

c) Recursive formula is $T(n) = 3T(n/2) + \theta(n)$ because the algorithm calls itself 3 times recursively with half of the value and the multiplication and addition is $\theta(n)$ as it is stated in the problem (using bits). (Time complexity for Divide and Conquer algorithm)

d) Using master theorem,

$$a=3, b=2, f(n) = \theta(n) \quad (\epsilon < 0.6)$$

so $f(n) = \theta(n^{\log_2 3 - \epsilon})$ which is case one and so $T(n) = \theta(n^{\log_2 3})$ same result as in (bonus).