

# 1 Homework 2

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## 1.1 problem1

- a). I did not work in a group.
- b). I did not consult without anyone my group members
- c). I did not consult any non-class materials.

## 1.2 problem2

a).  $f = \Omega(g)$

both f and g are the power of n, but  $1.5 > 1.3$ , so  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \right) = \infty$ .

b).  $f = \Theta(g)$

because  $f(n) = 0.5 * 2^n = O(2^n) = g(n)$  for  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \right) = 0.5$ .

c).  $f = \Omega(g)$

if base of log is 2, for  $n \geq 2.23$ ,  $1.3 \log(n) > 1.5$ , so the  $n^{1.3 \log(n)} > n^{1.5}$ .

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \right) = \infty$ .

d).  $f = \Omega(g)$

the  $f = \Theta(3^n)$  and  $g = \Theta(2^n)$ . The base of n are  $3 > 2$ . So for  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \right) = \infty$ .

e).  $f = O(g)$

take log on f and g,  $\log(f) = 100 \log(\log(n)) < 0.1 \log(n) = \log(g)$ , so

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \right) = 0$ .

f).  $f = \Omega(g)$

take log for f and g,  $\log(f(n)) = \log(n) > \log \log(n) * \log(\log(n))$ , so

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \right) = \infty$ .

g).  $f = O(g)$

take log for f and g,  $\log(f(n)) = \log(n) < \prod_{i=0}^n \log(i) = \log(g(n))$ ,

so  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \right) = 0$ .

h).  $f = O(g)$

$f(n) = n \log(e)$ , for  $n > e$ , the  $\log(e) < \log(n)$ .

So for  $n > 1$ ,  $f(n) = n \log(e) < n \log(n) = g(n)$ .

Thus  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \right) = 0$ .

i).  $f = \Theta(g)$

$f(n) = n + \log(n) = O(n) = n + (\log(n))^2 = g(n)$  for all  $n > 1$ .

Thus  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \right) = c$ ,  $c$  is a constant number

j).  $f = \Theta(g)$

$f(n) = 5n + \sqrt{n} = O(n) = \log(n) + n = g(n)$  for all  $n > 1$ .

Thus  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} \right) = c$ ,  $c$  is a constant number

### 1.3 problem3

a). There are  $n + 1$  items in polynomial. The sum of  $n + 1$  items take  $n$  steps. The multiplications in  $i$  items is  $i + 1$ , the total multiplications is  $\sum_{i=0}^n i + 1 = 1 + \frac{n^2+3n}{2}$ .

Adding all sum and multiplications together,  $\frac{n^2+3n}{2} + n + 1 = O(n^2)$   
The time complexity in this polynomials is  $O(n^2)$

b).first, we prove the base case, for  $n = 1$ ,  $z_n = a_1x_0 + a_0 = p_n(x_0)$ .

we need to prove the case for  $n + 1$  is also true.  $p_{n+1}(x_0) = p_n(x_0) + a_{n+1}x^{n+1} = z_n + a_{n+1}x^{n+1} = z_{n+1}$ , because  $z_n = p_n(x_0)$

so, we can infer that  $z_n = p_n(x_0)$ , for all  $n$ , and the Horner's rule output the  $p_n(x_0)$ .

c). In the Horner's algorithm, it go through the loop from  $n - 1$  to  $0$ . In each loop, it has two steps.  $\sum_{i=n-1}^0 2 = O(n)$

The time complexity of Horner's algorithm is  $O(n)$

### 1.4 problem4

a).  $T(n) = 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + \sqrt{n}$

The branching factor is 2, and the number of subproblems at depth  $k$  are  $2^k$ , the size of subproblems at depths  $k$  is  $2^k * \sqrt{\frac{n}{2^k}}$ . The total depth is  $\frac{n}{2^k} = 1$ ,  $k = \log_2(n)$ . The total running time is  $\sum_{k=1}^{\log(n)} \sqrt{\frac{n}{2^k}} = \Theta(n)$

b).The branching factor is 2, and the number of subproblems at depth  $k$  are  $2^k$ , the size of subproblems at depths  $k$  is  $2^k$ . The total depth is  $\frac{n}{3^k} = 1$ ,  $k = \log_3(n)$ . The running time is  $\sum_{k=0}^{\log_3(n)} 2^k = \Theta(n^{\log_3 2})$ .

c).The branching factor is 5, and the number of subproblems at depth  $k$  are  $5^k$ , the size of subproblems at depths  $k$  is  $\frac{5^k * n}{4^k}$ . The total depth is  $\frac{n}{4^k} = 1$ ,  $k = \log_4(n)$ . The running time is  $\sum_{k=0}^{\log_4(n)} \frac{5^k * n}{4^k} = \Theta(n^{\log_4 5})$ .

d).The branching factor is 7, and the number of subproblems at depth  $k$  are  $7^k$ , the size of subproblems at depths  $k$  is  $n$ . The total depth is  $\frac{n}{7^k} = 1$ ,  $k = \log_7(n)$ . The running time is  $\sum_{k=0}^{\log_7(n)} n = \Theta(n * \log_7 n)$ .

e).The branching factor is 9, and the number of subproblems at depth  $k$  are  $9^k$ , the size of subproblems at depths  $k$  is  $n^2$ . The total depth is  $\frac{n}{3^k} = 1$ ,  $k = \log_3(n)$ . The running time is  $\sum_{k=0}^{\log_3(n)} n^2 = \Theta(n^2 * \log_3 n)$ .