
CISC 610 ASSIGNMENT 1

DUE DATE: SEPTEMBER 30, 2016 BEFORE MIDNIGHT

1 Introduction

In this assignment you will be working on examples comparing running times and asymptotic analysis of algorithms. You are required to show your work for each answer.

1. Comparison of running times

For each function $f(n)$ and time t in the following table, determine the largest size n of a problem that can be solved in time t , assuming that the algorithm to solve the problem takes $f(n)$ microseconds.

	1 second	1 minute	1 hour	1 day	1 month	1 year	1 century
$\lg n$							
\sqrt{n}							
n							
$n \lg n$							
n^2							
n^3							
2^n							
$n!$							

Show your work.

2. Asymptotic Growths

Indicate, for each pair of expressions (A,B) in the table below, whether A is O , o , Ω , ω , or Θ of B. Assume that $k \geq 1$, $\epsilon > 0$, and $c > 1$ are constants. Your answer should be in the form of the table with "yes" or "no" written in each box. Show your work after the table. Show

A	B	O	o	Ω	ω	Θ
$\lg^k n$	n^ϵ					
n^k	c^n					
\sqrt{n}	$n^{\sin n}$					
2^n	$2^{\frac{n}{2}}$					
$n^{\lg c}$	$c^{\lg n}$					
$\lg(n!)$	$\lg(n^n)$					

your work.

1.1 Submission

Save all your answers in a .pdf file and submit it through Moodle.

Note: Submitting wrong files or in the wrong format will not be accepted nor will any re-submission be allowed for any such mistake.