$$\leq \sum_{i=0}^{h-1} i \times 2^{h-1-i}$$

$$= 2^{h-1} \times \sum_{i=1}^{h-1} i/2^{i}$$

$$= 2^{h-1} \times (2 - \frac{h+1}{2^{h-1}})$$

$$= 2^{h} - h - 1$$

$$\in \mathcal{O}(n)$$

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Alternatively, multiply the summation by two.

$$2\sum_{i=1}^{h-1} i \times 2^{h-1-i} = 1 \times 2^{h-1} + 2 \times 2^{h-2} + 3 \times 2^{h-3} + \dots + (h-1) \times 2^{1}$$

Substract the given summation below from the equation above.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{h-1} i \times 2^{h-1-i} = 1 \times 2^{h-2} + 2 \times 2^{h-3} + 3 \times 2^{h-4} + \dots + (h-1) \times 2^{0}$$

Then, we obtain

$$\sum_{i=1}^{h-1} i \times 2^{h-1-i} = 2^{h-1} + 2^{h-2} + 2^{h-3} + \dots + 2^1 - (h-1) \times 2^0$$

$$= 2^{h-1} + 2^{h-2} + 2^{h-3} + \dots + 2^1 + 2^0 - h$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{h-1} 2^i - h = \frac{1-2^h}{1-2} - h = 2^h - h - 1$$