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# Solutions Manual for A Practical Introduction to Data Structures and Algorithm Analysis

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### **Preface**

Contained herein are the solutions to all exercises from the textbook A Practical Introduction to Data Structures and Algorithm Analysis, 2nd edition.

For most of the problems requiring an algorithm I have given actual code. In a few cases I have presented pseudocode. Please be aware that the code presented in this manual has not actually been compiled and tested. While I believe the algorithms to be essentially correct, there may be errors in syntax as well as semantics. Most importantly, these solutions provide a guide to the instructor as to the intended answer, rather than usable programs.





## **Data Structures and Algorithms**

Instructor's note: Unlike the other chapters, many of the questions in this chapter are not really suitable for graded work. The questions are mainly intended to get students thinking about data structures issues.

- **1.1** This question does not have a specific right answer, provided the student keeps to the spirit of the question. Students may have trouble with the concept of "operations."
- 1.2 This exercise asks the student to expand on their concept of an integer representation. A good answer is described by Project 4.5, where a singly-linked list is suggested. The most straightforward implementation stores each digit in its own list node, with digits stored in reverse order. Addition and multiplication are implemented by what amounts to grade-school arithmetic. For addition, simply march down in parallel through the two lists representing the operands, at each digit appending to a new list the appropriate partial sum and bringing forward a carry bit as necessary. For multiplication, combine the addition function with a new function that multiplies a single digit by an integer. Exponentiation can be done either by repeated multiplication (not really practical) or by the traditional  $\Theta(\log n)$ -time algorithm based on the binary representation of the exponent. Discovering this faster algorithm will be beyond the reach of most students, so should not be required.
- 1.3 A sample ADT for character strings might look as follows (with the normal interpretation of the function names assumed).

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```
// Concatenate two strings
String strcat(String s1, String s2);
// Return the length of a string
int length(String s1);
// Extract a substring, starting at 'start',
// and of length 'length'
String extract(String s1, int start, int length)
// Get the first character
char first(String s1);
// Compare two strings: the normal C++ strcmp func-
tion. Some
// convention should be indicated for how to inter-
pret the
// return value. In C++, this is
1 for s1<s2; 0 for s1=s2;
// and 1 for s1>s2.
int strcmp(String s1, String s2
// Copy a string
int strcpy(String source) String destination)
```

- **1.4** The answer to this question is provided by the ADT for lists given in Chapter 4.
- 1.5 One's compliment stores the binary representation of positive numbers, and stores the binary representation of a negative number with the bits inverted. Two's compliment is the same, except that a negative number has its bits inverted and then one is added (for reasons of efficiency in hardware implementation). This representation is the physical implementation of an ADT defined by the normal arithmetic operations, declarations, and other support given by the programming language for integers.
- **1.6** An ADT for two-dimensional arrays might look as follows.

```
Matrix add(Matrix M1, Matrix M2);
Matrix multiply(Matrix M1, Matrix M2);
Matrix transpose(Matrix M1);
void setvalue(Matrix M1, int row, int col, int val);
int getvalue(Matrix M1, int row, int col);
List getrow(Matrix M1, int row);
```

One implementation for the sparse matrix is described in Section 12.3 Another implementation is a hash table whose search key is a concatenation of the matrix coordinates.

- 1.7 Every problem certainly does not have an algorithm. As discussed in Chapter 15, there are a number of reasons why this might be the case. Some problems don't have a sufficiently clear definition. Some problems, such as the halting problem, are non-computable. For some problems, such as one typically studied by artificial intelligence researchers, we simply don't know a solution.
- 1.8 We must assume that by "algorithm" we mean something composed of steps are of a nature that they can be performed by a computer. If so, than any algorithm can be expressed in C++. In particular, if an algorithm can be expressed in any other computer programming language, then it can be expressed in C++, since all (sufficiently general) computer programming languages compute the same set of functions.
- **1.9** The primitive operations are (1) adding new words to the dictionary and (2) searching the dictionary for a given word. Typically, dictionary access involves some sort of pre-processing of the word to arrive at the "root" of the word.
  - A twenty page document (single spaced) is likely to contain about 20,000 words. A user may be willing to wait a few seconds between individual "hits" of mis-spelled words, or perhaps up to a minute for the whole document to be processed. This means that a check for an individual word can take about 10-20 ms. Users will typically insert individual words into the dictionary interactively, so this process can take a couple of seconds. Thus, search must be much more efficient than insertion.
- **1.10** The user should be able to find a city based on a variety of attributes (name, location, perhaps characteristics such as population size). The user should also be able to insert and delete cities. These are the fundamental operations of any database system: search, insertion and deletion.
  - A reasonable database has a time constraint that will satisfy the patience of a typical user. For an insert, delete, or exact match query, a few seconds is satisfactory. If the database is meant to support range queries and mass deletions, the entire operation may be allowed to take longer, perhaps on the order of a minute. However, the time spent to process individual cities within the range must be appropriately reduced. In practice, the data representation will need to be such that it accommodates efficient processing to meet these time constraints. In particular, it may be necessary to support operations that process range queries efficiently by processing all cities in the range as a batch, rather than as a series of operations on individual cities.
- **1.11** Students at this level are likely already familiar with binary search. Thus, they should typically respond with sequential search and binary search. Binary search should be described as better since it typically needs to make fewer comparisons (and thus is likely to be much faster).
- **1.12** The answer to this question is discussed in Chapter 8. Typical measures of cost will be number of comparisons and number of swaps. Tests should include running timings on sorted, reverse sorted, and random lists of various sizes.

**1.13** The first part is easy with the hint, but the second part is rather difficult to do without a stack.

```
a) bool checkstring(string S) {
    int count = 0;
    for (int i=0; i<length(S); i++)</pre>
      if (S[i] == '(') count++;
      if (S[i] == ')') {
        if (count == 0) return FALSE;
         count--;
      }
    if (count == 0) return TRUE;
    else return FALSE;
b) int checkstring(String Str)
    Stack S;
    int count = 0;
    for (int i=0; i<length(S);
      if (S[i] == '(')
         S.push(i);
      if (S[i] == ')') {
        if (S.isEmpty()) return i;
         S.pop();
    if (S.isEmpty()) return -1;
    else return S.pop();
```

- **1.14** Answers to this question are discussed in Section 7.2.
- 1.15 This is somewhat different from writing sorting algorithms for a computer, since person's "working space" is typically limited, as is their ability to physically manipulate the pieces of paper. Nonetheless, many of the common sorting algorithms have their analogs to solutions for this problem. Most typical answers will be insertion sort, variations on mergesort, and variations on binsort.
- **1.16** Answers to this question are discussed in Chapter 8.

### **Mathematical Preliminaries**

- **2.1** (a) Not reflexive if the set has any members. One could argue it is symmetric, antisymmetric, and transitive, since no element violate any of the rules.
  - **(b)** Not reflexive (for any female). Not symmetric (consider a brother and sister). Not antisymmetric (consider two brothers). Transitive (for any 3 brothers).
  - (c) Not reflexive. Not symmetric, and is antisymmetric. Not transitive (only goes one level).
  - (d) Not reflexive (for nearly all numbers). Symmetric since a + b = b + a, so not antisymmetric. Transitive, but vacuously so (there can be no distinct a, b, and c where aRb and bRc).
  - (e) Reflexive. Symmetric, so not antisymmetric. Transitive (but sort of vacuous).
  - (f) Reflexive check all the cases. Since it is only true when x=y, it is technically symmetric and antisymmetric, but rather vacuous. Likewise, it is technically transitive, but vacuous.
- **2.2** In general, prove that something is an equivalence relation by proving that it is reflexive, symmetric, and transitive.
  - (a) This is an equivalence that effectively splits the integers into odd and even sets. It is reflexive (x + x) is even for any integer x, symmetric (since x + y = y + x) and transitive (since you are always adding two odd or even numbers for any satisfactory a, b, and c).
  - **(b)** This is not an equivalence. To begin with, it is not reflexive for any integer.
  - (c) This is an equivalence that divides the non-zero rational numbers into positive and negative. It is reflexive since  $x\dot{x} > 0$ . It is symmetric since  $x\dot{y} = y\dot{x}$ . It is transitive since any two members of the given class satisfy the relationship.

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- (d) This is not an equivalance relation since it is not symmetric. For example, a=1 and b=2.
- (e) This is an eqivalance relation that divides the rationals based on their fractional values. It is reflexive since for all a, a-a=0. It is symmetric since if a-b=x then b-a=-x. It is transitive since any two rationals with the same fractional value will yield an integer.
- (f) This is not an equivalance relation since it is not transitive. For example, 4-2=2 and 2-0=2, but 4-0=4.
- **2.3** A relation is a partial ordering if it is antisymmetric and transitive
  - (a) Not a partial ordering because it is not transitive.
  - **(b)** Is a partial ordering bacause it is antisymmetric (if *a* is an ancestor of *b*, then *b* cannot be an ancestor of *a*) and transitive (since the ancestor of an ancestor is an ancestor).
  - (c) Is a partial ordering bacause it is antisymmetric (if a is older than b, then b cannot be older than a) and transitive (since if a is older than b and b is older than c, a is older than c).
  - (d) Not a partial ordering, since it is not antisymmetric for any pair of sisters.
  - (e) Not a partial ordering because it is not antisymmetric.
  - **(f)** This is a partial ordering. It is antisymmetric (no violations exist) and transitive (no violations exist).
- **2.4** A total ordering can be viewed as a permuation of the elements. Since there are n! permuations of n elements, there must be n! total orderings.
- **2.5** This proposed ADT is inspired by the list ADT of Chapter 4.

