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1. Asympatic Notations:-

Asympatic Notations are methods / languages using which we can define the running times of the algorithm based on input size. These notations are used to tell the complexity of an algorithm when the input is very large.

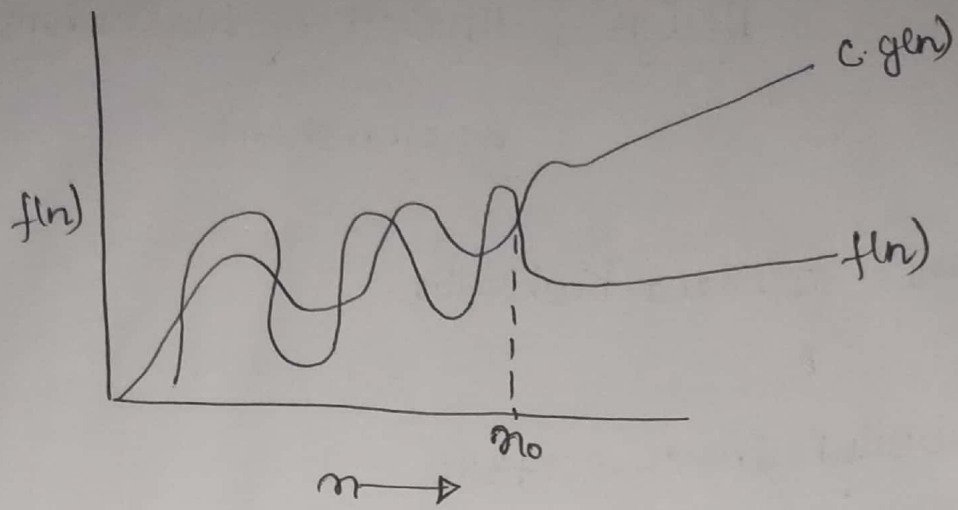
Suppose we have an algorithm as a function 'f' and 'n' as the input size, $f(n)$ will be the running time of the algorithm. Using this we make a graph with y-axis as running time ($f(n)$) and x-axis as input size (n).

The different asympatic notations are:-

a) Big-O notation:-

It is an asympatic notation for the worst case or the ceiling growth for a given function.

$f(n) = O(g(n))$, where $g(n)$ is tight upper bound of $f(n)$.



$$f(n) = O(g(n))$$

iff

$$f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n)$$

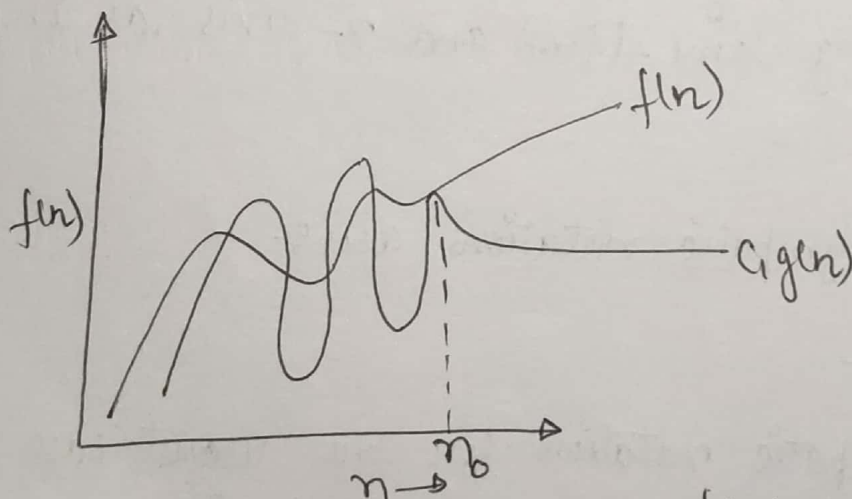
$\forall n \geq n_0$, some constant $c > 0$

$$\text{Ex } \begin{array}{l} f(n) = n^2 + 3n + 4 = O(n^2) \\ g(n) = n^2 \end{array} \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{let } c = 100 \\ n^2 + 3n + 4 \leq 100 \cdot n^2 \\ \forall n \geq 1 \end{array} \right.$$

b) Big-omega (Ω):-

It is the asymptotic notation for the best case or a floor growth rate for a given function.

