

Part 1: Set up recurrences, use the Master Theorem

Consider the following pseudo code sketches. For each, state its recurrence, using $T(n)$ to denote the maximum number of steps the function makes on an input of size n . In particular, (1) next to the pseudo code above, highlight its non-recursive parts and estimate their running time in big-Oh notation, and (2) next to the pseudo code above, highlight the recursive parts and estimate their running times using the function $T()$. Then, evaluate it using the Master Theorem.

(a) Function F (A - an array of size n):

if $n = 1$: return $A[1]$

use $O(n)$ steps and compute arrays B , C , and D of size $\lfloor n/3 \rfloor$ each

$x = F(B)$

$y = F(C)$

$z = F(D)$

return $x + y + z$

(i) Set up a recurrence for this pseudo code sketch. Do not worry about the rounding. Do not forget the base case.

$$T(n) = 3T(n/3) + O(n) = 3(3T(n/9) + c \cdot \frac{n}{3}) + cn = 9T(n/9) + 2cn$$

$$T(n) \leq 3^k T(n/3^k) + kcn$$

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} O(1) & \text{if } n=1 \\ 3T(n/3) + O(n) & \text{if } n>1 \end{cases}$$

(ii) Analyze the recurrence using the Master Theorem.

$$a=3, b=3, f(n) = O(n)$$

$$\text{Case 2 applies} \rightarrow O(n) = \Theta(n')$$

$$T(n) = \boxed{\Theta(n \log n)}$$

A_1	B_2	A_2	B_1
3	8	5	2

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(b) Function G (A – an array of size n):

if $n = 1$: return $A[1]$

use $O(n)$ steps and compute arrays B and C of size $\lfloor n/3 \rfloor$ each

$x = F(B)$

$y = F(C)$

return $x - y$

- (i) Set up a recurrence for this pseudo code sketch. Do not worry about the rounding. Do not forget the base case.

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} O(1) & \text{if } n=1 \\ 2T(n/3) + O(n) & \text{if } n>1 \end{cases}$$

- (ii) Analyze the recurrence using the Master Theorem.

$$a=2, \quad b=3, \quad f(n)=O(n)$$

$$n^{(\log 2 / \log 3) + \epsilon} \quad \text{Case 3 applies} \rightarrow T(n) = \boxed{\Theta(n)}$$
$$2f(n/3) \leq cf(n) \quad c = \frac{2}{3}$$

(c) Function H (A – an array of size n):

if $n = 1$: return $A[1]$

use $O(n)$ steps and compute arrays B , C , D , and E of size $\lfloor n/3 \rfloor$ each

$x = H(B)$

$y = H(C)$

$z = H(D)$

$w = H(E)$

return $x + y + z + w$

- (i) Set up a recurrence for this pseudo code sketch. Do not worry about the rounding. Do not forget the base case.

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} O(1) & \text{if } n=1 \\ 4T(n/3) + O(n) & \text{if } n>1 \end{cases}$$

- (ii) Analyze the recurrence using the Master Theorem.

$$a=4, \quad b=3, \quad f(n)=O(n)$$

$$n^{\log 4 / \log 3} = n^{1+\epsilon}$$

$$\boxed{\Theta(n^{\log 4 / \log 3})}$$

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Demonstrate how the Karatsuba-Ofman algorithm works for the following input: $A = [1, 2, 3, 4]$ and $B = [5, 0, 7, 9]$.

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LongMultiply(array A, array B - both of length n):
    if n=1: return A[1]*B[1], as a string of digits
    let m = n/2 (rounded down)
    let A1 = A[1...m] and A2 = A[m+1...n]
    let B1 = B[1...m] and B2 = B[m+1...n]
    let C = LongMultiply(A1,B1)
    let D = LongMultiply(A2,B2)
    let A12 = LongAdd(A1,A2)
    let B12 = LongAdd(B1,B2)
    let G = LongMultiply(A12,B12)
    let EF = LongSubtract(G,LongAdd(C,D))
    let Cpadded be C with  $10^{2(n-m)}$  zeros added at the end
    let EFpadded be EF with  $10^{(n-m)}$  zeros added at the end
    return LongAdd(Cpadded,EFpadded,D)

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In the following, it is ok to write the arrays as numbers and not as string arrays (for clarity):

(a) What is AB (without running the algorithm)? 6 267 486

(b) Trace the algorithm (do not trace through the recursion – merely state the result of the recursive call). In particular, state the values of the following variables:

A1	12	A2	34
B1	50	B2	79
C	600	D	2686
A12	46	B12	129
G	5934	EF	2648
Cpadded	6000000	EFpadded	264800
return	6 267 486		

(c) Is the return value correct? Yes