

CS 385 Hw 1b: Analysis of Algorithms

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1. Upper bound of $f(n) = n^4 + 10n^2 + 5 \rightarrow f(n) \in O(n^4)$

Proof: $n^4 + 10n^2 + 5 \leq n^4 \cdot c$ Let $c = 2$

$$n^4 + 10n^2 + 5 \leq n^4 \cdot 2$$

$$\rightarrow 10n^2 + 5 \leq n^4 \rightarrow \text{if } n=3$$

$$\rightarrow 10n^2 + 5 \leq 81 \quad \text{FALSE}$$

$$10(16) + 5 \leq 256 \rightarrow \text{if } n=4$$

$$160 + 5 \leq 256 \rightarrow \text{TRUE}$$

$$\boxed{C=2, n=4}$$

2. Asymptotic bound of $f(n) = 3n^3 - 2n \rightarrow f(n) \in \Theta(n^3)$

Proof: $O(n^3)$
 $3n^3 - 2n \leq n^3 \cdot c_1$ Let $c_1 = 3$

$$\rightarrow 3n^3 - 2n \leq 3n^3 \quad \forall n_0$$

$\Omega(n^3)$

$$n^3 \cdot c_2 \leq 3n^3 - 2n \quad \text{Let } c_2 = 2$$

$$n^3 \cdot 2 \leq 3n^3 - 2n$$

$$\rightarrow 0 \leq n^3 - 2n$$

$$\rightarrow 2 \leq n^2$$

$$n_0 = 2$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{C_1 = 3, C_2 = 2, n_0 = 2}$$

3. Is $3n-4 \in \Omega(n^2)$? No

Proof: Assume $3n-4 \in \Omega(n^2)$

$$\rightarrow \exists c, n_0 \text{ s.t. } \forall n \geq n_0 \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \rightarrow 3n-4 \geq n^2 \cdot c$$

But notice $3n-4 \geq n^2$

$$\rightarrow \frac{3n}{n^2} - \frac{4}{n^2} \geq 1 \text{ as } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty}$$

$\rightarrow 0 \geq 1$ which is a contradiction,

Thus $3n-4 \notin \Omega(n^2)$

4.

Increasing ↓	$O(1)$	1
	$O(\lg n)$	2
	$O(n)$	3
	$O(n \lg n)$	4
	$O(n^2)$	5
	$O(n^2 \lg n)$	6
	$O(n^3)$	7
	$O(2^n)$	8
	$O(n!)$	9
	$O(n^n)$	10

5. $f(n) = n, t = 1s \rightarrow 10^3$ calculations

b. $f(n) = n \lg n, t = 3600s$

$$(3.6 \times 10^6) = n \lg(n) \rightarrow \boxed{n = 204094}$$

c. $f(n) = n^2, t = 3.6 \times 10^6 \text{ ms}$

$$\sqrt{(3.6 \times 10^6)} = n \rightarrow \boxed{n = 1897}$$

d. $f(n) = n^3, t = 3.6 \times 10^6 \times 24 = 8.64 \times 10^7 \text{ ms}$

$$(8.64)^{1/3} = n \rightarrow \boxed{n = 442}$$

e. $f(n) = n!, t = 6.0 \times 10^4 \text{ ms}$

$$6 \times 10^4 = n! \rightarrow \boxed{n = 8}$$

Can you solve 5b numerically?

6. $4n^3 \leq 64n \lg 2$ $\rightarrow n=1 \quad 4 \leq 0 \quad \times$
 $n^2 \leq 16 \lg n$ $\rightarrow n=2 \quad 4 \leq 16 \quad \checkmark$

$$\boxed{\text{Thus } \forall n \geq 1 \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \quad 4n^3 \leq 64 \lg n}$$

6b. Step 1) If Alg 1 is "beating" Alg 2, it runs for less time.

Thus find n s.t. $4n^3 \leq 64 \lg n$

Step 2) Simplify. $n^2 \leq 16 \lg n$

Step 3) - Start with $n=1$, & increment until true.

$$n^2 \leq 16 \lg(n) \quad n=1 \rightarrow 1 \leq 0 \times$$

$$n^2 \leq 16 \lg(n) \quad n=2 \rightarrow 4 \leq 16 \checkmark$$

$$\rightarrow \{ \forall n \geq 1 \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \} \text{ for } 4n^3 \leq 64 \lg n$$

7a. setting $\text{count} = 0 \rightarrow c_1$

loop 1 $\rightarrow (n/2)$

loop 2 $\rightarrow \lg n$

$\text{count}++ \rightarrow c_2$

$\text{return} \rightarrow c_1$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{\text{total time} = 2c_1 + n/2 \lg n c_2 \in \Theta(n/2 \lg n)}$$

7b. st $\text{count} = 0 \rightarrow c_1$

loop 1 $\rightarrow n^{1/3}$

$\text{count}++ \rightarrow c_2$

$\text{return} \rightarrow c_1$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{\text{total time} = 2c_1 + n^{1/3} c_2 \in \Theta(n^{1/3})}$$

7c. st $\text{count} = 0 \rightarrow c_1$

loop 1 $\rightarrow n$

loop 2 $\rightarrow n$

loop 3 $\rightarrow n$

$\text{count}++ \rightarrow c_2$

$\text{return} \rightarrow c_1$

$$\boxed{\text{total time} = 2c_1 + n^3 c_2 \in \Theta(n^3)}$$

7d. count = 0 $\rightarrow c_1$
loop 1 $\rightarrow n$
loop 2 $\rightarrow 1$
c++ $\rightarrow c_2$
break $\rightarrow c_2$
return $\rightarrow c_1$

$$\boxed{\text{total time} = 2c_1 + c_2 n \in \Theta(n)}$$

7e. count = 0 $\rightarrow c_1$
loop 1 $\rightarrow n$
c++ $\rightarrow c_2$
loop 2 $\rightarrow n$
c++ $\rightarrow c_2$
return $\rightarrow c_1$

$$\boxed{\text{total time} = 2c_1 + 2c_2 n \in \Theta(n)}$$