

CS2020

Data Structures and Algorithms

Welcome!

Problem Set

Problem Set 3:

- Due yesterday.

Problem Set 4:

- Released today.
- Due next Wednesday.
- A bit easier...

Quiz 1

Details:

- Friday, in-class
- Quick review at the end of lecture today

Textbooks on reserve at the library:

- Introduction to Algorithms (CLRS)
- Java Foundations (Lewis, DePasquale, Chase)
- Competitive Programming (Halim)

Discussion Group

This week:

- Problems posted
- Problem set review
- Quiz review

Let you tutor know which topics to cover... 😊

Today's Plan

Order Statistics

- QuickSort Review
- Paranoid Select
- Deterministic Median

Linear-time Sorting

- How fast can you sort?
- Counting Sort, Radix Sort

Quiz Review

Recall: QuickSort

QuickSort($A[1..n]$, n)

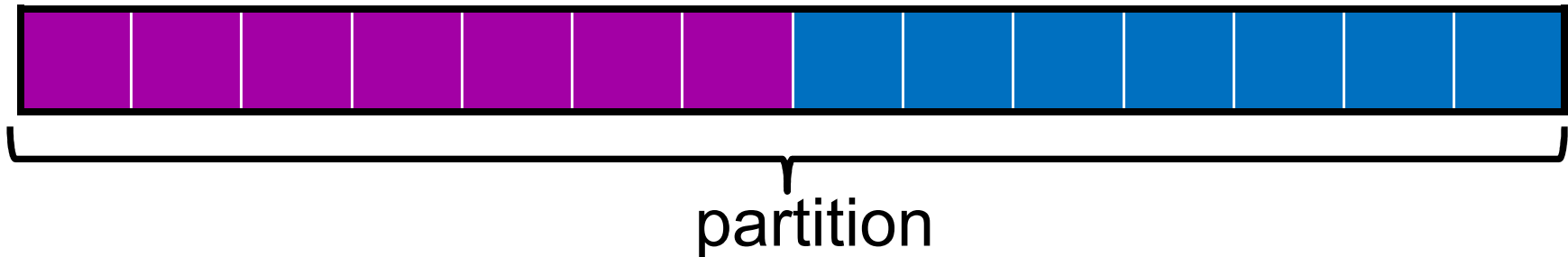
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$p = \mathbf{partition}(A[1..n], n, pIndex)$

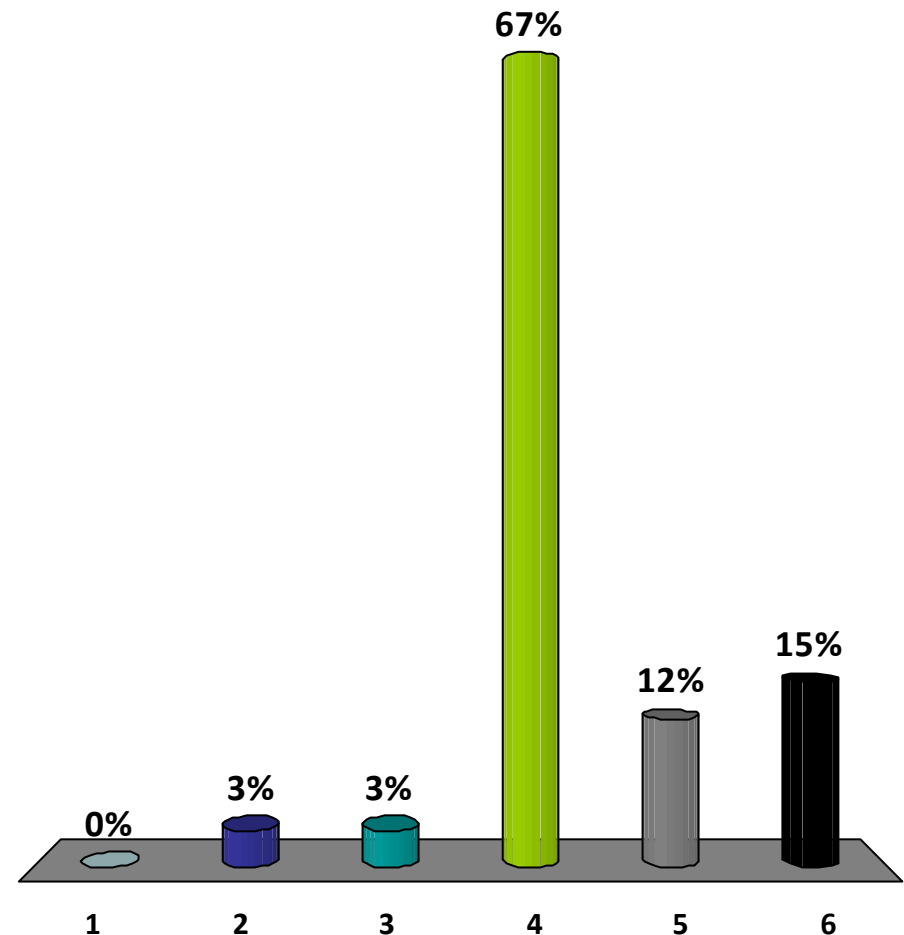
$x = \mathbf{QuickSort}(A[1..p-1], p-1)$

$y = \mathbf{QuickSort}(A[p+1..n], n-p)$



If you choose the pivot as $A[n/2]$, then QuickSort runs in time:

1. $O(1)$
2. $O(\log^2 n)$
3. $O(n)$
4. $O(n \log n)$
- ✓ 5. $O(n^2)$
6. I don't remember.



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Fact 2:

- If you choose the pivot as the median, you get good performance.
- Recurrence: $T(n) = 2T(n/2) + O(n) = O(n \log n)$

QuickSort (review)

Idea: choose the pivot at random

Paranoid-QuickSort($A[1..n]$, n)

if ($n==1$) **then** return;

else repeat

$pIndex = \mathbf{random}(1, n)$

$p = \mathbf{partition}(A[1..n], n, pIndex)$

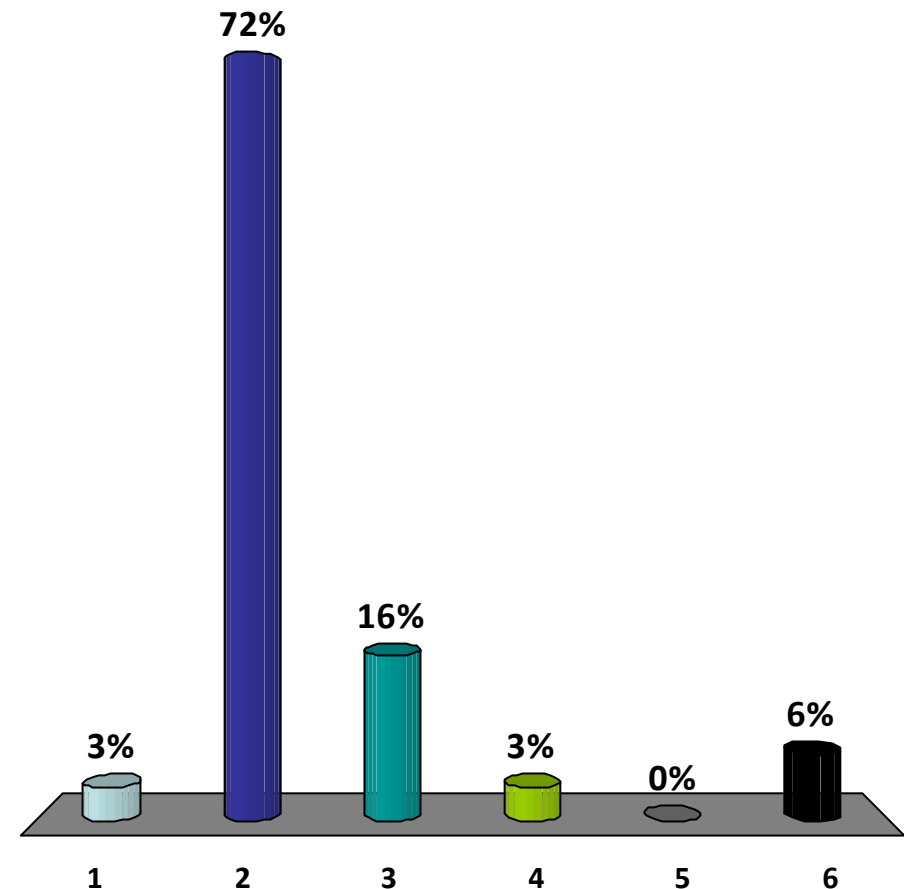
until $p > n/10$ **and** $p < n(9/10)$

$x = \mathbf{QuickSort}(A[1..p-1], p-1)$

$y = \mathbf{QuickSort}(A[p+1..n], n-p)$

How many times do you have to choose a pivot at random to get a good split?

1. $E[\# \text{ choices}] = 1$
- ✓ 2. $E[\# \text{ choices}] < 2$
3. $E[\# \text{ choices}] < \log n$
4. $E[\# \text{ choices}] < n$
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QuickSort (review)

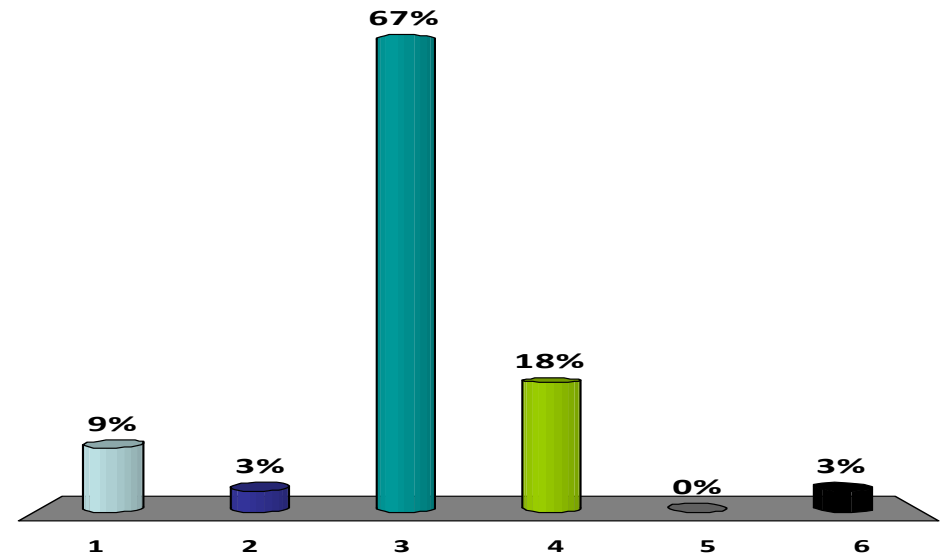
Fact 3:

- If you choose a pivot at random, the expected number of random choices to find a *good* pivot is < 2 .

The recurrence for Paranoid QuickSort is:

Expected[T(n)] = Expected[...]

1. $2T(n/2) + O(n)$
2. $2T(n/2) + O(n \log n)$
- ✓ 3. $T(n/10) + T(9n/10) + O(n)$
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QuickSort (review)

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Fact 4:

- Paranoid QuickSort has the following recurrence:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}[T(n)] &= \mathbf{E}[T(n/10) + T(9n/10) + O(n)] \\ &= O(n \log n)\end{aligned}$$

Order Statistics

Find k^{th} smallest element in an *unsorted* array:

| | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| x_{10} | x_2 | x_4 | x_1 | x_5 | x_3 | x_7 | x_8 | x_9 | x_6 |
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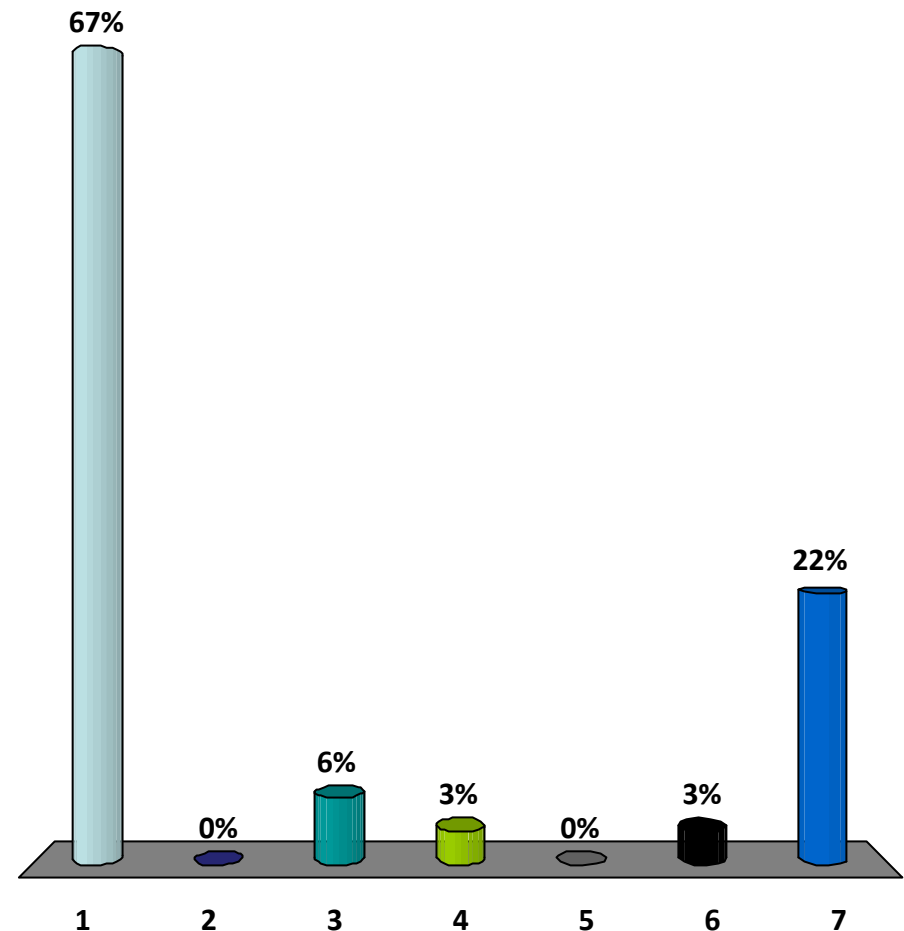
E.g.: Find the median ($k = n/2$)

Find the 7th element ($k = 7$)

What is the 3rd smallest element in the list:

[17, 5, 19, 23, 2, 101, 47]

- ✓ 1. 17
- 2. 5
- 3. 19
- 4. 23
- 5. 2
- 6. 101
- 7. I'm lazy.



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Option 1:

- Sort the array.
- Count to element number k .

Running time: $O(n \log n)$

Order Statistics

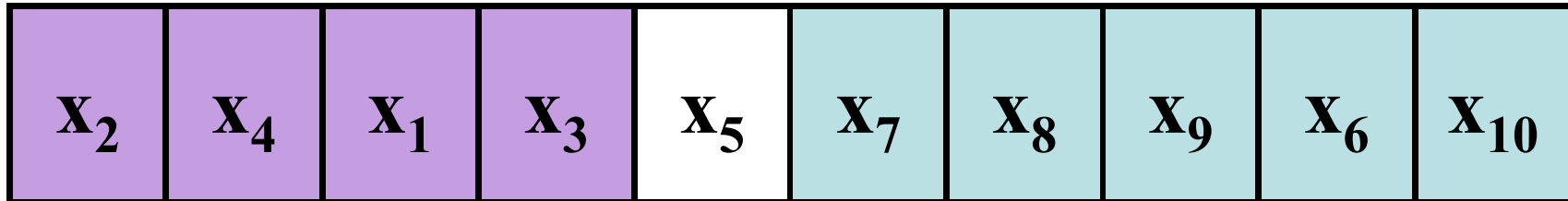
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E.g.: Partition around x_5

Order Statistics

Key Idea: partition the array



E.g.: Partition around x_5

Continue searching in the correct half.