```
void clear();
void insert(int);
void remove(int);
void sizeof();
bool isEmpty();
bool isInSet(int);
```

2.6 This proposed ADT is inspired by the list ADT of Chapter 4. Note that while it is similar to the operations proposed for Question 2.5, the behaviour is somewhat different.

```
void clear();
void insert(int);
void remove(int);
void sizeof();
```

```
bool isEmpty();
  // Return the number of elements with a given valueint
  countInBag(int);

2.7 The list class ADT from Chapter 4 is a sequence.
2.8 long ifact(int n) { // make n <= 12 so n! for long int
  long fact = 1;
  Assert((n >= 0) && (n <= 12), "Input out of range");
  for (int i=1; i<= n; i++)
    fact = fact * i;
  return fact;
}

2.9 void rpermute(int *array, int n) {
    swap(array, n-1, Random(n));
    rpermute(array, n-1);
}</pre>
```

- **2.10** (a) Most people will find the recursive form natural and easy to understand. The iterative version requires careful examination to understand what it does, or to have confidence that it works as claimed.
  - (b) Fibr is so much slower than Fibi because Fibr re-computes the bulk of the series twice to get the two values to add. What is much worse, the recursive calls to compute the subexpressions also re-compute the bulk of the series, and do so recursively. The result is an exponential explosion. In contrast, Fibi computes each value in the series exactly once, and so its running time is proportional to n.
- **2.12** At each step of the way, the reduction toward the base case is only half as far as the previous time. In theory, this series approaches, but never reaches, 0, so it will go on forever. In practice, the value should become computationally indistinguishable from zero, and terminate. However, this is terrible programming practice.

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```
2.13 void allpermute(int array[], int n, int currpos) {
    if (currpos == (n-1)) {
        printout(array);
        return;
    }
    for (int i=currpos; i<n; i++) {
        swap(array, currpos, i);
        allpermute(array, n, currpos+1);
        swap(array, currpos, i); // Put back for next pass
    }
}</pre>
```

**2.14** In the following, function bitposition(n, i) returns the value (0 or 1) at the *i*th bit position of integer value n. The idea is the print out the elements at the indicated bit positions within the set. If we do this for values in the range 0 to  $2^n - 1$ , we will get the entire powerset.

```
void powerset(int n) {
  for (int i=0; i<ipow(2, n); i++) {
    for (int j=0; j<n; j++)
      if (bitposition(n, j) == 1) cout << j << " ";
    cout << endl;
}</pre>
```

- **2.15 Proof**: Assume that there is a largest prime number. Call it  $P_n$ , the nth largest prime number, and label all of the primes in order  $P_1 = 2$ ,  $P_2 = 3$ , and so on. Now, consider the number C formed by multiplying all of the n prime numbers together. The value C+1 is not divisible by any of the n prime numbers. C+1 is a prime number larger than  $P_n$ , a contradiction. Thus, we conclude that there is no largest prime number.  $\Box$
- **2.16** Note: This problem is harder than most sophomore level students can handle. **Proof**: The proof is by contradiction. Assume that  $\sqrt{2}$  is rational. By definition, there exist integers p and q such that

$$\sqrt{2} = \frac{p}{q},$$

where p and q have no common factors (that is, the fraction p/q is in lowest terms). By squaring both sides and doing some simple algebraic manipulation, we get

$$2 = \frac{p^2}{q^2}$$
$$2q^2 = p^2$$

Since  $p^2$  must be even, p must be even. Thus,

$$2q^{2} = 4(\frac{p}{2})^{2}$$
$$q^{2} = 2(\frac{p}{2})^{2}$$

This implies that  $q^2$  is also even. Thus, p and q are both even, which contradicts the requirement that p and q have no common factors. Thus,  $\sqrt{2}$  must be irrational.

