

# Premaster Course

# Algorithms 1

SS 2019

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# Basic Information

## Lectures:

- Mo 6 – 8 pm F1.110

## Exam:

- Oral exam at end of course

## Course Webpage:

- <http://cs.uni-paderborn.de/ti/lehre/veranstaltungen/ss-2019>

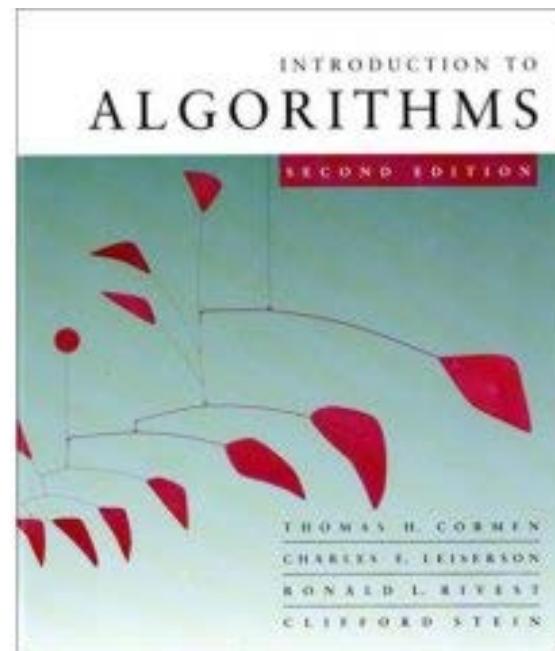
## Office hours:

- Thu, 4-5 pm, F2.326

# Basic Information

## Literature:

Cormen, Leiserson, Rivest, Stein:  
Introduction to Algorithms, 3rd ed.  
MIT Press/McGraw-Hill  
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# Basic Information

## Contents of the course:

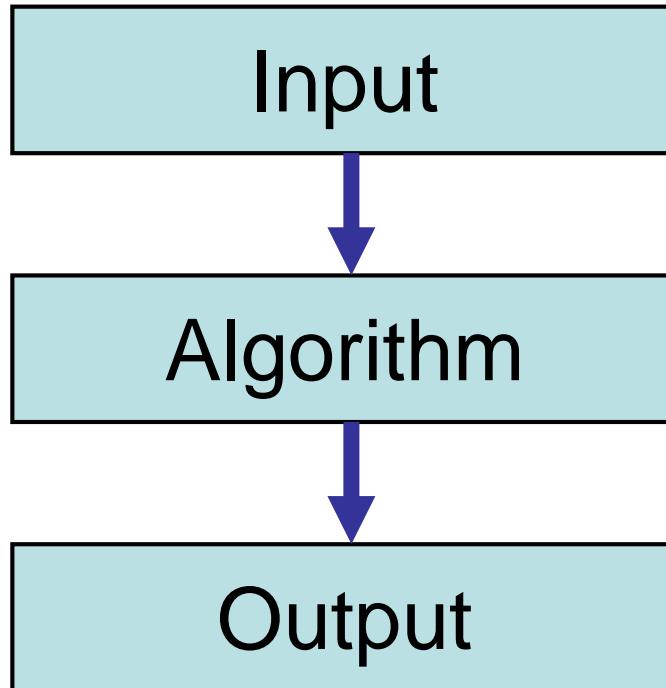
- April 8: Chapters 1-4 (Intro and runtime analysis)
- April 15: Chapters 6-7 (Sorting)
- April 29: Chapters 10-12  
(Elementary data structures)
- May 6: Chapters 24-25 (Basic graph algorithms)
- May 13: Chapters 24-25 (Shortest paths)
- May 20: Chapter 26 (Network flow)

# What is an Algorithm?

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*Definition 1.1:* An **algorithm** is a concise description of a procedure to solve a certain class of problems.

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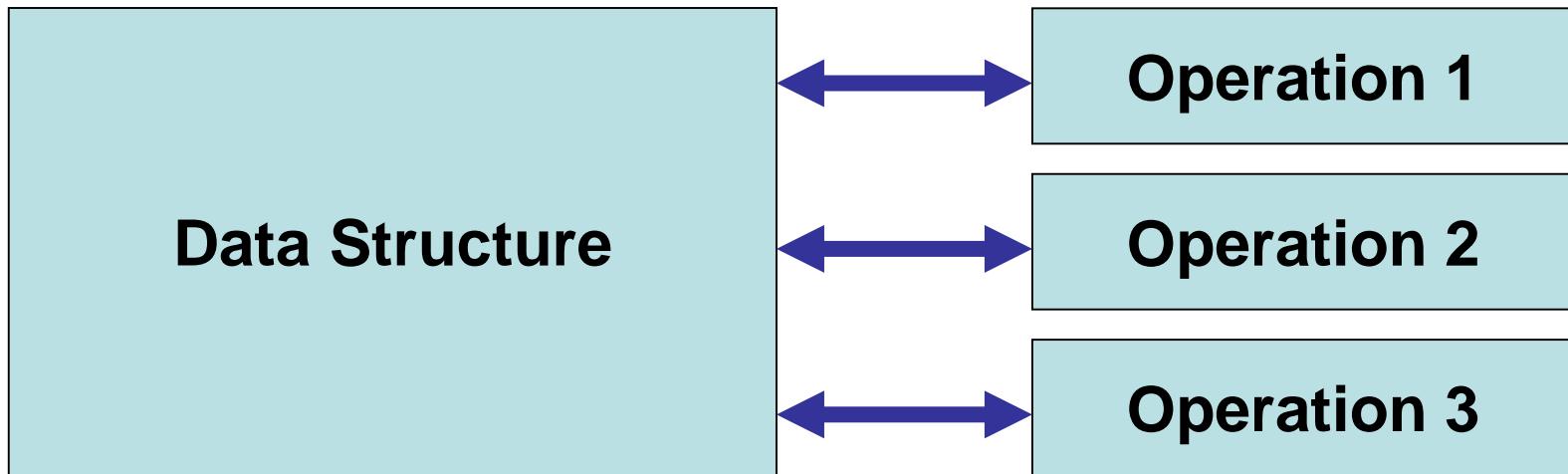


