



(CS2009)-DESIGN AND ANALYSIS OF ALGORITHMS

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LECTURE 1 & 2 – INTRODUCTION & COURSE OVERVIEW

GRADING POLICY (CS 2009)

Assessment Type	Weight
Assignment	10
Mid Terms (Week 6 & Week 11)	30 (12.5 and 17.5)
Project	10
Final	50

TEXT AND REFERENCE BOOKS

- Required Textbook
 - Thomas H. Cormen “Introduction to Algorithms” 4th Edition
- Reference Books
 - Anany Levitin “Introduction to the Design and Analysis of Algorithms” 3rd Edition
 - John Kleinberg and Eva Tardos “Algorithm Design”
 - Sanjoy Dasgupta et al. “Algorithms”
 - Steven S. Skiena “The Algorithm Design Manual”

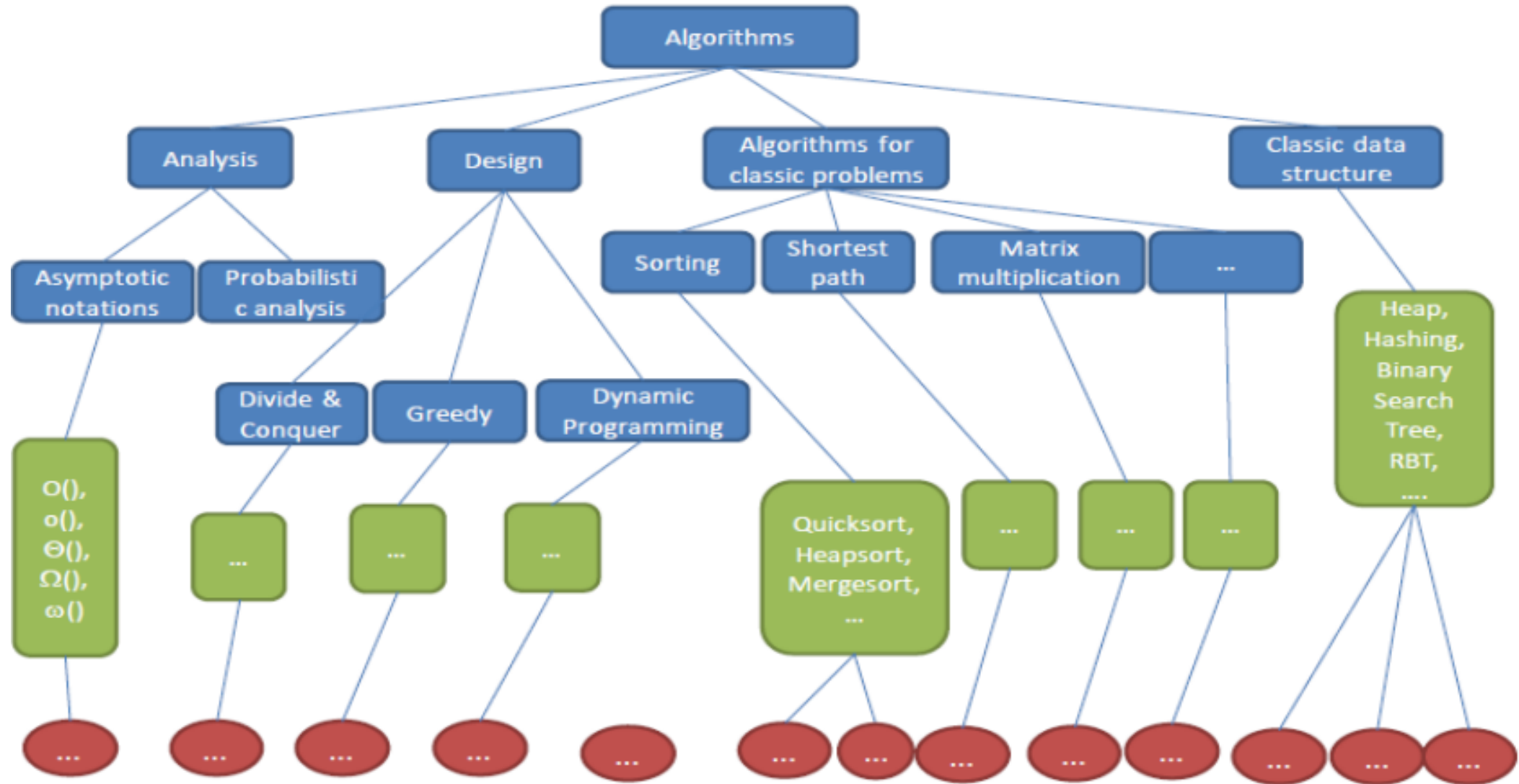
CONTENTS & TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

