

### Complexity Space Assignment

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Find the space complexity

Alg test(n):

if ( $n > 0$ ) {

    print n

    test( $n - 1$ )

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}

### Solution

- The algorithm makes recursive calls decreasing  $n$  by 1 at each step  $n, n-1, n-2, \dots, 1, 0$ .

- Each function call stores only the integer variable  $n$  and a return address. Hence the memory per frame =  $O(1)$

$$\text{space} = (\text{Max Depth}) \times (\text{Memory per frame})$$

$$\text{space} = n \times O(1)$$

$$\text{Space Complexity} = O(n)$$

$$\text{Answer} = O(n)$$