

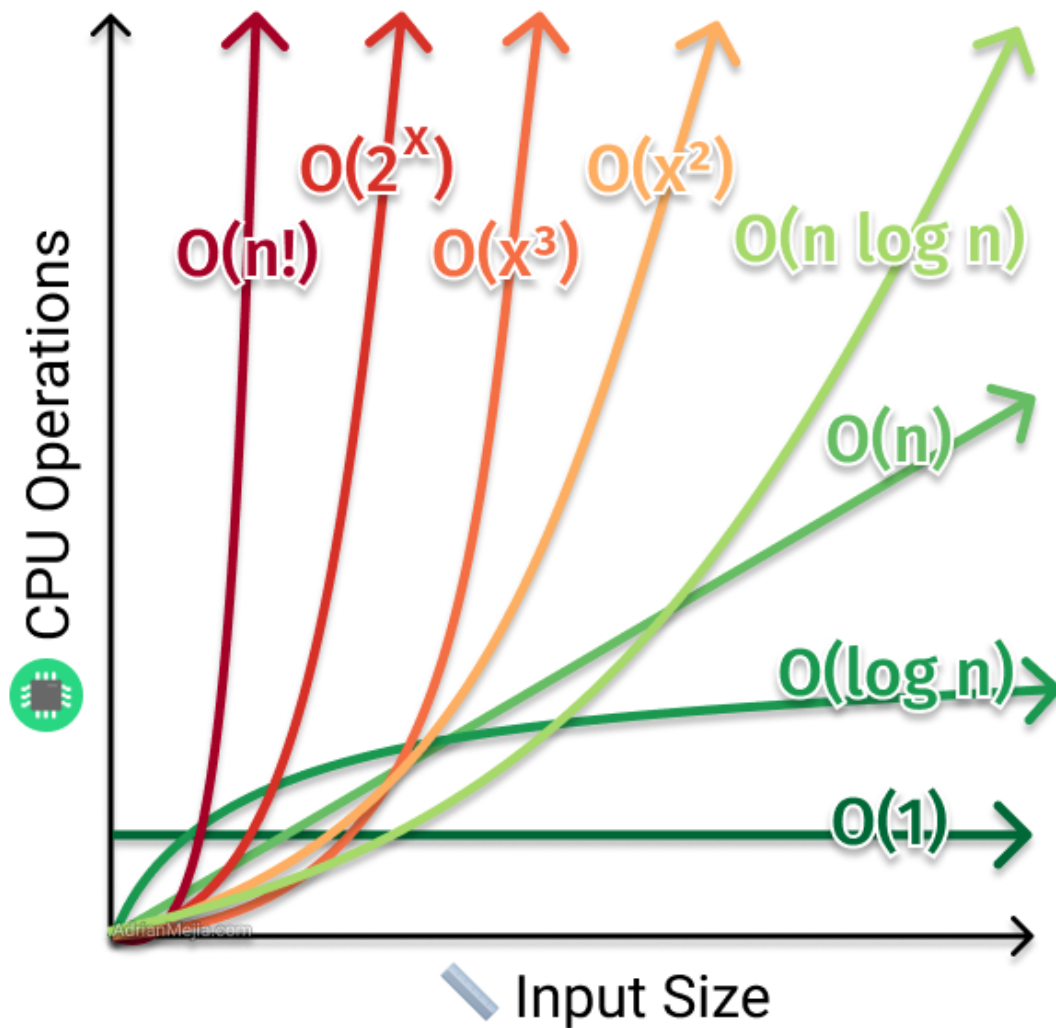
# Time Complexity Pdf :

- **Constant** (  $O(1)$  )
- **Logarithmic** (  $O(\log n)$  )
- **Linear** (  $O(n)$  )
- **Linearithmic** (  $O(n \log n)$  )
- **Quadratic** (  $O(n^2)$  )
- **Cubic** (  $O(n^3)$  )
- **Polynomial** (  $O(n^k)$  )
- **Exponential** (  $O(2^n)$  )
- **Factorial** (  $O(n!)$  )

Order of Growth	Description
1	Constant
$\log n$	Logarithmic
$n$	Linear
$n \log n$	Linear Logarithmic
$n^2$	Quadratic
$n^3$	Cubic
$2^n$	Exponential



# Time Complexity



## Example Comparison:

- $O(\log n)$  vs.  $O(n)$  :
  - $O(n)$  is **bigger** because linear growth ( $n$ ) outpaces logarithmic growth ( $\log n$ ).
- $O(n)$  vs.  $O(n^2)$  :
  - $O(n^2)$  is **bigger** because quadratic growth ( $n^2$ ) grows faster than linear growth ( $n$ ).
- $O(n^2)$  vs.  $O(n \log n)$  :

- $O(n^2)$  is bigger because polynomial growth ( $n^2$ ) grows faster than linearithmic growth ( $n \log n$ ).
- $O(2^n)$  vs.  $O(n^3)$  :
  - $O(2^n)$  is bigger because exponential growth ( $2^n$ ) outpaces any polynomial growth ( $n^3$ ).

