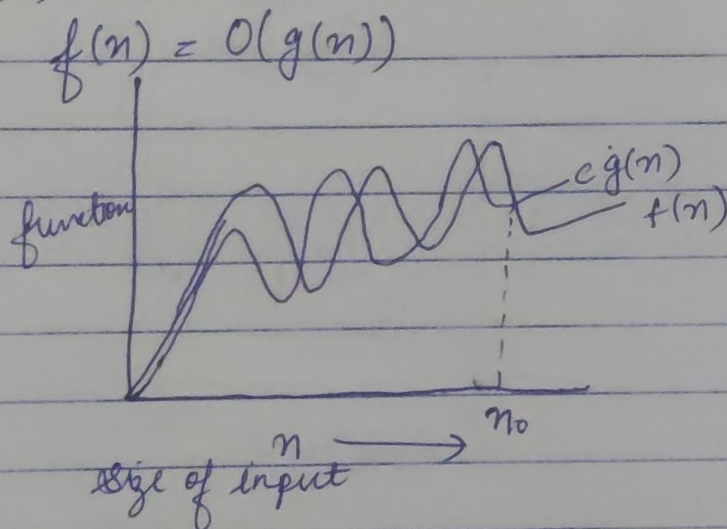


## Tutorial-1

1. Asymptotic notations - They are the mathematical notations used to describe the running time of an algorithm when the input tends towards a particular value or a limiting value.

Different asymptotic notations -

- i. Big  $O(n)$



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

$$\text{iff } f(n) \leq cg(n) \\ \forall n \geq n_0$$

for some constant,  $c > 0$

$g(n)$  is "tight" upper bound of  $f(n)$ .

ex.  $f(n) = n^2 + n$

$$g(n) = n^3$$

$$n^2 + n \leq cn^3$$

$$n^2 + n = O(n^3)$$

ii Big Omega ( $\Omega$ )

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

$g(n)$  is "tight" lower bound of function  $f(n)$ .

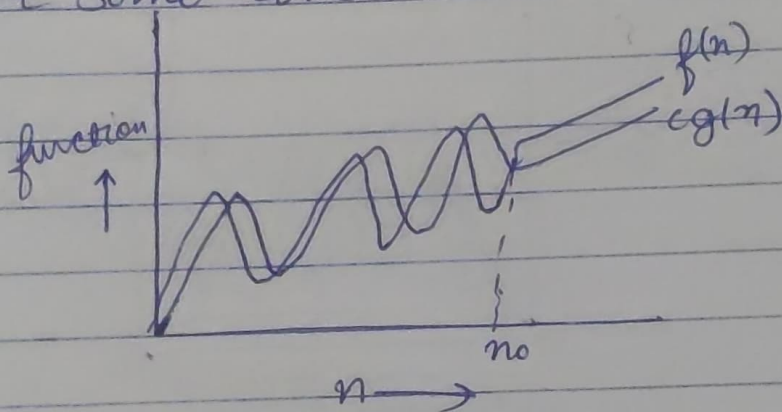
$$f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$$

iff

$$f(n) \geq cg(n)$$

$$\forall n \geq n_0$$

for some constant  $c > 0$



ex.

$$f(n) = n^3 + 4n^2$$

$$g(n) = n^2$$

$$n^3 + 4n^2 = \Omega(n^2)$$

iii Big Theta ( $\Theta$ )

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

$g(n)$  is both "tight" upper and "lower" bound of function  $f(n)$ .

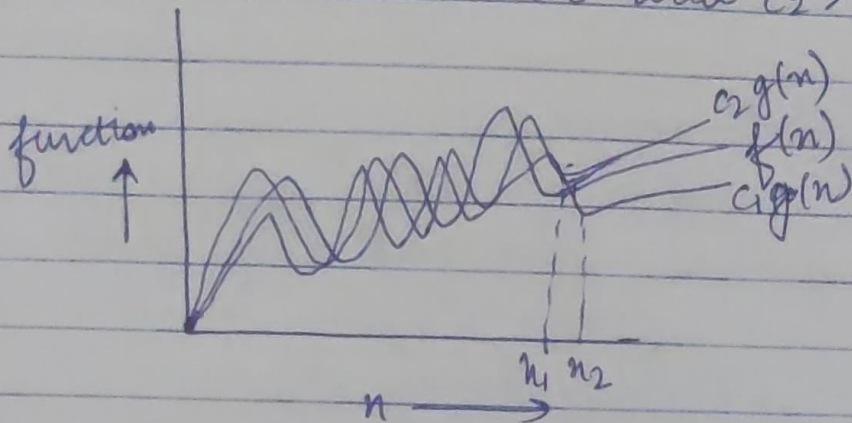
$$f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$$

iff



$$c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n) \\ \forall n \geq \max(n_1, n_2)$$

for some constant  $c_1 > 0$  and  $c_2 > 0$ .



