

# homework4

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## 1 Problem 1

i).  $T_n = 5T_{n/3} + 4$  Explanation: call PrintAs( $[n/3]$ ) 5 times and 4 times print("A") in the program

According to Master Theorem:  $a = 5, b = 3, c = 4, d = 0 \Rightarrow a > b^d$   
therefore,  $T_n = \theta(n^{\log_b a}) = \theta(n^{\log_3 5})$

ii).  $T_n = 6T_{n/2} + 10n^3$  Explanation: call PrintBs( $[n/2]$ ) 6 times and  $10n^3$  times print("B") in the program

According to Master Theorem:  $a = 6, b = 2, c = 10, d = 3 \Rightarrow a < b^d$   
therefore,  $T_n = \theta(n^d) = \theta(n^3)$

iii).  $T_n = 4T_{n/2} + 20n^2$  Explanation: call PrintCs( $[n/4]$ ) 4 times and  $20n^2$  times print("C") in the program

According to Master Theorem:  $a = 4, b = 2, c = 20, d = 2 \Rightarrow a = b^d$   
therefore,  $T_n = \theta(n^d \log(n)) = \theta(n^2 \log(n))$

b). According to the question:

$$T_n = \begin{cases} 1 & n = 1 \\ 4T_{n/2} + 3 & n \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

therefore:  $T_n = \theta(n)$  when  $n = 1$

when  $n \geq 2$ : because  $T_n = 4T_{n/2} + 3 \Rightarrow a = 4, b = 2, c = 3, d = 0$

$T_n = \theta(n^{\log_2 4})$

## 2 Problem 2

a). According to the question:

$$1 \leq D \leq 7$$

$$2 \leq C \leq 11$$

$$4 \leq R \leq 25$$

$$0 \leq T \leq 6$$

to let all variables have lower bound with 0:

$$\begin{aligned}
0 \leq D_1 \leq 6 \quad D_1 &= D - 1 \\
0 \leq C_1 \leq 9 \quad C_1 &= C - 2 \\
0 \leq D_1 \leq 21 \quad R_1 &= R - 4 \\
D + C + R + T = 25 \Rightarrow D_1 + C_1 + R_1 + T &= 18 \\
S(D_1 \leq 6 \cap C_1 \leq 9 \cap R_1 \leq 21 \cap T_1 \leq 6) &= S_{total} - S(D_1 \geq 7 \cup C_1 \geq 10 \cup R_1 \geq 22 \cup T_1 \geq 7)
\end{aligned}$$

According to the inclusion and exclusion principle:

## Inclusion-Exclusion Principle

$$\begin{aligned}
|S_1 \cup S_2 \cup S_3 \cup S_4| &= |S_1| + |S_2| + |S_3| + |S_4| \\
&\quad - |S_1 \cap S_2| - |S_1 \cap S_3| - |S_1 \cap S_4| - |S_2 \cap S_3| - |S_2 \cap S_4| - |S_3 \cap S_4| \\
&\quad + |S_1 \cap S_2 \cap S_3| + |S_1 \cap S_2 \cap S_4| + |S_1 \cap S_3 \cap S_4| + |S_2 \cap S_3 \cap S_4| \\
&\quad - |S_1 \cap S_2 \cap S_3 \cap S_4|
\end{aligned}$$

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we can get:

$$\begin{aligned}
S(D_1 \leq 6 \cap C_1 \leq 9 \cap R_1 \leq 21 \cap T_1 \leq 6) &= \binom{21}{3} - \left[ \binom{14}{3} + \binom{11}{3} + \binom{0}{3} + \binom{14}{3} - \binom{4}{3} - \right. \\
&\quad \left. \binom{0}{3} - \binom{7}{3} - \binom{0}{3} - \binom{4}{3} - \binom{0}{3} + \binom{0}{3} + \binom{0}{3} + \binom{0}{3} + \binom{0}{3} - \binom{0}{3} \right] = \frac{21!}{3!18!} - \frac{14!}{3!11!} - \frac{11!}{3!8!} - \\
&\quad \frac{14!}{3!11!} + \frac{4!}{3!1!} + \frac{7!}{3!4!} + \frac{7!}{3!4!} = 480
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
b). \quad |P \cup Q \cup R| &= |P| + |Q| + |R| - |P \cap Q| - |P \cap R| - |R \cap Q| + |P \cap Q \cap R| \\
121 &= |P| + 2|P| + 4|P| - 11 - 7 - 10 + |P \cap Q \cap R| \\
\Rightarrow |P| &= \frac{149 - |P \cap Q \cap R|}{7}
\end{aligned}$$

Due to the fact that  $|P|$  and  $|P \cap Q \cap R|$  should be both integer and  $1 \leq |P \cap Q \cap R| \leq 11$

the only combination is  $|P| = 21, |P \cap Q \cap R| = 2$  and  $|P| = 20, |P \cap Q \cap R| = 9$