# What is a Data Structure?

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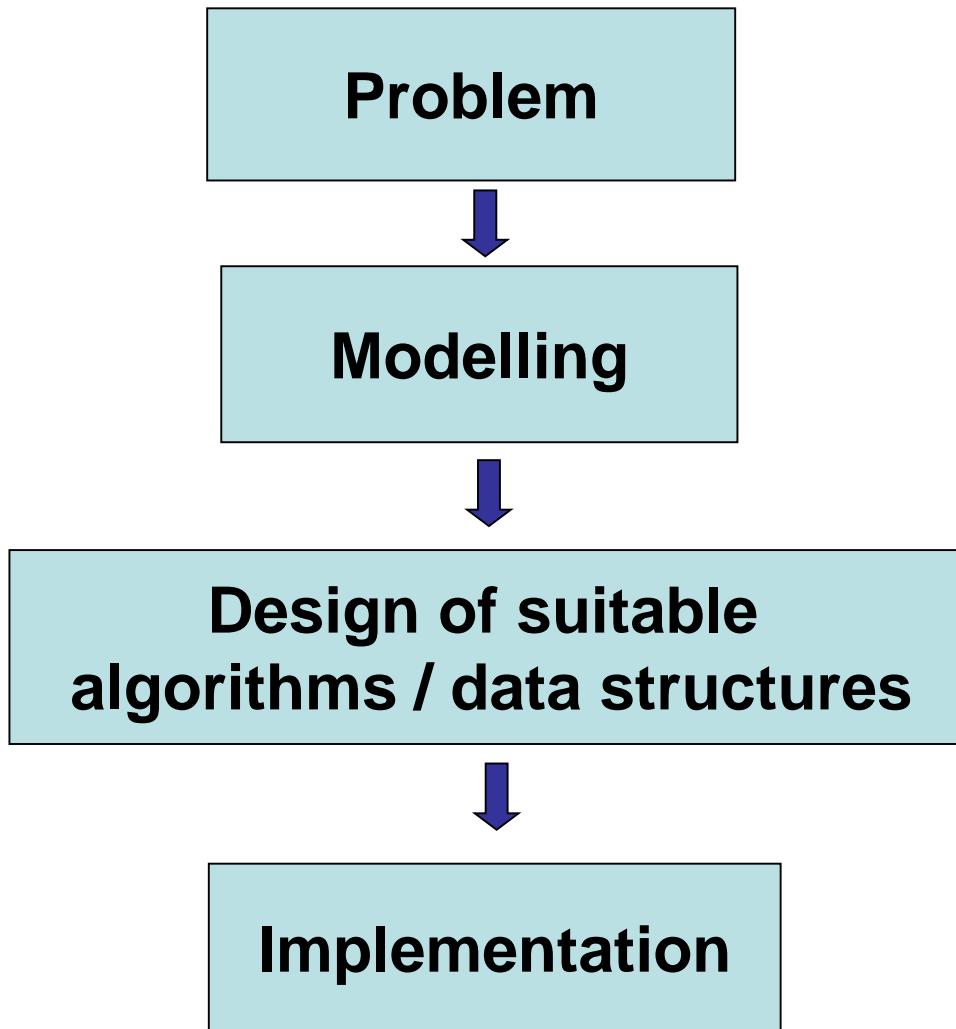
*Definition 1.2:* A **data structure** is a specific way of organizing data in the memory of a computer to facilitate operations like *Search, Insert, and Delete*.

Here:



# Software Development

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# Important Criteria

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- Algorithms / data structures must be correct.
  - ⇒ *Correctness proofs.*
- Algorithms / data structures should work efficiently.
  - ⇒ *Analytical methods for time and space analysis.*
- For guarantees, analytical methods *cannot* rely on empirical studies but must be based on a *mathematical analysis.*

# Design of Algorithms

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A rigorous algorithmic approach requires:

1. *Formal description of algorithm (in pseudo-code)*
2. *Correctness proof*
3. *Formal time and/or space analysis*

# Notation

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Pseudocode:

- Loops (for, while, repeat)
- Branching (if – then – else)
- Returning from procedure call (return)
- Assignment (`:=`)
- Block structure via indentation

Time needed for elementary operations (like assignments and checks): constant

# Example: Minimum Search

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Input: sequence A of n numbers ( $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$ )

Output: index i with  $a_i \leq a_j$  for all  $1 \leq j \leq n$ .

Algorithm:

Min-Search(A):

```
1 min:=1
2 for j:=2 to length(A)
3   if A[j]<A[min] then min:=j
4 return min
```

Example:

Input: (31,41,59,26,51,48)

Output: 4

# Example: Sorting

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Input: sequence A of n numbers ( $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$ )

Output: permutation of ( $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$ ) into ( $b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n$ )  
with  $b_1 \leq b_2 \leq \dots \leq b_n$ .

Algorithm:

Insertion-Sort(A):

```
1 for j:=2 to length(A)
2   key:=A[j]; i:=j-1 // insert A[j] into A[1..j-1]
3   while i>0 and A[i]>key
4     A[i+1]:=A[i]
5     i:=i-1
6   A[i+1]:=key
7 return A
```

# Example: Sorting

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Runtime analysis:

Insertion-Sort(A):

	cost	times
1 <b>for</b> $j:=2$ <b>to</b> length(A)	$c_1$	n
2   key:=A[j]; $i:=j-1$	$c_2$	$n-1$
3 <b>while</b> $i>0$ and $A[i]>key$	$c_3$	$\sum_{j=2}^n t_j$
4 $A[i+1]:=A[i]$	$c_4$	$\sum_{j=2}^n (t_j-1)$
5 $i:=i-1$	$c_5$	$\sum_{j=2}^n (t_j-1)$
6 $A[i+1]:=key$	$c_6$	$n-1$
7 <b>return</b> A	$c_7$	1

Worst case:  $t_j=j$  ( $A[j]$  has to be placed into  $A[1]$ )

Worst case runtime:  $T(n) \approx c \cdot n^2$  for some constant c

# Example: Sorting

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Input: sequence A of n numbers  $(a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)$

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with  $b_1 \leq b_2 \leq \dots \leq b_n$ .

Algorithm: Merge-Sort(A,1,n)

