

B: $W(n) = 2W(n-1) + O(1)$

$$\begin{aligned} W(n) &= 2(2W(n-2) + O(1)) + O(1) \\ &= 2^2 W(n-2) + 2O(1) + O(1) \\ &= 2^3 W(n-3) + 2^2 O(1) + 2O(1) + O(1) \end{aligned}$$

$$W(n) = 2^n W(0) + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 2^i O(1)$$

$$W(n) = O(2^n)$$

$$\downarrow \frac{2^n - 1}{2 - 1} = 2^n - 1 = 2^n$$

C: $W(n) = 9W(\frac{n}{3}) + O(n^2)$
 From master: $W(n) = O(n^2 \log n)$

3b.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{parens_update: } W(n) &= W(n-1) + O(1) \\ &= W(n-2) + O(1) + O(1) \\ &= W(n-3) + O(1) + O(1) + O(1) \\ &= W(n) = O(n) \end{aligned}$$

No parenthesis: $S(n) = S(n) = O(n)$

3d.

$$\begin{aligned} W(n) &= O(n) \\ S(n) &= O(\log n) \end{aligned}$$

3f.

$$\begin{aligned} W(n) &= 2W(\frac{n}{2}) + O(1) & W(n) &= O(n) \\ S(n) &= S(\frac{n}{2}) + O(1) & S(n) &= O(\log n) \end{aligned}$$

Assignment 2 part 2.

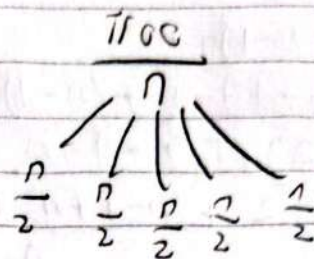
$$A: W(n) = 5W\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + O(n)$$

$$B: W(n) = 2W(n-1) + O(1)$$

$$C: W(n) = 9W\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + O(n^2)$$

$$W(n) = 5W\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + O(n)$$

i	size	cost	# nodes	work
0	n	n	1	n
1	$\frac{n}{2}$	$\frac{n}{2}$	5	$5 \cdot \frac{n}{2}$
2	$\frac{n}{4}$	$\frac{n}{4}$	25	$25 \cdot \frac{n}{4}$
i	$\frac{n}{2^i}$	$\frac{n}{2^i}$	5^i	$5^i \cdot \frac{n}{2^i}$



$$\text{work at level } i: 5^i \cdot O\left(\frac{n}{2^i}\right) = n \cdot \left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^i$$

$$1 = \frac{n}{2^i} \rightarrow 2^i = n \rightarrow \log_2 n = i$$

$$\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^{\log_2 n} = n^{\log_2 5}$$

$$\text{work: } W(n) = O(n^{\log_2 5})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 9. \quad W(n) &= W(\sqrt{n}) + 1 \\
 &= W(n^{\frac{1}{2}}) + 1 + 1 \\
 &= W(n^{\frac{1}{4}}) + 2 \\
 &= W(n^{\frac{1}{8}}) + 3
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sqrt{n} &= n^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
 \sqrt{\sqrt{n}} &= n^{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}} = n^{\frac{1}{4}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow W(n) \sim \frac{\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{n}}{\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{1}{K} \rightarrow n^{\frac{1}{K}} = 1$$

Base case:

$$n^{\frac{1}{K}} = 1$$

$$\log_2(n^{\frac{1}{K}}) = \log_2 1$$

$$K = \log_2 \log_2 n$$

$$W(n) = O(\log \log n)$$

$$7. W(n) = W(n-1) + 2$$

i	size	cost	work	#Rec
0	n	2	2	1
1	n-1	1		1

$$\frac{Rec}{2} = 1 = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} W(n) &= W(n-1) + 2 \\ &= W(n-1) - 1 + 2 + 2 \\ &= W(n) = W(n-k) + 2k \end{aligned}$$

Base case: $n-k=1$

$$k=n-1$$

$$W(n) = W(1) + 2(n-1) \rightarrow \text{constant}$$

$$Work: O(n)$$

$$8. W(n) = W(n-1) + n^c, \quad (c \geq 1)$$

$$= W(n-1) - 1 + (n-1)^c + n^c$$

$$= (W(n-2) + (n-1)^c) + n^c$$

$$= W(n-3) + (n-2)^c + (n-1)^c + n^c$$

$$W(n) = W(1) + \sum_{k=1}^n k^c$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k^c = O(n^{c+1})$$

$$c=1 \rightarrow W(n) = O(n^2)$$

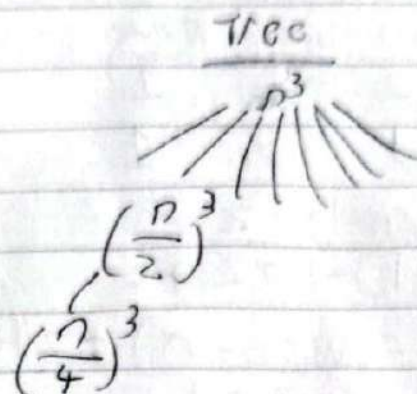
$$c=2 \rightarrow W(n) = O(n^3)$$

$$c=3 \rightarrow W(n) = O(n^4)$$

$$W(n) = O(n^{c+1})$$

$$T(n) = 8W\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^3$$

size	cost	# nodes	work
n	n^3	1	n^3
$n/2$	$n^3/2$	8	$(n/2)^3$
$n/4$	$n^3/4$	64	$(n/4)^3$
$n/2^i$	$n^3/2^i$	2^i	$(n/2^i)^3$



