

# CS & IT ENGINEERING



## Algorithms

### Divide & Conquer

Lecture No.- 05



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# Topics to be Covered



Topic

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Masters Mtd for TC analysis







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HW : Merge Sort

(8) Merge Sort :

30 sec  $\longrightarrow$

$n=64$

WC

~~X~~

$n=?$   
WC

$t=6\text{ min}$

✓

$$t = 30 \text{ sec,}$$

$$\underline{n = 64}$$

$$\text{WC TC: } O(n \log_2 n)$$

$$t = C * n \log_2 n$$

$$30 = C \times 64 \log_2 64$$

$$30 = C \times 64 \times 6$$

$$C = \frac{30}{6 \times 64} = \boxed{\frac{5}{64}}$$



Read:  $t = 6 \text{ min}, \quad n = ?$   
                   $\parallel$   
                   $6 \times 60 \text{ sec}$

$$6 \times 60 = C \times n \log_2 n$$

$$n \log_2 n = \frac{6 \times 60}{C} = \frac{6 \times 60 \times 64}{5} = 9 \times 512$$

$$\underline{\underline{2^9 = 512}}$$

$$n \log_2 n = 512 \times 9$$

$$\underline{\underline{n = 512}} \quad \checkmark$$

# Master's Method / Theorem



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## Solving DnC Recurrence

1. Back Substitution method → Universal method

- (i) Value of recurrence
- (ii) TC of recurrence

Eg: Min-max prob :

✓ Value :  $\left[ \frac{3^n}{2} - 2 \right]$

✓ TC →  $O(n)$

2. Master's method/Theorem → Shortcut

- (i) Only gives TC but not value
- (ii) Works only in specific cases

(3 cases)

} Symon DnC

3. Recurrence tree approach :

- (i) Asymmetric DnC recurrence





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**Master's method :** Only applicable for

$$T(n) = a * T(n/b) + F(n)$$

Such that  $a \geq 1, b > 1, F(n) = +ve$



Symmetric DnC

**Case 1 :** If  $F(n)$  is  $O(n^{\log_b a - E})$ , for same  $E > 0$ ,

Then  $T(n) = \theta(n^{\log_b a})$

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Reward  
Risk

9.5/10

Reward  
efforts

8.5

9.1/10



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Then

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$$\log_b a$$

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**Case 2 :** If  $F(n)$  is  $\theta(n^{\log_b a} * (\log n)^K)$  for some K, such that

(a)  $K \geq 0$ , then  $T(n) = \theta(n^{\log_b a} * (\log n)^{\underline{K+1}})$

(b)  $K = -1$ , then  $T(n) = \theta(n^{\log_b a} * \log(\log n))$





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Case 3 : If  $F(n)$  is  $\Omega(n^{\log_b a + E})$

For some  $E > 0$

AND

$a * F(n/b) \leq \delta * f(n)$ , For some  $\delta < 1$

Then,

$$T(n) = \theta(F(n))$$

$$T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n$$

1) Back-sub  $\rightarrow O(n^2)$

2) MM



## Topic : Divide & Conquer

Check Using Back-substitution :

$$T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n$$

$$T(n/2) = 4T(n/2^2) + n/2$$

$$T(n) = 4(4T(n/n^2) + n/2) + n$$

$$= 4^2 T(n/2^2) + 2n + n$$

$$= 4^2 T(n/2^2) + 3n$$

$$= 4^3 T(n/2^3) + 7n$$

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$$T(n) = 4^K T(n/2^K) + (2^K - 1)n$$

Now,  $n/2^K = 1$

$$2^K = n \Rightarrow 4^K = n^2$$

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

$$= n^2 * c + n^2 - n$$

$$T(n) = \theta(n^2)$$





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#Q.  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n$

Check master's method form :

$$T(n) = a * T(n/b) + F(n)$$

$$a = 4, b = 2, F(n) = n \Rightarrow$$

$$\log_b a = \log_2 4 = \log_2 2^2 = \underline{\underline{2}}$$

Valid



## Topic : Divide & Conquer

Check Case 1 : If  $F(n) = O(n^{2-E})$ , some  $E > 0$

Is  $n = O(n^{2-E})$ ,  $E > 0$

$E = 0.5, 0.1, 0.2, \dots$  Yes ✓

$n = O(n^{1.5})$  True

Case 1 satisfied ✓

Hence

$$T(n) = \theta(n^2)$$

$$2) \quad T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n \log n$$

HW : Back-sub





## Topic : Divide & Conquer

#Q.  $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n \log n$

**Check :**  $a = 2, b = 2, F(n) = n \log n \Rightarrow \text{Valid}$

$$\log_b a = \log_2 2 = 1$$

**Check case 1 :**

If  $F(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - E}),$

$$E > 0$$

$$n \log n = O(n^{1-E}),$$

some  $E > 0$  ?

