Fall 2019 Algorithms and Analysis Tools Exam, Part A

1) (10 pts) ANL (Algorithm Analysis)

Give the Big-O run-times for each of the following operations in terms of the variables given in the description. When a particular implementation is not explicitly stated, assume an efficient implementation is used. In order to earn full credit, you must provide a simplified, asymptotically tight bound. (For example, if O(n) was the correct answer, O(5n) and $O(n^2)$ would not receive full credit, even though both are technically correct.)

a) Merging a sorted array of size <i>m</i> with a sorted array of size <i>n</i> into one sorted array.	<u>O(m+n)</u>
b) Creating a heap out of <i>n</i> unsorted integers.	O(n)
c) Worst case run-time of running a Quick Sort on <i>n</i> integers.	$O(n^2)$
d) Inserting an element to the front of a linked list with n elements.	<u>O(1)</u>
e) Deleting m items, one by one, from an AVL tree which originally contains n items $(n \ge m)$	O(mlg n)
f) A sequence of <i>p</i> push operations onto a stack that originally had <i>n</i> elements on it. (Assume the stack has enough space to handle the sequence of push operations.)	<u>O(p)</u>
g) Average case run time of an insertion sort on n unsorted integers.	$O(n^2)$
h) Calculating $a^b \mod c$, using fast modular exponentiation, assuming that each multiply and each mod operation take O(1) time.	O(lg b)
i) Pre-order traversal of a binary tree with height h and n nodes.	O(n)
j) Worst case run-time for searching for an element in a binary search tree with <i>n</i> nodes.	<u>O(n)</u>