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 balanced binary tree is performed, which takes O(lg(n)) time. 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 $O(n^2 lg(n))$