

Data Structures and Algorithms

Homework 02¹

Note: You are required to submit your answer in *hand-written* form at the beginning of the next lecture.

Question 1.

Order the following functions by asymptotic growth rate:

$4n \log n + 2n$	2^{10}	$2^{\log n}$
$3n + 100 \log n$	$4n$	2^n
$n^2 + 10n$	n^3	$n \log n$

Question 2.

Describe a method for finding both the minimum and maximum of n numbers using fewer than $3n/2$ comparisons.

Question 3.

Give an n -element array X , algorithm D calls algorithm E on each element $X[i]$. Algorithm E runs in $O(i)$ time when it is called on element $X[i]$. What is the worst-case running time of algorithm D?

Question 4.

Suppose that each row of an $n \times n$ array A consists of 1's and 0's such that, in any row of A all the 1's come before any 0's in that row. Assuming A is already in the memory, describe a method running in $O(n)$ time for finding the row of A that contains the most 1's.

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