**2.17** The leftmost summation sums the integers from 1 to n. The second summation merely reverses this order, summing the numbers from n-1+1=n down to n-n+1=1. The third summation has a variable substitution of i-1 for i, with a corresponding substitution in the summation bounds. Thus, it is also the summation of n-0=n to n-(n-1)=1.

#### **2.18 Proof**:

- (a) Base case. For n=1,  $1^2=[2(1)^3+3(1)^2+1]/6=1$ . Thus, the formula is correct for the base case.
- (b) Induction Hypothesis.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} i^2 = \frac{2(n-1)^3 + 3(n-1)^2 + (n-1)}{6}.$$

(c) Induction Step.

$$\begin{split} \sum_{i=1}^{n} i^2 &= \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} i^2 + n^2 \\ &= \frac{2(n-1)^3 + 3(n-1)^2 + (n-1)}{6} + n^2 \\ &= \frac{2n^3 - 6n^2 + 6n - 2 + 3n^2 - 6n + 3 + n - 1}{6} + n^2 \\ &= \frac{2n^3 + 3n^2 + n}{6}. \end{split}$$

Thus, the theorem is proved by mathematical induction.

#### **2.19 Proof**:

- (a) Base case. For n = 1, 1/2 = 1 1/2 = 1/2. Thus, the formula is correct for the base case.
- (b) Induction Hypothesis.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{1}{2^i} = 1 - \frac{1}{2^{n-1}}.$$

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(c) Induction Step.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{1}{2^{i}} = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{1}{2^{i}} + \frac{1}{2^{n}}$$
$$= 1 - \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} + \frac{1}{2^{n}}$$
$$= 1 - \frac{1}{2^{n}}.$$

Thus, the theorem is proved by mathematical induction.

2.20 **Proof**:

- (a) Base case. For n = 0,  $2^0 = 2^1 1 = 1$ . Thus, the formula is correct for the base case.
- (b) Induction Hypothesis.

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 2^i = 2^n - 1.$$

(c) Induction Step.

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n} 2^{i} = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 2^{i} + 2^{n}$$
$$= 2^{n} - 1 + 2^{n}$$
$$= 2^{n+1} - 1.$$

Thus, the theorem is proved by mathematical induction.  $\Box$  **2.21** The closed form solution is  $\frac{3^{n+1}-3}{2}$ , which I deduced by noting that  $3F(n)-F(n)=2F(n)=3^{n+1}-3$ . Now, to verify that this is correct, use mathematical induction as follows.

For the base case,  $F(1)=3=\frac{3^2-3}{2}$ . The induction hypothesis is that  $\sum_{i=1}^{n-1}=(3^n-3)/2$ .

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} 3^{i} = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} 3^{i} + 3^{n}$$
$$= \frac{3^{n} - 3}{2} + 3^{n}$$
$$= \frac{3^{n+1} - 3}{2}.$$

Thus, the theorem is proved by mathematical induction.

**2.22 Theorem 2.1**  $\sum_{i=1}^{n} (2i) = n^2 + n$ .

- (a) **Proof**: We know from Example 2.3 that the sum of the first n odd numbers is  $n^2$ . The ith even number is simply one greater than the ith odd number. Since we are adding n such numbers, the sum must be n greater, or  $n^2 + n$ .
- (b) **Proof**: Base case: n = 1 yields  $2 = 1^2 + 1$ , which is true. Induction Hypothesis:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} 2i = (n-1)^2 + (n-1).$$

**Induction Step:** The sum of the first n even numbers is simply the sum of the first n-1 even numbers plus the nth even number.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} 2i = (\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} 2i) + 2n$$

$$= (n-1)^{2} + (n-1) + 2n$$

$$= (n^{2} - 2n + 1) + (n-1) + 2n$$

$$= n^{2} - n + 2n$$

$$= n^{2} + n.$$

Thus, by mathematical induction,  $\sum_{i=1}^{n} 2i = n^2 + n$ .