E.g.: Search for x_3 in left half...

Order Statistics

Example: search for 5th element

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|----|----|----|---|---|-----|---|----|---|
| 9 | 22 | 13 | 17 | 5 | 3 | 100 | 6 | 19 | 8 |
|---|----|----|----|---|---|-----|---|----|---|

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Random pivot: 17

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|----|---|---|---|----|-----|----|----|
| 9 | 8 | 13 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 17 | 100 | 19 | 22 |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |

Order Statistics

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Search for 5th element in left half.

| | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | | | | |

Order Statistics

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Random pivot: 8

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|----|---|--|--|--|--|
| 6 | 3 | 5 | 8 | 13 | 9 | | | | |
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Order Statistics

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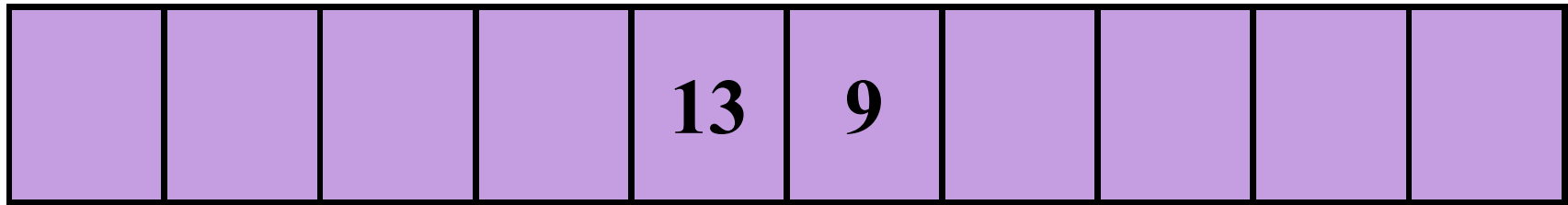
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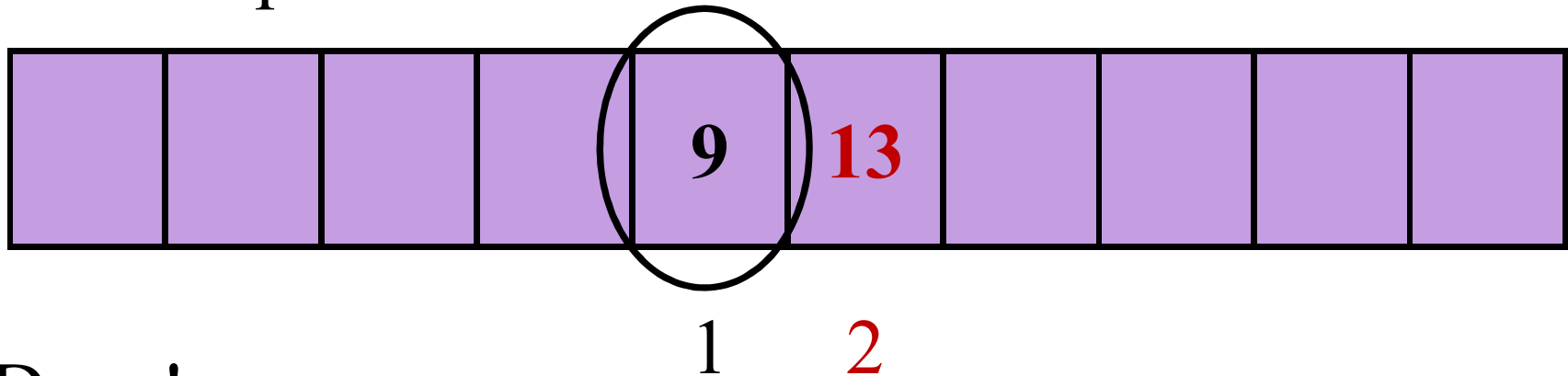
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Order Statistics

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Random pivot: 13



Done!

Finding the k^{th} smallest element

Select($A[1..n]$, n , k)

if ($n==1$) **then return** $A[1]$;

else Choose random pivot index $pIndex$.

$pIndex = \text{partition}(A[1..n], n, pIndex)$

if ($k == pIndex$) **then return** $A[pIndex]$;

else if ($k < pIndex$) **then**

return **Select**($A[1..pIndex-1]$, k)

else if ($k > p$) **then**

return **Select**($A[pIndex+1]$, $k - pIndex$)

Analysis

Paranoid-Select:

- Repeatedly partition until at least $n/10$ in each half of the partition.

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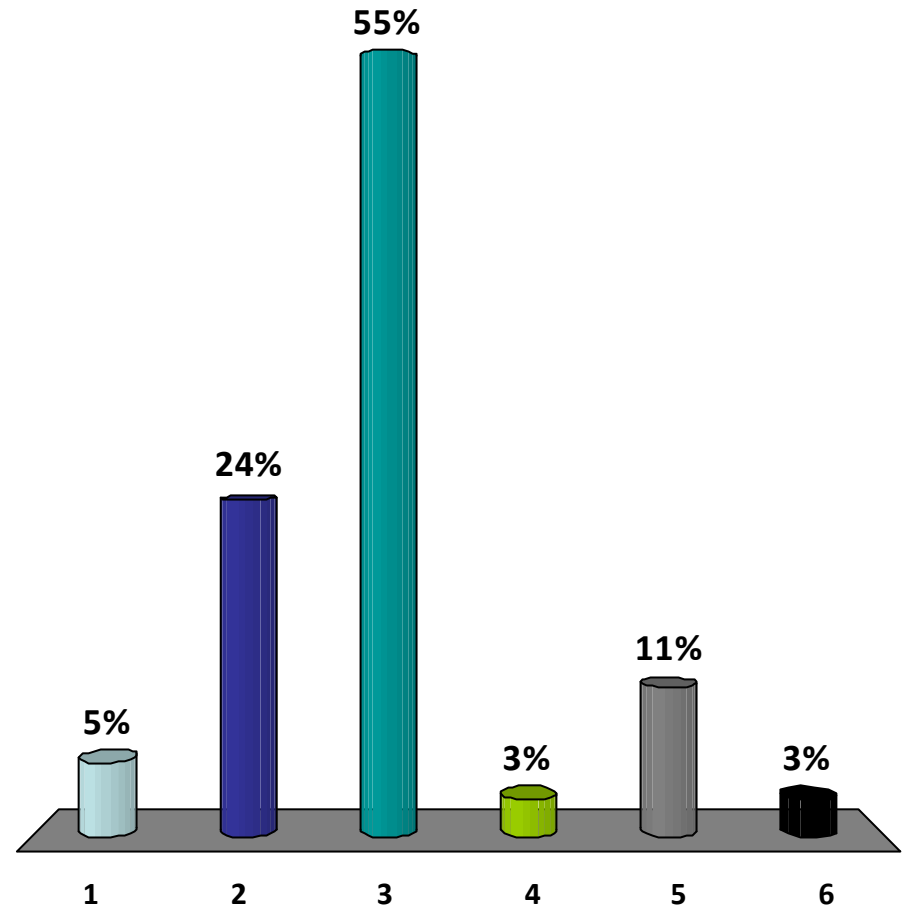
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The expected running time of paranoid select is:

1. $O(\log n)$
- ✓ 2. $O(n)$
3. $O(n \log n)$
4. $O(n^2)$
5. $O(n^{\log \log(n)})$
6. I have no idea.



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$$\textit{Recurrence: } T(n) = T(n/2) + O(n)$$

Summary

Order Statistics

- Finding the k^{th} smallest element in an array.
- Key idea: partition around a random pivot
- Paranoid Select

Deterministic Select

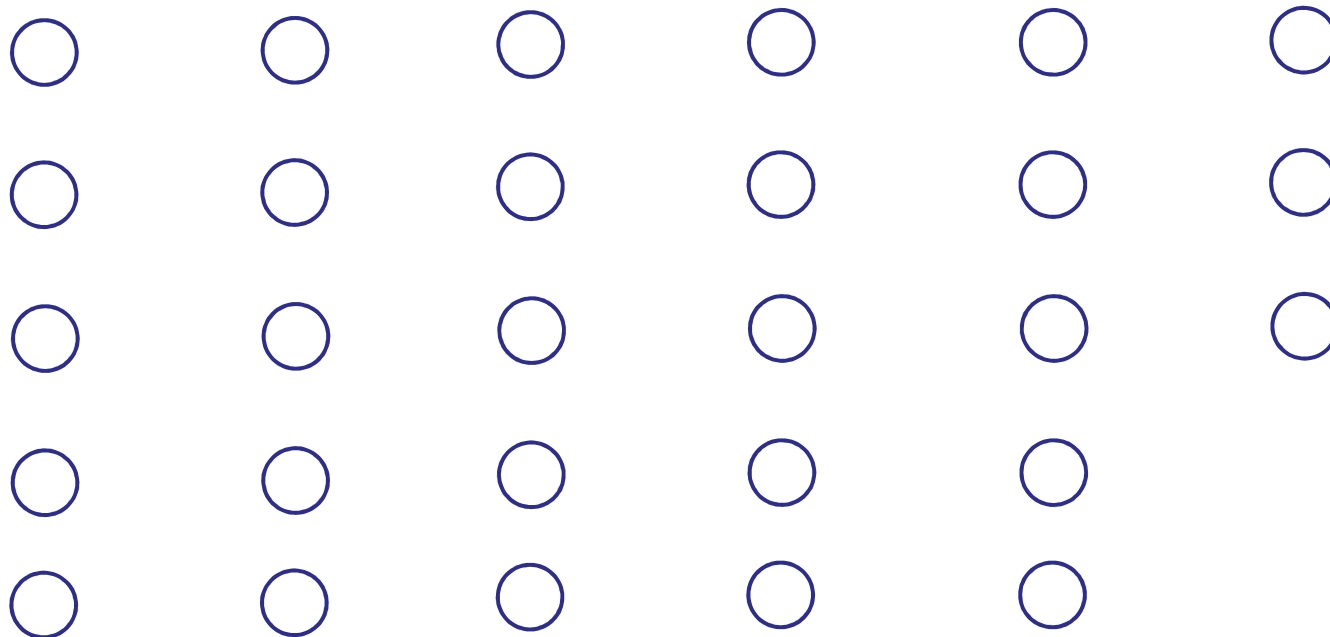
How to find the k^{th} element in $O(n)$ time:

- Deterministically!
- Tricky (a little)
- Useful (median is a good pivot)
- Theoretic interest only (random is faster)

Deterministic Select

Step 1:

- Divide the n elements into groups of 5.
- Find the median for each group of 5.

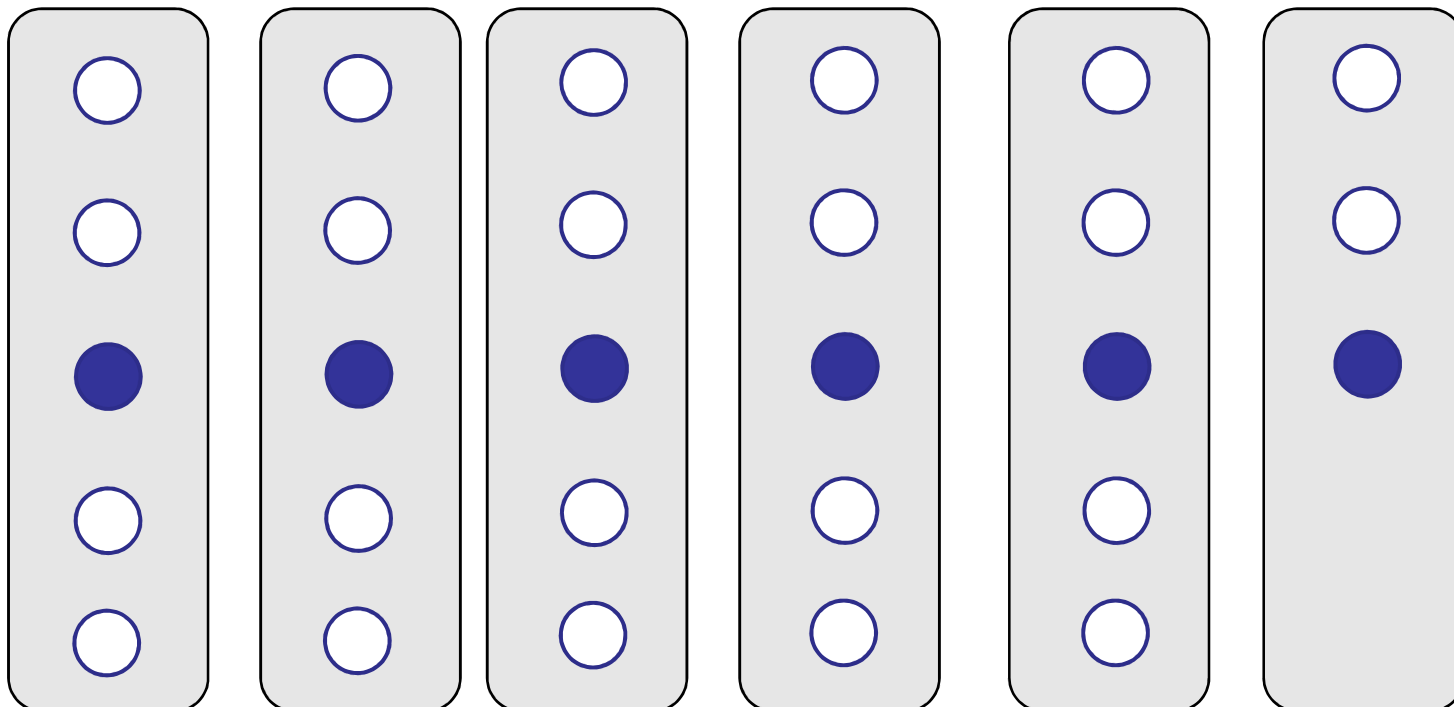


(Ex: $n=28$)

