

# CS151 Intro to Data Structures

## Hashmaps

# Announcements & Outline

Next homework and Lab due Monday December 1st

Lab today is manual grading. Have me or TA check you off.

Today:

- HashMap Review
- ProbeHashMaps
- HW7 discussion

# Hash Map Reivew

Hash Map:

- Efficient data structure with constant time\* access, insertion, and removal
- \* assuming no collisions or expansions

# Hash Function Review

Book's `AbstractHashMap` hash method uses:

$$h_1(k) = k.\text{hashCode}() \text{ // java memory address}$$
$$h_2(x) = ((ax + b) \% p) \% N$$
$$h = h_2(h_1(k))$$

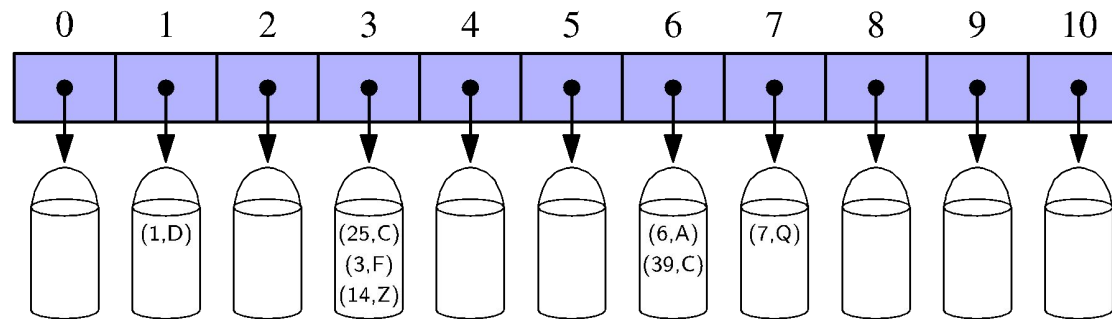
# Performance Analysis

|        | ArrayMap | Collision Resistant Hash Map |
|--------|----------|------------------------------|
| get    |          |                              |
| put    |          |                              |
| remove |          |                              |

# Review: Handling Collisions

## ChainHashMap:

- When more than one key hash to the same index, we have a bucket
- Each index holds a collection of entries



- Worst case:
  - all elements collide into the same bucket
  - $O(n)$  operations

# Open Addressing and Probing

- Example:  $h(x) = x \% 13$
- insert 18(5), 41(2), 22(9), 44(5), 59(7), 32(6), 31(5), 73(8)

Keep “probing”

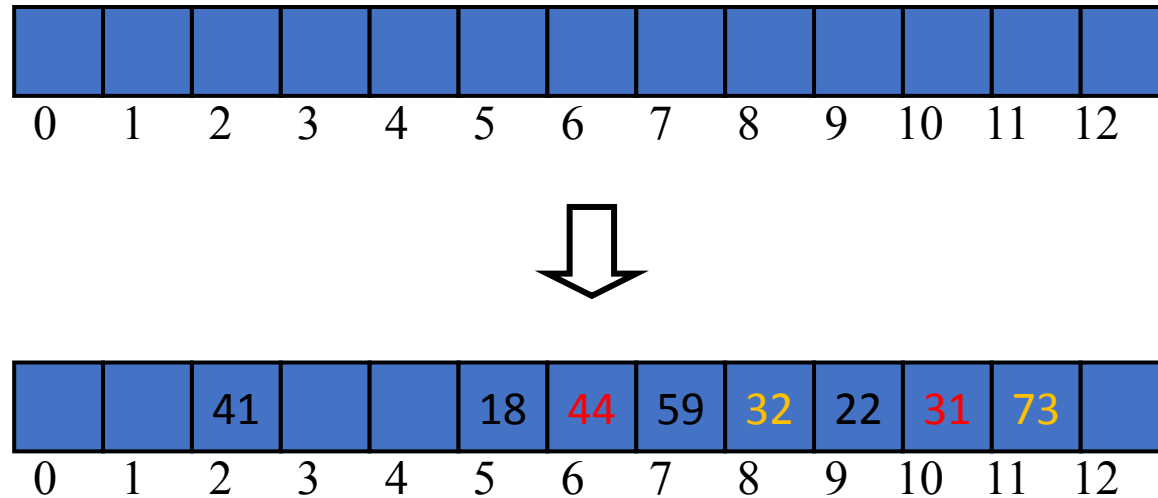
$(h(k)+1)\%n$

$(h(k)+2)\%n$

....

