

Assignment - 11

Big Omega notation Prove that $g(n) = n^3 + 2n^2 + 4n$ is $\Omega(n^3)$

$$g(n) \geq cn^3$$

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for finding constants c and n_0

$$n^3 + 2n^2 + 4n \geq cn^3$$

divide both sides with n^3

$$1 + \frac{2n^2}{n^3} + \frac{4n}{n^3} \geq c$$

$$1 + \frac{2}{n} + \frac{4}{n^2} \geq c$$

Here $\frac{2}{n}$ and $\frac{4}{n^2}$ approaches 0

$$1 + 2/n + 4/n^2$$

example $c = 1/2$

$$1 + 2/n + 4/n^2 = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow 1 + 2/n + 4/n^2 \geq 1 = 1 + \frac{2}{n} + \frac{4}{n^2} \geq \frac{1}{2}$$

Thus $g(n) = n^3 + 2n^2 + 4n$ is indeed $\Omega(n^3)$

By Theta notation: determine another $h(n) = 4n^2 + 3n$ is $O(n^2)$ or not.

$$c_1 n^2 \leq h(n) \leq c_2 n^2$$

In upper bound $h(n)$ is $O(n^2)$

In lower bound $h(n)$ is $\Omega(n^2)$

upper Bound ($O(n^2)$):

$$h(n) = 4n^2 + 3n \Rightarrow h(n) \leq 2n^2$$

$$4n^2 + 3n \leq c_1 n^2$$

$$4n^2 + 3n \leq 5n^2$$

$$\text{lets } c_2 = 5$$

divide both sides by n^2

$$4 + \frac{3}{n} \leq 5$$

$$h(n) = 4n^2 + 3n \text{ is } O(n^2)$$

lower bound:

$$h(n) = 4n^2 + 3n$$

$$h(n) \geq c_1 n^2$$

$$4n^2 + 3n \geq c_1 n^2$$

$$\text{lets } c_1 = 4 \Rightarrow 4n^2 + 3n \geq 4n^2$$

divide both sides by n^2

$$4 + \frac{3}{n} \geq 4, \quad h(n) = 4n^2 + 3n \quad (c_1 = 4, h_0 = 1) \text{ is } O(n^2)$$