WEEK	TOPICS
Week 1 & 2	Basics of Algorithms, Mathematical Foundation, Growth of Function, Asymptotic Notations. Data Structure Review (Stack, Queue, Linked List, Hash Table, Binary Tree).
Week 3 & 4	Divide and Conquer, Substitution Method, Recurrence – Tree Method, Master's Method
Week 5	Sorting (Merge, Insertion, Quick, Heap, Counting, Radix, Bucket)
Week 6	Mid Term 1 Exam
Week 7	Dynamic Programming
Week 8	Dynamic Programming and Greedy Algorithms

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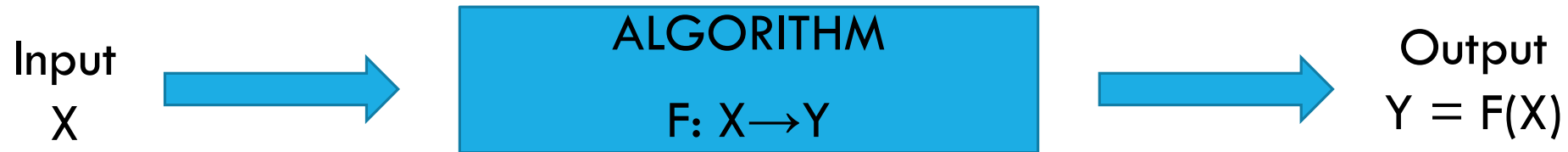
WEEK	TOPICS
Week 9, 10 & 12	Graph Theory (Graph Categorization, Graph Terminology, Representation of Graphs, BFS & DFS, Strongly Connected Components, Greedy Algorithms: Kruskal's Algorithm, Prim's Algorithm, Bellman-Ford Algorithm, Dijkstra's Algorithm)
Week 11	Mid Term 2 Exam
Week 13 & 14	Geometric Algorithms (Introduction, Graham Scan, Close Points). String Matching
Week 15 & 16	NP Complete Problems and Solutions using Approximation Algorithm, Amortized Algorithms
Week 17	Review and Project Presentations

KNOWLEDGE TREE



WHAT IS AN ALGORITHM?

- An algorithm is any well-defined computational procedure that takes some value as input and produces some value as output. (Thomas H. Cormen)



- An algorithm is a sequence of computational steps for solving a problem.
- Examples
 - Multiply Two Numbers
 - A Cooking Recipe
 - Finding a library book in the library
 - Directions for driving from A to B
 - Internet and Communication Links (Graph)

