

Algorithm Design and Analysis

Tutorial 1, 2015

Instruction

- You may work in a group of no more than 3 people
- At the end of the period, each group should show the lecturer answers to the questions below to get the mark
- The total mark for this exercise is 30 marks. This exercise is worth 5% of your final grade

Question 1

Implement a Java class `Lab1Q1.java` containing a method `findMax(int[] arr)` that takes an `int` array as input and output the largest value in the array. The method should be **recursive**. (5 Marks)

Question 2

Implement a Java class `Lab1Q2.java` containing a method `euclid(int a, int b)` that takes two `int` numbers `a` and `b` as input and output the greatest common divisor of `a` and `b`. The method should be **recursive**. (5 Marks)

Question 3

Implement the program that creates and draws a Sierpinski's triangle taught in class. (5 Marks)

Question 4

In each of the following situations, indicate whether $f(n) = O(g(n))$ or $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$ or $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$ (5 Marks)

	$f(n)$	$g(n)$	$f(n)$ is $O(g(n))$	$f(n)$ is $\Omega(g(n))$	$f(n)$ is $\Theta(g(n))$
(a)	$n \log n + 100$	$n + 200 \log n$			
(b)	$n^2 + n^{1/2}$	$\frac{1}{2}n + (\frac{n}{2})^2$			
(c)	$n \log n^3$	$n(\log n)^2$			
(d)	$2(n+2)(n+1)$	$2 + 4 + 6 + \dots + 2n$			
(e)	$2n + \log n$	$2n + 22$			

Question 5

In class you learned four different algorithms for computing the n th Fibonacci number. In this exercise you are required to implement all four algorithms and compare their performance. You need to complete the following :

1. Complete the file `Fibonacci.java` that implements all four algorithms as four different methods. Each method should take a parameter `n` of type `int` and returns the value of the n th Fibonacci number.
2. Use `GraphingData.java` to plot the running times against the input size `n` for each algorithm. (this has been done for you in `Fibonacci.java`)

(10 Marks)