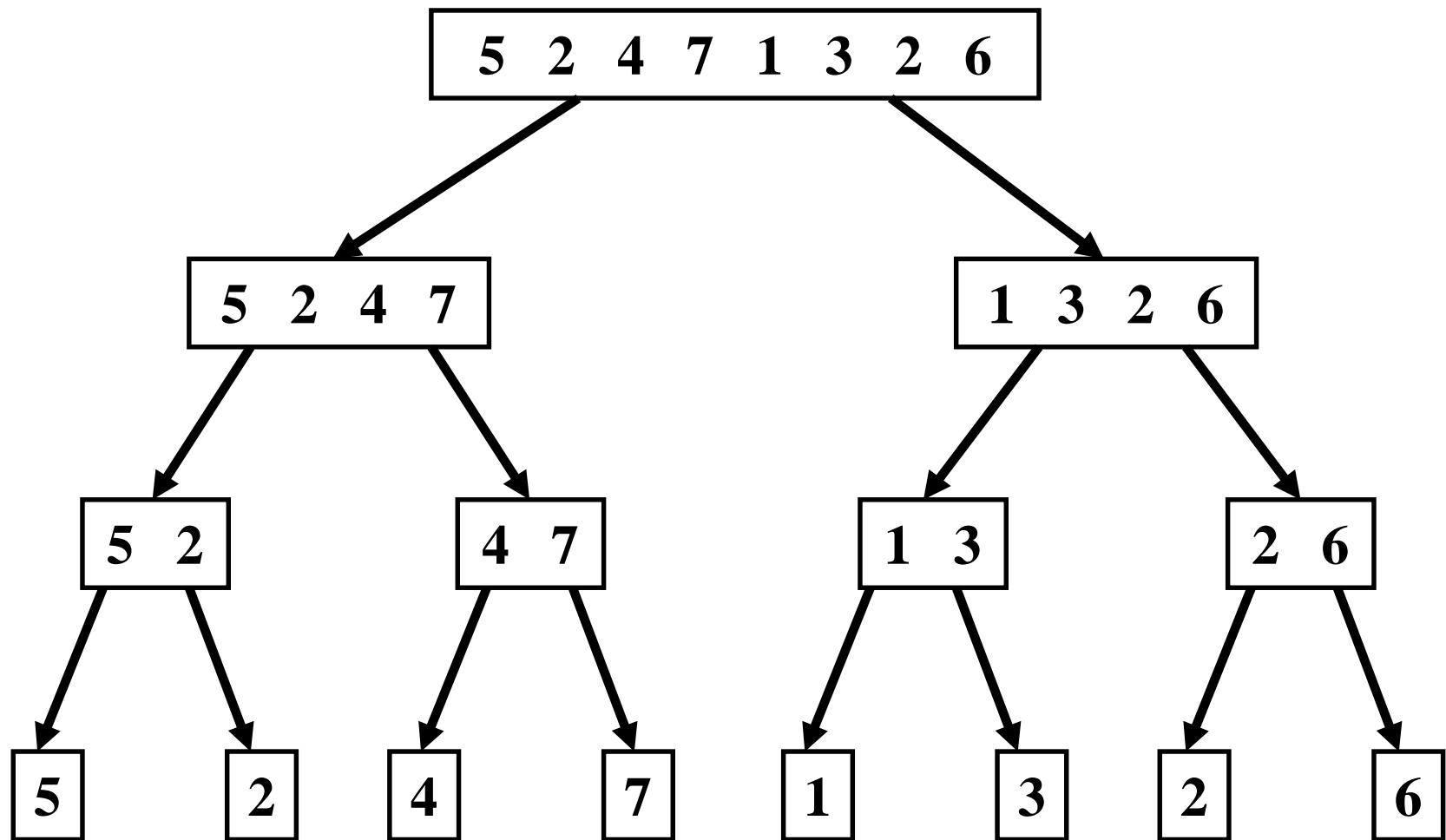
Merge-Sort(A,p,r):

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1 if p < r
2   q := ⌊(p+r)/2⌋ // compute middle position
3   Merge-Sort(A,p,q)
4   Merge-Sort(A,q+1,r)
5   Merge(A,p,q,r)
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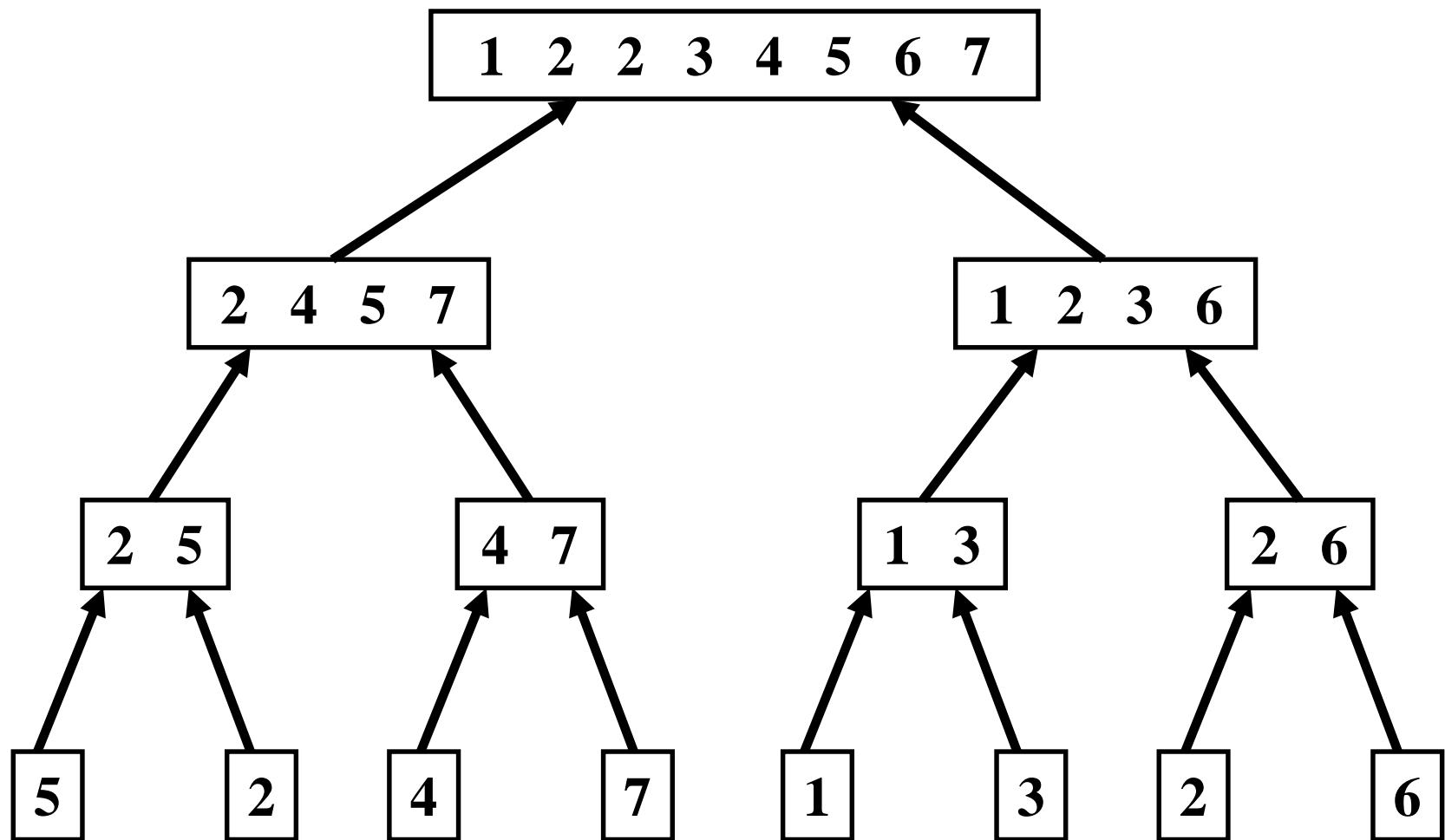
Merge(A,p,q,r) merges sorted  $A[p..q]$  and  $A[q+1..r]$  to  
sorted  $A[p..r]$ .

