

WIA2005 Algorithm Design & Analysis
Semester 2
Tutorial 1

1. The following is an insertion sort algorithm.

```
def InsertionSort(A):  
1  for j in range(1, len(A), 1):  
2    key = A[j]  
3    # insert A[j] into the sorted sequence A[1..j-1]  
4    i = j - 1  
5    while (i >= 0 and A[i] > key):  
6      A[i+1] = A[i]  
7      i = i - 1  
8    A[i+1] = key
```

Illustrate the insertion sort operation on array $A = 41, 51, 69, 36, 51, 68$.

41	51	69	36	51	68
41	51	69	36	51	68
36	41	51	69	51	68
36	41	51	51	69	68
36	41	51	51	68	69

j	i	key	A[i]	A[0]	A[1]	A[2]	A[3]	A[4]	A[5]
1	0	51	41	41	51	69	36	51	68
2	1	69	51	41	51	69	36	51	68
3	2	36	69	41	51	69	69	51	68
3	1	36	51	41	51	51	69	51	68
3	0	36	41	41	41	51	69	51	68
3	-1	36	-	36	41	51	69	51	68
4	3	51	69	36	41	51	69	69	68
4	2	51	51	36	41	51	51	69	68
5	4	68	69	36	41	51	51	69	69
5	3	68	51	36	41	51	51	68	69

2. Modify the insertion sort algorithm to sort array into decreasing order.

```
def InsertionSort(A):
    for j in range(1, len(A), 1):
        key = A[j]
        i = j-1
        while(i >= 0 and A[i] < key):
            A[i+1] = A[i]
            i = i-1
        A[i+1] = key
```

3. Write a pseudocode for linear search for the following requirement:
Input: A sequence of n numbers $A = \langle a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \rangle$ and a value v .
Output: An index i such that $v = A[i]$ or the special value NIL if v does not appear in A .

```
for i in 0 -> last index of A:
    if a[i] equal to v:
        return i
return NIL
```

```
for i in range(0, len(A), 1):
    if A[i] == v :
        print(i)
        break
    elif A[i] != v and i == len(A) - 1:
        print("NIL")
```

Prompt input array A

Prompt input value v

```
for i=0 to length of A
    if A[i] equals v
        return i
return NIL
```

4. Express the function $n^3 / 1000 - 100n^2 - 100n + 3$ in terms of Θ -notation.

$\Theta(n^3)$

Asymptotic complexity only cares about the fastest growing term. This is because it analyses what the function approaches as it tends towards infinity. In this case, n^3

5. For the following pairs of functions, $f(n)$ and $g(n)$, determine if they belong to Case 1: $f(n) = O(g(n))$ or Case 2: $g(n) = O(f(n))$. Formally justify your answer.

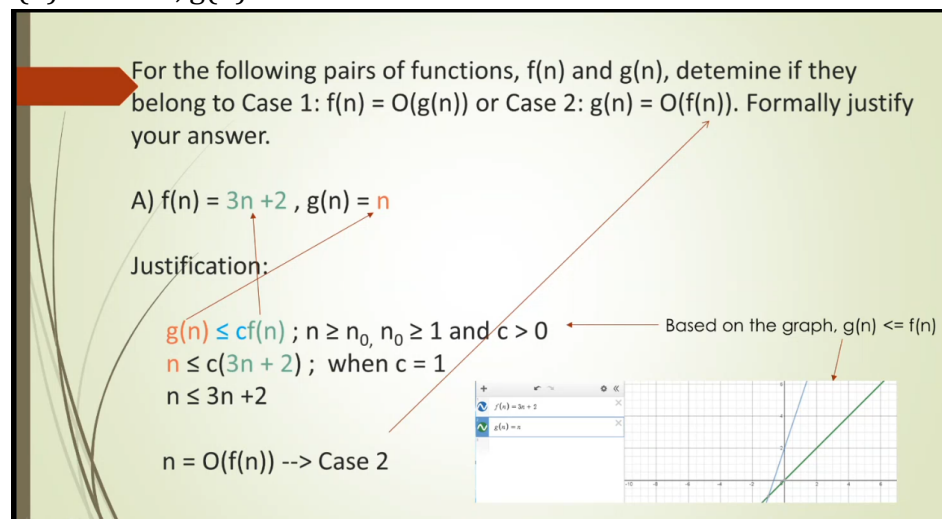
$O(f(n))$ represents the set of all functions upper bounded by asymptotic $f(n)$. e.g. $O(n)$ contains all functions upper bounded by asymptotic n . $O(e^n)$ contains all functions upper bounded by asymptotic e^n . It is more formally defined as:

