

How to Analyze time Complexity?

* Running Time depends upon:

- 1) Single vs multi processor ✗
- 2) Read/Write speed to memory ✗
- 3) 32 bit or 64 bit ✗
- 4) Inputs ✓

Eg: $1+2$ but 8×10^{10} + 10^{10}

do we don't see them
when we talk about
time complexity.
but we see

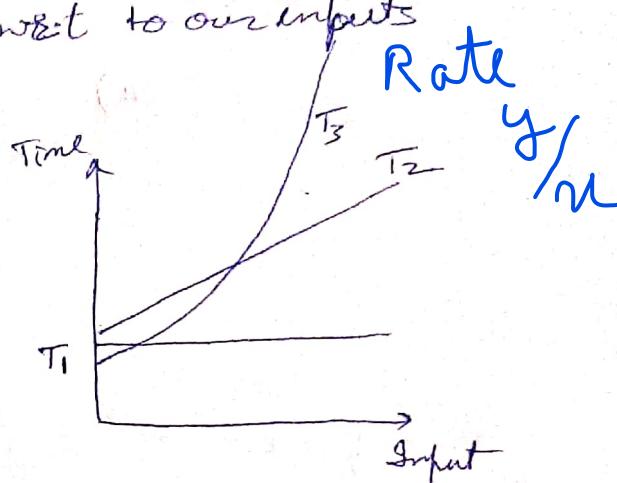
As we see the rate of growth of time w.r.t to our inputs

Eg:

$$T_1: T_{\text{sum of two nos}} = \text{Constant time or } O(1)$$

$$T_2: T_{\text{sum of nos in array}} = O(n)$$

$$T_3: T_{\text{sum of nos in matrix}} = O(n^2) \quad \text{so}$$



This big O is called Asymptotic notation

We also have some other Asymptotic notations like Θ , Σ etc.

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Suppose we have two algorithms

$$\text{Algo 1: } T(n) = 5n^2 + 7 \quad \begin{cases} \text{Based on some} \\ \text{Model Machine} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Algo 2: } T(n) = 17n^2 + 6n + 8$$

Q) So why we only take n and not constants in Asymptotic notations.

Ans) Generally we see for larger values of n say $n = \infty$

So that makes other constants and lesser power of n insignificant as compared to larger powers (2)

$$\text{Eg: } ① 17n^2 + 6n + 8 \quad \text{and } 5n^2 + 7$$

If $n = 0$ this is very huge as compared to so we just consider n^2

The both equation will have same behaviour for bigger values of n .

Do we define the nature of rate of growth of time in terms of some Asymptotic notations?

1) O - "big-oh" notation \Rightarrow

Suppose we have a non-negative function $f(n)$ which takes a non-negative argument say n .

then

$O(g(n))$ is defined as the set of all the functions $n \leq f(n)$

or $\{f(n) : \text{there exist constants } C \text{ and } n_0 \text{ such that } f(n) \leq C \times g(n), \text{ for } n \geq n_0\}$

?

e.g:

$$f(n) = 5n^2 + 2n + 1$$

$$g(n) = n^2$$

these two will always be lesser than

$$8n^2 \text{ so } 8n^2 \geq f(n) \quad \cancel{\text{if}}$$

$$C = 5 + 2 + 1 = 8$$

$$n_0 = 1$$

then

$$O(n^2)$$

which is,

$$\cancel{C \times g(n)}$$

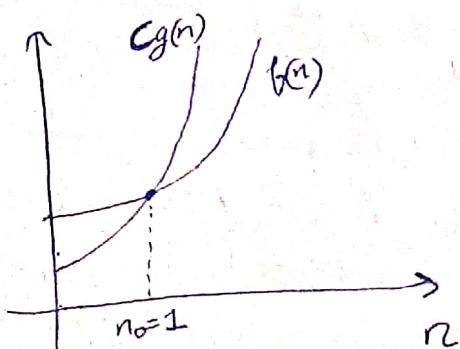
$$8n^3, 8 \times 2^n, \dots$$

but

nearest/tight

$$\text{is } 8n^2$$

so



So this gives us the upper bound of rate of growth of a function

i.e time can't grow faster than this

Note: \rightarrow We can choose C and n_0 but the conditions will still be valid

2) Ω - Omega notation:

Suppose if we have the function $g(n)$ which takes positive argument n then

$$\Omega(g(n)) = \{ f(n) : \text{there exist constants } c \text{ and } n_0 \text{ such that}$$

$$cg(n) \leq f(n) \text{ for } n \geq n_0$$

egs

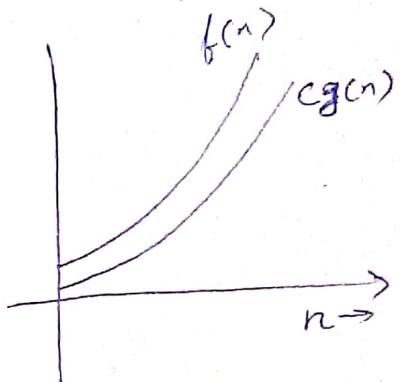
$$f(n) = 5n^2 + 2n + 1$$

$$g(n) = n^2$$

$$c = 5$$

$$5n^2 \leq f(n)$$

$$n_0 = 0$$



so we may say $f(n) \in \Omega(n^2)$

so Omega notation gives us lower bound of a function i.e. atleast the time will grow with this rate

3) Θ - Theta notation.

It says if we have a +ve factor $g(n)$ that takes the argument

~~(1)~~ then

$$\Theta(g(n)) = \{ f(n) : \text{there exist constants } c_1 \text{ and } c_2 \text{ and } n_0 \text{ such that}$$

$$c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n)$$

$$\text{for } n \geq n_0$$

$$\text{eg: } f(n) = 5n^2 + 2n + 1$$

$$g(n) = n^2$$

$$c_1 = 5$$

$$c_2 = 8$$

$$n_0 = 1$$

$$\Theta(n^2)$$

If we choose them then conditions of Θ holds

Θ Theta notation give the best idea about the rate of growth of execution time because it gives us a tight bound unlike Big Oh and Omega which gives us upper bound and lower bound



Time Complexity analysis - asymptotic notations

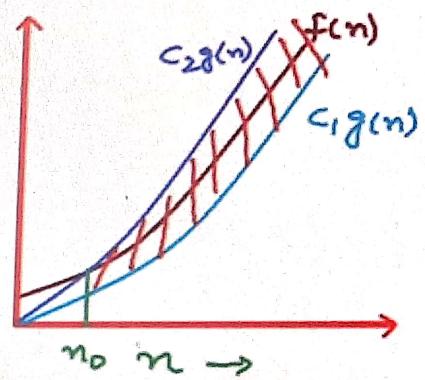
Θ - Theta notation - Tight bound

$$\Theta(g(n)) = \left\{ f(n) : \text{there exist constants } c_1, c_2 \text{ and } n_0, \right.$$
$$c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n),$$
$$\left. \text{for } n \geq n_0 \right\}$$

$$f(n) = 5n^2 + 2n + 1 = \Theta(n^2)$$

$$g(n) = n^2$$

$$c_1 = 5, c_2 = 8, n_0 = 1$$



Time Complexity Analysis - some general rules.

We analyze time complexity for:

- ↗ a) Very large input size
- ↗ b) Worst case scenario.

Suppose this is the **time** function: $\rightarrow T(n) = n^3 + 3n^2 + 4n + 2$

So

- Rule 3)
- a) Drop all the lower order terms
 - b) Drop constant multipliers

eg: $T(n) = 17n^4 + 3n^3 + 4n + 8$

Rule a) $17n^4$

Rule b) n^4

So

$$O(n^4)$$

eg: $16n + \log n$

Rule a) $16n$

Rule b) n

So

$$O(n) \text{ or } \Theta(n)$$

Rule: We can calculate the running time of an algorithm by summing the running time of all fragments

a) All the simple declaration run in constant time $O(1)$

eg: $\{ \text{int } a; \} \quad \{ +, -, =, == \}$
 $a = 5$
 $a++$

b) If we have a loop then time complexity will be the number of times the loop runs multiplied by the running time of statements inside

