


together { lab test 2 → 3 questions
quiz → all topics covered, analysis of algorithm for sure
↳ from tutorials

Algorithms

- well-defined, unambiguous - set of instructions to produce outputs for legitimate inputs in a finite amount of time
- correct and consistent, precise and unambiguous, finiteness
- program (in certain lang) is an instance of an algo

practice.

Fibonacci sequence algo w/ time complexity $\log n$

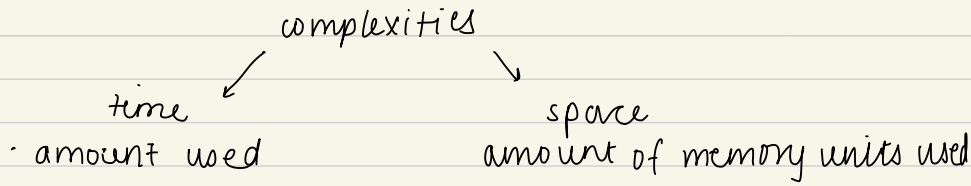
- will cover: searching, graph, combinatorial, sorting, string processing, arrangement, pattern, design, assign, schedule, connect, cryptography, match-cover ← configure.

stability in sorting: stable sorting algorithms sort repeated elements in the same order that they appear in the input

A	70	<u>descending</u> →	C	80
B	70		A	70
C	80		B	70

algorithm design strategies

- brute force & exhaustive search (traverse list)
- divide & conquer (binary tree (kinda))
- greedy strategy
- decrease & conquer (binary search)
- transform & conquer (transform input format)
- iterative improvement (matching)



we actually talk about order of growth ← time complexity / efficiency

count number of primitive operations in the algorithm

- declaration
- assignment
- arithmetic operations
- logic operations

these take a constant time to perform, unrelated to problem size or input value

- i) repetition structure: for/while
- ii) selection structure: if/else statement, switch-case
- iii) recursive
 - best case c_1
 - worst case c_2
 - avg case $p(x < a) c_1 + p(x > a) c_2$

- primitive op in each call
- number of calls.

$$\text{prob}_{s_1} \times t_{s_1} + \text{prob}_{s_2} \times t_{s_2} + \text{prob}_{s_3} \times t_{s_3} \dots$$

$s_i \rightarrow$ situation i

$t_{s_i} \rightarrow$ time taken for s_i

important results :

sum of geometric : $\frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}$

- " - arithmetic : $\frac{n}{2}[a+l] = \frac{n}{2}[2a + (n-1)d]$

arithmetico-geometric : $\sum_{t=1}^k t 2^{t-1} = 2^k(k-1) + 1$

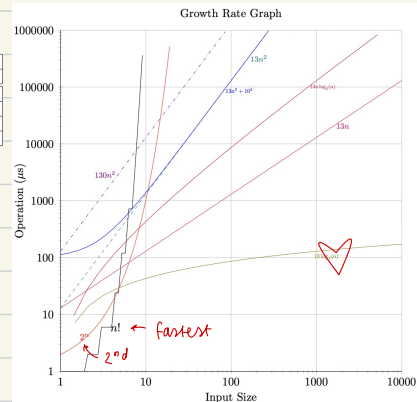
$\sum k^2 = \frac{k(k+1)(2k+1)}{6}$

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

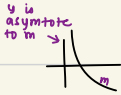
$\sum k^3 = \left(\frac{k(k+1)}{2} \right)^2$

order of growth

Algorithm	linear	linearithmic	quadratic 1	quadratic 2	quadratic 3	exponential
Input / Operation(s)	$13n$	$13n \log_2 n$	$13n^2$	$130n^2$	$13n^2 + 10^2$	2^n
10	0.00013	0.00043	0.0013	0.013	0.0014	0.001024
100	0.0013	0.0086	0.13	1.3	0.1301	4×10^{16} years
10^4	0.13	1.73	22mins	3.61hrs	22mins	
10^6	13	259	150days	1505days	150days	



