

Data Structures & Algorithms 2

Tutorial 2

Algorithm Analysis

OBJECTIVES

- Compute the computational complexity for an algorithm

Exercise 1

Are the following formulas True or False, Justify your answer :

➤ $2^{n+1} = O(2^n)$

➤ $2^{2n} = O(2^n)$

Exercise 2

Order the following functions by growth rate:

$N, \sqrt{N}, N^{1.5}, N^2, N \log N, N \log \log N, N \log^2 N, N \log(N^2), 2/N, 2N, 2^{N/2},$

$37, N^2 \log N, N^3.$

Indicate which functions grow at the same rate. Give better insights of how you solved this?

Exercise 3

Suppose $T_1(N) = O(f(N))$ and $T_2(N) = O(f(N))$. Which of the following are true?

1. $T_1(N) + T_2(N) = O(f(N))$

2. $T_1(N) - T_2(N) = o(f(N))$

3. $\frac{T_1(N)}{T_2(N)} = O(1)$

4. $T_1(N) = O(T_2(N))$

Exercise 4

In a recent court case, a judge cited a city for contempt and ordered a fine of \$2 for the first day. Each subsequent day, until the city followed the judge's order, the fine was squared (i.e., the fine progressed as follows: \$2, \$4, \$16, \$256, \$65 536, ...).

1. What would be the fine on day N?
2. How many days would it take for the fine to reach D dollars (a Big-Oh answer will do)?

Exercise 5

Estimate the complexity big O for the following functions:

1)- Iterative Fibonacci Function V1

```
int fib(int num) {  
    int x = 0, y = 1, result = 0;  
    for (int i = 0; i < num; i++) {  
        result = x + y;  
        x = y;  
        y = result;  
    }  
    return result;  
}
```

2)- Recursive Fibonacci Function

```
int fib(int n)  
{  
    if (n <= 1)  
        return n;  
    return fib(n - 1) + fib(n - 2);  
}
```

3)-Iterative Fibonacci Function V2

```
int fib(int num) {  
    int arr[num+1];  
    arr[0]=1;  
    arr[1]=1;  
    for (int i = 2; i <= num; i++) {  
        arr[i]=arr[i-1]+arr[i-2];  
    }  
    return arr[num];  
}
```

4)-Fibonacci Function using Exponentiation:

If we compute it mathematically using the following formula:

$$F_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left(\left(\frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n - \left(\frac{1 - \sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n \right)$$

Exercise 6

- Write the fast exponentiation routine without recursion using the squaring method.
- Estimate the complexity of the algorithm.