$f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$, where $g(n)$ is tight lower bound of $f(n)$.



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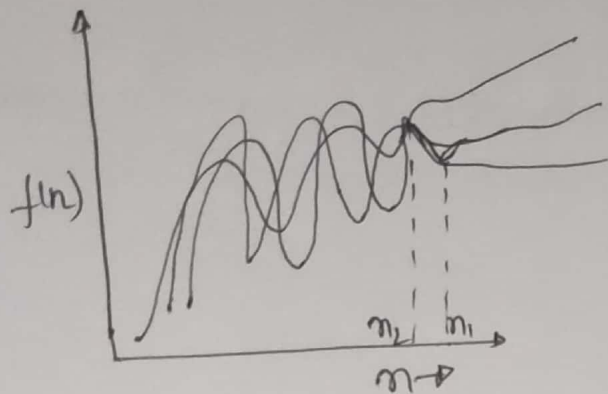
$$\text{iff } f(n) \geq c g(n)$$

$$\forall n \geq n_0 \text{ \& } c > 0$$

c) Theta (θ):-

It is an asymptotic notation to denote the asymptotically tight bound on the growth rate of runtime of an algorithm.

$$f(n) = \theta(g(n)) \Rightarrow f(n) = O(g(n)) \text{ \& } f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$$



$$f(n) = \theta(g(n))$$

$$\text{iff } c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n)$$

$$\forall n \geq \max(n_1, n_2),$$

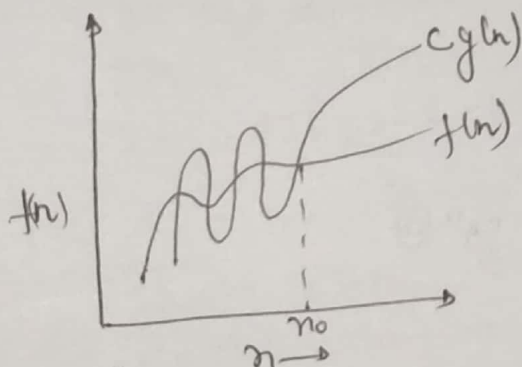
$$c_1, c_2 > 0$$

d) Small- θ :-

Denote the upper bound (not tight) on the growth rate of runtime of an algorithm.

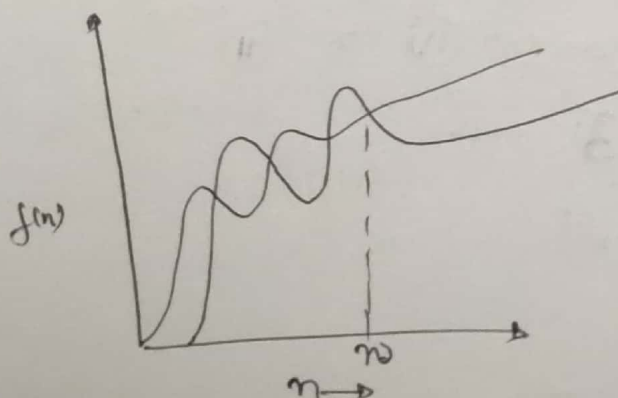
$$f(n) = O(g(n)) \rightarrow f(n) < c g(n) \cdot \forall n > n_0 \text{ \& } c > c_0$$

$$\text{eg } n = O(n^2)$$



e) Small-omega (ω):-

denotes the lower bound.



$$f(n) = \omega(g(n))$$

$$f(n) > c g(n)$$

$$\forall n > n_0 \text{ \& } c > 0$$

$$\text{eg } n^2 = \omega(n)$$

Ans 2:- $\text{for } (i=1 \text{ to } n) \{$
 $\quad i = i * 2$
 $\quad \}$

$i = 1, 2, 4, \dots, n \rightarrow GP$

$t_k = a r^{k-1} \quad [a=1, r=2]$

$n = 1 \cdot 2^{k-1}$

$\log_2 n = (k-1)$

$k = \log_2 n + 1$

$T.C = O(\log_2 n + 1)$

$T.C = O(\log n)$

Ans 3:- $T(n) = \begin{cases} 3T(n-1) & \text{if } n > 0, \text{ otherwise } 1 \end{cases}$

