

CISC4080 Computer Algorithms Homework (1a)¹

Problem Set 1: Asymptotic Analysis (25 points)

Prove the following statements by finding corresponding c and N (show your details)

1. $n + 10 = O(n)$
2. If $f_1(n) = O(g(n))$, $f_2(n) = O(g(n))$, then $f_1(n) + f_2(n) = O(g(n))$
3. $2n! = O(n^n)$
4. $\log(n!) = O(n \log n)$
5. $\lfloor x + \frac{1}{2} \rfloor = \Theta(x)$, where $x > 0$
6. $an^2 + bn + c = \Theta(n^2)$, where $a > 0, b \geq 0, c \geq 0$
7. $n \log n = o(\frac{1}{2}n^2)$
8. $n^3 = o((1.01)^n)$

Problem Set 2: Complexity function comparisons (15 points)

Write a program² to compute the following time complexity functions values for when $1 \leq n \leq 12$.

$$f_1(n) = \log n$$

$$f_2(n) = n$$

$$f_3(n) = \sqrt{n}$$

$$f_4(n) = n \log n$$

¹Distinguish yourselves, folks!

²Please feel free to use any programming language you prefer to simulate your ideas

$$f_5(n) = n^2$$

$$f_6(n) = n^3$$

$$f_7(n) = 2^n$$

$$f_8(n) = n!$$

$$f_9(n) = n^{3/2} \log n$$

Note about large n for $n!$

- If you want to try large n (e.g., $n = 15$), C++ will not give your correct answers for $n!$ unless you employ the GMP library <http://gmplib.org/>.
- For Java programmers, you can use BigInteger class (`java.math.BigInteger`) to try very large n easily.

What should you turn in?

1. A hardcopy of all your homework printout in class (Sept 20, 2013).
2. A folder contains all your homework assignments. If there is a programming assignment, you need to include workable source codes and related output in this folder. Please name your folder as `first-name_last-name_CISC4080_homework_1`. For example, `John_Smith_CISC4080_homework_1` if your name is John Smith.
3. Send the zipped file (.zip instead of .rar) of your folder to xhan9@fordham.edu before 11:59 pm Sept 20, 2013.