# Illustration of Merge-Sort (1)

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# Illustration of Merge-Sort (2)



# Example: Sorting

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## Runtime analysis:

- $n=r-p+1$ : number of elements
- $T(n)$  : runtime of Merge-Sort on  $n$  elements

Merge-Sort( $A,p,r$ ):	cost	times
1 <b>if</b> $p < r$	$c_1$	1
2 $q := \lfloor (p+r)/2 \rfloor$	$c_2$	1
3    Merge-Sort( $A,p,q$ )	$T(q-p+1)$	1
4    Merge-Sort( $A,q+1,r$ )	$T(r-q)$	1
5    Merge( $A,p,q,r$ )	$c_3 \cdot n$	1

# Example: Sorting

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Runtime analysis:

Merge-Sort(A,p,r):

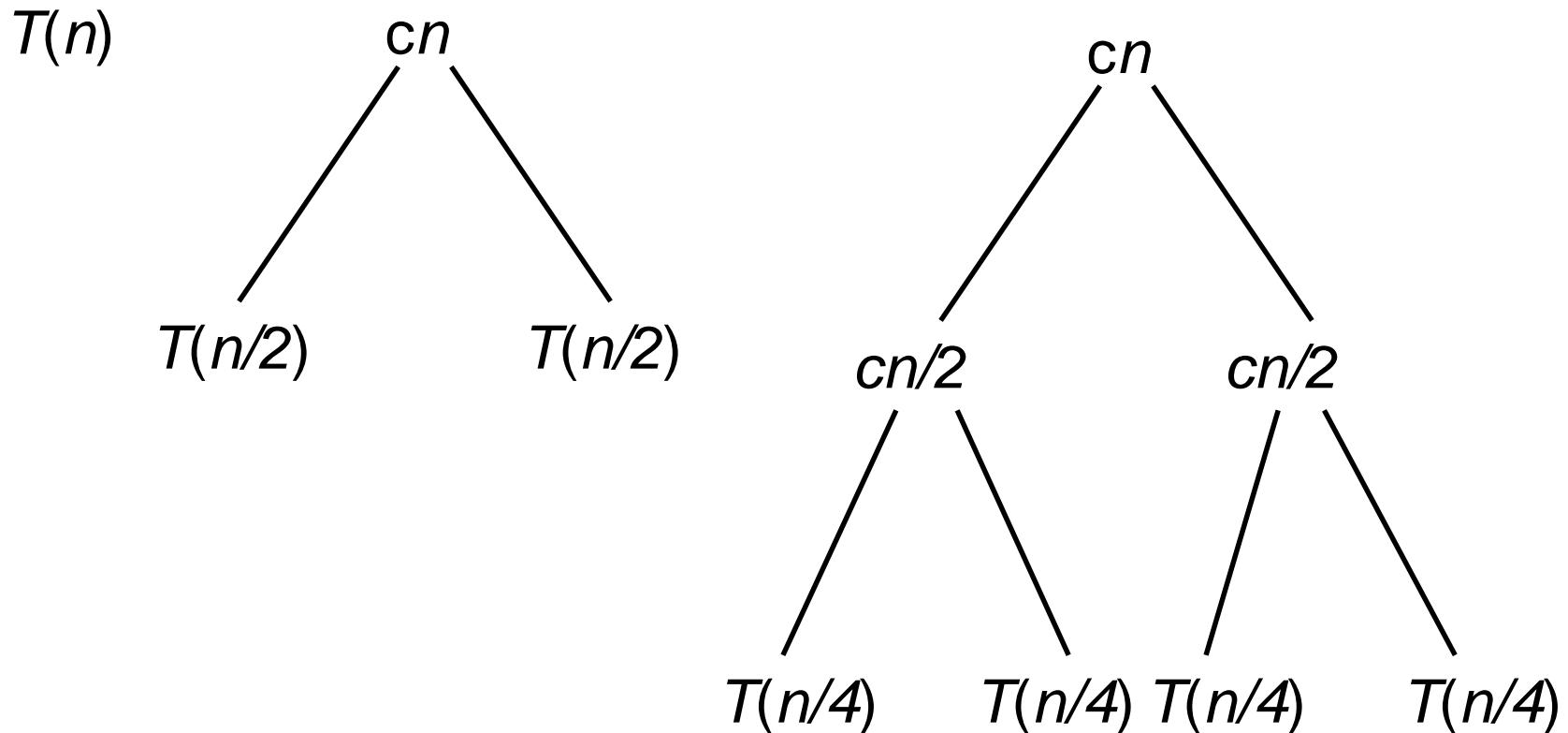
	cost	times
1 if $p < r$	$c_1$	1
2 $q := \lfloor (p+r)/2 \rfloor$	$c_2$	1
3 Merge-Sort(A,p,q)	$T(q-p+1)$	1
4 Merge-Sort(A,q+1,r)	$T(r-q)$	1
5 Merge(A,p,q,r)	$c_3 \cdot n$	1

Merge(A,p,q,r) merges sorted A[p..q] and A[q+1...r] to sorted A[p..r]. Suppose that n is a power of 2. Then:

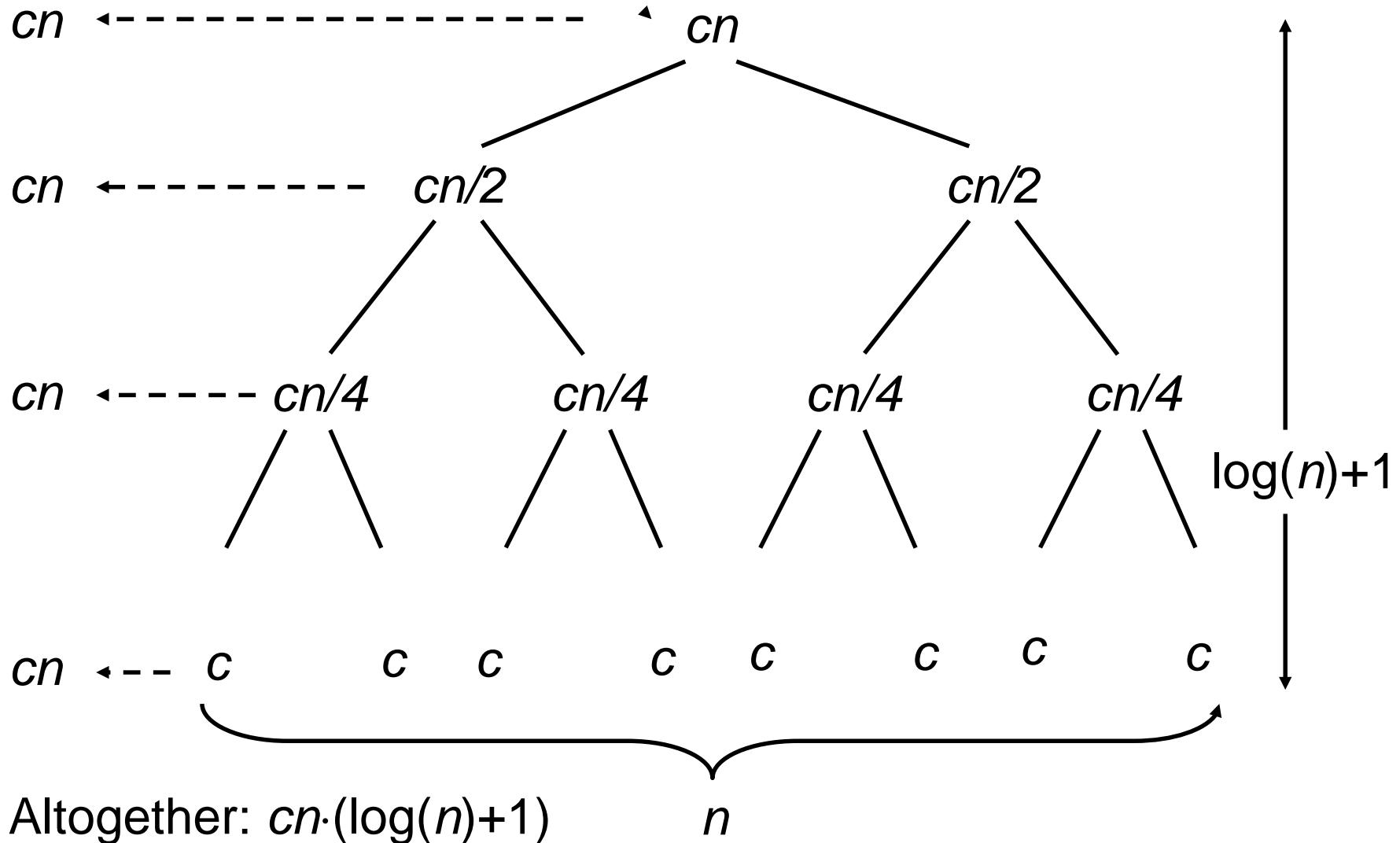
Runtime: 
$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 2 \cdot T(n/2) + c_3 \cdot n + c_1 + c_2 & \text{if } n > 1 \\ c_1 & \text{if } n = 1 \end{cases}$$