Deterministic Select

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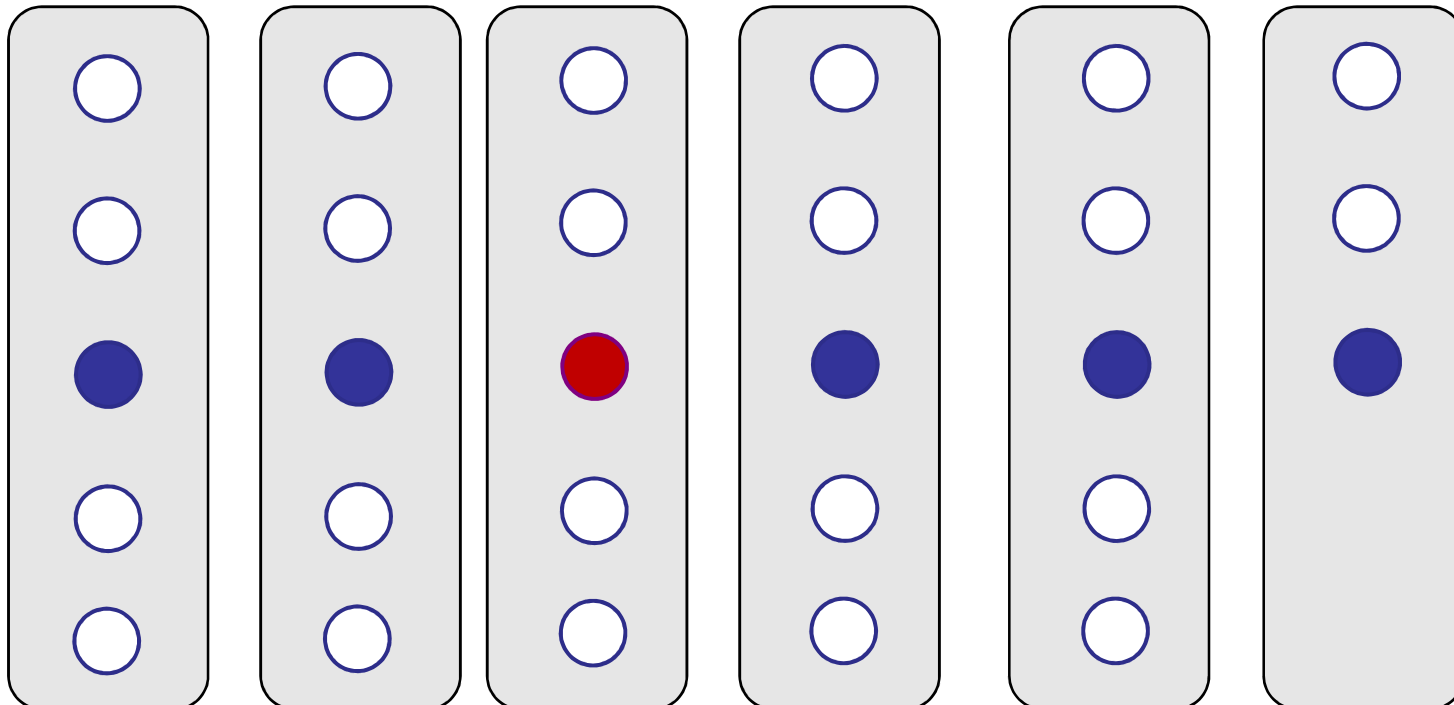
- Divide the n elements into groups of 5.
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Deterministic Median

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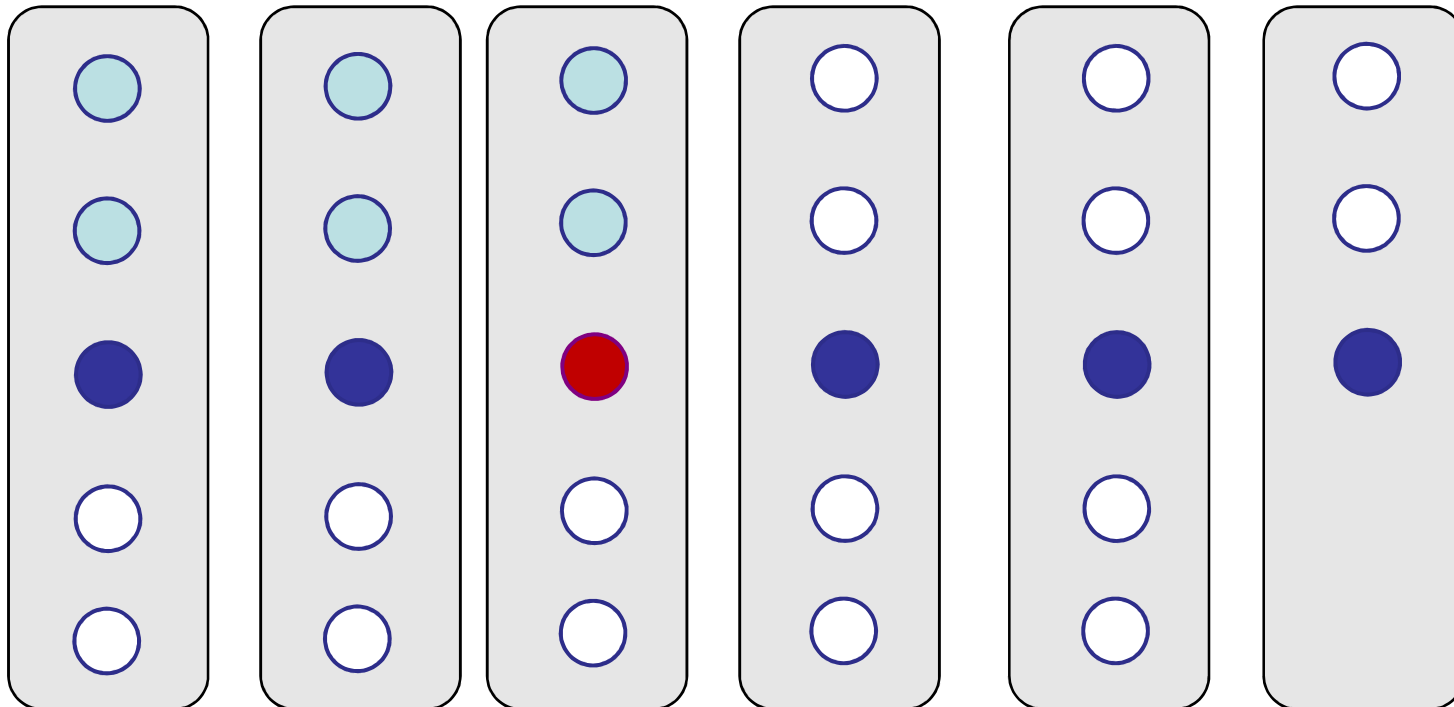
- Recursively find the median of the $n/5$ middle elements.
- *Note:* this is not the real **median**!



Deterministic Median

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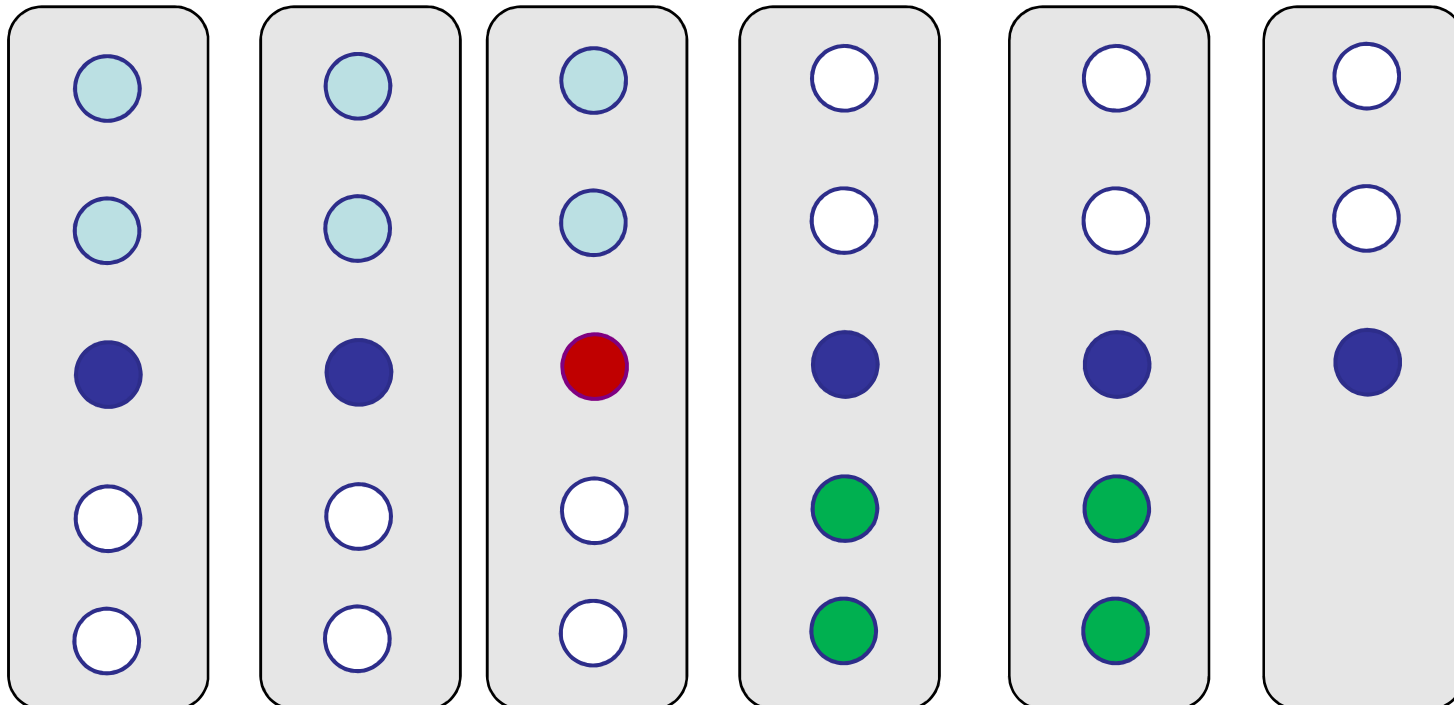
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- At least $(n/5)(1/2)(2) = n/5$ elements are smaller.



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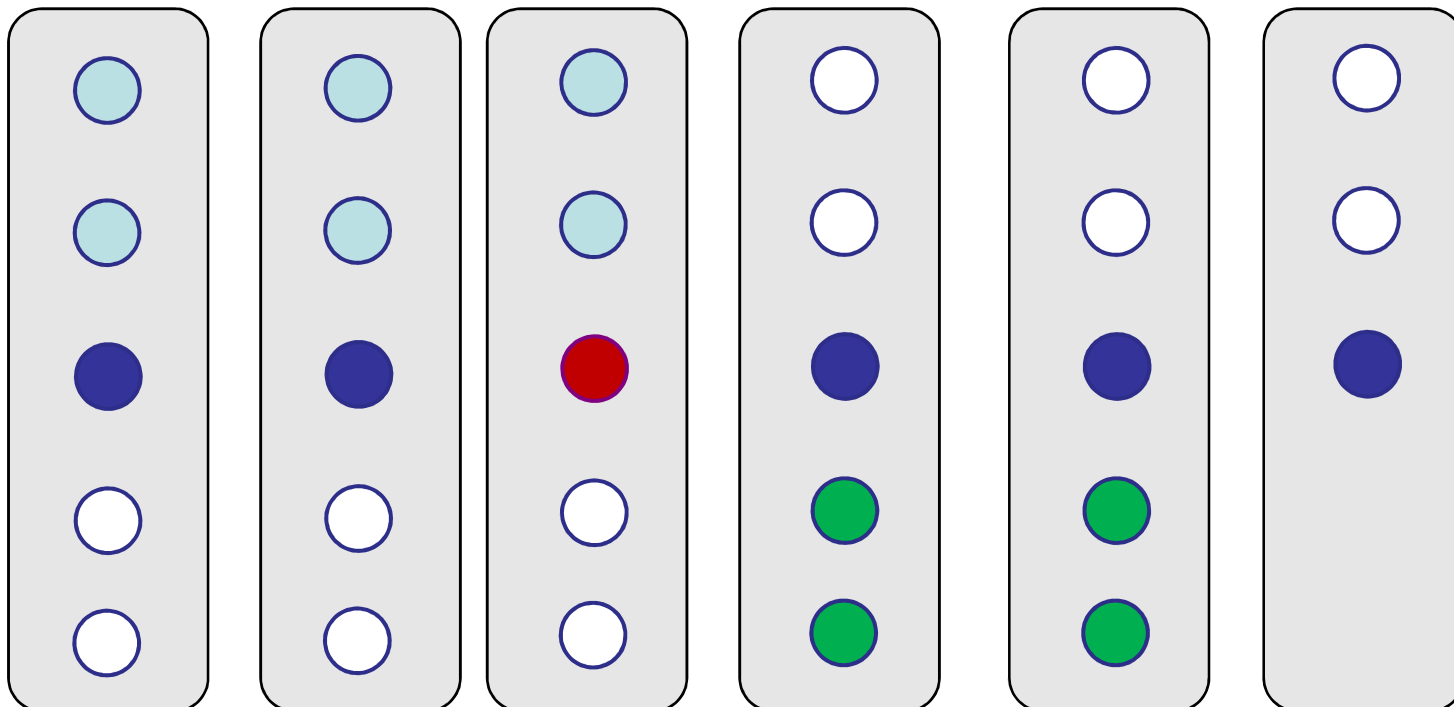
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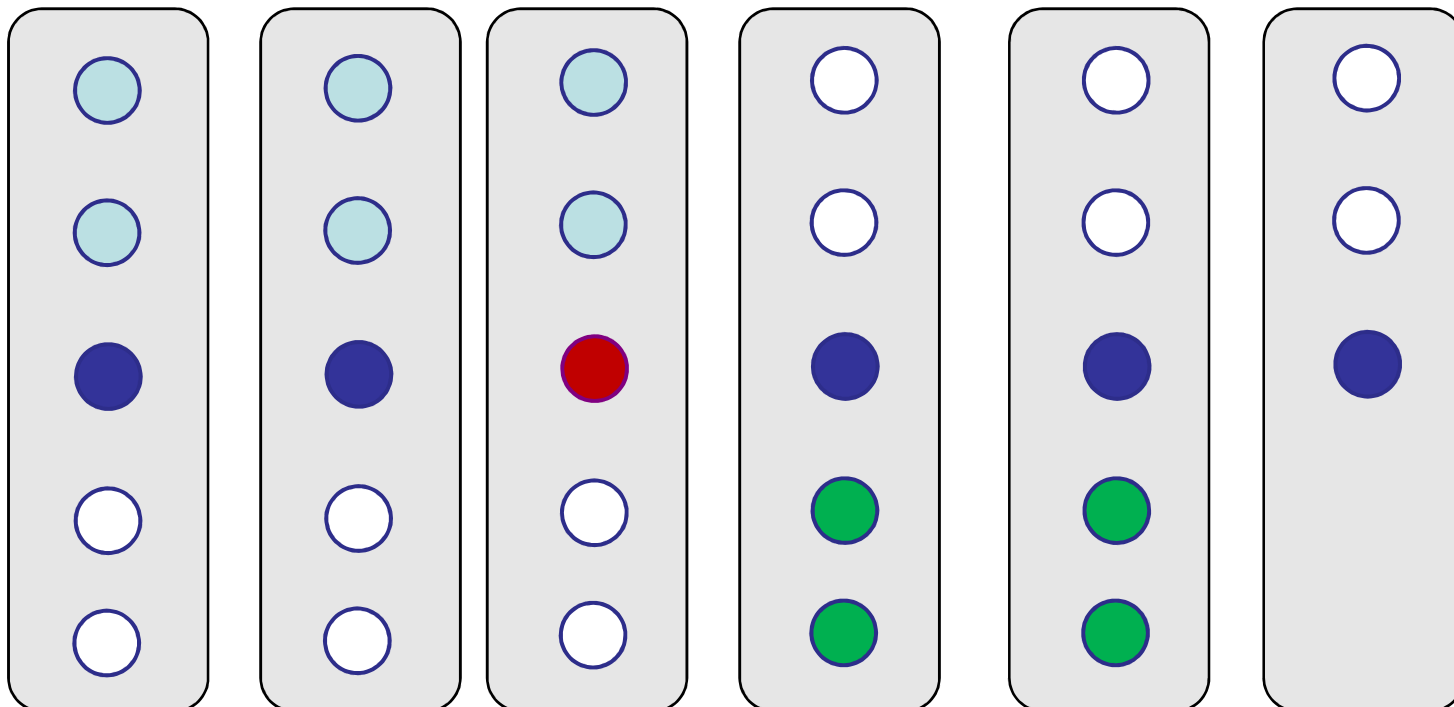
- Recursively find the median of the $n/5$ middle elements.
- At least $\lfloor 3n/10 \rfloor$ elements are smaller.
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Deterministic Median

Step 3:

- Partition around median of middle elements.
- Recurse.



