

Assignment II - DSAA(H)

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Question 2.1 (0.3 marks)

Express the following running times in Θ -notation. Justify your answer by referring to the definition of Θ (i.e. work out suitable c_1, c_2, n_0).

a) $3n^2 + 5n - 2$

b) 42

c) $4n^2 \cdot (1 + \log n) - 2n^2$

Sol:

a. $\Theta(n^2)$.

$$\begin{aligned} c_1 n^2 &\leq 3n^2 + 5n - 2 \leq c_2 n^2 \\ \iff c_1 &\leq -\frac{2}{n^2} + \frac{5}{n} + 3 \leq c_2 \end{aligned}$$

w.l.o.g., let $c_1 = 3, c_2 = 6, n_0 = 1$, we can prove it by Sandwich Theorem.

Q.E.D.

b. $\Theta(1)$.

Simultaneously, let $c_1 = c_2 = 42, n_0 = 1$, it's easy to prove.

Q.E.D.

c. $\Theta(n^2 \log n)$.

$$c_1 n^2 \log n \leq 4n^2 \cdot (1 + \log n) - 2n^2 \leq c_2 n^2 \log n$$

$$\iff c_1 \leq \frac{2}{\log n} + 4 \leq c_2$$

w.l.o.g., let $c_1 = 4, c_2 = 6, n_0 = 2$, we can prove it by Sandwich Theorem.

Q.E.D.

Question 2.2 (0.7 marks)

(a) Indicate for each pair of functions $f(n), g(n)$ in the following table whether $f(n)$ is O, o, Ω, ω , or Θ of $g(n)$ by writing “yes” or “no” in each box.

$f(n)$	$g(n)$	O	o	Ω	ω	Θ
$\log n$	\sqrt{n}					
n	\sqrt{n}					
n	$n \log n$					
n^2	$n^2 + (\log n)^3$					
2^n	n^3					
$2^{n/2}$	2^n					
$\log_2 n$	$\log_{10} n$					

Hints: the book states that every polynomial of $\log n$ grows strictly slower than every polynomial n^ε , for constant $\varepsilon > 0$. For example, $(\log n)^{100} = o(n^{0.01})$. Likewise, every polynomial grows slower than every exponential function 2^{n^ε} , for example $n^{100} = o(2^{n^{0.01}})$.

To convert the base of a logarithm, use $\log_x(n) = \log_y(n) / \log_y(x)$.

Sol:

	$f(n)$	$g(n)$	O	o	Ω	ω	Θ
1	$\log n$	\sqrt{n}	yes	yes	no	no	no
2	n	\sqrt{n}	no	no	yes	yes	no
3	n	$n \log n$	yes	yes	no	no	no
4	n^2	$n^2 + (\log n)^3$	yes	no	yes	no	yes
5	2^n	n^3	no	no	yes	yes	no
6	$2^{n/2}$	2^n	yes	yes	no	no	no
7	$\log_2 n$	$\log_{10} n$	yes	no	yes	no	yes

Question 2.3 (0.3 marks)

State the number of “foo” operations for each of the following algorithms in Θ -notation. Pay attention to indentation and how long loops are run for. Justify your answer by stating constants $c_1, c_2, n_0 > 0$ from the definition of $\Theta(g(n))$ in your answer.

Example: Line 1 is executed once and line 3 is executed $n - 4$ times. So the number of foos is $1 + n - 4 = n - 3 = \Theta(n)$ as $c_1 n \leq n - 3 \leq c_2 n$ for all $n \geq n_0$ when choosing, say, $n_0 = 6, c_1 = 1/2, c_2 = 1$.

EXAMPLE ALGORITHM

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1: foo
2: for i = 1 to n - 4 do
3:     foo

```

ALGORITHM A

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1: foo
2: for i = 1 to n do
3:     for j = 1 to n - 2 do
4:         foo
5:         foo
6:         foo

```

ALGORITHM B

```

1: foo
2: for i = 1 to n do
3:     foo
4: for i = 1 to n/2 do
5:     foo
6:     foo

```

ALGORITHM C

```

1: foo
2: for i = 1 to n do
3:     for j = 1 to i do
4:         foo
5:     foo
6: foo

```

Sol:

Algorithm A: Line 1 is executed once, lines 4-6 is executed $n(n - 2)$ times by the nested loop, thus it's $1 + 3n(n - 2) = \Theta(n^2)$.

w.l.o.g., let $c_1 = 1, c_2 = 2, n_0 = 2$.

Algorithm B: Line 1 is executed once, line 3 is executed n times by the loop, lines 5-6 is executed $\frac{n}{2}$ times by the loop, thus it's $1 + n + 2 \cdot \frac{n}{2} = \Theta(n)$.

w.l.o.g., let $c_1 = 1, c_2 = 3, n_0 = 1$.

