CS 260: Homework 2

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1.1 g1(n) and g3(n)

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g1(n) is O(g3(n)) for all even n >= 0.
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g1(n) is $\Omega(g3(n))$ for all odd n.

g3(n) is O(g1(n)) for odd n >= 1.

g1(n) is $\Omega(g3(n))$ for all even n.

1.2 g1(n) and g2(n)

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g1(n) is O(g2(n)) for all even and odd n for n > 100.
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g1(n) is $\Omega(g2(n))$ for all n except for even n for n > 100.

g2(n) is O(g1(n)) for all n except for n > 100

g2(n) is $\Omega(g1(n))$ for all n except for n < 100.

1.3 g2(n) and g3(n)

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g2(n) is O(g3(n)) for all n 0 <= n <= 100.
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g2(n) is $\Omega(g3(n))$ for n n > 100.

g2(n) is O(g2(n)) for n > 100.

g3(n) is $\Omega(g2(n))$ for all n < 100.

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2.1 a

Since 17 is a constant, it is not dependent on any variable. For one input, there is one output: 17. With no other dependencies, 17 is O(1).

2.2 b

By definition of T(n) is O(f(n)): $T(n) = \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$

$$2*\frac{n(n-1)}{2} <= 2*\frac{1}{2}n^2n(n-1) <= n^2\frac{n^2-n}{n} <= \frac{n^2}{n}n-1 <= n \quad (1)$$
Thus, $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$ is $O(n^2)$

2.3 c

By definition of T(n) is $O(n^3)$ $T(n) = \max(n^3, 10(n^2))$ n = 11

$$max(11^3, 10(11^2) <= 11^3 \tag{2}$$

$$max(1331, 1210) \le 1331$$
 (3)

$$1331 <= 1331$$
 (4)

(5)

Thus, $\max(n^3, 10(n^2))$ is $O(n^3)$ for values of n >= 10.

2.4 d

By summing, we can prove that $\sum\limits_{i=1}^n i^k$ is $O(n^{k+1}$ and $\Omega(n^{k+1})$. $1^k+2^k+\ldots+n^{k+1}<=n^{k+1}$ $1^k+2^k+\ldots+n^{k+1}>=n^{k+1}$ Since both of these fit the definition of equal, $\sum\limits_{i=1}^n i^k$ is $O(n^{k+1})$ and $\Omega(n^{k+1})$, or $\Theta(n^{k+1})$.

2.5 €

If a is a positive integer, $a_k n^k + a_{k-1} n^{k-1} + ... + a_0$. Clearly, $P(x) <= a_k n^k + a_{k-1} n^{k-1} + ... + a_0$, so P(x) is $O(n^k)$. Also, since $a_k >= 0$, P(x) is $O(n^k)$

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$$\frac{1}{3}^n < 17 < log(log(n)) < log(n) < log^2(n) < \sqrt{n} < \sqrt{n}log^2(n) < \frac{n}{log(n)} < n < \frac{2}{3}^n$$

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The max function is called twice and is of size n/2. This means we can use the master theorem: $T(j) = 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + 1$ Solving using the master theorem:

$$a = 2b = 2c = log_2(n) = 11 \le n$$
 (6)

The max function satisfies case 1, the definition of which states that $2T(\frac{n}{2}) + 1$ is O(n) and $\Omega(n)$.

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The delete function doesn't work from line 4, where it should read while p < END(L)Additionally, the function could immediately check if the array is empty with if not L: return L else delete ..."

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FIRST: n^2 END: n^2 NEXT: n^3