Finding the k^{th} smallest element

DSelect($A[1..n]$, n , k)

if ($n \leq 5$) **then return** k^{th} element of A ;

Divide A into groups of 5.

Let M be the array of medians for each group.

$x = \text{DSelect}(M, n/5, n/10)$

$pIndex = \text{partition}(A[1..n], n, x)$

if ($k == pIndex$) **then return** $A[pIndex]$;

else if ($k < p$) **then return** **DSelect**($A[1..p-1]$, k);

else if ($k > p$) **then return** **DSelect**($A[p+1..n]$, $k-p$);

Finding the k^{th} smallest element

Recurrence:

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= T(n/5) + T(7n/10) + O(n) \\ &= O(n) \end{aligned}$$

(note: $n/5 + 7n/10 < n$)

Exercise: Why not divide into groups of 3?

Deterministic QuickSort

DQuickSort($A[1..n]$, n)

if ($n==1$) **then** return;

else

$pIndex = \text{DSelect}(A, n, n/2)$

$p = \text{partition}(A[1..n], n, pIndex)$

$x = \text{DQuickSort}(A[1..p-1], p-1)$

$y = \text{DQuickSort}(A[p+1..n], n-p)$

Summary

Fastest sorting algorithms: $O(n \log n)$

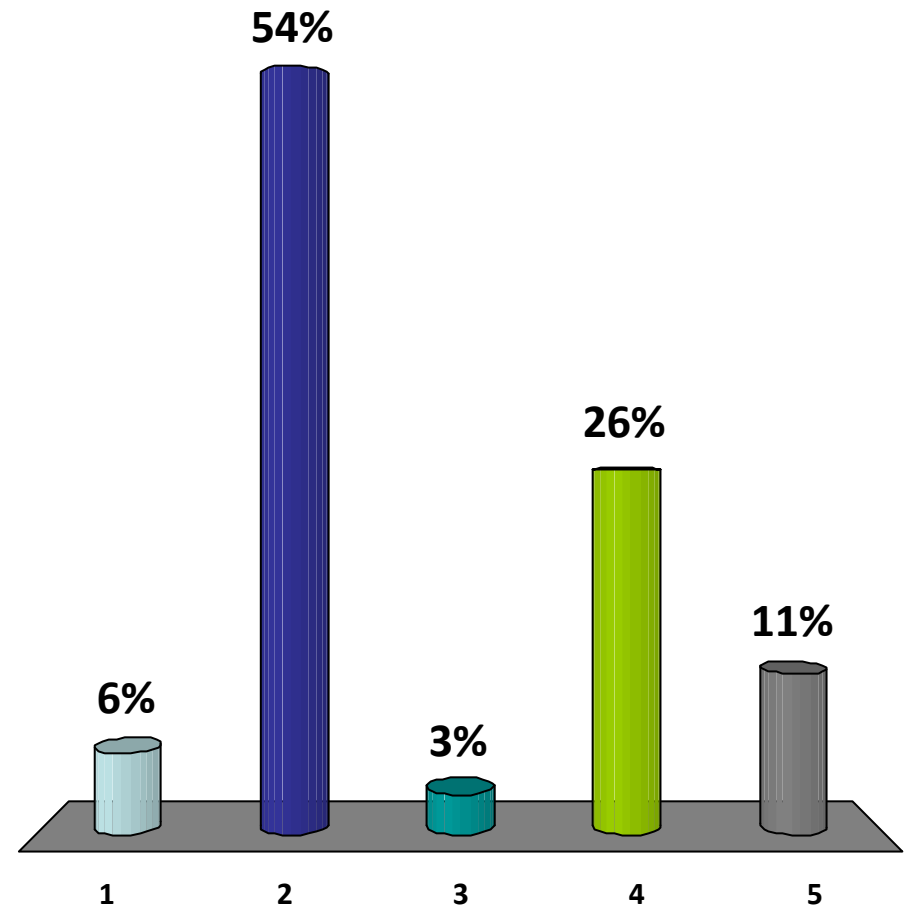
- MergeSort
- HeapSort
- Randomized QuickSort
- Deterministic QuickSort

Fastest selection algorithms: $O(n)$

- Randomized Select
- DSelect

How fast can we sort?

1. Faster than $O(n)$
2. $O(n)$
3. $O(n \log \log n)$
4. $O(n \log n)$
5. I'm lazy.



Comparison Sorting

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What types are *a* and *b*?

- Integer
- String
- Polynomials
- Anything that can be compared!

Comparison Sorting

In Java:

- Interface `java.lang.Comparable`

`public int compareTo(Object o)`

```
class Counter implements Comparable<Counter> {  
    int iCount;  
    public int compareTo(Counter thatC) {  
        if (iCount == thatC.iCount) return 0;  
        else if (iCount < thatC.iCount) return -1;  
        else if (iCount > thatC.iCount) return 1;  
    }  
}
```