$(h(k)+i)\%n$

until you find an  
empty slot!



# ProbeHashMap

Let's look at an implementation of ProbeHashMap



# Open Addressing and Probing

**Linear Probing** (what we just saw):

- Keep “*probing*” until you find an empty slot  
     $(h(k)+1) \% n$   
     $(h(k)+2) \% n$   
    ...  
     $(h(k)+i) \% n$
- Colliding items cluster together – future collisions to cause a longer sequence of probes

# Open Addressing and Probing

## Quadratic Probing:

- Keep “*probing*” until you find an empty slot

$$(h(k) + f(1)) \% n$$

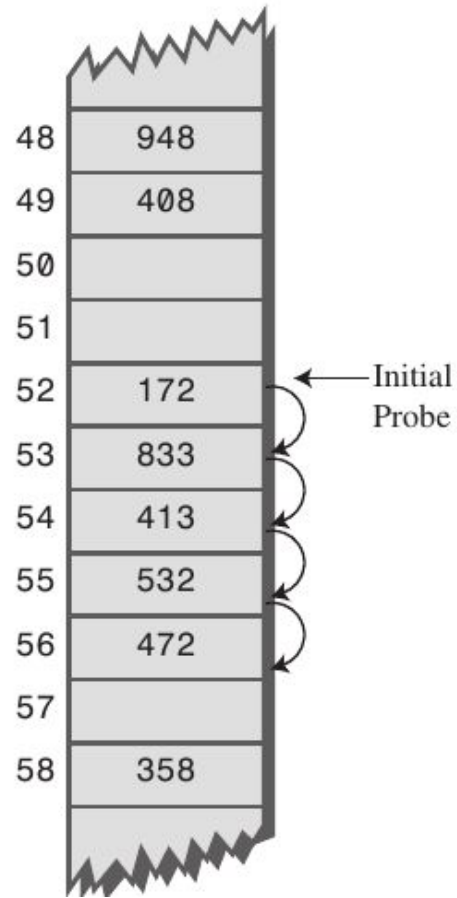
$$(h(k) + f(2)) \% n$$

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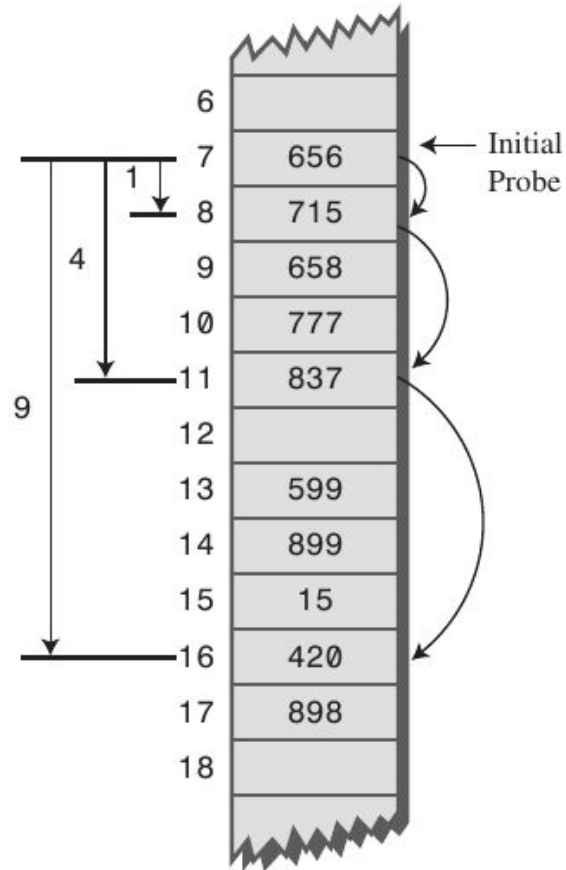
$$(h(k) + f(i)) \% n$$

where  $f(i) = i^2$

# Linear Probing vs Quadratic Probing



Linear Probing



Quadratic Probing

- Quadratic probing still creates large clusters!
- Unlike linear probing, they are clustered away from the initial hash position
- If the primary hash index is  $x$ , probes go to  $x+1$ ,  $x+4$ ,  $x+9$ ,  $x+16$ ,  $x+25$  and so on, this results in **Secondary Clustering**

# Approach #3: Double Hashing

Let's try to avoid clustering.

