CSE 5311-004 Design and Analysis of Algorithms Project Report

Project Topic -Sorting Algorithms

Sorting Algorithm is the algorithm in which elements are arrange in certain order, in order of numeric digits, lexicographical order.

Sorting Algorithms included in this project are as follows:

- Selection Sort
- Insertion Sort
- Bubble Sort
- Merge Sort
- Heap Sort
- Quick Sort
- Quick Sort Using 3 medians

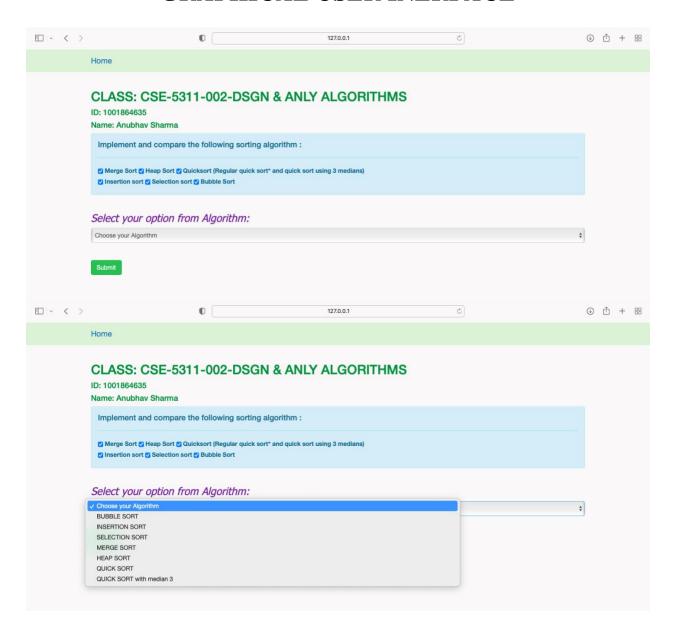
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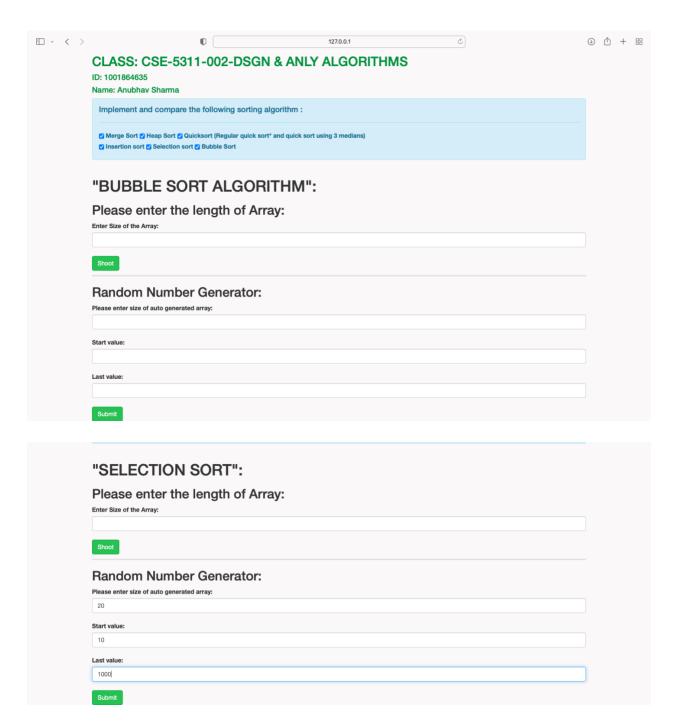
- Python
- IDE: PY Charm Framework: Flask

