

Asymptotic notation

O-notation (upper bounds):

We write f(n) = O(g(n)) if there exist constants c > 0, $n_0 > 0$ such that $0 \le f(n) \le cg(n)$ for all $n \ge n_0$.

EXAMPLE:
$$2n^2 = O(n^3)$$
 $(c = 1, n_0 = 2)$