



CHAPTER 1

BASIC CONCEPT

All the programs in this file are selected from

Ellis Horowitz, Sartaj Sahni, and Susan Anderson-Freed
“Fundamentals of Data Structures in C”,
Computer Science Press, 1992.



How to create programs (Waterfall Model)

Requirements

Analysis

Design: Architecture Design

Detailed Design – Data Type 、 Algorithm

User Interface Design (option)

Coding and Refinement

Verification and Testing

Maintain



Algorithm

Definition

An *algorithm* is a finite set of instructions that accomplishes a particular task.

Criteria

- Input ≥ 0
- Output ≥ 1
- Definiteness: clear and unambiguous
- Finiteness: terminate after a finite number of steps
- Effectiveness: instruction is basic enough to be carried out

Recursion

Definition:

函數(程式)中包含有自身呼叫的敘述

種類:

Direct Recursion, Indirect Recursion, and Tail Recursion

優缺點(與 Iteration比較):

優: 容易設計、方便閱讀、節省 code space

缺: 執行時對 stack space 之需求較高、執行效率較差

考題型態:

數學類($N!$ 、費式數列)、資料結構類(Binary tree traversal、Quick sort)、其他(河內塔、直線切割平面)

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技巧:

找出 (a) 終止條件 (b) 遞迴關係

```
if (a) then (結束 or 回傳值)  
else return (b)
```

Data Type

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A *data type* is a collection of *objects* and a set of *operations* that act on those objects.

ex)

Integer: Data type

Collection of objects: $-n, -(n-1), \dots, 0, 1, 2 \dots n$

Set of operations: $+, -, \times, \div, > \dots$



Abstract Data Type

Abstract Data Type

An *abstract data type (ADT)* is a data type that is organized in such a way that **the specification of the objects and the operations on the objects** is separated from the representation of the objects and **the implementation** of the operations.

Abstract Data Type

ex) Sack is an ADT

specification of the objects:

1. a set of elements
2. top pointer
3. stack size

the specification of the operations:

1. push (i, s)
2. pop (s) \rightarrow i

Abstract Data Type

ex) Sack is an ADT

representation of the objects :

Array

top: integer=0

size: integer=n

Link-list

top: pointer=nil

no size limit

Abstract Data Type

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the implementation of the operations

push(i, s)

if stack_full then error

else

top=top+1

s[top]=i

push(i, s)

new t

t^data=i

t^link=top

top=t



Performance Analysis or Measurement?

Performance Measurement (machine dependent)

Performance Analysis (machine independent)

- space complexity: storage requirement
 - fixed space requirements: code space, simple type variable, fixed size structure variable, constant
 - variable space requirements: structure parameters, recursion
- time complexity: computing time



Time Complexity

compute the step count

Introduce variable count into programs

Tabular method

- Determine the total number of steps contributed by each statement
 $\text{step per execution} \times \text{frequency}$
- add up the contribution of all statements

Iterative summing of a list of numbers

*Program 1.12: Program 1.10 with count statements (p.23)

```
float sum(float list[ ], int n)
{
    float tempsum = 0; count++; /* for assignment */
    int i;
    for (i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        count++;           /*for the for loop */
        tempsum += list[i]; count++; /* for assignment */
    }
    count++;           /* last execution of for */
    return tempsum;
    count++;           /* for return */
}
```

$2n + 3$ steps

Tabular Method

***Figure 1.2:** Step count table for Program 1.10 (p.26)

Iterative function to sum a list of numbers
steps/execution

Statement	s/e	Frequency	Total steps
float sum(float list[], int n)	0	0	0
{	0	0	0
float tempsum = 0;	1	1	1
int i;	0	0	0
for(i=0; i <n; i++)	1	n+1	n+1
tempsum += list[i];	1	n	n
return tempsum;	1	1	1
}	0	0	0
Total			2n+3

Recursive summing of a list of numbers

*Program 1.14: Program 1.11 with count statements added (p.24)

```
float rsum(float list[ ], int n)
{
    count++;    /*for if conditional */
    if (n) {
        count++; /* for return and rsum invocation */
        return rsum(list, n-1) + list[n-1];
    }
    count++;
    return list[0];
}
```

$$2n+2$$

Recursive Function to sum of a list of numbers

***Figure 1.3:** Step count table for recursive summing function (p.27)

Statement	s/e	Frequency	Total steps
float rsum(float list[], int n)	0	0	0
{	0	0	0
if (n)	1	n+1	n+1
return rsum(list, n-1)+list[n-1];	1	n	n
return list[0];	1	1	1
}	0	0	0
Total			2n+2

Tabular Method

```
for (i=1; i<n, i++)  
{  
  a=(b+c)*d/e  
}
```

$n?$

```
for (i=1; i<n, i++)  
{  
  T1=b+c  
  T2=T1*d  
  T3=T2/e  
}
```

$3n?$

Asymptotic Notation (O)

Definition

$f(n) = O(g(n))$ iff there exist two positive constants c and n_0 such that $f(n) \leq cg(n)$ for all n , $n \geq n_0$.

