

DIGGING DOWN - ONE MORE EXAMPLE!

$$T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + n \quad \text{w/ } T(1) = 7$$

we get

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= 2T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + n && \text{w/ } T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) \\ &= 2\left[2T\left(\frac{n}{3^2}\right) + \frac{n}{3}\right] + n && \text{w/ } T\left(\frac{n}{3^2}\right) \\ &= 2^2 T\left(\frac{n}{3^2}\right) + \frac{2}{3}n + n \\ &= 2^2\left[2T\left(\frac{n}{3^3}\right) + \frac{n}{3^2}\right] + \frac{2}{3}n + n \\ &= 2^3 T\left(\frac{n}{3^3}\right) + \frac{2^2}{3^2}n + \frac{2}{3}n + n \quad \leftarrow \text{nicer un-summed!} \\ &= \dots \text{ what's the general expression} \\ &= 2^k T\left(\frac{n}{3^k}\right) + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^i n \end{aligned}$$

ends when $\frac{n}{3^k} = 1$ so $3^k = n$ so $k = \log_3 n$

then

$$T(n) = 2^{\log_3 n} T(1) + n \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^i \quad \leftarrow \text{correct but } \ddot{\smile}$$

$$T(n) = 2^{\log_3 n} (7) + n \left[\frac{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^k - 1}{\frac{2}{3} - 1} \right] = 2^{\log_3 n} (7) - 3n \left[\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{\log_3 n} - 1 \right]$$

$$\text{now: } 2^{\log_3 n} = 2^{\frac{\log_2 n}{\log_2 3}} = (2^{\log_2 n})^{1/\log_2 3} = n^{\log_3 2}$$

$$\text{so } T(n) = 7n^{\log_3 2} - 3n \left[\frac{n^{\log_3 2}}{n} - 1 \right]$$

$$T(n) = 7n^{\log_3 2} - 3n^{\log_3 2} + 3n$$

$$T(n) = 4n^{\log_3 2} + 3n \quad \leftarrow \text{oh how sweet it is!}$$

$$\text{note } \log_3 2 < 1 \quad \text{so } T(n) = \Theta(n)$$



$$\textcircled{*} \text{ Think } T(\blacksquare) = 2T\left(\frac{\blacksquare}{3}\right) + \blacksquare$$

 \blacksquare = anything except 1.

$$\sum_{i=0}^m a^i = \frac{a^{m+1} - 1}{a - 1}$$

Log C.O.B:

$$\log_a b = \frac{\log_c b}{\log_c a}$$

special case:

$$\log_a b = \frac{\log_b b}{\log_b a} = \frac{1}{\log_b a}$$

Recurrence Trees

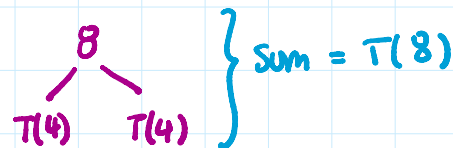
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① How might we analyze recurrence relns. differently?

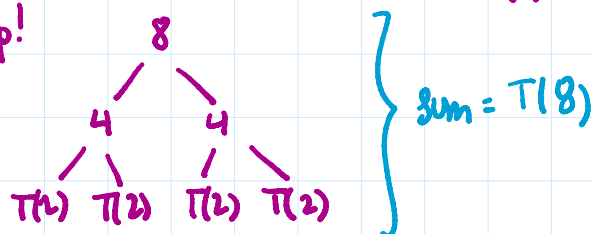
ex Consider $T(n) = 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + n$ w/ $T(1) = 3$

Let's find $T(8)$.

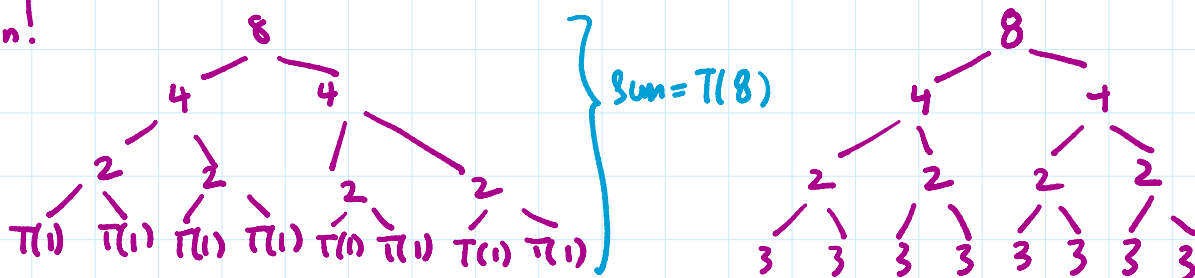
Hmm... $T(8)$... let's draw a tree! First



one more step!



and again!

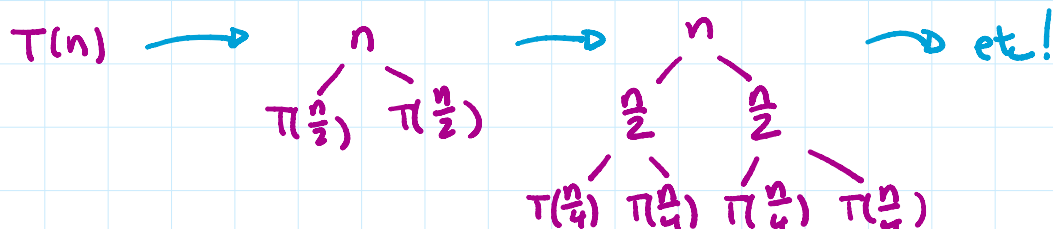


$$\text{so } T(8) = 8 + 4 + 4 + 2 + 2 + 2 + 2 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 = \dots$$

② What did we do? we used the R.R. to expand down until the leaves are $T(1)$, then add all the entries to get our $T(8)$. This works neatly for specific numbers. How about for $T(n)$ in general? we'll do the same thing just more carefully...

ex $T(n) = 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + n$ w/ $T(1) = 7$

Tree time!




this would go until the leaves are $T(1)$.

Think levels w/ level $i=0$ being the top
 $i=1$ next down, etc

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 Let's make a table!

level	# nodes	time/node	level total = (#nodes)(time/node)
0	1	n	n
1	2	$n/2$	n
2	4	$n/4$	n
\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots
$(\lg n) - 1$	$2^{\lg n - 1}$	$n/2^{\lg n - 1}$	n
$\lg n$	$2^{\lg n}$	7 	$7 \cdot 2^{\lg n}$

bk leaves
 are $T(1) = 7$

Total sum $T(n)$ = sum of rightmost column!

$$T(n) = n(\lg n) + 7 \cdot 2^{\lg n}$$

$$T(n) = n \lg n + 7n = \Theta(n \lg n)$$