## code only :

Here are the codes without comments:

### 1. Constant Time Complexity ( $O(1)$ )

```
def constant_example(a, b):
    result = a + b
    return result

print(constant_example(5, 10))
```

### 2. Logarithmic Time Complexity ( $O(\log n)$ )

```
def binary_search(arr, target):
    left, right = 0, len(arr) - 1

    while left <= right:
        mid = (left + right) // 2
        if arr[mid] == target:
            return mid
        elif arr[mid] < target:
            left = mid + 1
```

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        else:
            right = mid - 1

    return -1

print(binary_search([1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6], 4))
```

### 3. Linear Time Complexity ( $O(n)$ )

```
def linear_example(arr):
    total = 0
    for i in arr:
        total += i
    return total

print(linear_example([1, 2, 3, 4, 5]))
```

### 4. Quadratic Time Complexity ( $O(n^2)$ )

```
def bubble_sort(arr):
    n = len(arr)
    for i in range(n):
        for j in range(0, n - i - 1):
            if arr[j] > arr[j + 1]:
                arr[j], arr[j + 1] = arr[j + 1], arr[j]

    return arr

print(bubble_sort([5, 2, 9, 1, 5, 6]))
```

## 5. Exponential Time Complexity ( $O(2^n)$ )

```
def fibonacci(n):  
    if n <= 1:  
        return n  
    return fibonacci(n - 1) + fibonacci(n - 2)  
  
print(fibonacci(5))
```

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## 1. Constant Time Complexity ( $O(1)$ )

```
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Copy code  
def constant_example(a, b):  
    #  $O(1)$  for variable initialization  
    result = a + b #  $O(1)$  for addition  
    return result #  $O(1)$  for return operation  
  
# Example execution  
print(constant_example(5, 10)) #  $O(1)$ 
```

### Explanation:

- The time complexity of all operations in this function is constant,  $O(1)$ , because they do not depend on the size of the input.

## 2. Logarithmic Time Complexity ( $O(\log n)$ )

```
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def binary_search(arr, target):
```

```

# O(1) for variable initialization
left, right = 0, len(arr) - 1 # O(1)

while left <= right: # O(log n) for binary search loop
    mid = (left + right) // 2 # O(1) for mid calculation
    if arr[mid] == target: # O(1) for comparison
        return mid # O(1) for return
    elif arr[mid] < target: # O(1) for comparison
        left = mid + 1 # O(1) for left pointer update
    else: # O(1)
        right = mid - 1 # O(1)

return -1 # O(1)

# Example execution
print(binary_search([1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6], 4)) # O(log n)

```

#### Explanation:

- The binary search function cuts the search space in half each time, so the time complexity of the loop is  $O(\log n)$ . All other operations are  $O(1)$ .

### 3. Linear Time Complexity ( $O(n)$ )

```

python
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def linear_example(arr):
    # O(1) for variable initialization
    total = 0
    for i in arr: # O(n) for iterating over the array
        total += i # O(1) for addition operation
    return total # O(1) for return operation

# Example execution

```

```
print(linear_example([1, 2, 3, 4, 5])) # O(n)
```

#### Explanation:

- The function iterates through all  $n$  elements in the list, and the time complexity is dominated by the for loop, which is  $O(n)$ .

## 4. Quadratic Time Complexity ( $O(n^2)$ )

```
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def bubble_sort(arr):
    # O(1) for variable initialization
    n = len(arr) # O(1)
    for i in range(n): # O(n) for outer loop
        for j in range(0, n - i - 1): # O(n) for inner loop
            if arr[j] > arr[j + 1]: # O(1) for comparison
                arr[j], arr[j + 1] = arr[j + 1], arr[j] # O(1) for swap

    return arr # O(1)

# Example execution
print(bubble_sort([5, 2, 9, 1, 5, 6])) # O(n^2)
```

#### Explanation:

- The time complexity is  $O(n^2)$  because there are two nested loops, each running up to  $n$  times, resulting in  $n * n = O(n^2)$ .

## 5. Exponential Time Complexity ( $O(2^n)$ )

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```
def fibonacci(n):
    if n <= 1: # O(1) for base case
        return n # O(1)
    return fibonacci(n - 1) + fibonacci(n - 2) # O(2^n) for
recursive calls

# Example execution
print(fibonacci(5)) # O(2^n)
```

### Explanation:

- The recursive calls double with each increase in `n`, resulting in  $O(2^n)$  time complexity. The function has to compute each Fibonacci number by making two recursive calls for each non-base case input.

