

CSC165H1: Problem Set 3
Due November 15, 2017 before 10pm

1. (a)

WTS: $\forall m \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall a, b \in S, (m \neq 0) \Rightarrow (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^+, (\forall k \leq n, a_k \equiv b_k \pmod{m})) \Rightarrow \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} a_k \equiv \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} b_k \pmod{m}$

P(n): $(\forall k \leq n, a_k \equiv b_k \pmod{m}) \Rightarrow \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} a_k \equiv \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} b_k \pmod{m}$

Proof: We will prove this statement using induction on n.

Let $m \in \mathbb{Z}$, let $a, b \in S$, assume $m \neq 0$

Base case:

Let $n=1$.

We assume $\forall k \leq n, a_k \equiv b_k \pmod{m}$ that is $a_0 \equiv b_0 \pmod{m}$ and $a_1 \equiv b_1 \pmod{m}$, we want to prove that $\prod_{k=0}^{k=1} a_k \equiv \prod_{k=0}^{k=1} b_k \pmod{m}$ that is $a_0 \times a_1 \equiv b_0 \times b_1 \pmod{m}$

Since $\forall a, b, c, d, n \in \mathbb{Z}$, with $n \neq 0$, if $a \equiv c \pmod{n}$ and $b \equiv d \pmod{n}$, then $ab \equiv cd \pmod{n}$ (course note 2.18(c))

And $a_0 \equiv b_0 \pmod{m}$ and $a_1 \equiv b_1 \pmod{m}$ (what we assumed before)

So $a_0 \times a_1 \equiv b_0 \times b_1 \pmod{m}$

Hence $(\forall k \leq n, a_k \equiv b_k \pmod{m}) \Rightarrow \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} a_k \equiv \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} b_k \pmod{m}$

Induction step:

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}^+$ and assume that $(\forall k \leq n, a_k \equiv b_k \pmod{m}) \Rightarrow \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} a_k \equiv \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} b_k \pmod{m}$

We want to prove that $(\forall k \leq n+1, a_k \equiv b_k \pmod{m}) \Rightarrow \prod_{k=0}^{k=n+1} a_k \equiv \prod_{k=0}^{k=n+1} b_k \pmod{m}$

Assume that $(\forall k \leq n+1, a_k \equiv b_k \pmod{m})$ we want to prove that $\prod_{k=0}^{k=n+1} a_k \equiv \prod_{k=0}^{k=n+1} b_k \pmod{m}$

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Since $\forall k \leq n+1, a_k \equiv b_k \pmod{m}$ and $n < n+1$ so $\forall k \leq n, a_k \equiv b_k \pmod{m}$, so $\prod_{k=0}^{k=n} a_k \equiv \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} b_k \pmod{m}$ (by induction hypothesis)

Since $\forall k \leq n+1, a_k \equiv b_k \pmod{m}$ so $a_{n+1} \equiv b_{n+1} \pmod{m}$

Since $\forall a, b, c, d, n \in \mathbb{Z}$, with $n \neq 0$, if $a \equiv c \pmod{n}$ and $b \equiv d \pmod{n}$, then $ab \equiv cd \pmod{n}$ (course note 2.18(c))

Hence $\prod_{k=0}^{k=n} a_k \times a_{n+1} \equiv \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} b_k \times b_{n+1} \pmod{m}$ that is $\prod_{k=0}^{k=n+1} a_k \equiv \prod_{k=0}^{k=n+1} b_k \pmod{m}$

In all, we have proven that $\forall m \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall a, b \in S, (m \neq 0) \Rightarrow (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^+, (\forall k \leq n, a_k \equiv b_k \pmod{m})) \Rightarrow \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} a_k \equiv \prod_{k=0}^{k=n} b_k \pmod{m}$ ■

(b)

WTS: $\forall d \in \mathbb{N}, \forall b \in S, (d > 1 \wedge (\forall m \in \mathbb{N}, b_m > 0)) \Rightarrow (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, (\forall i \in \mathbb{N}, i \leq n \Rightarrow \gcd(d, b_i) = 1) \Rightarrow d \nmid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i)$

P(n): $(\forall i \in \mathbb{N}, i \leq n \Rightarrow \gcd(d, b_i) = 1) \Rightarrow d \nmid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i$

Proof: We will prove this statement using induction on n.

