

Q1.

5) input: positive integer  $n$ ; Output:  $x=2^{2^n}$

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x = 2;
i = 0;
while (i < n)
{
    x = x * x;
    i = i + 1;
}
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Running Time of this algorithm is  $O(n)$  assuming multiplication takes  $O(1)$  time.

Let multiplications take  $O(n^2)$  time for two  $n$ -bit numbers.

Notice at that step  $i$  we multiply  $2^{2^i}$  with itself. Each of these numbers takes  $O(2^i)$  bits to store. Therefore the cost of each multiplication is  $O(2^{2i})$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Total time is: } \sum_{i=1}^n 2^{2i} &= 2^{2n} + 2^{2(n-1)} + 2^{2(n-2)} + \dots + 2^{2(n-(n-1))} \\ &= 2^{2n} (1 + 1/4 + 1/16 + \dots + 1/2^{2(n-1)}) \\ &\leq 2^{2n} \times 2 = O(2^{2n}); \text{ also } O(4^n)\end{aligned}$$

Another solution is:

$a = 1 \ll n$

$v = 1 \ll a$

The first line computes  $2^n$  via bit-shifts, and the second  $2^{2^n}$  via bit-shifts too.

The second line dominates, since we are doing  $2^n$  bit shifts.

The complexity is  $O(2^n)$

Q2.

1.31. (a) By the equation  $\log N! = \log 1 + \log 2 + \dots + \log N$  we can easily see that  $N!$  is approximately  $\Theta(N \cdot \log N) = \Theta(N \cdot n)$  bits long.

(b) We can compute  $N!$  naively as follows:

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factorial (N)
    f = 1
    for i = 2 to N
        f = f · i
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We have  $N$  steps. In each step we multiply a  $n$  bit number by a  $nN$  bit number in the worst case. Therefore, total time is  $N^2 n^2 = N^2 (\log N)^2$

Q3.

The gcd of 1492 and 1776 via factorization is:

$$1492 = 2 \times 2 \times 373$$

$$1776 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 37$$

Common factors:  $2 \times 2$ , therefore 4 is the gcd

Now using Euclid's method, we have:

$$(1776, 1492) \text{ with } 1776 = 1 \times 1492 + 284$$

$$(1492, 284) \text{ with } 1492 = 5 \times 284 + 72$$

$$(284, 72) \text{ with } 284 = 3 \times 72 + 68$$

$$(72, 68) \text{ with } 72 = 1 \times 68 + 4$$

$$(68, 4) \text{ with } 68 = 17 \times 4 + 0$$

$$(4, 0)$$

$$\text{Gcd} = 4$$

Now for the linear combination, we have:

$$4 = 1 \times 72 - 1 \times 68$$

$$= 1 \times 72 - 1 \times (284 - 3 \times 72)$$

$$= -1 \times 284 + 4 \times 72$$

$$= -1 \times 284 + 4 \times (1492 - 5 \times 284)$$

$$= 4 \times 1492 - 21 \times 284$$

$$= 4 \times 1492 - 21 \times (1776 - 1492)$$

$$= -21 \times 1776 + 25 \times 1492$$