

Tutorial No-1

Ques 1. What do you understand by asymptotic notation
define different asymptotic notation with example.

Ans.

(i) Big O(n)

$$f(n) = O(g(n))$$

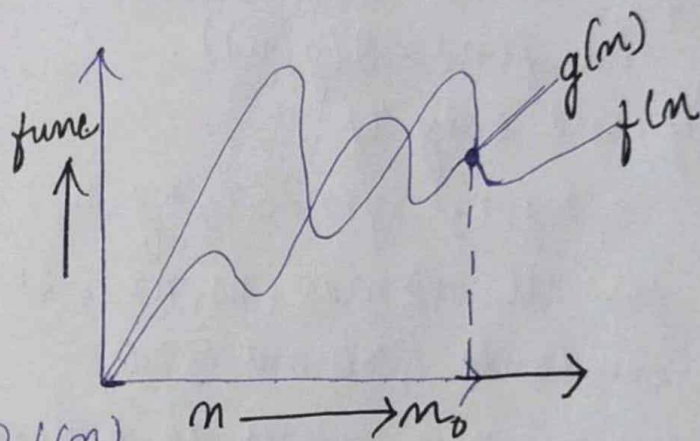
If $f(n) \leq g(n) \times C \forall n \geq n_0$
for some constant, $C > 0$

$g(n)$ is "tight" upper bound of $f(n)$

eg:- $f(n) \Rightarrow n^2 + n$
 $g(n) = n^3$

$$n^2 + n \leq C * n^3$$

$$n^2 + n = O(n^3)$$



(ii) Big Omega (Ω)

When $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$

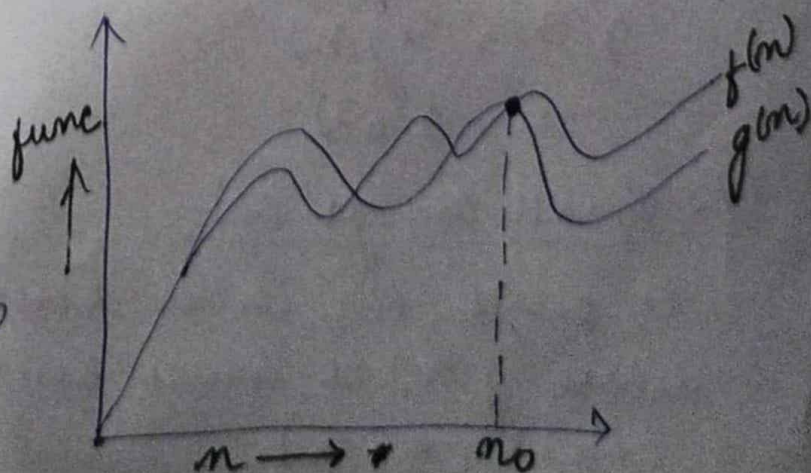
means $g(n)$ is "tight" lowerbound of $f(n)$ i.e $f(n)$ can go beyond $g(n)$

i.e $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$

if and only if

$$f(n) \geq c \cdot g(n)$$

$\forall n_2 > n_0$ and $c = \text{constant} > 0$



Ex - $f(n) \Rightarrow n^3 + 4n^2$

$g(n) = n^2$

i.e. $f(n) \geq c * g(n)$

$n^3 + 4n^2 = \Omega(n^2)$

(iii) Big Theta (Θ) - when $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$ gives the tight upperbound and lowerbound both

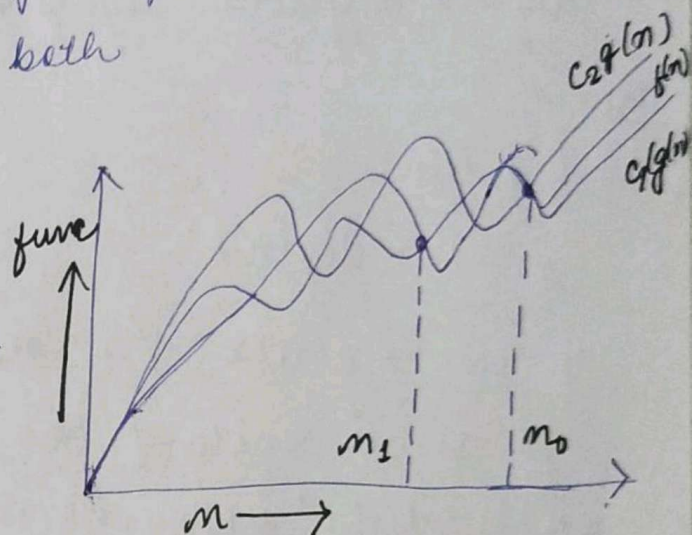
i.e. $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$

if and only if

$c_1 * g(n_1) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 * g(n_2)$

for all $n \geq \max(n_1, n_2)$, some constants $c_1 > 0$ and $c_2 > 0$

i.e. $f(n)$ can never go beyond $c_2 * g(n)$ and will never come down of $c_1 * g(n)$.