Examples

- $2n+3=$
- $2n+3=$
- $3n^2+2n+3=$



Theorem (p.36)

If $f(n) = a_m n^m + a_{m-1} n^{m-1} + \dots + a_1 n + a_0$ 則 $f(n) = O(n^m)$



Asymptotic Notation (O) (upper bound)

Examples

- $n^3 + n \log n + 5n^2$
- $n^6 + 100n^7 + 5000n^9 + 2^n$
- $n^2 + n^2 \log n + 5$



Basic Principle

$O(1)$: constant

$O(\log n)$

$O(n)$: linear

$O(n \log n)$

$O(n^2)$: quadratic

$O(n^3)$: cubic

$O(2^n)$: exponential

$O\left(\frac{n^{n/2}}{2}\right)$

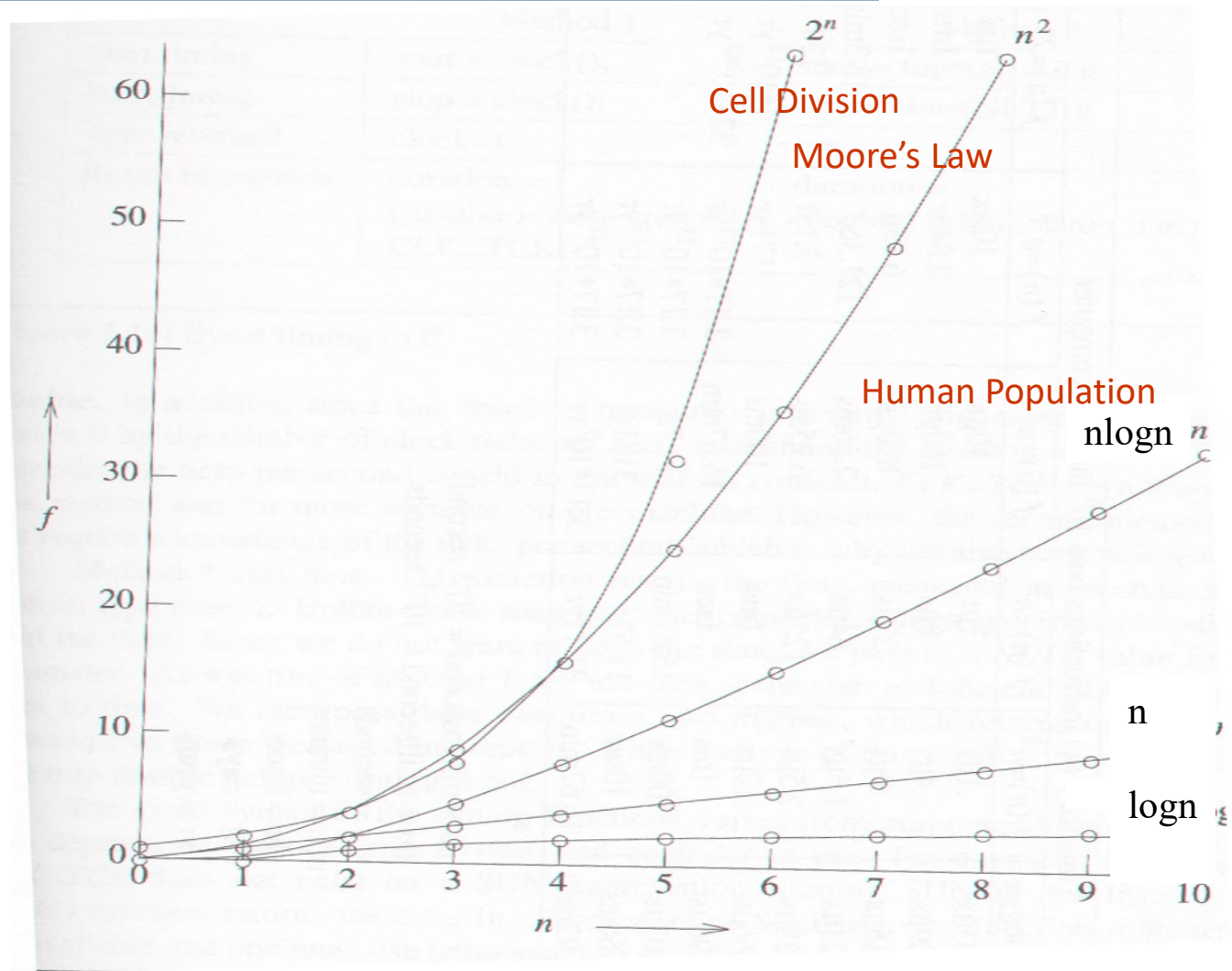
$O(n!)$

$O(n^n)$

*Figure 1.7:Function values (p.42)

Time	Name	Instance characteristic n					
		1	2	4	8	16	32
1	Constant	1	1	1	1	1	1
$\log n$	Logarithmic	0	1	2	3	4	5
n	Linear	1	2	4	8	16	32
$n \log n$	Log linear	0	2	8	24	64	160
n^2	Quadratic	1	4	16	64	256	1024
n^3	Cubic	1	8	64	512	4096	32768
2^n	Exponential	2	4	16	256	65536	4294967296
$n!$	Factorial	1	2	24	40320	20922789888000	26313×10^{53}

***Figure 1.8: Plot of function values(p.43)**



***Figure 1.9: Times on a 1 billion instruction per second computer(p.44)**

Time for $f(n)$ instructions on a 10^9 instr/sec computer							
n	$f(n)=n$	$f(n)=\log_2 n$	$f(n)=n^2$	$f(n)=n^3$	$f(n)=n^4$	$f(n)=n^{10}$	$f(n)=2^n$
10	.01 μ s	.03 μ s	.1 μ s	1 μ s	10 μ s	10sec	1 μ s
20	.02 μ s	.09 μ s	.4 μ s	8 μ s	160 μ s	2.84hr	1ms
30	.03 μ s	.15 μ s	.9 μ s	27 μ s	810 μ s	6.83d	1sec
40	.04 μ s	.21 μ s	1.6 μ s	64 μ s	2.56ms	121.36d	18.3min
