

<p><b>Name:</b> Harshit Jain <b>Access ID:</b> hmj5262 <b>Recitation:</b> 8</p>
---

**Problem 0**

<b>Points:</b>
----------------

**Acknowledgements**

- (a) I did not work in a group.
- (b) I did not consult without anyone my group members.
- (c) I did not consult any non-class materials.

**Problem 1****Points:****Analyze Running Time****1. Runtime:  $\theta(n^2)$** 

When  $i = 1$ , then  $j = 1$ . Here, while loop runs for  $\frac{n-1}{5}$  times.

When  $i = 2$ , then  $j = 2$ . Here, while loop runs for  $\frac{n-2}{5}$  times.

$\vdots$

When  $i = (n-5)$ , then  $j = (n-5)$ . Here, while loop runs for 1 time.

$\vdots$

When  $i = (n-1)$ , then  $j = (n-1)$ . Here, while loop runs for 1 time.

Total time:  $\frac{n-1}{5} + \frac{n-2}{5} + \dots + \frac{5}{5} + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 \Rightarrow \theta(n^2)$

**2. Runtime:  $\theta(n^2)$** 

When  $i = 1$ , then while loop runs from 4 to  $n$ . Time =  $(n-4)$

When  $i = 2$ , then while loop runs from 8 to  $n$ . Time =  $(n-8)$

$\vdots$

When  $i = \frac{n}{4}$ , then while loop will run 1 time. Time = 1

For loop will run for total of  $n$  times.

$\Rightarrow \theta(n^2)$

**3. Runtime:  $\theta(n)$** 

The loop will run for  $\frac{n}{2} + \frac{n}{2^2} + \frac{n}{2^3} + \dots = n(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} + \dots) = \theta(n)$

So, total time  $\Rightarrow \theta(n)$

## Problem 2

Points:

## Polynomials and Horner's rule

$$P(x) = a_0 + a_1x^1 + a_2x^2 + \cdots + a_nx^n; x = x_0$$

- (a) For Addition: The Brute Force Algorithm will perform  $n$  additions in total.

So, Time taken for additions =  $O(n)$

For Multiplication:  $P(x) = a_0 + [a_1 \cdot x_0] + [a_2 \cdot x_2 \cdot x_2] + \cdots + [a_n \cdot x_n \cdot x_n \cdots (n \text{ times})]$

So, Time taken =  $T_n = 1 + 2 + 3 + \cdots + n$

$$= \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$= \frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2}$$

$$= O(n^2)$$

Therefore, total time complexity for Brute Force Algorithm =  $O(n^2) + O(n) = O(n^2)$

- (b)

$$LI = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (a_{n-i} \cdot x^{n-i-1})$$

**Initialization:** At first iteration, the Loop Invariant (LI) holds where  $z = a_0$ . This represents the co-efficient for  $P(x)$  with the maximum co-efficient of 0. Therefore, this is True.

**Maintenance:** At  $i^{th}$  iteration,  $z_i = z_{i-1} + a_i$ .

Assume that the Loop Invariant holds for  $z_{i-1} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-i-1} (a_{k+i+1} \cdot x^k \cdot x_0)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Algebraically, } z_i &= (z_{i-1} \cdot x_0) + a_i x_0^0 \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{n-i} a_{k+1} \cdot x_0^k \end{aligned}$$

At  $i = -1$ , we have:  $z_{-1} = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \cdot x_0^k$

Therefore, if LI holds for  $i - 1$ , then it holds for  $i$ .

Thus, the algorithm is correct.

**Termination:** LI holds at the start of the iteration  $n$  means tht the algorithm is correct.

- (c) For Addition: This algorithm use  $O(n)$  additions.

For Multiplication: This algorithm use  $2n - 1 = O(n)$  multiplication.

**Problem 3****Points:****Solving recurrences**(a) Height =  $\log_2 n$ 

Branching factor = 2

The size of the sub-problems at depth  $k = \frac{n}{2^k}$ Number of sub-problems at depth  $k = 2^k$ 

Total work done =

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\log_2 n} (2^k) \cdot \left(\frac{n}{2^k}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \Rightarrow \sqrt{n} \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\log_2 n} (2^{\frac{k}{2}}) \Rightarrow \sqrt{n} \cdot \theta(\sqrt{n}) \Rightarrow \theta(n)$$

(Note that,  $\sum_{k=0}^{\log_2 n} (2^{\frac{k}{2}})$  is a geometric series  $= 2^{\frac{0}{2}} + 2^{\frac{1}{2}} + \dots + 2^{\frac{\log_2 n}{2}} = \theta(\sqrt{n})$ )(b) Height =  $\log_3 n$ 

Branching factor = 2

The size of the sub-problems at depth  $k = \frac{n}{3^k}$ Number of sub-problems at depth  $k = 2^k$ 

Total work done =

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\log_3 n} (2^k) \cdot \left(\frac{n}{3^k}\right)^0 \Rightarrow \sum_{k=0}^{\log_3 n} (2^k) \Rightarrow 2^0 + 2^1 + 2^2 + \dots + 2^{\log_3 n} \Rightarrow \theta(n^{\log_3 2})$$

(c) Height =  $\log_4 n$ 

Branching factor = 5

The size of the sub-problems at depth  $k = \frac{n}{4^k}$ Number of sub-problems at depth  $k = 5^k$ 

Total work done =

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\log_4 n} (5^k) \cdot \left(\frac{n}{4^k}\right)^1 \Rightarrow n \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\log_4 n} \left(\left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^k\right) \Rightarrow n \cdot \left(\left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^0 + \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^1 + \dots + \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^{\log_4 n}\right) \Rightarrow n \cdot \theta\left(\frac{5^{\log_4 n}}{n}\right) \Rightarrow \theta(n^{\log_4 5})$$

(d) Height =  $\log_7 n$ 

Branching factor = 7

The size of the sub-problems at depth  $k = \frac{n}{7^k}$ Number of sub-problems at depth  $k = 7^k$ 

Total work done =

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\log_7 n} (7^k) \cdot \left(\frac{n}{7^k}\right)^1 \Rightarrow n \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\log_7 n} 1 \Rightarrow n \cdot \log n \Rightarrow \theta(n \log n)$$

(e) Height =  $\log_3 n$

Branching factor = 9

The size of the sub-problems at depth  $k = \frac{n}{3^k}$

Number of sub-problems at depth  $k = 9^k$

Total work done =

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\log_3 n} (9^k) \cdot \left(\frac{n}{3^k}\right)^2 \Rightarrow n^2 \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\log_3 n} 1 \Rightarrow n^2 \cdot \log n \Rightarrow \Theta(n^2 \log n)$$