Ex - $3n + 2 = \Theta(n)$ as $3n + 2 \geq 3n$

$3n + 2 \leq 4n$ for n , $c_1 = 3$, $c_2 = 4$ & $n_0 = 2$.

(iv) Small o (o).

when $f(n) = o(g(n))$ gives the upper bound.

i.e. $f(n) = o(g(n))$

if and only if

$f(n) < c * g(n)$

$n^2 = o(n^3)$

(v) Small Omega (ω)

It gives the lower bound i.e. $f(n) = \omega(g(n))$ where $g(n)$ is lower bound of $f(n)$ if and only if $f(n) > c * g(n)$

$\forall n > n_0$ and some constant, $c > 0$

Ques 2. what should be the time complexity of:

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for (int i = 1 to n)
{
    i = i * 2 ;  $\rightarrow O(1)$ 
}
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for $i \Rightarrow 1, 2, 4, 8, \dots, n$ times
i.e series is a GP

So $a=1$, $r=2/1$

K^{th} value of GP

$$t_k = a r^{k-1}$$

$$t_k = 1(2)^{k-1}$$

$$2^n = 2^k$$

$$\log_2(2^n) = k \log_2 2$$

$$\log_2^2 + \log_2 n = k$$

$$\log_2 n + 1 = k \quad (\text{Neglecting '1'})$$

So, Time complexity $T(n) \Rightarrow O(\log n)$ - Ans.

Ques 3. $T(n) = \begin{cases} 3T(n-1) & \text{if } n > 0 \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

i.e. $T(n) \Rightarrow 3T(n-1)$ — (1)
 $T(n) \Rightarrow 1$

put $n \Rightarrow n-1$ in (1)

$T(n-1) \Rightarrow 3T(n-2)$ — (2)

put (2) in (1)

$$T(n) = 3 \times 3T(n-2)$$

$$T(n) \Rightarrow 9T(n-2) \text{ --- (3)}$$

$$\text{put } n \Rightarrow n-2 \text{ in (1)}$$

$$T(n-2) = 3T(n-3)$$

$$\text{put in (3)}$$

$$T(n) = 27T(n-3) \text{ --- (4)}$$

Generating series

$$T(k) = 3^k T(n-k) \text{ --- (5)}$$

for k^{th} terms let $n-k = 1$ (Base case)

$$k = n-1$$

$$\text{put in (5)}$$

$$T(n) = 3^{n-1} T(1)$$

$$T(n) = 3^{n-1} \quad (\text{neglecting } 3')$$

$$T(n) = O(3^n)$$

Ques 4. $T(n) = \begin{cases} 2T(n-1) - 1 & \text{if } n > 0, \\ \text{otherwise } 1 \end{cases}$

$$T(n) = 2T(n-1) - 1 \text{ --- (1)}$$

$$\text{put } n = n-1$$

$$T(n-1) = 2T(n-2) - 1 \text{ --- (2)}$$

$$\text{put in (1)}$$

$$T(n) = 2 \times (2T(n-2) - 1) - 1$$

$$= 4T(n-2) - 2 - 1 \text{ --- (3)}$$

$$\text{put } n = n-2 \text{ in (1)}$$

$$T(n-2) = 2T(n-3) - 1$$

$$\text{put in (3)}$$

$$T(n) = 8T(n-3) - 4 - 2 - 1 \rightarrow (4)$$

Generating series -

$$T(n) = 2^k + (n-k) - 2^{k-1} - 2^{k-2} \dots 2^0$$

kth term

$$\text{let } n-k = 1$$

$$k = n-1$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= 2^{n-1} + (1) - 2^k \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^k} \right) \\ &= 2^{n-1} - 2^{k-1} \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^{k-1}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

is series in GP

$$a = \frac{1}{2}, r = \frac{1}{2}$$

So,

$$T(n) = 2^{n-1} \left(1 - \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) \left(\frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{n-1}}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} \right) \right)$$

$$= 2^{n-1} (1 - 1 + \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{n-1})$$

$$= \frac{2^{n-1}}{2^{n-1}} = 1$$

$$T(n) = O(1) \text{ Ans}$$

Ques 5. what should be time complexity of

int i=1, s=1;

while (s<=n)

{

i++;

s = s+i;

printf("i#");

