

6.4.7 Efficiency Practice

Checkpoint 1

What is the big O of $0.5N^3 - 27N$?

- ☐ **$O(N)$**
- ☐ **$O(N^3)$**
- ☐ **$O(3^N)$**
- ☐ **$O(N^2)$**

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Checkpoint 2

What is the big O of $5\log N + 3N\log N + N$?

- ☐ **$O(\log N)$**
- ☐ **$O(N\log N)$**
- ☐ **$O(N^{0.5})$**
- ☐ **$O(N)$**

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Checkpoint 3

If on a given computer, a function that runs in $O(N)$ takes 10 seconds to run on a list with 1000 values, roughly how long will it take to run on the same computer for a list with 5000 values?

- ☐ **20 seconds**

- ☐ 10 seconds
- ☐ 50 seconds
- ☐ 2500 seconds

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Checkpoint 4

If on a given computer, a function that runs in $O(N^2)$ takes 2 seconds to run on a list with 100 values, roughly how long will it take to run on the same computer for a list with 300 values?

- ☐ 12 seconds
- ☐ 18 seconds
- ☐ 6 seconds
- ☐ 16 seconds

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Checkpoint 5

If on a given computer a function takes 5 seconds to run on a list with 100 values and 10 seconds to run on a list with 200 values, what would you expect the big-O of the function to be?

- ☐ $O(\log(N))$
- ☐ $O(N^{**}2)$
- ☐ $O(1)$
- ☐ $O(N)$

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Checkpoint 6

Which of the following correctly orders the function families $\log N$, $N \log N$, N , and $N^{0.5}$ from smallest to largest?

- ☐ $N^{0.5}$, $\log N$, N , $N \log N$
- ☐ $\log N$, N , $N^{0.5}$, $N \log N$
- ☐ N , $\log N$, $N^{0.5}$, $N \log N$
- ☐ N , $\log N$, $N \log N$, $N^{0.5}$
- ☐ $N^{0.5}$, N , $\log N$, $N \log N$
- ☐ $\log N$, $N^{0.5}$, N , $N \log N$

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Checkpoint 7

What is the maximum number of indices that binary search would need to access when run on a list of length 64?

- ☐ 4
- ☐ 8
- ☐ 6
- ☐ 16

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Checkpoint 8

What is the maximum number of indices that linear search would need to access when run on a list of length 64?

- ☐ 32
- ☐ 128

☐ 64

☐ 16

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Checkpoint 9

If we want to search for a single element in an unsorted list, is it more efficient to use linear search, or sort the list using merge sort and then use binary search?

- ☐ **Sort and then use binary search.**
- ☐ **They have the same efficiency.**
- ☐ **Linear search.**

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Checkpoint 10

If we want to search for N different elements in an unsorted list of length N , is it more efficient to use linear search N times, or sort the list using merge sort and then use binary search N times?

- ☐ **Sort and then use binary search.**
- ☐ **They have the same efficiency.**
- ☐ **Linear search.**

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