

Q1.

1. global size;
2. merge(A, B, C, n):
3. size = n
4. merging(A, B, C, 1, 1, 1)

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6. merging(A, B, C, i, j, k) — $T(n, n)$ // TC of function, used in Q2
7. if (k <= 2 * size)
8. if (j > n)
9. C[k] = A[i]
10. merging(A, B, C, i+1, j, k+1) — $T(n-1, n)$
11. else if (i > n)
12. C[k] = B[j]
13. merging(A, B, C, i, j+1, k+1) — $T(n, n-1)$
14. else if (A[i] <= B[j])
15. C[k] = A[i]
16. merging(A, B, C, i+1, j, k+1) — $T(n-1, n)$
17. else
18. C[k] = B[j]
19. merging(A, B, C, i, j+1, k+1) — $T(n, n-1)$
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2. merges two sorted arrays A(1...n) & B(1...n) into C(1...2n)
6. i, j, k iterate over A(1...n), B(1...n) & C(1...2n) respectively
8. B is fully traversed hence rem. elements of A being copied
11. similar to 8. for A
14. A's element smaller than B hence gets filled first, otherwise its B's element in line 18.

Q2. $T(i, j)$ - TC to merge sorted arrays $A(1 \dots j)$ and $B(1 \dots j)$
 for given arrays $A(1 \dots n)$, $B(1 \dots n)$, we find $T(n, n)$

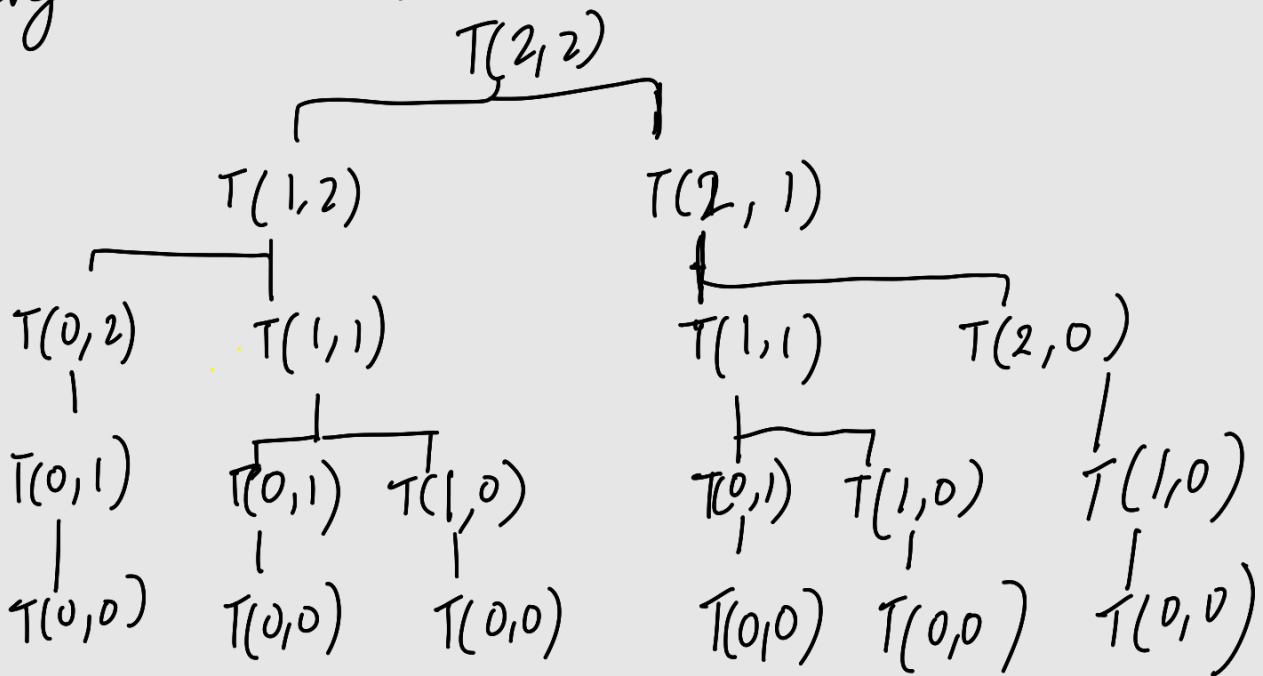
At each step of the merging function until completion, we execute either of the four conditions doing a constant amount of work and move exactly 1 element, either from $A[i]$ or $B[i]$ into $C[i]$.

$$T(n, n) = \max \begin{cases} T(n-1, n) + C \\ T(n, n-1) + C \\ T(n-1, n) + C \\ T(n, n-1) + C \end{cases}$$

Removing redundant terms

$$= \max (T(n-1, n), T(n, n-1)) + C$$

Base case would be $T(0, 0) = 0$, when both arrays get fully merged.
 Understanding breakdown of subproblems & their corresponding TC using recursion tree



At every level, either of the two arrays get iterated by exactly 1 element doing constant work. Consequently the TC recursion tree decrements either of the two arguments by exactly 1. Whatever way the tree follows, a general

$T(i, j)$ coming down from $T(n, n)$ will always do work = (no. of steps reduced in both arg. combined) \times constant c .

$$\therefore T(n, n) = T(n-p, n-q) + (p+q) \cdot c$$

where p, q are no. of iterations over $A[]$ and $B[]$ respectively initially $(p+q)$ would be 1 when just 1 element correctly merged!

$$(p+q) = 2;$$

From here, only two mutually exclusive and exhaustive cases occur:

Case 1: When B gets completely traversed and merged in $C[]$
i.e. $q = n$ when p is some value $0 \leq p < n$

$$T(n, n) = T(n-p, n-n) + (p+n) \cdot c$$

$$= T(n-p, 0) + (p+n) \cdot c$$

$$= T(n-p-1, 0) + (p+n+1) \cdot c$$

\vdots from here, at each step 1st argument, decreases by
 \vdots exactly 1 doing constant work c .

$$= T(0, 0) + (n-p-1) \cdot c + (p+n+1) \cdot c$$

$$= 0 + (n-p-1) \cdot c + (p+n+1) \cdot c$$

$$\text{Case 2} = 2nc$$

Case 2: When A gets completely traversed and merged in $C[]$
i.e. $p = n$ when q is some value $0 \leq q \leq n$

$$T(n, n) = T(n-n, n-q) + (n+q) \cdot c$$

$$= T(0, n-q) + (n+q) \cdot c$$

$$= T(0, n-q-1) + (n+q+1) \cdot c$$

$$= T(0, 0) + (n-q-1) \cdot c + (n+q+1) \cdot c$$

$$= 0 + 2nc = \underline{2nc}$$