1a) 
$$T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n$$
,  $T(1) = 1$   
 $a = 4$ ,  $b = 2$ ,  $f(n) = n$ ,  $d = 1$   
 $a > b^d => T(n) \in \Theta(n^{\log_b a}) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 4}) = \Theta(n^2)$   
1b)  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2$ ,  $T(1) = 1$   
 $a = 4$ ,  $b = 2$ ,  $f(n) = n^2$ ,  $d = 2$   
 $a = b^d => T(b) \in \Theta(n^d \log n) = \Theta(n^2 \log n)$   
1c)  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^3$ ,  $T(1) = 1$   
 $a = 4$ ,  $b = 2$ ,  $f(n) = n^3$ ,  $d = 3$   
 $a < b^d => T(n) \in \Theta(n^d) = \Theta(n^3)$ 

2) Merge sort on average taking *nlogn* comparisons and binary search taking on average *logn* compared to a sequential search taking on average *n/2* we can set up an equation to solve.

x = smallest number of searches needed

$$n \log (n) + x \log (n) \le x (n/2)$$
  
 $\frac{n \log (n)}{n/2 - \log (n)} \le x$   
 $n = 1,000,000 \Rightarrow x \ge 40$ 

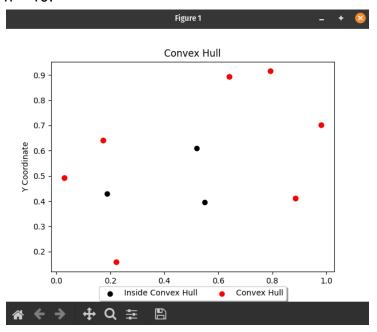
At least 40 searches will be needed to justify the time spent presorting an array of 1,000,000 elements.

3A)

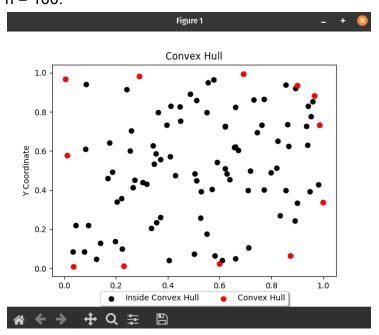
n (2D Randomly Distributed Points)	Run Time	
10	0.00011444091796875 seconds	

100	0.0009560585021972656 seconds		
1000	0.023084402084350586 seconds		
10000	0.28388452529907227 seconds		

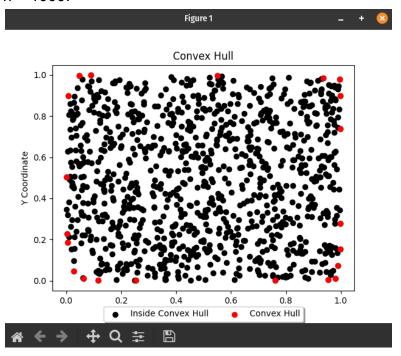
3B) n = 10:



n = 100:



## n = 1000:



## n = 10000:

