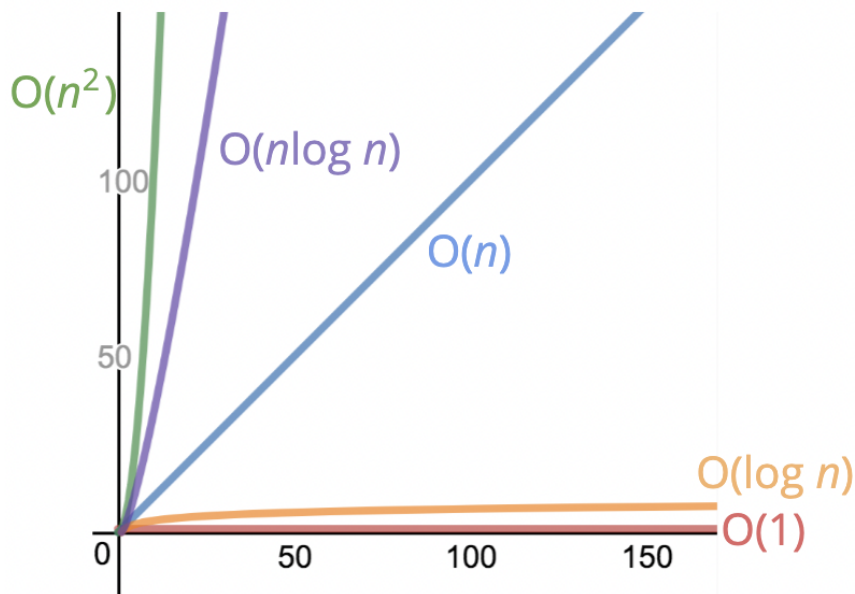


S2.Big O

Logarithms

1. Some big O expressions might not be able to be deduced to $O(1)$, $O(2)$, $O(n^2)$
2. What is a log?
 - a. log finds the matching exponent
 - b. $\log_2(8) = 3 \rightarrow 2^3 = 8$
 - c. $\log_y(\text{value}) = \text{exponent} \rightarrow y^{\text{exponent}} = \text{value}$
3. In big O, we care about the big picture, so we omit the base
 - a. $\log == \log_x$
4. $O(\log n)$ performance
 - a. Run time is very good
 - b. It is just slightly higher than $O(1)$



5. Why use $O(\log n)$
 - a. Some algorithms have logarithmic complexity

b. Recursion algorithms

Analyzing Performance of Arrays and Objects

1. **Objects** (through the lenses of big O)

- a. no order = faster
- b. everything floats in a gelatinous mass
- c. Use an object if you don't need order, it is better for performance

Insertion - $O(1)$ - insert at the end

Removal - $O(1)$ - remove memory key

Searching - $O(N)$ [we have to check every key and its value]

Access - $O(1)$ - access memory key

Object.keys - $O(N)$ - it iterates through each key (more inputs, more operations)

Object.values - $O(N)$ - it iterates through each value

Object.entries - $O(N)$ - it iterates through each key value pair

hasOwnProperty - $O(1)$ - it just tells us if it has it or not

2. **Arrays**

- a. Ordered lists (index)

Insertion - $O(1 | n)$ - if .push (at the end), no difficult, but if adding at the beginning, we have to change all indexes

Removal - $O(1 | n)$ - "" vs removing from front vs end

Searching - $O(N)$ [we have to check every key and its value]

Access - $O(1)$ - it only has to access the one index given, it does not have to count/access all the inputs, it jumps directly to the index

push - $O(1)$ - it iterates through each key (more inputs, more operations)

pop - $O(1)$ - it iterates through each value

Object.entries - $O(N)$ - it iterates through each key value pair

hasOwnProperty - $O(1)$ - it just tells us if it has it or not

shift - **$O(N)$** - lead to more operations as array/input grows (index changes)

unshift - **$O(N)$** - lead to more operations as array/input grows (index changes)

concat - **$O(N)$** - lead to more operations as array/input grows (index changes)

slice - **$O(N)$** (index changes)

splice - **$O(N)$** (index changes)

sort - **$O(N * \log N)$**

forEach/map/filter/reduce/etc. - **$O(N)$** (iterates, comes through indexes)