

Assignment 9 Solution

Ex1:

a)

- $18 \leq x \rightarrow 17x + 11 \leq 18x + x \leq x^2$
 $\rightarrow 17x + 11 \leq C x^2$
 $\rightarrow f(x) \in O(x^2)$ for $k=18$ and $C=1$
- If $f(x) \notin \Omega(x^2) \rightarrow 17x + 11 > C x^2$ for $C > 0$ and $x \geq k$
 $x > 18 \rightarrow 18x \geq 17x + x > 17x + 11 \rightarrow 18x > Cx^2$
 dividing by x , $18 > Cx \Rightarrow x < C_1$, for $C_1 = C/18$, but $x > k \Rightarrow$
 impossible
 $\rightarrow f(x) \notin \Omega(x^2)$
 $\rightarrow f(x) \notin \theta(x^2)$

b)

- $x^2 + 1000 \leq 1000x^2$ for $x > 1000$
 $\rightarrow f(x) \in O(x^2)$ for $C=1000$ and $k=1000$
- $x^2 + 1000 \geq x^2$ for $x > 1000$
 $\rightarrow f(x) \in \Omega(x^2)$ for $C=1$ and $k=1000$
 $\rightarrow f(x) \in \theta(x^2)$ for $k=1000$

c)

- $\log x < x \rightarrow x \log x \leq x^2$ for $x > 1$
 $f(x) \in O(x^2)$ for $k=1$ and $C=1$
- Assume $f(x) \in \Omega(x^2) \rightarrow x \log x \geq C x^2$ such that $C > 0$, |
 $\rightarrow \log x \geq Cx \rightarrow \log x / x \geq C$, but we know that the limit at infinity = 0,
 \rightarrow false Assumption
 $\rightarrow f(x) \notin \Omega(x^2)$
 $\rightarrow f(x) \notin \theta(x^2)$

d)

- $x^4/2 \leq Cx^2 \rightarrow x^2 \leq 2C \rightarrow x < \sqrt{2C}$
 $\rightarrow f(x) \notin O(x^2)$
- $x^4/2 \geq Cx^2 \Rightarrow x^2 \geq 2C$ for $C=1$ and $k=2$
 $\rightarrow f(x) \in \Omega(x^2)$ for $C=1$ and $k=2$

$$\rightarrow f(x) \notin \theta(x^2)$$

e)

- $2^x \leq Cx^2 \rightarrow x \leq C + 2\log x \rightarrow x/2\log x \leq (C+1)/2\log x \dots$ At infinity, the limits would be $\infty \leq 0$ which is false

$$\rightarrow f(x) \notin O(x^2)$$

- $2^x \geq Cx^2 \Rightarrow x \geq C + 2\log x$ which is true for $x > 10$ and $C = 1$
 $\rightarrow f(x) \in \Omega(x^2)$ for $C=1$ and $k=10$

$$\rightarrow f(x) \notin \theta(x^2)$$

f)

$$\text{let } x=a+\varepsilon \text{ for } 0 \leq \varepsilon < 1, \rightarrow a^2 \leq [x] \cdot [x] \leq (a+1)^2$$

- $a \leq x \leq a+1$
 $a^2 \leq [x] \cdot [x] \leq (a+1)^2 \leq 3a^2 \leq Cx^2$ for $x > 1$
 $\rightarrow f(x) \in O(x^2)$ for $C=3$ and $k=1$
- $x^2 = (a+\varepsilon)^2 = a^2 + 2a\varepsilon + \varepsilon^2 \geq a^2$
 $\rightarrow x^2 \leq [x] \cdot [x] \leq (a+1)^2$
 $\rightarrow f(x) \in \Omega(x^2)$ for $C=1$ and $k=1$

$$\rightarrow f(x) \in \theta(x^2)$$

Ex2:

$$1000 \log n, \sqrt{n}, n \log n, n^2/1000000, 2^n, 3^n, 2n!$$

Ex3:

We can pick the function with highest order when we have addition, and give the multiplication of the functions when we have multiplication

$$\text{a) } f(x) = O(n^3) * O(\log n) + O(17\log n) * O(n^3) = O(n^3 \log n)$$

$$\text{b) } f(x) = O(2^n) * O(3^n) = O(6^n)$$

$$\text{c) } f(x) = O(n^n) * O(n!) = O(n^n \times n!)$$

Ex4:

a)

