

Worksheet 12 Solution

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Question 1

- a. $c, n_0 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 \Rightarrow g(n) \leq c$, where $g : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$
- b. Let $c = \frac{277}{2}$, $n_0 = 1$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $f, g : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$, $g(n) = 100 + \frac{77}{n+1}$, $f(n) = 1$.
Assume $n \geq n_0$

Then,

$$g(n) = 100 + \frac{77}{n+1} \leq 100 + \frac{77}{n+1} \quad (1)$$

$$\leq 100 + \frac{77}{2} \quad (2)$$

$$\leq \frac{277}{2} \quad (3)$$

$$\leq c \cdot 1 \quad (4)$$

$$\leq cf(x) \quad (5)$$

The, it follows from the definition of Big-Oh that the statement $100 + \frac{77}{n+1} \in \mathcal{O}(1)$ is true.

Question 2

- **Expanded Statement:** $f, g : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$, $(\exists c, n_0 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 \Rightarrow g(n) \leq cf(n)) \Rightarrow (\exists d, m_0 \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall m \in \mathbb{N}, m \geq m_0 \Rightarrow dg(n) \leq f(n))$.

Let $f, g : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$, $n_0 = 1$, $c = \frac{1}{d}$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $m_0 = 1$. Assume $n \geq n_0$, $g(n) \leq cf(n)$ and $m \geq m_0$.

Then,

$$g(n) \leq cf(n) \tag{1}$$

$$g(n) \leq \frac{1}{d}f(n) \tag{2}$$

$$dg(n) \leq f(n) \tag{3}$$

Then,

$$dg(m) \leq f(m) \tag{4}$$

by changing variable from n to m .

Then, it follows from the definition of Ω that the statement , $f, g : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\geq 0}$, $g \in \mathcal{O}(f) \Rightarrow \Omega(g)$ is true.

Question 3

Question 4