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(10 points) Suppose we have a function  $f$  defined (for  $n$  a power of 4) by

$$\begin{aligned}f(1) &= 0 \\f(n) &= 2f(n/4) + n \text{ for } n \geq 4\end{aligned}$$

Your partner has already figured out that

$$f(n) = 2^k f(n/4^k) + n \sum_{p=0}^{k-1} 1/2^p$$

Finish finding the closed form for  $f(n)$  assuming that  $n$  is a power of 4. Show your work and simplify your answer. Recall that  $\log_b n = (\log_a n)(\log_b a)$ .

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(10 points) Suppose we have a function  $F$  defined (for  $n$  a power of 2) by

$$\begin{aligned} F(2) &= c \\ F(n) &= F(n/2) + n \text{ for } n \geq 4 \end{aligned}$$

Your partner has already figured out that

$$F(n) = F(n/2^k) + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} n \frac{1}{2^i}$$

Finish finding the closed form for  $F$ . Show your work and simplify your answer.

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1. (8 points) Suppose we have a function  $f$  defined by

$$\begin{aligned}f(0) &= f(1) = 3 \\f(n) &= 5f(n-2) + d, \text{ for } n \geq 2\end{aligned}$$

where  $d$  is a constant. Express  $f(n)$  in terms of  $f(n-6)$  (where  $n \geq 6$ ). Show your work and simplify your answer. You do **not** need to find a closed form for  $f(n)$ .

2. (2 points) Check the (single) box that best characterizes each item.

The chromatic number of the  
4-dimensional hypercube  $Q_4$

2 3 4 5

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$$f(1) = 0$$

$$f(n) = 2f(n/4) + n \text{ for } n \geq 4$$

Express  $f(n)$  in terms of  $f(n/4^{13})$  (assuming  $n$  is large enough that this input hasn't reached the base case). Express your answer using a summation and show your work. Do **not** finish the process of finding the closed form for  $f(n)$ .

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1. (8 points) Suppose we have a function  $g$  defined (for  $n$  a power of 3) by

$$\begin{aligned}g(1) &= c \\g(n) &= 3g(n/3) + n \text{ for } n \geq 3\end{aligned}$$

Express  $g(n)$  in terms of  $g(n/3^3)$  (where  $n \geq 27$ ). Show your work and simplify your answer. You do **not** need to find a closed form for  $g(n)$ .

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The number of nodes in the  
4-dimensional hypercube  $Q_4$

4 16 32 64

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1. (8 points) Suppose we have a function  $g$  defined (for  $n$  a power of 2) by

$$\begin{aligned} g(1) &= 1 \\ g(n) &= 4g(n/2) + n^2 \text{ for } n \geq 2 \end{aligned}$$

Your partner has already figured out that

$$g(n) = 4^k g(n/2^k) + kn^2$$

Finish finding the closed form for  $g$ . Show your work and simplify your answer.

2. (2 points) Check the (single) box that best characterizes each item.

The Fibonacci numbers can be defined recursively by  $F(0) = 0$ ,  $F(1) = 1$ , and  $F(n) = F(n-1) + F(n-2)$  for all integers ...

$n \geq 0$

$n \geq 1$

$n \geq 2$

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