

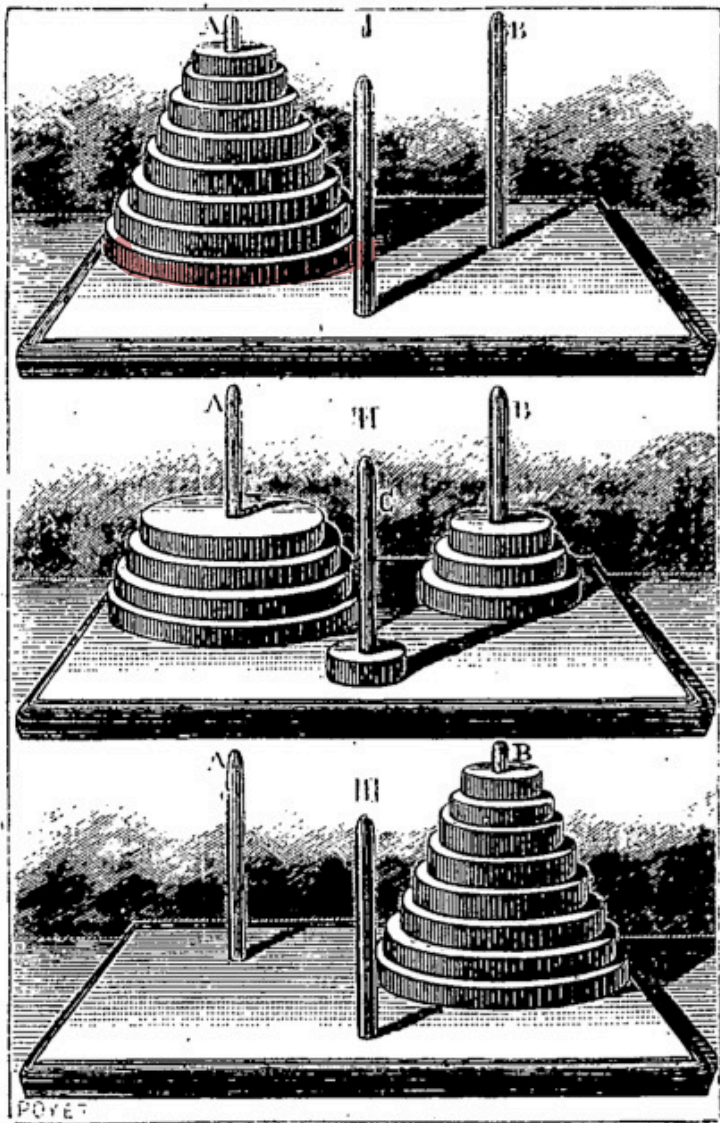
HW5 } out this afternoon
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due next Tuesday 8pm

Algorithms:

Proofs: INDUCTION
Algorithms: RECURSION

Tower of Hanoi Lucas (1887)



Move one disk at a time

Never put a disk on top of a smaller disk

Move n disks from A to B (via C)

if $n > 0$:

Move $n-1$ disks from A to C (via B)

Move disk n from A to B

Move $n-1$ disks from C to B (via A)

Recursion!

Smaller instances of exactly the same problem.

$T(n) = \# \text{ moves}$

n	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
$T(n)$	0	1	3	7	15	31	63

$$T(n) = 2T(n-1) + 1$$

Guess: $T(n) = 2^n - 1$

Proof. Let n be any non-neg int
Assume $T(m) = 2^m - 1$ for all $m < n$

Two cases:

$n = 0 \Rightarrow T(0) = 0 = 2^0 - 1 \checkmark$

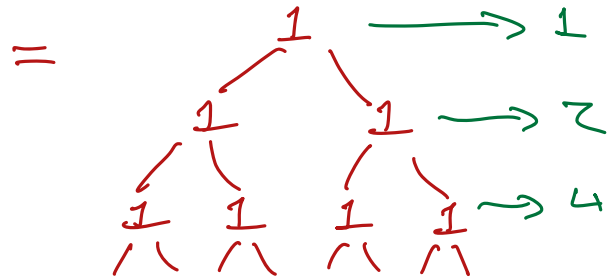
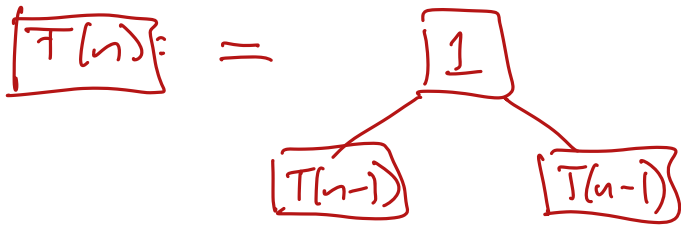
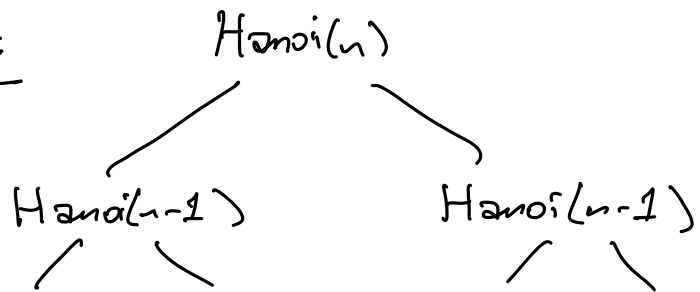
$n > 0 \Rightarrow T(n) = 2T(n-1) + 1$

$$= 2(2^{n-1} - 1) + 1$$

$$= 2^n - 1 \checkmark$$

[IH]

Recursion Tree:



increasing geom. series
Only largest term matters
 n levels $\rightarrow 2^n$ work at last level
so $O(2^n)$ moves

Input:	S	O	R	T	I	N	G	E	X	A	M	P	L	
Divide:	S	O	R	T	I	N		G	E	X	A	M	P	L
Recurse Left:	I	N	O	R	S	T		G	E	X	A	M	P	L
Recurse Right:	I	N	O	R	S	T		A	E	G	L	M	P	X
Merge:	A	E	G	I	L	M	N	O	P	R	S	T	X	

$T(n) \rightarrow$

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MERGESORT(A[1..n]):
  if n > 1
    m ← [n/2]
    MERGESORT(A[1..m])    <<Recurse!>>
    MERGESORT(A[m+1..n]) <<Recurse!>>
    MERGE(A[1..n], m)
  
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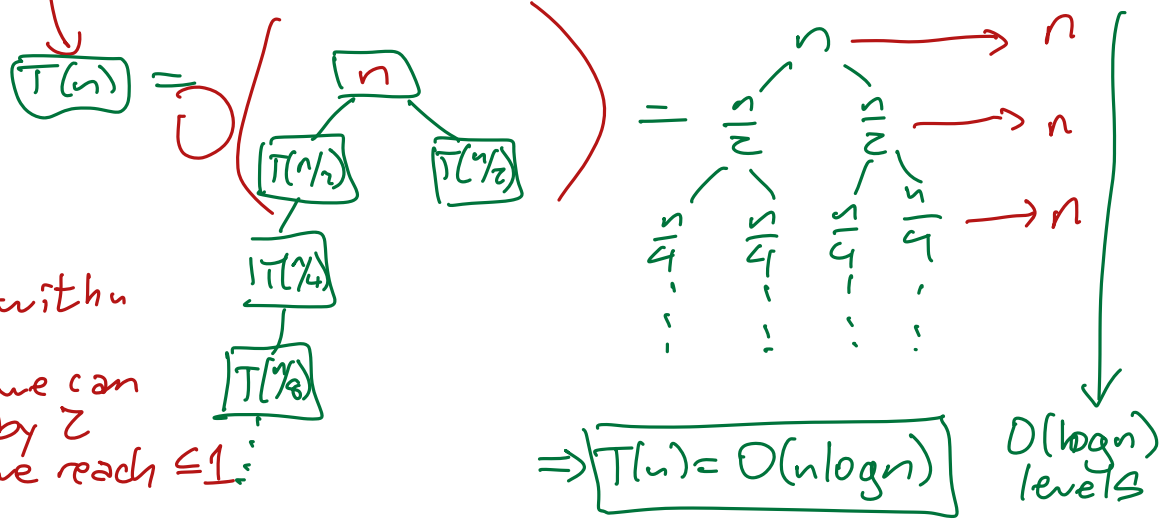
$T(n/2) \rightarrow$

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$O(n) \rightarrow$

$\leq C \cdot n$
for some c

$T(n) = 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + O(n)$
 ~~$= 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + T(\frac{n}{2}) + O(n)$~~
 $T(n) = O(1)$ for all $n < 10^{100}$!



