

# WA 1

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## 1 Asymptotic Analysis

**1.1**  $f(n) = 3n + 1, g(n) = 4n$

$f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$

*Proof.*  $\Theta(g) : \{f : \exists c_1, c_2 > 0 \wedge n_0 > 0, \forall n \geq n_0, c_1 \cdot g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 \cdot g(n)\}$

Let  $c_1 = \frac{3}{4}, c_2 = 1, n_0 = 1$ , trivial □

**1.2**  $f(n) = 3^n, g(n) = 2^n \cdot n^{10000}$

$f(n) \in \omega(g(n))$

*Proof.*  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3^n}{2^n \cdot n^{10000}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1.5^n}{n^{10000}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(1.5)1.5^n}{10000n^{9999}}$   
 $= \dots = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\ln 1.5)^{10000} 1.5^n}{10000!} = \infty \implies f(n) \in \omega(g(n))$  □

**1.3**  $f(n) = 2^n, g(n) = 2^{n+1}$

$f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$

*Proof.*  $g(n) = 2 \cdot 2^n$ , let  $c_1 = \frac{1}{2}, c_2 = 1, n_0 = 2$ ,  
 $\forall n \geq n_0, 2^n \leq 2^n \leq 2 \cdot 2^n \implies f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$  □

**1.4**  $f(n) = 2^{(2^n)}, g(n) = 2^{(2^{n+1})}$

$f(n) \in o(g(n))$

*Proof.* Let  $u = 2^n, f(n) = 2^u, g(n) = 2^{2 \cdot u}, g(n) = (f(n))^2. \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+, f(n) > 1$ ,  
 $f(n) < (f(n))^2, 0 < f(n) < g(n) \implies f(n) \in o(g(n))$  □

**1.5**  $f(n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{2^i}, g(n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{i^{10000}}{2^i}$

$f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$

*Proof.*  $f(n) = \frac{\frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2^n} - 1)}{\frac{1}{2} - 1} = 1 - \frac{1}{2^n}$ , trivial to show this is tightly upper bounded by constant.  $f(n) \in \Theta(1)$   
 Next we will show that the summation  $g(n)$  converges.

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{n^{10000}}{2^n}}{\frac{(n-1)^{10000}}{2^{n-1}}} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^{10000}}{2(n-1)^{10000}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{10000n^{9999}}{20000(n-1)^{9999}} = \dots \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{10000!}{2(10000!)} = \frac{1}{2} < 1 \implies \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{i^{10000}}{2^i} \text{ converges} \end{aligned}$$

$g(n) \in \Theta(1) \implies h(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$  by symmetry  $\implies f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$  by transitivity. □

**1.6**  $f(n) = \log \log(n^n)$ ,  $g(n) = \log \log(2^{\sqrt{n}})$

*Proof.* Define  $h(n) = n^n$ , and  $k(n) = 2^{\sqrt{n}}$ ,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln h(n)}{\ln k(n)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n \ln(n)}{\sqrt{n} \ln(2)}$$

□

**1.7**  $f(n) = 2^{\sqrt{\log n}}$ ,  $g(n) = \sqrt{n}$

**1.8**  $f(n) = 2^{\sqrt{\log n}}$ ,  $g(n) = 2^{2^{\sqrt{\log \log n}}}$

**1.9**  $f(n) = n^{\frac{1}{\log n}}$ ,  $g(n) = n^{\frac{1}{(\log n)^2}}$

**1.10**  $f(n) = n^{\frac{1}{\log n}}$ ,  $g(n) = n^{\frac{1}{\sqrt{\log n}}}$

## 2 Recurrence

**2.1**  $T(n) = 16T(\frac{n}{4}) + 32n \log^{128} n$

Define  $R(n) = \frac{T(n)}{n^2}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} R(n) &= \frac{T(\frac{n}{4})}{(\frac{n}{4})^2} + \frac{32 \log^{128} n}{n} \\ &= R(\frac{n}{4}) + \frac{32 \log^{128} n}{n} \end{aligned}$$

Define  $S(m) = R(4^n)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} S(m) &\in O(S(0)) + m^8 S(m) = S(m-1) + \frac{32 \cdot 4^m (\log(4^m))^{128}}{4^{m \cdot \log_4(16)}} \\ &= S(m-1) + \frac{32 \cdot 4^m m^{128}}{16^m} \\ &= S(m-1) + \frac{32(m)^{128}}{4^m} \\ S(m) &\in \Theta(S(0) + 32 \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{i^{128}}{4^i}) \end{aligned}$$