# Runtime of Merge-Sort

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# Runtime of Merge-Sort



# Asymptotic Notation

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In theory, often just the **asymptotic runtime** of algorithms is of interest.

Asymptotic runtime ignores constants and just specifies the growth of functions.

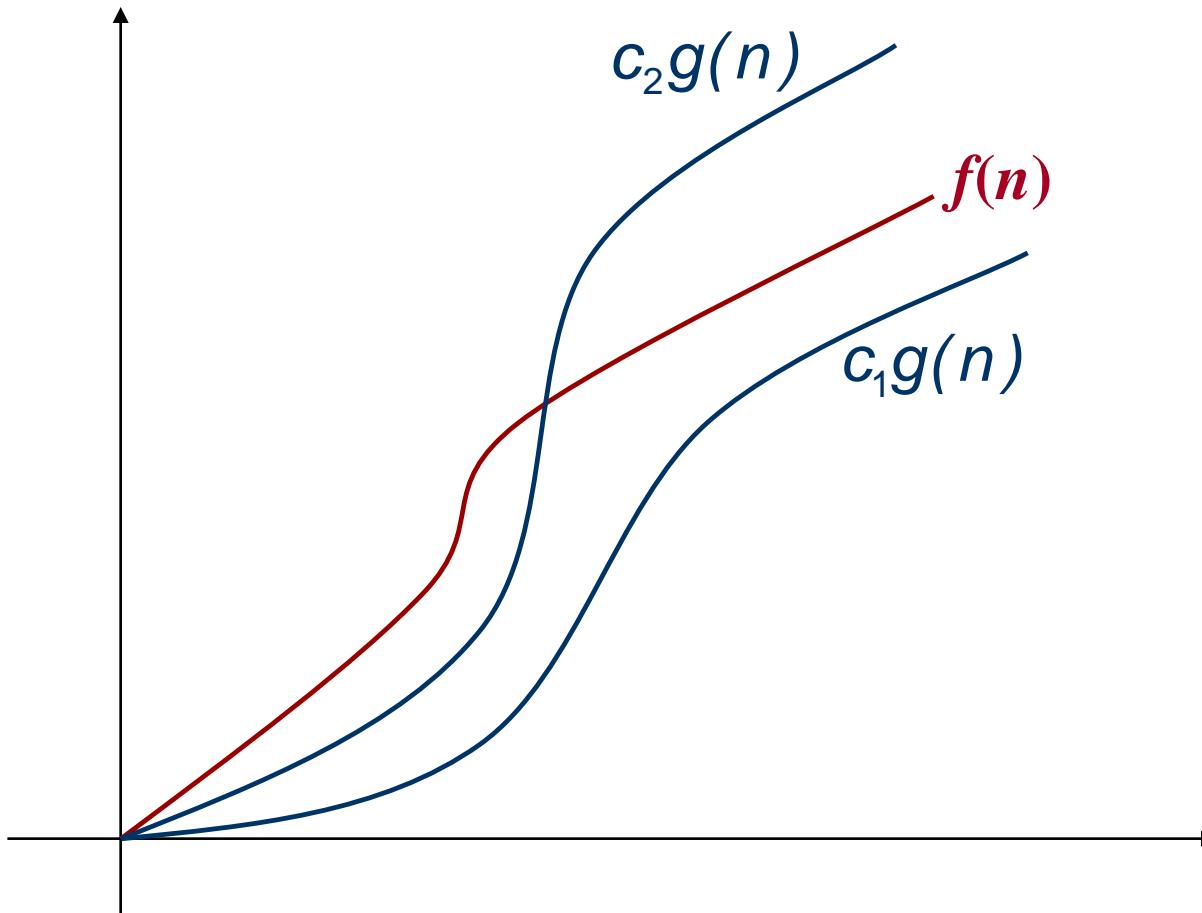
Instead of  $T(n)=c_1 \cdot n^2 + c_2 \cdot n - c_3$  just  $T(n)=\Theta(n^2)$ .  
(  $\Theta$ : „grows as fast as“ )

Formally,

$\Theta(g(n)) = \{ f(n) \mid \text{there exist positive constants } c_1 \leq c_2 \text{ and } n_0 \text{ such that for all } n \geq n_0, 0 \leq c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n) \}$

# Illustration of $\Theta(g(n))$

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# Asymptotic Notation

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$O(g(n)) = \{ f(n) \mid \text{there exist positive constants } c \text{ and } n_0 \text{ such that for all } n \geq n_0, 0 \leq f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n) \}$

