1. Amortized Analysis

(a)

- **Q:** Show that in the worst case, the total cost in tokens to increment the counter is O(n).
- **A:** 在最坏情况下,翻转前计数器中的数是 $1+2+2^2+2^3+\ldots+2^{k-1}=2^k-1=n-1$,需要翻转所有 k 位,需要的花费代价也是 $1+2+2^2+2^3+\ldots+2^{k-1}=2^k-1=n-1$,故复杂度是 O(n)。

(b)

- **Q:** How many tokens are required to flip bit 0 through n increments? (THINK: How often does bit 0 flip when we increment n times?)
- A: 第0 位每次自增都需要翻转,n 次自增需要消耗 $2^0 \times n = n$ 个代币。
- **Q:** How many tokens are required to flip bit 1 through n increments? (THINK: How often does bit 1 flip when we increment n times?)
- A: 第 1 为每 2 次自增翻转一次,n 次自增需要消耗 $2^1 \times \frac{n}{2} = n$ 个代币。

(c)

- **Q:** Based on your answers to the previous questions, how many tokens are required to increment this counter through n increments using big O notation?
- A: 根据先前的分析,第 i 位每增加 2^i 次反转一次,n 次自增第 i 位一共需要消耗 $2^i \times \frac{n}{2^i} = n$ 个代币。
 - 一共有k位,所以一共需要kn个代币。
- **Q:** Based on your answer above, what is the amortized cost of a single increment using big O notation?
- A: 由于 $k = \log_2 n$,所以每次操作的均摊复杂度为 $O(\log n)$

2. A New Implementation of Queues

(a)

- **Q:** Write the queue function queue_empty that returns true if both stacks are empty.
- A:

```
bool queue_empty(queue Q)
{
    return stack_empty(Q->instack) && stack_empty(Q->outstack);
}
```

- **Q:** Write the queue function enqueue based on the description of the data structure above.
- A:

```
void enqueue(elem e, queue Q)
push(e, Q->instack);
}
```

- **Q:** Write the queue function dequeue based on the description of the data structure above.
- A:

```
1  elem dequeue(queue Q)
2  //@requires !queue_empty(Q);
3  {
4    if (stack_empty(Q->outstack))
5        while(!stack_empty(Q->instack))
6        push(pop(Q->instack), Q->outstack);
7    //@assert !stack_empty(Q->outstack);
8    return pop(Q->outstack);
9  }
```

(b)

• **Q:** We now determine the runtime complexity of the enqueue and dequeue operations. Let *q* represent the total number of elements in the queue.

What is the worst-case runtime complexity of each of the following queue operations based on the description of the data structure implementation given above? Write ONE sentence that explains each answer.

• A:

enqueue : O(1) , 因为每次都是直接插入一个元素进入 instack ,而 push 函数是 O(1) 的 dequeue : O(q) ,因为可能所有元素全部都在 instack 内,需要进行 q+1 次 pop 操作,q 次 push 操作,所以是 O(q)

(c)

- **Q:** How many tokens in total are required to enqueue an element? State for what purpose each token is used.
- A: 3 个代币,1 个代币用于 enqueue 中的 push 操作。另外 2 个代币之后再使用,分别用于在 outstack 为空的时候,从 instack 中 pop 出来,然后 push 进入 outstack。
- **Q:** How many tokens are required to dequeue an element? When the outstack is empty and we move elements from instack to outstack, why does this not require additional tokens?
- A:1 个代币,从 outstack 中 pop 出来。因为在 enqueue 的时候已经预支过了。