2.23 **Proof**:

**Base case.** For n=1,  $\mathrm{Fib}(1)=1<\frac{5}{3}$ . For n=2,  $\mathrm{Fib}(2)=1<(\frac{5}{3})^2$ . Thus, the formula is correct for the base case.

**Induction Hypothesis.** For all positive integers i < n,

$$Fib(i) < (\frac{5}{3})^i.$$

**Induction Step.** Fib(n)= Fib(n-1)+ Fib(n-2) and, by the Induction Hypothesis, Fib $(n-1)<(\frac{5}{3})^{n-1}$  and Fib $(n-2)<(\frac{5}{3})^{n-2}$ . So,

Fib(n) 
$$< (\frac{5}{3})^{n-1} + (\frac{5}{3})^{n-2}$$
  
 $< \frac{5}{3}(\frac{5}{3})^{n-2} + (\frac{5}{3})^{n-2}$ 

$$= \frac{8}{3} \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^{n-2}$$

$$< \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^{2} \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^{n-2}$$

$$= \frac{5}{3}^{n}.$$

Thus, the theorem is proved by mathematical induction.

#### **2.24 Proof**:

- (a) Base case. For n=1,  $1^3=\frac{1^2(1+1)^2}{4}=1$ . Thus, the formula is correct for the base case.
- (b) Induction Hypothesis.

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i^3 = \frac{(n-1)^2 n^2}{4}$$

(c) Induction Step.

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n} i^{3} = \frac{(n-1)^{2}n^{2}}{4} + n^{3}$$

$$= \frac{n^{4} - 2n^{3} + n^{2}}{4} + n^{3}$$

$$= \frac{n^{4} + 2n^{3} + n^{2}}{4}$$

$$= \frac{n^{2}(n^{2} + 2n + 2)}{4}$$

$$= \frac{n^{2}(n+1)^{2}}{4}$$

Thus, the theorem is proved by mathematical induction.

- (a) **Proof**: By contradiction. Assume that the theorem is false. Then, each pigeonhole contains at most 1 pigeon. Since there are n holes, there is room for only n pigeons. This contradicts the fact that a total of n+1 pigeons are within the n holes. Thus, the theorem must be correct.  $\square$
- (b) Proof:
  - **i. Base case.** For one pigeon hole and two pigeons, there must be two pigeons in the hole.
  - ii. Induction Hypothesis. For n pigeons in n-1 holes, some hole must contain at least two pigeons.

- iii. Induction Step. Consider the case where n+1 pigeons are in n holes. Eliminate one hole at random. If it contains one pigeon, eliminate it as well, and by the induction hypothesis some other hole must contain at least two pigeons. If it contains no pigeons, then again by the induction hypothesis some other hole must contain at least two pigeons (with an extra pigeon yet to be placed). If it contains more than one pigeon, then it fits the requirements of the theorem directly.
- **2.26** (a) When we add the *n*th line, we create n new regions. But, we start with one region even when there are no lines. Thus, the recurrence is F(n) = F(n-1) + n + 1.
  - **(b)** This is equivalent to the summation  $F(n) = 1 + \sum_{i=1}^{n} ni$ .
  - (c) This is close to a summation we already know (equation 2.1).
- **2.27** Base case: T(n-1) = 1 = 1(1+1)/2. Induction hypothesis: T(n-1) = (n-1)(n)/2. Induction step:

$$\mathbf{T}(n) = \mathbf{T}(n-1) + n$$
  
=  $(n-1)(n)/2 + n$   
=  $n(n+1)/2$ .

Thus, the theorem is proved by mathematical induction.

2.28 If we expand the recurrence, we get

$$\mathbf{T}(n) = 2\mathbf{T}(n-1) + 1 = 2(2\mathbf{T}(n-2) + 1) + 1) = 4\mathbf{T}(n-2 + 2 + 1)$$

Expanding again yields

$$\mathbf{T}(n) = 8\mathbf{T}(n-3) + 4 + 2 + 1.$$

From this, we can deduce a pattern and hypothesize that the recurrence is equivalent to

$$\mathbf{T}(n) = \sum_{i=0}^{n} -12^{i} = 2^{n} - 1.$$

To prove this formula is in fact the proper closed form solution, we use mathematical induction.