Let $d \in \mathbb{N}$, let $b \in S$, we assume that $d > 1$ and $(\forall m \in \mathbb{N}, b_m > 0)$

Base case:

Let $n=0$

We assume that $\forall i \in \mathbb{N}, i \leq n \Rightarrow \gcd(d, b_i) = 1$, that is $\gcd(d, b_0) = 1$

We want to show that $d \nmid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i$ that is $d \nmid b_0$

We will prove this by contradiction

Assume that $d \mid b_0$

Since $d \mid d$, so $\gcd(d, b_0) \geq d > 1$

Hence $\gcd(d, b_0) \neq 1$, and we get a contradiction

So $(\forall i \in \mathbb{N}, i \leq n \Rightarrow \gcd(d, b_i) = 1) \Rightarrow d \nmid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i$

Induction step:

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and assume that $(\forall i \in \mathbb{N}, i \leq n \Rightarrow \gcd(d, b_i) = 1) \Rightarrow d \nmid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i$

We want to prove that $(\forall i \in \mathbb{N}, i \leq n+1 \Rightarrow \gcd(d, b_i) = 1) \Rightarrow d \nmid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n+1} b_i$

Assume that $\forall i \in \mathbb{N}, i \leq n+1 \Rightarrow \gcd(d, b_i) = 1$

We want to show that $d \nmid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n+1} b_i$

We will prove this by contradiction

Assume that $d \mid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n+1} b_i$ that is $d \mid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i \times b_{n+1}$

Since $\forall i \in \mathbb{N}, i \leq n+1 \Rightarrow \gcd(d, b_i) = 1$ and $n+1 > n$

So $\forall i \in \mathbb{N}, i \leq n \Rightarrow \gcd(d, b_i) = 1$ so $d \nmid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i$, that is $\gcd(d, \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i) = 1$ (by induction hypothesis)

Since $\forall a, b \in \mathbb{N}, \forall c \in \mathbb{Z}, (\gcd(a, b) = 1 \wedge a \mid bc) \Rightarrow (a \mid c)$ (2(g) from problem set 2)

Since $\gcd(d, \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i) = 1$ and $d, \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i \in \mathbb{N}$ and $b_{n+1} \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $d \mid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i \times b_{n+1}$

Thus $d \mid b_{n+1}$

So $\gcd(d, b_{n+1}) \geq d > 1$

But we already know from our assumption that $\gcd(d, b_{n+1}) = 1$, so we get a contradiction

Hence $d \nmid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n+1} b_i$

In all we have proven that $\forall d \in \mathbb{N}, \forall b \in S, (d > 1 \wedge (\forall m \in \mathbb{N}, b_m > 0)) \Rightarrow (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, (\forall i \in \mathbb{N}, i \leq n \Rightarrow \gcd(d, b_i) = 1) \Rightarrow d \nmid \prod_{i=0}^{i=n} b_i) \blacksquare$

(c)

WTS: $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n > 1 \Rightarrow \sum_{j=n+1}^{j=2n} \frac{1}{j} > \frac{13}{24}$

P(n): $\sum_{j=n+1}^{j=2n} \frac{1}{j} > \frac{13}{24}$

Proof:

We will prove this statement using induction on n.

Base case:

Let $n=2$ ($2 > 1$)

$$\sum_{j=n+1}^{j=2n} \frac{1}{j} = \frac{1}{2+1} + \frac{1}{2 \times 2} = \frac{14}{24} > \frac{13}{24}$$

So $\sum_{j=n+1}^{j=2n} \frac{1}{j} > \frac{13}{24}$

Induction step:

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$, and assume that $n > 1$

We assume that $\sum_{j=n+1}^{j=2n} \frac{1}{j} > \frac{13}{24}$

We want to prove that $\sum_{j=n+2}^{j=2n+2} \frac{1}{j} > \frac{13}{24}$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j=n+2}^{j=2n+2} \frac{1}{j} &= \sum_{j=n+1}^{j=2n} \frac{1}{j} - \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{2n+1} + \frac{1}{2n+2} \\ &= \sum_{j=n+1}^{j=2n} \frac{1}{j} + \frac{1}{2n+1} - \frac{1}{2n+2} \end{aligned}$$

Since $2n+2 > 2n+1 > 0$

$$\text{So } \frac{1}{2n+1} > \frac{1}{2n+2} > 0$$

$$\text{So } \frac{1}{2n+1} - \frac{1}{2n+2} > 0$$

$$\text{So } \sum_{j=n+1}^{j=2n} \frac{1}{j} + \frac{1}{2n+1} - \frac{1}{2n+2} > \sum_{j=n+1}^{j=2n} \frac{1}{j} > \frac{13}{24} \text{ (by induction hypothesis)}$$

$$\text{Hence } \sum_{j=n+2}^{j=2n+2} \frac{1}{j} > \frac{13}{24}$$

In all we have proven that $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n > 1 \Rightarrow \sum_{j=n+1}^{j=2n} \frac{1}{j} > \frac{13}{24}$ ■