To probe, let's use a **second hash function**

- Keep “*probing*” until you find an empty slot

$$(h(k) + f(1)) \% n$$

$$(h(k) + f(2)) \% n$$

....

$$(h(k) + f(i)) \% n$$

Where  $f(i) = i * h'(k)$

# Approach #3: Double Hashing

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$$(h(k) + f(2)) \% n$$

....

$$(h(k) + f(i)) \% n$$

Where  $f(i) = i * h'(k)$

A common choice for  $h'(k) = q - (k \% q)$

where  $q$  is prime and  $< n$

# Example

| $k$ | $h(k)$ | $h'(k)$ | Probes |     |
|-----|--------|---------|--------|-----|
| 18  | 5      | 3       | 5      |     |
| 41  | 2      | 1       | 2      |     |
| 22  | 9      | 6       | 9      |     |
| 44  | 5      | 5       | 5      | 10  |
| 59  | 7      | 4       | 7      |     |
| 32  | 6      | 3       | 6      |     |
| 31  | 5      | 4       | 5      | 9 0 |
| 73  | 8      | 4       | 8      |     |

- Insert 18, 41, 22, 44, 59, 32, 31, 73

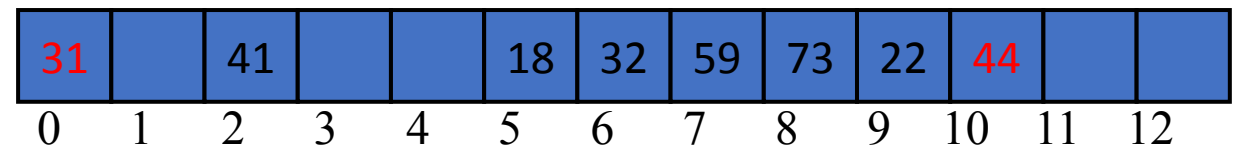
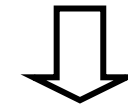
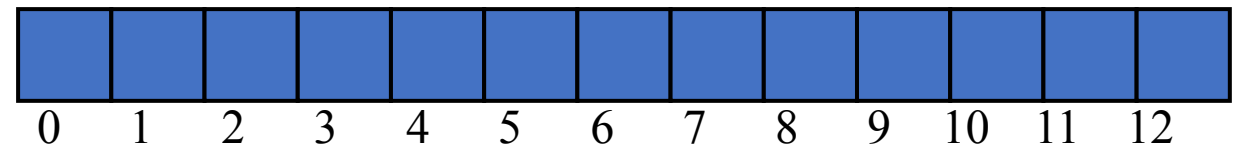
**probe:**

$$(h(k) + f(k)) \% n$$

$$h(k) = k \% 13$$

$$f(k) = i * h'(k)$$

$$h'(k) = 7 - k \% 7$$



# Performance Analysis

|        | ChainHashMap<br>Best Case | ChainHashMap<br>Worst Case | ProbeHashMap<br>Best Case | ProbeHashMap<br>Worst Case |
|--------|---------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| get    |                           |                            |                           |                            |
| put    |                           |                            |                           |                            |
| remove |                           |                            |                           |                            |

Which is better in practice?

# Open Addressing vs Chaining

- Probing is significantly faster in practice
- locality of references – much faster to access a series of elements in an array than to follow the same number of pointers in a linked list



# Performance Analysis

|        | ArrayMap | HashMap with good hashing and good probing |
|--------|----------|--|
| get    |          |  |
| put    |          |  |
| remove |          |  |

# Performance of Hashtable

|        | array    | linked list   | BST<br>(balanced) | HashTable |
|--------|----------|---------------|-------------------|-----------|
| search | $O(n)$   | $O(n)$        | $O(\log n)$       | $O(1)$    |
| insert | $O(1)^*$ | $O(1) / O(n)$ | $O(\log n)$       | $O(1)$    |
| remove | $O(n)$   | $O(1) / O(n)$ | $O(\log n)$       | $O(1)$    |

