# Midterm 2 Version 1 Review

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## 1. a) 1100100

b) 
$$-\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 3^i$$

### Notes:

- Balanced Ternary
  - is a way of representing numbers
  - balanced ternary is in base 3, and has values 1,0 or -1

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} d_i \cdot 3^i \text{ where } d_i \in \{0, 1, -1\}$$
 (1)

c) i.  $f(n) \in \Omega(n)$ 

True (since  $n^2 + 10n + 2 \ge cn$ )

ii.  $g(n) \in \Omega(n)$ 

False (Let  $c = 100, n_0 = 100$ . Then  $100 \log_2 n < 100n$ )

iii.  $\underline{f(n) \in \mathcal{O}(g(n))}$ 

False  $(f(n) = n^2 + 10n + 2 \text{ grows faster than } g(n) = 100 \log_2 n)$ 

iv.  $f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$ 

True (Set  $c_1 = -1, c_2 = 1, n_1 = 100$ . Then  $c_1 f(n) \le g(n) \le c_2 f(n)$ )

v.  $g(n) \in \Theta(\log_3 n)$ 

True (set  $c_1 = -1, c_2 = 1, n_1 = 2$ . Then  $c_1 g(n) \le \log_3 n \le c_2 g(n)$ )

vi. 
$$g(n) \in \Theta(\log_3 n)$$

False (set 
$$c_1 = -1, c_2 = 1, n_1 = 2$$
. Then  $c_1 g(n) \le \log_3 n \le c_2 g(n)$ )

vii. 
$$f(n) + g(n) \in \Theta(f(n))$$

True (set 
$$c_1 = -2, c_2 = 2, n_1 = 1$$
. Then  $c_1(f(n) + g(n)) \le f(n) \le c_2(f(n) + g(n))$ )

## Notes:

- $g \in \Omega(f)$ :  $\exists c, n_o \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 \Rightarrow g(n) \geq cf(n), \text{ where } f, g : \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$
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- $g \in \Theta(f)$ :  $g \in \mathcal{O}(f) \land g \in \Omega(f)$ or  $g \in \Theta(f)$ :  $\exists c_1, c_2, n_1 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_1 \Rightarrow c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n)$ , where  $f, g : \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$

d) 
$$i = 3^{2^k}$$

Since

k	0	1	2
i	3	9	81
	$3^{1}$	$3^{2}$	$3^{4}$

e) 
$$k = \lceil \log_3(\log_2 n) - 1 \rceil$$

Since

$$i^2 \ge n \tag{1}$$

$$3^{2^k} \ge n^{1/2} \tag{2}$$

$$2^k \ge \log_3(n^{1/2}) \tag{3}$$

$$2^k \ge (1/2)\log_3(n) \tag{4}$$

$$k \ge \log_2((1/2)\log_3(n)) \tag{5}$$

$$\geq \log_2(\log_3(n)) - 1 \tag{6}$$

which gives  $k = \lceil \log_2(\log_3(n)) - 1 \rceil$ 

f) Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Assume  $n \geq 3$ .

I will prove  $5^n + 50 < 6^n$  by induction.

# Base Step (n=3):

Let n=3.

Then,

$$5^3 + 50 = 715 < 6^3 = 216 \tag{1}$$

So, the base case holds.

## **Inductive Step**

Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Assume  $(5^n + 50 < 6^n)$ .

I need to show  $5^{n+1} + 50 < 6^{n+1}$ .

Indeed we have

$$5^{n+1} + 50 = 5^n 5 + 50 (2)$$

$$= 5(5^n + 10) (3)$$

$$<5(5^n+50)$$
 (4)

$$<56^n\tag{5}$$

$$< 66^n \tag{6}$$

$$<6^{n=1} \tag{7}$$

2. Negation(expanded):  $\forall a \in \mathbb{R}, \forall c_1, c_2, n_1 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \exists n \in \mathbb{N}, (n \geq n_1) \land (c_1g(n) > f(n)) \lor (f(n) > c_2g(n))$ 

Let  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ .

I need to show  $an + 1 \notin \Theta(n^3)$ 

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