

# Algorithms Assignment 1

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## 1 Introduction

This assignment is shared between algorithms sections.  
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### PROBLEM 1 *Asymptotic*

Prove or disprove each of the following conjectures.

1.  $2^{n+1} = O(2^n)$ .
2.  $2^{2n} = O(2^n)$ .
3. Given that:  $\forall \epsilon > 0, \log(n) = o(n^\epsilon)$ ,  
show:  
 $\forall \epsilon, k > 0, \log^k(n) = o(n^\epsilon)$

### PROBLEM 2 *Solving Recurrences*

Prove a (as tight as possible)  $O$  (big-Oh) asymptotic bound on the following recurrences. You may use any base cases you'd like.

1.  $T(n) = 4T(\frac{n}{3}) + n \log n$
2.  $T(n) = 3T(\frac{n}{3} - 2) + \frac{n}{2}$
3.  $T(n) = 2T(\sqrt{n}) + n$

### PROBLEM 3 *Karatsuba Example*

Illustrate the Karatsuba algorithm on  $20194102 \times 37591056$ . Use 2-digit multiplication as your base case.