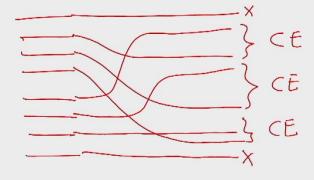


Odd Even Merge Network OEM: 2 sorted arrays of size n = 2k

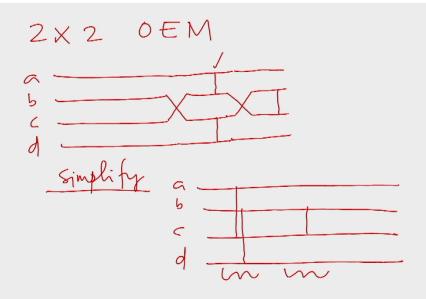
- oddelements to one side
  even elements to the other side
   Merge the odd & even sides

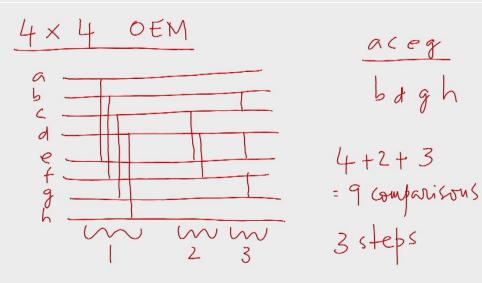
  recursively & in parallel

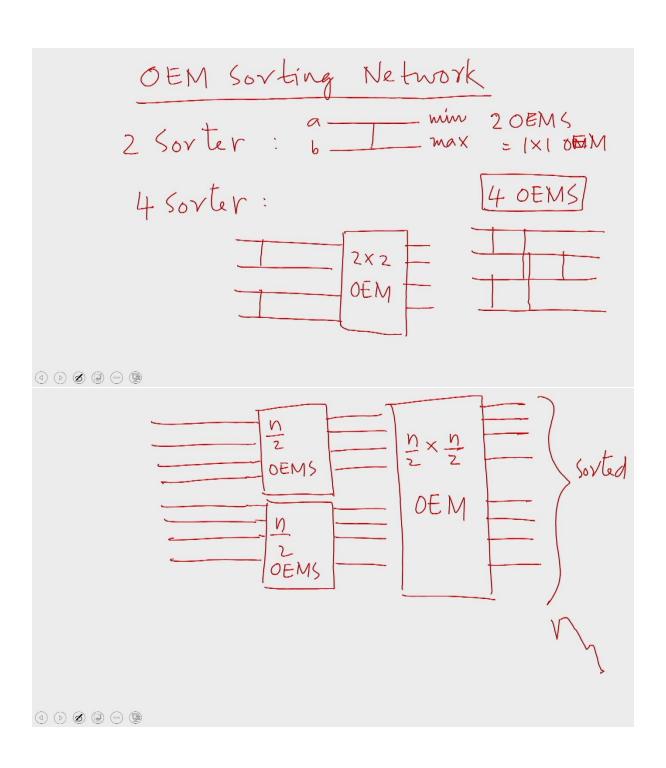
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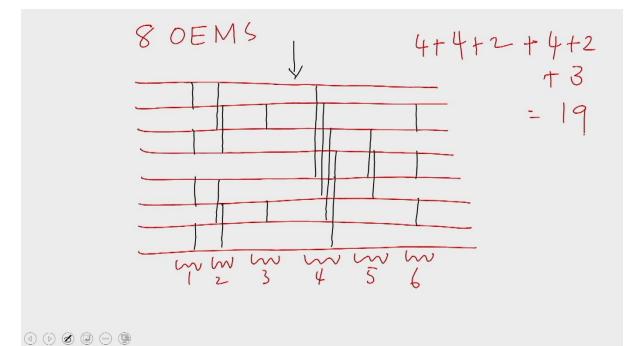


Basis IXI DEM









A Comparator N/w

(an be simulated on an)

EREW PRAM

for the same time &

cost

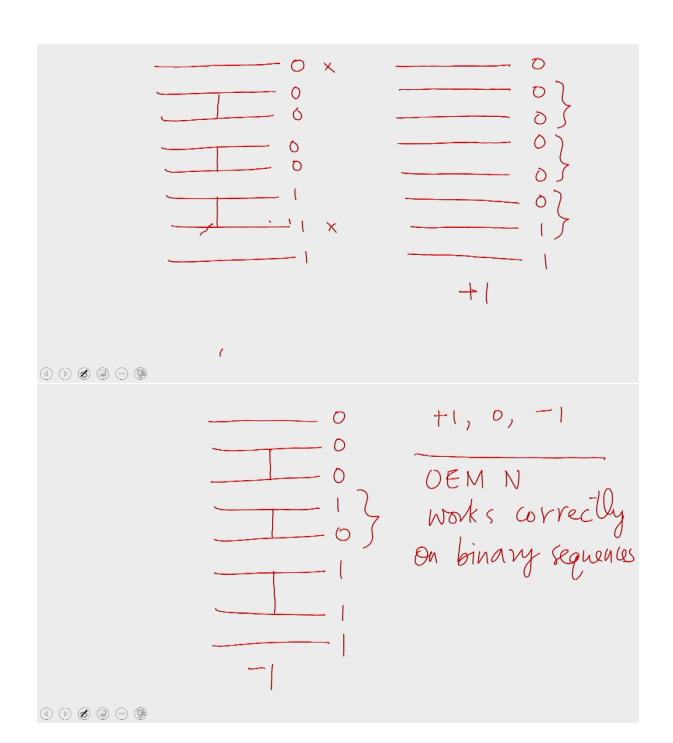
Correctness

OEM Network correctly merges

two sorted binary sequences

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0i n-i, 0j n-j



OEM Sorter

Works correctly on

binary signences.

O-1 Principle Any sorting algo. that correctly

sorts all bin. sequences, correctly

sorts every sequence drawn

from a linearly ordered set

Suppose A is a sorter that works on all binary sequences

A doesn't work on some sequence drawn from a LO set.

(Jabin sequence on which of works incorrectly)

OEMS works on all
binary segmences

> OEMS works on all
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