

HOMWORK-2
CSCI 570

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Q1. What is the worst case runtime performance of the procedure below?

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C = 0
i = n
while i > 1 do
  for j = 1 to i do
    C = C + 1
  end for
  i = floor(i/2)
end while
return C
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Sol: As per the above code, the values of i are $n, \lfloor n/2 \rfloor, \lfloor n/4 \rfloor$ so on upto $i=1$. when $i=1$ the while loop exits.

As we know that the value of $n/2 \geq \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$, we can derive the time complexity by the following calculation.

T.C = $\lfloor n \rfloor + \lfloor n/2 \rfloor + \dots$ But as we know that the sum of $n + n/2 + n/4 + \dots$ value we can say that the T.C is less than or equal to the sum of $n + n/2 + \dots$.

$$\text{i.e. } \lfloor n \rfloor + \lfloor n/2 \rfloor + \dots \leq n + n/2 + \dots$$

\Downarrow
Geometric Progression.

$$\begin{aligned} n + n/2 + \dots &= \cancel{n} + \cancel{n/2} + \dots \\ &= n \left[\frac{1}{1 - 1/2} \right] \\ &= 2n. \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \lfloor \ln \rfloor + \lfloor \ln/2 \rfloor + \dots \leq 2n$$

$$\boxed{T.C = O(n)}$$

Q2. Arrange these functions under the O notation using " $=$ " or " C ".

$$\begin{matrix} 2^{\log n} & 2^{3n} & n^{\log n} & \log n & n \log n^2 & n^{n^2} & \log(\log(n^n)) \\ A & B & C & D & E & F & G \end{matrix}$$

Sol: Given 7 functions, our aim is to find the order i.e. increasing order of their values with 'n'.

① Divide the functions into 3 categories

- i. Logarithmic
- ii. Exponential
- iii. Polynomial

We get,

Logarithmic: $\log n, \log(\log(n^n))$

Exponential: $2^{3n}, n^{n \log n}, n^{n^2}$

Polynomial: $n \log(n^2), 2^{\log n}$.

(i) Logarithmic

$\log(\log(n^n))$ and $\log n$.

let $\log n = k$

$$\log(\log(n^n)) = \log(n \log n) = \log(n \times k)$$

$$\Rightarrow \log n + \log k > \log n \Rightarrow k + \log k > k$$

$\underbrace{\log k}_{\text{constant}}$ $\underbrace{\log k}_{\text{constant}}$

$$\therefore O(\log n) = O(\log \log(n^n))$$

(ii) Exponential: 2^{3n} , n^{n^2} , $n^{n \log n}$

$$\begin{array}{l|l|l} \text{let } n^{n^2} = k & 2^{3n} = k & n^{n \log n} = k \\ \log(n^{n^2}) = \log k & 3n \log 2 = \log k & n(\log n)^2 = \log k \\ n^2 \log n = \log k & & \end{array}$$

Comparing $n^2 \log n$, $3n$ and $n(\log n)^2$ we get,

$$O(3n) \subset O(n(\log n)^2) \subset O(n^2 \log n)$$

$$\Downarrow \\ O(2^{3n}) \subset O(n^{n \log n}) \subset O(n^{n^2})$$

(iii) Polynomial: $2^{\log n}$, $n \log(n^2)$

$$\text{let } 2^{\log n} = k$$

$$\Rightarrow n = k$$

$$O(n)$$

$$n \log n^2 = k$$

$$2n \log n = k$$

$$\text{As we know, } O(n) \subset O(n \log n)$$

$$\rightarrow O(2^{\log n}) \subset O(n \log n^2)$$

Finally, as we know Exponential fn grows faster than polynomial fn and polynomial fn grows faster than logarithmic fn.

