

## Amortized Cost

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Stack

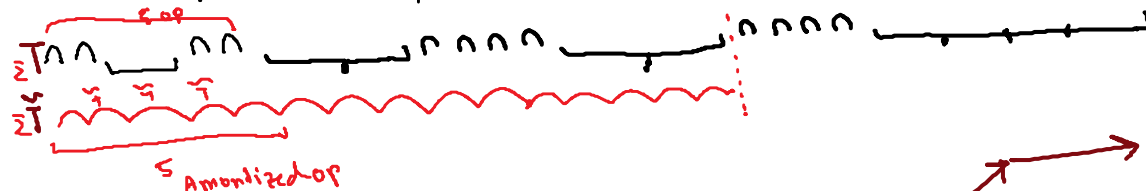
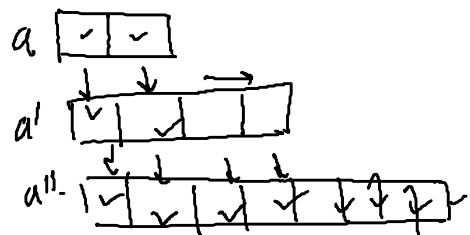
1. push()



push(x)

if  $n = a.size$  $a' = \text{new arr}[2 \times n]$  $a'[0 \dots n-1] = a[0 \dots n-1]$  $a = a'$  $a[n++] = x;$ Worst case  $O(n)$  $O(1)$ 

usually this thing



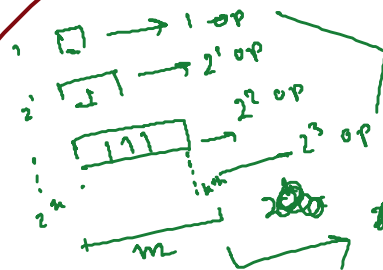
$$\sum T(5 \text{ real op}) \leq \sum \tilde{T}(\text{5 amortized})$$

• Push Operation:

$$\tilde{T}(\text{push}) = O(1) \Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^m T(\text{push}_i) \leq c \cdot m$$

Native Proof:-

$$\sum T(O_i) = m +$$



$$\sum_{i=1}^m 2^{i-1} = 2^m - 1$$

$$m \geq 2^k \Rightarrow 2^{k+1} \leq 2m$$

push(x)  
if  $n = a.size$   
 $a' = \text{new arr}[2 \times n]$   
 $a'[0 \dots n-1] = a[0 \dots n-1]$   
 $a = a'$   
 $a[n++] = x;$

m elements are pushed  
 $O(1) \rightarrow$  This has to be done anyway  
 $\Rightarrow m \cdot O(1)$

$$\sum T(O_i) \leq 3m \Rightarrow \tilde{T}(O_i) \leq c = 3$$

op  $\rightarrow$  operation

Amortized Analysis:-

 $T(op) \rightarrow$  real time $\tilde{T}(op) \rightarrow$  Amort Time  
kind of average
 $O_1, O_2, O_3, O_4, \dots, O_m$   
m-operation

$$\sum T(O_i) \leq \sum_{i=1}^m \tilde{T}(O_i)$$

upper bound

Potential Method (Universal)

$\phi()$  → state of current DS (How bad your DS is)

$\phi_0, \phi_1, \phi_2, \phi_3, \phi_4, \dots, \phi_m$   
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Say,  $\phi_0 = 0$  and  $\phi() \leq 0$  (Negative)

$$\tilde{T} = T + \Delta\phi \quad (\phi_{i+1} - \phi_i)$$

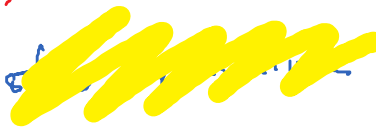
$$\Sigma \tilde{T} = \Sigma T + \Sigma \Delta\phi = \Sigma T + (\phi_m - \phi_0) = \Sigma T + \phi(m)$$

$\Downarrow$  no ~~extra~~

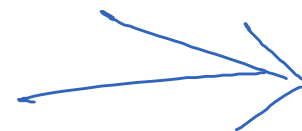
Good DS → means ( $\tilde{T} = T$ )

How to find  $\phi()$ ?

→ Let's look at the



Real Time is  $T_1 = n$  for copying  
 So we want  $\tilde{T}_1 \approx T_1$   
 $\therefore \Delta\phi \approx -n$



$T = n$  Time taken  
 $\Delta\phi = -n$  And decrease potential by

$$\hookrightarrow \phi(\tilde{T}) = 1$$

To find  $\phi()$  we need to look at the state of the DS.   
 Surprisingly, we can find  $\phi()$  by looking at the state of the DS.   
 here  $\phi()$  is the state of the DS.   
 i.e. decreasing in later version

$\phi()$  & #elements in the right half  $\phi = -n/2$

and, we know,

$$\phi_2 - \phi_1 = n$$

$$\rightarrow \phi() = 2^{-x} (\text{\# elements in the right half})$$

Slightly Intuitive Technique  
Counting Method

Aggregate Technique

$$O(\Sigma \text{cheap} + \Sigma \text{Exp})$$

$$\tilde{T} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

(Banking)

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Total Time

#op	#op															
cost	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		X		X				X								
		2		4		1	1	1	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
$O(2n) \rightarrow \text{per op } O(1) \leftarrow \text{Amount}$																
																$T_i$