Comparison Sorting

Sorting using Comparable:

```
void Sort(Counter[] A, int n)    // Bubblesort!
{
    for (int j=0; j<n; j++) {
        for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
        {
            if (A[i].compareTo(A[i+1]) > 0) {
                swap(A, i, i+1);
            }
        }
    }
}
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(Sorts an array of Comparable objects.)

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java.util.Collections:

`static void sort(List[] a)`

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`static void binarySearch(List[] a, Object key)`

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Comparison Sorting

We say that a sorting algorithm is a

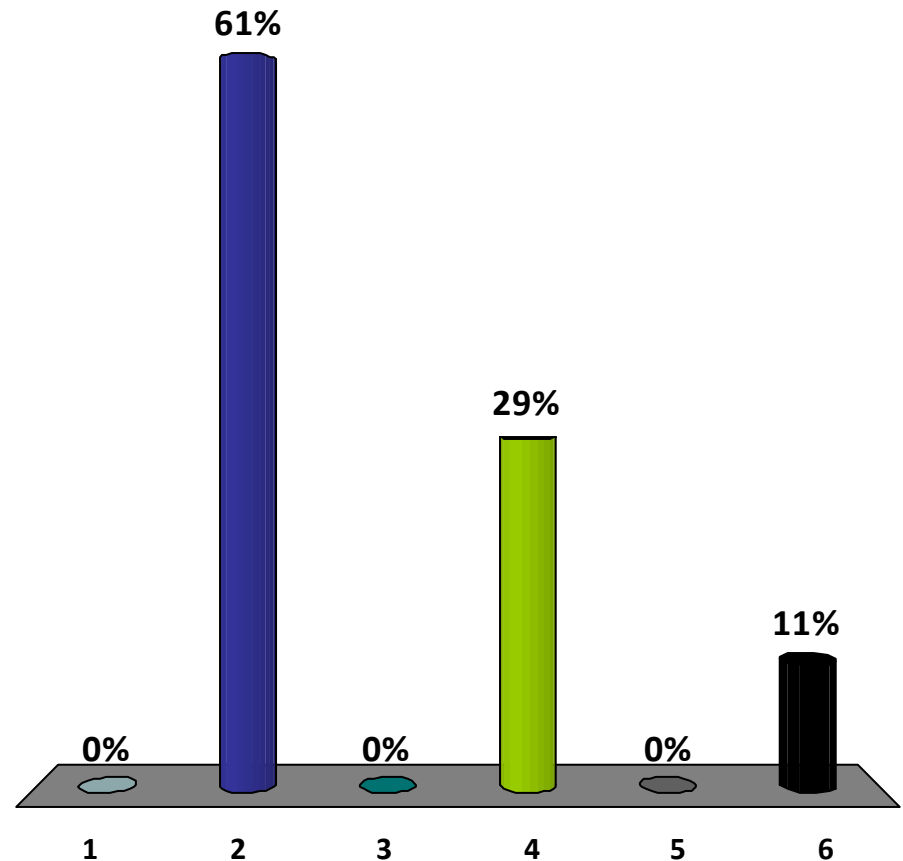
comparison sort

if only comparisons are used to determine the order of the elements.

Examples: MergeSort, Heapsort,
DQuickSort, InsertionSort, etc.

If (a, b, c) are elements, which of the following is illegal in a comparison sort?

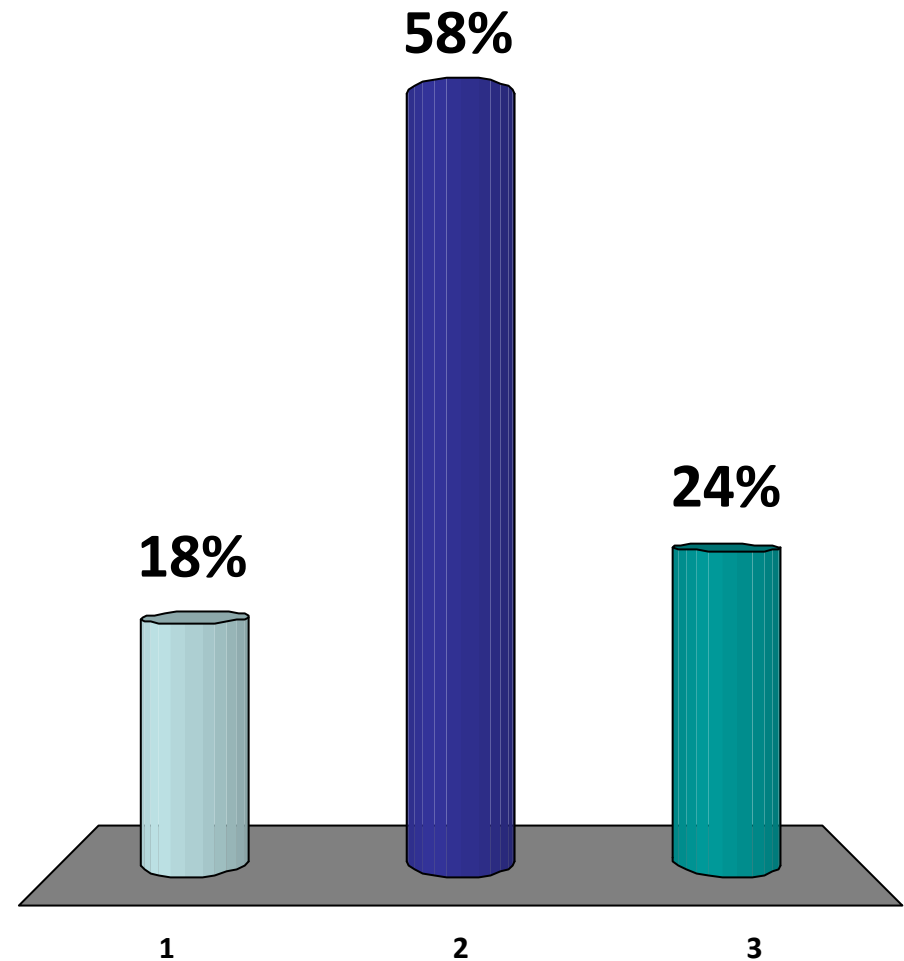
1. if (a < b) then...
2. c = a
3. if (b==c) then...
- ✓ 4. if (a == b/2) then...
5. if (a > b) then...
6. None of the above.



How many comparisons to sort?

Can you sort 5 elements $\{a, b, c, d, e\}$ using only 3 comparisons?

1. Yes
- ✓ 2. No
3. Maybe



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- There must be one or two elements that are not compared to the others!
- Ex: compare (a,b), (b,c), (d,e)---d and e not compared
- Ex: compare (a,b), (b,c), (c,d)---e not compared

Lower bound: sorting requires $> (n - 2) = \Omega(n)$ comparisons.

Aside on asymptotic notation:

Recall:

- $f(n) = O(g(n))$

There exist constants n_0 and c such that:

for every $(n > n_0)$, $f(n) < cg(n)$

- $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$

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Theorem: Sorting 5 elements requires 7 comparisons!

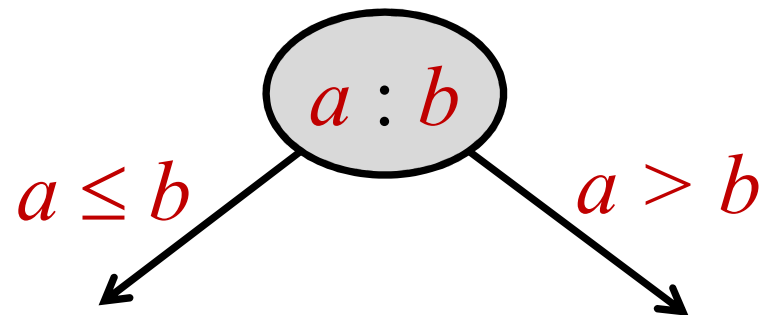
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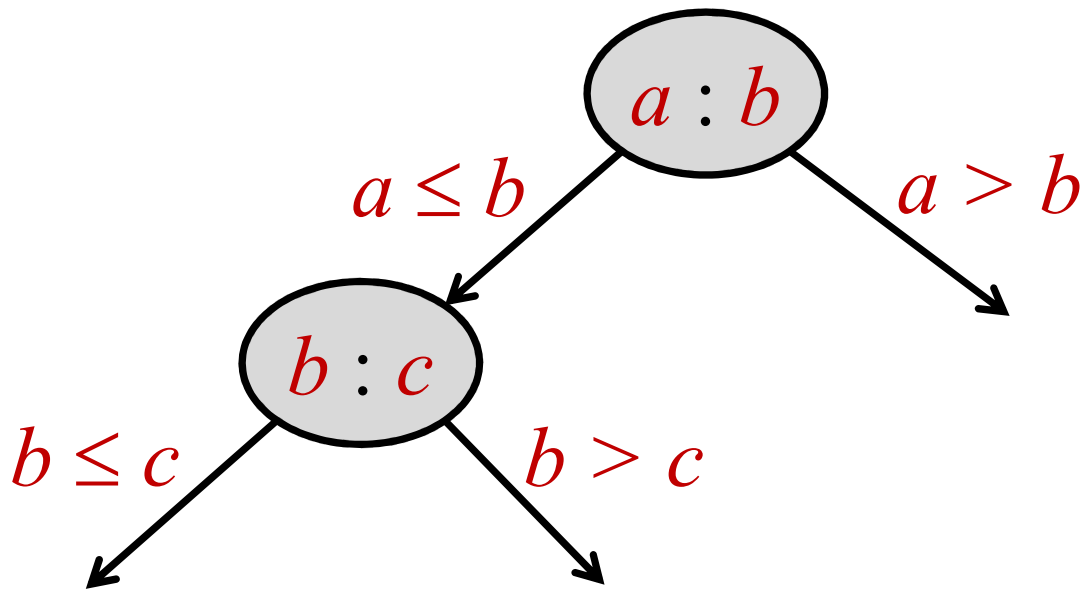
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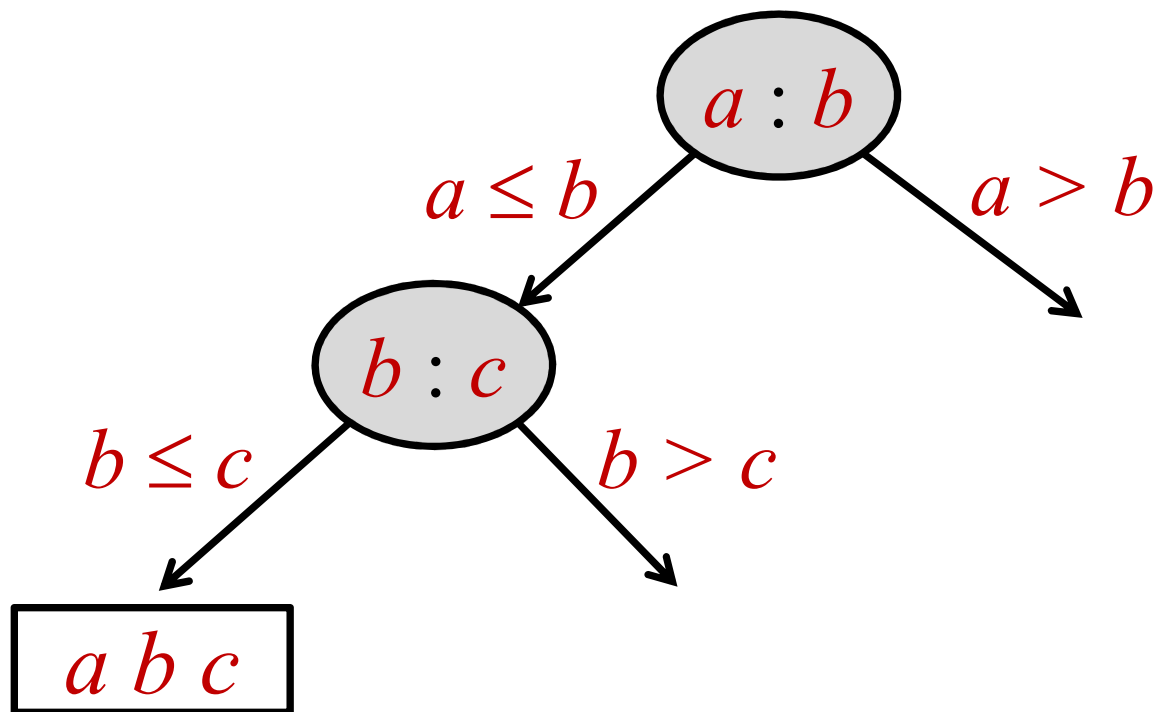
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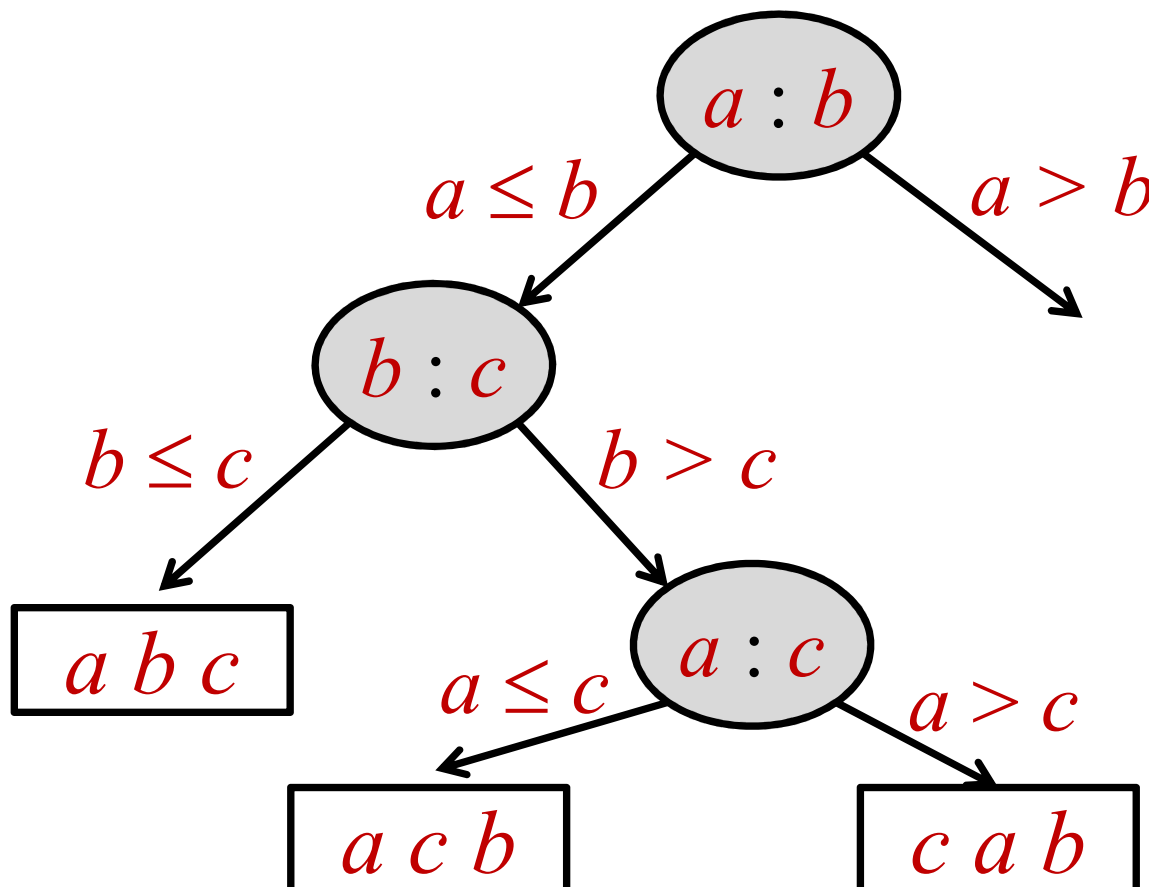
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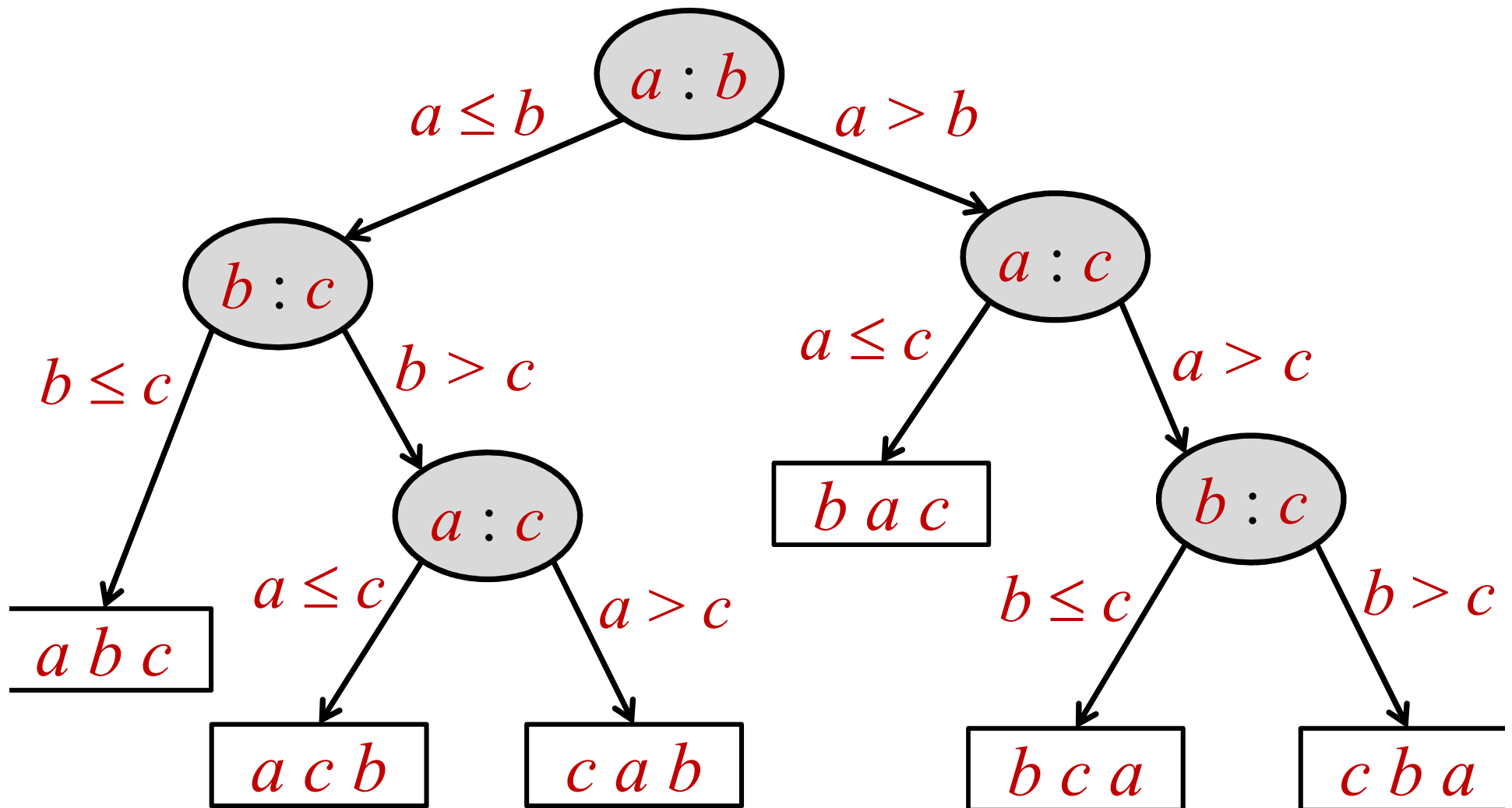