(d)

$$\text{WTS: } \forall c \in S, (c_n = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } n = 0 \\ c_{n-1} + 3n^2 - 3n + 1, & \text{if } n > 0 \end{cases}) \Rightarrow (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, c_n = n^3)$$

$$P(n): c_n = n^3$$

Proof: We will prove this statement using induction on n .

$$\text{Let } c \in S, \text{ and assume that } c_n = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } n = 0 \\ c_{n-1} + 3n^2 - 3n + 1, & \text{if } n > 0 \end{cases}$$

Base case:

$$\text{Let } n=0, c_n = 0 = n^3,$$

Induction step:

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$,

$$\text{Assume } c_n = n^3$$

$$\text{We want to show that } c_{n+1} = (n+1)^3$$

Since $n \in \mathbb{N}$, so $n \geq 0$, hence $n+1 > 0$

Thus:

$$\begin{aligned} c_{n+1} &= c_n + 3(n+1)^2 - 3(n+1) + 1 \\ &= n^3 + 3(n+1)^2 - 3(n+1) + 1 \text{ (by induction hypothesis)} \\ &= n^3 + 3n^2 + 3n + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$=(n+1)^3$$

In all, we have proven that $\forall c \in S, (c_n = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } n = 0 \\ c_{n-1} + 3n^2 - 3n + 1, & \text{if } n > 0 \end{cases}) \Rightarrow (\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, c_n = n^3) \blacksquare$

2.(a)

$$\text{WTS: } \forall n, k \in \mathbb{N}, k \leq n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

$$\text{P}(n): \forall k \in \mathbb{N}, 0 < k < n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

Proof:

Let $n, k \in \mathbb{N}$, assume $k=n$, we know that the number of subsets S of size $|s|$ is always 1,

so $\binom{n}{k} = 1$ and $\frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!} = \frac{n!}{n!0!} = 1$, hence $\forall n, k \in \mathbb{N}, k = n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$ is always true.

Let $n, k \in \mathbb{N}$, assume $k=0$, we know that the number of empty subset of a set is always 1,

so $\binom{n}{k} = 1$ and $\frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!} = \frac{n!}{n!0!} = 1$, hence $\forall n, k \in \mathbb{N}, k = 0 \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$ is always true.

Therefore, we only need to prove $\forall n, k \in \mathbb{N}, 0 < k < n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$

We will prove this statement using induction on n .

Base case:

Let $n=0$

Let $k \in \mathbb{N}$, assume $0 < k < n$, that is $0 < k < 0$ and this is false, so $0 < k < n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} =$

$\frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$ is true. Hence $\forall k \in \mathbb{N}, 0 < k < n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$

Let $n=1$

Let $k \in \mathbb{N}$, assume $0 < k < n$, that is $0 < k < 1$ since $k \in \mathbb{N}$, so this assumption is false, so $0 <$

$k < n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$ is true. Hence $\forall k \in \mathbb{N}, 0 < k < n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$

Let $n=2$

Let $k \in \mathbb{N}$, assume $0 < k < n$, that is $0 < k < 2$, so $k=1$, since there are two elements in a set which size is two. So the number of subsets S of size 1 is 2, so $\binom{n}{k} = 2$

And $\frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!} = \frac{2}{1 \times 1} = 2$

Thus $\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$. Hence $\forall k \in \mathbb{N}, 0 < k < n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$

Induction step:

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$, assume that $\forall k \in \mathbb{N}, 0 < k < n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$

Since $\forall n, k \in \mathbb{N}, k = n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$ is always true and $\forall n, k \in \mathbb{N}, k = 0 \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} =$

$\frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$ is always true. We can write the assumption as $\forall k \in \mathbb{N}, 0 \leq k \leq n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$

We want to show that $\forall k \in \mathbb{N}, 0 < k < n+1 \Rightarrow \binom{n+1}{k} = \frac{(n+1)!}{k!(n+1-k)!}$

Let $k \in \mathbb{N}$, assume that $0 < k < n+1$, we want to show that $\binom{n+1}{k} = \frac{(n+1)!}{k!(n+1-k)!}$

When it comes to a set S with $|S|=n+1$, we can let the elements in the set

be $\{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n, s_{n+1}\}$ Let $S' = \{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\}$ so that $S = S' \cup \{s_{n+1}\}$, also $|S'| = n$

- First, counting subset of size k that contains s_{n+1} :

Since every subset of S of size k that contains s_{n+1} must contain exactly $k-1$ elements from S' , there are $\binom{n}{k-1}$ choices of elements from S' .