$O(g(n)) = \{f(n) \mid 0 < f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n), \text{ and } c \text{ is a constant real number}\}$

$f(n) = O(g(n))$ in asymptotic notation represents $f(n) \in O(g(n))$

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=whjt_N9uYFI

- a. $f(n) = 3n + 2$, $g(n) = n$



Case 2, both functions have same order term but coefficient of $f(n)$ is higher than $g(n)$

Growth of Function

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Asymptotic Notation: Determine Big-oh, Big-omega or Big-theta

if assume a constant factor $c = 4$,
 $n = \text{large value of } n \text{ such as } 100$,

$$\begin{aligned} f(n) &= 3n + 2 \\ &= 3(100) + 2 \\ &= 302 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} cg(n) &= cn \\ &= 4(100) \\ &= 400 \end{aligned}$$

$f(n) \leq cg(n)$
 Therefore **Case 1: $f(n) = O(g(n))$**

However, if we only take one of the assumption for c , example $c = 1$

Justification:

$$f(n) \geq cg(n); n \geq n_0, n_0 \geq 1; \text{ when } c = 1$$

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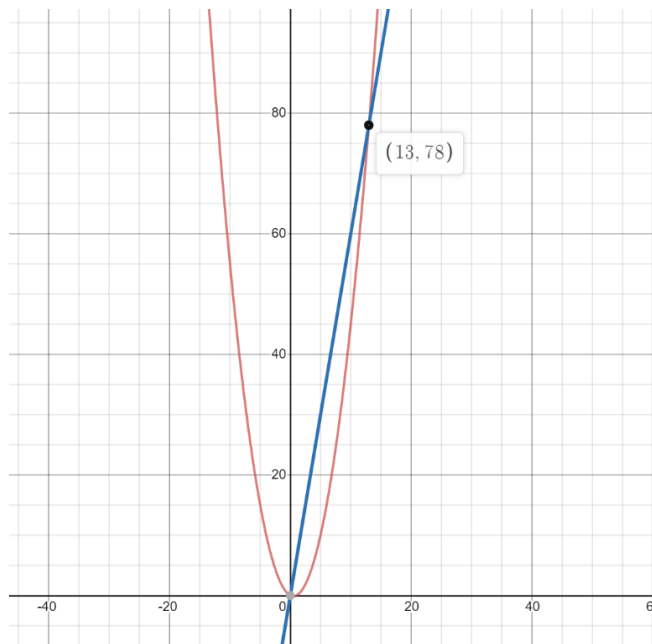
$$\begin{aligned} cg(n) &= cn \\ &= 1(100) \\ &= 100 \end{aligned}$$

$f(n) \geq cg(n)$
 Therefore **Case 2: $g(n) = O(f(n))$** ✓

Case 2: $g(n) = O(f(n))$

$$f(n) = \Omega(g(n)) \checkmark$$

b. $f(n) = (n^2 - n)/2, g(n) = 6n$



The graph shows $c = 1$

(since $f(n)$ intersect with $g(n)$ at 2 points $(0,0)$ and $(13,78)$, for n_0 we will take the largest intersection which is $(13,78)$. So given, $n \geq n_0$, $n \geq 1$ and $c > 0$, which in this case $n_0 = 13$ and $c = 1$, we have

proven that $g(n)$ will always be upper bounded by $f(n)$. Hence, it is case 2, $g(n) = O(f(n))$.)

