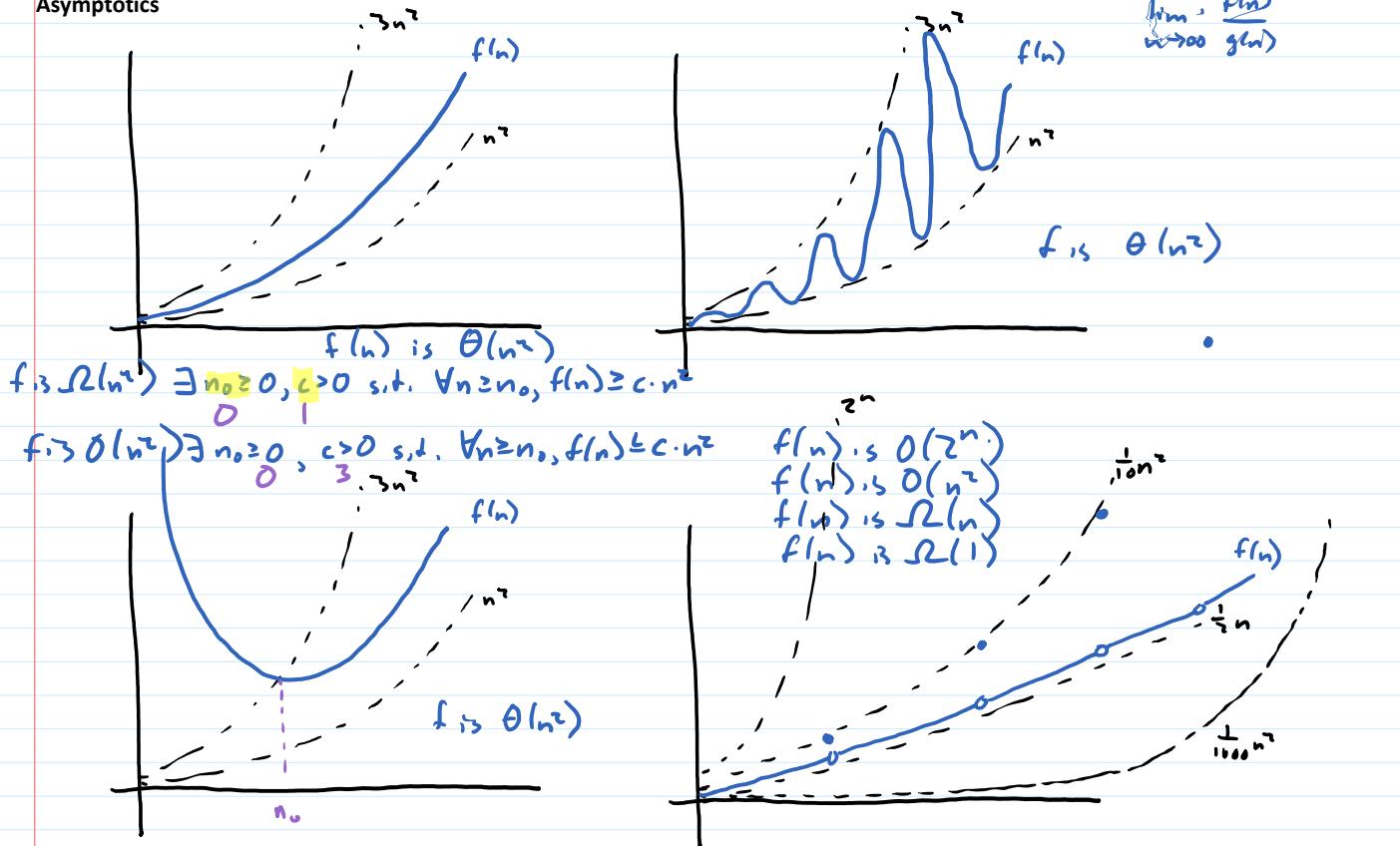


## Asymptotics



THM: For any functions  $f, g, h$ , if  $f$  is  $O(g)$  and  $g$  is  $O(h)$ , then  $f$  is  $O(h)$