Since $0 < k < n+1$ so $0 \leq k-1 \leq n-1$, thus $0 \leq k-1 \leq n$, Hence $\binom{n}{k-1} =$

$$\frac{n!}{(k-1)!(n-k+1)!} \text{ (by induction hypothesis)}$$

Hence there is $\frac{n!}{(k-1)!(n-k+1)!}$ subsets of S of size k that contains s_{n+1}

- Second, counting subset of size k that does not contain s_{n+1} :

Every subset of size k of S that does not contain s_{n+1} must contain k of the elements $\{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\}$. That is, these subsets are exactly the subsets of size k of S' , so the number of these subsets is $\binom{n}{k}$.

Since $0 < k < n+1$ so $0 < k \leq n$ thus $0 \leq k \leq n$, Hence $\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$ (by induction hypothesis)

Hence there is $\frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$ subsets of S of size k that does not contain s_{n+1}

By combining the two counts from the first and second part, the total number of subsets of

size k of S is $\frac{n!}{(k-1)!(n-k+1)!} + \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$

$$\text{That is } \binom{n+1}{k} = \frac{n!}{(k-1)!(n-k+1)!} + \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!} = \frac{n!k+n!(n-k+1)}{k!(n-k+1)!} = \frac{n!(n+1)}{k!(n-k+1)!} = \frac{(n+1)!}{k!(n+1-k)!} = \frac{(n+1)!}{k!(n+1-k)!}$$

Hence we have shown that $\binom{n+1}{k} = \frac{(n+1)!}{k!(n+1-k)!}$

In all we have proven that $\forall n, k \in \mathbb{N}, 0 < k < n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$ And $\forall n, k \in \mathbb{N}, k = n \Rightarrow$

$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!} \text{ and } \forall n, k \in \mathbb{N}, k = 0 \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

Therefore we have proven that $\forall n, k \in \mathbb{N}, k \leq n \Rightarrow \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$ ■

(b)

The elements of DTP_2 : $\{\emptyset, \{1,2\}\}$, $\{\{1\}, \{2\}\}$

The elements of DTP_3 : $\{\emptyset, \{1,2,3\}\}$, $\{\{1\}, \{2,3\}\}$, $\{\{2\}, \{1,3\}\}$, $\{\{3\}, \{1,2\}\}$

(c)

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, \quad |DTP_n| = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } n = 0 \\ 2^{n-1}, & \text{if } n > 0 \end{cases}$$

Proof:

$$\text{WTS: } \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, \quad |DTP_n| = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } n = 0 \\ 2^{n-1}, & \text{if } n > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$P(n): |DTP_n| = 2^{n-1}$$

1. Let $n=0$

Since we got from the question that $DTP_0 = \{\{\emptyset, \emptyset\}\}$, so $|DTP_0| = 1$

So our statement is true when $n=0$.

2. We will prove the following statement using induction on n .

Base case:

Let $n=1$

Since we got from the question that $DTP_1 = \{\{\{1\}, \emptyset\}\}$, so $|DTP_1| = 1$

Since $2^{n-1} = 2^0 = 1$

So $|DTP_n| = 2^{n-1}$

Induction step:

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$, assume $n > 0$, we assume $|DTP_n| = 2^{n-1}$

We want to prove that $|DTP_{n+1}| = 2^n$

Since $S_{n+1} = \{1, 2, \dots, n, n+1\}$, $S_n = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ so that $S_{n+1} = S_n \cup \{n+1\}$ (Definition 3)

According to the definition of DTP_{n+1} : $DTP_{n+1} = \{\{A, B\} | A, B \subseteq S_{n+1} \text{ and } A \cup B = S_{n+1} \text{ and } A \cap B = \emptyset\}$

Let $\{A, B\} \in DTP_{n+1}$, so $n+1$ must be in and only be in one of A, B

If $n+1 \in A$, take $C=A$ without $n+1$, $D=B$.

If $n+1 \in B$, take $C=A$, $D=B$ without $n+1$.