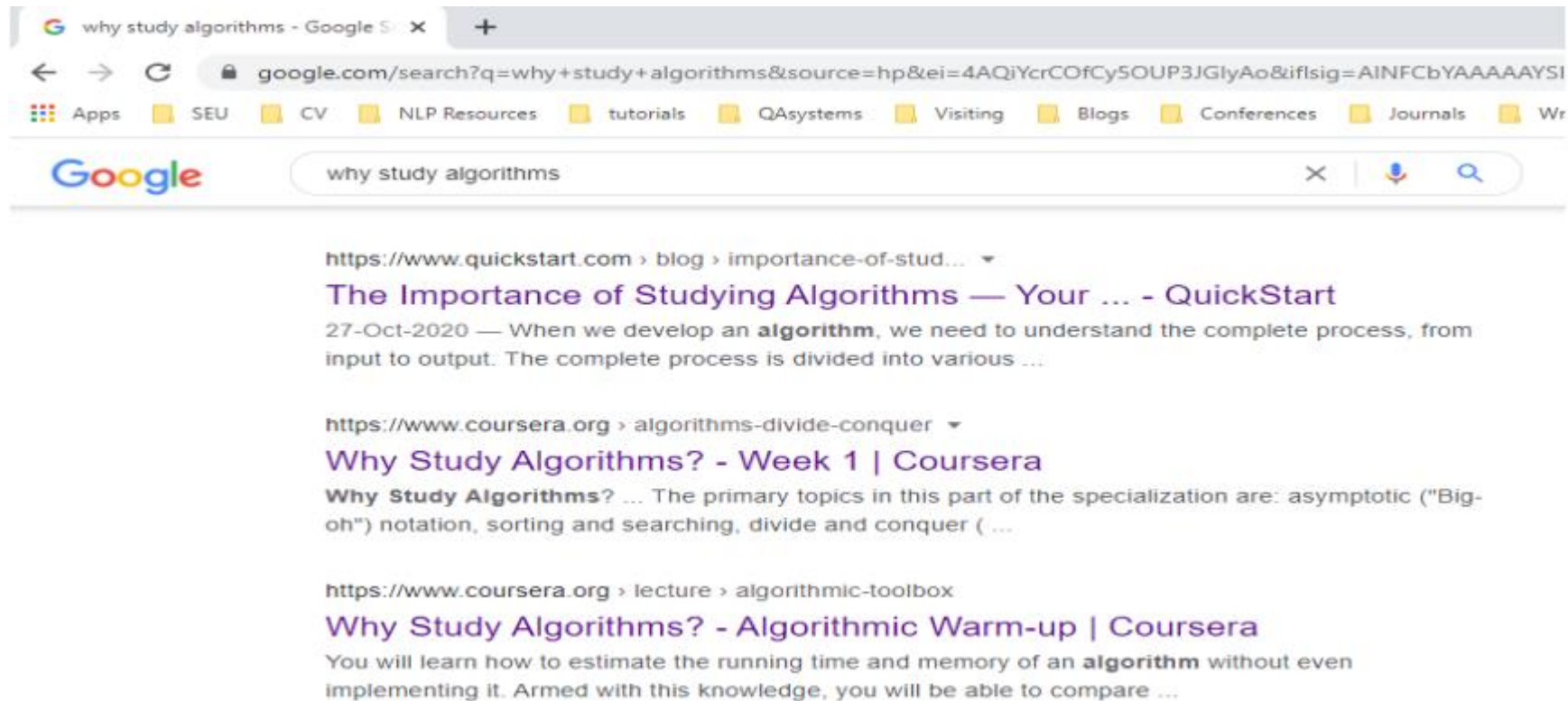
WHAT IS AN ALGORITHM?

- Algorithm: Cook a cup of instant noodles
 1. Pull back lid to the dotted line.
 2. Fill the cup to the inside line with boiling water from a kettle or from the microwave
 3. Close lid and let stand for 3 minutes.
 4. Stir well and add a pinch of salt and pepper to taste.



WHY STUDY ALGORITHMS?

WEB SEARCH



WHY STUDY ALGORITHMS?

- Personalized Recommendations



- More than 70% of what people watch on YouTube is determined by its “Recommendation Algorithm”.

- News Feed, Friend Suggestions



WHY STUDY ALGORITHMS?

- To become proficient programmer.
- To solve problems that could not be solved.
- For fun and profit.

SOLVING PROBLEMS

- When we faced with a problem:
 1. First clearly **define** the problem
 2. Think of possible solutions
 3. **Select** the ones that seems **the best** under the **prevailing** circumstances
 4. Apply that solution
 5. If the solution works as desired, fine. Else **go back to step 2**
- It's **quite common** to first solve a problem for **particular case**
- Then for another and possibly another
- Watch for **patterns and trends that emerge**
- Use the knowledge from these patterns and trends in coming up with a general solution.

APPLICATIONS

- **Internet:** Web search, Packet routing, Distributed file sharing
- **Biology:** Human genome project, protein folding
- **Data Mining:** Text classification, Text Clustering, Page rank
- **Security:** E-commerce, Cell phones, Voting Machine
- **Web Programming:** Sorting algorithms, Searching algorithms
- **Graphics:** Video games, Virtual reality
- **Social Networks:** Recommendations, News feed
- **Machine Learning AI:** Linear Regression Algorithm, Neural Networks such as RNN, CNN
- **Robotics:** Planning Algorithms

WHAT WE ARE INTERESTED IN ALGORITHMS?

