

# HW 1

Due 23:00 September 14, 2017

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1. (2 points) Using 140 characters or less, post a synopsis of your favorite movie to the course piazza space under the “HW1 tell me something!” notice, so that your post is visible to everyone in the class, and tagged by #HW1num1. Also, use Piazza’s code-formatting tools to write a *private* post to course staff that includes at least 5 lines of code. It can be code of your own or from a favorite project—it doesn’t even have to be syntactically correct—but it must be formatted as a code block in your post, and also include the tag #HW1num1. (Hint: Check <http://support.piazza.com/customer/portal/articles/1774756-code-blocking>). Finally, please write the 2 post numbers corresponding to your posts here:

Favorite Movie Post (Public) number:	
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2. (12 points) Simplify the following expressions as much as possible, **without using a calculator (either hardware or software)**. Do not approximate. Express all rational numbers as improper fractions. Show your work in the space provided, and write your answer in the box provided.

(a)  $\prod_{k=2}^n \left(1 - \frac{1}{k^2}\right)$

Answer for (a):

(b)  $3^{1000} \bmod 7$

Answer for (b):

(c)  $\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^r$

Answer for (c):	
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(d)  $\frac{\log_7 81}{\log_7 9}$

Answer for (d):	
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(e)  $\log_2 4^{2n}$

Answer for (e):	
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(f)  $\log_{17} 221 - \log_{17} 13$

Answer for (f):	
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3. (8 points) Find the formula for  $1 + \sum_{j=1}^n j!j$ , and show work proving the formula is correct using induction.

Formula:	
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4. (8 points) Indicate for each of the following pairs of expressions  $(f(n), g(n))$ , whether  $f(n)$  is  $O$ ,  $\Omega$ , or  $\Theta$  of  $g(n)$ . Prove your answers to the first two items, but just GIVE an answer to the last two.

(a)  $f(n) = 4^{\log_4 n}$  and  $g(n) = 2n + 1$ .

Answer for (a):	$f(n)$	$g(n)$
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(b)  $f(n) = n^2$  and  $g(n) = (\sqrt{2})^{\log_2 n}$ .

Answer for (b):	$f(n)$	$g(n)$
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(c)  $f(n) = \log_2(n!)$  and  $g(n) = n \log_2 n$ .

Answer for (c):	$f(n)$	$g(n)$
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(d)  $f(n) = n^k$  and  $g(n) = c^n$  where  $k$  and  $c$  are constants and  $c > 1$ .

Answer for (d):	$f(n)$	$g(n)$
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5. (10 points) For each C++ function below, give the tightest asymptotic upper bound that you can determine.

(a)

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void mochalatte(int n) {  
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {  
        cout << "iteration: " << i << endl;  
    }  
}
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Answer for (a):	
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(b)

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void nanaimobar(int n) {  
    for (int i = 0; i < 2*n; i = 2*i) {  
        cout << "iteration: " << i << endl;  
    }  
}
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Answer for (b):	
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(c)

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void appletart(int n) {  
    for (int i = 0; i < 3*n; i = i+3) {  
        for (int j = 0; j*j < 2*n; j++) {  
            cout << "iteration: " << j << endl;  
        }  
    }  
}
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Answer for (c):	
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(d)

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void chococheesecake(int n) {  
    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {  
        if (i >= n) {  
            for (int j = 0; j < 2*n; j++) {  
                nanaimobar(n);  
            }  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Answer for (d):

(e)

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void tiramisu(int n) {  
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {  
        if (i%2 == 0)  
            chococheesecake(i);  
        else  
            cout << "iteration: " << i << endl;  
    }  
}
```

Answer for (e):

Blank sheet for extra work.