50	.05 μ s	.28 μ s	2.5 μ s	125 μ s	6.25ms	3.1yr	13d
100	.10 μ s	.66 μ s	10 μ s	1ms	100ms	3171yr	4×10^{13} yr
1,000	1.00 μ s	9.96 μ s	1ms	1sec	16.67min	3.17×10^{13} yr	32×10^{283} yr
10,000	10.00 μ s	130.03 μ s	100ms	16.67min	115.7d	3.17×10^{23} yr	
100,000	100.00 μ s	1.66ms	10sec	11.57d	3171yr	3.17×10^{33} yr	
1,000,000	1.00ms	19.92ms	16.67min	31.71yr	3.17×10^7 yr	3.17×10^{43} yr	

μ s = microsecond = 10^{-6} seconds

ms = millisecond = 10^{-3} seconds

sec = seconds

min = minutes

hr = hours

d = days

yr = years

L'hospital Rule

Ex) $n^{0.01n}$ V.S. $(1.001)^n$

如果所有的嘗試都失敗
為何不使用計算機？
(一般的研究所考試均允許使用計算機)

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$A : (1.001)^n$, $B : n^{0.0001n}$, $C : 2^{\log n}$, $D : n!$, $E : n \log n$,

(a) D最高 (b) C最低 (c) B高於A (d) E低於A (e) 以上皆是

$$D > B > A > E > C$$

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Arrange the following function into asymptotic ascending order

n , 2^n , 192 , $n \log n$, \sqrt{n} , $n!$

192 , \sqrt{n} , n , $n \log n$, 2^n , $n!$

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Which of the following statements is not correct?

- (a) 20 is $O(1)$
- (b) $n(n-1)/2$ is $O(n^2)$
- (c) $\max(n^3, 10n^2)$ is $O(n^3)$
- (d) $15n^4 + 10n^3 + 100n^2 + 2^n$ is $O(n^4)$
- (e) If $p(x)$ is any k^{th} degree polynomial with a positive leading coefficient, then $p(n)$ is $O(n^k)$

(d)