c) If nested loops are there then also we multiply considering one at a time

eg: $\text{for } (i=0; i < n; i++)$
 $\quad \quad \quad \{ \text{Simple } \frac{n+1}{2} \}$
 $\quad \quad \quad \Rightarrow O(n)$

eg: $\text{for } ()$
 $\quad \quad \quad \{ \text{for } ()$
 $\quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \{ \text{statements} \rightarrow \frac{n \times n \times d}{2} = \frac{n^2}{2}$
 $\quad \quad \quad \Rightarrow O(n^2)$

Suppose we have a program like this

```
int a;  
a = 5;  
a++;  
  
for (i=0; i<n; i++)  
    {  
        // Some statements  
        {  
            for (j=0; j<n; j++)  
                {  
                    // Some statements  
                    {  
                }  
        }  
    }  
}
```

$$T(n) = \overbrace{O(1) + O(n) + O(n^2)}^{O(n^2)}$$

because for very large values of n the bracketed part becomes insignificant.

Rule: \Rightarrow So the non. will always be taken

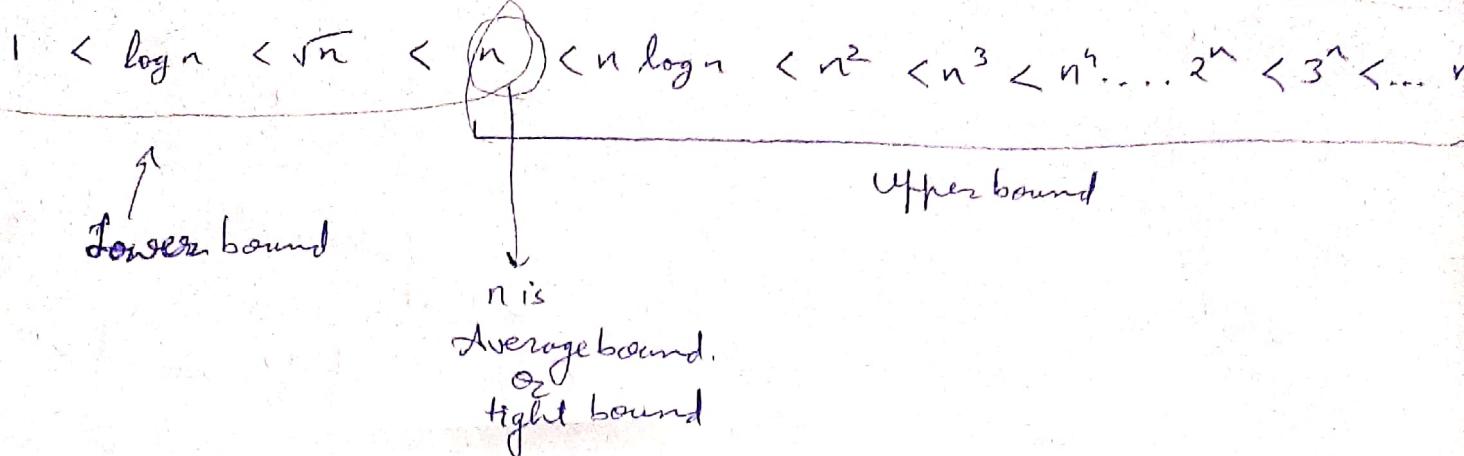
Suppose we have a program

```
if (some condition)  
{  
    for (i=0; i<n; i++)  
        {  
            // Some statement  
        }  
}  
  
else  
{  
    for (i=0; i<n; i++)  
        {  
            for (j=0; j<n; j++)  
                {  
                    // Some statement  
                }  
        }  
}
```

Time complexity will be this if the condition is true else

Time complexity will be this

Note: \Rightarrow We always consider time complexity for worst case as discussed earlier



1) O - big-Oh

The function $f(n) = O(g(n))$ if and only if there exist a +ve constant C and n_0 such that

$$f(n) \leq C * g(n) \quad \forall n \geq n_0$$

eg: $f(n) = 2n+3$ $n_0 = 1$

$$2n+3 \leq C * g(n)$$

* Note: Always consider the greatest value.