Proof: Suppose  $f, g, h$  are fns s.t.  $f$  is  $O(g)$  and  $g$  is  $O(h)$  [want  $f$  is  $O(h)$ ]  $\rightarrow \exists n_0 \geq 0, c_1 > 0$  s.t.  $\forall n \geq n_0, f(n) \leq c_1 \cdot g(n)$

Since  $f$  is  $O(g)$ , by def of  $O$   $\exists n_1 \geq 0$  and  $c_1 > 0$  s.t.  $\forall n \geq n_1, f(n) \leq c_1 \cdot g(n)$

and since  $g$  is  $O(h)$

$\exists n_2 \geq 0$  and  $c_2 > 0$  s.t.  $\forall n \geq n_2, g(n) \leq c_2 \cdot h(n)$

Then  $\forall n \geq \max(n_1, n_2), f(n) \leq c_1 \cdot c_2 \cdot h(n)$

So  $\exists n_0 \geq 0, c > 0$  s.t.  $\forall n \geq n_0, f(n) \leq c \cdot h(n)$

$$n_0 = \max(n_1, n_2)$$

So by def of  $O$ ,  $f(n)$  is  $O(h(n))$

## Data Structures

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FreeM <- M
FreeW <- W
Invitations <- {}
Tentative <- {}
    
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While there is an  $m$  in  $\text{FreeM}$  s.t. there is a  $w$  s.t.  $(m, w)$  not in  $\text{Invitations}$

choose such an  $m$  - look at head of queue  $O(1)$

let  $w$  be  $m$ 's highest ranked s.t.  $(m, w)$  not in  $\text{Invitations}$

$w = \text{PrefM}[m][\text{Next}[m]] O(1)$   
add  $(m, w)$  to  $\text{Invitations}$        $\text{Next}[m]++$

$\text{Match}[w] = -1$   
if  $w$  in  $\text{FreeW}$  then

remove  $w$  from  $\text{FreeW}$

remove  $m$  from  $\text{FreeM}$  - remove head  $O(1)$

add  $(m, w)$  to  $\text{Tentative}$        $\text{Match}[w] = m O(1)$

else

find  $m'$  s.t.  $(m', w)$  in  $\text{Tentative}$

if  $w$  prefers  $m$  to  $m'$

remove  $m$  from  $\text{FreeM}$  - remove head  $O(1)$

add  $m'$  to  $\text{FreeM}$  - add to end  $O(1)$

remove  $(m', w)$  from  $\text{Tentative}$

add  $(m, w)$  to  $\text{Tentative}$        $\text{Match}[w] = m O(1)$

return  $\text{Tentative}$  (built from  $\text{Match}$ )  $\Theta(n)$

input:  $M, W$

$\text{PrefM}[i][j] = \text{machinist } i's \ j^{th} \ \text{fave welder}$

$\text{PrefW}[i][j] = \text{welder } i's \ j^{th} \ \text{fave machinist}$

initialise  $\text{Next}[i] = 1$  for all  $i$

$\Theta(n)$

rank of next welder  
machinist  $i$  makes an invitation to

initialise  $\text{Rank}[i][j]$  s.t.

$\text{Rank}[i][j] = \text{rank by welder } i \text{ of machinist } j \Theta(n^2)$

init  $\text{Match}[i] = -1$  (means  $\text{match}(w) = m$  means  $(m, w) \in \text{Tent}$ )  
 $\text{Rank}[w] = [3, 1, 4, 2, 6, 5]$

does  $w$  prefer  $m$  to  $m'$ ?