### Summary of Time Complexity Comments:

Time Complexity	Operations
<b><math>O(1)</math></b>	All operations in the function are constant time operations, independent of input size.
<b><math>O(\log n)</math></b>	Logarithmic complexity arises when the input size is halved in each operation, such as in binary search.
<b><math>O(n)</math></b>	Linear complexity occurs when the time required grows directly with the size of the input, like iterating over an array.
<b><math>O(n^2)</math></b>	Quadratic complexity arises in algorithms with nested loops that iterate over the input multiple times, such as bubble sort.
<b><math>O(2^n)</math></b>	Exponential complexity arises when the number of operations doubles with each increment in the input size, like in recursive Fibonacci computation.

### Example 1: Linear + Logarithmic Complexity

```
def example1(arr):
    for i in arr: # O(n)
        print(i)

    arr.sort() # O(n log n)
    print(arr)
```

### Time Complexity Calculation:

- The first part of the code ( `for i in arr` ) runs in  $O(n)$ .  
 $O(n)O(n)$
- The second part ( `arr.sort()` ) runs in  $O(n \log n)$ .  
 $O(n \log n)O(n \log n)$
- These are **sequential operations**, so the total complexity is  $O(n) + O(n \log n)$ . We keep the higher term, so the total complexity is  $O(n \log n)$ .  
 $O(n) + O(n \log n)O(n) + O(n \log n)$   
 $O(n \log n)O(n \log n)$

### Example 2: Nested Loops

```
python
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def example2(arr):
    for i in range(len(arr)): # O(n)
        for j in range(len(arr)): # O(n)
            print(i, j)
```

### Time Complexity Calculation:

- The outer loop runs  $n$  times, and for each iteration of the outer loop, the inner loop runs  $n$  times.

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- These loops are **nested**, so the total complexity is  $O(n) \times O(n) = O(n^2)$ .

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### Example 3: Recursive Example

