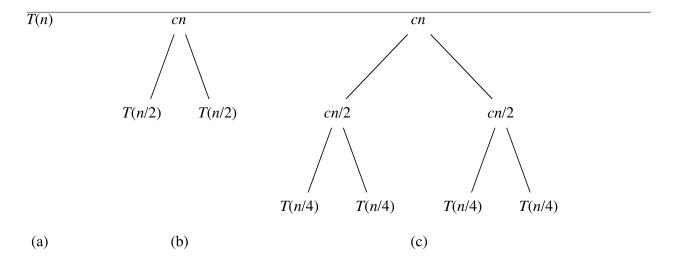
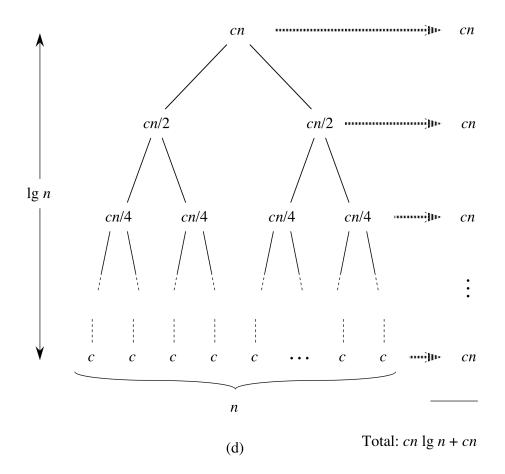
$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + cn$$





Subarray (and Mergesort) Recurrence

$$T(1) = c$$

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + cn$$

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + cn$$

$$2T(n/2) = 2^{2}T(n/2^{2}) + 2cn/2$$

$$2^{2}T(n/2^{2}) = 2^{3}T(n/2^{3}) + 2^{2}cn/2^{2}$$

$$2^{3}T(n/2^{3}) = 2^{4}T(n/2^{4}) + 2^{3}cn/2^{3}$$

. . .

$$2^{\lg n-1}T(n/2^{\lg n-1}) = 2^{\lg n}T(1) + 2^{\lg n-1}cn/2^{\lg n-1}$$

$$T(n) = c2^{\lg n} + \sum_{i=0}^{\lg n-1} cn$$
$$= cn + cn \lg n$$
$$= \Theta(n \lg n)$$