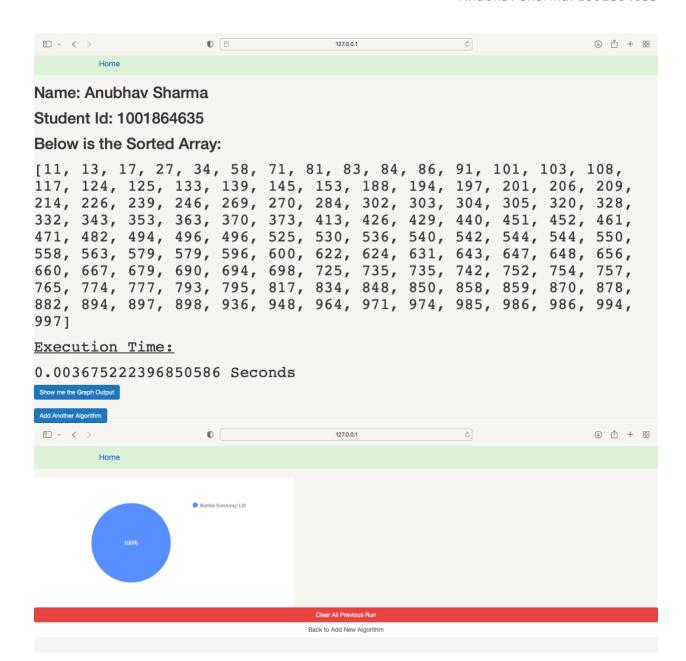
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SELECTION SORT

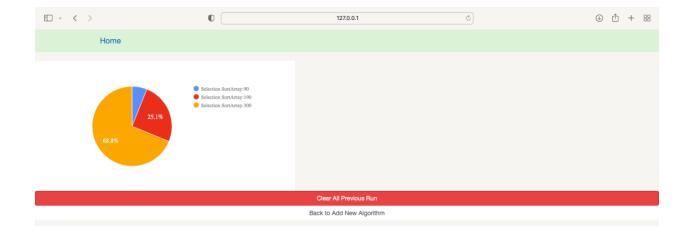
- This algorithm selects the smallest element in the array and places it in the first position.
- It will search the minimum element and if that element is smaller than the current then it will swap with the minimum element.
- If it is greater than the minimum element then, increase the minimum.
- If array is already sorted, then time complexity can be improved.
- No more than O(n) swaps are performed.

Selection Sort is an in-place algorithm and is useful for small lists

Best Time Complexity: $O(n^2)$ Worst Time Complexity: $O(n^2)$

Space Complexity: O(1)

Observation:



INSERTION SORT

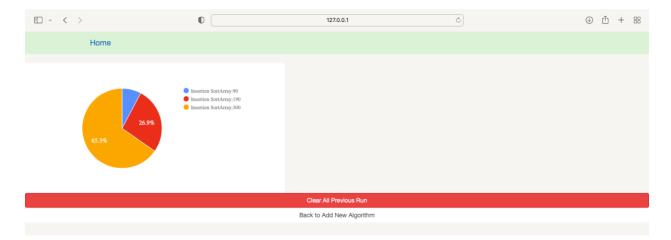
- Insertion Sort is an in-place algorithm wherein the input array is destroyed while sorting process.
- This algorithm first initialises an element and then moves that element to the correct position by shifting other elements.
- Time complexity can be improved by providing input as sorted array or reverse sorted array

Worst case Time Complexity: O(n²)

Best Case Time Complexity: O(n)

Space Complexity: O(1)

Observation:



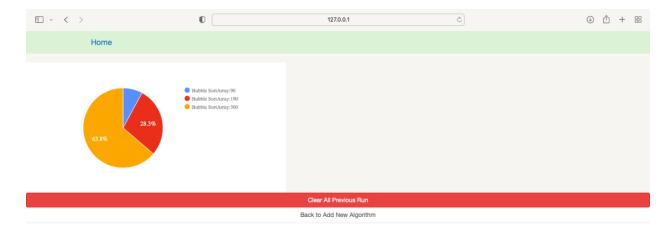
BUBBLE SORT

- Bubble Sort is a comparison-based algorithm
- This algorithm is based on comparison of i th position element with the (i+1) th position element.
- If ith element is greater than the (i+1)th position element then we swap those two elements.

