

2.1 Understood

$$1) T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n \leq 1 \\ 2T(\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor) + 1 & \text{if } n > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 2 & \log_b a &= \log_2 2 = 1 \\ b &= 2 & d &< 1/2, \text{ so } T(n) \in \Theta(n^{1/2}) \\ d &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$2) T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n \leq 1 \\ 4T(\lfloor \frac{n}{4} \rfloor) + 16n & \text{if } n > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 4 & \log_b a &= \log_4 4 = 1 \\ b &= 4 & d &= 1, \text{ so } T(n) \in \Theta(n \log n) \\ d &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$3) T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n \leq 1 \\ 8T(\lfloor \frac{n}{4} \rfloor) + 16n & \text{if } n > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 8 & \log_b a &= \log_4 8 = \frac{\log_2 8}{\log_2 4} = \frac{3}{2} \\ b &= 4 & d &< \frac{3}{2}, \text{ so } T(n) \in \Theta(n^{3/2}) \\ d &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$4) T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n \leq 1 \\ 2T(\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor) + 16n & \text{if } n > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 2 & \log_b a &= \log_2 2 = 1 \\ b &= 2 & d &> \log_2 2, \text{ so } T(n) \in \Theta(n) \\ d &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$5) T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n \leq 1 \\ 25T(\lfloor \frac{n}{5} \rfloor) + 16n^3 & \text{if } n > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 25 & \log_b a &= \log_3 25 \\ b &= 3 & d &> \log_3 25, \text{ so } T(n) \in \Theta(n^3) \\ d &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

2.2 Explore

- 1) Input: Let a and n be positive integers.
Output: a^n is the product such that a is multiplied by itself by n times.

2) Exponential (a, n) —

Let $k = 1$

For $i = 1$ to n

$k = k \cdot a$

End For

return k

$$3) a^n = \underbrace{a^{\frac{n}{2}} \cdot a^{\frac{n}{2}} \cdots a^{\frac{n}{2}}}_{\text{if } n \text{ is even}}$$

$$4) a^n = a^{\frac{n-1}{2}} \cdot a^{\frac{n-1}{2}} \cdot a = \left(a^{\frac{n-1}{2}}\right)^2 \cdot a$$

5)

$$E(a, n) = \begin{cases} a & \text{if } n = 1 \\ E(a, \frac{n}{2}) \cdot E(a, \frac{n}{2}) & \text{if } n > 1 \text{ and } n \text{ is even} \\ a \cdot E(a, \frac{n-1}{2}) \cdot E(a, \frac{n-1}{2}) & \text{if } n > 1 \text{ and } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

6) Exponential(a, n)

let $k = a$

If n is 1

return k

If $n > 1$ and even

$k = E(a, \frac{n}{2})$

return $k \cdot k$

If $n > 1$ and odd

$k = E(a, \frac{n-1}{2})$

return $a \cdot k \cdot k$

End

7) $T(n) = T(\frac{n}{2}) + d$

$a=1$

$\log_b a = \log_2 1 = 0$

$b=2$

$d=0$, so $T(n) \in \Theta(\log n)$

$d=0$

Proof by Masters Theorem

2.3 Expand

1) Input: Two sorted lists $A[1..n]$ and $B[1..n]$ with n number of positive integers.

Output: Let m represent the index of the median of both $A[1..n]$ and $B[1..n]$ and $M(A, B)$ represent the $\max(A[m], B[m])$ when $n=1$.

2) Median ($A[1..n], B[1..n]$)

Let C be an empty 1-d array

Let $i = 1, j = 1$, and $k = 1$

If $A[i] < B[j]$, ($C[k++] = A[i]$)

increment i

else if $A[i] > B[j]$, ($C[k++] = B[j]$)

increment j

else

($C[k++] = A[i]$)

($C[k++] = B[j]$)

increment i and j

Return ($C[\frac{k+1}{2}]$)

3)

$M(A, B)$

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Let $m = \lceil \frac{n+1}{2} \rceil$

