

3. Using the master methods, solve the following recurrences:

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$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$$

$$a=2, b=4, k=0$$

$$b^k = 4^0 = 1$$

$$a > b^k, T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$$

$$= \Theta(n^{\log_4 2})$$

$$= \Theta(n^{\frac{1}{2}})$$

$$= \Theta(\sqrt{n})$$

Case 1: If  $\log_b a > k$  then,  $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$

b.  $T(n) = 2T(n/4) + \sqrt{n}$

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$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$$

$$a=2, b=4, k=\frac{1}{2}, p=0$$

$$a=2 \quad b^k = 4^{\frac{1}{2}} = 2$$

$$\therefore a = b^k$$

since  $p > -1$ , then

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_a b} \log^{p+1} n)$$

$$= \Theta(n^{\log_4 2} \log n)$$

$$= \Theta(\sqrt{n} \log n) *$$

Case 2: If  $\log_b a = k$  then

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$$a = 2, b = 4, k = 1, p = 0$$

$$\log_b a = \log_4 2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} < 1$$

$$\log_b a < k, p \geq 0, \quad T(n) = \Theta(n^k \log^p n)$$

$$= \Theta(n)$$

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + \Theta(n^k \log^p n)$$

f(n)

Case 3: If  $\log_b a < k$  then

a) If  $p \geq 0$ , then,  $T(n) = \Theta(n^k \log^p n)$

b) If  $p < 0$ , then,  $T(n) = O(n^k)$

Where,  $a \geq 1, b > 1, k \geq 0, p = \text{real number}$

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$$a = 2, b = 4, k = 2, p = 0$$

$$\log_b a = \log_4 2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} < 2$$

$$\log_b a < k, p \geq 0, \quad f(n) = \Theta(n^k \log^p n)$$

$$= \Theta(n^2)$$

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + \Theta(n^k \log^p n)$$

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$$e. T(n) = 3T(n/2) + n^2$$

$$T(n) = 3T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^2$$

$$a = 3 \quad b = 2 \quad f(n) = n^2 \quad k = 2 \quad p = 0$$

$$\log_b a = \log_2 3$$

$$\approx 1.585$$

$$1.585 < 2$$

Since  $\log_b a < k$ ,  $p \geq 0$

$$\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$$

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f.  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2$

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$$a = 4 \quad b = 2 \quad f(n) = n^2 \quad k = 2 \quad p = 0$$

$$\log_b a = \log_2 4$$

$$= 2$$

Since  $\log_b a = k$ ,  $p > -1$

$$\therefore T(n) = \Theta(n^2 \log n)$$

Case 2: If  $\log_b a = k$  then

a) If  $p > -1$ , then,  $T(n) = \Theta(n^k \log^{p+1} n)$

b) If  $p = -1$ , then,  $T(n) = \Theta(n^k \log \log n)$

c) If  $p < -1$ , then,  $T(n) = \Theta(n^k)$

g.  $T(n) = T(n/2) + 2^n$

$$g. \quad a = 1$$

$$b = 2$$

$$f(n) = 2^n$$

$$n \log_b^a = n \log_2^1 = n^0 = 1$$

$$f(n) = 2^n \gg n^0$$

$f(n)$ 's growth faster than  $n \log_b^a$   
 $\Rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(2^n)$

h.  $T(n) = 16T(n/4) + n$

$$h. \quad a = 16$$

$$b = 4$$

$$f(n) = n \quad (n^1 \Rightarrow k=1)$$

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

$$\text{since } f(n) < \log_b^a$$

$\therefore$  case 1

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

i.  $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n \log n$

i.  $a=2$

$$b=2$$

$$f(n) = n \log^n \quad (k=1, p=1)$$

$$\log_2^2 = 1$$

$$\text{Since } \log_b^a = k > -1$$

$\therefore$  case 2

$$T(n) = \theta(n \log^2 n)$$