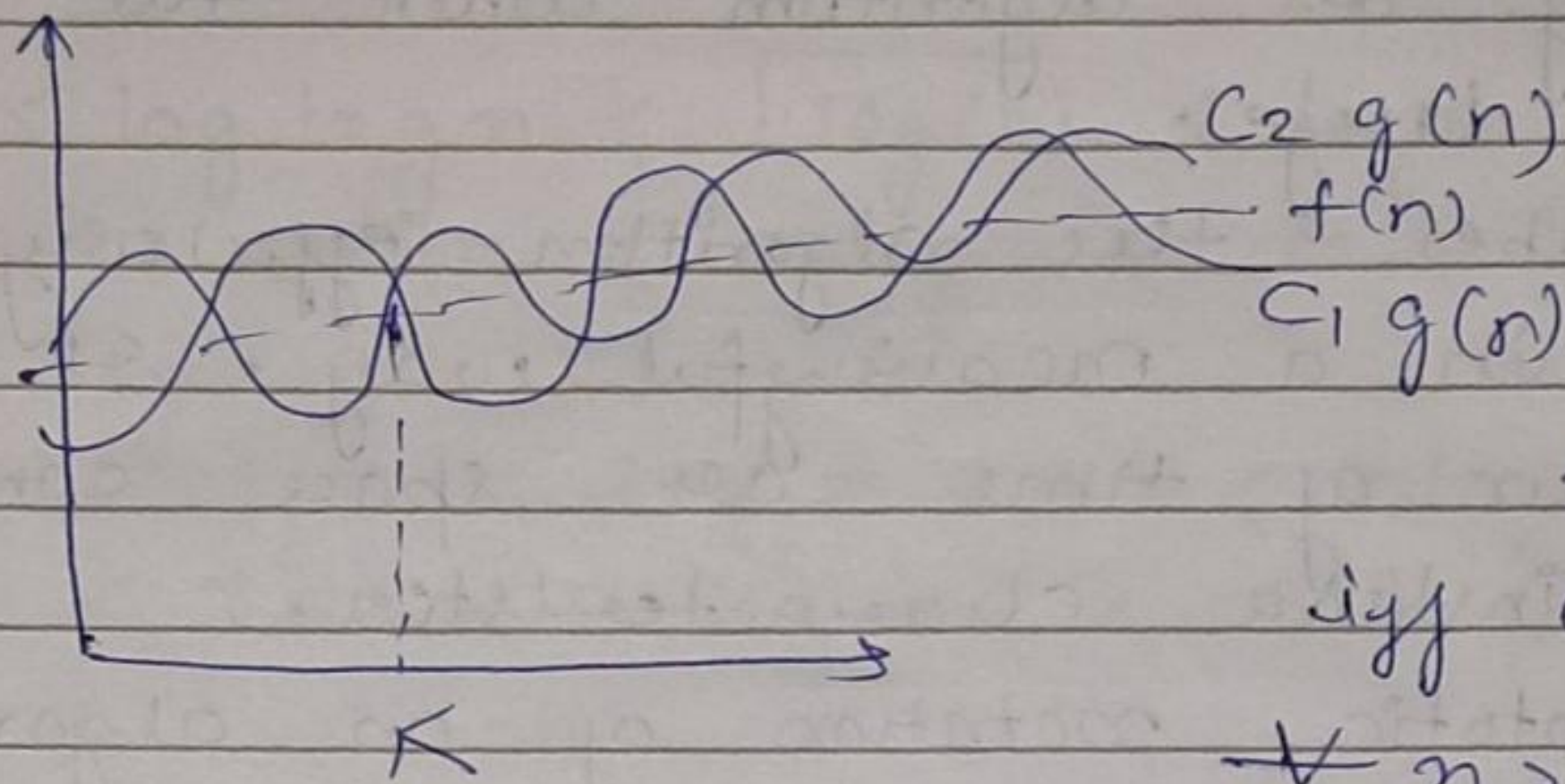
$$f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$$

$$\text{iff } f(n) \geq c \cdot g(n)$$

$\forall n \geq n_0$ & Some

constants $c > 0$

(iii) Big theta notation (Θ): (Asymptotic tight bound) The function $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$, iff there exists a +ve constant c_1, c_2 & k such that $c_1 * g(n) < f(n) < c_2 * g(n)$ for all $n, n \geq k$