# Load Factor

- HashMaps have an underlying array... what if it gets full?
  - For ChainHashMap collisions increase
  - For ProbeHashMap we need to resize!
- Load Factor = # of elements stored / capacity
- A common strategy is to resize the hash map when the load factor exceeds a predefined threshold (often 0.75)
  - tradeoff between memory and runtime

# HW7 Discussion

# Homework 7

- NYPD “Stop Question and Frisk” dataset
- How to work with large data

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

A **Terry stop** in the United States allows the police to briefly [detain](#) a person based on [reasonable suspicion](#) of involvement in criminal activity.<sup>[1][2]</sup>

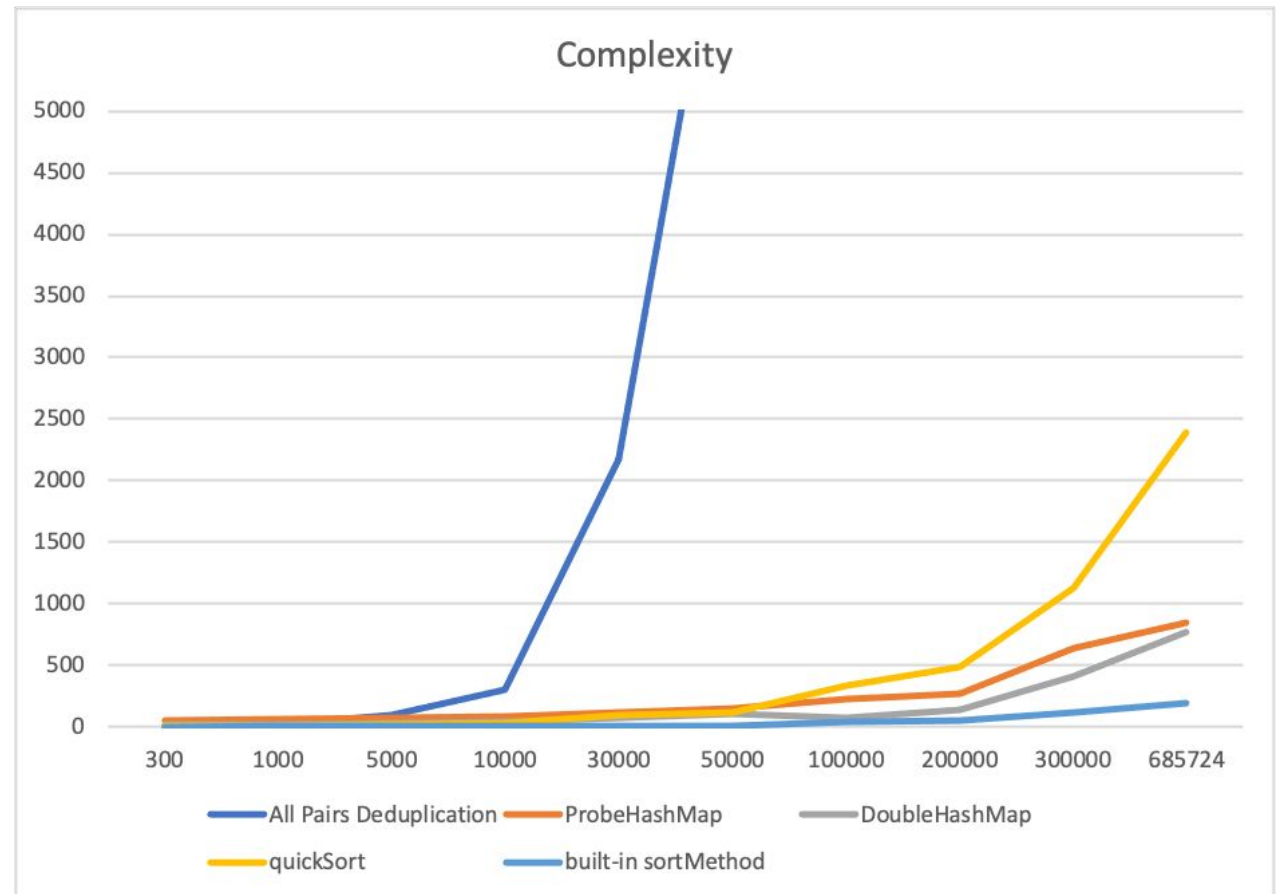
Reasonable suspicion is a lower standard than [probable cause](#) which is needed for [arrest](#). When police stop and search a pedestrian, this is commonly known as a **stop and frisk**. When police stop an automobile, this is known as a [traffic stop](#). If the police stop a motor vehicle on minor infringements in order to investigate other suspected criminal activity, this is known as a **pretextual stop**. Additional rules apply to stops that occur on a bus.<sup>[3]</sup>

# Homework 7

- How many times was the same person stopped for questioning?

