

Section 8.3

Ex.36: Using the conclusion from Ex.31:

$$\text{we get: } f(n) = \frac{2^2 \times 1}{2^2 - 8} \cdot n^2 + \left(1 + \frac{2^2 \times 1}{8 - 2^2}\right) \cdot n^{\log_2 8} \\ = -n^2 + 2n^3$$

Ex.37:  ~~$O(n^2)$~~   $O(n^3)$

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Ex.12:

(a)  $1/(1+3x)$ : coefficient of  $x^{12}$  is:  $3^{12} = 531441$

(b)  $1/(1-2x)^2$ : coefficient of  $x^{12}$  is:  $2^{12} \cdot C(2+12-1, 2-1) \\ = 2^{12} \cdot C(13, 1) \\ = 53248$

(c)  $1/(1+x)^8$ : coefficient of  $x^{12}$  is:  ~~$(-1)^8 \cdot C(8+12-1, 8-1) \\ = C(19, 7)$~~

$(-1)^{12} \cdot C(8+12-1, 8-1) \\ = C(19, 7) \\ = 50388$

Ex.24:

(a)  $(x^1 + x^4 + x^5 + \dots)(x + x^2 + x^3 + x^4 + x^5)(1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + x^4 + x^5) \\ (x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots)$

(b)

Ex.34.