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HW1 Chip Treewalker

1. We can sum  $\sum_{k=1}^{n} k = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$  inside text or use the displayed math like below:

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} k = 1 + 2 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

2. The recurrence (1) shows the worst-case running time T(n) of mergesort:

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n = 1, \\ 2T(n/2) + cn & \text{if } n > 1. \end{cases}$$
 (1)

Using the master theorem in Chapter 4, we can get  $T(n) = \Theta(n \log n)$ .

3. The recurrence (2) shows the worst-case running time T(n) of binary search:

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n = 1, \\ T(n/2) + c & \text{if } n > 1. \end{cases}$$
 (2)

Using the master theorem in Chapter 4, we can get  $T(n) = \Theta(\log n)$ .

4. Browse https://www.cs.dartmouth.edu/~thc/clrscode/clrscode3e.pdf to learn how to use the clrscode3e package in LaTex to typeset pseudocode.

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INSERTION-SORT(A)

1 for j=2 to A. length

2 key=A[j]

3 \# Insert A[j] into the sorted sequence A[1\mathinner{.\,.} j-1].

4 i=j-1

5 while i>0 and A[i]>key

6 A[i+1]=A[i]

7 i=i-1

8 A[i+1]=key
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5. If  $f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - \epsilon})$  for some constant  $\epsilon > 0$ , then  $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$ .