Let's first consider the number of $\{C, D\}$, then consider the number of $\{A, B\}$ which is

$$|DTP_{n+1}|$$

Since $\{A, B\}$'s definition is : $A, B \subseteq S_{n+1} \text{ and } A \cup B = S_{n+1} \text{ and } A \cap B = \emptyset$ and we also know that $S_{n+1} = S_n \cup \{n+1\}$

So the definition of $\{C, D\}$ is : $C, D \subseteq S_{n+1} \setminus \{n+1\} = S_n$ and $C \cup D = S_{n+1} \setminus \{n+1\} = S_n$ and $C \cap D = \emptyset$

Hence we can find that $\{C, D\}$'s definition is equal to the definition of DTP_n , so the number of $\{C, D\}$ is equal to $|DTP_n|$ which is 2^{n-1} (by induction hypothesis)

Now let's consider the number of $\{A, B\}$ which is $|DTP_{n+1}|$, since

If $n+1 \in A$, take $C=A$ without $n+1$, $D=B$.

If $n+1 \in B$, take $C=A$, $D=B$ without $n+1$.

$\{A, B\}$ is $\{C, D\}$ add up with $n+1$, for every $\{C, D\}$, we can add up $n+1$ on C or on D , so

there are two ways to add on $n+1$. That is the number of $\{A, B\}$ is equal to

$$2 \times \text{the number of } \{C, D\}. \text{ Hence } |DTP_{n+1}| = 2 \times |DTP_n| = 2 \times 2^{n-1} = 2^n$$

In all we have proven that

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, \quad |DTP_n| = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } n = 0 \\ 2^{n-1}, & \text{if } n > 0 \end{cases}$$

■

3. (a)

WTS: Theorem 5.8.: For all $f: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$, if $f(n)$ is eventually greater than or equal to 1, then $\lfloor f \rfloor \in \Theta(f)$ and $\lceil f \rceil \in \Theta(f)$

The definition of big-Theta: Definition 5.6. Let $f, g: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$. We say that g is (Big-)Theta of f if and only if g is both Big-Oh of f and Omega of f . In this case, we can write $g \in \Theta(f)$. Equivalently, g is Theta of f if and only if there exist constants $c_1, c_2, n_0 \in \mathbb{R}^+$ such that for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, if $n \geq n_0$ then $c_1 f(n) \leq g(n) \leq c_2 f(n)$.

Proof:

Let $f: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$ we assume that $f(n)$ is eventually greater than or equal to 1 that is $\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 \Rightarrow f(n) \geq 1$, let n_0 be that value.

We want to show that $\exists c_{11}, c_{21}, n_1 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_1 \Rightarrow c_{11} f(n) \leq \lfloor f \rfloor \leq c_{21} f(n)$

And $\exists c_{12}, c_{22}, n_2 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_2 \Rightarrow c_{12} f(n) \leq \lceil f \rceil \leq c_{22} f(n)$

First, from the worksheet, we know that: Given any real number x , the floor of x , denoted $\lfloor x \rfloor$, is defined to be the largest integer that is less than or equal to x . Similarly, the ceiling of x , denoted $\lceil x \rceil$, is defined to be the smallest integer that is greater than or equal to x . Hence we know that $x - 1 < \lfloor x \rfloor \leq x$ and $x \leq \lceil x \rceil < x + 1$

● show that $\exists c_{11}, c_{21}, n_1 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_1 \Rightarrow c_{11} f(n) \leq \lfloor f \rfloor \leq c_{21} f(n)$

1. If $f(n)$ is eventually greater than or equal to 1 but smaller than 2:

That is $\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 \Rightarrow 2 > f(n) \geq 1$, let n_0 be that value.

Let $c_{11} = \frac{1}{2}$, $c_{21} = 1$, $n_1 = n_0$, so $c_{11}, c_{21}, n_1 \in \mathbb{R}^+$, since $n_0, \frac{1}{2}, 1 \in \mathbb{R}^+$

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$, assume $n \geq n_1$

We want to show that $c_{11} f(n) \leq \lfloor f \rfloor \leq c_{21} f(n)$

✧ Since $n \geq n_1 = n_0$, so $2 > f(n) \geq 1$, so $1 > \frac{1}{2} f(n) \geq \frac{1}{2}$

So $c_{11} f(n) = \frac{1}{2} f(n) < 1$

Since $n \geq n_1 = n_0$, so $2 > f(n) \geq 1$, so $\lfloor f \rfloor = 1$

Hence $c_{11} f(n) = \frac{1}{2} f(n) < 1 = \lfloor f \rfloor$

That is $c_{11} f(n) \leq \lfloor f \rfloor$

✧ Since $n \geq n_1 = n_0$, so $2 > f(n) \geq 1$, so $\lfloor f \rfloor = 1$

So $\lfloor f \rfloor \leq f(n) = c_{21} f(n)$ (since $c_{21} = 1$)

Hence we have shown that $c_{11} f(n) \leq \lfloor f \rfloor \leq c_{21} f(n)$

2. If $f(n)$ is eventually greater than or equal to 2:

That is $\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 \Rightarrow f(n) \geq 2$, let n_0 be that value.