Algorithm C: Line 1 is executed once, line 4 is executed $\sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$ times by the nested loop, line 5 is executed n times by the loop, line 6 is executed once, thus it's $1 + \frac{n(n+1)}{2} + n + 1 = \Theta(n^2)$.

w.l.o.g., let $c_1 = \frac{1}{2}, c_2 = 10, n_0 = 1$.

Question 2.4 (0.3 marks)

Recall from Lecture 2 that a statement like $2n^2 + \Theta(n) = \Theta(n^2)$ is true if *no matter how the anonymous functions are chosen on the left of the equal sign, there is a way to choose the anonymous functions on the right of the equal sign to make the equation valid*. You might want to think of the $\Theta(n)$ on the left-hand side being a placeholder for some (anonymous) function that grows as fast as n .

For each of the following statements, state whether it is true or false. Justify your answers.

1. $O(\sqrt{n}) = O(n)$
2. $n + o(n^2) = \omega(n)$
3. $3n \log n + O(n) = \Theta(n \log n)$

Also, explain why the statement “The running time of Algorithm A is at least $O(n^2)$ ” is meaningless.

Sol:

1. **False.** For $O(\sqrt{n})$ is a proper subset of $O(n)$, i.e., they're not the same. Counterexample:
 $f(n) = n$.
2. **False.** For $o(n^2)$ might be a very small value like 1, then obviously $n + 1 \neq \omega(n)$.
3. **True.** For $O(n)$ is obviously less than $n \log n$, thus there must be c_1, c_2 which is legal when n_0 is large enough.

Ex. For $O(n^2)$ denotes the upper-bound, which is in contrast to 'at least', i.e., we should claim at least $\Omega(n^2)$.

Question 2.5 (0.3 marks)

The following algorithm computes the product C of two $n \times n$ matrices A and B , where $A[i, j]$ corresponds to the element in the i -th row and the j -th column.

MATRIX-MULTIPLY(A, B)

```
1: for  $i = 1$  to  $n$  do
2:   for  $j = 1$  to  $n$  do
3:      $C[i, j] := 0$ 
4:     for  $k = 1$  to  $n$  do
5:        $C[i, j] := C[i, j] + A[i, k] \cdot B[k, j]$ 
6: return  $C$ 
```

Give the running time of the algorithm (number of operations in a RAM machine) in Θ -notation. Justify your answer. Feel free to use the rules on calculating with Θ -notation from the lecture.

Sol: $\Theta(n^3)$.

For line 1 is executed $n + 1$ times, line 2 is executed $n(n + 1)$ times, line 3 is executed n^2 times by the nested loop of lines 1-2, line 4 is executed $n^2(n + 1)$ times, line 5 is executed n^3 times by the nested loop of lines 1-4 with 3 operations, line 6 is executed once.

Thus, the total Runtime is $(n + 1) + n(n + 1) + n^2 + n^2(n + 1) + 3n^3 + 1 = \Theta(n^3)$, w.l.o.g., let $c_1 = 1, c_2 = 4, n_0 = 10$.

Question 2.6 (marks 0.75)

BUBBLESORT is a popular, but inefficient, sorting algorithm. It works by repeatedly swapping adjacent elements that are out of order. The effect is that small elements “bubble” to the left-hand side of the array, accumulating to form a growing sorted subarray. (You might want to work out your own example to understand this better.)

BUBBLE-SORT(A)

```
1: for  $i = 1$  to  $A.length - 1$  do
2:   for  $j = A.length$  downto  $i + 1$  do
3:     if  $A[j] < A[j - 1]$  then
4:       exchange  $A[j]$  with  $A[j - 1]$ 
```

Prove the correctness of BUBBLESORT and analyse its running time as follows. Try to keep your answers brief.

1. The inner loop “bubbles” a small element to the left-hand side of the array. State a loop invariant for the inner loop that captures this effect and prove that this loop invariant holds, addressing the three properties initialisation, maintenance, and termination.
2. Using the termination condition of the loop invariant for the inner loop, state and prove a loop invariant for the outer loop in the same way as in part 1. that allows you to conclude that at the end of the algorithm the array is sorted.
3. State the runtime of BUBBLESORT in asymptotic notation. Justify your answer.

Sol:

1. Inner Loop:

Loop Invariant: At the start of each iteration of the for loop of lines 2-4, the minimum element in $A[j, A.length]$ is placed at $A[j]$.

Initialization: For $j = A.length$ the minimum element of $A[A.length, A.length]$ is trivially placed at $A[A.length]$.