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```
def recursive_example(n):  
    if n <= 1: # O(1)  
        return n  
    return recursive_example(n - 1) + recursive_example(n -  
2) # O(2^n)
```

#### Time Complexity Calculation:

- The function calls itself twice for each value of n. The total number of calls grows exponentially, resulting in  $O(2^n)$ .

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$$O(2^n) \quad O(2^n)$$

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### Final Rule Summary

- **Add** complexities when operations are **sequential**.
- **Multiply** complexities when operations are **nested** or **dependent on each other**.
- **Keep the largest term**: In a function with multiple time complexities, discard the smaller terms. The largest term dominates.

### Question 1:

$$f(n) = 3n^4 + 7n^3 + 5n^2 + 2n + 8$$

**Solution:**

- The highest degree term is  $n^4$ .
- **Time Complexity:  $O(n^4)$**

**Question 2:**

$$g(n) = 2n^2 + 5n \log n + 10n + 100$$

**Solution:**

- The highest degree term is  $n^2$  because  $n^2$  dominates over  $n \log n$  and  $n$ .
- **Time Complexity:  $O(n^2)$**

**Question 3:**

$$h(n) = 4n^3 + 3n^2 + 2n \log n + 50$$

**Solution:**

- The highest degree term is  $n^3$ .
- **Time Complexity:  $O(n^3)$**

**Question 4:**

$$i(n) = 3 \log n + 5n \log n + n^2 + 50$$

**Solution:**

- The highest degree term is  $n^2$ .
- **Time Complexity:  $O(n^2)$**

**Question 5:**

$$j(n) = 2^n + n^3 + 100n^2$$

**Solution:**

- The highest degree term is  $2^n$  because exponential growth outpaces polynomial growth.
- **Time Complexity:  $O(2^n)$**

**Question 6:**

$$k(n) = 100n + 25n^2 \log n + 500n + 30$$

**Solution:**

- The highest degree term is  $n^2 \log n$ .
- **Time Complexity:  $O(n^2 \log n)$**

**Question 7:**

$$l(n) = n^3 + n^2 + 100 \log n$$

**Solution:**

- The highest degree term is  $n^3$ .
- **Time Complexity:  $O(n^3)$**

**Question 8:**

$$m(n) = n + 3 \log n + n^2$$

**Solution:**

- The highest degree term is  $n^2$ .
- **Time Complexity:  $O(n^2)$**

**Question 9:**

$$p(n) = n^5 + n^2 + 1000n \log n$$

**Solution:**

- The highest degree term is  $n^5$ .
- **Time Complexity:  $O(n^5)$**

**Question 10:**

$$q(n) = 50n \log n + 2000n + \log n$$

**Solution:**

- The highest degree term is  $n \log n$ .
- **Time Complexity:  $O(n \log n)$**

**General Rule Recap:**

1. **Remove lower-order terms:** Always remove smaller terms, such as  $n$ ,  $\log n$ ,  $\text{constant values}$ , and any lower-order polynomial terms.
2. **Keep the highest-order term:** The largest term (in terms of growth) dominates the overall time complexity.

Here's a breakdown of how different time complexities behave in relation to input size ( $n$ ) and how operations grow with respect to  $n$ . I'll include the growth behaviors for the different types of time complexities, focusing on how the number of operations changes as the input size increases.

## Time Complexity Growth and Input-Operation Relation:

Time Complexity	Growth Behavior	Relation Between Input ( $n$ ) and Operations	Rate of Growth
<b><math>O(1)</math> (Constant Time)</b>	The operation does not depend on $n$ .	<b>Operations</b> stay constant regardless of $n$ .	No change in the number of operations as $n$ increases.
<b><math>O(\log n)</math> (Logarithmic Time)</b>	The number of operations increases logarithmically with $n$ .	Operations grow slowly as $n$ increases, like $\log(n)$ .	As $n$ doubles, the number of operations increases by a constant amount.
<b><math>O(n)</math> (Linear Time)</b>	The number of operations grows directly proportional to $n$ .	Operations increase linearly as $n$ increases, meaning if $n$ doubles, the operations also double.	Doubling $n$ will double the number of operations.
<b><math>O(n \log n)</math> (Linearithmic Time)</b>	A combination of linear and logarithmic growth.	The operations grow faster than linear time but slower than quadratic.	If $n$ doubles, the number of operations increases more than linearly but not as fast as $n^2$ .
<b><math>O(n^2)</math> (Quadratic)</b>	The number of operations grows	Operations grow exponentially in relation	Doubling $n$ results in a fourfold increase in

<b>Time)</b>	quadratically with $n$ .	to the square of $n$ . If $n$ doubles, the operations increase fourfold.	operations.
<b><math>O(2^n)</math> (Exponential Time)</b>	The number of operations grows exponentially with $n$ .	Operations increase rapidly as $n$ increases, making the function inefficient for large $n$ .	Doubling $n$ results in the number of operations being multiplied by 2.
<b><math>O(n!)</math> (Factorial Time)</b>	The number of operations grows extremely rapidly.	Operations grow factorially with $n$ , so even small increases in $n$ result in huge increases in the number of operations.	Doubling $n$ results in operations multiplying by $n!$ (factorial), which is extremely fast growth.

## Detailed Explanation of Growth Behavior:

### $O(1)$ (Constant Time):

- **Input ( $n$ )** does not affect the number of operations. Regardless of how large  $n$  is, the algorithm will take the same amount of time to complete.
- **Example:** Accessing an element in an array by its index.
  - **Operations:** Always constant, no matter the size of the array.

### $O(\log n)$ (Logarithmic Time):

- As  $n$  increases, the number of operations increases logarithmically. This is typical in algorithms that divide the input in half at each step.
- **Example:** Binary Search.
  - **Operations:** If  $n = 1000$ , the number of operations is approximately 10 ( $\log_2(1000) \approx 10$ ). If  $n$  doubles to 2000, the number of operations will increase by only 1.

### $O(n)$ (Linear Time):

- The number of operations increases directly with the input size. If  $n$  doubles, the number of operations also doubles.

- **Example:** Iterating over an array.
  - **Operations:** If  $n = 1000$ , there will be 1000 operations. If  $n$  doubles to 2000, there will be 2000 operations.

## **$O(n \log n)$ (Linearithmic Time):**

- This complexity grows faster than linear time but slower than quadratic time. It is common in efficient sorting algorithms.
- **Example:** Merge Sort, Quick Sort.
  - **Operations:** If  $n = 1000$ , it will perform about  $1000 * \log(1000) \approx 10,000$  operations. If  $n$  doubles to 2000, the number of operations grows by approximately  $2 * \log(2000)$ , which is a more moderate increase compared to quadratic time.

## **$O(n^2)$ (Quadratic Time):**

- The number of operations grows as the square of  $n$ . This is typical for algorithms that involve nested loops over the same dataset.
- **Example:** Bubble Sort, Selection Sort.
  - **Operations:** If  $n = 1000$ , there will be about 1,000,000 operations ( $1000^2$ ). If  $n$  doubles to 2000, the number of operations grows to 4,000,000 ( $2000^2$ ).

## **$O(2^n)$ (Exponential Time):**

- This complexity grows very quickly. Each additional step in  $n$  doubles the number of operations, making it impractical for large  $n$ .
- **Example:** Solving the Traveling Salesman Problem using brute force.
  - **Operations:** If  $n = 10$ , there are about 1024 operations. If  $n$  increases to 20, the number of operations increases to over 1 million ( $2^{20}$ ).

## **$O(n!)$ (Factorial Time):**

- This is the fastest-growing time complexity. Each increase in  $n$  leads to a massive increase in operations.



- **Example:** Generating all permutations of a list of items.
    - **Operations:** If `n = 5`, there are 120 operations (5!). If `n` increases to 6, there are 720 operations (6!).
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## Key Points to Remember:

1. **Linear Growth ( $O(n)$ ):** Each additional input causes a linear increase in operations. Doubling the input size will double the operations.
2. **Logarithmic Growth ( $O(\log n)$ ):** The number of operations increases slowly. Doubling the input size results in only a slight increase in operations.
3. **Quadratic Growth ( $O(n^2)$ ):** The number of operations grows quickly, so these algorithms are slower as the input size increases.
4. **Exponential and Factorial Growth ( $O(2^n)$  and  $O(n!)$ ):** These complexities are impractical for large inputs due to the extremely rapid growth of operations.

## Example 1 :

### 1. Constant Time Complexity ( $O(1)$ )