It's easy to show that  $f(n) = \sum_{i=0}^m \frac{i^{128}}{4^i} \in O(1)$  as

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^{128}}{4^n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{128n^{127}}{\ln(4)4^n} = \dots = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{c_1}{c_2 4^n} = 0 \quad \text{for some constant } c_1, c_2$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{n^{128}}{4^n}}{1} = 0 \implies f(n) = \frac{n^{128}}{4^n} \in o(1) \implies f(n) \in O(1)$$

$$S(m) \in O(1)$$

$$R(n) \in O(1)$$

$$T(n) \in O(n^2)$$

**2.2**  $T(n) = 16T(\frac{n}{4}) + 64n^2 \log^8 n + 32n \log^{128} n$

Define  $R(n) = \frac{T(n)}{n^2}$ :

$$R(n) = \frac{16 \cdot T(n)}{(\frac{n^2}{4})} + \frac{64n^2(\log(n))^8}{n^2} + \frac{32n \log^{128} n}{n^2}$$

$$R(n) = \frac{16 \cdot T(n)}{(\frac{n^2}{4})} + 64(\log(n))^8 + \frac{32 \log^{128} n}{n}$$

Define  $m = 4^n$ ,  $n = \log(m)$ ,  $S(m) = R(4^n)$

$$S(m) = S(m-1) + \frac{64(4^m)^2(\log(4^m))^8}{4^m \cdot \log_4 16} + \frac{32(4^m)(\log(4^m))^{128}}{4^m \cdot \log_4 16}$$

$$= S(m-1) + 64(m \log 4)^8 + \frac{32(m(\log 4))^{128}}{4^m}$$

$$S(m) \in O\left(S(0) + 64 \cdot (\log 4)^8 \sum_{i=1}^m i^8 + 32 \cdot (\log 4)^{128} \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{i^{128}}{4^i}\right)$$

We have shown in 1.1 that  $g(m) = \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{i^{128}}{4^i} \in O(1)$ .

$$i^8 \leq \sum_{i=1}^k i^8 \leq k \cdot i^8 \implies h(k) = \sum_{i=1}^k i^8 \in \Theta(k^8)$$

$$S(m) \in O(S(0) + m^8)$$

$$\in O(m^8)$$

$$R(n) \in O((\log_4 n)^8)$$

$$T(n) \in O(n^2 \log^8 n)$$

**2.3**  $T(n) = T(\sqrt{n}) + \log(n)$

Define  $n = 2^m$ ,  $m = \log(n)$

$$T(n) = T(n^{\frac{1}{2}}) + \log(n)$$

$$T(2^m) = T(2^{\frac{1}{2}m}) + \log(2^m)$$

$$= T(2^{\frac{1}{2}m}) + m$$

$$R(m) = R(\frac{m}{2}) + m$$

Define  $m = 2^k$ ,  $k = \log(m)$

$$R(2^k) = R(\frac{2^k}{2}) + 2^k$$

$$S(k) = S(k-1) + 2^k$$

$$S(k) \in O(S(0) + \sum_{i=1}^k 2^i) = O(1 + 2^{k+1} + 2) = O(2^k)$$

Map back to  $R(m)$  and  $T(n)$ :

$$S(k) \in O(2^k)$$

$$\implies R(m) \in O(2^{\log(m)}) = O(m)$$

$$\implies T(n) \in O(\log(n))$$

## 2.4 $T(n) = T(\sqrt{n}) + \log \log(n)$

Define  $n = 2^m$ ,  $m = \log(n)$

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= T(n^{\frac{1}{2}}) + \log \log(n) \\ T(2^m) &= T(2^{\frac{1}{2}m}) + \log \log(2^m) \\ &= T(2^{\frac{1}{2}m}) + \log(m) \\ R(m) &= R\left(\frac{m}{2}\right) + \log(m) \end{aligned}$$

Define  $m = 2^k$ ,  $k = \log(m)$

$$\begin{aligned} R(2^k) &= R\left(\frac{2^k}{2}\right) + \log(2^k) \\ S(k) &= S(k-1) + k \\ S(k) &\in O(S(0) + \sum_{i=1}^k i) = O\left(\frac{k(k+1)}{2}\right) = O(k^2) \end{aligned}$$

Map back to  $R(m)$  and  $T(n)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} S(k) &\in O(k^2) \\ \implies R(m) &\in O(\log^2(m)) \\ \implies T(n) &\in O((\log \log(n))^2) \end{aligned}$$