Proof:

Case 2: $g(n) = O(f(n))$

$f(n) \geq cg(n)$, $n \geq n_0$, $n \geq 1$ when $c = 1$

Case 1: False, Case 2: True

f is in $O(n^2)$ while g is in $O(n)$.

Functions that grow quadratically are not in the set $O(n)$.

Case 1 is thus false

$O(n^2)$ is a superset of $O(n)$. $g(n)$ is in the set $O(n)$.

It must also be in $O(n^2)$

Case 2 is true

$$6n \leq c(n^2 - n)/2$$

$$12n \leq c(n^2 - n)$$

$$12 \leq c(n-1)$$

$$12 \leq cn - c$$

$$c \geq 12/(n-1)$$

As n approaches infinity, right term approaches 0

c will always win at some point

$$n \neq 1$$

$$n > 1$$

$$6cn \leq (n^2 - n)/2$$

$$12cn \leq n^2 - n$$

$$12c \leq n - 1$$

$$c \leq (n-1)/12$$

As n approaches infinity, right term approaches infinity

c can never win. sad nia

$$n \geq 1$$

$$f(n) = (n^2 - n)/2, g(n) = 6n$$

Assume $n = 500$, $c = 3$

$$f(n) = (500^2 - 500) / 2 > 3 * 6 (500)$$

Case 2

$$f(n) = 124750, g(n) = 3000$$

Assume $n = 500$, $c = 5$

$$12470 \leq (5)(3000)$$

Case 1

Case 2, because $f(n)$ has higher order term compared to $g(n)$

c. $f(n) = n + 2\sqrt{n}$, $g(n) = n^2$

Case 1: True, Case 2: False

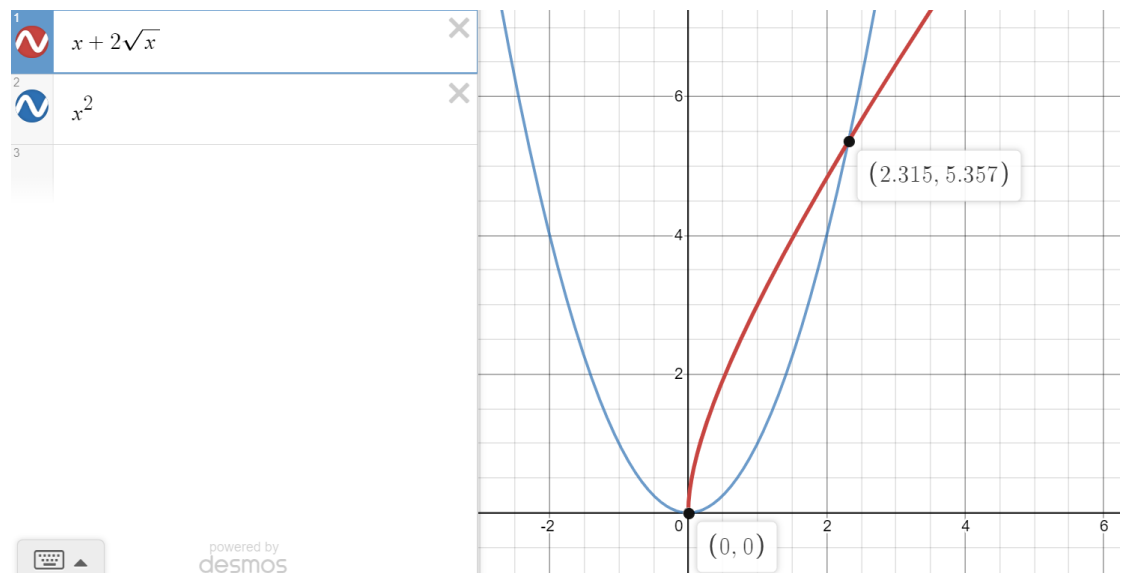
f is in $O(n)$ while g is in $O(n^2)$

This is a reflection case of 5(b)