}

$$i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6$$

$$S = 1 + 3 + 6 + 10 + 15 + \dots$$

$$\text{Sum of } S = 1 + 3 + 6 + 10 + \dots + n \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{Also } S = 1 + 3 + 6 + 10 + \dots + T_{n-1} + T_n \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$0 = 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + n - T_n$$

$$T_k = 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + k$$

$$T_k = \frac{1}{2} k(k+1)$$

for k iterations

$$1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + k \leq n$$

$$\frac{k(k+1)}{2} \leq n$$

$$\frac{k^2 + k}{2} \leq n$$

$$O(k^2) \leq n$$

$$k = O(\sqrt{n})$$

$$T(n) = O(\sqrt{n})$$

Ques 6 Time complexity of
void f(int n)

{

int i, count=0;

for (i=1; i*i<=n; ++i)

}

$$\text{As } i^2 = n$$

$$i = \sqrt{n}$$

$$i = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, \sqrt{n}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\sqrt{n}} 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + \sqrt{n}$$

$$T(n) = \frac{\sqrt{n} + (\sqrt{n} + 1)}{2}$$

$$T(n) = \frac{n * \sqrt{n}}{2}$$

$$T(n) = O(n) \text{ --- Ans.}$$

Question 4. Time complexity of.

void f(int n)

{

int i, j, k, count=0;

for (int i = n/2; i <= n; i++)

for (j = 1; j <= n; j = j * 2)

for (k = 1; k <= n; k = k + 2)

count++;

}

Since, for $k = 2^k$

$k = 1, 2, 4, 8, \dots, n$

∴ series is in GP

So $a=1, r=2$

$$\frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r - 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1(2^k - 1)}{2 - 1}$$

$$n = 2^k - 1$$

$$n + 1 = 2^k$$

$$\log_2(n) = k$$

i
1
⋮
2
⋮
n

j
log(n)
log(n)
⋮
log(n)

k
log(n) * log(n)
log(n) * log(n)
⋮
log(n) * (log(n))

$$T.C = O(n * \log n * \log n)$$

$$\Rightarrow O(n \log^2(n)) \rightarrow \text{Ans}$$

Ques 8. Time complexity of
void function (int n.)

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{
    if (n == 1) return;
    for (i = 1 to n)
    {
        for (j = 1 to n)
        {
            printf ("* ");
        }
    }
    function (n-3);
}

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for (i = 1 to n)

we get $j = n$ times every turn

$$\therefore i * j = n^2$$

Now,

$$T(n) = n^2 + T(n-3);$$

$$T(n-3) = (n-3)^2 + T(n-6);$$

$$T(n-6) = (n-6)^2 + T(n-9);$$

$$\text{and } T(1) = 1;$$

Now substitute each value in $T(n)$

$$T(n) = n^2 + (n-3)^2 + (n-6)^2 + \dots + 1$$

let

$$n - 3k = 1$$

$$\frac{n-1}{3} = k$$

$$\text{Total turns} = k + 1$$

$$T(n) = n^2 + (n-3)^2 + (n-6)^2 + \dots + 1$$

$$\text{let } T(n) \propto kn^2$$

$$T(n) = (k-1)/3 * n^2$$

So, $T(n) = O(n^3)$ — Ans

Ques 9. Time complexity of
void function (int n)

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{
    for (int i = 1 to n.)
    {
        for (int j = 1 ; j = n ; j = j + i)
        {
            printf ( " * " );
        }
    }
}

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for $i=1$ $j = 1+2+ \dots (n \geq j+i)$
 $i=2$ $j = 1+3+5 \dots (n \geq j+i)$
 $i=3$ $j = 1+4+7 \dots (n \geq j+i)$

n^{th} term of AP is

$$T(n) = a + d * n.$$

$$T(n) = 1 + d * n.$$

$$(n-1)/d = n$$

for $i=1$ $(n-1)/1$ times
 $i=2$ $(n-1)/2$ times
 $i=n-1$

we get

$$T(n) = i_1 j_1 + i_2 j_2 + \dots + i_{n-1} j_{n-1}$$

$$= \left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{n-2}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{n-3}{3}\right) + \dots + 1.$$

$$= n + n/2 + n/3 + \dots + n/n-1 - n \times 1.$$

$$= n \left[1 + 1/2 + 1/3 + \dots + 1/n-1 \right] - n \times 1$$

$$= n \times \log n - n + 1.$$

Since $\int 1/x = \log x$

$$T(n) = O(n \log n) \text{ - Ans.}$$

Ques 10. For the function n^k and c^n . what is the asymptotic Relationship b/w three functions?
Assume that $k > 1$ and $c > 1$ are constants. Find out the value of c & no. of which relationship holds.

As given n^k and c^n

Relationship b/w n^k and c^n is

$$n^k = O(c^n)$$

$$n^k \leq a(c^n)$$

$\forall n \geq n_0$ & constant $a > 0$

for $n_0 = 1, c = 2$

$$\Rightarrow 1^k \leq a^2$$

$$\Rightarrow n_0 = 1 \text{ & } c = 2$$