

# Algorithms & complexity 2014 EE10-C 1

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$$a) \quad T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^3$$

$$a = 4 \quad ; \quad b = 2 \quad d = 3.$$

$$\log_b a = \log_2 4 = 2 < d = 3.$$

$$\text{Hence } T(n) = O(n^3)$$

$$b) \quad T(n) = 17T(n/4) + n^2$$

$$a = 17 \quad b = 4 \quad d = 2$$

$$\log_b a = \log_4 17 > \log_4 16 = 2 > d$$

$$\text{Hence } T(n) = O\left(n^{\log_4 17}\right)$$

$$c) \quad T(n) = 9T(n/3) + n^2$$

$$a = 9 \quad b = 3 \quad d = 2$$

$$\log_b a = \log_3 9 = 2 = d = 2$$

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

$$d) \quad T(n) = T(\sqrt{n}) + 1$$

$$\text{Let } n = 2^k$$

$$T(2^k) = T(2^{k/2}) + 1$$

$$= O(k) = O(\log n).$$

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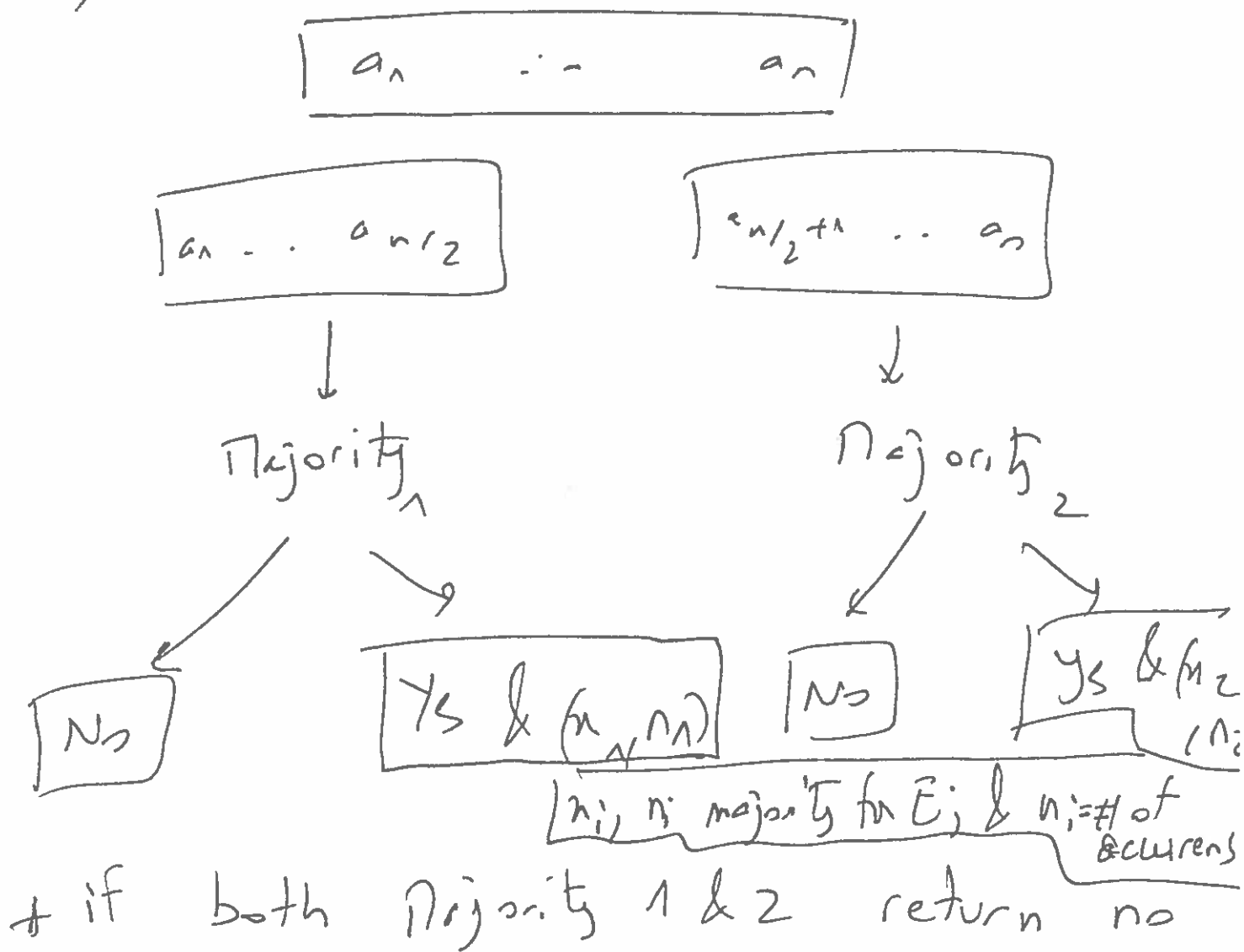
a) For each  $a_i$  the for loop on  $j$  counts the number of times  $a_i$  appears in the list.

For each  $a_i$  it then checks whether it appears more than  $n/2$  times.