# Homework 7 Part 2: Complexity Analysis

- Line graph
- x axis: number of entries
- y axis: time in seconds



# MergeSort



# What sorting algorithms have we seen thus far?

1. Selection sort
  - a. How does it work?
  - b. Runtime complexity
2. Heap sort
  - a. How does it work?
  - b. Runtime complexity?

# Divide and Conquer algorithm

1. **Divide:** recursively break down the problem into sub-problems
2. **Conquer:** recursively solve the sub-problems
3. **Combine:** combine the solutions to the sub-problems until they are a solution to the entire problem

Binary search is a divide and conquer algorithm

Usually involves recursion

# Merge Sort

1. **Divide:** Divide the unsorted list into lists with only one element
2. **Conquer:** merge them back together in a sorted manner
3. **Combine:** merge the sorted sequences

# Merge Sort

<https://youtu.be/4VqmGXwpLqc?si=WpYuXYLtJOuhvd77&t=24>

# Merge Sort

Sort a sequence of numbers  $A$ ,  $|A| = n$

Base:  $|A| = 1$ , then it's already sorted

General

- divide: split  $A$  into two halves, each of size  $\frac{n}{2}$  ( $\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor$  and  $\lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil$ )
- conquer: sort each half (by calling mergeSort recursively)
- combine: merge the two sorted halves into a single sorted list

# Example

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 5 | 3 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|

# Example

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 5 | 3 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | 8 | 4 | 1 |
|---|---|---|---|

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| 7 | 2 | 5 | 3 |
|---|---|---|---|

# Example

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 5 | 3 |
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|   |   |   |   |
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| 6 | 8 | 4 | 1 |
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|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| 7 | 2 | 5 | 3 |
|---|---|---|---|

|   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | 8 | 4 | 1 |
|---|---|---|---|

|   |   |
|---|---|
| 7 | 2 |
|---|---|

|   |   |
|---|---|
| 5 | 3 |
|---|---|



# Example

6 8 4 1 7 2 5 3

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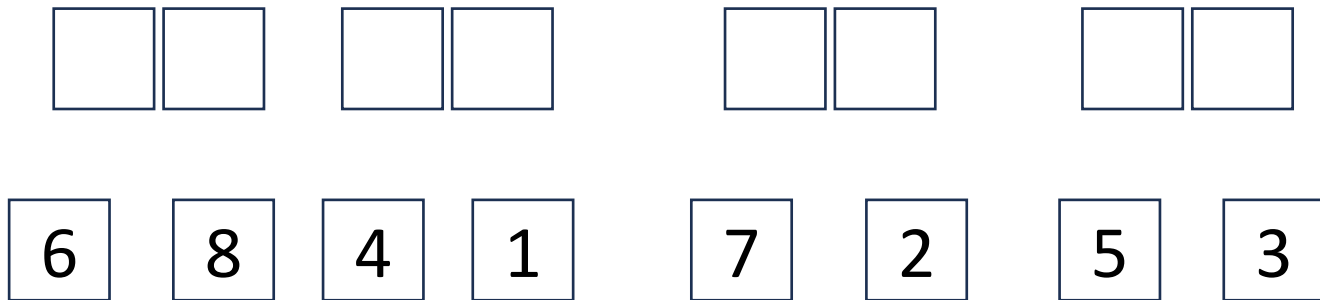
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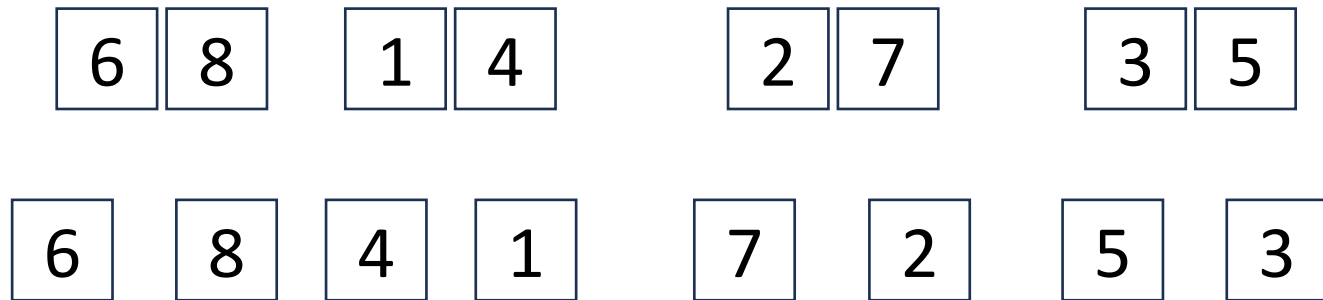
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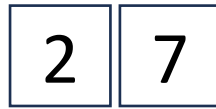
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1 4 6 8

