

Week 3 Quiz

Q1.

What is the output of the following function?

```
python
def count(a, b):
    if a >= b:
        print(a)
    else:
        count(a + 1, b)
        print(a)

count(1, 5)
```

- A. 1 2 3 4 5
- B. 5 4 3 2 1
- C. 1 3 5
- D. 5 3 1

Q2.

Consider this function:

```
python
def count_down_by_two(n):
    if n == 0:
        # base case
        print(n)
    else:
        print(n)
        count_down_by_two(n - 2)
```

Which of the following function calls will produce infinite recursion?

- A. count_down_by_two(8)
- B. count_down_by_two(100)
- C. count_down_by_two(0)
- D. count_down_by_two(3)

Q3.

What is the big-O running time of the following function?

```
python
def count_down(n):
    if n <= 0:
```

```
    print(n)
else:
    print(n)
    count(n - 1)
```

A. $O(1)$

B. $O(\log n)$

C. $O(n)$

D. $O(n^2)$