Fails



## Topic : Divide & Conquer

Check Case 2 :

If  $F(n) = \theta(n^{\log_b a} * (\log n)^K)$

Case 2 : a)  $K \geq 0$

$$n \log n = \theta(n^1 * (\log n)^K) \rightarrow \text{True for } \underline{\underline{K = 1}}$$

Case (a) satisfied.

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hence,  $T(n) = \theta(n^1 * (\log n)^{\underline{\underline{K+1}}})$ ,  $K = 1$

$$= \theta(n * (\log n)^{1+1})$$

$T(n) = \theta(n * (\log n)^2)$



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#Q.  $T(n) = T(n/3) + n$

**A**

$$T(n) = \theta(n \log n)$$

**B**

$$T(n) = \theta(n)$$

**C**

$$T(n) = \theta(n^2)$$

**D**

$$T(n) = \theta(\log n)$$







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Validity :

$$a = 1, b = 3, F(n) = n$$

$$\log_b a = \log_3 \underline{\underline{1}} = 0$$



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Case 1 :

If  $F(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - E}), \quad E > 0$   
 $n = O(n^{0 - E}), \quad \text{some } E > 0$

$n^{-E}$

**Fails**

Case 2 :

$$n = \theta(n^0 * (\log n)^K), \quad \text{some } K$$

(a)  $K \geq 0$   $\rightarrow$  Fails ✗

(b)  $K = -1$   $\rightarrow$  Fails ✗



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Case 3 :

If  $F(n) = \Omega(n^{\log_b a + E}), \quad E > 0$

$$n = \Omega(n^{0+E}), \quad E > 0?$$

$$n = \Omega(n^{0.1}) \quad \checkmark$$

$$\underline{E = 0.1, 0.5, 0.2, \dots, n \geq n^E, E > 0}$$

and

$$a * F(n/b) \leq \delta * F(n),$$

some  $\delta < 1$

$$1 * n/3 \leq \delta * n,$$

some  $\delta < 1$

let take  $\delta = 1/3$   $\delta$

$$1 * n/3 \leq 1/3 * n$$

→ True

→ Here case 3 holds true.

Hence

$$\underline{T(n) = \theta(F(n))}$$

⇒

$$\boxed{T(n) = \theta(n)}$$





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#Q.  $T(n) = 9T(n/3) + n^{2.5}$

**A**

$$T(n) = \theta(n)$$

**B**

$$T(n) = \theta(n\sqrt{n})$$

**C**

$$T(n) = \theta(n \log n)$$

**D**

$$T(n) = \theta(n^2\sqrt{n})$$

$$\begin{aligned} n^{2.5} &= n^{2+0.5} \\ &= \underline{n^2 \sqrt{n}} \end{aligned}$$



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$$a = 9, b = 3, F(n) = n^{2.5} \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{Valid}$$

$$\log_b a = \log_3 9 = 2$$

$$n^2 * \sqrt{n}$$

$$n^2 * n^{0.5}$$

$$n^{(2 + 0.5)}$$

$$n^{2.5}$$



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**Case 1 :** Is  $n^{2.5} = O(n^{2-E})$ ,

$$n^{2.5} \leq n^{2-E} ?$$

→

Some  $E > 0$

Not possible

→

Fails

**Case 2 :** Is  $n^{2.5} = \theta(n^2 * (\log n)^K)$ ,

For some K

(a)  $K \geq 0 \rightarrow$  Fail ✗

(b)  $K = -1$  → Fail

$$n^{2.5} = n^2 (\log n)^K$$

$$\sqrt{n} = (\log n)^K$$

→ Fails ✗

$$n^{2.5} = O(n^2 \log n^K)$$

$$\sqrt{n} = O(\log n^K)$$





## Topic : Divide & Conquer

**Case 3:** Is  $n^{2.5} = \Omega(n^{2+E})$

$$n^{2.5} > n^{2+E},$$

→ yes ✓

and  $a * F\left(\frac{n}{b}\right) \leq \delta * F(n)$

$$F(n) = n^{2.5}$$

$$a * \left(\frac{n}{3}\right)^{2.5} \leq \delta * n^{2.5}$$

$$\frac{9}{3^2\sqrt{3}} * n^{2.5} \leq \delta * n^{2.5}$$

Case 3 is satisfied.