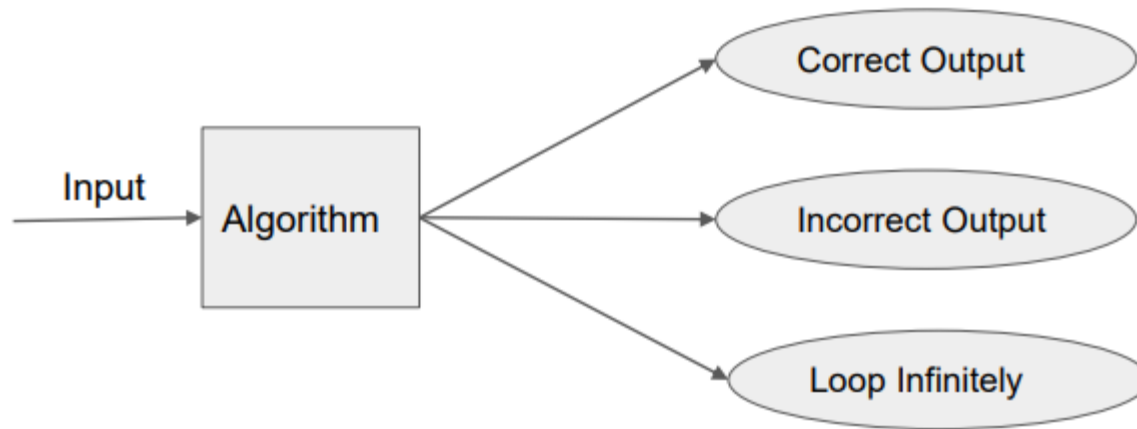
- Correctness
 - Does it work correctly?
- Performance/Efficiency
 - How much time will it take? (Time Complexity)
 - How much space will it take? (Space Complexity)
- Can we do it better?

WHAT'S MORE IMPORTANT THAN PERFORMANCE?

- Correctness
- Robustness
- User-friendliness
- Simplicity
- Extensibility
- Reliability

CORRECT ALGORITHM

- An algorithm is said to be correct if, for every input instance, it halts with the correct output.



WHICH RUNNING TIME IS BETTER?

- Computer A (**FASTER**): Run algorithm of $2n^2$ complexity. Run 10 billions instruction per second.
- Computer B (**SLOWER**): Run algorithm of $50 n \log n$ complexity. Run 10 millions instruction per second.
- Input length **n = 10** millions
- $2 * \frac{(10^7)^2}{10^{10}} = 20,000$ seconds (> 5.5 hours)
- $50 * \frac{(10^7) \log 10^7}{10^7} = 1163$ seconds (< 20 minutes)

HOW TO WRITE AN ALGORITHM?

Algorithm swap(a,b)

Begin

 temp <- a;

 a <- b;

 b <- temp;

End

HOW TO ANALYSE AN ALGORITHM?

1. Time
2. Space
3. Network Data Consumption
4. Power
5. CPU Registers

TIME COMPLEXITY ANALYSIS — ONE LOOP

- **PROBLEM:** Does array A contain the integer t ? Given A (array of length n) and t (an integer)

```
for(i=0; i<n; i++)  
    if A[i] == t  
        return true  
return false
```

- **QUESTION:** What is the running time?