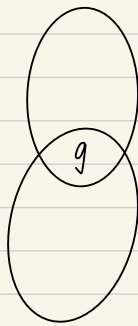
straight line that approaches a given curve continually but does not meet it at any finite distance



Asymptotic Notation

Big-Oh (O), Big-Omega (Ω) & Big-Theta (Θ)

↑ notations used to describe order of growth of a f^n



$f \in \Omega(g)$ set of f^n that grow at higher or same rate as g

$f \in \Theta(g)$ set of f^n that grow at same rate as g

$f \in O(g)$: set of f^n that grow at lower of same rate as g

if $g(n) = n^2$
 $f: f(n) = 130n^2, 11n^2 + 7n + 5$, any quad f^n of n
 $\hookrightarrow \in \Theta(g)$

Big-Oh Notation

$f, g: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$; $f(n) \in O(g(n))$ if f is bounded above with some constant multiple of $g(n)$ \forall large n

$O(g(n)) = \{f(n) : \exists \text{ positive constants } c \text{ \& } n_0 : 0 \leq f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n) \forall n \geq n_0\}$

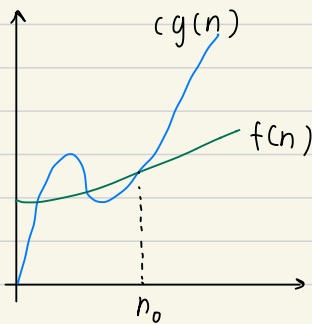
reflexive, transitive

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ex 1 $f(n) = 4n + 3$ $g(n) = n$
if $c = 5$, $n_0 = 3$
 $f(n) \leq c g(n) \forall n \geq n_0$
 $\therefore f(n) = O(g(n))$

ex 2 $f(n) = 4n + 3$ $g(n) = n^3$
 $n_0 = 3$, $c = 1$
 $4n + 3 \leq n^3 \forall n > 3$
 $f(n) = O(g(n))$
 $4n + 3 \in O(n^3)$

for same def, if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} < \infty$, then $f(n) \in O(g(n))$

ex 1 $f(n) = 4n + 3$ $g(n) = n$

$$\frac{4n+3}{n} = 4 + \frac{3}{n}$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $\frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \rightarrow 4 < \infty \therefore f(n) \in O(g(n))$

ex 2 $f(n) = 4n+3$ $g(n) = n^3$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4n+3}{n^3} = 0 < \infty \quad \therefore f(n) = O(g(n))$$

ex 3 $f(n) = 4n+3$ $g(n) = e^n$

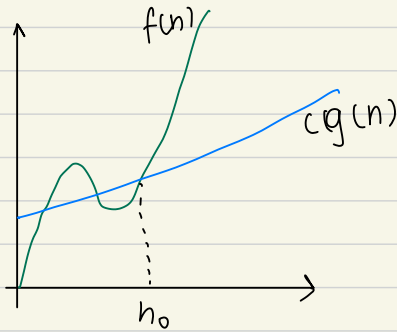
$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4n+3}{e^n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4}{ne^n} = 0 < \infty \quad \therefore 4n+3 \in O(e^n)$$

reflexive, transitive
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Big- Omega Notation (Ω)

$f(n), g(n) : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$, $f(n) \in \Omega(g(n))$, if f is bounded below by some constant multiple of $g(n)$ for all large n , i.e.

$$\Omega(g(n)) = \{f(n) : \exists \text{ positive constants, } c \text{ and } n_0 : 0 \leq c(g(n)) \leq f(n) \forall n \geq n_0\}$$



alternatively

$$\text{if } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} > 0, f(n) \in \Omega(g(n))$$

ex 1 $f(n) = 4n + 3$, $g(n) = 5n$
 $c = \frac{1}{5}$, $n_0 = 0$

$$4n + 3 > n \quad (\forall n \geq 0)$$

ex 2 $f(n) = n^3 + 2n$, $g(n) = 5n$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^3 + 2n}{5n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2 + 2}{5} = \infty > 0 \quad \therefore 4n + 3 \in \Omega(5n)$$

transitive, symmetric, reflexive

Big-Theta Notation Θ

$f(n), g(n) : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$, bounded both above and below by some constant multiple of $g(n)$ \forall large n