⇒

some  $E > 0$

$$E = 0.1, 0.2, 0.33, \dots$$

For some  $\delta < 1$

$$\delta = 1/\sqrt{3}, F(n) = n^{2.5}$$

$$T(n) = \theta(F(n)) = \theta(n^{2.5})$$



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**Doubt :**

$$F(n) = n^{2.5}$$

$$\frac{n^{2.5}}{3} \times$$

$$F\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) \rightarrow \left(\frac{n}{3}\right)^{2.5}$$
$$n \rightarrow \frac{n}{3}$$

**Imp:** Validate all the DnC recurrences that we have learnt so far using Master's method.

i) **Min - Max** ✓

ii) Binary Search ✓

iii) Merge Sort

iv) ~~Matrix Multiplication~~

Hint





## Topic : Divide & Conquer

### 1. Min-Max Problem :

$$\underline{T(n) = 2T(n/2) + 2}$$

→

$$\text{Value of Rec} \Rightarrow \left(\frac{3n}{2} - 2\right)$$

$$\text{TC} \rightarrow O(n)$$

$$\rightarrow a = 2, b = 2, \underline{F(n) = 2 (+ve)}$$

→

Valid

$$\log_b a = \log_2 2 = \underline{1}$$

Case 1 : Is

$$2 = O(n^{1-E}),$$

Yes

$$\underline{E > 0}$$

$$E = 0.5, 0.1, 0.2, \dots \quad \text{True}$$

Hence

$$\underline{T(n) = \theta(n^{\log_b a}) = \theta(n)}$$





## Topic : Divide & Conquer

### 2. Binary Search :

$$T(n) = T(n/2) + C$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(\log n)$$

→  $a = 1, b = 2, F(n) = C$  → Valid

$$\log_b a = \log_2 1 = \underline{\underline{0}}$$

Check case 1

$$\text{Is } F(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - E})$$

Some  $E > 0$

$$C = O(n^{0 - E})$$

Some  $E > 0$

→

Fails

$n^{-E}, E > 0$  → Decreasing function



## Topic : Divide & Conquer

### Check case 2 :

Is  $F(n) = \theta(n^{\log_b a} * (\log n)^K)$ , some K

(a)  $K \geq 0$

(b)  $K = -1$

$$C = \theta(n^0 * (\log n)^K) ?$$

If  $K = 0$ ,  $C = \theta(n^0 * (\log n)^0)$

$C = \theta(1)$   $\rightarrow$  True

Hence case 2 (a) holds

$$T(n) = \theta(n^{\log_b a} * (\log n)^{K+1})$$

$$= \theta(n^0 * (\log n)^{0+1})$$

$$\boxed{T(n) = \theta(\log n)} \quad \underline{\underline{=}}$$



## Topic : Divide & Conquer

### 3. Merge Sort :

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n$$

$$TC = \theta(n \log n)$$

Check  $a = 2, b = 2, F(n) = n \rightarrow$  Valid

$$\log_b a = \log_2 2 = 1$$

Check case 1 :

Is  $F(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - E})$       some  $E > 0$

$$n = O(n^{1-E}),$$

some  $E > 0 \rightarrow$  Fails





## Topic : Divide & Conquer

### Check case 2 :

Is  $F(n) = \theta(n^{\log_b a} * (\log n)^K)$ ,      Some K

(a)  $K \geq 0$

(b)  $K = -1$

$K = 0, \quad n = \theta(n^1 * (\log n)^0)$

$n = \theta(n)$



True

Case holds for  $K = 0$

$$T(n) = \theta(n^{\log_b a} * (\log n)^{K+1})$$

$$= \theta(n^1 * (\log n)^{0+1}) = \underline{\theta(n \log n)}$$



## Topic : Divide & Conquer

### Practice Problem for Master's Method :

1.  $T(n) = 6T(n/3) + 2^n \log n$

2.  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + \log n$

3.  $T(n) = 4T(n/2) + n^2$

4.  $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + \sqrt{n}$

5.  $T(n) = 3T(n/3) + n$

6.  $T(n) = 2^n T(n/4) + n$

7.  $T(n) = 2T(\sqrt{n}) + \log n$

→ Special Case

B.S

$\theta(n)$

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + \sqrt{n}$$

$$a = 2$$

$$b = 2$$

$$F(n) = \sqrt{n}$$

$$\epsilon < 0.5$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\sqrt{n} = O(n^{1-\epsilon}),$$