$T(n) = 3T(n-1) \quad \text{--- (i)}$

$T(0) = 1$

$n \rightarrow n-1 \text{ in eqn (i)}$

$T(n-1) = 3T(n-1-1)$

$T(n-1) = 3T(n-2) \quad \text{--- (ii)}$

put value of $T(n-1)$ from (i) to eqn (ii)

$T(n) = 9T(n-2) \quad \text{--- (iii)}$

$n \rightarrow n-2 \text{ in eqn (iii)}$

$T(n-2) = 3T(n-2-1)$

$T(n-2) = 3 \cdot 3T(n-3) \quad \text{--- (iv)}$

put value of $T(n-2)$ from eqn (iv) to (iii)

$T(n) = 27T(n-3) \quad \text{--- (v)}$

$\rightarrow T(n) = 3^k T(n-k)$

$$n-K=0 \rightarrow n=K$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow T(n) &= 3^n T(n-n) \\ &= 3^n T(0) \\ &= 3^n \cdot \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{T_0 = O(3^n)}$$

Ans 4:- $T(n) = \begin{cases} 2T(n-1) - 1 & \text{if } n > 0 \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

$$T(n) = 2T(n-1) - 1 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$T(0) = 1$$

put $n \rightarrow n-1$

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

$$T(n-1) = 2T(n-2) - 1 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

from (i) & (ii) —

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

$$T(n) + 1 = 4T(n-2) - 2$$

$$T(n) = 4T(n-2) - 2 - 1 \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

put $n \rightarrow n-2$ in eqⁿ (i)

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

$$T(n-2) = 2T(n-3) - 1 \quad \text{--- (iv)}$$

from (iii) & (iv) —

$$T(n) = 4[2T(n-3) - 1] - 2 - 1$$

$$T(n) = 8T(n-3) - 4 - 2 - 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow T(n) &= 2^n T(n-n) - 2^{n-1} - 2^{n-2} - \dots - 2^0 \\ &= 2^n T(0) - 2^{n-1} - 2^{n-2} - \dots - 2^0 \\ &= 2^n - 2^{n-1} - 2^{n-2} - \dots - 2^0 \end{aligned}$$

$$T(n) = 2^n - 2^{n-1} - 2^{n-2} - \dots$$

$$= 2^n - (2^n - 1)$$

$$= 1$$

$$\underline{T(n) = O(1)}$$

Ans 5:- `int i=1, s=1;
while (s<=n) {
 i++;
 s=s+i;
 printf("%d #");
}`

We can define the term 's' a/c to relation $S_i = S_{i-1} + 1$. The value of 'i' increases by one for each iteration. The value contained in 's' at the i^{th} position iteration

is the sum of the first 'i' integers.

If K is total no. of iterations taken by the program, then while loop terminates if:-

$$1+2+3+\dots+K = \frac{K(K+1)}{2} > n$$

$$\Rightarrow K = O(\sqrt{n})$$

$$\underline{T.C = O(\sqrt{n})}$$

Ans 6:- `void function (int n) {
 int i, count=0;
 for (i=1; i*i<=n; i++)
 count++;
}`

loop ends if $i^2 > n$

$$\Rightarrow T(n) = O(\sqrt{n})$$

Ans 7:- `void function (int n) {
 int i, j, k, count=0;
 for (i = n/2; i<=n; i++) — n
 for (j=1; j<=n; j=j*2) 7`

for ($k=1; k \leq n; k=k*2$)] execute $\log n$ times

count++;

Time complexity = $O(n \log^2 n)$

```

Ans 8:- void function (int n)
{
    if (n == 1) return ;  $\rightarrow$  constant time
    for (i = 1 to n) {  $\rightarrow$  n times
        for (j = 1 to n) {  $\rightarrow$  n times
            printf ("x");
        }
    }
    function(n-3);
}

```

Recurrence relⁿ : $T(n) = T(n-3) + cn^2$
 $\Rightarrow T(n) = \theta(n^3)$

Ans 9:- void function (int n) {
 for (i = 1 to n) {
 for (j = 1; j <= n; j = j + i) {
 printf ("*");
 }
 }
}

→ This loop execute n times
 → This executes j times with
 j increase by the value
 of i.
 for each value of i.