Let $c_{11} = \frac{1}{3}$, $c_{21} = 1$, $n_1 = n_0$, so $c_{11}, c_{21}, n_1 \in \mathbb{R}^+$, since $n_0, \frac{1}{3}, 1 \in \mathbb{R}^+$

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$, assume $n \geq n_1$

We want to show that $c_{11}f(n) \leq [f] \leq c_{21}f(n)$

✧ Since $n \geq n_1 = n_0$, so $f(n) \geq 2$, thus $\frac{2}{3}f(n) \geq \frac{4}{3} > 1$

So $f(n) - \frac{1}{3}f(n) > 1$

Thus $f(n) - c_{11}f(n) > 1$

So $c_{11}f(n) < f(n) - 1$

Since $[f] > f - 1$ no matter what f is

So $[f] > f - 1 > c_{11}f(n)$

✧ Since $[f] \leq f$ no matter what f is

So $[f] \leq f = c_{21}f(n)$ (since $c_{21} = 1$)

Hence we have shown that $c_{11}f(n) \leq [f] \leq c_{21}f(n)$

In all we have shown that $\exists c_{11}, c_{21}, n_1 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_1 \Rightarrow c_{11}f(n) \leq [f] \leq c_{21}f(n)$

● Show that $\exists c_{12}, c_{22}, n_2 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_2 \Rightarrow c_{12}f(n) \leq [f] \leq c_{22}f(n)$

Let $c_{12} = 1$, $c_{22} = 3$, $n_2 = n_0$, so $c_{12}, c_{22}, n_2 \in \mathbb{R}^+$, since $n_0, 3, 1 \in \mathbb{R}^+$

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$, assume $n \geq n_2$

We want to show that $c_{12}f(n) \leq [f] \leq c_{22}f(n)$

✧ Since $[f] \geq f$ no matter what f is

So $[f] \geq f = c_{12}f(n)$ (Since $c_{12} = 1$)

✧ Since $n \geq n_2 = n_0$, so $f(n) \geq 1$, so $2f(n) \geq 2 > 1$

So $3f(n) \geq f + 1$

Thus $c_{22}f(n) \geq f + 1$ (Since $c_{22} = 3$)

We also know that $f + 1 > [f]$ no matter what f is

Hence $c_{22}f(n) \geq f + 1 > [f]$

Hence we have shown that $c_{12}f(n) \leq [f] \leq c_{22}f(n)$

In all we have shown that $\exists c_{12}, c_{22}, n_2 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_2 \Rightarrow c_{12}f(n) \leq [f] \leq c_{22}f(n)$

Therefore we have proven that For all $f: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$, if $f(n)$ is eventually greater than or equal to 1, then $[f] \in \Theta(f)$ and $[f] \in \Theta(f)$ ■

(b)

WTS : $\forall a, b \in \mathbb{R}^+, (b > a \wedge a > 1) \Rightarrow b^n \notin O(a^n)$

That is: $\forall a, b \in \mathbb{R}^+, (b > a \wedge a > 1) \Rightarrow (\forall c, n_0 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \exists n \in \mathbb{N}, (n \geq n_0) \wedge (b^n > c \times a^n))$

Proof:

Let $a, b \in \mathbb{R}^+$, assume $b > a$ and $a > 1$

We want to prove that $\forall c, n_0 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \exists n \in \mathbb{N}, (n \geq n_0) \wedge (b^n > c \times a^n)$

Let $c, n_0 \in \mathbb{R}^+$, take $n = \max(\lceil \log_{\frac{b}{a}} c \rceil + 1, \lceil n_0 \rceil + 1)$, so $n \in \mathbb{N}$