$\log_2 n =$
starting with n
times we can
divide by 2
until we reach ≤ 1 :

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MERGE(A[1..n], m):  
  i ← 1; j ← m + 1  
  for k ← 1 to n  
    if j > n  
      B[k] ← A[i]; i ← i + 1  
    else if i > m  
      B[k] ← A[j]; j ← j + 1  
    else if A[i] < A[j]  
      B[k] ← A[i]; i ← i + 1  
    else  
      B[k] ← A[j]; j ← j + 1  
  for k ← 1 to n  
    A[k] ← B[k]
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\mathcal{R} empty →

L empty →

$L[1] < \mathcal{R}[1]$ →

$L[1] > \mathcal{R}[1]$ →

→ $O(n)$ iteration

$O(1)$ per iteration

if L and \mathcal{R} are not both empty:
Move $\min(L[1], \mathcal{R}[1])$ to output
Recursively merge rest of L and \mathcal{R}

Input:	S	O	R	T	I	N	G	E	X	A	M	P	L
Choose a pivot:	S	O	R	T	I	N	G	E	X	A	M	P	L
Partition:	A	G	O	E	I	N	L	M	P	T	X	S	R
Recurse Left:	A	E	G	I	L	M	N	O	P	T	X	S	R
Recurse Right:	A	E	G	I	L	M	N	O	P	R	S	T	X

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QUICKSORT(A[1..n]):
  if (n > 1)
    Choose a pivot element A[p]
    r ← PARTITION(A, p)
    QUICKSORT(A[1..r-1])  <<Recurse!>>
    QUICKSORT(A[r+1..n]) <<Recurse!>>

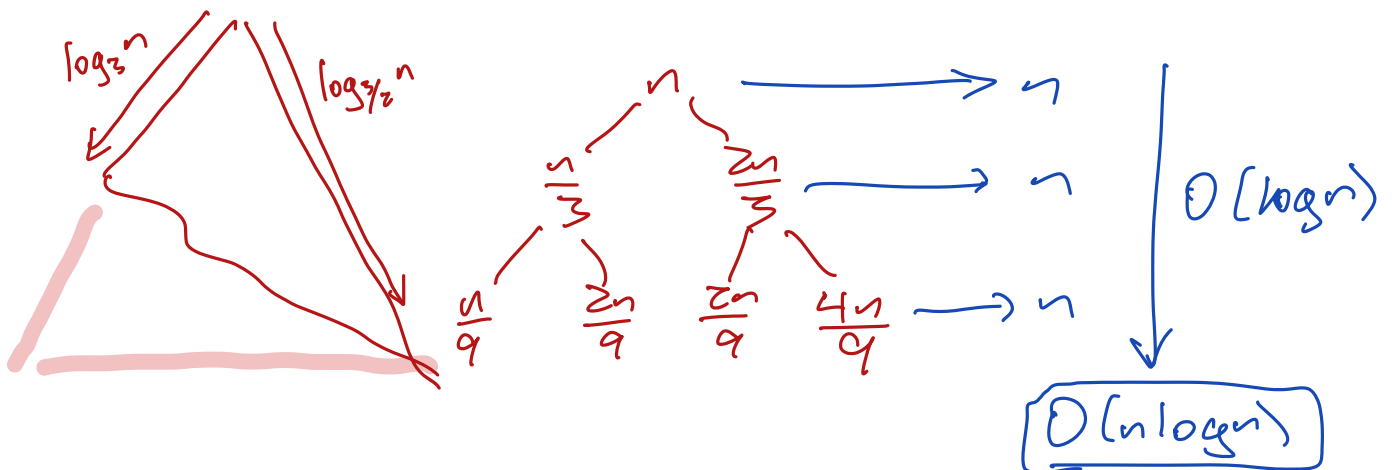
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$$T(n) = \max_r (T(r-1) + T(n-r)) + O(n)$$

$$\leq T(1) + T(n-1) + O(n) = O(n^2)$$

If we could guarantee $\frac{n}{3} \leq r \leq \frac{2n}{3}$

$$T(n) \leq T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + T\left(\frac{2n}{3}\right) + O(n)$$



PARTITION($A[1..n], p$):

swap $A[p] \leftrightarrow A[n]$

$\ell \leftarrow 0$ $\langle\langle \#items < pivot \rangle\rangle$

for $i \leftarrow 1$ to $n - 1$

 if $A[i] < A[n]$

$\ell \leftarrow \ell + 1$

 swap $A[\ell] \leftrightarrow A[i]$

swap $A[n] \leftrightarrow A[\ell + 1]$

return $\ell + 1$