**Base case**:  $T(1) = 2^1 - 1 = 1$ .

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Induction hypothesis:  $T(n-1) = 2^{n-1} - 1$ . Induction step:

$$\mathbf{T}(n) = 2\mathbf{T}(n-1) + 1$$
  
=  $2(2^{n-1} - 1) + 1$   
=  $2^n - 1$ .

Thus, as proved by mathematical induction, this formula is indeed the correct closed form solution for the recurrence.

- **2.29** (a) The probability is 0.5 for each choice.
  - (b) The average number of "1" bits is n/2, since each position has 0.5 probability of being "1."
  - (c) The leftmost "1" will be the leftmost bit (call it position 0) with probability 0.5; in position 1 with probability 0.25, and so on. The number of positions we must examine is 1 in the case where the leftmost "1" is in position 0; 2 when it is in position 1, and so on. Thus, the expected cost is the value of the summation

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{i}{2^i}.$$

The closed form for this summation is  $2 - \frac{n+2}{2^n}$ , or just less than two. Thus, we expect to visit on average just less than two positions. (Students at this point will probably not be able to solve this summation, and it is not given in the book.)

- **2.30** There are at least two ways to approach this problem. One is to estimate the volume directly. The second is to generate volume as a function of weight. This is especially easy if using the metric system, assuming that the human body is roughly the density of water. So a 50 Kilo person has a volume slightly less than 50 liters; a 160 pound person has a volume slightly less than 20 gallons.
- **2.31** (a) Image representations vary considerably, so the answer will vary as a result. One example answer is: Consider VGA standard size, full-color (24 bit) images, which is  $3 \times 640 \times 480$ , or just less than 1 Mbyte per image. The full database requires some 30-35 CDs.
  - **(b)** Since we needed 30-35 CDs before, compressing by a factor of 10 is not sufficient to get the database onto one CD.

[Note that if the student picked a smaller format, such as estimating the size of a "typical" gif image, the result might well fit onto a single CD.]

2.32 (I saw this problem in John Bentley's Programming Pearls.) Approach 1: The model is Depth X Width X Flow where Depth and Width are in miles and Flow is in miles/day. The Mississippi river at its mouth is about 1/4 mile wide and 100 feet (1/50 mile) deep, with a flow of around 15 miles/hour = 360 miles/day. Thus, the flow is about 2 cubic miles/day.

Approach 2: What goes out must equal what goes in. The model is Area X Rainfall where Area is in square miles and Rainfall is in (linear) miles/day. The Mississipi watershed is about 1000 X 1000 miles, and the average rainfal is about 40 inches/year  $\approx$  .1 inches/day  $\approx$  .000002 miles/day (2 X  $10^{-6}$ ). Thus, the flow is about 2 cubic miles/day.

**2.33** Note that the student should NOT be providing answers that look like they were done using a calculator. This is supposed to be an exercise in estimation!

The amount of the mortgage is irrelevant, since this is a question about rates. However, to give some numbers to help you visualize the problem, pick a \$100,000 mortgage. The up-front charge would be \$1,000, and the savings would be 1/4% each payment over the life of the mortgage. The monthly charge will be on the remaining principle, being the highest at first and gradually reducing over time. But, that has little effect for the first few years. At the grossest approximation, you paid 1% to start and will save 1/4% each year, requiring 4 years. To be more precise, 8% of \$100,000 is \$8,000, while 7 3/4% is \$7,750 (for the first year), with a little less interest paid (and therefore saved) in following years. This will require a payback period of slightly over 4 years to save \$1000. If the money had been invested, then in 5 years the investment would be worth about \$1300 (at 5would be close to 5 1/2 years.

- **2.34** Disk drive seek time is somewhere around 10 milliseconds or a little less in 2000. RAM memory requires around 50 nanoseconds much less than a microsecond. Given that there are about 30 million seconds in a year, a machine capable of executing at 100 MIPS would execute about 3 billion billion  $(3*10^{18})$  instructions in a year.
- 2.35 Typical books have around 500 pages/inch of thickness, so one million pages requires 2000 inches or 150-200 feet of bookshelf. This would be in excess of 50 typical shelves, or 10-20 bookshelves. It is within the realm of possibility that an individual home has this many books, but it is rather unusual.
- **2.36** A typical page has around 400 words (best way to derive this is to estimate the number of words/line and lines/page), and the book has around 500 pages, so the total is around 200,000 words.

