

## Time Complexity

Amount of time taken by algorithm to run as a function of length of input.

```
for(int i=0; i<N; i++)
```

```
{  
    cout<<"Hello";
```

```
}
```

Note: It is not actual time, but CPU operations.

## SPACE COMPLEXITY :-

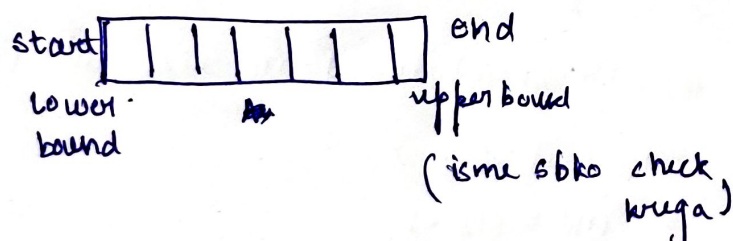
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Units to represent :-

(i) Big O: Upper bound (Best)

(ii) Theta  $\Theta$ : Average case

(iii) Omega  $\Omega$ : Lower bound



## Big O: complexities:-

1. constant time:  $O(1)$
2. Linear time:  $O(n)$
3. Logarithmic time:  $O(\log N)$
4. Quadratic time:  $O(N^2)$
- cubic time:  $O(N^3)$

## Time complexity order:-

$O(1)$  ——— Least complex

$O(\log N)$

$O(\sqrt{N})$

$O(N)$

$O(n \log n)$

$O(n^2)$

$O(n^3)$

$O(2^n)$

$O(N!)$

$O(N^n)$  ——— Most complex