Ex -

$3n + 2 = O(n)$  as  $3n + 2 \geq 3n$  and  
 $3n + 2 \leq 4n$  for  $n$ ,  $k_1 = 3$ ,  $k_2 = 4$  &  $n_0 = \infty$

iv. Small  $O(\theta)$  -

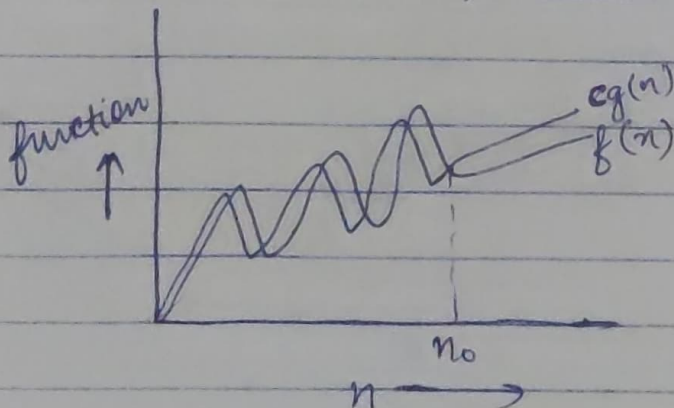
$$f(n) = O(g(n))$$

$g(n)$  is upper bound of function  $f(n)$ .

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

when  $f(n) \leq Cg(n)$   
 $\forall n > n_0$

and  $\forall$  constants,  $C > 0$

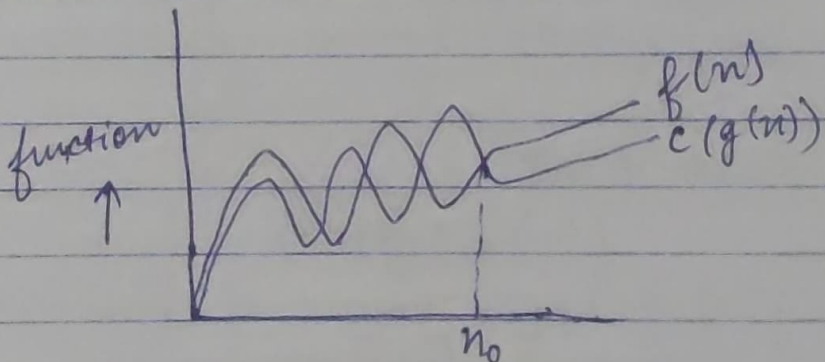


Ex -  $f(n) = n^2$   
 $g(n) = n^3$   
 $n^2 = O(n^3)$

V. Small omega ( $w$ )

$f(n) \geq w(g(n))$   
 $g(n)$  is lower bound of  $f(n)$   
 $f(n) = w(g(n))$   
 where  $f(n) > c g(n)$   
 $\forall n > n_0$

and  $\forall$  constants,  $c > 0$



$f(n) = 4n + 6$        $g(n) = 1$

Ex. for ( $i = 1$  to  $n$ )

$\{ i = i * 2 \}$

$\rightarrow i = 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, \dots, n$  (G.P.)  
 $\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_K$

$O(K)$

$a = 1, r = \frac{2}{1} = 2$

GP  $k$ th value  $= x_k = ar^{k-1}$

$$n = 1 \times 2^{k-1}$$

$$n = \frac{2^k}{2}$$

$$2n = 2^k$$

$$\log(2n) = k \log 2$$

$$k = \log_2 2n$$

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

$$k = 1 + \log n$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Time comp} &= O(1 + \log_2 n) \\ &= O(\log_2 n) \end{aligned}$$

3.  $T(n) = 3T(n-1) \quad \text{--- (1)}$

Let  $n = n-1$

$$\cancel{T(n)} = T(n-1) = 3T(n-2) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Put (2) in (1)

$$T(n) = 3 \times 3T(n-2) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Put  $n = n-2$

$$T(n-2) = 3T(n-3) \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Put (4) in (3)

$$T(n) = 3 \times 3 \times 3T(n-3) \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

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

$$= 3^n T(0)$$

$$= 3^n$$

$$= O(3^n)$$



4.  $T(n) = 2T(n-1) - 1$

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

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

$$= 2^3T(n-3) - 2^2 - 2^1 - 2^0$$

$$\dots$$

$$= 2^n T(n-n) - 2^{n-1} - 2^{n-2} - 2^{n-3} - \dots$$

$$- 2^2 - 2^1 - 2^0$$

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

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

$$T(n) = 1$$

5. `int i=1, s=1;`  
`while (s <= n) {`  
`i++; s = s+i;`  
`printf("%d #");`  
`}`

$$S_i = S_{i-1} + i$$

$i$  is incrementing by one step.

$s$  is incrementing by value of  $i$ .

Following will be values after few iterations -

$$\Rightarrow i = 2, s = 3$$

1st iteration

$$\Rightarrow i = 3, s = 6$$

2nd iteration

$$\Rightarrow i = 4, s = 10$$

3rd iteration

Let the value of  $n$  be  $k$ .

