

## B03902062 資工二 董文捷

### Problem 1

(1)

(a)

1.

Assume  $f(n) = O(n^2) \leq c * n^2 - d * n$

Take  $c = 800, d = 200$

$$f(n) = O(n^2) \leq 800 * n^2 - 200 * n$$

2.

### Boundary

$$n = 1 \quad f(1) = 514 < 800 * 1 - 200 * 1 = 600$$

$$n = 2 \quad f(2) = 1028 < 800 * 4 - 200 * 2 = 2800$$

$$n = 3 \quad f(3) = 1542 < 800 * 9 - 200 * 3 = 6600$$

3.

If  $f(n) = O(n^2) \leq 800 * n^2 - 200 * n$  holds for  $m < n$

$$\text{take } m = \frac{n}{4}$$

$$f(n) = 16f\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + 514n$$

$$\leq 16 * \left(800 * \frac{n^2}{16} - 200 * \frac{n}{4}\right) + 514 * n$$

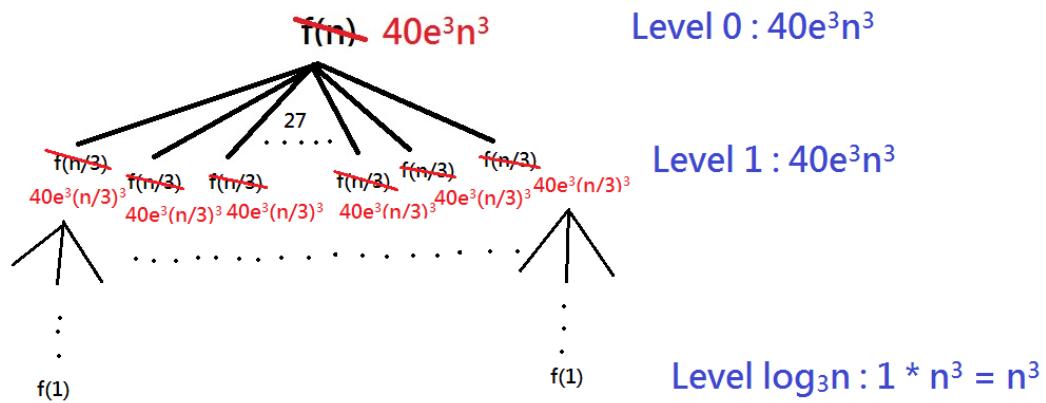
$$= 800 * n^2 - 286 * n$$

$$\leq 800 * n^2 - 200 * n$$

The equation also holds

By mathematical induction,  $f(n) \leq 800 * n^2 - 200 * n$  holds for all  $n$ , which indicates  $f(n)$  is  $O(n^2)$

(b)



$$f(n) = 40e^3 n^3 * \log_3 n + n^3 \quad O(n^3 \log n)$$

Proof :

1.

$$\text{Assume } f(n) = O(n^3 \log n) \leq c * n^3 \log n$$

Take  $c = 1000$

$$f(n) = O(n^3 \log n) \leq 1000 * n^3 \log n$$

2.

**Boundary**

Take  $n = 2, 3, 4, 5$  as boundary (Since  $n = 1$  doesn't hold)

$$n = 2 \quad f(2) = 27 + 40e^3 * 2^3 \leq 1000 * 2^3 * \log 2$$

$$n = 3 \quad f(3) = 27 + 40e^3 * 3^3 \leq 1000 * 3^3 * \log 3$$

$$n = 4 \quad f(4) = 27 + 40e^3 * 4^3 \leq 1000 * 4^3 * \log 4$$

$$n = 5 \quad f(5) = 27 + 40e^3 * 5^3 \leq 1000 * 5^3 * \log 5$$

3.

If  $f(n) = O(n^3 \log n) \leq \mathbf{1000 * n^3 \log n}$  holds for  $m < n$

$$\text{take } m = \frac{n}{3}$$

$$f(n) = 27 f\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + 40e^3 n^3$$

$$\leq 27 * 1000 * \left(\frac{n}{3}\right)^3 * \log\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + 40e^3 n^3$$

$$= 1000 * n^3 \log n - (1000 \log 3 - 40e^3) n^3$$

$$\leq 1000 * n^3 \log n$$

The equation also holds

By mathematical induction,  $f(n) \leq \mathbf{1000 * n^3 \log n}$  holds for all

$n$ , which indicates  $f(n)$  is  $O(n^3 \log n)$

(2)

## References :

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stirling%27s\\_approximation](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stirling%27s_approximation)