\Rightarrow Inner loop executes n/i times for each value of i .
 Its running times is $n \times \left(\sum_{i=1}^n n/i \right)$
 $= O(n \log n)$

Ans 10:- The asymptotic relationship b/w the functions n^k and a^n is

$$n^k = O(a^n) \quad k \geq 1, a > 1$$

$$n^k \leq C \cdot a^n \quad \forall n \geq n_0$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{n^k}{a^n} \leq C$$

Ans 11:- Same as ques 5.

i is increasing at the rate of j .

\Rightarrow If K is total no. of iterations, while loop terminates if,

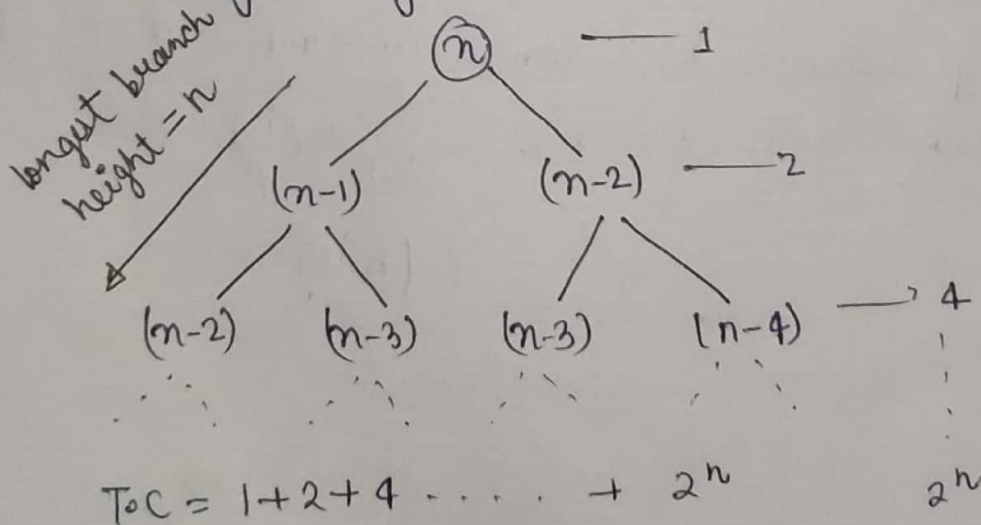
$$0 + 1 + \dots + K = \frac{K(K+1)}{2} > n$$

$$\Rightarrow K = O(\sqrt{n})$$

Ans 12:- The recurrence relation for the recursive method of fibonacci series is -

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

Solving using tree method -



$$a=1, r=2 \quad S = \frac{a(r^{terms}-1)}{r-1}$$

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

$$T.C = O(2^{n+1}) = O(2 \cdot 2^n) = O(2^{n+1})$$

Space complexity = $O(n)$ [\because Stack size never exceeds the depth of the call's tree shown above]

Ans 13:- Program with complexity -

i) $n \log n$ -

```
void fun(int n) {
    for(int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
        for(int j=1; j<=n; j+=i)
            printf("* ");
    }
}
```

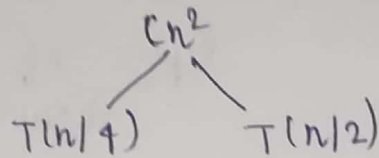
ii) n^3

```
void function(int n) {
    for(i=1; i<=n; i++) {
        for(int j=1; j<=n; j++) {
            for(int k=1; k<=n; k++) {
                printf("#");
            }
        }
    }
}
```

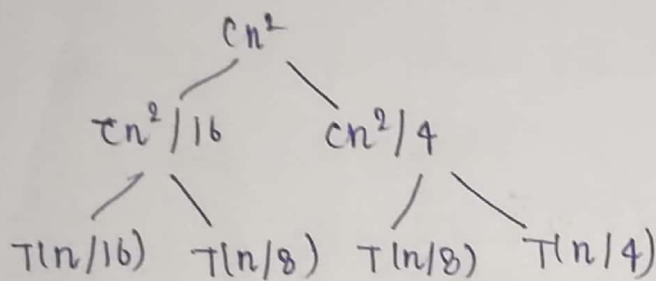
iii) $\log(\log n) \rightarrow$ for (int $i=2$; $i \leq n$; $i = \text{pow}(i, k)$) { // o(1) };
 also, interpolation search has this complexity

