

Ex 1.8 (Complexity of matrix addition)

Statement	Asymptotic complexity
<code>void add(int a[][MAX_SIZE]....)</code>	O
<code>{</code>	O
<code> int i, j;</code>	O
<code> for(i=0; i<rows; i++)</code>	$O(\text{rows})$
<code> for(j=0; j<cols; j++)</code>	$O(\text{rows} \cdot \text{cols})$
<code> c[i][j] = a[i][j] + b[i][j];</code>	$O(\text{rows} \cdot \text{cols})$
<code>}</code>	O
Total	$O(\text{rows} \cdot \text{cols})$

Ex 1.9: (Time Complexity of Binary Search)

- The instance characteristic we shall use is the number n of elements in the list.
- Each iteration of the while loop takes $O(1)$ time. We can show that the while loop is iterated at most $\lceil \log_2(n+1) \rceil$ times.
- Since an asymptotic analysis is being performed, we don't need such an accurate count of the worst-case number of iterations. Each iteration, except for the last results in a decrease in the size of the segment of list that has to be searched by a factor of about 2. That is, the value of $\text{right} - \text{left} + 1$ reduces by a factor of about 2 on each iteration. So, this loop is iterated $O(\log n)$ times in the worst case. As each iteration takes $O(1)$ time, the overall worst case complexity of `binsearch` is $O(\log n)$. Notice that the best case complexity is $O(1)$ as in the best case `searchnum` is found in the 1st iteration of the while loop.