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Master Theorem for Dividing function

General
form

$$T(n) = a T\left(\frac{n}{b}\right) + f(n)$$

Assume

$$a \geq 1 \quad b \geq 1 \quad \>$$

$$f(n) = O(n^k \log^p n)$$

To find complexity, we need
two values

① $\log_b a$

② k (power of n)

Based on above, we have 3 cases

Case 1: if $\log_b a > k$ then.

$$O(n^{\log_b a})$$

Case 2: if $\log_b a = k$

$$\text{if } p > -1 \quad O(n^k \log^{p+1} n)$$

$$p = -1 \quad O(n^k \log \log n)$$

$$p < -1 \quad O(n^k)$$

Case 3

if $\log_b a < k$

$$p \geq 0 \quad O(n^k \log^p n)$$

$$p < 0 \quad O(n^k)$$

Examples

e.g. Let's take recurrence relation

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

$$a = 2 \quad b = 2$$

$$f(n) = O(1) \Rightarrow O(n^0 \log^0 n)$$

$$k = 0 \quad \log_2 2 = 1$$

So case 1

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$$\underline{\underline{O(n^1)}}$$

Example

$$T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n$$

$$\textcircled{1} \log_4 2 = 2$$

$$\text{so } k = 1 \quad \& \quad p = 0$$

so

again case 1

$$\underline{\underline{O(n^2)}}$$

$$\text{Example} = 8T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n \quad (\text{Try it})$$

$$\log_2 8 = 3 > k = 1$$

$$\underline{\underline{O(n^3)}}$$

Try above example with

$$8T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^2$$

Eg

$$T(n) = 9T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + 1$$

$$\log_3 9 = 2 > k = 0$$

$$O(n^2)$$

Now with log.

$$T(n) = 8T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n \log n$$

$$\log_2 8 = 3 > k = 1$$

$$\text{So } O(n^3)$$

Some case 2 examples

$$T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n$$

$$\text{So } \log_2 2 = 1 \quad k = 1$$

So equal.

Now check p.

As no log so $p = 0 > -1$

So

$$O(n \log n)$$

As p was zero then 1

eg

$$T(n) = 4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^2$$

$$\log_2 4 = 2 \quad k = 2$$

So

$$O(n^2 \log n)$$

$$4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^2 \log n$$

$$\log_2 4 = 2 \quad k = 2.$$

$$O(n^2 \log^2 n)$$

$$4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^2 \log(n)$$

So

$$\cancel{n^2 \log n} \quad n^2 \log^3 n$$

So in = case we multiply $\log n$.

$$T(n) = 8T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^3 \quad \text{Do by}$$

Master

$$= (n^3 \log n)$$

eg

$$T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + \frac{n}{\log n}$$

$$\log_2^2 = 1 \quad k = 1 \quad p = -1$$

as

$$p = -1$$

so

$$\underline{O(n \log(\log n))}$$

$$T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + \frac{n}{\log^2 n}$$

$$\text{so } p = -2 < -1$$

log is too small so

$$\boxed{O(n)}$$

case 3

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eg

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

$$p = 0$$

$$\log_2 1 = 0$$

$$k = 2$$

$$O(n^2)$$

Try

$$T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^3$$

$$= O(n^3)$$

$$2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^2 \log n$$

$$\log_2 1 = 0 \quad k = 2$$

$$p = 1$$

so

$$(n^2 \log n)$$

e.g

Try

$$T(n) = 4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^3$$

$$= n^3$$

if

$$4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + \frac{n^3}{\log n}$$

As \log in denominator

$$p = -1$$

we ignore

$$\text{So } O(n^3)$$

Class Task

$$4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^3 \log^2 n$$

Case 3

$$= \boxed{O(n^3 \log^2 n)}$$

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Case 1

$$T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + \frac{n^2}{\log^2 n}$$

$$\boxed{= O(n^2)}$$

① $T(n) = 4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + (n \log n)^2$

Case 2

$$\boxed{= O(n^2 \log^3 n)}$$

$$T(n) = 4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + \frac{n^2}{\log n}$$

Case 2

$$\boxed{= n^2 \log \log(n)}$$