2 3 5 7

6 8    1 4

2 7

3 5

6    8    4    1

7    2    5    3

# Example



1 4 6 8

2 3 5 7

6 8 1 4

2 7

3 5

6 8 4 1

7 2

5 3

# Example

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

1 4 6 8

2 3 5 7

6 8

1 4

2 7

3 5

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8

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7

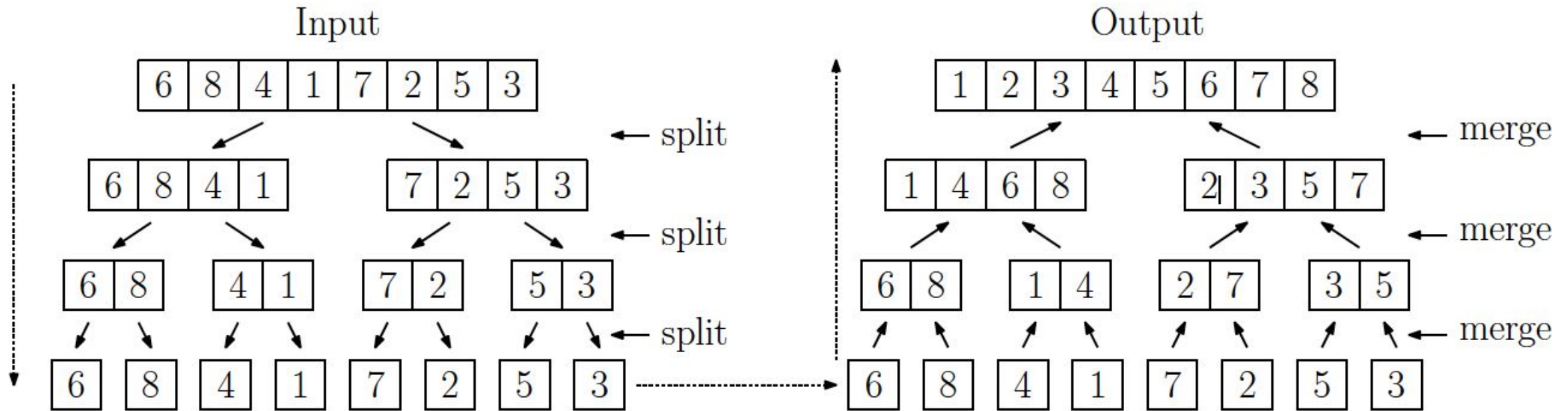
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5

3



# Example - summary



# Merge - how do we sort two sorted lists?

```
Algorithm merge(A, B)
    S = []

    while(!A.isEmpty() and !B.isEmpty())
        if A[0] < B[0]
            S.add(A.removeFirst())
        else
            S.add(B.removeFirst())

    while (!A.isEmpty())
        S.add(A.removeFirst())
    while (!B.isEmpty())
        S.add(B.removeFirst())
    return S
```

runtime complexity?  
 $O(n)$

where  $n$  is  $A.length + B.length$

# Merge Sort Implementation

# Summary

ChainHashMap - handles collisions by bucketing collisions in a Linked List

ProbeHashMap - handles collisions by finding the “next” open slot

1. Linear probe
2. Quadratic probe
3. Double Hash

Chain and Probe Hash Maps have equivalent runtime complexity (Big-O notation), but Probe is faster in practice