We want to prove that $(n \geq n_0) \wedge (b^n > c \times a^n)$

- We want to prove that $n \geq n_0$:

$$\text{Since } n = \max(\lceil \log_{\frac{b}{a}} c \rceil + 1, \lceil n_0 \rceil + 1)$$

$$\text{So } n \geq \lceil n_0 \rceil + 1 > \lceil n_0 \rceil \geq n_0$$

$$\text{Hence } n \geq n_0$$

- We want to prove that $b^n > c \times a^n$:

$$\text{Since } n = \max(\lceil \log_{\frac{b}{a}} c \rceil + 1, \lceil n_0 \rceil + 1)$$

$$\text{So } n \geq \lceil \log_{\frac{b}{a}} c \rceil + 1 > \lceil \log_{\frac{b}{a}} c \rceil \geq \log_{\frac{b}{a}} c$$

$$\text{Hence } n > \log_{\frac{b}{a}} c$$

$$\text{Since } b > a \text{ and } a > 1 \text{ so } \frac{b}{a} > 1$$

$$\text{Hence } \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^n > \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{\log_{\frac{b}{a}} c}$$

$$\text{That is } \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^n > c$$

$$\text{Since } a > 1 \text{ so } a^n > 0$$

$$\text{Hence } b^n > c \times a^n$$

Hence we have shown that $(n \geq n_0) \wedge (b^n > c \times a^n)$

Therefore we have proven that $\forall a, b \in \mathbb{R}^+, (b > a \wedge a > 1) \Rightarrow b^n \notin O(a^n)$ ■

(c)

WTS : $RT_{xgcd} \in O(\lg n)$

Proof:

Let $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$, we want to show that $RT_{xgcd} \in O(\lg n)$

(There is one assignment and one return sentence in the whole function and we will consider them only when there is no iteration in the loop. Cause $2 \in O(\lg n)$ (take $c=1$ and $n_0=1000$, so $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 = 1000, c \times \lg n = \lg n \geq \lg 1000 > 2$) and from theorem 5.5 we know that for all $f, g, h: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$, if $f \in O(h)$ and $g \in O(h)$, then $f + g \in O(h)$, so we only need to consider whether the running time of the loop is a big-Oh of $\lg n$.)

assume $m \neq 0$, and $n \neq 0$

- CASE1: $n=m$:

If $n=m$, then the quotient will be $r_0/r_1=1$

Hence after one iteration, $r_1 = n - (n//m)m = n - m = 0$

And the loop is over.

Hence when $n=m$, $RT_{xgcd} = 1 \in O(\lg n)$ (take $c=1$ and $n_0=1000$, so $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 = 1000, c \times \lg n = \lg n \geq \lg 1000 > 1$)

- CASE2: $m < n$:

Let r_0 be the original value of r_0 , r_1 be the value of r_0 after one loop iteration, and r_2 the value of r_0 after two loop iterations. We want to prove that $r_2 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0$

From the question, we get that $r_2 = r_0 - (r_0/r_1)r_1$

Since $m < n$ from the " $r_0, r_1 = r_1, r_0 - \text{quotient} * r_1$ ", we know that $r_1 < r_0$, since r_1 is either be the remainder that the last r_0 divides r_0 or be m when r_0 be n .

We divide up this proof into two cases:

✧ Case1: $0 \leq r_1 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0$

(If $r_1 = 0$, although the loop will end at that time, we may assume that the loop is going on till the next iteration when r_2 is something related with r_0 and the loop end at that time. Since we are calculating the worst situation.)

Since $(r_0/r_1) \times r_1 + r_0 \% r_1 = r_0$

So $r_2 = r_0 - (r_0/r_1)r_1 = r_0 \% r_1$

Since $r_0 \% r_1 < r_1$ and $r_1 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0$

Thus $r_2 = r_0 \% r_1 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0$, that is $r_2 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0$

✧ Case2: $\frac{1}{2}r_0 < r_1 < r_0$

Since $\frac{1}{2}r_0 < r_1 < r_0$, so $r_0/r_1 = 1$ (since if $r_0/r_1 \neq 1$, then $r_0/r_1 =$

0 or $r_0/r_1 > 1$. for $r_0/r_1 = 0$, then $r_0 \% r_1 = r_0 < r_1$, we get a contradiction. For $r_0/r_1 > 1$, then $r_0 \geq 2r_1 > r_0$, we get a contradiction. Thus $r_0/r_1 = 1$)

So $r_2 = r_0 - (r_0/r_1)r_1 = r_0 - r_1$

Since $\frac{1}{2}r_0 < r_1 < r_0$

So $-\frac{1}{2}r_0 > -r_1 > -r_0$

So $r_0 - \frac{1}{2}r_0 > r_0 - r_1 > r_0 - r_0$ (since $r_0 \in \mathbb{N}$)

Hence $\frac{1}{2}r_0 > r_0 - r_1$

Thus $r_2 = r_0 - r_1 < \frac{1}{2}r_0$, that is $r_2 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0$

In all we have shown that $r_2 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0$

That is every two iterations of the loop reduces r_0 by at least half.