<http://math2.org/math/expansion/power.htm>

1.  $e^5 n^3 - 10n^2 + e^{1000}$

$n^3$

2.  $f(n) = e f(n/2) \quad e^{\log_2 n} = n^{\log_2 e}$

$n^{\log_2 e}$

3.  $f(n) = f(n-1) + n^e \quad 1^e + 2^e + \dots + n^e$

$n^{e+1}$

4.  $f(n) = \sqrt{n} f(\sqrt{n}) + n$

recursion tree, take  $m > 1$  as base case  $n \log_m n$

$n \ln n$

5.  $f(n) = f(n-1) + \frac{1}{n}$  Integral test  $\ln n$

$\ln n$

6.  $f(n) = f(n-1) + f(n-2)$  Fibonacci  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left( \left( \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n - \left( \frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n \right)$   
 $\left( \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n$

7.  $e n \lg(\ln n)$

**$n \ln (\ln n)$**

8.  $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i}$  Integral test

**$\ln n$**

9.  $\frac{n}{\ln n}$

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10.  $n \lg n$

**$n \ln n$**

11.  $n \log n$

**$n \ln n$**

12.  $n!$  Stirling's approximation  $\sqrt{2\pi n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n$

$\sqrt{n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n$

13. 2147483647

**1**

14.  $n^{\frac{1}{\lg n}}$  take  $\lg : \lg y = \lg n * \frac{1}{\lg n}$   $y = 10$

**1**

15.  $(\sqrt{2})^{\ln n}$

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16.  $\ln n!$  Stirling's approximation

**$n \ln n$**

$$17. e^{\ln n} \quad n^{\ln e} = n$$

**n**

$$18. \frac{10 n}{e}$$

**n**

$$19. \lg \ln n \quad \lg \ln n = \lg e * \ln \ln n$$

**ln ln n**

$$20. 2^{10000}$$

**1**

$$21. (\lg n)^{\ln n}$$

**n<sup>ln lg n</sup>**

$$22. n^{3/2}$$

**n<sup>3/2</sup>**

$$23. n^{\lg \lg n}$$

**n<sup>lg lg n</sup>**

$$24. n^{\lg \ln n}$$

**n<sup>lg ln n</sup>**

**Equivalence class**

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$$13. 2147483647$$

$$14. n^{\frac{1}{\lg n}}$$

$$20. 2^{10000}$$

$$\mathbf{C_2 \ln \ln n}$$

$$19. \lg \ln n$$

$$\mathbf{C_3 \ln n}$$

$$5. f(n) = f(n - 1) + \frac{1}{n}$$

$$8. \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i}$$

$$\mathbf{C_4 \frac{n}{\ln n}}$$

$$9. \frac{n}{\ln n}$$

$$\mathbf{C_5 n}$$

$$17. e^{\ln n}$$

$$18. \frac{10 n}{e}$$

$$\mathbf{C_6 n \ln (\ln n)}$$

$$7. \lg (\ln n)$$

$$\mathbf{C_7 n \ln n}$$

$$4. f(n) = \sqrt{n}f(\sqrt{n}) + n$$

$$10. n \lg n$$

$$11. n \log n$$

$$16. \ln n!$$

$$\mathbf{C_8 \ n^{log_2 e}}$$

$$f(n) = ef(n/2)$$

$$\mathbf{C_9 \ n^{3/2}}$$

$$22. \ n^{3/2}$$

$$\mathbf{C_{10} \ n^3}$$

$$1. \ e^5 n^3 - 10n^2 + e^{1000}$$

$$\mathbf{C_{11} \ n^{e+1}}$$

$$3. \ f(n) = f(n - 1) + n^e \qquad 1^e + 2^e + \dots + n^e$$

$$\mathbf{C_{12} \ (\sqrt{2})^{\ln n}}$$

$$15. \ (\sqrt{2})^{\ln n}$$

$$\mathbf{C_{13} \ (\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2})^n}$$

$$f(n) = f(n - 1) + f(n - 2)$$

$$\mathbf{C_{14} \ n^{\lg \lg n}}$$

$$23. \ n^{\lg \lg n}$$

$$\mathbf{C_{15} \ n^{\lg \ln n}}$$

$$24. n^{\lg \ln n}$$

$$\mathbf{C_{16} \ n^{\ln \lg n}}$$

$$21. \ (\lg n)^{\ln n}$$



$$C_{17} \sqrt{n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n$$

$$12. n!$$

## Problem 2

(1)

References :

<http://www.ece.northwestern.edu/~dda902/336/hw4-sol.pdf>

(a)

Split the array A into two arrays A<sub>1</sub> and A<sub>2</sub> of half size, we can find the majority element of A by checking if majority\_A<sub>1</sub> or majority\_A<sub>2</sub> is the majority element of A if A<sub>1</sub> or A<sub>2</sub> has majority element. If both of them aren't, A has no majority element.