Ans 4:- $T(n) = T(n/4) + T(n/2) + cn^2$

Following is the initial recursion tree,



on further breaking down,



To know the value of $T(n)$ we need to calculate the sum of tree nodes level by level.

$$\Rightarrow T(n) = cn^2 + 5n^2/16 + 25n^2/256 + \dots$$

GP with ratio $5/16$

$$S_{\infty} = \frac{n^2}{1 - 5/16} \Rightarrow T.O.C = O(n^2)$$

Ans 5:- Same as ques 4

$$\rightarrow O(n \log n)$$

Ans 6:- for (int $i=2$; $i \leq n$; $i = \text{pow}(i, k)$)
 {
 // o(1) expression
 }

In this case i takes value $2, 2^k, (2^k)^k, (2^k)^{k^2} = 2^{k^3} \dots$
 $2^{k \log_k (\log n)}$

The last term must be less than or equal to n , we have

$$2^{k \log_k (\log(n))} = 2^{\log n} = n, \text{ It's true}$$

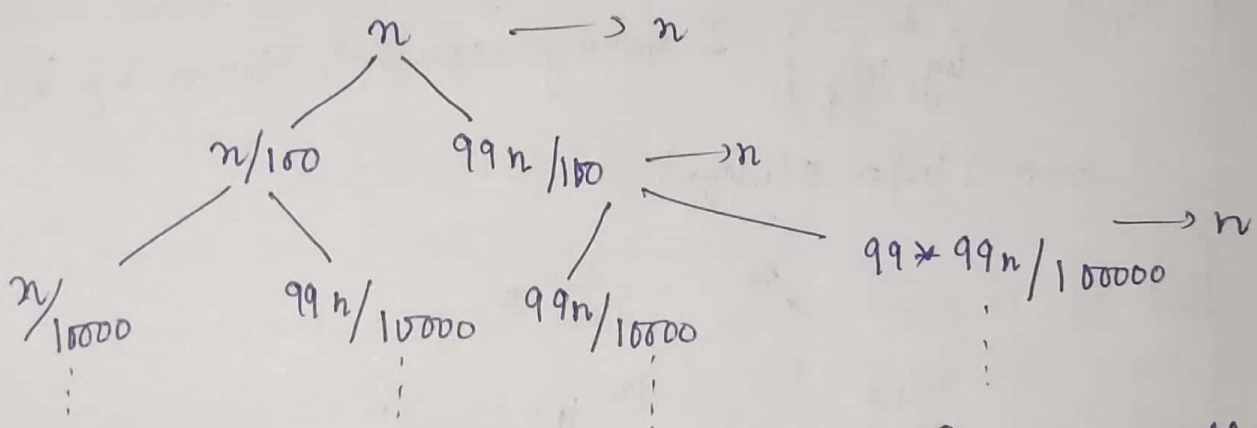
\therefore There are total $\log_k (\log(n))$ many iterations and each iteration takes constant amount of time to run,

\therefore Total times complexity = $O(\log(\log n))$.

Ans 17:- The running time when in quick sort when the partition is putting 99% of elements on one side and 1% elements on another in each repetition.

$$T(n) = T\left(\frac{99n}{100}\right) + T\left(\frac{n}{100}\right) + cn$$

Recursion tree of the above equation is,



We can see that initially, the cost is in fact all levels. This will follow until the left most branch of the tree reaches its base case (size 1) because the left most branch has least elements in each division, so it'll finish first.

The rightmost branch will reach its base case at last because it has maximum no. of elements in each division.

