

Class 28: Analyzing Procedures

Held: Tuesday, 16 October 2007

Summary: We consider techniques for analyzing the number of calls made in evaluating procedures, particularly recursive procedures.

Related Pages:

- EBoard.
- Lab: Analyzing Procedures.
- Reading: Analyzing Procedures.

Notes:

- Reminder: Assignment 11 is now due Friday
- Reading for Thursday: Numeric Recursion.

Overview:

- Comparing algorithms.
- Two related metrics: Time and Number of steps.
- Counting procedure calls by printing.
- Tools for analysis.

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