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &\leq n & \times \\ 2 &\leq n & \times \\ 3 &\leq n & \times \\ 4 &\leq n & \times \\ 5 &\leq n & \checkmark \quad \text{condition satisfies after this} \\ 6 &\leq n & \checkmark \quad \text{as we can write} \end{aligned}$$

So time complexity is $f(n) = \underline{\Theta(n)}$

$$5n^2, 5n^2, 5n^3, 5n^{10}, 52^n, 53^n, \dots$$

2) Ω - Omega notation :-

The function $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$ if and only if there exist a +ve constant C and n_0 such that

$$f(n) \geq C * g(n) \quad \text{where } n \geq n_0 \quad \text{and } \underline{n_0 = 1}$$

eg: $f(n) = 2n+3$

$$2n+3 \geq C * g(n)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \times n &\checkmark \\ 1 \times \log n &\checkmark \quad \text{so best because } 13 \log n \text{ is } \log n \\ 1 \times \sqrt{n} &\checkmark \end{aligned}$$

3) Θ - Theta notation :-

$$C_1 * g(n) \leq f(n) \leq C_2 * g(n)$$

$\Theta(n)$ always depend on Upperbound
Lowerbound e.g. $n^2, n^3, 2^n$
so not

general rules

1. ignore constants

$$5n \rightarrow O(n)$$

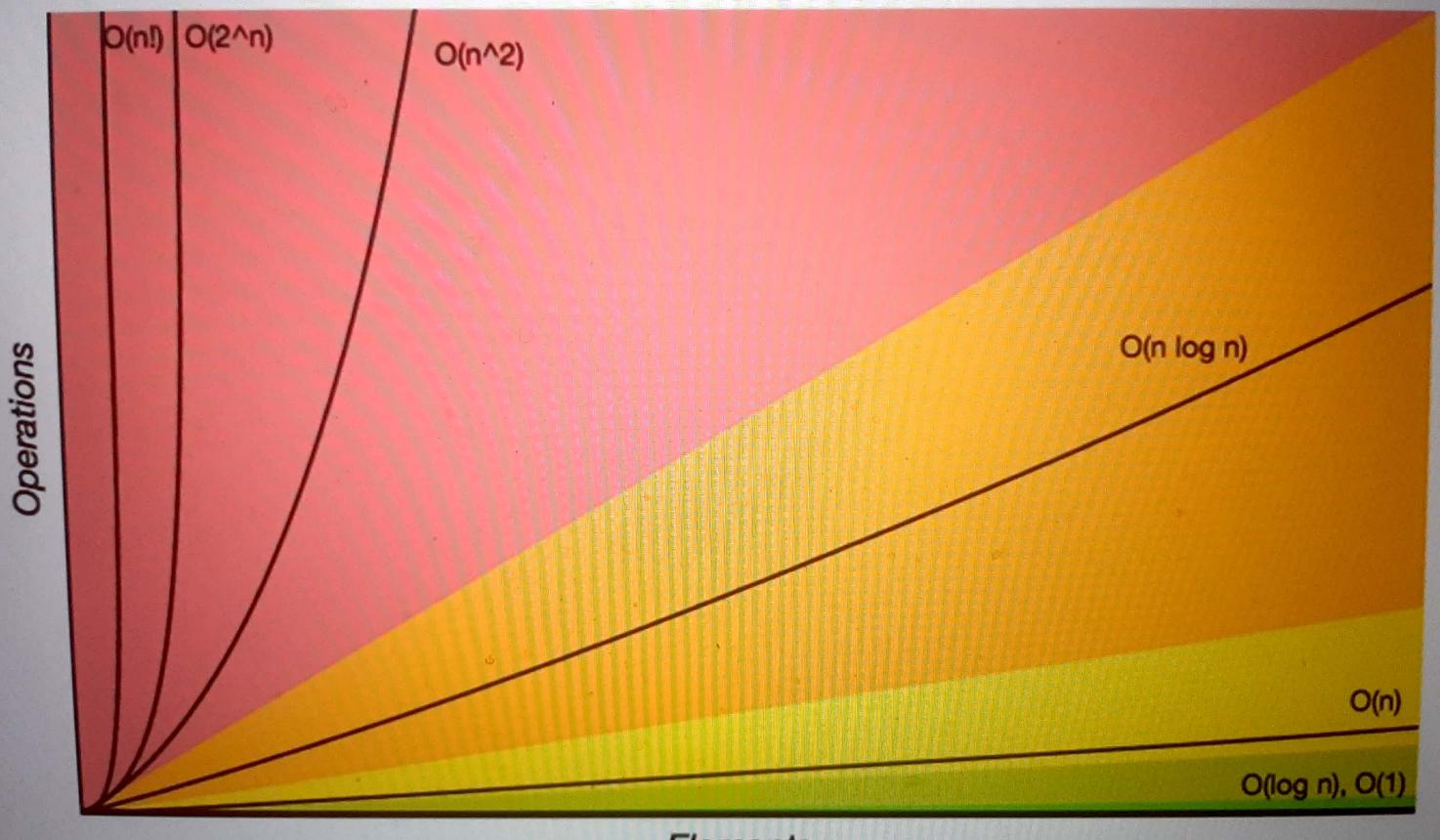
2. certain terms "dominate" others

$$O(1) < O(\log n) < O(n) < O(n \log n) < O(n^2) < O(2^n) < O(n!)$$

i.e., ignore low-order terms

Big-O Complexity Chart

Horrible Bad Fair Good Excellent



Operations

Elements

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```
x = 5 + (15 * 20);  
y = 15 - 2;  
print x + y;
```

total time = $O(1)$ + $O(1)$ + $O(1)$ = $O(1)$
 $3 * O(1)$

```
y = 5 + (15 * 20);           O(1)  
for x in range (0, n): } O(N)  
    print x;
```

total time = $O(1) + O(N) = O(N)$



in practice

1. constants matter
2. be cognizant of best-case and average-case

Constant time:
 $x = 5 + (15 * 20);$

this basic computer step doesn't depend on anything in my way and we say it gets computed in constant time.