At level i , the rightmost node has $n \times \left(\frac{99}{100}\right)^i$ elements, for the last level,

$$n \times \left(\frac{99}{100}\right)^i = 1$$

$$\rightarrow i = \frac{\log_{100} n}{\log_{100} \frac{99}{100}} = \log_{\frac{100}{99}} n$$

So, there are total $\left(\log_{\frac{100}{99}} n\right) + 1$ levels

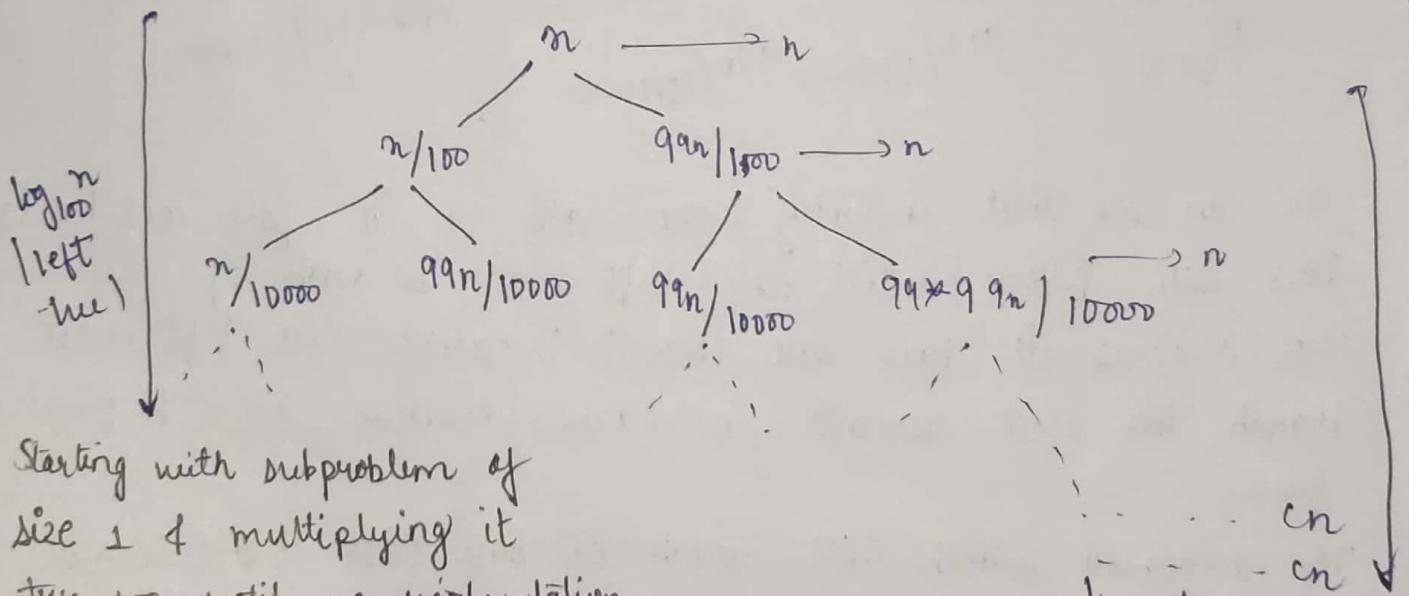
This,

$$T(n) = \left(\frac{cn + cn + \dots + 1(cn) + 1(cn)}{\log_{\frac{100}{99}} n + 1 \text{ times}} \right) \leq \left(\log_{\frac{100}{99}} n + 1 \right) cn$$

$$= O\left(n \cdot \log_{\frac{100}{99}} n\right)$$

$$\left(\log_{\frac{100}{99}} n = \frac{\log_2 n}{\log_2 \frac{100}{99}} \right) \text{ Ignoring constant term by } \log_2 \frac{100}{99}$$

$$\Rightarrow T(n) = O(n \log n)$$



Starting with subproblem of size 1 & multiplying it by 100 until we reach relation

$$100^x = n$$

$$\rightarrow x = \log_{100} n$$

Right child is $\frac{99}{100}$ of size of nodes above the size of nodes at it. Each parent is $\frac{100}{99}$ times the size of right child.
 $\left(\frac{100}{99}\right)^x = n$