Average Time Complexity: $O(n^2)$ Worst Time Complexity: $O(n^2)$

Best Time Complexity: O(n)
Space Complexity: O(1)

Observation:



MERGE SORT

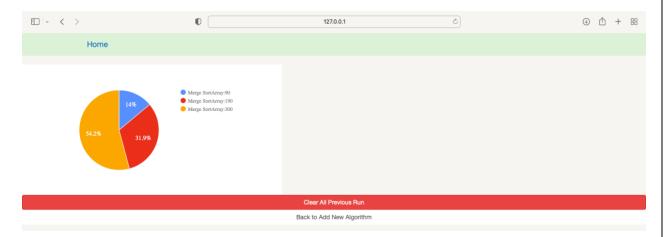
- Merge Sort uses divide and conquer approach to sort the array.
- It is done by breaking down an array into several sub arrays until each sub array consists of a single element and then merging those sub arrays in a way that results into a sorted array at the end.
- It is an Out of Place algorithm.

Time complexity of Merge Sort is O(nlogn) in all cases (i.e worst, average and best case).

Runtime can be improved by passing a small, sorted array.

Space Complexity: n

Observation:



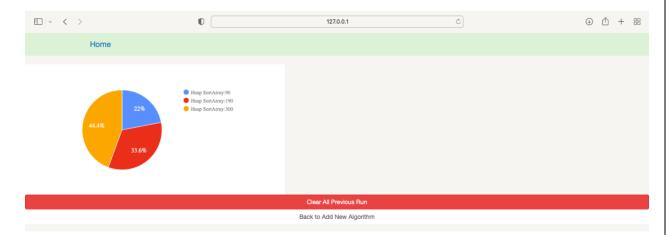
HEAPSORT

- Heap Sort is a binary search based sorting algorithm.
- Here, the maximum element will always be at the root in case of max-heaps.
- We can use optimised heap sort technique to improve time complexity.

Time complexity of Merge Sort is O(nlogn) in all cases (i.e worst, average and best case).

Space Complexity: O(1)

Observation:



QUICKSORT

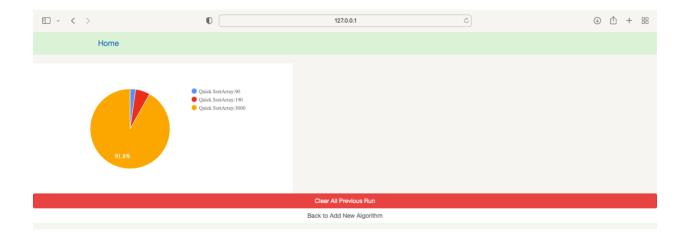
- Quicksort is also based on divide and conquer algorithm and is used for large data
- Here, pivot can be first element, last element, median or any random element.
- Pivot is used to create the partition in the array like:- the left side of pivot contains all the elements that are less than the pivot element and right side contains all elements greater than the pivot.
- We can improve the Runtime of Quick Sort by choosing either a random index for the pivot or we can choose median of first, middle and last element as pivot

Worst Time complexity: O(n2)

Average Time Complexity: O(nlogn).

Space Complexity: O(log n)

Observation:



QUICKSORT-Using 3 Medians

Considering 3 medians i.e. first element last element and the median element in the array.

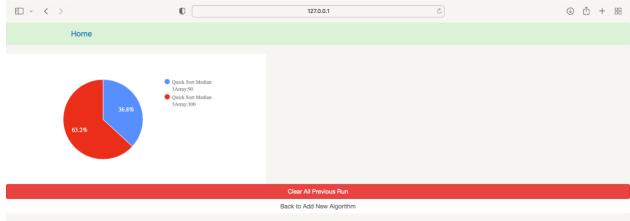
Swapping of numbers: median with first and first with last element.

Then we need to find the element which is greater than the pivot element and then swap that element with the element back which is greater than pivot

Best and Average Time Complexity: $\Omega(nlogn)$ Worst Time complexity: $O(n^2)$

Space Complexity: O(nlogn)

Observation:



COMPARISON OF ALGORITHMS

Now I have compared all algorithms giving same number of lengths as 2000 to each algorithm.

Observation:

From the above graph we can see that bubble sort takes maximum time to execute and quick sort is the quickest.