Case 1, because $g(n)$ has higher order term compared to $f(n)$

let x be n

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x^2}{x + 2\sqrt{x}} \right) = \infty, \text{ as } x \text{ tends to infinity,}$$



case 1: $f(n) \leq c g(n)$; $n \geq n_0$, and $c > 0$

$$n + 2\sqrt{n} \leq c n^2$$

let choose $C=10$

$$n + 2\sqrt{n} \leq 10n^2$$

so n^2 greater than n ,

$$f(n) = O(g(n))$$

so case1 true

case 2: $c f(n) \geq g(n)$; $n \geq n_0$, and $c > 0$

$$c(n + 2\sqrt{n}) \geq n^2$$

let choose $C=10$

$$10n + 20\sqrt{n} \geq 10n^2$$

so n^2 greater than n , case 2 is false

Case 1: $f(n) = O(g(n))$

$f(n) \leq cg(n)$, $n \geq n_0$, $n \geq 1$ when $c = 3$

d. $f(n) = n^2 + 3n + 4$, $g(n) = n^3$

Case 1: True, Case 2: False

f is in $O(n^2)$ while g is in $O(n^3)$

$O(n^3)$ is a superset of $O(n^2)$. $g(n)$ is in the set $O(n^2)$.

It must also be in $O(n^3)$

Case 1 is true

Functions that grow cubically are not in the set $O(n^2)$.

Case 2 is thus false

Case 1, because $g(n)$ has higher order term compared to $f(n)$

case 1 :

$f(n) \leq cg(n)$; $n \geq n_0$, and $c > 0$

$n^2 + 3n + 4 \leq c n^3$

let choose $C=10$

$n^2 + 3n + 4 \leq 10n^3$

so n^3 greater than n^2 ,

$f(n)=O(g(n))$

so case 1 true

case 2:

$c f(n) \geq g(n)$; $n \geq n_0$, and $c > 0$

$c(n^2 + 3n + 4) \geq n^3$

let choose $C=10$

$10n^2 + 30n + 40 \geq 10n^3$

so n^3 greater than n^2 ,

so case 2 is false

Case 1: $f(n) = O(g(n))$

$f(n) \leq cg(n)$, $n \geq n_0$, $n \geq 1$ when $c = 8$

6. Given the iterative function below (in Java), calculate their time complexity.

```
a. function1 () {
    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
        printf("Hello world");
    }
}
```

$O(n)$

```
b. function2() {
    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
        for (int j = 1; j <= n; j++) {
            printf("Hello world");
        }
    }
}
```

$O(n^2)$
 $n*n$

```
c. function3 () {
    for (int i = 1; i^2 <= n; i++) {
        printf("Hello world");
    }
}
```

$O(\sqrt{n}) = O(n^{0.5})$

you can also move the square term to the other side and get $i \leq \sqrt{n}$.

My another proving style

K	i	Generalise K
1	1	$\sqrt{1}$
2	4	$\sqrt{4}$
3	9	$\sqrt{9}$
4	16	$\sqrt{16}$
5	25	$\sqrt{25}$
6	36	$\sqrt{36}$
k	n	\sqrt{n}

Let said $n = 36$

When $i = 6, n = 36$

$K = \sqrt{n}$

Answer: $O(\sqrt{n})$

```
d. function4 () {  
    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i = i*2) {  
        printf("Hello world");  
    }  
}
```

$O(\log n)$

the loop actually doing 2^c

where c is the number of iteration

$2^c \leq n$

$c \leq \log_2 n$

```
e. function3() {  
    for (int i = n/2; i <= n; i++) {  
        for (int j = 1; j <= n/2; j = 2*j) {  
            for (int k = 1; k <= n; k = k*2) {  
                printf("Hello world");  
            }  
        }  
    }  
}
```

}
 }
 }

$$O(n \log^2 n) = O(n [\log n]^2)$$