

CSC505

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1 Unique1 Analysis

The algorithm is implemented in `unique1.cpp` in the function *getLongestSubsequence*. Prior to calling that function, a function called *readInput* scans the file and processes it into a vector. Processing the file takes $O(n)$ time.

There are 3 nested for loops in *getLongestSubsequence* - inside each of which comparisons, assignments, and arithmetic operations are performed in constant time. In the worst case scenario, each loop can run n times. Therefore the worst case running time is $O(n^3)$.

The n^3 term dominates the runtime as n approaches infinity, so the overall worst case running time of the program is $O(n^3)$

2 Unique2 Analysis

The algorithm is implemented in `unique2.cpp` in the function *getLongestSubsequence*. Prior to calling that function, a function called *readInput* scans the file and processes it into a vector. Processing the file takes $O(n)$ time.

There are 2 nested for loops in *getLongestSubsequence* - inside each of which comparisons, assignments, and arithmetic operations are performed in constant time. Inside the second loop a search on a set is performed, which takes $O(\lg(n))$ time (<http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/set/set/find/>). In the worst case scenario, each loop can run n times. Therefore the worst case running time is $O(n^2 \lg(n))$.

The n^2 term dominates the runtime as n approaches infinity, so the overall worst case running time of the program is $O(n^2 \lg(n))$