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- Step 4: if $(a < b)$ and $(b > c)$ then compare a and c



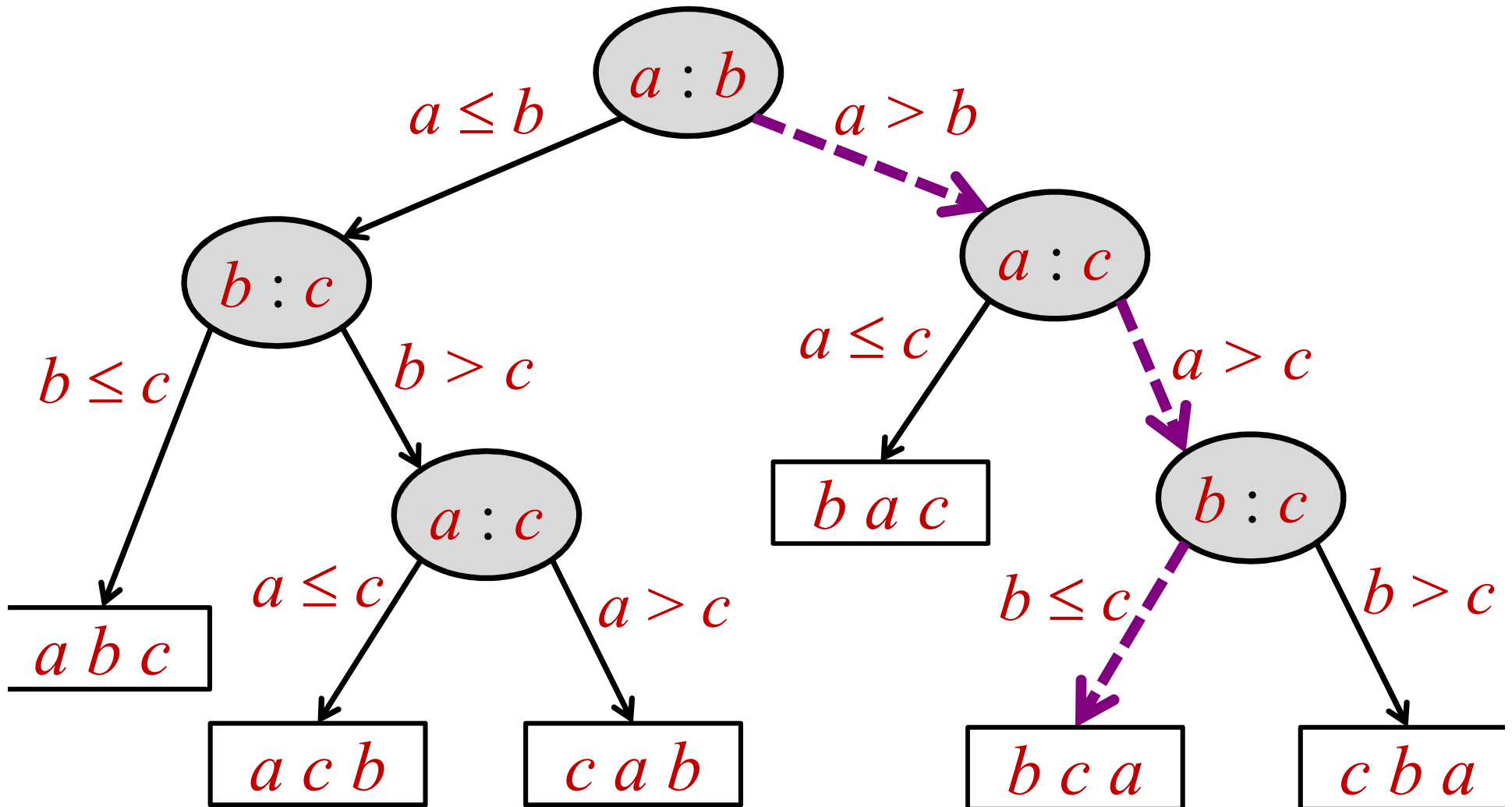
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Algorithm as a Decision-Tree

Consider sorting: $\{a=9, b=2, c=6\}$



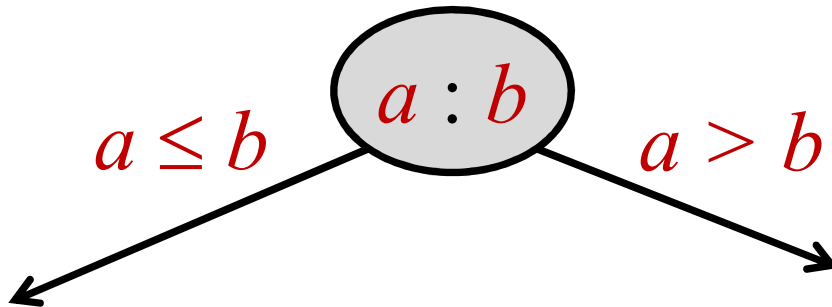
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A comparison-sort consists of:

A tree where:

Each node specifies two elements to compare.

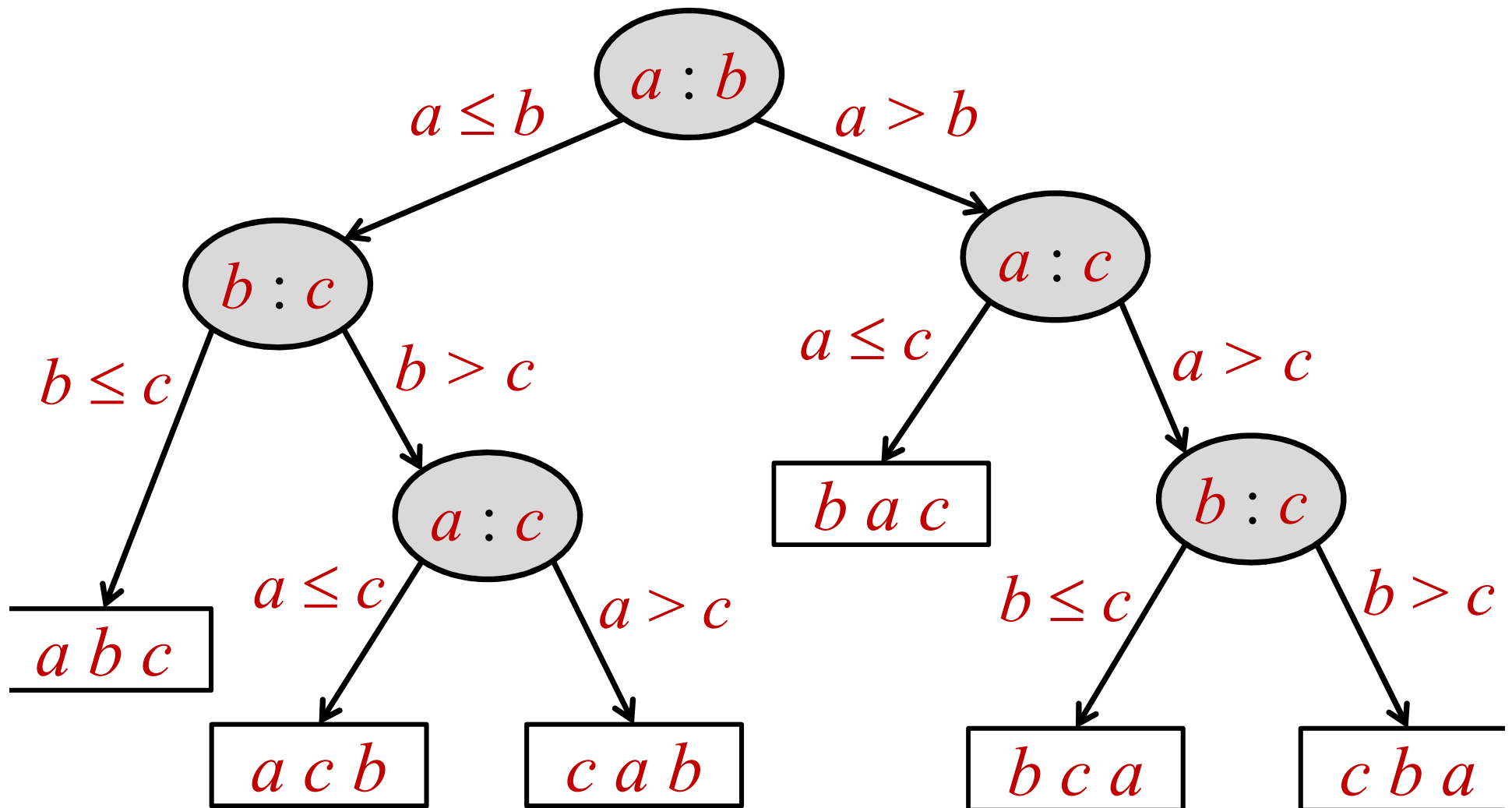
Each edge indicates which element is larger.



Every comparison-sort can be expressed this way.

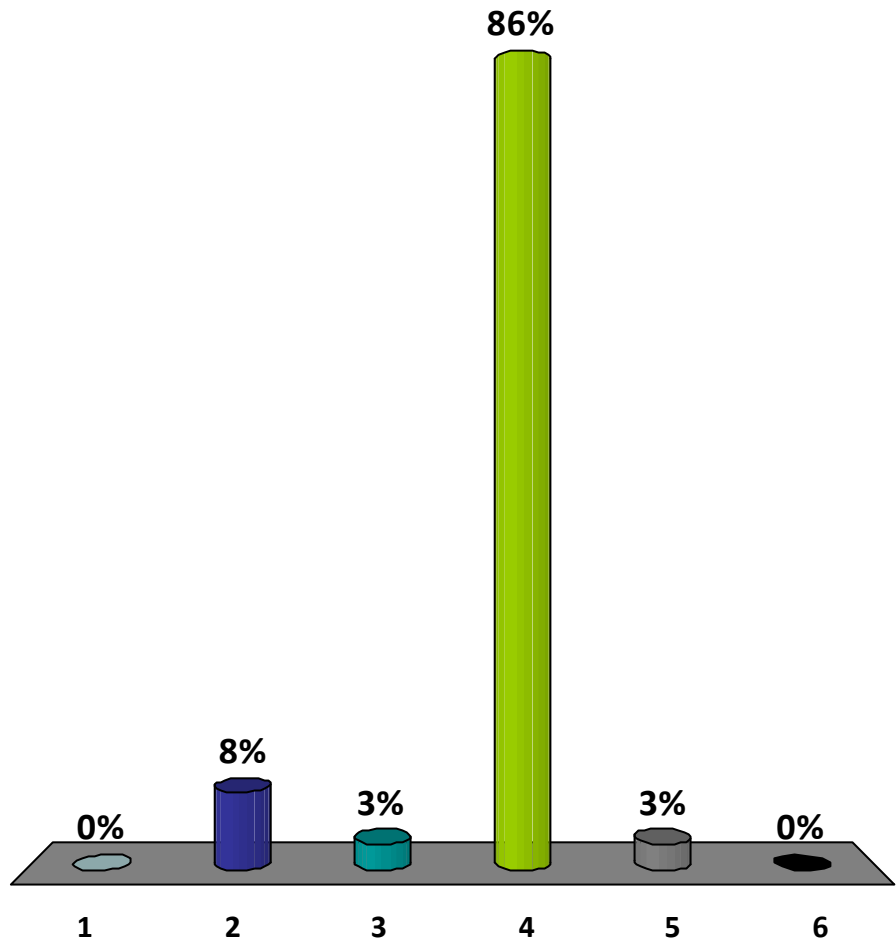
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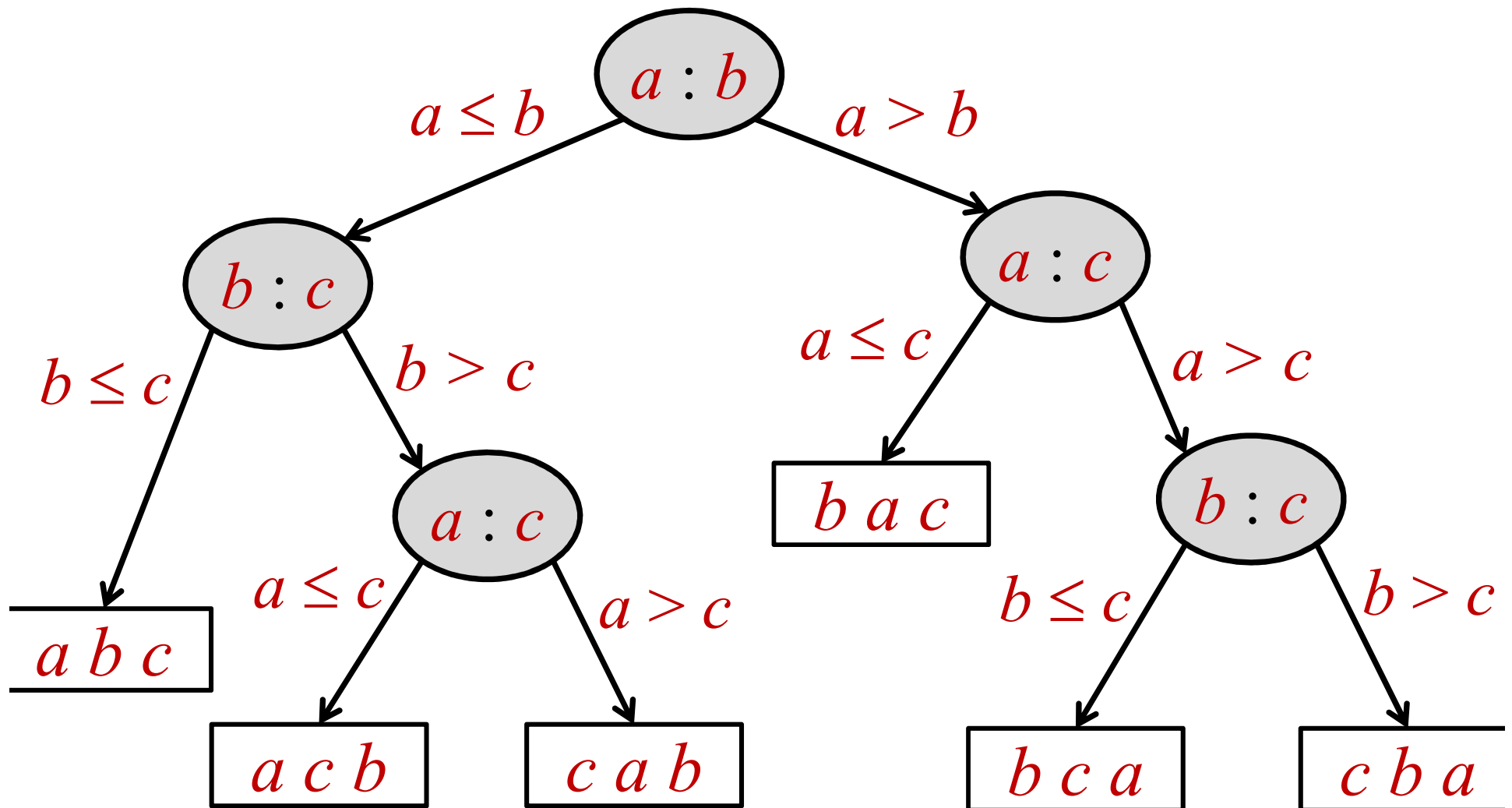
How many leaves are there in the *comparison-tree* for sorting $\{a, b, c, d, e\}$?

1. 5
2. 20
3. 60
- ✓ 4. 120
5. 256
6. 1024



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Algorithm as a Decision-Tree

Sorting 5 elements: $\{a, b, c, d, e\}$

- Outputs: Every possible permutation!

a b c d e

a b c e d

a b d c e

a b d e c

a b e c d

a b e d c

...

- Number of permutations: $n! = 5*4*3*2*1 = 120$

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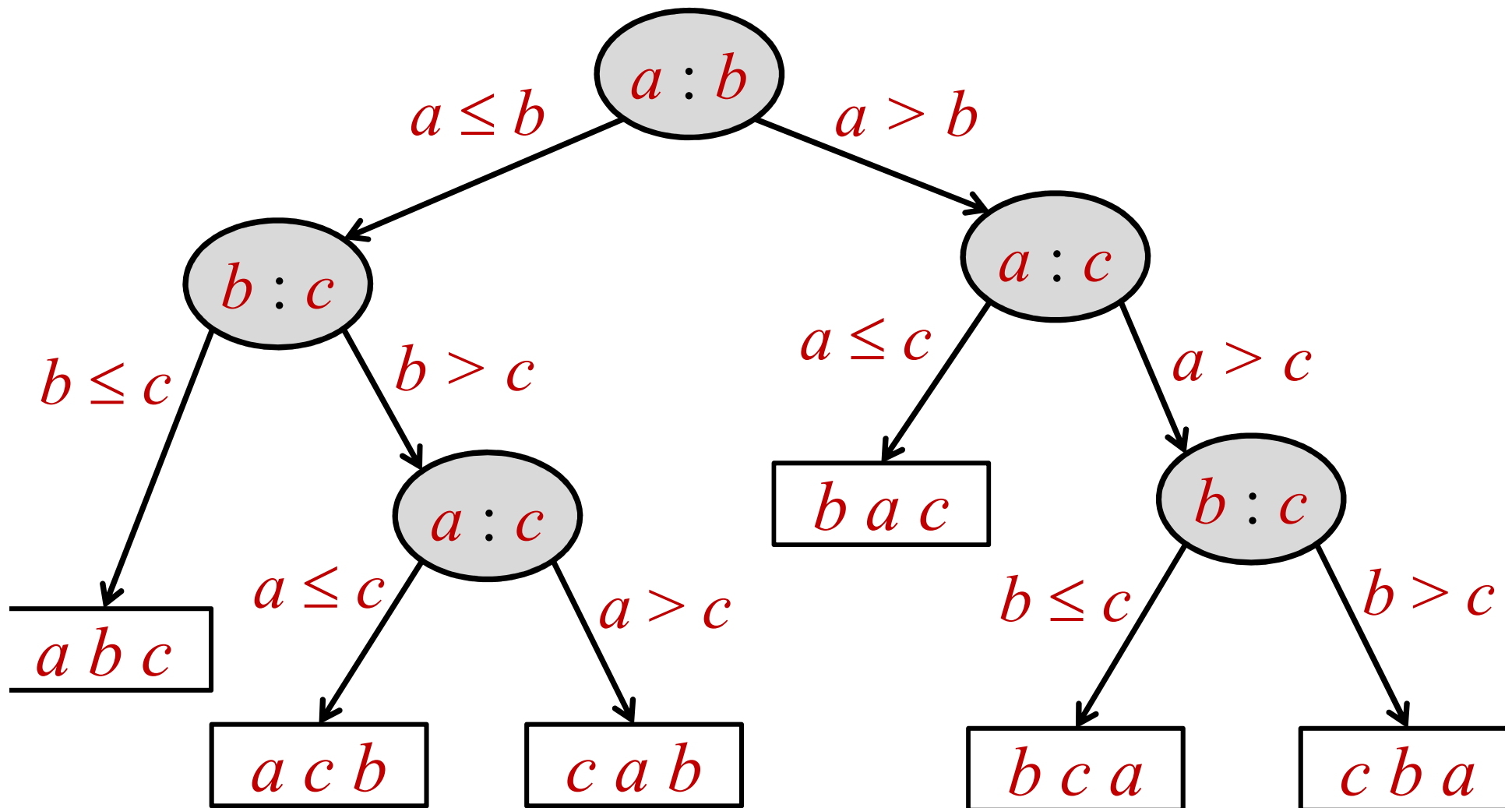
Running time of an algorithm:

- How many comparisons to get from root to leaf?
- Time = height of tree.

Key question: how high is a tree with $n!$ leaves?

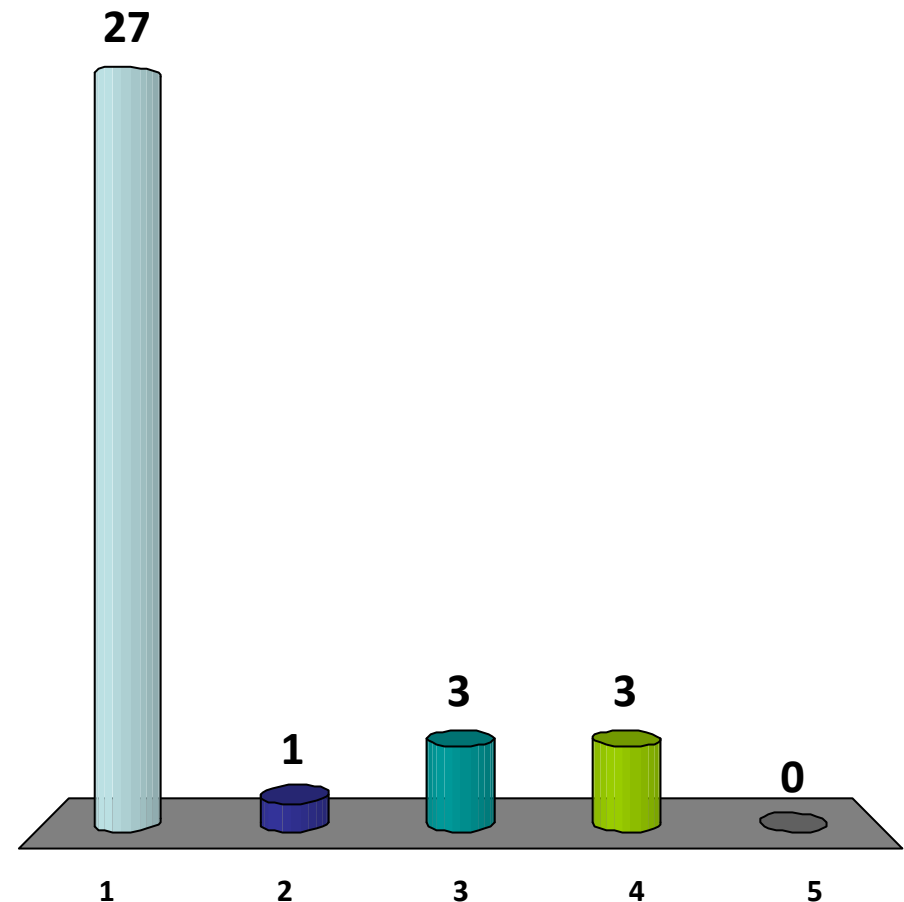
Algorithm as a Decision-Tree

Consider sorting: $\{a, b, c\}$



If a tree has n leaves, what is the minimum height?

- ✓ 1. $\log(n)$
- 2. $2\log(n)$
- 3. $\log^2(n)$
- 4. n
- 5. $n \log n$



Algorithm as a Decision-Tree

A tree with height h has $\leq 2^h$ leaves

A tree with n leaves has:

$$h \geq \log(n)$$

| Height | Number of Leaves |
|--------|------------------|
| 0 | 1 |
| 1 | ≤ 2 |
| 2 | ≤ 4 |
| 3 | ≤ 8 |
| ... | ... |
| h | $\leq 2^h$ |

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Conclusion: Every comparison sort has running time $\geq \log(n!)$.

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Stirling's Approximation:

$$n! \approx \sqrt{2\pi \cdot n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n > \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n$$

$$\begin{aligned} \log(n!) &> \log[(n/e)^n] \\ &\geq n \log(n/e) \\ &= \Omega(n \log n) \end{aligned}$$

How many comparisons to sort?

Theorem: Sorting 5 elements requires 7 comparisons!

