

1-7.

The base case of $\text{multiply}(y, 0)$ does return 0, so the algorithm works. Now assume $k > 0$ and that $\text{multiply}(y, z) = yz$ for all $z < k$. We need to prove for all integers $k \geq 0$, for all integers y, z such that $|z| = k$, we have $\text{multiply}(y, z) = y \cdot z$. Given $c \geq 2$, we can write k uniquely as

$$k = rc + s \text{ where } r \geq 0 \text{ and } s \in \{0, 1, \dots, c-1\}$$

Then $\text{floor}(k/c) = r$, $k \bmod c = s$, and $r < k$ since $c > 1$. Therefore,

$$\text{multiply}(y, k) = \text{multiply}(cy, r) + ys = cyr + ys = yk.$$

1-15.

The base case when $n = 1$, the left side of (1) is $1/(1 \cdot 2) = 1/2$, and the right side is $1/2$, so both sides are equal and (1) is true for $n = 1$. Let k be an integer ≥ 1 and suppose (1) is true for $n = k$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} \frac{1}{i(i+1)} &= \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{1}{i(i+1)} + \frac{1}{(k+1)(k+2)} \\ &= \frac{k}{k+1} + \frac{1}{(k+1)(k+2)} \\ &= \frac{k(k+2) + 1}{(k+1)(k+2)} \\ &= \frac{(k+1)^2}{(k+1)(k+2)} \\ &= \frac{k+1}{k+2} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, (1) holds for $n = k + 1$, and the proof of the induction step is complete.

1-25.

If the algorithm takes time proportional to n^2 , then $1,000^2 = 1,000,000$ and $10,000^2 = 100,000,000$. Dividing the latter by the former yields 100. Therefore, the sorting algorithm would take 1 minute and 40 seconds to sort 10,000 items.

If the algorithm takes time proportional to $n \log n$, then $1,000 \log 1,000 = 3,000$ and $10,000 \log 10,000 = 40,000$. Dividing the latter by the former yields 13.333.

1-29.

First, divide the 25 horses into groups of 5 and race the horses in each group. This totals to 5 races. Second, take the winner from each group and race those 5 horses. The winner of this race is the fastest horse overall. So far, this totals to 6 races. To keep track of the horses, we can label the 5 groups as a, b, c, d, e to correspond the horses finishing 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th. Using subscripts to identify the order the horse finished in the group will be more efficient. For example, a_4 is the horse in 4th place from group a. One more race need to be conducted to find the 2nd and 3rd place horse. Race horse a_2, a_3, b_1, b_2, c_1 . The horses in this race will have 2nd and 3rd place winners. This totals to 7 races are need to find the top 3 horses.