The algorithm then either returns "there is no majority element" if none of the  $a_i$  appears more than  $n/2$  times or returns the unique element that appears more than  $n/2$  times.

The algorithm runs two for loops,  
 on  $i \in \Delta$ , from 1 to  $n$  so its  
 complexity is  $O(n^2)$ .

b)



then there is no majority number since  
 no say, that all  $a_i$ , occur fewer than  $n/4$

times in each of the lists  $\bar{e}_1$  &  $\bar{e}_2$  (5  
& no fewer than  $n/2$  times in total).

\* if Majority 1 returns  $(n_1, n_1)$   
& Majority 2 returns no.

Here we need the number of occurrences  
of  $n_1$  in  $\bar{e}_2, n_2$ , if  $n_1 + n_2 > n/2$   
then yes  $n_1$  is a majority element  
Otherwise no.

\* Similarly if Majority 2 returns  $(n_2, n_2)$   
& Majority 1 returns no.

\* ~~Finally~~ if Majority 1 & Majority  
2 return  $(n, n)$  &  $(n, n)$  then  
clearly  $n$  is the majority element.

\* Finally if Majority 1 returns  $(u_1, n_1)$  (6)  
& Majority 2 returns  $(u_2, n_2)$   $u_1 \neq u_2$

We need to look at the occurrence  
of  $u_1$  in  $E_2 = m_{12}$

$$\& u_2 \text{ in } E_1 = m_{21}$$

then see whether  $n_1 + m_{12} \geq$

$n_2 + m_{21}$  is larger than  $n/2$ .

Given a list and a number let

$\text{Num}(E, u) = \# \text{ appearances of } u \text{ in } E.$

Majority ( $a_1 \dots a_n$ )

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Let  $E_1 = a_1 \dots a_{n/2}$  ;  $\Pi_{aj_1} = \text{Majority}(E_1)$   
 $E_2 = a_{n/2+1} \dots a_n$  ;  $\Pi_{aj_2} = \text{Majority}(E_2)$

If  $\Pi_{aj_1} = (*, 0)$  and  $\Pi_{aj_2} = (*, 0)$

then  $(*, 0)$

else

If  $\Pi_{aj_1} = (x_1, n_1)$  &  $\Pi_{aj_2} = (*, 0)$  .

then

if  $n_1 \leq n_1 + \text{Non}(x_1, E_2) > n/2$

then  $(x_1, n_1)$

else  $(*, 0)$ .

else  
if

$\Pi_{aj_2} = (x_2, n_2)$  &  $\Pi_{aj_1} = (*, 0)$

then if  $n_2 \leq n_2 + \text{Non}(x_2, E_1) > n/2$

then  $(x_2, n_2)$

else  $(*, -)$

else

if  $\Pi_{aj_1} = (x_1, n_1)$  &  $\Pi_{aj_2} = (x_2, n_2)$

then if  $x_1 = x_2$  then

$(x_1, n_1 + n_2)$  .

else

if  $n_1 \leftarrow n_1 + \text{Num}(x_1, \bar{E}_2) > n/2$   
then  $(x_1, n_1)$

else

if  $n_2 \leftarrow n_2 + \text{Num}(x_2, \bar{E}_1) > n/2$   
then  $(x_2, n_2)$

else  $(x, \infty)$ .

REMARK: Students can either provide text or a pseudocode [Bonus (+2) if they provide both] [P]

Complexity:

$$C(n) = 2 \left[ C(n/2) + n/2 \right]$$

Call for  
 $E_1, E_2$

need to  
count the number  
of time an element  
appears in one of  
the subsets  $E_1$  or  $E_2$

$$C(n) = 2C(n/2) + n$$

Master theorem  $\rightarrow C(n) = \Theta(n \log n)$ .



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a) We have to look at all possible subwords in both words  $2 \cdot 2^h$ .

b)

i)  $a_i \neq b_j$  this means that  $a_i$  &  $b_j$  cannot belong to the same subword.

Hence either  $a_i$  belongs to the common subword &  $p(i, j) = p(i-1, j-1)$

or  $b_j$  &  $p(i, j) = p(i-1, j)$

ii)  $a_i = b_j = x$  then either  $x$

belongs to the common subword in which

(a)  $p(i, j) = p(i-1, j-1) + 1$

or not &  $p(i, j) = p(i-1, j-1)$ .

iii) Putting all the pieces together

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we have

$$p(i, j) = \max \left( p(i, j-1), p(i-1, j), p(i-1, j-1) + f(a_i, b_j) \right)$$

iv) either  $i$  or  $j$  decreases at each step  
and we have at most  $mn$  steps yielding  
a complexity of  $O(mn)$ .

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b	0	1	2	2	3	4	4
a	0	1	2	2	3	3	3
d	0	1	2	2	2	3	3
b	0	1	1	2	2	3	3
c	0	1	1	2	2	2	2
b	0	1	1	1	1	2	2
a	0	0	0	0	1	1	1
φ	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	φ	b	d	c	a	<u>b</u>	a.

Hence b d a b