Output:

n = 12: 650

n = 20: 2870

Recurrence Relation and Stop Condition:

• T(n) = 1 + T(n-1) and T(1) = 1

Big Oh Complexity:

Back Substitution

Replace n with (n-1):

$$T(n-1) = 1 + T((n-1) - 1)$$

$$T(n-1) = 1 + T(n-2)$$

$$T(n) = 1 + 1 + T(n-2)$$

Replace n with (n-2):

$$T(n-2) = 1 + T((n-2) - 1)$$

$$T(n-2) = 1 + T(n-3)$$

$$T(n) = 1 + 1 + 1 + T(n-3)$$

General Formula:

$$T(n) = k + T(n-k)$$

Stop Condition:

$$n-k=1 \rightarrow \textbf{k} = \textbf{n-1}$$

$$T(n) = n - 1 + T(n - (n - 1))$$

$$T(n) = n - 1 + T(1)$$

$$T(n) = n - 1 + 1 = n$$

Big Oh Complexity:

O(n)