

**Problem 1**

- a.  $2n = \mathcal{O}(n) \because c \cdot n \geq 2n$  when  $c = 2$
- b.  $n^2 \neq \mathcal{O}(n) \because$  no  $c$  exists such that  $c \cdot n \geq n^2$  for arbitrary values of  $n$
- c.  $n^2 = \mathcal{O}(n \log^2 n) \because \mathcal{O}(n \cdot \log^2 n \cdot \log^2 n) = \mathcal{O}(n \cdot n) = \mathcal{O}(n^2)$  Assuming  $\log_2$
- d.  $n \log n = \mathcal{O}(n^2) \because \mathcal{O}(n^2) = \mathcal{O}(n \cdot n) \wedge \log n \leq n$
- e.  $3^n = 2^{\mathcal{O}(n)} \because 3^n = 2^{n \cdot \log_2 3}$  Notice then  $\log_2 3$  is a constant
- f.  $2^{2^n} = \mathcal{O}(2^{2^n}) \because c \cdot 2^{2^n} \geq 2^{2^n}$  when  $c = 1$

**Problem 2**

- a.  $n = o(2n) \because \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{2n} = \frac{1}{2}$
- b.  $2n = o(n^2) \because \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2n}{n^2} = 0$
- c.  $2^n = o(3^n) \because \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2^n}{3^n} = 0$
- d.  $1 = o(n) \because \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} = 0$
- e.  $n \neq o(\log n) \because \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{\log n} = \infty$
- f.  $1 \neq o(\frac{1}{n}) \because \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{1/n} = \infty$

**Problem 3**

- 1.  $1274 \bmod 10505 = 1274$
- 2.  $10505 \bmod 1274 = 313$
- 3.  $1274 \bmod 313 = 22$
- 4.  $313 \bmod 22 = 5$
- 5.  $22 \bmod 5 = 2$
- 6.  $5 \bmod 2 = 1$

1274 and 10505 are relatively prime

1.  $7289 \bmod 8029 = 7289$
  2.  $8029 \bmod 7289 = 740$
  3.  $7289 \bmod 740 = 629$
  4.  $740 \bmod 629 = 111$
  5.  $629 \bmod 111 = 74$
  6.  $111 \bmod 74 = 37$
- 7289 and 8029 are not relatively prime

## Problem 4

x	y	$(x \vee y) \wedge (x \vee \sim y) \wedge (\sim x \vee y) \wedge (\sim x \vee \sim y)$
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	0

No combinations produce a one, so the formula is not satisfiable

## Problem 5

**Union.** Let  $L_1, L_2$  be languages in  $P$ .  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  accept  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  respectively. We can construct a machine,  $M_0$ , which has two tapes.  $M_0$  simulates  $M_1$  on the first tape and  $M_2$  on the second. Run the input to  $M_0$  on the first tape. If the machine accepts in polynomial time, accept. Otherwise, run the input on the second tape. If the machine accepts, accept. Otherwise reject.

**Complement.** Suppose  $M$  is a machine which accepts the language  $L$  in polynomial time. We can use  $M$  to construct  $M'$ .  $M'$  simulates  $M$ . If  $M$  accepts in polynomial time, then  $M'$  rejects. If  $M$  rejects, then  $M'$  accepts.

**Concatanation.** Suppose  $M_1, M_2$  accept  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  in polynomial time. We can construct  $M_0$  which maintains a counter,  $i$ . We simulate  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  on  $M_0$ . For the input,  $s$ , we run the sub-string  $s_0, s_1 \dots, s_i$  on  $M_1$ . If  $M_1$  rejects, we increment  $i$  and repeat. If  $M_1$  accepts, we run the remaining input on  $M_2$ . If  $M_2$  accepts, accept, otherwise reject.

## Problem 6

**Union.** Let  $L_1, L_2$  be languages in  $NP$ . By definition, We can construct two polynomial time verifiers for  $L_1$  and  $L_2$ . We can therefore construct a verifier,  $V_0$ , for  $L_1 \cup L_2$ . This verifier returns true if either  $V_1$  or  $V_2$  return true. Because both  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  run in polynomial time,  $V_0$  also runs in polynomial time. This means that  $L_1 \cup L_2$  is in  $NP$ .

**Concatenation.** Let  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  be polynomial time verifiers for the languages  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  in  $NP$ . We can construct another polynomial time verifier which verifies  $L_1 L_2$  by splitting our input at  $i$ . We run a substring of the input from the start to  $i$ ,  $s_0, s_1, \dots, s_i$  on  $V_1$ , which runs in polynomial time. If  $V_1$  does not verify, then increment  $i$  and repeat. If  $V_1$  does verify, run the remaining input on  $V_2$ . Because both  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  run in polynomial time, this verifier is polynomial, so the concatenation of two  $NP$  languages is also  $NP$ .

## Problem 7

In the worst case, this algorithm must iterate over each unmarked node once for each loop where we mark a node (to mark additional nodes). We safely exclude marked nodes from this loop. This means we need to perform  $|v| + (|v| - 1) + (|v| - 2) + \dots + 0 = \sum_{i=0}^{|v|} |v| - i$  operations. This is clearly less than  $n^2$  operations, so this algorithm is  $\mathcal{O}(n^2)$  which is polynomial.

## Problem 8

For a  $DFA$  to accept  $\Sigma^*$ , every accept state which can be reached from our initial state,  $q_0$ , must be accepting. If we perform a depth-first search on the states on our  $DFA$  rooted at  $q_0$ , we will have to check a maximum of  $|Q|$  states. If we encounter a non-accepting state, we reject. The complexity of this algorithm is therefore  $\mathcal{O}(|Q|)$ . This is a polynomial function, so this language must be in  $P$ .