

Problem Set 5, Part I

Problem 1: Using recursion to print an array

1-1)

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public static void print(int[] arr, int start){

    if (arr == null || start > arr.length || start < 0) { //(1)
        throw new IllegalArgumentException();
    }
    if(arr.length-1 == start){
        System.out.println(arr[arr.length-start-1]);
    } else{

        print(arr, start+1);
        System.out.println(arr[arr.length-1-start]);
    }
}
```

1-2)

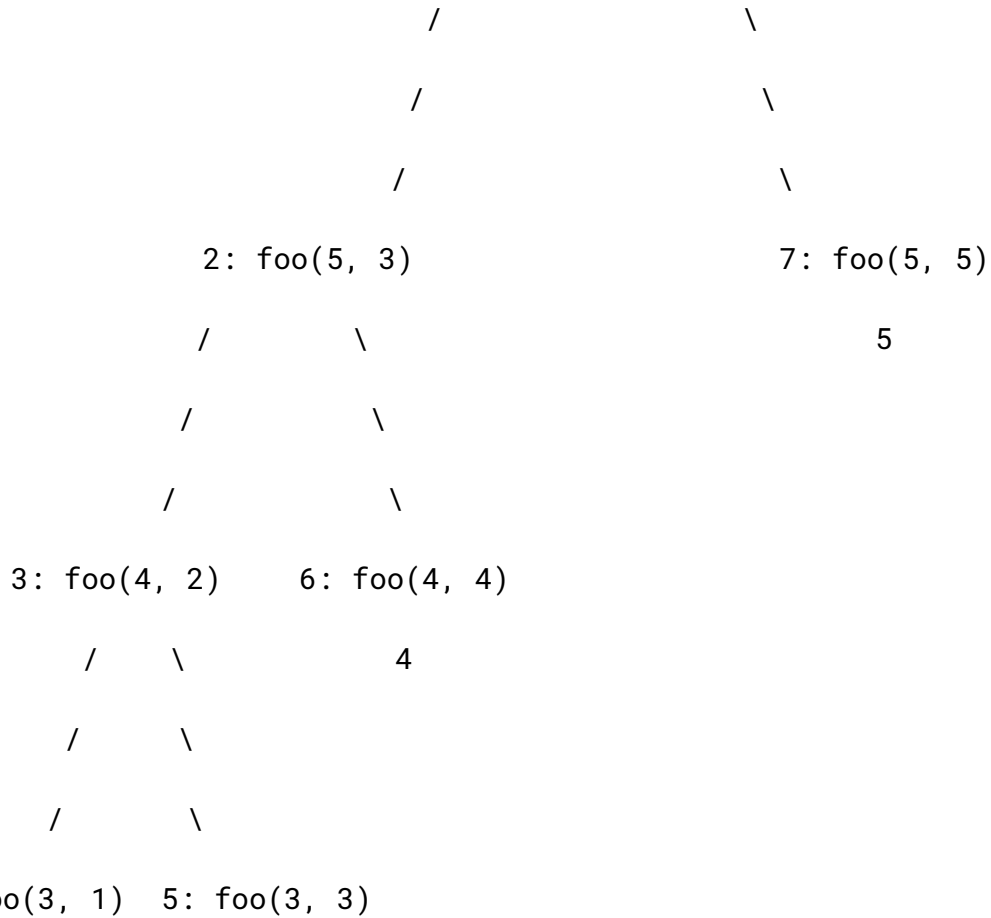
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public static void printMirrored(int[] arr, int start){ //recursively
    if (arr == null || start < 0) { //(1)
        throw new IllegalArgumentException();
    }
    if((arr.length * 2) <= start){

        return;
    } else if(start >= arr.length){
        //System.out.println(arr[start]);
        System.out.println(arr[2*arr.length- start -1]);
        start++;
        printMirror(arr, start);
        //System.out.println(arr[start]);
        return;
    } else{
        System.out.println(arr[start]);
        start++;
        printMirror(arr, start);
        return;
    }
}
```

1-3) **initial call:** printMirrored(arr,0)

2-1)

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1: foo(6, 4)
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2-2)

Call 2 (foo(5,5)) return 5

Call 3 (foo(4,4)) return 4

Call 6 (foo(3,1)) return 3

Call 7 (foo(3,3)) return 3

Call 5 (foo(4,2)) return 6

Call 4 (foo(5,3)) return 10

Call 1 (foo(6,4)) return 15

Problem 3: Sorting practice

3-1) {3, 4, 18, 24, 33, 40, 8, 10, 12}

3-2) {4, 10, 18, 24, 33, 40, 8, 3, 12}

3-3) {4, 10, 18, 8, 3, 12, 24, 33, 40}

3-4) {10, 18, 4, 24, 12, 3, 8, 40, 33}

3-5) {10, 18, 4, 8, 12, 3, 24, 40, 33}

3-6) {4, 10, 18, 24, 33, 40, 8, 3, 12}

Problem 4: Practice with big-O

4-1)

function	big-O expression
$a(n) = 5n + 1$	$a(n) = O(n)$
$b(n) = 2n^3 + 3n^4$	$b(n) = O(n^4)$
$c(n) = 10 + 5\log n + 6n$	$c(n) = O(n)$
$d(n) = 4n\log n + 7n$	$d(n) = O(n\log n)$
$e(n) = 8n + 4n^2 + 3$	$e(n) = O(n^2)$

4-2) $O(n)$ because each case will be multiplied by 5, but the 5 can be dropped, hence making it $O(n)$

4-3) $O(n\log n)$, will only iterate about half as many times, it will essentially iterate not in an n^x manner nor a n manner, so it's $n\log n$

Problem 5: Comparing two algorithms

worst-case time efficiency of algorithm A: $O(n\log n)$

Explanation: Both inner variables use the size of the array as the limit, and so n times n is n^2

worst-case time efficiency of algorithm B: $O(n^2)$

Explanation: since the worst case scenario is $n\log n$ for merge sort and there is a lone n term for the for-loop which is smaller than, the worst case is $O(n\log n)$