Maintenance: During the iteration j , if $A[j - 1] > A[j]$, $A[j]$ will be swapped to $A[j - 1]$, then $A[j - 1]$ will hold the minimum element, otherwise $A[j - 1]$ itself if the minimum element, and other values stay unchanged. Thus it will satisfy the next iteration.

Termination: The for loop of lines 2-4 ends when $j = i + 1$, and at this time, $A[j - 1]$, which is $A[i]$, will hold the minimum elements in $A[i, A.length]$.

2. Outer Loop:

Loop Invariant: At the start of each iteration of the for loop of lines 1-4, the subarray $A[1, i - 1]$ consists of the $i - 1$ smallest elements of the whole array and in sorted order.

Initialization: For $i = 1$ the original subarray is empty and trivially sorted.

Maintenance: During the iteration i , the minimum element in $A[i, A.length]$ will be placed to $A[i]$ by the inner for loop of lines 2-4, and the element will be the largest element of $A[1, i]$, which keeps $A[1, i]$ contains the i smallest elements of the whole array and in sorted order, for every element in $A[i, A.length]$ is larger than it in $A[1, i - 1]$ initially.

Termination: The for loop of lines 1-4 ends when $i = A.length - 1$, at which $A[1, A.length - 1]$ contains the $A.length - 1$ smallest elements of the whole array in sorted order and smaller than $A[A.length]$ due to the loop invariant. Therefore, $A[1, A.length]$ is in sorted order.

3. Runtime: $\Theta(n^2)$.

Let $n = A.length$.

For line 1 is executed n times, line 2 is executed $\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (n - i + 1) = \frac{(2 + n)(n - 1)}{2}$ times, i.e., line 3 is $\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (n - i) = \frac{n(n - 1)}{2}$, line 4 is obviously less than line 3, which is $O(n^2)$.

Thus, $n + \frac{(2 + n)(n - 1)}{2} + \frac{n(n - 1)}{2} + O(n^2) = \Theta(n^2)$.

For $n + \frac{(2 + n)(n - 1)}{2} + \frac{n(n - 1)}{2}$, let $c_1 = \frac{1}{2}$, $c_2 = 3$, $n_0 = 10$, it's obviously proved, then $\Theta(n^2) + O(n^2) = \Theta(n^2)$.

Programming Question 2.7 (0.1 marks)

Implement `MATRIX-MULTIPLY(A,B)` and `BUBBLESORT` on the new Judge system.

题目

状态	最后递交于	题目
✓ 100 Accepted	5 天前	17 Matrix Multiply
✓ 100 Accepted	5 天前	20 Bubble Sort I

P.S.: Main code only.

```
1 char buf[1<<23],*p1=buf,*p2=buf,obuf[1<<23],*O=obuf;
2 #define getchar() (p1==p2&&(p2=
  (p1=buf)+fread(buf,1,1<<21,stdin),p1==p2)?EOF:*p1++)
3 inline int read() {
4     int x=0,f=1;char ch=getchar();
5     while(!isdigit(ch)){if(ch=='-') f=-1;ch=getchar();}
6     while(isdigit(ch)) x=x*10+(ch^48),ch=getchar();
7     return x*f;
8 }
9
10 const ll MOD = (ll)(1e9 + 7);
11 int main(){
12     int N = read(), P = read(), M = read();
13     vector < vector < ll > > A(N + 1, vector < ll > (P + 1, 0)), B(P +
  1, vector < ll > (M + 1, 0));
14     for(int i = 1; i <= N; ++i)for(int j = 1; j <= P; ++j)A[i][j] =
  read();
15     for(int i = 1; i <= P; ++i)for(int j = 1; j <= M; ++j)B[i][j] =
  read();
16     for(int i = 1; i <= N; ++i)
17         for(int j = 1; j <= M; ++j){
18             ll res(0);
19             for(int k = 1; k <= P; ++k)(res += A[i][k] * B[k][j] %
  MOD) %= MOD;
20             printf("%lld%c", (res + MOD) % MOD, j == M ? '\n' : ' ');
21         }
```



```
22     // fprintf(stderr, "Time: %.6lf\n", (double)clock() /  
    CLOCKS_PER_SEC);  
23  
24     return 0;  
25 }
```

```
1  int main(){  
2      int N = read();  
3      vector < int > A(N + 10);  
4      for(int i = 1; i <= N; ++i)A[i] = read();  
5      int cnt(0);  
6      for(int i = 1; i <= N; ++i)  
7          for(int j = i + 1; j <= N; ++j)  
8              if(A[i] > A[j])++cnt;  
9      printf("%d\n", cnt);  
10     // fprintf(stderr, "Time: %.6lf\n", (double)clock() /  
    CLOCKS_PER_SEC);  
11     return 0;  
12 }
```