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List the functions below from lowest to highest order
 n , $n - 2n^3 + 5n^5$, $\sqrt{6n}$, $\log(\log n)$, $O(1)$, $2n!$

$$O(1), \log(\log n), \sqrt{6n}, n, n - 2n^3 + 5n^5, 2n!$$

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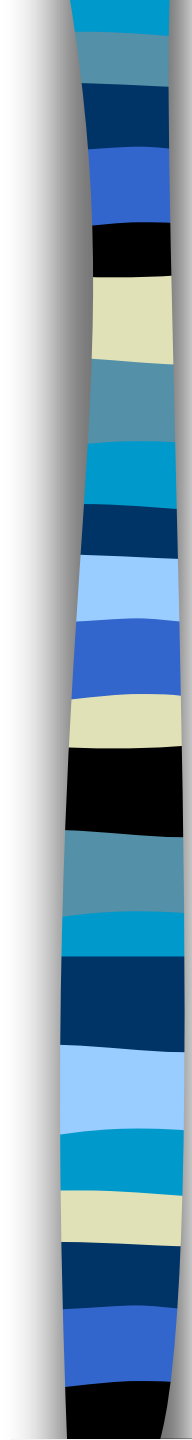
Ordering by asymptotic growth rates in ascending order
 $(\log n)!$, $(n+1)!$, $\log(n!)$, $4^{\log n}$, $(\frac{3}{2})^n$

$$(\log n)! = O((\log n)^{\log n})$$

$$\log(n!) = O(n \log n)$$

$$4^{\log n} = n^2$$

$$\log(n!), 4^{\log n}, (\frac{3}{2})^n, (\log n)!, (n+1)!$$



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比較 $(1.001)^n$, $n^{0.0001n}$, $2^{\log n}$, $n!$, $n \log n$ 之大小

$$2^{\log n}, n \log n, (1.001)^n, n^{0.0001n}, n!$$

Asymptotic Notation (Ω)

(Lower bound)

Definition

$f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$ iff there exist two positive constants c and n_0 such that $f(n) \geq cg(n)$ for all n , $n \geq n_0$.

Examples

- $3n+3 = \Omega(n)$ /* $3n+3 \geq 2n$ for $n \geq 1$ */
- $6 \cdot 2^n + n^2 = \Omega(2^n)$ /* $6 \cdot 2^n + n^2 \geq 6 \cdot 2^n$ for $n \geq 1$ */

Asymptotic Notation (θ)

Definition

$f(n) = \theta(g(n))$ iff there exist three positive constants c_1 , c_2 and n_0 such that $c_1g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2g(n)$ for all n , $n \geq n_0$.

Examples

- $3n+2 = \Omega(n)$ $/* 3n+2 \geq 3n \text{ for } n \geq 2 */$
- $3n+2 = O(n)$ $/* 3n+2 \leq 4n \text{ for } n \geq 2 */$

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Let $f(n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \log i$, show that $f(n) = O(n \log n)$



Ex)

Show that the following statements are correct

(a) $n^2 + 10^{100}n \in O(n^2)$

(b) $\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 \in O(n^3)$

(c) $n! \in O(n^n)$

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Which of the following statements is correct?

(a) $\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 \in O(n^3)$

(b) $n^3 \cdot 2^n + 6 \cdot n^2 \cdot 3^n = O(n^2 \cdot 2^n)$

(c) $n^k + n + n^k \log n = \theta(n^k \log n)$

(d) $10n^3 + 15n^4 + 100n^2 \cdot 2^n = O(n^2 \cdot 2^n)$

(e) $\log(n!) = \Omega(\log(n^n))$



Ex)

For $i=1$ to n do

 For $k=(i+1)$ to n do

$x=x+1$

以 $x=x+1$ 之執行次數當 $T(n)$ ，求 $T(n)$



Ex)

For $i=1$ to n do

 For $j=i$ to n do

 For $k=j$ to n do

$x=x+1$

以 $x=x+1$ 之執行次數當 $T(n)$ ，求 $T(n)$



Ex)

For $k=1$ to n do

 For $i=0$ to $k-1$ do

 For $j=0$ to $k-1$ do

$x=x+1$

以 $x=x+1$ 之執行次數當 $T(n)$ ，求 $T(n)$



Ex)

$$T(n)=2T(n-1)+T(1), T(1)=1$$

求 $T(n)$



Ex)

$$T(n) = T(n/2) + T(1), T(1) = 1$$

求 $T(n)$



Ex)

$$T(n)=2T(n/2)+n, T(1)=1$$

求 $T(n)$



Ex)

$$T(n)=T(n-1)+n, T(1)=1$$

求 $T(n)$



Ex)

$$T(n)=T(n-1)+T(n-2), T(0)=0, T(1)=1$$

求 $T(n)$