

CSE 2321   Foundations I   Spring 2024   Dr. Estill  
Homework 6   Due: Friday, March 8

Write a recurrence relation describing the worst case running time of each the following algorithms and make a guess about the asymptotic complexity of the functions defined by the recurrence relation using either expanding into a series or a recursion tree.

$A[i \dots j]$  represents an array of  $n = j - i + 1$  numbers starting at index  $i$  and ending at index  $j$  and  $A[k]$  represents the value at index  $k$ .

*(20 points each)*

1.) FUNCTION  $F_1(A[1 \dots n])$

```
IF  $n \leq 5$  THEN RETURN( $A[n]$ )
 $x \leftarrow 0$ 
FOR  $i \leftarrow 1$  TO 5 DO
  BEGIN (FOR  $i$ )
    FOR  $j \leftarrow 1$  TO  $n - 4$  DO
       $A[i] \leftarrow A[j] + A[j + 2]$ 
       $x \leftarrow x + F_1(A[1 \dots \lfloor n/2 \rfloor])$ 
    END
  RETURN( $x$ )
```

2.) FUNCTION  $F_2(A[i \dots j])$

```
 $n \leftarrow j - i + 1$ 
IF  $n \leq 1$  THEN RETURN( $A[i]$ )
 $x \leftarrow F_2(A[i \dots \lfloor i + 2n/3 \rfloor])$ 
FOR  $i \leftarrow \lfloor n/4 \rfloor$  TO  $\lfloor n/4 \rfloor + 12$  DO
   $x \leftarrow x + A[i]$ 
RETURN( $x$ )
```

3.) FUNCTION  $F_3(A[1 \dots n])$

```
IF  $n \leq 1$  THEN RETURN( $A[1]$ )
FOR  $i \leftarrow 1$  TO  $n$  DO
  FOR  $j \leftarrow 1$  TO  $\lfloor n/3 \rfloor$  DO
     $A[i] \leftarrow A[i] - A[j]$ 
   $x \leftarrow F_3(A[1.. \lfloor 3n/5 \rfloor])$ 
RETURN( $x$ )
```

For each of the following, prove that the given recursive relation defines a function in the given  $\Theta$ -set using the substitution method (i.e. induction).

*(20 points each)*

4.)  $T_4(n) = 4T_4(n/5) + cn^2$ , with a base case of  $n = 1$

Guess:  $T_4(n) \in \Theta(n^2)$

5.)  $T_5(n) = 5T_5(n/5) + c\sqrt{n}$ , with a base case of  $n = 1$

Guess:  $T_5(n) \in \Theta(n)$