

## Tutorial-1

① Asymptotic Notations: These are used to tell the complexity of any algorithm when the input size is very large. These notations tend towards infinity. Different types of asymptotic notations are:

(i) Big Oh ( $O$ ):

A function ' $f(n)$ ' is said to be ' $O(g(n))$ ' iff  
$$f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n) \quad \forall n \geq n_0 \text{ \& } c > 0$$
 $g(n)$  is tight upper bound of  $f(n)$ .

(ii) Big Omega ( $\Omega$ ):

$$f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$$
  
iff  $f(n) \geq c \cdot g(n) \quad \forall n \geq n_0 \text{ \& } c > 0$

Here,  $g(n)$  is tight lower bound of  $f(n)$ .

(iii) Big Theta ( $\Theta$ ): (It gives both tight upper & lower bound)

$$f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$$
  
if  $c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 \cdot g(n)$   
$$\forall n \geq \max(n_1, n_2), c_1, c_2 > 0$$

(iv) Small Oh ( $o$ ):

It gives upper bound.

$$f(n) = o(g(n))$$
  
if  $f(n) < c \cdot g(n) \quad \forall n > n_0 \text{ \& } c > 0$

(v) Small Omega ( $\omega$ ):

It gives lower bound.

$$f(n) = \omega(g(n))$$
  
if  $f(n) > c \cdot g(n) \quad \forall n > n_0 \text{ \& } c > 0$

③

$$T(n) = 3T(n-1) \text{ --- (i)}, n > 0$$

$$T(1) = 1$$

Putting  $n=n-1$  in (i)

$$T(n-1) = 3T(n-2) \text{ --- (ii)}$$

from (i) & (ii)

$$T(n) = 3[3T(n-2)]$$

$$T(n) = 3^2 T(n-2) \text{ --- (iii)}$$

Putting  $n=n-2$  in (i)

$$T(n-2) = 3T(n-3) \text{ --- (iv)}$$

from (iii) & (iv)

$$T(n) = 3^2 [3T(n-3)]$$

$$T(n) = 3^3 T(n-3)$$

$\Rightarrow$  for  $n=n-k$

$$T(n) = 3^{k-1} [3T(n-k)]$$

$$T(n) = 3^k T(n-k) \text{ --- (v)}$$

if  $n=k=1$

$\Rightarrow$

$$k = n-1$$

$$\Rightarrow T(n) = 3^{n-1} T(1)$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\text{Time complexity} = O\left(\frac{3^n}{3}\right)$$

$$\boxed{TC = O(3^n)}$$

②

for( $i=1$  to  $n$ ) {

$i = i * 2$ ;

}

$$\boxed{TC = O(\log_2 n)}$$

(4)

$$T(n) = 2T(n-1) \quad \text{--- (i)} \quad n > 0$$

$$T(1) = 1$$

Putting  $n = n-1$  in (i) -

$$T(n-1) = 2T(n-2) \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

from (i) & (ii)

$$T(n) = 2[2T(n-2)]$$

$$T(n) = 2^2 T(n-2) \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

Putting  $n = n-2$  in (i) -

$$T(n-2) = 2T(n-3) \quad \text{--- (iv)}$$

from (iii) & (iv)

$$T(n) = 2^2 [2T(n-3)]$$

$$T(n) = 2^3 T(n-3)$$

Similarly, for  $n = n-k$

$$T(n) = 2^k T(n-k)$$

$$\text{if } n-k=1$$

$$\Rightarrow k = n-1$$

$$\Rightarrow T(n) = 2^{n-1} T(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Time Complexity} = O(2^{n-1}) = O(2^n)$$

(5)

$\therefore S = S + i$  and  $i$  starts from 1.

$$\Rightarrow S = 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + k$$

$$S = \frac{k(k+1)}{2} = \frac{k^2}{2} + \frac{k}{2}$$

$$\& \quad k^2 \leq n$$

$$\Rightarrow k \leq \sqrt{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\text{Time Complexity} = O(\sqrt{n})}$$

(7)

for (i = n/2; i &lt;= n; i++)

 $\Rightarrow \frac{n}{2} \text{ times}$ 

for (j = 1; j &lt;= n; j = j \* 2)

 $\Rightarrow \log_2 n \text{ times}$ 

for (k = 1; k &lt;= n; k = k \* 2)

 $\Rightarrow \log_2 n \text{ times}$  $O(1)$ Solu

$$\sum_{i=n/2}^n \left( \sum_{j=1}^n (j = j * 2) \left( \sum_{k=1}^n (k = k * 2) \right) \right)$$

$$= \sum_{i=n/2}^n \log_2 n \log_2 n$$

$$= \left( n - \frac{n}{2} + 1 \right) (\log_2 n \log_2 n) = n \log_2 n \log_2 n$$

$$\boxed{TC = O(n \log^2 n)}$$

(9)

for (i = 1 to n)

for (j = 1; j &lt;= n; j = j + 1)

 $O(1)$ 

for i = 1, j runs n times

for i = 2, j runs n/2 times

for i = 3, j runs n/3 times

⋮

for i = n, j runs n/n times

$$\text{Sum} = n + \frac{n}{2} + \frac{n}{3} + \frac{n}{4} + \dots + \frac{n}{n}$$

$$= n \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots + \frac{1}{n} \right]$$

Since, above eq<sup>n</sup> is in harmonic Progression,  
we will find its upper bound,

$$1 + \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3}\right)}_I + \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{7}\right)}_{II} + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{upper bound of } I &= \frac{1}{2} \\ \text{" " " } II &= \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$  replacing the elements with their upper bounds respectively.

$$\Rightarrow \text{Sum} = 1 + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4}\right) + \dots$$

$$\text{Sum} = 1 + 1 + 1 + \dots \log(n) \text{ times}$$

[as for every  $2^k$  terms, sum is only 1]

$$\Rightarrow \text{Sum} = n \log n$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{TC = O(n \log n)}$$

⑥

for ( $i=1$ ;  $i*i \leq n$ ;  $i++$ )  
count++;

$$i*i = n$$

$$i = \sqrt{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\text{Time complexity} = \sqrt{n}}$$

⑧ function(int n) {  
     if (n==1) return; // O(1)  
     for (i=1 to n) { // O(n)  
         for (j=1 to n) { // O(n)  
             // O(1)  
         }  
     }  
     function(n-3); // O(log<sub>2</sub> n)  
 }

$$T.C = O(n^2 + \log_2 n)$$

$$\boxed{TC = O(n^2)}$$

⑩ let  $f(n) = n^k$   $k \geq 1$   
        $g(n) = c^n$   $c > 1$

if  $n=1$ ,  $f(n) = 1$   
            $g(n) = c$

for  $c > 1$ ,  $g(n) \geq f(n)$

$\Rightarrow 0 \leq f(n) \leq g(n)$  for  $c > 1$  &  $n \geq 1$

$\therefore g(n)$  is tight upper bound of  $f(n)$

$\therefore f(n) = O(g(n))$

or  $\boxed{n^k = O(c^n)}$  where:  $c \geq 1$  &  $n_0 = 1$