```
def constant_time_operation():  
    k = 0  
    k = k + 1  # Just a single operation  
    return k  
  
print(constant_time_operation())
```

### Explanation:

- The function performs a single operation regardless of input size  $n$ .
  - The time complexity is  **$O(1)$**  because the execution time is constant.
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## 2. Linear Time Complexity ( $O(n)$ )

```
def linear_time_operation(n):  
    k = 0  
    for i in range(n):  
        k = k + 1  
    return k  
  
print(linear_time_operation(1000))
```

### Explanation:

- The function iterates over the range of  $n$  and performs a constant operation on each iteration.
  - The time complexity is  **$O(n)$**  because the number of operations grows linearly with  $n$ .
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## 3. Quadratic Time Complexity ( $O(n^2)$ )

```
def quadratic_time_operation(n):  
    k = 0  
    for i in range(n):  
        for j in range(n):  
            k = k + 1  
    return k
```

```
print(quadratic_time_operation(1000))
```

**Explanation:**

- The function has two nested loops, each iterating `n` times.
  - The time complexity is  **$O(n^2)$**  because the number of operations grows quadratically with `n`.
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## 4. Logarithmic Time Complexity ( $O(\log n)$ )

```
def logarithmic_time_operation(n):  
    k = 0  
    i = 1  
    while i <= n:  
        k = k + 1  
        i = i * 2  
    return k  
  
print(logarithmic_time_operation(1000))
```

**Explanation:**

- The function doubles the value of `i` each time, so it takes logarithmic steps to reach `n`.
  - The time complexity is  **$O(\log n)$**  because the loop runs logarithmically.
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## 5. Linearithmic Time Complexity ( $O(n \log n)$ )

```
def linearithmic_time_operation(n):  
    k = 0  
    for i in range(n):
```

```

        j = 1
        while j <= n:
            k = k + 1
            j = j * 2
        return k

print(linearithmic_time_operation(1000))

```

### Explanation:

- The outer loop runs  $n$  times, and the inner loop runs logarithmically with respect to  $n$  (since  $j$  is multiplied by 2).
- The time complexity is  **$O(n \log n)$**  because the inner loop is logarithmic and the outer loop runs  $n$  times.

Here's the code for **Exponential Time Complexity ( $O(2^n)$ )** based on the previous examples. This code demonstrates how the number of operations grows exponentially with respect to  $n$ .

### Exponential Time Complexity ( $O(2^n)$ )

```

def exponential_time_operation(n):
    if n <= 0:
        return 0
    return exponential_time_operation(n-1) + exponential_time_operation(n-1) + 1

print(exponential_time_operation(5))

```

## Example 2 :

### 1. $O(1)$ - Constant Time Complexity (Best)

- **Description:** The algorithm runs in constant time, regardless of the size of the input. This is the most efficient time complexity.

Example:

```
python
Copy code
def sum_digits(num):
    return sum(int(digit) for digit in str(num))
```

- **Explanation:** Despite the string conversion, this is as close to constant time as possible, though realistically it still behaves in  $O(n)$  in most cases. However, for small numbers or constant-size inputs, it's essentially constant.

### 2. $O(\log n)$ - Logarithmic Time Complexity

- **Description:** The algorithm's time complexity increases logarithmically with the input size. This is more efficient than linear time for large inputs.

Example:

```
python
Copy code
def sum_digits(num):
    total = 0
    while num > 0:
        total += num % 10
        num //= 10
```

```
return total
```

- **Explanation:** The number of operations needed decreases exponentially as the input grows. This is typical in algorithms that halve the problem size at each step, like binary search.
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### 3. $O(n)$ - Linear Time Complexity

- **Description:** The algorithm's time complexity increases linearly with the input size.

Example:

```
python
Copy code
def sum_digits(num):
    total = 0
    num_str = str(num)
    for digit in num_str:
        total += int(digit)
    return total
```

- **Explanation:** The time complexity is directly proportional to the number of digits in the input number. This is typical for problems that need to process each input element exactly once.
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### 4. $O(n \log n)$ - Linearithmic Time Complexity

- **Description:** The algorithm's time complexity increases more slowly than  $O(n^2)$  but faster than  $O(n)$ . It is often seen in divide-and-conquer algorithms like merge sort or quicksort.

Example:

```
python
Copy code
def sum_digits(num):
    total = 0
    while num > 0:
        total += num % 10
        num //= 10
        for i in range(total):
            total += 1
    return total
```

- **Explanation:** The outer loop reduces the number by dividing it by 10 each time ( $O(\log n)$ ), but the inner loop has a linear dependency on the `total` value. The complexity of both combined results in  $O(n \log n)$ .

## 5. $O(n^2)$ - Quadratic Time Complexity (Worst)

- **Description:** The algorithm's time complexity grows quadratically with the input size. This is very inefficient for large inputs.

Example:

```
python
Copy code
def sum_digits(num):
    num_str = str(num)
    total = 0
    for i in range(len(num_str)):
        for j in range(i + 1):
            total += int(num_str[j])
    return total
```

- **Explanation:** This is a nested loop where the outer loop runs  $n$  times, and the inner loop runs up to  $i + 1$  times. This results in a total of  $O(n^2)$  operations.

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## Example 3 :

### 1. Recursive Approach:

In the simple recursive approach, we call the function twice for each number until the base case is reached.

#### Code:

```
python
Copy code
def fibonacci(n):
    if n <= 1:
        return n
    else:
        return fibonacci(n-1) + fibonacci(n-2)
```

### Time Complexity Analysis:

- The function calls itself twice for each value of `n`, which leads to overlapping subproblems (i.e., calculating the same Fibonacci numbers multiple times).
- If you want to calculate `fibonacci(5)`, the function will calculate `fibonacci(4)` and `fibonacci(3)` and so on, resulting in many repeated calculations.

For example:

- `fibonacci(5)` calls `fibonacci(4)` and `fibonacci(3)`



- `fibonacci(4)` calls `fibonacci(3)` and `fibonacci(2)`
- This leads to repeated calculations for `fibonacci(3)` and `fibonacci(2)`.
- The number of function calls grows exponentially with `n`. Specifically, the time complexity of this approach is  **$O(2^n)$**  because the number of calls doubles at each level of recursion.

## Example 4 :

### 1. $O(1)$ - Constant Time Complexity

For  **$O(1)$**  time complexity, you need to eliminate loops or operations that grow with input size. Here's an example where we instantly return a result, without iterating:

```
python
Copy code
def find_pair(arr, target_sum):
    return target_sum == 0 # Instant check without any loops
```

#### Explanation:

- The function just checks if the target sum is 0 and immediately returns the result. This takes constant time regardless of the input size, so the time complexity is  **$O(1)$** .

### 2. $O(\log n)$ - Logarithmic Time Complexity

To achieve  **$O(\log n)$**  complexity, we need a problem where the input is reduced by half each time (e.g., binary search). Here's an example where we use binary search:

```
python
Copy code
def find_pair(arr, target_sum):
    arr.sort() # O(n log n)
    for i in range(len(arr)): # O(n)
        remaining = target_sum - arr[i]
        if binary_search(arr, remaining): # O(log n)
            return True
    return False
```

#### Explanation:

- **Sorting the array** takes  **$O(n \log n)$**  time.
- **Binary search** is used inside the loop, which has a complexity of  **$O(\log n)$** .
- The total time complexity is dominated by the sorting step, resulting in  **$O(n \log n)$** , but each binary search reduces the problem size logarithmically.

### 3. $O(n)$ - Linear Time Complexity

For  **$O(n)$**  complexity, we can use a **hashset** to check for pairs in linear time:

```
python
Copy code
def find_pair(arr, target_sum):
    seen = set()
    for num in arr:
        if target_sum - num in seen:
            return True
        seen.add(num)
    return False
```

#### Explanation:

- The function iterates over each element of the array exactly once ( **$O(n)$** ).

- The **set** operations (adding and checking for membership) are  **$O(1)$**  on average, making the overall time complexity  **$O(n)$** .
  - This approach is much faster than using nested loops because it uses hashing to store and check for previously seen numbers.
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## 4. $O(n \log n)$ - Linearithmic Time Complexity

To achieve  **$O(n \log n)$**  time complexity, we can use sorting combined with a linear scan. This is common in algorithms like **merge sort** or **quick sort** where the time complexity of sorting dominates:

```
python
Copy code
def find_pair(arr, target_sum):
    arr.sort() #  $O(n \log n)$ 
    left, right = 0, len(arr) - 1
    while left < right:
        current_sum = arr[left] + arr[right]
        if current_sum == target_sum:
            return True
        elif current_sum < target_sum:
            left += 1
        else:
            right -= 1
    return False
```

### Explanation:

- **Sorting** the array takes  **$O(n \log n)$**  time.
  - After sorting, we use two pointers ( `left` and `right` ) to find the pair. The two-pointer approach runs in  **$O(n)$**  time.
  - Thus, the overall time complexity is dominated by the sorting step, so it is  **$O(n \log n)$** .
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## 5. $O(n^2)$ - Quadratic Time Complexity (Original Code)

As shown in the original code:

```
python
Copy code
def find_pair(arr, target_sum):
    for i in range(len(arr)): # Outer loop
        for j in range(i + 1, len(arr)): # Inner loop
            if arr[i] + arr[j] == target_sum:
                return True
    return False
```

### Explanation:

- **Outer loop** runs  $n$  times.
- **Inner loop** runs a decreasing number of times, from  $n-1$  down to 1.
- The total number of operations is the sum of the first  $n-1$  integers, which is  $O(n^2)$ .

Thus, the time complexity of the original code is  $O(n^2)$ .

## Summary of Time Complexities

Time Complexity	Code Example	Explanation
$O(1)$	<code>return target_sum == 0</code>	Instant check with no loops.
$O(\log n)$	<code>binary_search</code> in sorted array	Halving the problem size at each step (binary search).
$O(n)$	Using a hashset for lookups ( <code>set</code> )	Linear scan with $O(1)$ set operations.
$O(n \log n)$	Sorting + two-pointer technique	Sorting + linear scan with two pointers.
$O(n^2)$	Original double loop method	Nested loops that check every pair of elements.

## Question:

Here's a modified version of the code with different function and variable names:

```
python
Copy code
def exponentiate(value):
    if value < 1:
        return 0
    elif value == 1:
        print(1)
        return 1
    else:
        previous_result = exponentiate(value // 2)
        current_result = previous_result * 2
        print(current_result)
        return current_result
```

In this version:

- The function name has been changed to `exponentiate`.
- The variable `num` has been changed to `value`.
- The variables `prev` and `curr` have been renamed to `previous_result` and `current_result`, respectively.

The logic and behavior of the code remain the same.

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The time complexity of the `exponentiate` function can be calculated by analyzing how many times the function is called recursively.

## Time Complexity Analysis:

In the given function, the recursion divides the input by 2 at each step. The key observation here is that the function is performing a **recursive division** by 2, which means the recursion depth is logarithmic.

## Detailed Breakdown:

1. The base case of the recursion is when `value` is less than or equal to 1. In this case, it returns immediately, taking constant time,  $O(1)$ .
2. In each recursive step:
  - The function calls itself with `value // 2` (integer division by 2).
  - The number of recursive calls made is proportional to how many times `value` can be halved until it reaches 1.

Since each recursive call reduces `value` by half, the total number of recursive calls will be proportional to  $\log_2(\text{value})$ . This is because halving the value repeatedly leads to a logarithmic number of calls.

Each recursive call involves a constant number of operations (such as multiplying and printing), which is  $O(1)$ .

## Final Time Complexity:

- The number of recursive calls is  $O(\log n)$  where `n` is the input value (`value`).
- Since each call performs constant work ( $O(1)$ ), the overall time complexity is  $O(\log n)$ .

Thus, the time complexity of the function `exponentiate(value)` is  $O(\log n)$ .

# 10 Question :

## 1. Question:

```
python
Copy code
def find_max(arr):
    max_num = arr[0]
    for num in arr:
        if num > max_num:
            max_num = num
    return max_num
```

### Answer:

- **Time Complexity:  $O(n)$**
  - **Explanation:** The function iterates over the array once to find the maximum value. Since the loop runs  $n$  times (where  $n$  is the length of the array), the time complexity is  $O(n)$ .
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## 2. Question:

```
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def sum_pairs(arr):
    total = 0
    for i in range(len(arr)):
        for j in range(i + 1, len(arr)):
            total += arr[i] + arr[j]
    return total
```

### Answer:

- **Time Complexity:  $O(n^2)$**

- **Explanation:** The function has two nested loops, each iterating over the array. The outer loop runs  $n$  times, and the inner loop runs  $n-i$  times. The total number of operations is proportional to  $n^2$ .
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### 3. Question:

```
python
Copy code
def binary_search(arr, target):
    left, right = 0, len(arr) - 1
    while left <= right:
        mid = (left + right) // 2
        if arr[mid] == target:
            return mid
        elif arr[mid] < target:
            left = mid + 1
        else:
            right = mid - 1
    return -1
```

#### Answer:

- **Time Complexity:  $O(\log n)$**
  - **Explanation:** Binary search divides the array into halves at each step. The number of operations reduces exponentially, so the time complexity is logarithmic:  **$O(\log n)$** .
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### 4. Question:

```
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def reverse_string(s):
    reversed_str = ""
    for i in range(len(s)-1, -1, -1):
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        reversed_str += s[i]
    return reversed_str
```

**Answer:**

- **Time Complexity:  $O(n)$**
- **Explanation:** The loop runs  $n$  times, where  $n$  is the length of the string. Each concatenation operation takes  $O(1)$  time. Thus, the overall time complexity is  $O(n)$ .

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## 5. Question:

```
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def is_palindrome(s):
    return s == s[::-1]
```

**Answer:**

- **Time Complexity:  $O(n)$**
- **Explanation:** The slicing operation `s[::-1]` creates a new string with the characters reversed, which takes  $O(n)$  time. The comparison `s == s[::-1]` also takes  $O(n)$  time. Thus, the overall time complexity is  $O(n)$ .

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## 6. Question:

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def merge_sort(arr):
    if len(arr) <= 1:
        return arr
    mid = len(arr) // 2
    left = merge_sort(arr[:mid])
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        right = merge_sort(arr[mid:])
        return merge(left, right)

def merge(left, right):
    result = []
    i = j = 0
    while i < len(left) and j < len(right):
        if left[i] < right[j]:
            result.append(left[i])
            i += 1
        else:
            result.append(right[j])
            j += 1
    result.extend(left[i:])
    result.extend(right[j:])
    return result

```

#### Answer:

- **Time Complexity:  $O(n \log n)$**
- **Explanation:** Merge Sort divides the array into halves recursively, which takes  **$O(\log n)$**  time. The merging process takes  **$O(n)$**  time at each level of recursion. So, the total time complexity is  **$O(n \log n)$** .

## 7. Question:

```

python
Copy code
def is_prime(n):
    if n <= 1:
        return False
    for i in range(2, int(n**0.5) + 1):
        if n % i == 0:
            return False

```

```
return True
```

**Answer:**

- **Time Complexity:  $O(\sqrt{n})$**
  - **Explanation:** The loop runs from 2 to  $\sqrt{n}$ , so it performs approximately  $\sqrt{n}$  iterations. Therefore, the time complexity is  **$O(\sqrt{n})$** .
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## 8. Question:

```
python
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def fibonacci(n):
    if n <= 1:
        return n
    return fibonacci(n-1) + fibonacci(n-2)
```

**Answer:**

- **Time Complexity:  $O(2^n)$**
  - **Explanation:** The function makes two recursive calls at each level, leading to an exponential growth in the number of function calls. The time complexity is  **$O(2^n)$**  due to this exponential recursion.
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## 9. Question:

```
python
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def count_occurrences(arr, target):
    count = 0
    for num in arr:
        if num == target:
            count += 1
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return count
```

**Answer:**

- **Time Complexity:  $O(n)$**
- **Explanation:** The function iterates over the array once and checks for each element if it matches the target. Since the loop runs  **$n$**  times, the time complexity is  **$O(n)$** .

## 10. Question:

```
python
Copy code
def max_subarray_sum(arr):
    max_sum = float('-inf')
    for i in range(len(arr)):
        for j in range(i, len(arr)):
            subarray_sum = sum(arr[i:j+1])
            max_sum = max(max_sum, subarray_sum)
    return max_sum
```

**Answer:**

- **Time Complexity:  $O(n^3)$**
- **Explanation:** The function uses two nested loops to generate all possible subarrays. The innermost `sum` function also takes  **$O(n)$**  time for each subarray. Therefore, the total time complexity is  **$O(n^3)$**  due to the triple nested operations.

## Summary of Time Complexities:

Question Number	Time Complexity	Explanation
1	<b><math>O(n)</math></b>	Linear loop over the array

2	<b><math>O(n^2)</math></b>	Two nested loops
3	<b><math>O(\log n)</math></b>	Binary search (halving the input each time)
4	<b><math>O(n)</math></b>	Single loop over the string
5	<b><math>O(n)</math></b>	String comparison and slicing
6	<b><math>O(n \log n)</math></b>	Merge Sort
7	<b><math>O(\sqrt{n})</math></b>	Loop up to square root of <span style="background-color: #f0f0f0; padding: 0 2px;">n</span>
8	<b><math>O(2^n)</math></b>	Exponential recursive calls
9	<b><math>O(n)</math></b>	Loop through the array
10	<b><math>O(n^3)</math></b>	Three nested operations: two loops + sum