Ans 18:- a) Increasing order of rate of growth —
 $100, \log(\log n), \log n, \sqrt{n}, n, \log(n!), n \log n, n^2, 2^n,$
 $4^n, n!, 2^{2^n}$

b) $1 < \log(\log n) < \sqrt{\log(n)} < \log(n) < \log 2n < 2 \log(n) <$
 $n < 2n < 4n < \log(n!) < n \log n < n^2 < n! < 2(2^n)$

c) $96 < \log_8 n < \log_2 n < 5n < \log(n!) < n \log_6(n) <$
 $n \log_2 n < 8n^2 < 7n^3 < n! < 8^{2n}$

Ans 19:- linear search in a sorted array with minimum no. of comparisons —

```
int linearSearch (int A[], int n, int data) {
```

```
    for i=0 to n-1 {
```

```
        if (A[i] == data)
```

```
            return i;
```

```
        else if (A[i] > data) // array is sorted if
```

```
            return -1;
```

$A[i] > \text{data}$ then, no need to search the rest of the array.

To (Best = $O(1)$), Avg., worst = $O(n)$)

Space = $O(1)$

Ans 20:- Pseudo code for iterations insertion sort —

```
void insertionSort (int arr[], int n) {
```

```
    int i, temp, j;
```

```
    for i ← 1 to n
```

```
    {
```

```
        temp ← arr[i];
```

```

    j ← i - 1;
    while (j >= 0 && arr[j] > temp) {
        arr[j+1] = arr[j];
        j ← j - 1;
    }
    arr[j+1] = temp;
}

```

Pseudo code for recursive insertion sort -

```

void insertionSortRecursive (int arr[], int n) {
    if (n <= 1)
        return;
    insertionSortRecursive (arr, n-1);
    int last = arr[n-1];
    int j = n-2;
    while (j >= 0 && arr[j] > last) {
        arr[j+1] ← arr[j];
        j ← j - 1;
    }
    arr[j+1] ← last;
}

```

An online sorting algo is one that will work if the elements to be sorted are provided one at a time with the understanding that the algo. must keep the sequence sorted as more & more elements are added in. Insertion sort considers one input element per iteration & produces a partial solution without considering future elements. Thus insertion sort is online.

Other algo. like selection sort repeatedly selects the minimum element from the unsorted array & places it at the first which requires the entire input. Similarly bubble, ~~so~~ quick & merge sorts also require the entire input. Therefore they are offline algo.

Ans ^{3,4} ~~2,3~~:-

| Sorting algo | Time | | | Space | Stable | Inplace |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------|--------|---------|
| | Best | Avg. | Worst | Worst | | |
| Bubble | $O(n^2)$ | $O(n^2)$ | $O(n^2)$ | $O(1)$ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Selection | $O(n^2)$ | " | " | " | X | ✓ |
| Insertion | $O(n)$ | " | " | " | ✓ | ✓ |
| Merge | $O(n \log n)$ | $O(n \log n)$ | $O(n \log n)$ | $O(n)$ | ✓ | X |
| Quick | $O(n \log n)$ | " | $O(n^2)$ | $O(n)$ | X | X |
| Heap | $O(n \log n)$ | " | $O(n \log n)$ | $O(1)$ | X | ✓ |

Ans ⁵ ~~2,3~~:- Iterative pseudo code for binary search:-

```

int binarySearch (int arr[], int l, int r, int x)
{
    while (l <= r) {
        m = (l+r)/2;
        if (arr[m] == x)
            return m;
        if (arr[m] < x)
            l = m+1;
        else
            r = m-1;
    }
    return -1;
}

```


Time complexity - Best case: $O(1)$

Avg, worst: $O(\log_2 n)$

Space: $O(1)$

Binary search recursive code:-

```
int binarySearch (int arr[], int l, int r, int x) {  
    if (l >= r) {  
        mid = (l+r)/2;  
        if (arr[mid] == x)  
            return mid;  
        else if (arr[mid] > x)  
            return binarySearch (arr, l, mid-1, x);  
        else  
            return binarySearch (arr, mid+1, r, x);  
    }  
    return -1;  
}
```

T.C \Rightarrow Best: $O(1)$ & Avg, worst = $O(\log_2 n)$

Space comp. \Rightarrow Best: $O(1)$

Avg, worst $O(\log_2 n)$

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Q1 Ans 6:- Recurrence relation for binary search

$$T(n) = T(n/2) + 1, \text{ where } T(n) \text{ is}$$

the time required for binary search in an array of size n .