✓  
some  $\epsilon > 0$

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

$$\log_b a = \log_2 2 = \underline{\underline{1}}$$



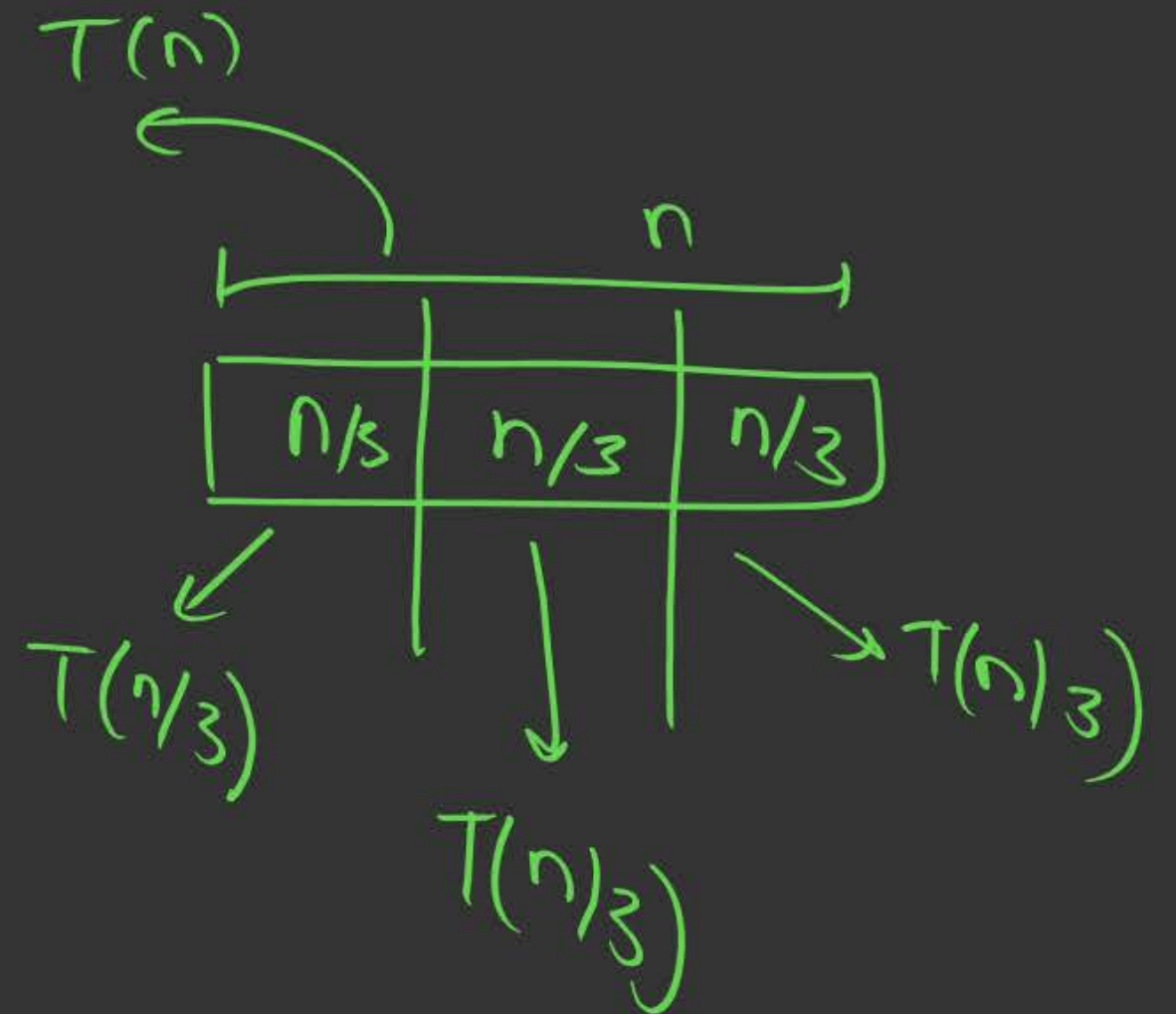
$$2) T(n) = 3T(n/3) + n$$

BS

$$a=3, b=3, f(n)=n$$

$$\log_b a = \log_3 3 = 1$$

Case:-  $n = O(n^{1-\epsilon}), \epsilon > 0?$



Fails

Case 2:-

$$I_3 \quad n = \Theta(n^1 \times \log n^k)$$

q)  $k > 0$        $k = 0$

$n = \Theta(n)$  ✓

Hence

$$T(n) = \Theta(n \log n^{0+1}) = \underline{\underline{\Theta(n \log n)}}$$

$$T(n) = 3T(n/3) + n$$

$$= 3^2 T(n/3^2) + 2n$$

$$= 3^3 T(n/3^3) + 3n$$

$$T(n) = 3^K T(n/3^K) + K \cdot n$$

$$\frac{n}{3^K} = 1 \rightarrow 3^K = n$$

$$K = \log_3 n$$

$$T(n) = n \cdot 6 + n \log_3 n$$

$$T(n) = O(n \log_3 n)$$





**THANK - YOU**