

1. Find the value of $T(2)$ for the recurrence relation $T(n) = 3T(n-1) + 12n$, given that $T(0)=5$.

Ans= We are given the recurrence relation:

$$T(n) = 3T(n-1) + 12n$$

with the base case:

$$T(0) = 5$$

We need to find $T(2)$.

Step 1: Compute $T(1)$

Using the recurrence relation:

$$T(1) = 3T(0) + 12(1) = 3(5) + 12(1) = 15 + 12 = 27$$

Substituting $T(0) = 5$:

$$T(1) = 3(5) + 12(1) = 15 + 12 = 27$$

Step 2: Compute $T(2)$

Now, using the recurrence relation again:

$$T(2) = 3T(1) + 12(2) = 3(27) + 12(2) = 81 + 24 = 105$$

Substituting $T(1) = 27$:

$$T(2) = 3(27) + 12(2) = 81 + 24 = 105$$

Final Answer: 105

2. Given a recurrence relation, solve it using the substitution method:

a. $T(n) = T(n-1) + c$

b. $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n$

c. $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + c$

d. $T(n) = T(n/2) + c$

Ans==

1. (a) $T(n) = T(n-1) + c$

This is a simple arithmetic recurrence.

Expanding the recurrence:

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= T(n-1) + c \\ T(n-1) &= T(n-2) + c \\ T(n-2) &= T(n-3) + c \end{aligned}$$

Continuing this process, after k steps:

$$T(n-k) = T(n-k-1) + c$$

When $k = n$, we reach the base case $T(0)$.



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$$T(n) = T(0) + nc \quad T(n) = T(0) + nc$$

Final Solution:

$$T(n) = T(0) + nc \quad T(n) = T(0) + nc$$

$$2. (b) \quad T(n) = 2T(n/2)$$

$+ n$ $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n$ This is a divide-and-conquer recurrence.

Expanding the recurrence:

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n \quad T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n \quad T(n/2) = 2T(n/4) + n/2 \quad T(n/2) = 2T(n/4) + n/2$$

Substituting this into the first equation:

$$T(n) = 2[2T(n/4) + n/2] + n \quad T(n) = 2[2T(n/4) + n/2] + n = 4T(n/4) + 2(n/2) + n = 4T(n/4) + 2(n/2) + n = 4T(n/4) + n + n = 4T(n/4) + 2n = 4T(n/4) + 2n$$

Expanding further:

$$T(n) = 8T(n/8) + 3n \quad T(n) = 8T(n/8) + 3n \text{ After } k \text{ steps, we get:}$$

$$T(n) = 2^k T(n/2^k) + kn \quad T(n) = 2^k T(n/2^k) + kn$$

Since the recurrence reduces the problem size by half each time, we set

$$n/2^k = 1 \quad n/2^k = 1, \text{ so } k = \log_2 n \quad k = \log_2 n.$$

Substituting $k = \log_2 n$ $k = \log_2 n$:

$$T(n) = 2^{\log_2 n} T(1) + n \log_2 n \quad T(n) = 2^{\log_2 n} T(1) + n \log_2 n \text{ Since } 2^{\log_2 n} = n \quad 2^{\log_2 n} = n, \text{ we get:}$$

$$T(n) = nT(1) + n \log_2 n \quad T(n) = nT(1) + n \log_2 n \text{ If } T(1) \text{ is a constant } c, \text{ then:}$$

$$T(n) = O(n \log n) \quad T(n) = O(n \log n)$$

$$3. (c) \quad T(n) = 2T(n/2)$$

$$+ c \quad T(n) = 2T(n/2) + c$$

This is another divide-and-conquer recurrence, but with a constant term.