$\Theta(g(n)) = \{f(n) : \exists \text{ positive constants } c_1, c_2 \text{ and } n_0 \text{ such that } c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n) \forall n \geq n_0\}$

if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} = c$ where $0 < c < \infty$ then $f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$

ex1 $f(n) = 2n^2 + 7$ $g(n) = 7n^2 + n$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2n^2 + 7}{7n^2 + n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4n}{14n} = \frac{2}{7} \quad \checkmark$$

summary

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(n)/g(n)$	$f(n) \in O(g(n))$	$f(n) \in \Omega(g(n))$	$f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$
0	\checkmark		
$0 < c < \infty$	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
∞		\checkmark	

$\star \rightarrow f(n) = O(g(n)) \Rightarrow g(n)$ is the asymptotic upper bound of $f(n)$
 $f(n) = \Omega(g(n)) \Rightarrow$ lower
 $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$ tight

when time complexity of algo A grows faster than algo B's, we saw A is inferior to B

steps

1. count no of primitive operations to derive complexity $f^n f(n)$
2. discard constants and multipliers
3. determine dominant term in $f(n)$
4. dom term = big-oh notation for $f(n)$

time complexity of sequential search

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pt = head;           →  $c_1$ 
while (pt → key != a) {
    pt = pt → next;
    if (pt == null) break;
}
    
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$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{while loop} \\ \text{if statement} \end{array} \right\} c_2 \text{ (n-1) times}$

1. best case : c_1 (a is first) $\Rightarrow \Theta(1)$
2. worst case : $c_2(n-1) + c_1 \Rightarrow \Theta(n)$
3. avg case : all nodes have equal probability of being search key

$$\frac{1}{n} (c_1 + (c_1 + c_2) + (c_1 + 2c_2) + (c_1 + 3c_2) + \dots + (c_1 + (n-1)c_2))$$

$$\frac{1}{n} (nc_1 + c_2 + 2c_2 + \dots + (n-1)c_2)$$

in list $\rightarrow c_1 + \frac{c_2(n-1)(n)}{2n} = c_1 + \frac{c_2(n-1)}{2} = \Theta(n)$

not in list : $c_1 + nc_2 = \Theta(n)$

$$T(n) = \underbrace{P(a \text{ in list})}_{\text{const}} \left(c_1 + \frac{c_2}{n} (n-1) \right) + \overbrace{(1 - P(a \text{ in list}))}^{\text{const}} (c_1 + nc_2)$$

$$\therefore \text{linear fn} : \Theta(n)$$

asymptotic notation in equations

$$2n^2 + 3n + 1 = 2n^2 + \Theta(n)$$

$$T(n) = T(n/2) = \Theta(n)$$

$$2n^2 + 3n + 1 = 2n^2 + \Theta(n) = \Theta(n^2)$$

upperbound simplification rules

1. if $f(n) = O(cg(n))$ for $c > 0$, $f(n) = O(g(n))$
2. if $f(n) = O(g(n))$, $g(n) = O(h(n))$, $f(n) = O(h(n))$
3. $f_1(n) = O(g_1(n))$, $f_2(n) = O(g_2(n))$
 $f_1(n)f_2(n) = O(g_1(n)g_2(n))$

Common Complexities

Order of Growth	Class	Example
1	constant	Finding midpoint of an array
$\log n$	logarithmic	Binary search
n	linear	Linear Search
$n \log_2 n$	linearithmic	Merge Sort
n^2	quadratic	Insertion Sort
n^3	cubic	Matrix Inversion (Gauss-Jordan elimination)
2^n	exponential	The Tower of Hanoi Problem
$n!$	factorial	Travelling Salesman Problem

Space Complexity

- number of entities in problem : problem size
- count no. of basic units
 - ↳ things that need constant amount of storage
- array of n int : $\overset{\text{space of 1 int}}{\downarrow} mn \Rightarrow \Theta(n)$
- matrix $m \times n$ int : $\downarrow cmn \Rightarrow \Theta(n^2)$