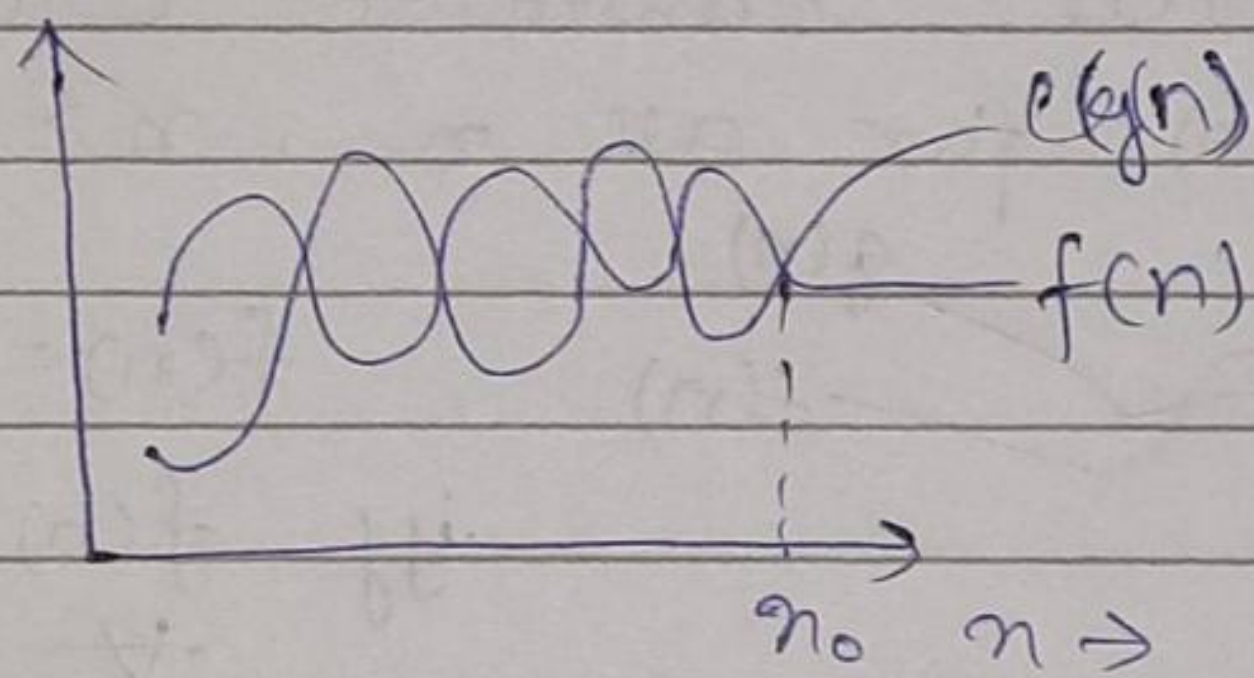


$$f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$$

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

$$\forall n \geq \max(n_1, n_2)$$

(iv) Small - oh (O): gives us upper bound
 $f(n) = O(g(n))$



$$f(n) \leq c g(n)$$

$$\forall n \geq n_0 \quad \forall c > 0$$

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

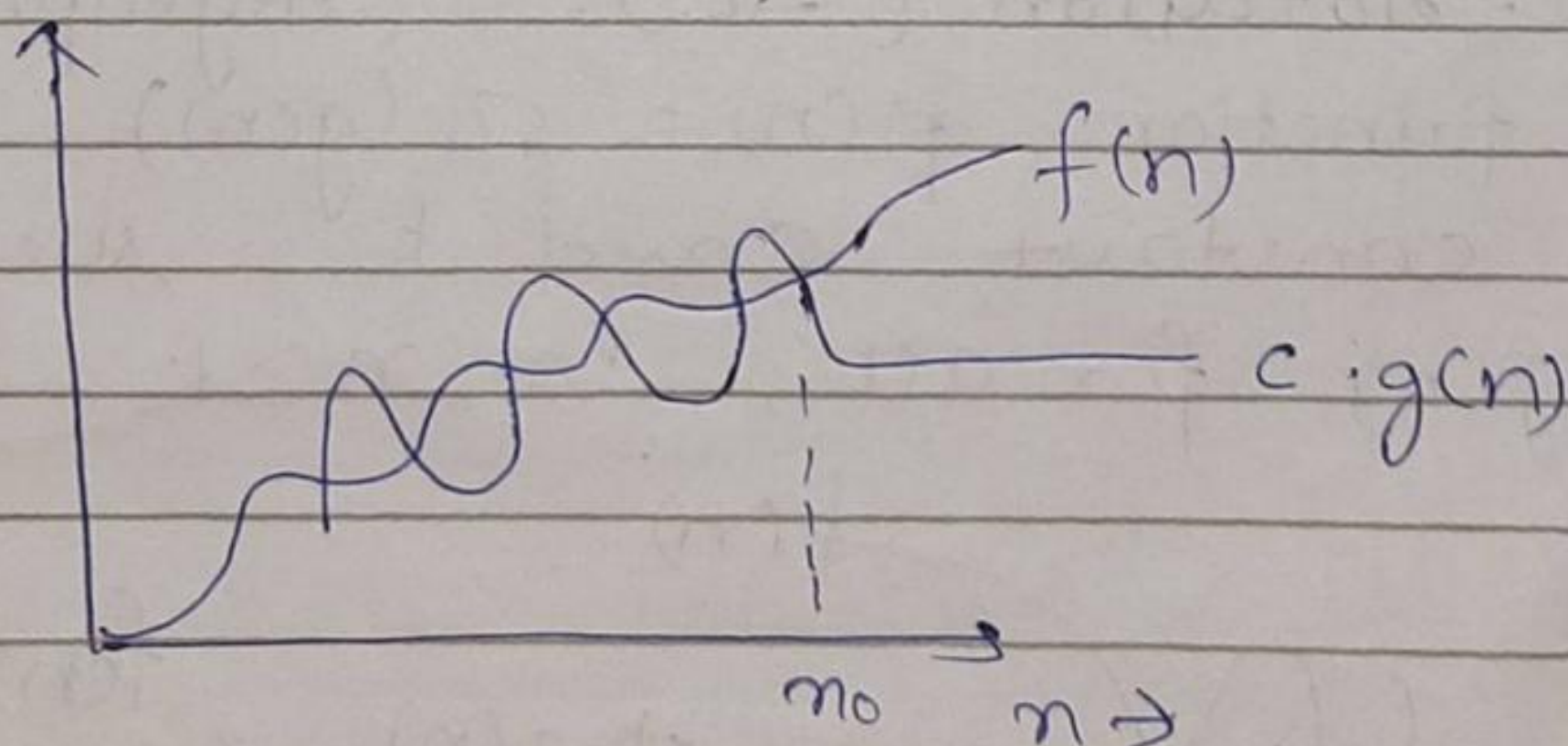
$$n < 1n^2$$

$$2n^2$$

$$0.5n^2$$

$$n < 0.001n^2 n_0$$

(v) Small - omega (ω): gives us lower bound



$$f(n) = \omega(g(n))$$

$$f(n) > c \cdot g(n)$$

$$\forall n \geq n_0 \quad \forall c > 0$$

$$n^2 = \omega(n)$$

Q2:- What should be time complexity

for $(i=1 \text{ to } n) \{ i=i*2 \};$

Time complexity for a loop means no. of times loop has run.

→ loop will run for following values of i :-

i	1	2	4	8	16	...	2^k
value	2^0	2^1	2^2	2^3	2^4	...	n

$i = 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, \dots, 2^k$ this means k times
i.e. $2^k = n$

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

$$k = \log n$$

$$\boxed{TC = O(\log n)}$$

Q3:- $T(n) = \begin{cases} 3T(n-1) & , n > 0 \\ 1 & \end{cases}$

By forward substitution

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

$$T(0) = 1$$

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

$$T(2) = 3T(2-1) = 3 \times 3 = 3^2$$

$$T(3) = 3T(3-1) = 3 \times 3^2 = 3^3$$

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

$$\boxed{TC = O(3^n)}$$

Q4 :- $T(n) = \begin{cases} 2T(n-1) + 1 & , n > 0 \\ 1 & \end{cases}$

By forward substitution

$$T(0) = 1$$

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

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

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

$$= 2(2-1) - 1$$

$$= 2^2 - 2^1 - 1$$

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

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

$$= 2(2^2 - 2^1 - 1) - 1 = 2^3 - 2^2 - 2^1 - 1$$

$$\vdots$$

$$= 2^n - 2^{n-1} - 2^{n-2} - 2^{n-3} - \dots - 2^2 - 2^1 - 2^0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^n - (2^n - 1) = 2^n - 2^{n-1} + 1 - 1$$

$$\boxed{TC = 1}$$

Q(5) What should be time complexity.

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int i=1, s=1
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while (s <= n) {
