

Sol1  $T(n) = 3T(n/2) + n^2$   
 $a=3, b=2, f(n) = n^2$

$\therefore a \neq b$  are const. &  $f(n)$  is a +ve function  
Masters theorem is applicable

$$c = \log_b a = \log_2 3 = 1.58$$

$$\Rightarrow n^c = n^{1.58}$$

which is  $n^2 > n^{1.58}$

$\therefore$  case 3 is applied here

$$\boxed{T(n) = \Theta(n^2)}$$

Sol2 :  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2$

$$a=4, b=2, f(n) = n^2$$

$\therefore a \neq b$  are const and  $f(n)$  is a +ve function

$\therefore$  Master's theorem is applicable

$$c = \log_b a$$

$$= \log_2 4 = \log_2 2^2 = 2 \log_2 2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow n^c = n^2$$

which is  $n^2 = f(n)$

Case 2 is applied here

$$T_n = \Theta(n^2 \log n)$$

Sol 3  $T(n) = T(n/2) + 2^n$   
 $a=1$   $b=2$   $f(n)=2^n$   
 $a$  &  $b$  are const. and  $f(n)$  is a +ve func.  
 Masters theorem is applicable

$$c = \log_b a = \log_2 1$$

$$= 0$$

$$\Rightarrow n^c = n^0 = 1$$

$$f(n) > n^c$$

case 3 is applied here

$$\boxed{T(n) = \Theta(2^n)}$$

Sol 4:  $T(n) = 2^n T(n/2) + n^n$

$$a=2^n \quad b=2 \quad f(n)=n^n$$

$\therefore a$  not const, its value depends on  $n$   
 $\therefore$  Masters theorem is not applicable.

Sol 5:  $T(n) = 16T(n/4) + n$

$$a=16, \quad b=4 \quad f(n)=n$$

$a$  &  $b$  are const. and  $f(n)$  is a +ve func  
 $\therefore$  Masters theorem is applicable here.

$$c = \log_b a = \log_4 16 = \log_4 (4)^2$$

$$= 2 \log_4 4 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow n^c = n^2$$

$$\therefore f(n) < n^c$$

$\therefore$  case 1 is applied here

$$\boxed{T(n) = \Theta(n^2)}$$

Sol 6:  $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n \log n$

$$a = 2 \quad b = 2 \quad f(n) = n \log n$$

$\therefore a$  &  $b$  are const. &  $f(n)$  is a +ve function

$$c = \log_b a$$

$$\log_2 2 = 1$$

$$n^c = n$$

$$n < n \log n \Rightarrow f(n) > n^c$$

$\therefore$  case 3 is applied

$$\boxed{T(n) = \Theta(n \log n)}$$

Sol 7  $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n / \log n$

$$a = 2 \quad b = 2 \quad f(n) = n / \log n$$

$\therefore a$  &  $b$  are const. &  $f(n)$  is a +ve function

$$c = \log_b a$$

$$= \log_2 2 = 1$$

$$n^c = n^1 = n$$

$\therefore$  non-polynomial difference b/w  $f(n)$  &  $n^c$

$\therefore$  Master's theorem is not applicable.

Sol 8:  $T(n) = 2T(n/4) + n^{0.51}$

$$a = 2 \quad b = 4 \quad f(n) = n^{0.51}$$

$a$  &  $b$  are const. and  $f(n)$  is a +ve function

$\therefore$  Master theorem is applicable

$$c = \log_b a = \log_4 2 = 0.50$$

$$n^c = n^{0.50}$$

$$f(n) = n^c$$

$$\text{Case 3 is applicable} \Rightarrow \boxed{T(n) = \Theta(n^{0.50})}$$

Sol 9:  $T(n) = 0.5 T(n/2) + 1/n$   
 $a = 0.5 \quad b = 2 \quad f(n) = 1/n$

$\therefore a < 1$

$\therefore$  Master's theorem is not applicable.

Sol 10  $T(n) = 16 T(n/4) + n!$

$a = 16 \quad b = 4 \quad f(n) = n!$

$a$  &  $b$  are const. and  $f(n)$  is a +ve function

$\therefore$  Master's theorem is applicable

$c = \log_b a$

$= \log_4 16 = \log_4 4^2 = 2 \log_4 4 = 2$

$n^c = n^2$

$f(n) > n^c$

case 3 is applied here

$\boxed{T(n) = \Theta(n!)}$

Sol 11  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + \log n$

$a = 4 \quad b = 2 \quad f(n) = \log n$

$a$  and  $b$  are constant and  $f(n)$  is a +ve func

$\therefore$  Master's theorem is applicable

$c = \log_b a = \log_2 4 = \log_2 2^2 = 2 \log_2 2 = 2$

$n^c = n^2$

$f(n) < n^c$

case 1 is applied

$\boxed{T(n) = \Theta(n^2)}$

Sol 12  $\sqrt{n} T(n/2) + \log n$

$a = \sqrt{n}$   $b = 2$   $f(n) = \log n$

$\therefore a$  is not constant

$\therefore$  Master's theorem is not applicable.