Proof:

- If algorithm A is a comparison sort, the sorting tree for A has $5! = 120$ leaves.
- A tree of height 6 has at most $2^6=64$ leaves.
- Thus the sorting tree must be of height at least 7.
- Thus algorithm A has running time at least 7.

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- Thus the running time of A is $\Omega(n \log n)$.

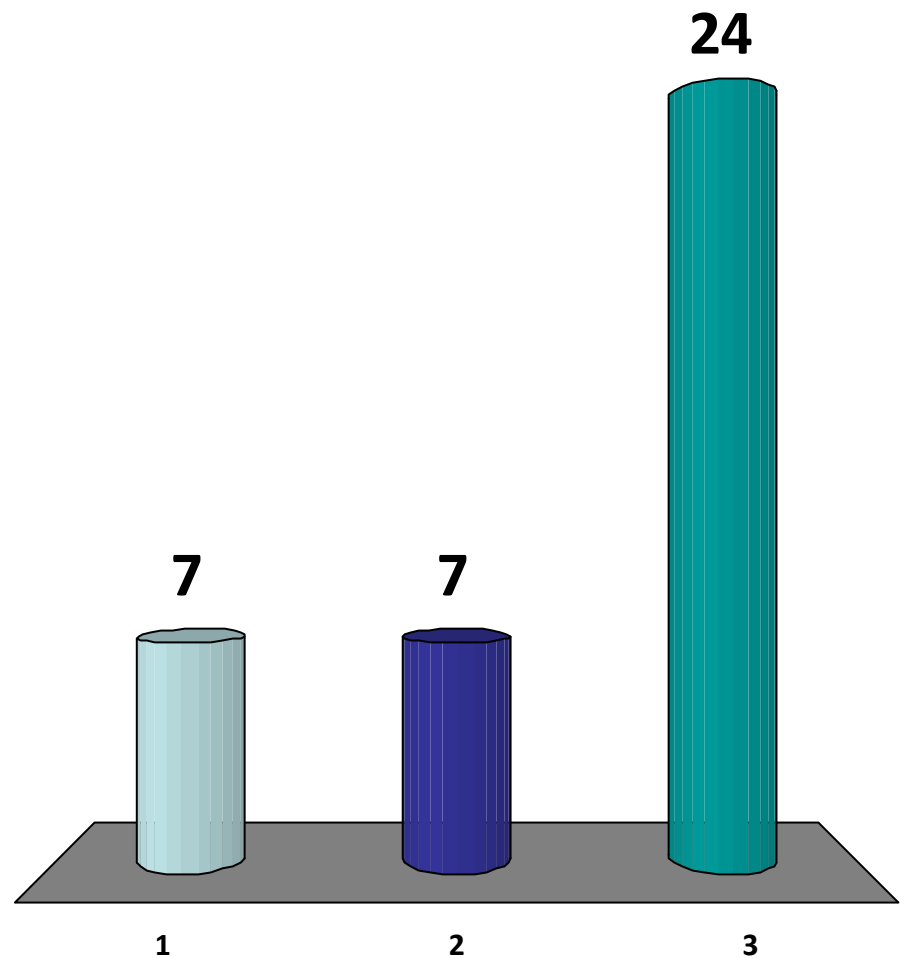
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Corollary: HeapSort and MergeSort are asymptotically optimal comparison sorts.

Have we shown that QuickSort is asymptotically optimal?

1. Yes
2. No
3. Maybe, it depends on the choice of pivot.



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What about randomized algorithms, i.e., QuickSort?

- We have assumed the algorithm can be represented as a binary tree.
- How do we represent random choices?
- You **can** adapt the decision-tree argument for randomized algorithms.
- More advanced, not in this class.

Summary

Comparison Sorting Algorithms

- Examples: MergeSort, Heapsort, InsertionSort, DQuickSort
- For objects that implement Comparable interface.
- Every comparison sort requires time $\Omega(n \log n)$.
- MergeSort, HeapSort, and DQuickSort are asymptotically optimal.

Can we do faster non-comparison sorts?

Faster Sorting Algorithms

Counting Sort:

- Linear time, lots of space

Radix Sort:

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Integer Sorts:

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- Efficient space
- Complicated and mostly theoretical

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Counting Sort

Key properties:

- Only for sorting integers.
- Assume that all the integers in the input are in the range: $[1, k]$
- No comparisons!

Counting Sort

Input: $A[1..n]$ where $A[j] \in \{1, 2, \dots, k\}$

Output: $B[1..n]$, sorted

Extra space: $C[1..k]$, initially $C[j] = 0$

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A =

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 3 |
|---|---|---|---|---|

C =

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
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Example: (j=5)

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| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 3 |
|---|---|---|---|---|

C =

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | |

Counting Sort

Step 2: Accumulating

