

### Problem 3

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- 1) For all  $x$ , there exists a 'y', such that  $x+y$  equals 0

Yes 'x' & 'y' can be any integers.

If  $x+y=0$ ,  $-x=y$ . (acts the same)

$$x = -x$$

~~$x+y=0$~~ ; every  $x$  can have a negative value. (y).

- 2) ~~3~~ There exists a 'y' for every  $x$ , such that the sum of  $x$  &  $y$  is equal to  $x$ .

~~If  $x$  &  $y$  can't be any integers in this case as y can only be 0.~~

$$x+y=x$$

$$\Rightarrow y=0.$$

The statement is still true as every integer  $x$  can be added to  $y$ , which is 0, to give itself ( $x$ ).

- 3) There exists a 'x' for every 'y', such that the sum of  $x$  &  $y$  is equal to  $x$

$$x+y=x$$

$$\Rightarrow y=0.$$

This statement is false; as  $y$  can only take up the value of 0.

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Lecture 8

### Problem 2

$10^3$	$10000$	$3n$	$10\log n$	$n \log_2 n$	$n \log_3 n$	$8^n$	$2^{10n}$
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$100$	$3n$	$n \log_2 n$	$n^2$	$2^n$	$n!$
$10000$	$100n$	$n \log_3 n$	$5n^2 + 3$		

### Prob. 3

- Constant time  $\rightarrow O(n^3)$
- Log. time  $\rightarrow O(1)$
- Linear time  $\rightarrow O(n)$
- Quad. time  $\rightarrow O(\log_2 n)$
- Cubic time  $\rightarrow O(n^2)$
- Exp. time  $\rightarrow O(n!)$
- Fac. time  $\rightarrow O(2^n)$

### Prob. 4

1)  $100n + 5 = O(2n)$

$$\frac{f(n)}{g(n)} = \frac{100n + 5}{2n} < \frac{100n + 5n}{2n} = \frac{105n}{2n} = 52.5$$

$$C = 52.5$$

Note:  $5 < 5n$ .

$\therefore 100n + 5$  is  $O(2n)$  as

$$100n + 5 \leq 52.5(2n) \text{ when } n > 1.$$

2)  $n^3 + n^2 + n + 100 = O(n^3)$

$$\frac{f(n)}{g(n)} = \frac{n^3 + n^2 + n + 100}{n^3} < \frac{n^3 + n^3 + n^3 + 100n^3}{n^3} = 103$$

$$C = 103$$

but when  $n^2 < n^3$ ,  $n < n^3$ ,  $100 < 100n^3$  for all  $n > 1$

$\therefore n^3 + n^2 + n + 100$  is  $O(n^3)$  as

$$n^3 + n^2 + n + 100 \leq 103n^3 \text{ for all } n > 1.$$

$$3) n^{99} + 100000000 = O(n^{99})$$

$$\frac{n^{99} + 100000000}{n^{99}} < \frac{n^{99} + 100000000 \cdot n^{99}}{n^{99}} = 10000001$$

$$10000000 < 10000000 \cdot n^{99} \text{ for all } n > 1$$

$\therefore n^{99} + 10^7$  is  $O(n^{99})$  as

$$n^{99} + 10^7 \leq 1000001 \cdot n^{99} \text{ for all } n > 1.$$

#### Prob. 4

1) 2048 steps

2) Binary search algorithm.  
The algorithm compares the ~~middle~~ value of the array & checks if the element to find is greater or lesser than the element in the middle index.

If lesser it ~~discards~~ checks in the array with end size  $(0, \text{mid}-1)$

else checks in array size  $(\text{mid}+1, \text{array.length}-1)$

else middle element is value

else value not found.

The binary search algo. cuts the array in half everytime it compares the middle element to the element to be found. ~~Big O~~. & thus doesn't compare all array elements & is faster.

$$\text{Big O: } O(\log n)$$

3) 8 steps:  $2^8 = 256$ .

Array Size

256      Element not found

128

64

32

16

8

4

2

1

Element not found

Prob. 5

Identify which coin is lighter than the others in a pile of 50 coins.

a)

You could use a binary search for this.

You take 50 coins & weigh them against 50g. If scale tips, your coin is in there. Cut number of coins by half ( $50/2 = 25$ ) & repeat but weigh against 25g. Repeat.

If your coin wasn't in the first 50 coins, take the other 50 coins & weigh those against 50g.

Repeat & cut no. of coins & weight by half each time.  
If odd no. like 25, split into 12 + 13.

b)

100 → 50 → 25 → 12 → 6 → 3 → 2 → 1

↓  
1

Man. 6 weighings

13 → 6 → 3 → 2 → 1

↓  
1

7 → 4 → 2 → 1

3 → 2 → 1

↓  
1