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    i++; s = s + i;
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    printf("#");
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}
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$$S_i = S_{i-1} + i$$

The value of 'i' increases by one for each loop value contained in 's'. At the ith iteration is the sum of the first 'i' +ve integers. If k is the total no. of iterations taken by any program then while loop terminates
 i.e. $1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + k$

$$= \left[\frac{k(k+1)}{2} \right] > n$$

$$\text{so, } k = O(\sqrt{n})$$

$$\boxed{TC = O(\sqrt{n})}$$

Q(6) void function (int n)

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{    int i, count = 0;
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    for (i = 1; i <= n; i++)    O(n)
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        count++;
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}
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$$TC = O(n)$$

Q 7 :- void function (int n)

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

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$n \times \log n \times \log n$

$TC = O(n \log^2 n)$

Q 8 :- function (int n)

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{
    if (n == 1)
        return;
    for (i = 1 to n)
    {
        for (j = 1 to n)
            printf("*");
    }
    function (n-3);
}

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$TC = O(n^2)$

Q 9 :- void function (int n)

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{
    for (i = 1 to n)
    {
        for (j = 1; j <= n; j = j + 1)
            printf("*");
    }
}

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$TC = O(n^2)$

Q.10. For the functions, n^k and c^n , what is the asymptotic relationship between these functions?

Assume that $k \geq 1$ and $c > 1$ are constants. Find out the value of c and n for which relation holds.

Ans:- n^k is $O(c^n)$
 $\boxed{n^k = O(c^n)}$ — relationship

As given n^k and c^n

$$n^k < a(c^n)$$

$$\forall n \geq m_0 \text{ \& constant } a > 0$$

$$\text{for } m_0 = 1 ; c = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 1^k < 2^2$$

$$\Rightarrow m_0 = 1 \text{ \& } c = 2 \text{ Any}$$

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