```
for (j=1; j<=k; j++) {  
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}
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Goal: $C[j] = \#(\text{keys} \leq j)$

Counting Sort

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| | | | | |
|-----|---|---|---|---|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| C = | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 |

Counting Sort

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for (j=n; j>0; j--) {  
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Goal: Copy each input in *A* to output in *B*.

Note: Also copy auxiliary data.

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A

=

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| | | | | |
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Example: (j=4)

| | | | | |
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| | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 |

A =

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Example: (j=2)

| | | | | |
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| | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 |

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| | | | | |
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| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| C = | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 |

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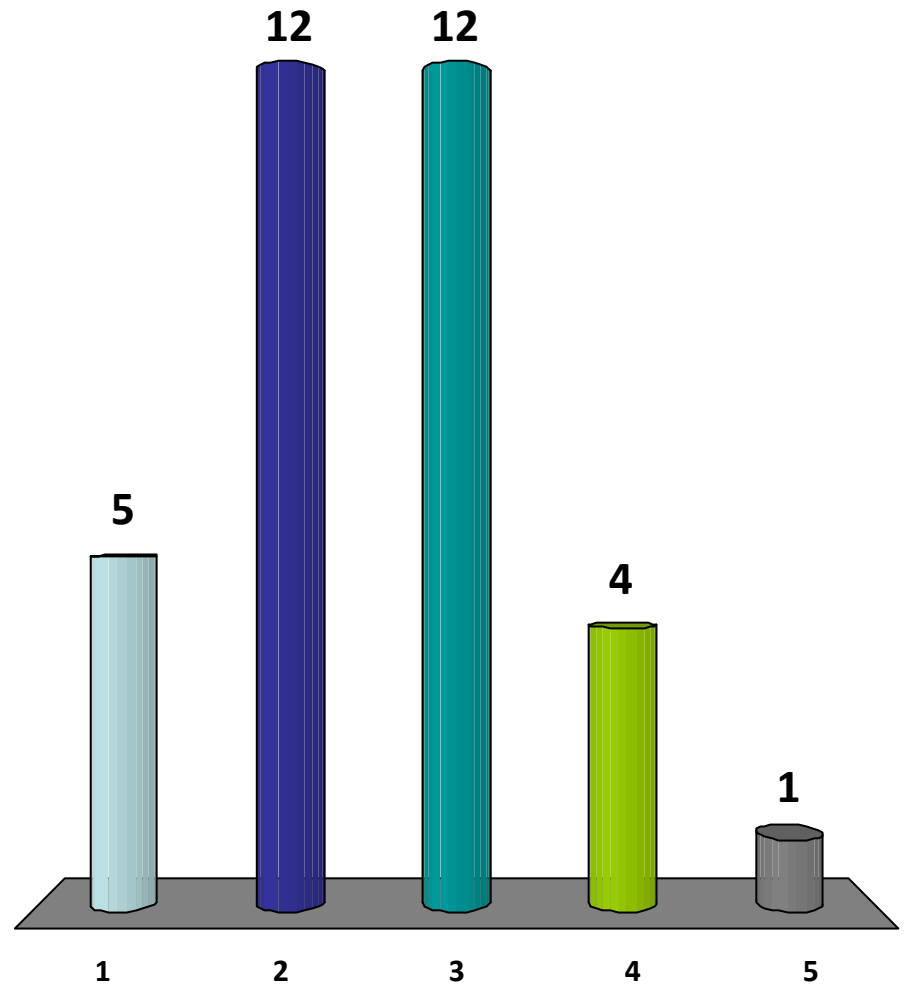
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Counting Sort

```
Counting-Sort(A, B, n, k)
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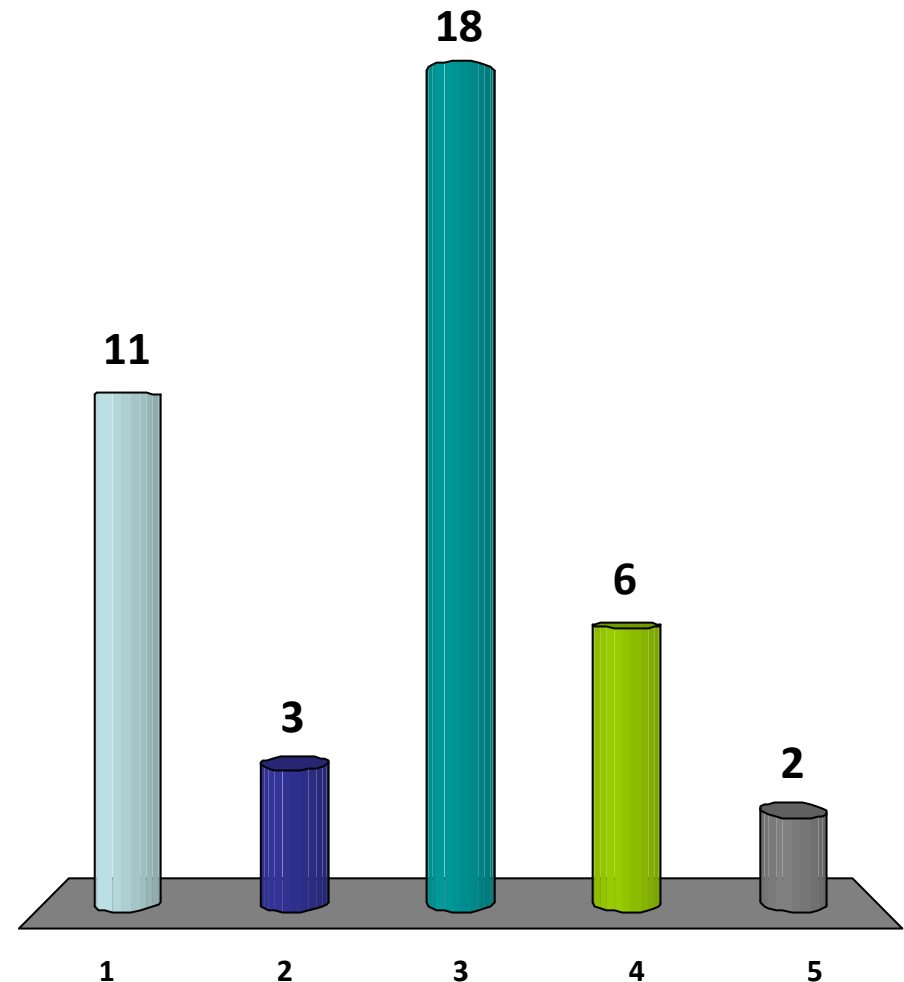
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1. $O(k)$
2. $O(n)$
- ✓ 3. $O(n + k)$
4. $O(nk)$
5. $O(n \log k)$



What is the space usage of Counting Sort?

- ✓ 1. $O(k)$
- 2. $O(n)$
- 3. $O(n + k)$
- 4. $O(nk)$
- 5. $O(n \log k)$



Notes on Counting Sort

Counting Sort is *good* when: ($k \cong n$)

- Time: $O(n)$
- Space: $O(n)$

Counting Sort is *bad* when: ($k \gg n$)

- For example: sort a set of 32-bit words?
- No! Space required: $2^{32} > 4$ billion

Auxiliary Data

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[key, data]

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| 32 | Sam |
| 18 | Mary |
| 19 | Bob |

John precedes Mary.

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[key, data]

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Stability

We say that a sorting algorithm is stable if:

- Assume $[k_1, data_1]$ precedes $[k_2, data_2]$ in the input.
- Assume $k_1 = k_2$.
- Then: $[k_1, data_1]$ precedes $[k_2, data_2]$ in the output.

A stable algorithms does not change the order of data with equivalent keys.

Stability

Counting Sort is stable

- When copying data from input to output, it moves from right to left.
- At the same time, it decrements the location count in C.
- Therefore, keys stay in the same order.

Stability

Exercise:

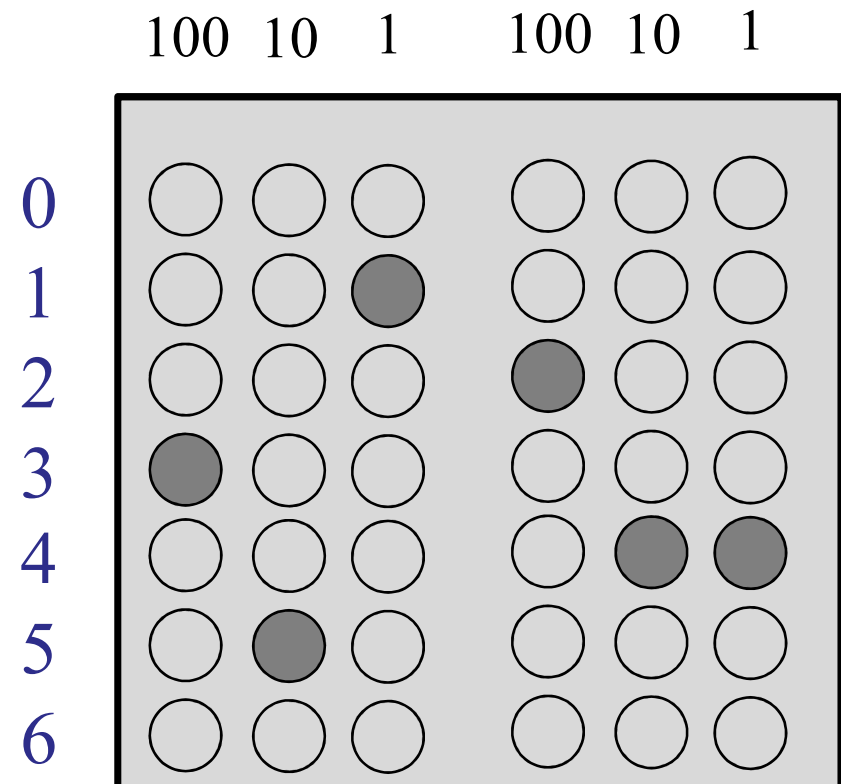
- Is InsertionSort stable?
- Is QuickSort stable?

Radix Sort

Digit-by-digit sorting:

- Originated at IBM
- Large numbers of punch-cards to sort
- Each pass through the machine can sort by only one digit.

$$\begin{array}{r} 351 \\ 244 \end{array} =$$



Radix Sort

Example: 3 2 9

4 5 7

6 5 7

8 3 9

4 3 6

7 2 0

3 5 5

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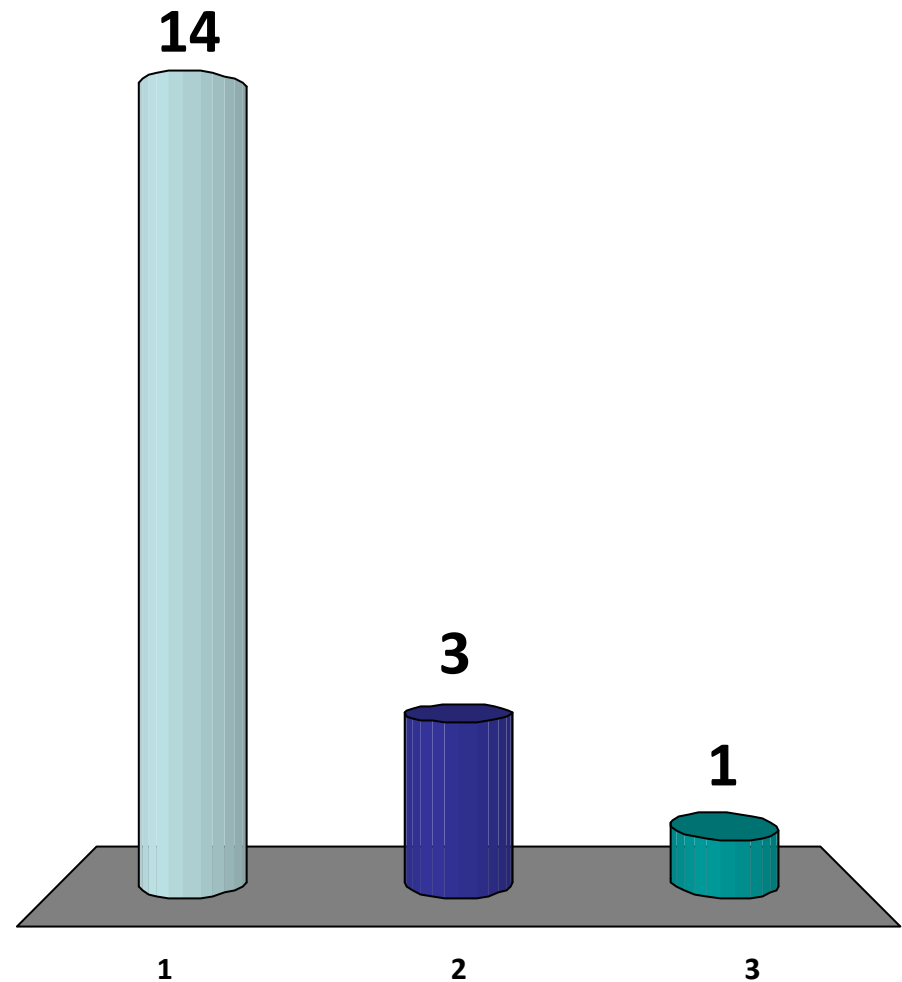
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3 5 5

Which to sort first: least significant bit?
most significant bit?
doesn't matter?

Sort by:

1. Most significant bit
- ✓ 2. Least significant bit
3. Does not matter.



Radix Sort: MSB first

| | | |
|----------|-------|-------|
| Example: | 3 5 5 | 3 5 5 |
| | 4 5 7 | 3 2 9 |
| | 6 5 7 | 4 5 7 |
| | 8 3 9 | 4 3 6 |
| | 4 3 6 | 6 5 7 |
| | 7 2 0 | 7 2 0 |
| | 3 2 9 | 8 3 9 |

Problem: have to sort each pile separately for next column.

Radix Sort: LSB first

| | | |
|----------|-------|-------|
| Example: | 3 5 5 | 7 2 0 |
| | 4 5 7 | 3 5 5 |
| | 6 5 7 | 4 3 6 |
| | 8 3 9 | 4 5 7 |
| | 4 3 6 | 6 5 7 |
| | 7 2 0 | 8 3 9 |
| | 3 2 9 | 3 2 9 |

First sort 1's column....

Radix Sort: LSB first

| | | | |
|----------|-------|-------|-------|
| Example: | 3 5 5 | 7 2 0 | 7 2 0 |
| | 4 5 7 | 3 5 5 | 3 2 9 |
| | 6 5 7 | 4 3 6 | 4 3 6 |
| | 8 3 9 | 4 5 7 | 8 3 9 |
| | 4 3 6 | 6 5 7 | 3 5 5 |
| | 7 2 0 | 8 3 9 | 4 5 7 |
| | 3 2 9 | 3 2 9 | 6 5 7 |

Next sort 10's column....

Radix Sort: LSB first

| | | | | |
|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Example: | 3 5 5 | 7 2 0 | 7 2 0 | 3 2 9 |
| | 4 5 7 | 3 5 5 | 3 2 9 | 3 5 5 |
| | 6 5 7 | 4 3 6 | 4 3 6 | 4 3 6 |
| | 8 3 9 | 4 5 7 | 8 3 9 | 4 5 7 |
| | 4 3 6 | 6 5 7 | 3 5 5 | 6 5 7 |
| | 7 2 0 | 8 3 9 | 4 5 7 | 7 2 0 |
| | 3 2 9 | 3 2 9 | 6 5 7 | 8 3 9 |

Last sort 100's column....

Radix Sort: LSB first

| | | | | |
|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Example: | 3 5 5 | 7 2 0 | 7 2 0 | 3 2 9 |
| | 4 5 7 | 3 5 5 | 3 2 9 | 3 5 5 |
| | 6 5 7 | 4 3 6 | 4 3 6 | 4 3 6 |
| | 8 3 9 | 4 5 7 | 8 3 9 | 4 5 7 |
| | 4 3 6 | 6 5 7 | 3 5 5 | 6 5 7 |
| | 7 2 0 | 8 3 9 | 4 5 7 | 7 2 0 |
| | 3 2 9 | 3 2 9 | 6 5 7 | 8 3 9 |

Key property: use *stable* sort for each column.

Radix Sort

Why does it work?

- If 2 elements differ on most significant column t , then:
 1. Prior to digit t , doesn't matter.
 2. At digit t , they are put in the right order.
 3. After digit t , all higher-order digits are the same and since the sort is stable, they stay in the same order.

Radix Sort

Analysis:

- Use Counting Sort for each column.
- Sort n words of b bits each.
- Each digit has r bits.
- Each word has b/r digits.

Running time: $O\left(\frac{b}{r}(n + 2^r)\right)$

- b/r digits
- For each digit: $O(n + 2^r)$

Radix Sort

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Radix Sort

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Space usage: $O(2^r)$

Example: Sorting n 32-bit words

| | Time | Space |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Counting Sort | $O(n + 2^{32})$ | 2^{32} words |
| Radix Sort 4 digits, 8 bits each | $O(4(n+256))$ | 256 words |

Faster Sorting Algorithms

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- Efficient space
- Complicated and mostly theoretical

Quiz Basics

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Basics:

- In class Friday (100 minutes).
- Open book (bring notes, textbook, etc.)
- Covers material through today.

Quiz Basics

Five questions:

1. Recurrences and Asymptotic Analysis
2. Multiple Choice
3. Java
4. Algorithms
5. Algorithms

Quiz Basics

Recurrences:

- Know the basic recurrences that we see over and over again.
- Know how to determine asymptotic running time from a recurrence.
- See Discussion Group 1 for examples

Asymptotics: big-O notation

- How to use it.
- What it means.

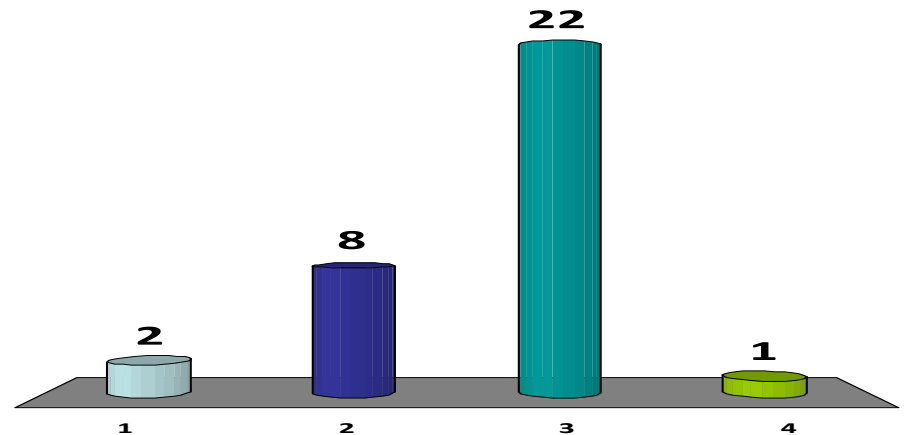
Quiz Basics

Multiple Choice Questions

- Understand how algorithms work
- Properties of algorithms / data structures
- Invariants

Which of the following is a defining property of a (2,3,4)-tree?

1. Every red node has only black nodes for children.
2. The height of a node's children differ by at most 1.
- ✓ 3. Every leaf is at the same height.
4. Every node contains at least 4 keys.

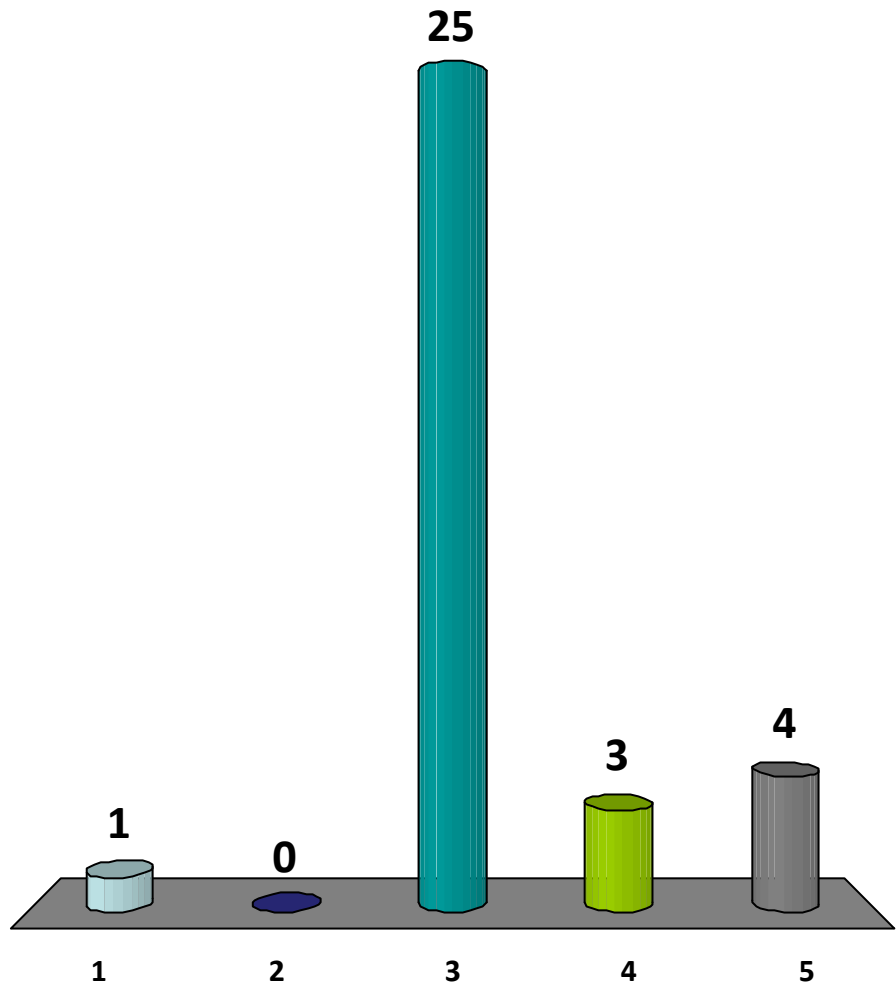


Which of the following is a good invariant for binary search for key k at node x ?

1. $\min(x.\text{left}) < k < \max(x.\text{right})$ 4
2. $\min(x.\text{left}) \leq k \leq \max(x.\text{right})$ 7
3. $\text{pred}(x) < k < \text{succ}(x)$ 13
- ✓ 4. $\text{pred}(\min(x.\text{left})) < k < \text{succ}(\max(x.\text{right}))$ 3
5. $\text{pred}(\min(x.\text{left})) \leq k \leq \text{succ}(\max(x.\text{right}))$ 2

Which of the following best characterizes the depth of a balanced binary search tree?

- 1. $< \log(n) / 2$
- 2. $< \log(n/2)$
- 3. $< \log(n)$
- 4. $< \log(2n)$
- ✓ 5. $< 2\log(n)$



Quiz Basics

Java Question

- Understand Java syntax / semantics
- Be able to read Java code and determine what it does.
- Basic object-oriented design (as in DG 1)
 - Abstract Data Types and encapsulation
- Classes and interfaces
- Inheritance
 - extend class
 - implement interfaces
- Exception-handling (as in Recitation 1)

Quiz Basics

Algorithms Questions (2)

Sorting algorithms:

1. InsertionSort
2. MergeSort
3. HeapSort
4. QuickSort (with simple pivot and randomized pivot)
5. Counting Sort
6. Radix Sort (basic idea, but not details)

Quiz Basics

Algorithms Questions (2)

Divide-and-Conquer techniques:

1. Binary search
2. Peak finding
3. MergeSort
4. QuickSort
5. Randomized Select

Quiz Basics

Algorithms Questions (2)

Search Trees:

1. Basic binary search trees

- In-order-traversal
- Search / Insert / Delete

2. AVL trees

- Height-balance
- Rotations

3. B-trees

- Search / Insert / node-split (but not delete)

Quiz Basics

Algorithms Questions (2)

Other topics:

1. Heaps

- Constructing
- Inserting / Deleting
- ExtractMax

2. Priority Queues

3. Stacks & Queues (as examples of abstract data types)

3. Randomized Select

Quiz Summary

Remember:

- Don't stress too much!
- The quiz is not designed to be a killer, brutal, miserable experience. It should be fun.
- It is designed to test whether you have been paying attention.
- If you do well on the in-class clicker-questions, you should do well on the quiz!
- Goal: everyone gets a perfect score!

But: learn the material!