

Problem 1.1

a)

$$n = 500$$

$$N = 1000$$

$$N = 2n$$

$$\frac{T(2n)}{T(n)} = \frac{C_M \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) (2n)^3}{C_M \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) n^3}$$

$$= \frac{8n^3}{n^3} = \boxed{8}$$

b)

The running time can be estimated by solving system of order n on old computer and order N on the new computer.

$$T_{old}(n) = \frac{1}{3} n^3$$

$$T_{new}(N) = 10^{-3} \left(\frac{1}{3} N^3 \right)$$

$$\frac{1}{3} n^3 = 10^{-3} \frac{1}{3} N^3$$

$$\boxed{\frac{N}{n} = 10.}$$

Problem 1.2

$$5 \log_2(n+100)^{10} < \log_2^2 n < \sqrt[3]{n} < 0.001n^4 + 3n^3 + 1 \\ < 3^n < 2^{2n} < (n-1)!$$

Problem 1.3

$$a) \sum_{k=1}^{1000} k - 2 \sum_{k=1}^{500} k = \frac{(1000 \times 1001)}{2} - (500 \times 501) = \boxed{250\,000}$$

$$b) \sum_{k=1}^{10} 2^k = \frac{2^1 - 2^{11}}{1-2} = \frac{2 - 2048}{-1} = \boxed{2046}$$

$$c) \boxed{n-1}$$

$$d) \sum_{i=3}^{n+1} i = \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} i - (1+2) = \left[\frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2} - 3 \right]$$

$$e) \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n ij = \sum_{i=1}^n i \sum_{j=1}^n j = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \times \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \boxed{\frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4}}$$

Problem 1.4

- a) This algorithm computes the difference between maximum value and minimum value in an array.
- b) Basic operation is the comparison between current value and minimum and maximum value.
- c) Each comparison is performed $n-1$ times.
- d) $2(n-1)$
- e) $O(n)$
- f) No better algorithm exists since all elements of the array must be examined to find the max & min value.

a) This algorithm return true if array is symmetric, otherwise it return false.

b) The basic operation is the comparison of $A[i, j]$ and $A[j, i]$

c) $(n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + 1$

d) $\frac{(n-1)n}{2}$

e) $O(n^2)$

f) An array is symmetric when the elements above the diagonal is equal to the diagonal below. All of the elements beside the diagonal need to be examined. There are $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$ elements above and below the diagonal, therefore, $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$ is the minimum number of comparison needed to be execute.

Problem 1.6

$$L(n) = \begin{cases} 1, & n=1 \\ 2, & n=2 \\ L(n-1) + L(n-2), & n > 2 \end{cases}$$

Problem 1.7

procedure Swap (string)

if length(string) = 0 || length(string) = 1
return string.

else

a ← first character of string.

b ← second character of string.

string ← string without a & b

return "a + b + string"