Proof :

If x is not a majority element in A<sub>1</sub> or A<sub>2</sub>, then  $x_{A_1} \leq \lfloor n_{A_1}/2 \rfloor$

$x_{A_2} \leq \lfloor n_{A_2}/2 \rfloor$      $x_A = x_{A_1} + x_{A_2} = \lfloor n_{A_1}/2 \rfloor + \lfloor n_{A_2}/2 \rfloor \leq \lfloor n_A/2 \rfloor$

is not a majority element of A

Time complexity :

$$T(n) = 2 * T(n / 2) + 2 * n$$

$$T(n) = n \log n$$

My code in C++ :

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bool check_majority(int left, int right, int *A, int candidate)
{
    if(candidate == -1) // -1 represent NONE
        return 0;
    int i, num = 0, n = (right - left + 1);
    for(i = left; i <= right; i++)
        if(A[i] == candidate)
            num++;
    if(num > (n / 2))
        return 1;
    return 0;
}
int find_majority(int left, int right, int *A)
{
    if(left >= right)
        return A[left];
    else
    {
        int mid = (left + right) / 2;
        int majority_A1 = find_majority(left, mid, A);
        int majority_A2 = find_majority(mid + 1, right, A);
        if(check_majority(left, right, A, majority_A1))
            return majority_A1;
        else if(check_majority(left, right, A, majority_A2))
            return majority_A2;
        else
            return -1; // no majority element
    }
}

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(b)

Pair up the elements in A arbitrarily to get  $n / 2$  pairs. In each pair, if two elements are different, we discard both of them.

Otherwise, we keep one of them. A variable tie-breaker is kept and updated with the unpaired element each time when n is odd.

Repeat the process until there are only two elements left, if one of them equals to the tiebreaker or they are the same element, return the element. That element is the candidate of majority

element, check the whole array to see if it is really the majority element. Otherwise, return NONE.

If there is a majority element  $m$ , it will still be a majority element after one process. Suppose  $d$  is the difference of number of  $m$  and other elements. If  $m$  is a majority element,  $d > 0$ , and  $d$  has to  $> 0$  after the process.

Pair of different element

Both  $\neq m$   $d = d + 2$

One of them  $= m$   $d = d$

So  $d$  will not decrease due to the discard. If  $d > 0$  for the pairs with same elements, we can combine them with  $d / 2$  still  $> 0$

Therefore  $m$  is still a majority element after one process.

(2)

(a)

Merging two arrays of size a and b takes  $O(a + b)$  time

If we merge arrays one by one, we will take  $2n + 3n + 4n$

$+ \dots + kn$  (First time  $n + n$ , second time  $2n + n \dots$ )

$$= \left( \frac{k^2 + k}{2} - 1 \right) n$$

**$O(k^2 n)$**

(b)

We can divide  $t$  arrays into two sides with each side having  $\frac{t}{2}$  or

$\frac{t}{2} + 1$  arrays. Merge each side respectively. After each side

finishing merging, we can merge the two merged arrays of size

$\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) n$  or  $\left(\frac{t}{2} + 1\right) n$  together, taking  $O(n t)$  times, and return the

final array.

Time complexity :

$$T(t) = 2 * T\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) + O(n t)$$

$$T(t) = O(n t \log t)$$

$$T(k) = \mathbf{O(n \, k \, \log \, k)}$$

### Problem 3

References : Discussed with JoJorge (b03902061)

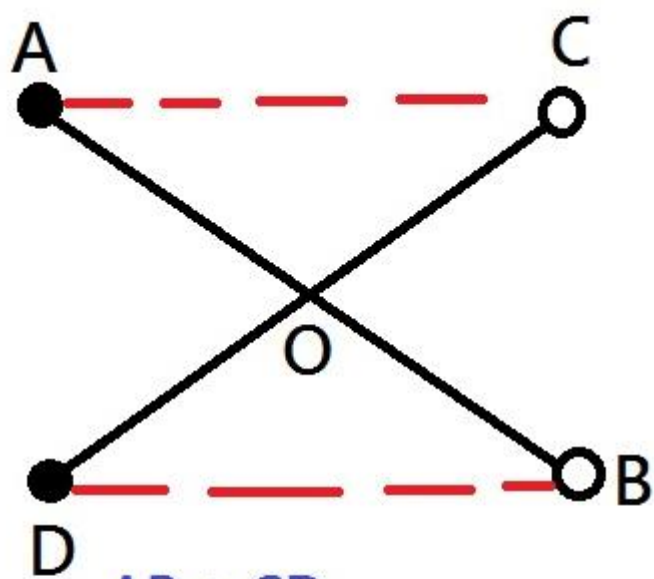
(1) The match with minimum total segment length must be a good-word match.