$\Theta(n^2)$  overall

## Correctness

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choose such an  $m$

let  $w$  be  $m$ 's highest ranked s.t.  $(m, w)$  not in  $\text{Invitations}$

add  $(m, w)$  to  $\text{Invitations}$

if  $w$  in  $\text{FreeW}$  then

remove  $w$  from  $\text{FreeW}$

remove  $m$  from  $\text{FreeM}$

add  $(m, w)$  to  $\text{Tentative}$

else

find  $m'$  s.t.  $(m', w)$  in  $\text{Tentative}$

if  $w$  prefers  $m$  to  $m'$

remove  $m$  from  $\text{FreeM}$

add  $m'$  to  $\text{FreeM}$

remove  $(m', w)$  from  $\text{Tentative}$

add  $(m, w)$  to  $\text{Tentative}$

return  $\text{Tentative}$

seq of matches for welder 3  
 $m_3 = \text{NIL}, \text{NIL}, \text{NIL}, 4, 4, 4, 6, 1, 1, \dots$

$\text{Match}[i] = m_{ij}$  after  $j$  iterations

Obs 1: Let  $m_{ij}$  be the machinist welder  $i$  is tentatively matched with after  $j$  iterations (or  $\text{NIL}$  if not matched yet)

- a) Then if  $m$  invites  $w$  during iteration  $j$ ,  $m_{ij} \neq \text{NIL}$  and  $m_{ik} \neq \text{NIL}$  for  $k > j$
- b) If  $k > j$  and  $m_{ij} \neq m_{ik}$  then welder  $i$  prefers  $m_{ik}$  to  $m_{ij}$

Obs 2:  $m \in \text{FreeM} \Leftrightarrow$  there is no  $w$  s.t.  $(m, w) \in \text{Tentative}$   
 $w \in \text{FreeW} \Leftrightarrow$  there is no  $m$  s.t.  $(m, w) \in \text{Tentative}$

Obs 3:  $\text{Tentative} \subseteq \text{Invitations}$  and is a matching

Obs 4:  $m \in \text{FreeM} \rightarrow$  there is a  $w$  s.t.  $(m, w) \notin \text{Invitations}$

Suppose  $m \in \text{FreeM}$  but for all  $w$   $(m, w) \in \text{Invitations}$   
So by Obs 1, all  $w$  are matched  
and by Obs 3, all  $m$  machinists are matched  
So by Obs 2, no machinist is Free  $\Rightarrow$

When G-S terminates, Tentative is a perfect matching

2 ways alg can terminate: 1) There are free machinists who have made all invitations  
2) No free machinists

1) can't happen b/c it contradicts Obs 4  
2) No free machinists + Obs 2+3 = all machinists, welders matched  
so perfect matching

When G-S terminates, Tentative is a stable matching

Suppose not stable - there is an instability  $(m, w)$  wrt Tentative.

$(m, w) \notin \text{Tentative}$  by def. of instability

Tentative is a perfect matching, so can find  $w, m'$  s.t.  
 $(m, w), (m', w') \in \text{Tentative}$

$m$  invited  $w$  (only way to get match  $(m, w)$ )

$m$  prefers  $w'$  to  $w$  (def of instability)

$m$  invited  $w'$  (machinists go through welders in  $\downarrow$  order of pref)

2 cases: i)  $w'$  rejected  $m$  immediately b/c matched with  $m''$  who  $w'$  prefers to  $m$ .  $w'$  ended up matched with  $m'$ , so either  $m' = m''$  or  $w'$  prefers  $m'$  to  $m''$  (obs 1b)  
either way,  $w'$  prefers  $m'$  to  $m$

ii)  $w'$  tentatively accepted  $m$  but later rejected in favor of some  $m''$  that  $w'$  prefers to  $m$ ; again ended up w/  $m'$ , so either  $m' = m''$  or  $w'$  prefers  $m'$  to  $m''$ , so  $w'$  prefers  $m'$  to  $m$

in both cases,  $w'$  prefers  $m'$  to  $m$

but then  $(m, w')$  is not an instability  $\Rightarrow$

$\therefore$  stable