

CS385Q: Algorithms

Fall 2022

Homework1

Asymptotic Notations

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1. (5 Points) Consider the following pseudo-code and analyze the best and the worst-case running time of this by providing the form of the function the running time takes in each of the cases (Analyze statement-by-statement and use the length of the array A as n):

Algorithm 1 AdjacentDuplicates(A)

```
for  $i = 0$  to  $A.length - 1$  do
    if  $A[i] == A[i + 1]$  then
        return 1
    end if
end for
return 0
```

2. (10 Points) Consider the following pseudo-code and analyze the best and the worst-case running time of this by providing the form of the function the running time takes in each of the cases (Analyze statement-by-statement and use the length of the array A as n):

Algorithm 2 Linear-Search(A, v)

```
1:  $i = NIL$ 
2: for  $j = 1$  to  $A.length$  do
3:     if  $A[j] = v$  then
4:          $i = j$ 
5:         return  $i$ 
6:     end if
7: end for
8: return  $i$ 
```

3. (5 points) Find the upper bound for $f(n) = n^4 + 10n^2 + 5$. Prove your answer by giving values for the constants c and n_0 . Choose the smallest integral value possible for c .

4. (5 points) Find an asymptotically tight bound for $f(n) = 3n^3 - 2n$. Prove your answer by giving values for the constants c_1 , c_2 , and n_0 . Choose the tightest integral values possible for c_1 and c_2 .

5. (5 points) Is $3n - 4 \in \Omega(n^2)$? Prove your response.

6. (10 points) Express the complexity of the following functions with the most appropriate notation

```
int function1(int n) {  
    int count = 0;  
    for (int i = n / 2; i <= n; i++) {  
        for (int j = 1; j <= n; j *= 2) {  
            count++;  
        }  
    }  
    return count;  
}
```

```
int function2(int n) {  
    int count = 0;  
    for (int i = 1; i * i * i <= n; i++) {  
        count++;  
    }  
    return count;  
}
```

```
int function3(int n) {  
    int count = 0;  
    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {  
        for (int j = 1; j <= n; j++) {  
            for (int k = 1; k <= n; k++) {  
                count++;  
            }  
        }  
    }  
    return count;  
}
```

```
int function4(int n) {  
    int count = 0;  
    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {  
        for (int j = 1; j <= n; j++) {  
            count++;  
            break;  
        }  
    }  
    return count;  
}
```

```
int function5(int n) {  
    int count = 0;  
    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {  
        count++;  
    }  
    for (int j = 1; j <= n; j++) {  
        count++;  
    }  
    return count;  
}
```

7. (10 points) Express the runtime complexity of the following code fragments in appropriate notation (find the tightest/closest function) as functions of m and/or n ? Explain your response.

a.

```
int sum = 0;
for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++)
    for (int j = 1; j <= n; j+=2)
        sum += (i+j);
```

b.

```
int sum = 0;
for (int i = 1; i <= 50; i+=2)
    for (int j = 1; j <= n; j+=3)
        sum += (i+j);
```

c.

```
int sum = 0;
for (int i = 1; i <= m; i++)
    for (int j = 1; j <= n; j*=2)
        sum += (i+j);
```

d.

```
int sum1 = 0;
for (int i = 1; i <= m*m; i++)
    sum1 += i;
int sum2 = 0;
for (int j = 1; j <= m; j++)
    sum2 += j;
```