

Laboratory practice No. 2: Big O Notation

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1) GitHub's codes

2) Project Questions Simulation

2.a. Algorithms's chart

2.b. Algorithms's graphics

2.c. Given the above information, how efficient is merge sort compared with insertion sort for large arrays? Is it appropriate to use insertion sort for a data base with millions of elements?

2.d. Explain with your own words how does the Codingbat's Array3 exercise maxSpan works. Why?

2.e. Calculate the complexity of the on-line exercise

```
i.    public int countEvens(int[] nums) {  
        int n=0;  
        for(int i=0;i<nums.length;i++){  
            if(nums[i]%2==0) n+=1;  
        }  
        return n;  
    }  
  
ii.   public boolean lucky13(int[] nums) {  
        for(int i=0;i<nums.length;i++){  
            if(nums[i]==3 || nums[i]==1) return false;  
        }  
        return true;  
    }
```

iii.

```
public boolean isEverywhere(int[] nums, int val) {
    for(int i=0;i<nums.length-1;i++){
        if(nums[i]!=val && nums[i+1]!=val) return false;
    }
    return true;
}
```

iv.

```
public boolean modThree(int[] nums) {
    for(int i=0;i<nums.length-2;i++){
        if(nums[i]%2==0 && nums[i+1]%2==0 && nums[i+2]%2==0) return true;
        if(nums[i]%2==1 && nums[i+1]%2==1 && nums[i+2]%2==1) return true;
    }
    return false;
}
```

v.

```
public boolean tripleUp(int[] nums) {
    for(int i=0;i<nums.length-2;i++){
        if(nums[i+1]==nums[i]+1 && nums[i+2]==nums[i]+2) return true;
    }
    return false;
}
```

2.f. Explain what the variable n means in the previous exercises

3) Midterm Simulation

3.a. Exercise 1

c) $O(n+m)$

3.b. Exercise 2

a) $O(m * n)$

3.c. Exercise 3

b) $O(\text{ancho})$

3.d. Exercise 4

b) $O(n^3)$

3.e. Exercise 5

d) $O(n^2)$

3.f. Exercise 6

a) $T(n) = T(n-1) + T(n-2) + C$

3.g. Exercise 7**3.7.1 Worst case-scenario number of steps**

$T(n) = T(n-1) + C$

3.7.2 Asymptotic Complexity

$O(n)$

3.h. Exercise 8

The mystery(n) function executes $n * \sqrt{n}$ steps

3.i. Exercise 9

d) Executes more than $n^2 + n * m$

3.j. Exercise 10

a) Executes less than $n * \log n$ steps

3.k. Exercise 11

c) Executes $T(n) = T(n-1) + T(n-2) + C$ steps

3.l. Exercise 12

b) $O(m\sqrt{n})$

3.m. Exercise 13

a) $O(n^3)$

4) Recommended reading