

# 1. Unfolding + proofing

a)  $T(1) = 6$

$$T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + 10 \text{ for } n \geq 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + 10 = \\ &= \left(T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + 10\right) + 10 = T\left(\frac{n}{16}\right) + 20 = \\ &= \left(T\left(\frac{n}{16}\right) + 10\right) + 20 = T\left(\frac{n}{64}\right) + 30 \end{aligned}$$

$$T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{4^i}\right) + 10i$$

Base case reached at  $i = \log_4 n$ :

$$T(n) = T(1) + 10 \cdot \log_4 n = 6 + 10 \cdot \log_4 n = O(\log n)$$

b) Assumption:

$$T(n) = 6 + 10 \cdot \log_4 n$$

Proof by induction:

$$\text{base: } T(1) = 6 + 10 \cdot \log_4 1 = 6 + 10 \cdot 0 = 6$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{induction step: } T(n) &= T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + 10 = 6 + 10 \cdot \log_4 \frac{n}{4} + 10 = \\ &= 6 + 10 \cdot (\log_4 n - 1) + 10 = \\ &= 6 + 10 \cdot \log_4 n - 10 + 10 = \\ &= 6 + 10 \cdot \log_4 n \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

## 2. Master Theorem

a)  $T(n) = 16 \cdot T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + n^{0,5} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} a = 16 \\ b = 4 \\ f(n) = n^{0,5} \end{matrix}$

$$n^{\log_b a} = n^{\log_4 16} = n^2$$

Case 1:  $f(n) = O(n^{2-\varepsilon})$ ,  $\varepsilon = 1,5 > 0$

Hence:  $T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$

b)  $T(n) = 32 \cdot T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + \frac{n^4}{2} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} a = 32 \\ b = 4 \\ f(n) = \frac{n^4}{2} = 0,5 \cdot n^4 \end{matrix}$

$$n^{\log_b a} = n^{\log_4 32} = n^{2,5}$$

Case 3:  $f(n) = \Omega(n^{2,5+\varepsilon})$ ,  $\varepsilon = 1,5 > 0$

$$8 \cdot 32 \cdot (0,5 \cdot \left(\frac{n}{4}\right)^4) = 16 \cdot \frac{n^4}{256} = \frac{n^4}{16} = \frac{1}{8} \cdot f(n), c = \frac{1}{8} < 1$$

Hence:  $T(n) = \Theta(n^4)$

c)  $T(n) = 27 \cdot T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + n^3 \rightarrow \begin{matrix} a = 27 \\ b = 3 \\ f(n) = n^3 \end{matrix}$

$$n^{\log_b a} = n^{\log_3 27} = n^3$$

Case 2:  $f(n) = \Theta(n^3 \cdot \log^0 n) = \Theta(n^3)$ ,  $k = 0 \geq 0$

Hence:  $T(n) = \Theta(n^3 \log n)$