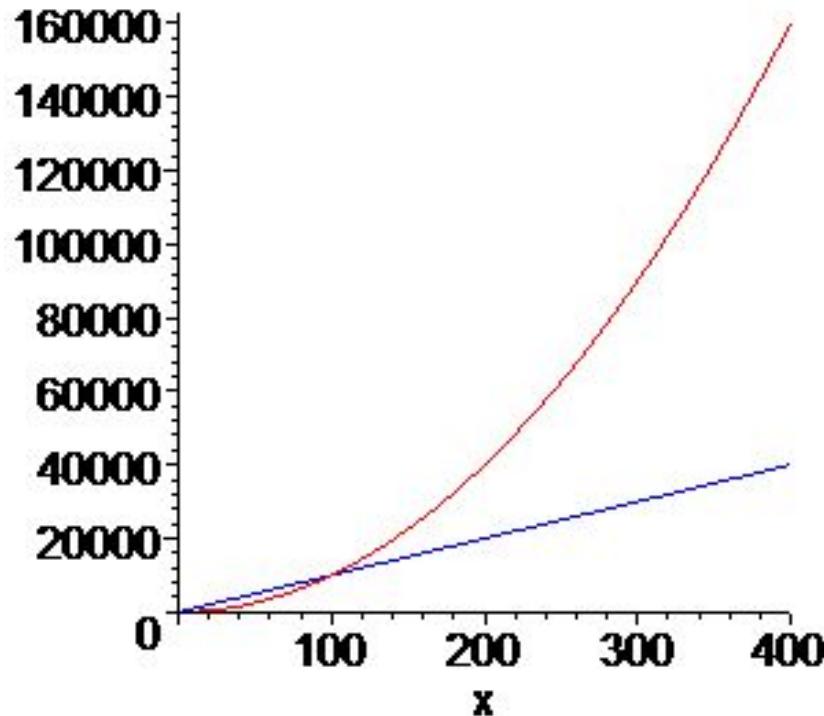
$\Omega(g(n)) = \{ f(n) \mid \text{there exist positive constants } c \text{ and } n_0 \text{ such that for all } n \geq n_0, 0 \leq c \cdot g(n) \leq f(n) \}$

If  $f(n) \in O(g(n))$  and  $f(n) \in \Omega(g(n))$  then  $f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$ .

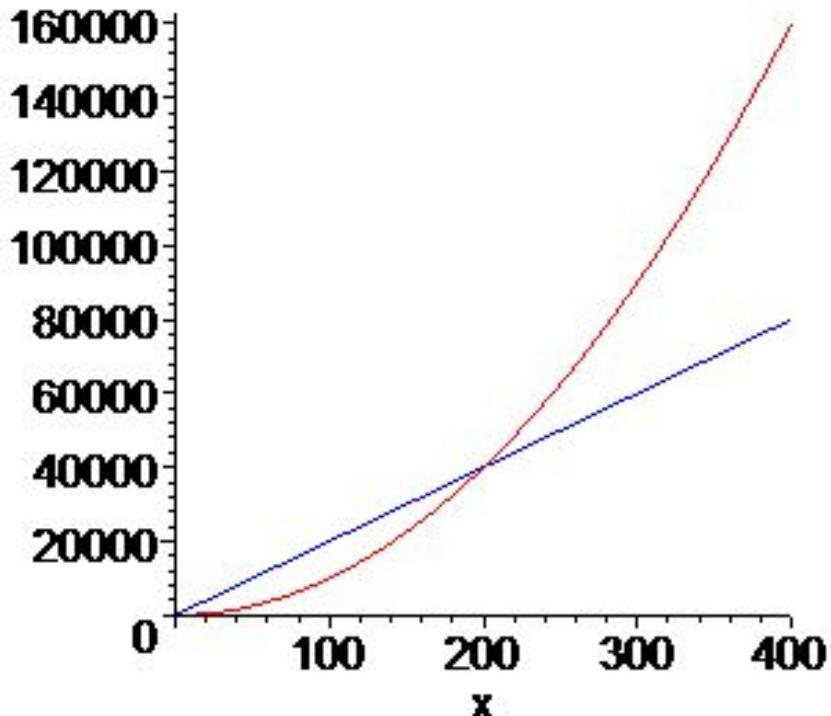
By abuse of notation, one often writes  $f(n) = O(g(n))$  instead of  $f(n) \in O(g(n))$ .

# Illustration of $O(g(n))$

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$$g(x)=x^2$$
$$f(x)=100x$$



$$g(x)=x^2$$
$$f(x)=200x$$

# Asymptotic Notation

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Transitivity:

- If  $f(n)=\Theta(g(n))$  and  $g(n)=\Theta(h(n))$  then  $f(n)=\Theta(h(n))$ .
- If  $f(n)=O(g(n))$  and  $g(n)=O(h(n))$  then  $f(n)=O(h(n))$ .
- If  $f(n)=\Omega(g(n))$  and  $g(n)=\Omega(h(n))$  then  $f(n)=\Omega(h(n))$ .

Reflexivity:

- $f(n)=\Theta(f(n))$ ,  $f(n)=O(f(n))$ , and  $f(n)=\Omega(f(n))$

Symmetry:

- $f(n)=\Theta(g(n))$  if and only if  $g(n)=\Theta(f(n))$ .

Transpose symmetry:

- $f(n)=O(g(n))$  if and only if  $g(n)=\Omega(f(n))$

# Asymptotic Notation

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Theorem 1.3: Let  $p(n) = \sum_{i=0}^k a_i \cdot n^i$  with  $a_k > 0$ . Then we have  $p(n) = \Theta(n^k)$ .

Proof:

To show:  $p(n) = O(n^k)$  and  $p(n) = \Omega(n^k)$ .

- $p(n) = O(n^k)$  : For all  $n \geq 1$ ,  
$$p(n) \leq \sum_{i=0}^k |a_i| n^i \leq n^k \sum_{i=0}^k |a_i|$$
- Hence, definition of  $O()$  is satisfied with  $c = \sum_{i=0}^k |a_i|$  and  $n_0 = 1$ .
- $p(n) = \Omega(n^k)$  : For all  $n \geq 2k \cdot A/a_k$  and  $A = \max_i |a_i|$ ,  
$$p(n) \geq a_k \cdot n^k - \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} A \cdot n^i \geq a_k n^k - k \cdot A n^{k-1} \geq a_k n^k / 2$$
- Hence, definition of  $\Omega()$  is satisfied with  $c = a_k / 2$  and  $n_0 = 2kA/a_k$ .

# Asymptotic Runtime Analysis

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Worst-case runtime:

- $T(I)$ : worst-case runtime of instruction  $I$
- $T(\text{elementary command}) = O(1)$
- $T(\text{return } x) = O(1)$
- $T(I; I') = T(I) + T(I')$
- $T(\text{if } C \text{ then } I \text{ else } I') = T(C) + \max\{T(I), T(I')\}$
- $T(\text{for } i:=a \text{ to } b \text{ do } I) = \sum_{i=a}^b (O(1) + T(I))$
- $T(\text{repeat } I \text{ until } C) = \sum_{i=1}^k (T(C) + T(I))$   
( $k$ : number of iterations)
- $T(\text{while } C \text{ do } I) = \sum_{i=1}^k (T(C) + T(I))$

Runtime analysis difficult for while- und repeat-loops since we need to determine  $k$ , which is sometimes not so easy!

