

### Exercise 1

No, they do not have the same worst case time complexity.

First  $O(n*n)$ ,  $O(n+n)$ . Therefore the nested for loop case has quadratic time complexity whereas the second snippet has a linear time complexity.

### Exercise 2

In this code,  $f(n)$  calls  $n(n-1)$  twice and  $f(n-1)$  calls  $f(n-2)$  twice until we get down to  $f(1)$ . The resulting structure has a depth of  $N$  and thus each level will have twice as many calls as the one above it. The complexity is thus  $O(2^N)$ .

### Exercise 3

Here the number of elements in the problem gets halved each time, which results in  $O(\log N)$  runtime complexity.