Proof :

(Proof by contradiction)

Assume the match with minimum total segment length is  $M_{\min}$ .

If  $M_{\min}$  is not a good-word match, we can find two intersected line segments AB and CD. Replace pair AB and CD with pair AC and BD, forming a new match  $M'$ .  $M'$  has a smaller total segment length than  $M_{\min}$  since  $AB + CD > AC + BD$ , which is a contradiction to the assumption that  $M_{\min}$  has a minimum total segment length. So we can conclude that  $M_{\min}$  must be a good-word match.

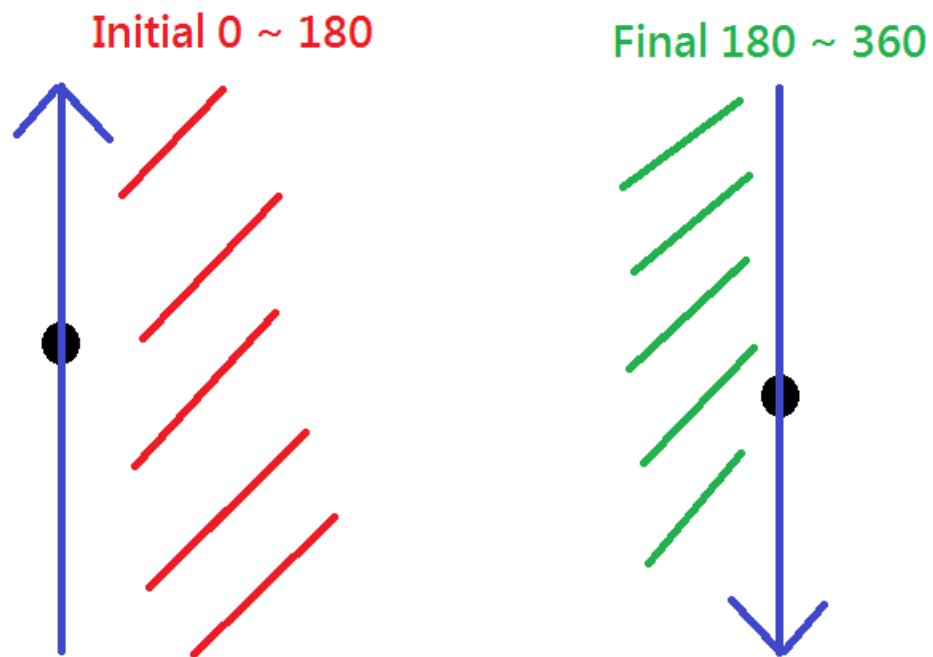


$$\begin{aligned} & AB + CD \\ &= AO + OB + CO + OD \\ &= AO + OC + DO + OB \\ &> AC + BD \end{aligned}$$

(2) Choose an arbitrary center point  $x$ . Sort all points by their angles relative to  $x$  ( $+y$  for 0 degree and  $+x$  for 90 degree). Keep one variable to store now angle rotating from 0 degree and two variables for now position of  $L\_first$  and  $L\_last$  in the array. The numbers between  $L\_first$  and  $L\_last$  are points in the chosen side. Since there are no two points coincide at the same location and no three points on the same line, we can choose now\_angle carefully to include one more point or exclude one point each time ( $L\_first++$  or  $L\_last++$ ). Assume for the initial situation,  $d = \text{black} - \text{white} \neq 0$ , and the final situation's  $d$  also  $\neq 0$ . (If either of them  $= 0$  we can simply choose it as answer). Since  $\text{initial\_d} + \text{final\_d} = +1$  or  $-1$  (The total difference in whole plane), and  $\text{initial\_d} \neq 0$   $\text{final\_d} \neq 0$ , there must be a negative integer and a positive integer in  $\text{initial\_d}$  and  $\text{final\_d}$ . During the rotation,  $d$  will either  $+1$  or  $-1$  (continuous function). By Intermediate Value Theorem, during the change of  $d$  between positive and negative, there must be one step having  $d = 0$ . If there is a  $d = 0$  with one side empty, we can rotate  $L$  between the non-empty side and get another  $d = 0$  with neither



side empty.



Time Complexity :

Sort :  $O(N \log N)$

Find L :  $O(N)$

Total :  $O(N \log N)$

(3) We can use the result of (2) to divide and conquer, each time divide points into two sides (x is included in the side with unequal black and white), each side can find their own good-word match (By (1), the good-word match must exist)

Time complexity :

Each time will divide at least one pair from original group, at most need N times to finish, and each time takes

$O(n_{\text{element}} \log n_{\text{element}})$  to divide, which is smaller than  $O(N \log N)$

So  $T(N) \leq N * O(N \log N) = O(N^2 \log N)$