Therefore, order is

$$\begin{aligned} O(\log n) &= O(\log(\log(n^n))) \subset O(2^{\log n}) \subset O(n \log(n^2)) \\ &\subset O(2^{3n}) \subset O(n^{n \log n}) \subset O(n^{n^2}) \end{aligned}$$

3. $f_1(n) = O(g_1(n))$ and $f_2(n) = O(g_2(n))$

a) $f_1(n) \cdot f_2(n) = O(g_1(n) \cdot g_2(n)) \Rightarrow \text{TRUE}$

As given in the question above,

$$\begin{array}{l|l} f_1(n) = O(g_1(n)) & f_2(n) = O(g_2(n)) \\ f_1(n) \leq C_1 * g_1(n) & f_2(n) \leq C_2 * g_2(n) \\ \hookrightarrow \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{2} \end{array}$$

Using $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(n) \cdot f_2(n) &\leq C_1 * g_1(n) * C_2 * g_2(n) \\ &\leq \underbrace{C_1 C_2}_{\text{constant}} g_1(n) * g_2(n) \\ &= O(g_1(n) * g_2(n)) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore f_1(n) \cdot f_2(n) = O(g_1(n) * g_2(n))$
(TRUE)

b) $f_1(n) + f_2(n) = O(\max(g_1(n), g_2(n)))$
(TRUE)
using $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(n) + f_2(n) &\leq C_1 * g_1(n) + C_2 * g_2(n) \\ &\leq C_1 * \max(g_1(n), g_2(n)) \\ &\quad + C_2 * \max(g_2(n), g_1(n)) \\ &\leq (C_1 + C_2) \max(g_1(n), g_2(n)) \end{aligned}$$

$f_1(n) + f_2(n) = O(\max(g_1(n), g_2(n)))$
(TRUE)

c) $f_1(n)^2 = O(g_1(n)^2)$
(TRUE)

Using (1)

$$f_1(n) \leq C * g_1(n)$$

Squaring on both sides

$$f_1(n)^2 \leq C^2 * g_1(n)^2$$

$$\therefore f_1(n)^2 = O(g_1(n)^2)$$

(TRUE)

d) $\log_2 f_1(n) = O(\log_2 g_1(n))$

let us assume, $f_1(n) = 2$ and $g_1(n) = 1$

$$\log_2 f_1(n) = \log_2 2 = 1$$

$$\log_2 g_1(n) = \log_2 1 = \log_2 2^0 = 0$$

$$\log_2 f_1(n) \neq O(\log_2 g_1(n))$$

(FALSE)

4. Given an undirected graph G with n nodes and m edges, design $O(m+n)$ algorithm to detect whether G contains a cycle. Your algorithm should output a cycle if G contains one.

Sol: Given a graph G we can find it contains a cycle or not using Breadth-first search (BFS) or Depth-first search (DFS).

In this case let us consider the use of DFS to find cycle if present.

Algorithm:

Let G be graph with m edges and n nodes. i.e $G(n, m)$
Consider an array ar of size ' n ' $ar[n]$ which stores the values which represent whether a node is visited (or) not. $visited[n]$

For a current node, consider a variable $parent$ that stores the information about parent or its previous node.

For each non-visited node $n \in N$:

Make n as visited and set $parent = -1$

Make calls recursively for all $n' \in adj(n)$:

if $n' \neq parent$:

If ~~is~~ for n' , if $visited[n']$ was previously visited, then the graph has a cycle
return TRUE

Else

$parent = n$ and make $visited[n]$ ^{visited}

Continue recursive calls until all nodes which are adjacent are visited

Else

Consider node n and ignore n

ENDIF

ENDFOR ^{return} FALSE

ENDFOR

After the algorithm is completed visiting all nodes, then there is no cycle, return False.

The DFS tree would take $O(m)$ time.

The algorithm would take $O(m+n)$ time in each step. Total T.C = $O(m+n)$

5. $G = (V, E)$

Given DFS tree is computed using root $u \in V$ and a tree T is obtained.

Given that BFS is also computed using root $u \in V$ and same BFS tree T is obtained.

To prove, $G = T$, G does not contain any edges that do not belong to T .

Proof by contradiction

- * Assume that an edge (x, y) belonging to graph G that is not present in tree T .
- * As per the DFS tree, either x or y is ancestor of the other.
- * Similarly as per BFS tree, x and y differ by 1 layer atmost.
- * As per the above 2 statements, as either x or y is ancestor of other and they differ by atmost 1 layer, (x, y) should be present in BFS tree T .

* But this contradicts our assumption that (x, y) does not belong to T .

* Thus G cannot contain any edges that do not belong to T .

* $\therefore \boxed{G = T}$