

CSE548 Quiz 2017-09-06

1. Show that solution of  $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n$  is  $O(n \lg n)$ . // assume  $n$  is even number

a. Guess the running time:  $T(n) = O(n \lg n)$

b. Use mathematical induction to find the constants and show the solution works:

2. Name three ways to find the asymptotic running time for recurrences.

A: \_\_\_\_\_, B: \_\_\_\_\_ tree \_\_, C: \_\_\_\_\_

HINT:

A. name of method used for problem 1.

C. The name of the theorem that can be applied to find running time on recurrences of the form

$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$  (with additional conditions)

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### In Class Problems

1. Why would it be false to “prove”  $T(n) = O(n)$  by guessing  $T(n) \leq cn$  for recurrence of  $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n$ ?

2.  $T(n) = 2T(\sqrt{n}) + \lg n$