

**5. Sort a given set of n integer elements using Merge Sort method and compute its time complexity. Run the program for varied values of  $n > 5000$ , and record the time taken to sort. Plot a graph of the time taken versus non graph sheet. The elements can be read from a file or can be generated using the random number generator. Demonstrate using Java how the divide and conquer method works along with its time complexity analysis: worst case, average case and best case.**

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import java.util.Scanner;
import java.util.Random;
import java.io.*;
public class MergeSortDemo
{
    static int size; // To read size of input elements
    public static void main(String [] args) throws IOException
    {
        Scanner in = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter the number of elements to sorted: (>5000):");
        size = in.nextInt();
        //Declare an array of dimension 'size'
        int inputArr [] = new int[size];
        genRandomNumbers(inputArr);
        //Sort the randomly generated numbers for best case, average case and worst case
        complexity
        long startTime = System.nanoTime();
        mergeSort(inputArr,0,size-1);
        long estimatedTime = System.nanoTime() - startTime;
        PrintWriter outA = new PrintWriter(new File("msort.txt"));
        for(int i=0;i<inputArr.length;i++)
        {
            outA.println(inputArr[i]);
        }
        outA.close();
        System.out.println("The time complexity for best,average and worst case is " +
(estimatedTime/1000000.0)+ " ms");
    }
    // Method for random number generation
    public static void genRandomNumbers(int inputArr[]) throws IOException
    {
        int number, count=0;
        Random rand = new Random();
        PrintWriter out = new PrintWriter(new File("Mrandom.txt"));
        while(count<size)
        {
            number=rand.nextInt(size)+1;

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        out.println(number);
        out.print(" ");
        inputArr[count]=number;
        count++;
    }
    out.close();
    System.out.println("The total numbers generated: " + count );
}
// Method to
public static void merge(int a[],int low,int mid,int high)
{
    int i = low;
    int j = mid+1;
    int k = low;

    int c [] = new int[1000000];
    while(i<=mid && j<=high)
    {
        if(a[i] < a[j])
        {
            c[k] = a[i];
            i = i+1;
            k = k+1;
        }
        else
        {
            c[k] = a[j];
            j = j+1;
            k = k+1;
        }
    }
    while(i<=mid)
    {
        c[k++] = a[i++];
    }
    while(j<=high)
    {
        c[k++] = a[j++];
    }
    for(i=low;i<=high;i++)
    {
        a[i] = c[i];
    }
}

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public static void mergeSort(int a[],int low,int high)
{
    int mid;
    if(low<high)
    {
        mid = (low+high)/2;
        mergeSort(a,low,mid);
        mergeSort(a,mid+1,high);
        merge(a,low,mid,high);
    }
}
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#### Time Complexity for QuickSort algorithm

<b>Best Case</b>	<b><math>O(n \log n)</math></b>
<b>Average Case</b>	<b><math>O(n \log n)</math></b>
<b>Worst Case</b>	<b><math>O(n^2)</math></b>