

Assignment 1:

1.

a. $4n^3 + n$ is $\theta(n^3)$: True

b. $\log n$ is $o(n)$: True

c. 2^n is $\omega(n^2)$: True

2. $O(n^2)$

3.

a.

Algorithm Merge(a, b, la, lb)

Input: An already sorted array a and b and their respective lengths la and lb

Output: Sorted array after merging both arrays a and b

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cursorA  $\leftarrow$  0
cursorB  $\leftarrow$  0
result  $\leftarrow$  [ ]
pos  $\leftarrow$  0

while cursorA < la && cursorB < lb do
  if a[cursorA] < b[cursorB] then
    result[pos]  $\leftarrow$  a[cursorA]
    cursorA++
  else
    result[pos]  $\leftarrow$  b[cursorB]
    cursorB++
  pos++

if cursorA = la then
  while pos < la+lb do
    result[pos]  $\leftarrow$  b[cursorB]
    cursorB++
    pos++
if cursorB = lb then
  while pos < la+lb do
    result[pos]  $\leftarrow$  a[cursorA]
    cursorA++
    pos++
return result
```

b. $O(n)$

c.

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int[] merge(int[] a, int[] b){
    int cursorA = 0;
    int cursorB = 0;
    int[] result = new int[a.length+b.length];
    int pos = 0;

    while(cursorA<a.length && cursorB<b.length){
        if(a[cursorA] < b[cursorB]){
            result[pos] = a[cursorA];
            cursorA++;
        }else{
            result[pos] = b[cursorB];
            cursorB++;
        }
        pos++;
    }
    if(cursorA == a.length){
        while(pos < result.length){
            result[pos] = b[cursorB];
            cursorB++;
            pos++;
        }
    }
    if(cursorB == b.length){
        while(pos < result.length){
            result[pos] = a[cursorA];
            cursorA++;
            pos++;
        }
    }
    return result;
}

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4. $O(n)$

5.

Algorithm findZeroesLastIndex(arr, s, e, l)

Input: sorted array containing 1 and 0, the start and the end index and the length of the array

Output: last index of the value 0

if $s > e$ return -1

$m \leftarrow \text{floor}((s+e)/2)$

if isValidLastIndexOfZero(arr, m, l) then

return m

else if $\text{arr}[m] = 0$ then

return findZeroesLastIndex(arr, m + 1, e, l)

else

return findZeroesLastIndex(arr, s, m - 1, l)

Algorithm isValidLastIndexOfZero(arr, index, l)

Input: sorted array containing 1 and 0 and the index to check and the length of the array

Output: true or false based on whether the provided index is indeed the last index

if $\text{arr}[\text{index}] = 0 \ \&\& \ (\text{index} = l - 1 \ || \ \text{arr}[\text{index} + 1] = 1)$ then

return true

return false

Algorithm countOnesAndZeroes(arr, s, e)

Input: sorted array containing 1 and 0, the start and the end index

Output: number of 1's and 0's in the array

$\text{index} \leftarrow \text{findZeroesLastIndex}(\text{arr}, s, e + 1);$

return {zeroCounter: index + 1, oneCounter: e - index};

The above algorithm runs in Little- $o(n)$ time because its running time is $O(\log n)$, which has much slower growth rate than n . The algorithm is based on binary search.