$1+1+1=3$ is a const. So generally we can take 1 only

so $\Omega(1) = O(3)$

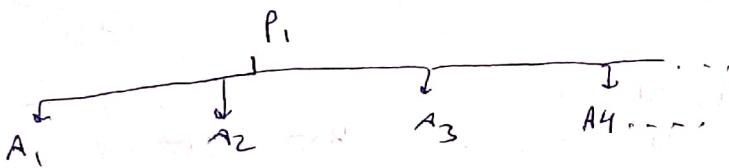
For Comp sci we have some problems

In order to solve them we write

Codes/programs in C, C++, Python

but before directly writing the program we must write our ~~algo~~ logic in an informal language i.e. making a blueprint which is called as algorithm.

Like there is some problem then it can have many solutions or algorithm.



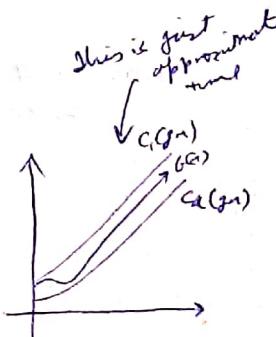
So how to choose the best soln. It is chosen based on time and memory.

- 1) Time Best Algorithm is one which takes less time and memory.
- 2) Memory so Design and Analyse

Practical significance of Asymptotic notations

- 1) O worst case
- 2) Ω best case
- 3) Θ Average

* We are always interested in the worst case of any algorithm.



Ex:

5	6	7	8	3	12	14	15
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let the size of this array be n.
 we will do linear search

so in best case if $x=5$ we can find it on 1st location only. so $\Omega(1)$

and worst case is

$O(n)$

when best case and worst case are same then we use ~~best~~ the Average case

- # There are two types of Algorithms as we will either use loop or recursion to solve problem
- 1) Iterative Algorithms → eg: $f(i=1)$, while, do-while etc.
 - 2) Recursive Algorithm → eg: $A(n) \begin{cases} \dots & \text{if } c \\ A(n_2) & \end{cases}$ i.e. If a function calling itself

Note: → Any ~~the~~ Iterative Algorithm can be written in Recursive Alg. and vice-versa
So both are equivalent in power

Analysis wise they both are different. i.e. Iterative and Recursive.

Note: → If Algorithm doesn't contain either iteration or recursion then it means that there is no dependency on input size which means that running time for such algorithm will be a constant value.

Eg:

```

A()
{
    int i;
    for(i=1 to n)
        Pf("To do");
}
So O(n)

```

A()

```

{
    i=1
    for(i=1; i^2 <= n; i++)
        Pf("To do");
}

```

i
1
2
3
4
k
 $k^2 > n$
 $k = \sqrt{n}$
 $O(\sqrt{n})$
or
 $O(\sqrt{n})$

Eg: A()

```

{
    i=1; s=1;
    while(s <= n)
        {
            i++;
            s = s + i;
            Pf("Pari");
        }
}
So O(sqrt(n))

```

so $\frac{k(k+1)}{2}$

$$\frac{k(k+1)}{2} > n \Rightarrow k^2 + k > 2n$$

$$k^2$$

s	i
1	1
3	2
6	3
10	4
15	5
21	6
⋮	⋮
$(n+k)$	$n+k$

so increment in i is linear but s depends on i.

$$k^2 + k > 2n$$

$$k^2 > n$$

$$k > \sqrt{n}$$

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

At $s > n$, it will stop

#

A()

{}

int i, j, k, n;
for (i=1; i<=n; i++)it is running
from 1 to n

{ for (j=1; j<=i; j++)

it depends on i

{ for (k=1; k<=100; k++)

it is independent

{ pf ("rawi")

{

{ ↳ bracket }

so total no. of times this $Pf("rawi")$ will get executed is sum of all k

$$100 + 200 + 300 + \dots + n \times 100 \\ \Rightarrow 1 \times 100 + 2 \times 100 + 3 \times 100 + \dots + n \times 100$$

$$\Rightarrow 100(1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n)$$

$$\Rightarrow 100 \times \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 50(n^2 + n)$$

$$\text{So } \underline{\mathcal{O}(n^2)}$$

i	j	k	
1 time	1 time	100 times	1 \times 100
2 times	2 times	200 times	2 \times 100
3 times	3 times	300 times	\vdots
n times	n times	n \times 100 times	+ f

Note: → After full execution of loop at termination
the value of j again becomes 1. or goes to what was before

A()

{ int i, j, k, n;	so it will run from 1 to n
for (i=1; i<=n; i++)	it depends on i
{ for (j=1; j<=i; j++)	it will run from 1 to n/2
{ for (k=1; k<=n/2; k++)	
{ pf ("Todesb");	
{	
{	

$$\frac{n}{2} * 1 + \frac{n}{2} * 4 + \frac{n}{2} * 9 + \dots + \frac{n}{2} * n^2$$

$$\frac{n}{2} (1 + 4 + 9 + 16 + \dots + n^2)$$

$$\frac{n}{2} \times \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

$$\underline{\mathcal{O}(n^3)}$$

A(1)

Σ for ($i=1, i < n; i = i \times 2$)

Pf ("Radeeb")

{

$O(\log_2 n)$

i
 $1 \text{ or } 2^0$
 $2 \text{ or } 2^1$
 $4 \text{ or } 2^2$
 $8 \text{ or } 2^3$
 \vdots

$2^k \quad 2^k \geq n$

$k \log_2 \geq \log_2 n$

$k \geq \log n$

#

Note \Rightarrow

So always remember

whenever i is running from 1 to n and incrementation is in terms of
loop

1 to n and incrementation is in terms of
~~2~~ $i.e. i = i \times 2$

then time complexity will be $O(\log_2 n)$

if $i = i \times 3$

then time complexity will be $O(\log_3 n)$

and so on ..

A(0)

int $i, j, k;$

for ($i=n/2, i < n; i++$)

{ for ($j=1, j \leq n/2, j++$)

{ for ($k=1; k \leq n; k = k + 2$)

Pf ("raavi")

{

$$n=6 \text{ so } n/2 = 3$$

i	j	k
3	1 ✓	1 ✓
4 ✓	2 ✓	2 ✓
5 ✓	3 ✓	4 ✓
6	4 ✗	8 ✗
X		

* $i \quad j \quad k$
 $n/2 \text{ times } n/2 \text{ times } \log_2 n^2$

* So all loops are independent.

So no need to unroll the loops as we did in earlier questions so

$$n/2 \times n/2 \times \log_2 n^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n^2}{2} \log_2 n^2$$