Values of  $S \Rightarrow 1, 3, 6, 10, \dots$

$S$  represents a series of sum of first  $n$  natural numbers for  $i = k$ ,  
 $S = \frac{k(k+1)}{2}$  for stopping loop.

$$\frac{k(k+1)}{2} \geq n \Rightarrow \frac{k^2 + k}{2} \geq n$$

$$T(n) = O(\sqrt{n})$$

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6. void function(int n){
    int i, count = 0;
    for(i = 1; i * i <= n; i++)
        count++;
}
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$$i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$$

$$i^2 = 1, 4, 9, \dots, n$$

$$\text{so } i^2 \leq n \text{ or } i \leq \sqrt{n}$$

$$a_k = a + (k-1)d$$

$$a = 1 \quad d = 1$$

$$a_k \leq \sqrt{n}$$

$$\sqrt{n} \geq 1 + (k-1) \cdot 1$$

$$\sqrt{n} \geq k$$

$$T(n) = O(\sqrt{n})$$

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7. void function (int n) {
    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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$i = n/2$                        $j = \log_2 n$                        $k = \log_2 n$   
 $\vdots$   
 $(\frac{n+1}{2})$  times                       $\log_2 n$                        $\log_2 n$

$$O(i * j * k) = O\left(\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right) * \log_2 n * \log_2 n\right)$$

$$= O\left(\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right) * (\log n)^2\right)$$

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

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8. function (int n) {
    if (n == 1) return;
    for (i = 1 to n) {
        for (j = 1 to n) {
            print("*");
        }
    }
    function(n-3);
}

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$$T(n) = T(n-3) + n^2 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$T(1) = 1 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

put  $n = n-3$  in (1)

$$T(n-3) = T(n-6) + (n-3)^2 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

put (3) in (1)

$$T(n) = T(n-6) + (n-3)^2 + n^2 \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

put  $n = n-6$  in (1)

$$T(n-6) = T(n-9) + (n-6)^2 \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

put (5) in (4)

$$T(n) = T(n-9) + (n-6)^2 + (n-3)^2 + n^2$$

Generalising

$$T(n) = T(n-3k) + (n-3(k-1))^2 + (n-3(k-2))^2 + \dots + n^2$$

let  $n-3k = 1$

$$\frac{n-1}{3} = k$$

$$T(n) = T(1) + \left( n-3\left(\frac{n-1}{3}-1\right) \right)^2 +$$

$$\left( n-3\left(\frac{n-1}{3}\right) \right)^2 + \dots + n^2$$

$$T(n) = T(1) + [n-(n-1)-3]^2 + [n-(n-1-6)]^2 + [n-(n-1-9)]^2 + \dots + n^2$$

$$T(n) = 1 + (3+1)^2 + (6+1)^2 + \dots + n^2$$

$$T(n) = 1^2 + 4^2 + 7^2 + \dots + n^2$$

$$T(n) = n^2 + \dots + 1$$

$$\boxed{T(n) = O(n^2)}$$

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9. void function(int n){
    for (i=1 to n){
        for (j=1; j<=n; j=j+i){
            printf("%* ");
        }
    }
}

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}

for  $i=1$ ,  $j \rightarrow n$  times

for  $i=2$ ,  $j = 1+3+5 + \dots + n$

$$a_n = a + (n-1)d$$

$$a = 1 \quad d = 2$$

$$n = 1 + (n-1) \times 2$$

$$\frac{n-1}{2} = k-1$$

$$k = \frac{n-1}{2} + 1$$

$k = \frac{n+1}{2}$
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no. of terms

for  $i=2$ ,  $j \rightarrow \frac{n+1}{2}$  times

for  $i=3$ ,  $j = 1+4+7 + \dots + n$

$$n = 1 + (k-1) \times 3$$

$\frac{n-1}{3} + 1 = k$
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for  $i = 3$ ,  $j = \frac{n+2}{3}$  times

Generalising

for  $i = n$ ,  $j = \frac{n+k-1}{k}$  times

Time Complexity is

$$\underbrace{n + \frac{n+1}{2} + \frac{n+2}{3} + \dots + \frac{n+k-1}{k}}_{n \text{ terms}}$$

General term =  $\frac{n+k-1}{k}$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{n+k-1}{k} = \sum_{j=1}^n n + \sum_{i=1}^n k - \sum 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n(n+1)}{2} + nk - n$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n^2 + \frac{n}{2} + nk - n}{k}$$

$$T(n) = \frac{n^2 + \frac{n}{2} + nk - n}{k}$$

Neglecting constant terms  
 $\boxed{T(n) = O(n^2)}$



10. as given  $n^k d c^n$   
relation b/w  $n^k d c^n$  is

$$n^k = O(c^n)$$

$$\text{as } n^k \leq d c^n$$

$\forall n \geq n_0$ ,  $d$  some constant  $a > 0$

for  $n_0 \geq 1$

$$c \geq 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 1^k \leq d$$

$$n_0 \geq 1 \quad d \quad c \geq 2$$