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(15 points) Check the (single) box that best characterizes each item.

	$\Theta(n^2)$	<input type="checkbox"/>	$\Theta(n^3)$	<input type="checkbox"/>	$\Theta(n \log n)$	<input type="checkbox"/>
Karatsuba's integer multiplication algorithm	$\Theta(n^{\log_2 3})$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	$\Theta(n^{\log_3 2})$	<input type="checkbox"/>	$\Theta(2^n)$	<input type="checkbox"/>

Determining whether a graph with n edges is connected.

polynomial	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	exponential	<input type="checkbox"/>	in NP	<input type="checkbox"/>
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The running time of the Towers of Hanoi solver

$\Theta(\log n)$	<input type="checkbox"/>	$\Theta(n \log n)$	<input type="checkbox"/>	$\Theta(n^2)$	<input type="checkbox"/>	$\Theta(2^n)$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Algorithm A takes 2^n time. On one input, A takes x time. How long will it take if I double the input size?

$2x$	<input type="checkbox"/>	2^x	<input type="checkbox"/>	x^2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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The running time of mergesort is $O(n^3)$.

True	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	False	<input type="checkbox"/>
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The running time of the
Towers of Hanoi solver

$\Theta(\log n)$ ☐

$\Theta(n \log n)$ ☐

$\Theta(n^2)$ ☐

$\Theta(2^n)$ ☒

The running time of Karatsuba's algorithm
is recursively defined by $T(1) = d$ and
 $T(n) =$

$2T(n/2) + cn$ ☐

$3T(n/2) + cn$ ☒

$4T(n/2) + cn$ ☐

$4T(n/2) + c$ ☐

Finding the chromatic number of a graph
with n nodes requires $\Theta(2^n)$ steps.

proven true ☐

proven false ☐

not known ☒

Algorithm A takes n^5 time. On one
input, A takes x time. How long will
it take if I double the input size?

$2x$ ☐

$5x$ ☐

$32x$ ☒

x^5 ☐

Producing all parses
for a sentence.

polynomial ☐

exponential ☒

in NP ☐

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The running time of binary search is recursively defined by $T(1) = d$ and $T(n) =$

$T(n/2) + c$

☒

$T(n/2) + cn$

☐

$2T(n/2) + c$

☐

$2T(n/2) + cn$

☐

Problems in NP need exponential time

proven true

☐

proven false

☐

not known

☒

The running time of mergesort is $O(n^3)$.

True

☒

False

☐

Algorithm A takes 2^n time. On one input, A takes x time. How long will it take if I double the input size?

$2x$

☐

2^x

☐

x^2

☒

If a yes/no problem is in NP, a “yes” answer always has a succinct justification.

true

☒

false

☐

not known

☐

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(6 points) Fill in the missing bits of this recursive algorithm for returning the location of a number k in a sorted list of numbers a_p, a_2, \dots, a_q .

search(p,q,k) $\backslash\backslash$ assume $p \leq q$

$m := \lfloor (p + q)/2 \rfloor$

if $k = a_m$ then return m

else if $(k < a_m)$ and $p < m$ then

Solution: search(p,m-1,k)

else if $(k > a_m)$ and $q > m$ then

Solution: search(m+1,q,k)

else return -1 $\backslash\backslash$ i.e. error, not found

(9 points) Check the (single) box that best characterizes each item.

If a yes/no problem is in NP, a “yes” answer
always has a succinct justification.

true ☒ false ☐ not known ☐

The running time of mergesort is $O(n^3)$.

True ☒ False ☐

$n^{\log_2 3}$ grows

faster than n^2 ☐ slower than n^2 ☒ at the same rate as n^2 ☐

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(15 points) Check the (single) box that best characterizes each item.

Problems in class P (as in P vs. NP)
require exponential time

never

☒

sometimes

☐

always

☐

not known

☐

The running time of binary search

$\Theta(\log n)$

☒

$\Theta(n)$

☐

$\Theta(n \log n)$

☐

$\Theta(n^2)$

☐

The Marker Making problem
can be solved in polynomial
time.

proven true

☐

proven false

☐

not known

☒

$T(1) = d$

$\Theta(n)$

☐

$\Theta(n \log n)$

☐

$\Theta(n^2)$

☐

$T(n) = 3T(n/2) + n$

$\Theta(n^{\log_3 2})$

☐

$\Theta(n^{\log_2 3})$

☒

$\Theta(2^n)$

☐

Producing all parses
for a sentence.

polynomial

☐

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The Travelling Salesman problem can be solved in polynomial time.	proven true	<input type="checkbox"/>	proven false	<input type="checkbox"/>	not known	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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The running time of Karatsuba's algorithm is recursively defined by $T(1) = d$ and $T(n) =$	$2T(n/2) + cn$	<input type="checkbox"/>	$3T(n/2) + cn$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	$4T(n/2) + cn$	<input type="checkbox"/>	$4T(n/2) + c$	<input type="checkbox"/>

$n^{\log_2 3}$ grows	faster than n^2	<input type="checkbox"/>	slower than n^2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	at the same rate as n^2	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Producing all parses for a sentence.	polynomial	<input type="checkbox"/>	exponential	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	in NP	<input type="checkbox"/>
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