

$h \quad h/2 \quad h/4 \quad h/8 \quad \dots$

$$a_0 = h$$

$$a_x = 1$$

$$a_1 = a_0 \cdot r^{\lambda T}$$

$$1 = h \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\lambda}$$

$$2^{\lambda} = h$$

$$\log_2 2^{\lambda} = \log_2 h$$

$$\lambda = \log_2(h)$$

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public static ListNode mergeSort(ListNode head) {
    if (head == null || head.next == null)
        return head;
    ListNode mid = midNode(head);
    ListNode nHead = mid.next;
    mid.next = null;
    return mergeTwoLists(mergeSort(head), mergeSort(nHead));
}

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$$T(h) = 2h + 2T(h/2)$$

$$2T(h/2) = 2 \cdot 2h/2 + 2 \cdot 2T(h/4)$$

$$2T(h/4) = 2 \cdot 2h/4 + 2 \cdot 2T(h/8)$$

$$2T(h/8) = 2 \cdot 2h/8 + 2 \cdot 2T(h/16)$$

$$2^{\lambda} T(h/2^{\lambda}) = 2^{\lambda} \frac{2h}{2^{\lambda}} + 2^{\lambda} T(1)$$

$$T(h) = 2h\lambda + 2 \cdot 2^{\lambda}$$

$$T(h) = 2h \log_2(h) + 2 \cdot 2^{\log_2(h)}$$

$$= 2h \log_2(h) + 2h$$

$T(h) = N \log N$