TIME COMPLEXITY ANALYSIS — ONE LOOP

- **The running time is:**

- 1 assignment ($i = 0$)

```
for(i=0; i<n; i++)
```

- $n+1$ comparisons ($i < n$)

```
    if A[i] == t
```

- n increments ($i++$)

```
        return true
```

```
    return false
```

- n array offset calculations ($a[i]$)

- n comparisons ($a[i] == t$)

- $a+b(n+1)+cn+dn+en$, where a , b , c , d and e are constants depending upon machine

- Easier just to say $O(n)$ (constant-time) operations

TIME COMPLEXITY ANALYSIS — ONE LOOP

- **PROBLEM:** Does array A contain the integer t ? Given A (array of length n) and t (an integer)

```
for(i=0; i<5; i++)
```

```
    if  $A[i] == t$ 
```

```
        return true
```

```
return false
```

- **QUESTION:** What is the running time? $O(k)$ where $k = 5$

TIME COMPLEXITY ANALYSIS — TWO NESTED LOOPS

- **PROBLEM:** Do arrays A, B have a number in common? Given arrays A, B of length n

```
    for(int i = 0; i < n; i++) {  
        for(int J = 0; J < n; J++){  
            if(A[i] == B[J]);  
            return true  
        }  
        return false  
    }
```

- **QUESTION:** What is the running time? $O(n^2)$

TIME COMPLEXITY ANALYSIS

1). for($i=1$; $i<n$; $i=i+2$)

{

statement; $\rightarrow n/2$

}

$f(n) = O(n)$

2). for($i=0$; $i<n$; $i++$)

{

for($j=0$; $j<i$; $j++$)

{

statement;

}

}

$f(n) = O(n^2)$

TIME COMPLEXITY ANALYSIS

3). $P=0;$

for($i=1; p \leq n; i++$)

{

$p = p+i;$

}

Assume $p > n \rightarrow p = k(k+1)/2$

$k(k+1)/2 > n \rightarrow k^2 > n \rightarrow k > \sqrt{n}$

4). for($i=1; i < n; i=i*2$)

{

statement;

}

Assume $i \geq n \rightarrow i = 2^k \rightarrow 2^k \geq n$

$2^k = n \rightarrow k = \log_2 n$

TIME COMPLEXITY ANALYSIS

5). for($i=1$; $i < n$; $i=i*2$)

```
{  
    statement;  
}
```

Assume $i \geq n \rightarrow i = 2^k$

$2^k \geq n \rightarrow 2^k = n$

$k = \log_2 n$

6). for($i=n$; $i \geq 1$; $i=i/2$)

```
{  
    statement;  
}
```

Assume $i < 1 \rightarrow i = n/2^k \rightarrow n/2^k < 1$

$n/2^k = 1 \rightarrow n = 2^k \rightarrow k = \log_2 n$

TIME COMPLEXITY ANALYSIS

7). for($i=1$; $i*i < n$; $i++$)

```
{  
    statement;  
}
```

Assume $i*i \geq n$

$$i^2 = n \rightarrow i = \sqrt{n}$$

8). for($i=n$; $i \geq 1$; $i=i/2$)

```
{  
    statement;  
}
```

Assume $i < 1 \rightarrow i = n/2^k \rightarrow n/2^k < 1$

$$n/2^k = 1 \rightarrow n = 2^k \rightarrow k = \log_2 n$$

TIME COMPLEXITY ANALYSIS

9). $P=0$

```
for(i=i; i<n; i=i*2)
    P++;
}
```

```
for(j=1; j<p; j=j*2)
{
    statement;
}
```

$O(\log \log n)$

10). for($i=0$; $i<n$; $i++$)

```
{
    for(j=1; j<n; j = j*2)
    {
        statement;
    }
}
```

$O(n \log n)$

ANALYSIS OF IF AND WHILE

1). $i=0;$

while($i < n$)

{

statement;

$i++;$

}

$f(n) = 3n+2 \ O(n)$

2). $a=1;$

while($a < b$)

{

statement;

$a = a*2;$

}

Assume $a \geq b \rightarrow a = 2^k \rightarrow 2^k \geq b$

$2^k = b \rightarrow k = \log_2 b \rightarrow O(\log n)$

ANALYSIS OF IF AND WHILE

```
3). i=1;  
   k=1;  
   while(k<n)  
   {  
       statement;  
       k = k+1;  
       i++;  
   }
```

Assume $k \geq n \rightarrow m^2 + m/2 = k$

$m^2 \geq n \rightarrow m^2 = n \rightarrow m = \sqrt{n}$

```
4). while(m!=n)  
   {  
       if(m>n)  
           m = m-n;  
       else  
           n = n-m;  
   }  
f(n) = n/2 -> O(n)
```