$\max(A[n], B[n])$ if $n=1$

$M(A[m-1], B[m])$ if $n=2$
if $A[m] > B[m]$

$M(A[m], B[m-1])$ if $n=2$ &
 $A[m] < B[m]$

$M(A[m...n], B[1...m])$ if $n > 2$
if $A[m] < B[m]$

$M(A[1...m], B[m...n])$ if $n > 2$ &
 $A[m] > B[m]$

$A[m]$ if $n > 1$ &
 $A[m] = B[m]$

4) Median($A[1..n]$, $B[1..n]$)

if $n = 1$

Return $\max(A[n], B[n])$

if $n > 1$ and $A[m] = B[m]$

Return $A[m]$

if $n = 2$ and $A[m] > B[m]$

Return Median($A[m-1]$, $B[m]$)

if $n = 2$ and $A[m] < B[m]$

Return Median($A[m]$, $B[m-1]$)

if $n > 2$ and $A[m] < B[m]$

Return Median($A[m..n]$, $B[1..m]$)

if $n > 2$ and $A[m] > B[m]$

Return Median($A[1..m]$, $B[m..n]$)

5) $T(n) = T(\lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil) + d$

$a = 1$

$b = 2$

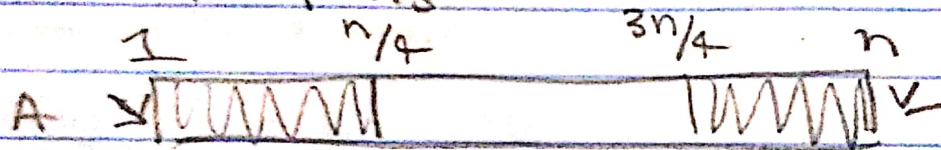
$\log_b a = \log_2 1 = 0$

$d = 0$

$d = 0$, so $T(n) \in \Theta(\log n)$ based on Master Theorem.

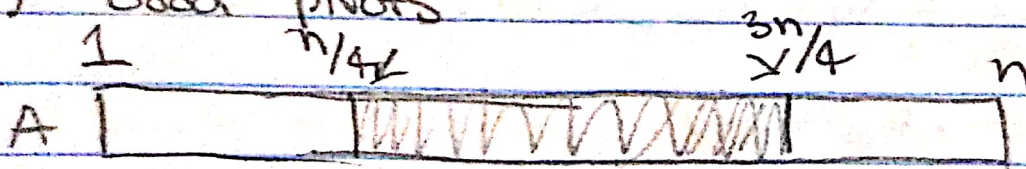
2.4 Challenge

1) Bad pivots



$$T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n=1 \\ T(n-1) + dn & \text{if } n > 1 \end{cases}$$

2) Good pivots



$$T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n=1 \\ T(\lfloor \frac{n}{4} \rfloor) + T(\lfloor \frac{3n}{4} \rfloor) + dn & \text{if } n > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$3) \quad T(n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{n} (T(i-1) + T(n-i)) + (n-1)$$

$$T(n) = \frac{2}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n T(i-1) + n-1$$

$$nT(n) = 2 \sum_{i=1}^n T(i-1) + n(n-1)$$

$$(n-1)T(n-1) = 2 \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} T(i-1) + (n-1)(n-2)$$

$$nT(n) - (n-1)T(n-1) = 2T(n-1) + 2(n-1)$$

$$\frac{T(n)}{n} = \frac{T(n-1)}{n} + \frac{2(n-1)}{n}$$

$$T(n) = \frac{T(n-1)(n+1)}{n} + \frac{2(n-1)}{n}$$

$$4) \quad T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n = 1 \\ \frac{T(n-1)(n+1)}{n} + \frac{2(n-1)}{n} & \text{if } n > 1 \end{cases}$$

Lemma: $T(n) \leq bn \log n$ for all $n > n_0$

Base case: ($n=2$)

$$T(2) = \frac{3T(1)}{2} + 1 \leq 2b = \frac{3c+2}{2} \leq 4b$$

$$\boxed{b \geq \frac{3c+2}{4}}$$

Inductive Hypothesis: ($n > 2$)

Assume $T(k) \leq bk \log k$ for $k < n$

Induction Step:

$$T(n) = \frac{T(n-1)(n+1)}{n} + \frac{2(n-1)}{n}$$

$$\leq \frac{T(n-1)}{n} (n+1) + \frac{2(n-1)}{n} \text{ for } k = n-1 < n$$

$$\leq b(n-1) \log(n-1) + \frac{2(n-1)}{n} \leq b(n-1) \log n + 2$$

$$\leq bn \log n + b \log n + 2 \stackrel{b \log n \geq 2}{\leq} bn \log n$$

$$b \log n \geq 2$$

$$b \geq \max\left(\frac{3c+2}{4}, \frac{2}{\log n}\right)$$

By induction, $T(n) \leq bn \log n$
when $n_0 = 2$

$$\boxed{b \geq \frac{2}{\log n}}$$