$$O(n^2 \log_2 n)$$

A(1)

$$(o = \frac{1}{3} \times 3 \text{ loop} + 2 \times 3 \text{ loop} + 3 \times 3 \text{ loop} = 9 \text{ loop})$$

$\sum \text{int } i, j, k;$

for ($i = n/2$; $i \leq n$; $i++$)

$\sum \text{for } (j = 1; j \leq n; j = 2 * j)$

$\sum \text{for } (k = 1; k \leq n; k = k * 2)$
Pf ("Todeeb")

$i \quad j \quad k$
 $n/2 \text{ times} \quad \log_2 n \quad \log_2 n$

all are independent

so

$$\frac{n}{2} \times \log_2 n \times \log_2 n$$

$$O\left(\frac{n}{2} (\log_2 n)^2\right)$$

Assuming $n \geq 2$

A(1)

$\sum \text{while } (n > 1)$

$\sum n = n/2$

\sum

\sum

n
2^1
2^2
2^3
2^4

2^3
done

~~so $n/2$~~

when n is increasing with powers of 2

2^3
done

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done

say loop is stopping here, so
 $2^k = n$

$$k = \log_2 n$$

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A()

Σ int $n = 2^k$;
for ($i=1$; $i \leq n$, $i++$)

Σ $j=2$
while ($j \leq n$)

Σ $j=j^2$
pf ("ravi");

Σ
 Σ

i	j	2^1	2^2
1	2	2^1	2^2
2	4	2^2	2^4
3	16	2^4	2^8
4	256	2^8	2^{16}
...		2^{16}	2^{32}
n		2^{32}	2^{64}

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13
256
 2^{64}
 2^{32}
 2^{16}
 2^8
 2^4
 2^2
 2^1

As i is depending on n so
 $n = 2^k$ lets take

- $k=1$
 $n = 2^1 = 4$

so for this value
 j will run $2 \sqrt{ } \quad \text{two times}$.
 $4 \sqrt{ } \quad \text{and because of for loop, it will}$
get ~~repeated~~ n times so $n \times 2$
~~repeated~~

- if $k=2$
 $n = 2^2 = 16$
 j will run $2, 4, 16 \rightarrow \text{three times}$
and $n \times 3$

- if $k=3$
 $n = 2^3 = 256$ so j will run
 $2, 4, 16, 256 \rightarrow 4 \text{ times}$
 $4 \times n$

so for $k=k$ $(k+1) \times n$

So $(k+1) \times n$ times this algorithm will run.
in terms of only n .

as $n = 2^{2^k}$ $\log_2 n = 2^k \log_2 2$

so ~~$\log_2(\log_2 n + 1) \times n$~~ $\log_2(\log_2 n) = k$

so ~~$n \log_2 k$~~

~~$\Theta(n \log_2 k)$~~

Hence

$$(\log_2(\log_2 n) + 1) n$$

$$n \log_2(\log_2 n) + n$$

$$\Theta(n \log_2(\log_2 n)) \checkmark$$

~~$\Theta(n \log_2 k)$~~
 ~~$\Theta(n \log_2 \log_2 n)$~~
 ~~$\Theta(n \log_2 \log_2 n)$~~

Master's Theorem.

$$T(n) = a(T(\frac{n}{b}) + \Theta(n^{k \log^p n})$$

If recursion statements is like this and follows

$\cancel{\text{if}} \quad \underline{a \geq 1, b \geq 1, k \geq 1}, p = \text{Real Number}$

Case 1: If $a > b^k$, then $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$

Case 2: If $a = b^k$, then (i) If $p > -1$ then $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a \cdot \log^{p+1} n})$
 (ii) If $p = -1$ then $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a \log \log n})$
 (iii) If $p < -1$ then $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$

Q: $T(n) = 4T(\frac{n}{2}) + n^2$

$$a = 4$$

$$b = 2$$

$$k = 1$$

$$p = 0$$

now

$$a > b^k$$

$$4 > 2^1 \quad \checkmark$$

so

Case 1 is satisfied then $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 4})$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$$

Q: $T(n) = 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + n \log n$