And the loop will be over when $r_1=0$ that is when r_0 becomes the $\text{gcd}(n,m)$, (since the loop is to get the extended $\text{gcd}(n,m)$ and $r_0=\text{gcd}(n,m)$, $r_0=s_0n+t_0m$)

Since we want to get the big-Oh of RT_{xgcd} , hence we can think about the worst condition that is $\text{gcd}(n,m)=1$. Hence when $1 \leq r_0 < 2$, the loop will get over. (Since sometime we won't get 1 when divide n by 2 everytime and the $\text{gcd}(n,m)$ must be

greater or equal to 1)

After $2k$ iterations, r_0 will be $\frac{n}{2^k}$, and take this into $1 \leq r_0 < 2$, we get $1 \leq \frac{n}{2^k} < 2$, so

$$k = \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$$

Hence the number of actual iterations is at most $2\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$, with each iteration costing a single step

$$\text{Thus } RT_{xgcd} \leq 2\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$$

$$\text{Take } c_1 = \frac{\ln 10}{\ln 2}, c_2 = 2 \times \frac{\ln 10}{\ln 2}, n_0 = 100 \text{ so } \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0: c_2 \lg n = 2 \log_2 n \geq$$

$$2\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor, c_1 \lg n = \log_2 n < \log_2 n + \log_2 n - 2 < 2\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$$

$$\text{So } 2\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor \in \theta(\lg n), \text{ hence } RT_{xgcd} \in O(\lg n)$$

● CASE3: $m > n$:

So the first iteration will do the work that exchange the value of r_1 and r_0 , so r_1 will be n and r_0 will be m , and the second iteration will do the work that change n back to r_0 , and r_1 at this time is the remainder of m divides n which is smaller than n , let's call it m' .

Start with the third iteration. Let r_0 be the original value of r_0 , r_1 be the value of r_0 after one loop iteration, and r_2 the value of r_0 after two loop iterations. We want to

$$\text{prove that } r_2 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0$$

$$\text{From the question, we get that } r_2 = r_0 - (r_0 // r_1)r_1$$

Since $m' < n$ from the " $r_0, r_1 = r_1, r_0 - \text{quotient} * r_1$ ", we know that $r_1 < r_0$, since r_1 is either be the remainder that the last r_0 divides r_0 or be m' when r_0 be n .

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$$\text{Since } r_0 \% r_1 < r_1 \text{ and } r_1 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0$$

$$\text{Thus } r_2 = r_0 \% r_1 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0, \text{ that is } r_2 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0$$

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$$\text{Since } \frac{1}{2}r_0 < r_1 < r_0, \text{ so } r_0 // r_1 = 1 \text{ (since if } r_0 // r_1 \neq 1, \text{ then } r_0 // r_1 =$$

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$$\text{Since } \frac{1}{2}r_0 < r_1 < r_0$$

$$\text{So } -\frac{1}{2}r_0 > -r_1 > -r_0$$

$$\text{So } r_0 - \frac{1}{2}r_0 > r_0 - r_1 > r_0 - r_0 \text{ (since } r_0 \in \mathbb{N})$$

$$\text{Hence } \frac{1}{2}r_0 > r_0 - r_1$$

$$\text{Thus } r_2 = r_0 - r_1 < \frac{1}{2}r_0, \text{ that is } r_2 \leq \frac{1}{2}r_0$$

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$$2 \log_2 n + 2 \geq 2\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor + 2, c_1 \lg n = \log_2 n < \log_2 n + \log_2 n < 2\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$$

$$\text{So } 2\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor + 2 \in \theta(\lg n), \text{ hence } RT_{xgcd} \in O(\lg n)$$

If $m=0$:

So the condition is wrong at the first time

And $RT_{xgcd} = 2 \in O(\lg n)$ (take $c=1$ and $n_0=1000$, so $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 = 1000, c \times \lg n = \lg n \geq \lg 1000 > 2$)

If $n=0$ and $m \neq 0$

There is only 1 iteration

And $RT_{xgcd} = 1 \in O(\lg n)$ (take $c=1$ and $n_0=1000$, so $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 = 1000, c \times \lg n = \lg n \geq \lg 1000 > 1$)

Therefore we have shown that $RT_{xgcd} \in O(\lg n)$ ■

