

Time Complexity Simply Explained

→ We can find the time taken by an algorithm by using the frequency time method.

arr

3	5	7	1	9
0	1	2	3	4

def sum_array(arr):

sum = 0 → 1

for x in arr: → n + 1

sum += x → n

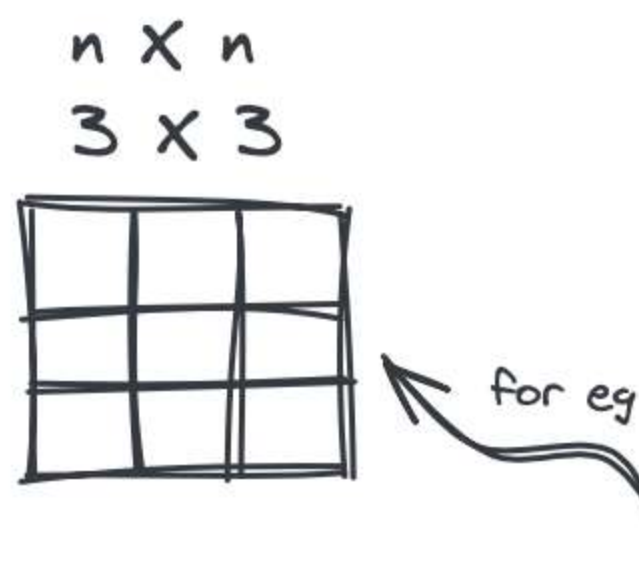
return sum → 1

Checks how many times the iteration happens.
This case the loop will end at index 5, which is (n + 1).

$f(n) = 2n + 3$

The degree of this polynomial is 1.
Therefore, the time complexity here is order of n.

$O(n)$



Sum of two square matrices

def matrix_sum(A, B):

n = len(A)

c = [[0 for i in range(n)] for j in range(n)]

for i in range(n):

for j in range(n):

c[i][j] = A[i][j] + B[i][j]

return c

first loop

second loop

n + 1

n x (n + 1)

n x n

1

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

The degree of this polynomial is 2.
Therefore, the time complexity here is order of n^2

$O(n^2)$

Matrix Multiplication

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def matrix_multiply(A, B):
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    rows_A = len(A)
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    cols_A = len(A[0])
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    rows_B = len(B)
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    cols_B = len(B[0])
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    C = [[0 for _ in range(cols_B)] for _ in range(rows_A)]
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    for i in range(rows_A):
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        for j in range(cols_B):
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            for k in range(cols_A):
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                C[i][j] += A[i][k] * B[k][j]
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    return C
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$$f(n) = 2n^3 + 2n^2 + 2n + 1$$

The degree of this polynomial is 3.

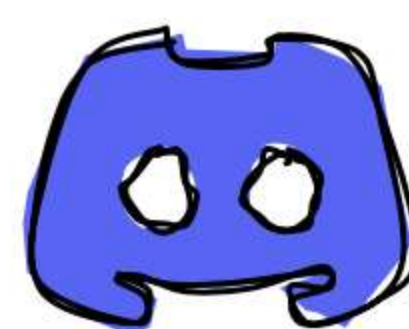
Therefore, the time complexity here is:

$$O(n^3)$$



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