Expanding the recurrence:

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + c \quad T(n) = 2T(n/2) + c \quad T(n/2) = 2T(n/4) + c \quad T(n/2) = 2T(n/4) + c$$

Substituting:

$$T(n) = 2[2T(n/4) + c] + c \quad T(n) = 2[2T(n/4) + c] + c = 4T(n/4) + 2c + c = 4T(n/4) + 2c + c = 4T(n/4) + 3c = 4T(n/4) + 3c$$

Expanding further:

$$T(n) = 8T(n/8) + 7c \quad T(n) = 8T(n/8) + 7c$$



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$T(n) = 2k T(n/2^k) + (2^k - 1)c$ Setting $n/2^k = 1$ $n/2^k = 1$, so $k = \log_2 n$ $k = \log_2 n$:

$T(n) = 2 \log_2 n T(1) + (2 \log_2 n - 1)c$ Since $2 \log_2 n = n$, we get:

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

For constant $T(1)$, this simplifies to:

$$T(n) = O(n)$$

$$4. (d) T(n) = T(n/2)$$

$$+ c \quad T(n) = T(n/2) + c$$

This recurrence reduces the problem size by half in each step.

Expanding the recurrence:

$$T(n) = T(n/2) + c \quad T(n/2) = T(n/4) + c \quad T(n/4) = T(n/8) + c$$

Substituting:

$$T(n) = [T(n/4) + c] + c \quad T(n) = [T(n/8) + c] + c + c = T(n/8) + 3c$$

Expanding further:

$$T(n) = T(n/8) + 3c$$

$$T(n) = T(n/2^k) + kc \quad \text{Setting } n/2^k = 1 \quad n/2^k = 1, \text{ so } k = \log_2 n \quad k = \log_2 n:$$

$$T(n) = T(1) + c \log_2 n \quad T(n) = T(1) + c \log_2 n \quad \text{For constant } T(1), \text{ we get:}$$

$$T(n) = O(\log n)$$

3. Given a recurrence relation, solve it using the recursive tree approach:

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

$$1. (a) T(n) = 2T(n-1)$$

$$+ 1 \quad T(n) = 2T(n-1) + 1$$

Expanding the recurrence (recursive tree method)

Expanding the recurrence step by step:

$$T(n) = 2T(n-1) + 1 \quad T(n-1) = 2T(n-2) + 1 \quad T(n-2) = 2T(n-3) + 1$$

Substituting

$$T(n-1) \text{ into } T(n):$$

$$T(n) = 2[2T(n-2) + 1] + 1 \quad T(n) = 2[2T(n-2) + 1] + 1 = 4T(n-2) + 3$$

$$T(n-2) = 2T(n-3) + 1 \quad T(n-2) = 2T(n-3) + 1$$



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Substituting:

$$T(n) = 8T(n-3) + 7 \quad \text{After } k \text{ steps:}$$

$$T(n) = 2^k T(n-k) + (2^k - 1) \quad \text{Finding } k \text{ We reach the base case } T(0) \text{ when } k = n:$$

$$T(n) = 2^n T(0) + (2^n - 1) \quad \text{Assuming } T(0) = c \quad T(0) = c:$$

$$T(n) = 2^n c + (2^n - 1) \quad \text{For large } n, \text{ the dominant term is } 2^n, \text{ so:}$$

$$T(n) = O(2^n)$$

b. $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n$

Ans == (b)

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

This is a divide-and-conquer recurrence.

Expanding the recurrence (recursive tree method)

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

Expanding further:

$$T(n/2) = 2T(n/4) + n/2$$

Substituting:

$$T(n) = 2[2T(n/4) + n/2] + n = 4T(n/4) + 2(n/2) + n = 4T(n/4) + 2n$$

$$T(n) = 8T(n/8) + 3n \quad \text{Continuing this expansion, after } k \text{ levels:}$$

$$T(n) = 2^k T(n/2^k) + kn \quad \text{Finding } k \text{ We reach the base case when } n/2^k = 1, \text{ so:}$$

$$2^k = n \Rightarrow k = \log_2 n \quad \text{Substituting } k = \log_2 n:$$

$$T(n) = 2^{\log_2 n} T(1) + n \log_2 n = n T(1) + n \log_2 n \quad \text{Since } 2^{\log_2 n} = n, \text{ we get:}$$

$$T(n) = n T(1) + n \log_2 n \quad \text{For constant } T(1), \text{ this simplifies to:}$$

$$T(n) = O(n \log n)$$



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