A:

$$a = 2$$

$$b = 2$$

$$k = 1$$

$$p = 1$$

Case 2 satisfies

and $p > -1$ then $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 2 \cdot \log^2 n})$

$$\cancel{\text{if}} \quad = \Theta(n \log^2 n)$$

Q: $T(n) = 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + n \cancel{\log n}$

$$a = 2$$

$$b = 2$$

$$p = -1$$

$$k = 1$$

Case 2:

$$p = -1 \Rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 2 \log \log n})$$

$$= \Theta(n \log(\log n))$$

$$\Theta) T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 2 \\ b &= 2 \\ p &= 0 \\ k &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{Case 3} \\ &a = \Theta(n^k \lg^p n) \\ &(n^2 \lg^0 n) \\ &\Theta(n^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n$$

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 0 \\ p &= 0 \\ k &= 1 \\ b &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

Case 3
 $a < b^k$
 $\Theta < 2^k$

$$P \geq 0$$

~~n log n~~

$$\Theta) T(n) = 3T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + \frac{n^2}{\log n}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 3 \\ b &= 2 \\ p &= -1 \\ k &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3 &< 2^2 \\ \text{so } a &< b^k \\ \text{Case 3} \\ P &< 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Theta(n^2)$$

$$T(n) = 16^n T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 16^n & 16^n & 3^{-1} \\ b &= 3 & 16^n & > \frac{1}{3} \\ k &= -1 & & \\ p &= 0 & & \end{aligned}$$

~~$\Theta\left(\frac{\log 16^n}{3}\right)$~~

We can't solve it using masters theorem as it is not in that form.

Recursive Algorithm :-

A(n)

{ if()

return(A($\frac{n}{2}$) + A($\frac{n}{2}$))

}

The way we found out time complexity for Iterative Algorithms is very much different for Recursive Algorithm i.e. the reason is there is nothing to count here.

Let us assume, in order to solve A(n) time taken is $T(n)$, for if condition the time taken will be constant, and now the time taken for calling $A(\frac{n}{2})$ is $2T(\frac{n}{2})$ as time taken for $A(1)$ is $T(1)$.

so

Total time taken for the function is

$$T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + C \quad \rightarrow \text{This is the recursive function now how to solve them.}$$

1st way) Back Substitution. (It can be applied on all Recursive Algo. but it is slow)

eg:

A(n)

{ if (n>1)

return (A(n-1))

}

$$\text{so } T(n) = T(n-1) + 1 \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{now } T(n-1) = T(n-2) + 1 \dots \textcircled{2}$$

$$T(n-2) = T(n-3) + 1 \dots \textcircled{3}$$

now substitute eqn \textcircled{2} in \textcircled{1}

$$T(n) = T(n-2) + 2$$

now substitute eqn \textcircled{3} in the above eqn \Rightarrow

$$T(n) = T(n-3) + 3$$

$\vdots k$ terms

$$T(n) = T(\cancel{n-k}) + k$$

$$\text{so } n-k = 1$$

$$k = n-1$$

so for this value of k It will become

1

Now where to stop, so see eqn 1 is valid only when $n > 1$

$$\text{i.e. } T(n) = T(n-1) + 1 \quad n > 1$$

so at some point it will reach 1 and we will stop.

$$T(n) = T(\cancel{n-1}) + 1 \\ = 1$$