

Michael Cooper 17C Midterm - Problem 6

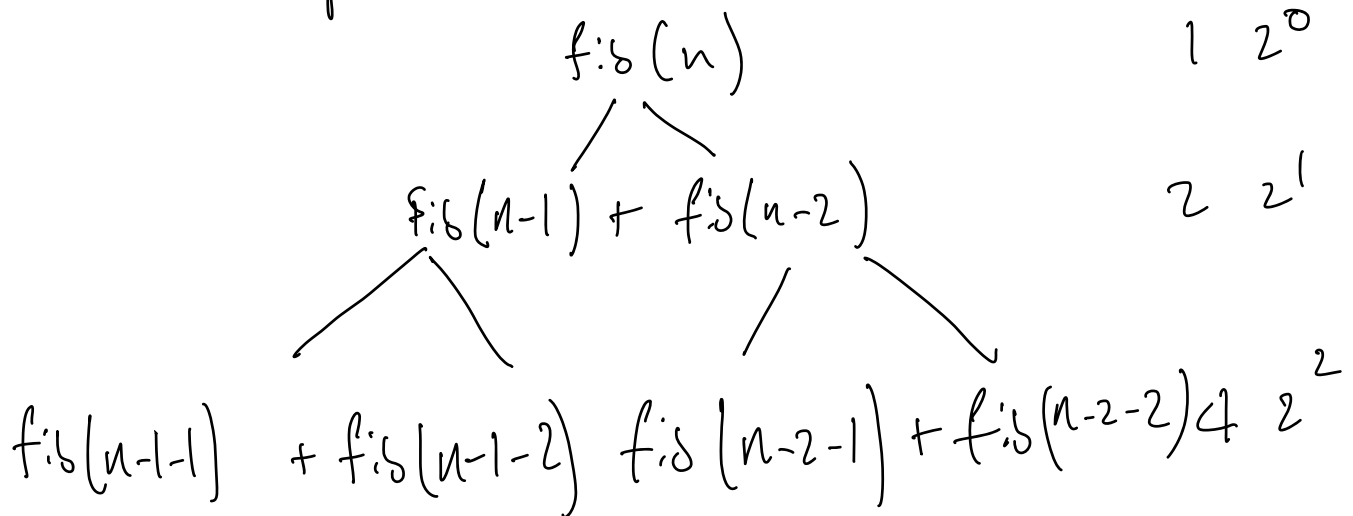
$$\text{Recursive: fib}(n) = \begin{cases} 0 & n \leq 0 \\ 1 & n = 1 \\ \text{fib}(n-1) + \text{fib}(n-2) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- $\text{fib}(n)$ is $O(2^n)$ because $\text{fib}(0)$ is $O(1)$, $\text{fib}(1)$ is $O(1)$ and $\text{fib}(n)$ is $O(2^n)$.

$$\text{Since } O(1) + O(1) + O(2^n) = O(\max(1, 1, 2^n)) = O(2^n)$$

- $\text{fib}(n)$ is $O(2^n)$ because each call for $\text{fib}(n)$ produces 2 calls for fib

Example:



non Recursive:

$\text{fib}(n) \{$

$\text{for } (i=2, i \leq n; i++) \{$
 $\quad \dots$
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fib is $O(n)$ because when $n \geq 2$

$$\sum_{i=2}^n \text{fib}_i + \text{fib}_{i+1}$$