

- Identify the **worst case** and **best case** inputs of functions
 - Compare the **function families** that characterize different functions
 - Calculate a specific function or algorithm's efficiency using **Big-O notation**
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- Identify core parts of **trees**, including **nodes**, **children**, the **root**, and **leaves**
 - Use **binary trees** implemented with dictionaries when reading and writing code
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- Identify core parts of **graphs**, including **nodes**, **edges**, **neighbors**, **weights**, and **directions**.
 - Use **graphs** implemented as dictionaries when reading and writing simple algorithms in code
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- Identify whether a tree is a **binary search tree**
 - Search for values in BSTs using **binary search**
 - Analyze the **efficiency** of binary search on a **balanced** vs. **unbalanced** BST
 - Search for paths in **graphs** using **breadth-first search** and **depth-first search**
 - Analyze the **efficiency** of BFS and DFS on a graph
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- Identify **brute force approaches** to common problems that run in **$O(n!)$** or **$O(2^n)$** , including solutions to **Travelling Salesperson**, **puzzle-solving**, **subset sum**, and **exam scheduling**
 - Identify whether a function family is **tractable** or **intractable**
 - Define the complexity classes **P** and **NP** and explain why they are important
 - Identify whether a known algorithm runs in **P** and/or **NP** based on its runtime
 - Use **heuristics** to find good-enough solutions to NP problems in polynomial time