work at level i : $(n/2^i)^3 \cdot 8^i$

$$\frac{n^3}{2^{3i}} \cdot 2^{3i} = \boxed{n^3}$$

Base case: $1 = \frac{n}{2^i} \rightarrow 2^i = n \rightarrow \log_2 n = i$

$$n^3 \cdot \log_2 n = \boxed{O(n^3 \log n)}$$

$$6. W(n) = 49\left(\frac{n}{25}\right) + n^{\frac{3}{2}} \log n$$

i	size	cost	# nodes	work	Tree
0	n	$n^{\frac{3}{2}} \log n$	1	$n^{\frac{3}{2}} \log n$	$n^{\frac{3}{2}} \log n$
1	$\frac{n}{25}$	49	49	$\left(\frac{n}{25}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \cdot \log\left(\frac{n}{25}\right)$	
i	$n/25^i$	49^i	49^i	$\left(\frac{n}{25^i}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \cdot \log\left(\frac{n}{25^i}\right)$	$\left(\frac{n}{25^i}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \cdot \log \frac{n}{25^i}$

work at level i : $49^i \cdot \left(\frac{n}{25^i}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \cdot \log\left(\frac{n}{25^i}\right)$

$$1 = \frac{n}{25^i} \rightarrow 25^i = n \rightarrow \log_{25} n = i$$

$$49^i \cdot O\left(\left(\frac{n}{25^i}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \cdot \log\left(\frac{n}{25^i}\right)\right) \cdot O(\log_{25} n)$$

= ???

3. $W(n) = 7W\left(\frac{n}{7}\right) + n$ *Tree Balanced*

i	size	Tree	Cost	# nodes
0	n		n	1
1	n/7		n/7	7
2	n/49		n/49	49
i	n/7^i		n/7^i	7^i

$$1 = \frac{n}{7^i} \rightarrow 7^i = n \rightarrow \log_7 n = i$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^{\log_7 n} O(n) = \boxed{O(n \log n)}$$

4. $W(n) = 9W\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + n^2$ *Leaf dominated*

i	size	Cost	# nodes	Work	Tree
0	n	n^2	1	n^2	
1	n/3	$n^2/3$	9	$(n/3)^2$	
i	n/3^i	$n^2/3^i$	9^i	$(n/3^i)^2$	

Work at level i: $9^i \cdot O(n/3^i)^2$

$$= 9^i \cdot \left(\frac{n}{3^i}\right)^2 = (3^2)^i \cdot \frac{n^2}{3^{2i}} = 3^{2i} \cdot \frac{n^2}{3^{2i}} = O(n^2)$$

$$1 = \frac{n}{3^i} \rightarrow 3^i = n \rightarrow i = \log_3 n$$

$$O(n^2) \cdot \sum_{i=0}^{\log_3 n} 9^i = O(n^2) \cdot O(9^{\log_3 n})$$

$$= O(n^2) \cdot O(n^{\log_3 9}) = \boxed{O(n^2 \log n)}$$

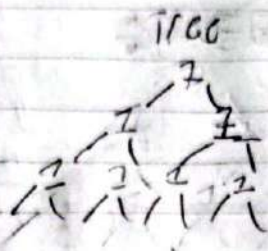
Algorithms Assignment 2

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Derive asymptotic upper bounds & work

$$1. W(n) = 2W\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + 1$$

i	size
0	n
1	n/3
2	n/3 ²
3	n/3 ³



Cost	nodes
1	1
2	2
4	4
2 ⁱ	2 ⁱ

Base case: $\frac{n}{3^i} = 1$

$n = 3^i$

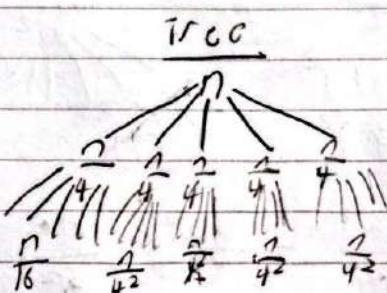
$\log_3 n = i$

Leaf dominated
 $\sum_{i=0}^{\log_3 n} 2^i$

work: $O(n^{\log_3 2})$

$$2. W(n) = 5W\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + n$$

i	size
0	n
1	n/4
2	n/4 ²
...	n/4 ⁱ



Cost	# nodes
n	1
n/5	5
n/25	25
n/5 ⁱ	5 ⁱ

$1 = \frac{n}{4^i} \rightarrow 4^i = n \rightarrow \log_4 n = i$

$\sum_{i=0}^{\log_4 n} 5^i = O(5^{1+\log_4 n}) = O(n^{\log_4 5})$

Leaf dominated