- $f(x) = x^2$, its obviously $\Theta(x^2)$
- $g(x) = 2x^2 + x - 7$, for $x > 7 > -7 \rightarrow 2x > x-7 > 0$ and $x^2 > 2x$
 $\rightarrow 2x^2 + x - 7 \leq 2x^2 + 2x \leq 4x^2$

- $g(x)$ is $\Theta(x^2)$
- f and g are of same order

b)

- $f(x) = x$ which is obviously $\Theta(x)$
- $g(x) = \lfloor x+1/2 \rfloor$, consider 2 cases of x
 - a. $x = a + \epsilon$, and $\epsilon < 0.5$, then $\lfloor x+1/2 \rfloor = a = x - \epsilon$, then its $\Theta(x)$
 - b. $x = a + \epsilon$, and $\epsilon > 0.5$, then $\lfloor x+1/2 \rfloor = a + 1 = x + (1 - \epsilon)$, then its $\Theta(x)$
- f and g are of same order

c)

- $f(x) = \log(x^2) = 2\log x$ which is obviously $\Theta(\log x)$
- $g(x) = \log(x^2+1)$

Need to prove:

$$C_1 \log x \leq \log(x^2+1) \leq C_2 \log x$$

$$2^{C_1 \log x} \leq 2^{\log(x^2+1)} \leq 2^{C_2 \log x}$$

$$X^{C_1} \leq x^2+1 \leq X^{C_2}, \text{ which is true } C_1 = 0.5, C_2 = 3, \text{ and } x > 3$$

- g is $\Theta(\log x)$
- f and g are of same order

d)

- $f(x) = \log_{10} x = \log_2 x / \log_2 10$, which is obviously $\Theta(\lg x)$
- $g(x) = \log_2 x$, which is obviously $\Theta(\lg x)$
- f and g are of same order

Ex5:

Applying the following algorithm for getting x^{2^k} will be done as follows:

Step	Previous Value	Resulting Value
1	x^1	x^2
2	x^2	x^4
i	$x^{2^{i-1}}$	x^{2^i}
i+1	x^{2^i}	$x^{2^{i+1}}$
k	$x^{2^{k-1}}$	x^{2^k}

So, in K steps, we will have x^{2^k} , so to calculate x^n , we will need $\log(n)$ steps

However, the naïve way for calculating x^n , starting with 1, and multiplying by x , will need n steps instead of $\log(n)$...so the first way is more efficient

Ex6:

1 Day = 24 * 60 * 60 = 86400 seconds.

- a) $(10^{-11}) * \log n = 86400$
 $n = 2^{86400 \times 10^{11}}$
- b) $(10^{-11}) * 1000n = 86400$
 $n = 86.4 \times 10^{11}$
- c) $(10^{-11}) * n^2 = 86400$
 $n = \sqrt{86400 \times 10^{11}}$
- d) $(10^{-11}) * 1000n^2 = 86400$
 $n = \sqrt{86.4 \times 10^{11}}$
- e) $(10^{-11}) * n^3 = 86400$
 $n = \sqrt[3]{86400 \times 10^{11}}$
- f) $(10^{-11}) * x^{2^n} = 86400$
 $n = \log(86400 \times 10^{11})$
- g) $(10^{-11}) * x^{2^{2^n}} = 86400$
 $n = \log(86400 \times 10^{11}) / 2$
- h) $(10^{-11}) * x^{2^{2^n}} = 86400$
 $n = \log(\log(86400 \times 10^{11}))$

Ex8:

procedure OccurMoreThanOnce (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n : nondecreasing integers)

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for i:= 1 to n-1
    while(i < n-1 && ai+1 = ai)
        i++
    print(ai)

if(n = 1 || an != an-1)
    print(an)
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The worst case complexity of this algorithm is $\Theta(n)$

Ex9:

To check if a set of n talks can be scheduled together, we need $\Theta(n \lg n)$ – Sort, then check if there are conflicts

We have 2^n subsets for n talks. Thus the running time will be $O(n \lg n * 2^n)$

Ex10:

-Linear search finds the value in $O(n)$, so doubling the size will result in doubling the number of comparisons

-Binary search find the value in $O(\lg n)$, so doubling the size will result in 1 extra comparison