

Solution for fibonacci number:-

$$f(n) = f(n-1) + f(n-2) \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

Step 1:- put $f(n) = \alpha^n$ (constant = α)

$$\alpha^n = \alpha^{n-1} + \alpha^{n-2}$$

Divide by α^{n-2}

$$\alpha^2 - \alpha - 1 = 0 \quad \leftarrow \text{characteristic eq}^n \text{ of recurrence}$$

roots of quadratic equation by $\frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

$$\alpha = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\alpha_1 = \frac{1 - \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\alpha_2 = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

Step 2:- $f(n) = c_1 \alpha_1^n + c_2 \alpha_2^n$ is a fibonacci solⁿ

\uparrow
 $f(n-1)$

\downarrow
 $f(n-2)$

$$f(n) = c_1 \left(\frac{1 - \sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n + c_2 \left(\frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Step 3:- No. of roots = No. of answers you have already

Here we have 2 roots α_1 and α_2
 $f(0) = 0$ and $f(1) = 1$

$$f(0) = 0 = c_1 + c_2 \rightarrow c_1 = -c_2 \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

$$f(1) = 1 = c_1 \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^1 + c_2 \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^1$$

from (iii),

$$1 = c_1 \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right) - c_1 \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)$$

$$c_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \quad c_2 = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$f(n) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n - \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n$$

$$f(n) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n \right]$$

Complexity = $O\left(\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^n\right)$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$
this will be close too
(Hence, this will be
ignored)

$$T(n) = O(1.618)^n$$

Golden ratio

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return (int)(Math.pow((1 + Math.sqrt(5))/2), n) -  
Math.pow((1 - Math.sqrt(5))/2), n) /  
Math.sqrt(5))
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