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Master theorem

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$$

a = subpart we are working
 b = Reduction size of rec.

$f(n)$ = Time call rec. from top

$$f(n) = (n^K \log^P n) \theta$$

Find \rightarrow (i) $\log_b a$ (iii) P
(ii) K

case 1: if $\log_b a > K$, $\theta(n^{\log_b a})$

case 2: if $\log_b a = K$, $P > -1$, $\theta(n^K \log^{P+1} n)$
 $P = -1$, $\theta(n^K \log(\log n))$
 $P < -1$, $\theta(n^K)$

case 3: if $\log_b a < K$,

$P \geq 0$, $\theta(n^K \log^P n)$
 $P < 0$, $\theta(n^K)$

Ex $\rightarrow T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n$

$\rightarrow a=4, b=2, f(n)=n = n^K \log^P n$
 $K=1, P=0$

$\therefore \log_b a = \log_2 4 = 2 > K, P=0$

$\theta = (n^{\log_b a}) = \theta(n^2)$