# Example: Computation of Sign

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Input: number  $x \in \mathbb{R}$

Signum( $x$ ):

- 1 **if**  $x < 0$  **then return** -1  $O(1)$
  - 2 **if**  $x > 0$  **then return** 1  $O(1)$
  - 3 **return** 0  $O(1)$
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total runtime:  $O(1+1+1) = O(1)$

# Example: Minimum

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Input: array of numbers  $A[1], \dots, A[n]$

Minimum( $A$ ):

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1 min := 1          O(1)
2 for i:=1 to n do  $\sum_{i=1}^n (O(1) + T(i))$ 
3   if A[i]<min then min:=A[i]  $O(1)$ 
4 return min        O(1)
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runtime:  $O(1) + \sum_{i=1}^n O(1) + O(1) = O(n)$

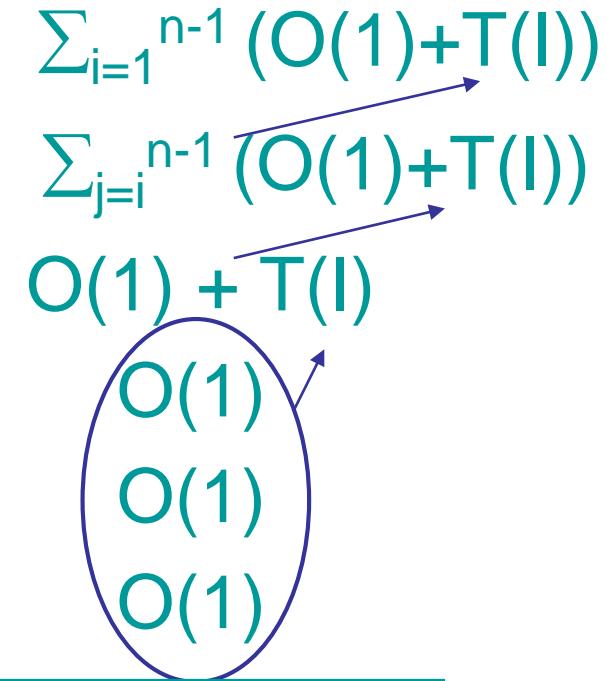
# Example: Sorting

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Input: array of numbers  $A[1], \dots, A[n]$

Bubblesort( $A$ ):

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1  for i:=1 to n-1 do
2      for j:= n-1 downto i do
3          if A[j]>A[j+1] then
4              x:=A[j]
5              A[j]:=A[j+1]
6              A[j+1]:=x
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runtime:  $\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=i}^{n-1} O(1) = O(n^2)$

# Master Theorem

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Theorem 1.4: For some positive constants  $a, b, c$  with  $n=b^k$  for some natural number  $k$  let

$$T(n) = c \quad \text{if } n \leq 1$$

$$T(n) = c \cdot n + a \cdot T(n/b) \quad \text{if } n > 1$$

Then it holds that

$$T(n) = \Theta(n) \quad \text{if } a < b$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n \log n) \quad \text{if } a = b$$

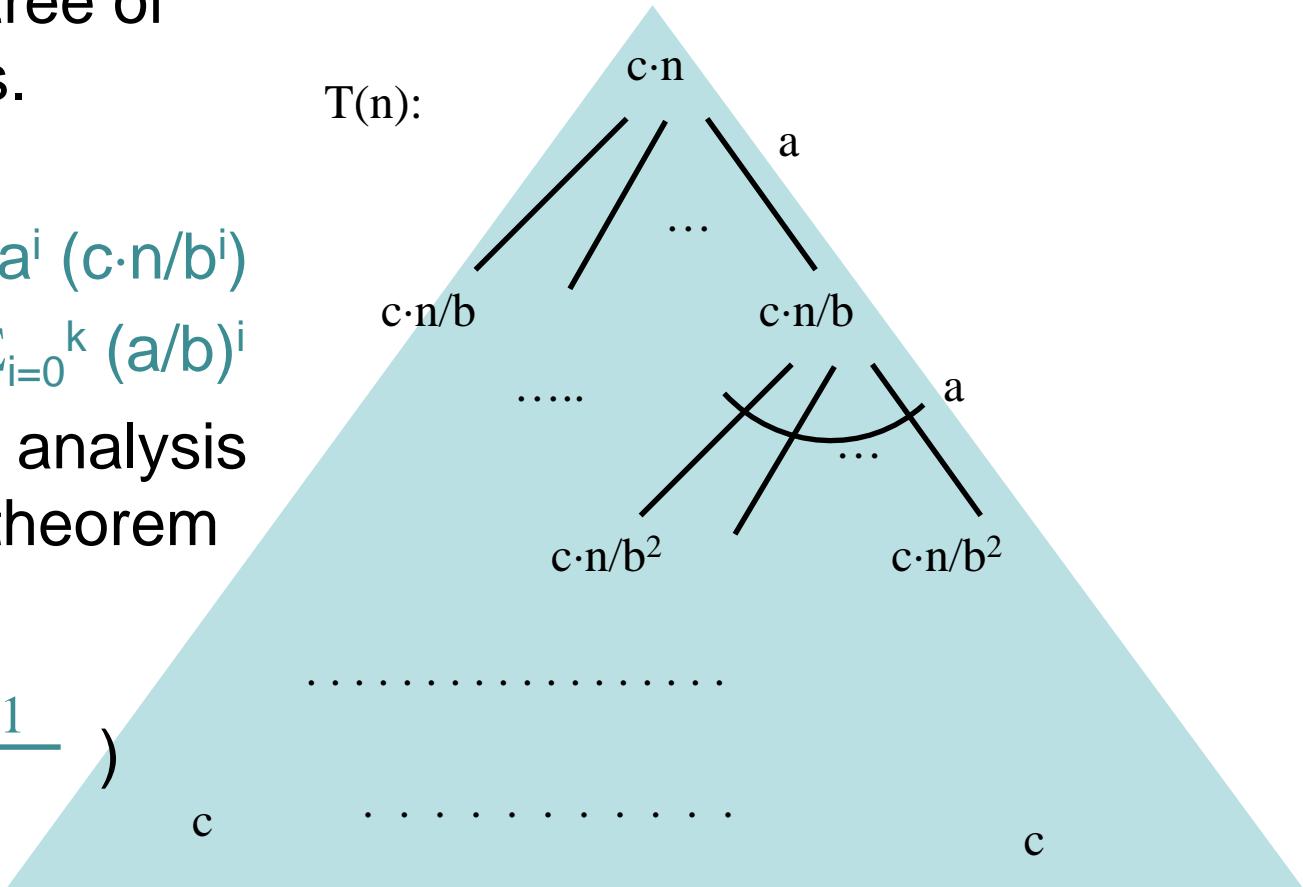
$$T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a}) \quad \text{if } a > b$$

# Master Theorem

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Proof:

- Consider the tree of recursive calls.
- It holds:
$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &\leq \sum_{i=0}^k a^i (c \cdot n/b^i) \\ &\leq c \cdot n \sum_{i=0}^k (a/b)^i \end{aligned}$$
- Case-by-case analysis results in the theorem (use for  $a \neq b$ )
$$\sum_{i=0}^k z^i = \frac{z^{i+1}-1}{z-1} \quad )$$



# Example: Matrix Multiplication

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$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 7 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 4 \\ 10 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \quad & \quad & \quad & \quad \\ \quad & \quad & \quad & \quad \\ \quad & \quad & \quad & \quad \\ \quad & \quad & \quad & \quad \end{pmatrix}$$