Sol 13 :  $T(n) = 3T(n/2) + n$

$a = 3$   $b = 2$   $f(n) = n$

$\therefore a$  &  $b$  are const. and  $f(n)$  is a +ve func

$\therefore$  Master's theorem is applicable

$c = \log_b a = \log_2 3 = 0.158$

$n^c = n^{0.158}$

$\therefore f(n) \not\leq n^c$

$\therefore$  case 1 is applied here

$T(n) = \theta(n^{1.58}) //$

Q14  $T(n) = 3T(n/3) + \sqrt{n}$

$a = 3$   $b = 3$  ,  $f(n) = \sqrt{n}$

$a$  and  $b$  are constant and  $f(n)$  is a +ve func.

$c = \log_b a = \log_3 3 = 1$

$n^c = n^1 = n$

$\therefore f(n) < n^c$

$\therefore$  case 1 is applicable

$T(n) = \theta(n)$

Sol 16  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + c \cdot n$

$a = 4, b = 2, f(n) = c \cdot n$

$\therefore a \neq b$  are constant &  $f(n)$  is a +ve  $f^n$

$\therefore$  Master's theorem is applicable here.

$c = \log_b a = \log_2 4 = \log_2 2^2 = 2 \log_2 2 = 2$

$n^c = n^2$

$\therefore f(n) = n^c$

$\therefore$  case 1 is applied here.

$T(n) = \theta(n^2)$

Sol 16  $T(n) = 3T(n/4) + n \log n$

$a = 3, b = 4, f(n) = n \log n$

$\therefore a \neq b$  are const. &  $f(n)$  is a +ve function

$\therefore$  Master's theorem is applicable here.

$c = \log_b a = \log_4 3 = 0.79$

$n^c = n^{0.79}$

$\therefore f(n) \gg n^c$

Case 3 is applicable here

$T(n) = \theta(n \log n)$

Sol 17  $T(n) = 3T(n/3) + n/2$

$a = 3, b = 3, f(n) = n/2$

$\therefore a = b$  are const. &  $f(n)$  is a +ve func.

$\therefore$  Master's theorem is applicable here

$c = \log_b a = \log_3 3 = 1$

$n^c = n^1 = n$

$\therefore f(n) = n^c$



∴ case 2 is applied here

$$\boxed{T(n) = n \log n}$$

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Sol 18 :  $T(n) = 6T(n/3) + n^2 \log n$

$$a=6, b=3 \quad f(n) = n^2 \log n$$

∴  $a \geq b$  are const and  $f(n)$  is a +ve func

Master's theorem is applicable here

$$c = \log_b a = \log_3 6 = 1.63$$

$$n^c = n^{1.63}$$

$$\therefore f(n) \succ n^c$$

case 3 is applied here.

$$\boxed{T(n) = \Theta(n^2 \log n)}$$

Sol 19  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n / \log n$

$$a=4, b=2 \quad f(n) = n / \log n$$

∴  $a \geq b$  are const. and  $f(n)$  is a +ve function

∴ Master's theorem is applicable here

$$c = \log_b a$$

$$= \log_2 4$$

$$= \log_2 2^2 = 2 \log_2 2 = 2$$

$$n^c = n^2$$

$$\therefore f(n) \prec n^c$$

∴ case 1 is applied here

$$\boxed{T(n) = \Theta(n^2)}$$

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Sol 20  $T(n) = 64T(n/8) - n^2 \log n$

$\therefore a \geq b$  are const but  $f(n)$  is a -ve fn

$\therefore$  Masters theorem is applied here.

Sol 21  $T(n) = 7T(n/3) + n^2$

$a = 7 \quad b = 3 \quad f(n) = n^2$

$\therefore a, b$  are const &  $f(n)$  is a +ve fn

$\therefore$  Master's Theorem is applied here.

$\Rightarrow C = \log_b a = \log_3 7 = 1.77$

$n^C = n^{1.77}$

$\therefore f(n) > n^C$

$\therefore$  Case 3 is applied here.

$\boxed{T(n) = \Theta(n^2)}$

Sol 22)  $T(n) = T(n/2) + n(2 - \cos n)$

$\therefore f(n)$  is not regular func.

$\therefore$  Master's theorem can not be applied here.