# Matrix Multiplication

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$$A = (a_{ij})_{1 \leq i,j \leq n}$$

$$B = (b_{ij})_{1 \leq i,j \leq n}$$

$$C = (c_{ij})_{1 \leq i,j \leq n}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 7 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 4 \\ 10 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 29 & 20 & 23 & 29 \\ 14 & 14 & \dots \\ \dots \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{ik} \cdot b_{kj}$$

# Matrix Multiplication

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**Problem:** Compute product of two  $n \times n$  matrices

- Input: matrices  $X, Y$
- Output: matrix  $Z = X \cdot Y$

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} X_{1,1} & X_{1,2} & X_{1,3} & X_{1,4} \\ X_{2,1} & X_{2,2} & X_{2,3} & X_{2,4} \\ X_{3,1} & X_{3,2} & X_{3,3} & X_{3,4} \\ X_{4,1} & X_{4,2} & X_{4,3} & X_{4,4} \end{pmatrix}, \quad Y = \begin{pmatrix} y_{1,1} & y_{1,2} & y_{1,3} & y_{1,4} \\ y_{2,1} & y_{2,2} & y_{2,3} & y_{2,4} \\ y_{3,1} & y_{3,2} & y_{3,3} & y_{3,4} \\ y_{4,1} & y_{4,2} & y_{4,3} & y_{4,4} \end{pmatrix}$$

# Matrix Multiplication

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MatrixMultiplication(Array X, Y, n)

1. **new array** Z[1,..,n][1,..,n]
2. **for** i  $\leftarrow$  1 **to** n **do**
3.     **for** j  $\leftarrow$  1 **to** n **do**
4.         Z[i][j]  $\leftarrow$  0
5.         **for** k  $\leftarrow$  1 **to** n **do**
6.             Z[i][j]  $\leftarrow$  Z[i][j] + X[i][k]  $\cdot$  Y[k][j]
7.     **return** Z

# Matrix Multiplication

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MatrixMultiplication(Array X, Y, n)

Runtime:

1. **new array Z[1..n][1..n]**  $\Theta(n^2)$
2. **for**  $i \leftarrow 1$  **to** n **do**
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1. **new array Z[1..n][1..n]**  $\Theta(n^2)$
2. **for i ← 1 to n do**  $\Theta(n)$
3.   **for j ← 1 to n do**
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5.   **for k ← 1 to n do**
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7. **return Z**

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3.     for $j \leftarrow 1$ to $n$ do	$\Theta(n^2)$
4. $Z[i][j] \leftarrow 0$	$\Theta(n^2)$
5.         for $k \leftarrow 1$ to $n$ do	$\Theta(n^3)$
6. $Z[i][j] \leftarrow Z[i][j] + X[i][k] \cdot Y[k][j]$	$\Theta(n^3)$
7. return $Z$	$\Theta(1)$

# Matrix Multiplication

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MatrixMultiplication(Array X, Y, n)

Runtime:

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|---|---------------|
| 1. <b>new array</b> Z[1,..,n][1,..,n]                                 | $\Theta(n^2)$ |
| 2. <b>for</b> i $\leftarrow$ 1 <b>to</b> n <b>do</b>                  | $\Theta(n)$   |
| 3. <b>for</b> j $\leftarrow$ 1 <b>to</b> n <b>do</b>                  | $\Theta(n^2)$ |
| 4.         Z[i][j] $\leftarrow$ 0                                     | $\Theta(n^2)$ |
| 5. <b>for</b> k $\leftarrow$ 1 <b>to</b> n <b>do</b>                  | $\Theta(n^3)$ |
| 6.             Z[i][j] $\leftarrow$ Z[i][j] + X[i][k] $\cdot$ Y[k][j] | $\Theta(n^3)$ |
| 7. <b>return</b> Z  | $\Theta(1)$   |
|   | <hr/>         |
|   | $\Theta(n^3)$ |

# Matrix Multiplication

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## Recursive approach:

$$\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ G & H \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} AE + BG & AF + BH \\ CE + DG & CF + DH \end{pmatrix}$$

## Recursive calls:

- 8 multiplications of  $n/2 \times n/2$  matrices
- 4 additions of  $n/2 \times n/2$  matrices

# Matrix Multiplication

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## Recursive approach:

$$\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ G & H \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} AE + BG & AF + BH \\ CE + DG & CF + DH \end{pmatrix}$$

## Recursive calls:

- 8 multiplications of  $n/2 \times n/2$  matrices
- 4 additions of  $n/2 \times n/2$  matrices

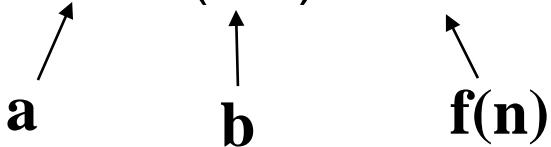
## Runtime:

- $T(n) = 8 \cdot T(n/2) + \Theta(n^2)$

# Matrix Multiplication

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## Runtime:

- $T(n) = 8 \cdot T(n/2) + k \cdot n^2$   


## Extended Master Theorem (see book):

- $f(n) = k \cdot n^2$
- $a=8, b=2$
- Case 1: Runtime  $\Theta(n^{\log_b a}) = \Theta(n^3)$
- Not better than elementary algorithm!

# Matrix Multiplication

## Strassen's Algorithm:

$$\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ G & H \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} AE + BG & AF + BH \\ CE + DG & CF + DH \end{pmatrix}$$

### Trick:

$$P_1 = A \cdot (F-H)$$

$$P_2 = (A+B) \cdot H$$

$$P_3 = (C+D) \cdot E$$

$$P_4 = D \cdot (G-E)$$

$$P_5 = (A+D) \cdot (E+H)$$

$$P_6 = (B-D) \cdot (G+H)$$

$$P_7 = (A-C) \cdot (E+F)$$

$$AE + BG = P_5 + P_4 - P_2 + P_6$$

$$AF + BH = P_1 + P_2$$

$$CE + DG = P_3 + P_4$$

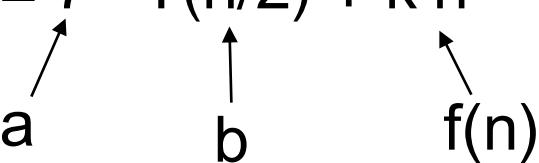
$$CF + DH = P_5 + P_1 - P_3 - P_7$$

7 Multiplications!!!

# Matrix Multiplication

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## Runtime:

- $T(n) = 7 \cdot T(n/2) + k \cdot n^2$   


## Extended Master Theorem:

- $f(n) = k \cdot n^2$
- $a=7, b=2$
- Case 1: Runtime  $\Theta(n^{\log_b a}) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 7}) = \Theta(n^{2.81})$
- Better than elementary approach!

# Summary

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We covered:

- Pseudo code
- Asymptotic runtime analysis

Next lecture:

- Sorting