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- 2.37 An hour has 3600 seconds, so one million seconds is a bit less than 300 hours. A good estimater will notice that 3600 is about 10% greater than 3333, so the actual number of hours is about 10% less than 300, or close to 270. (The real value is just under 278). Of course, this is just over 11 days.
- **2.38** Well over 100,000, depending on what you wish to classify as a city or town. The real question is what technique the student uses.
- **2.39** (a) The time required is 1 minute for the first mile, then 60/59 minutes for the second mile, and so on until the last mile requires 60/1 = 60 minutes. The result is the following summation.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{60} 60/i = 60 \sum_{i=1}^{60} 1/i = 60 \mathcal{H}_{60}.$$

**(b)** This is actually quite easy. The man will never reach his destination, since his speed approaches zero as he approaches the end of the journey.



### **Algorithm Analysis**

**3.1** Note that n is a positive integer.

 $5n \log n$  is most efficient for n = 1.

 $2^n$  is most efficient when  $2 \le n \le 4$ .

10n is most efficient for all n > 5. 20n and  $2^n$  are never more efficient than the other choices.

3.2 Both  $\log_3 n$  and  $\log_2 n$  will have value 0 when n=1.

Otherwise, 2 is the most efficient expression for all n > 1.

- **3.3** 2  $\log_3 n$   $\log_2 n$   $n^{2/3}$  20n  $4n^2$   $3^n$ 
  - (a) n + 6 inputs (an additive amount, independent of n).
    - (b) 8n inputs (a multiplicative factor).
    - (c) 64n inputs.
- **3.5** 100*n*.

10n.

About 4.6n (actually,  $\sqrt[3]{100}n$ ).

n+6.

- **3.6** (a) These questions are quite hard. If  $f(n) = 2^n = x$ , then  $f(2n) = 2^{2n} = (2^n)^2 = x^2$ .
  - (b) The answer is  $2^{(n^{\log_2 3})}$ . Extending from part (a), we need some way to make the growth rate even higher. In particular, we seek some way to make the exponent go up by a factor of 3. Note that, if  $f(n) = n^{\log_2 3} = y$ , then  $f(2n) = 2^{\log_2 3} n^{\log_2 3} = 3x$ . So, we combine this observation with part (a) to get the desired answer.
- **3.7** First, we need to find constants c and  $n_o$  such that  $1 \le c \times 1$  for  $n > n_0$ . This is true for any positive value c < 1 and any positive value of  $n_0$  (since n plays no role in the equation).

Next, we need to find constants c and  $n_0$  such that  $1 \le c \times n$  for  $n > n_0$ . This is true for, say, c = 1 and  $n_0 = 1$ .

n!.

- **3.8** Other values for  $n_0$  and c are possible than what is given here.
  - (a) The upper bound is O(n) for  $n_0 > 0$  and  $c = c_1$ . The lower bound is  $\Omega(n)$  for  $n_0 > 0$  and  $c = c_1$ .
  - (b) The upper bound is  $O(n^3)$  for  $n_0 > c_3$  and  $c = c_2 + 1$ . The lower bound is  $\Omega(n^3)$  for  $n_0 > c_3$  and  $c = c_2$ .
  - (c) The upper bound is  $O(n \log n)$  for  $n_0 > c_5$  and  $c = c_4 + 1$ . The lower bound is  $\Omega(n \log n)$  for  $n_0 > c_5$  and  $c = c_4$ .
  - (d) The upper bound is  $O(2^n)$  for  $n_0 > c_7 100$  and  $c = c_6 + 1$ . The lower bound is  $O(2^n)$  for  $n_0 > c_7 100$  and  $c = c_6$ . (100 is used for convenience to insure that  $2^n > n^6$ )
- **3.9** (a)  $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$  since  $\log n^2 = 2 \log n$ .
  - **(b)** f(n) is in  $\Omega(g(n))$  since  $n^c$  grows faster than  $\log n^c$  for any c.
  - (c) f(n) is in  $\Omega(g(n))$ . Dividing both sides by  $\log n$ , we see that  $\log n$  grows faster than 1.
  - (d) f(n) is in  $\Omega(g(n))$ . If we take both f(n) and g(n) as exponents for 2, we get  $2^n$  on one side and  $2^{\log^2 n} = (2^{\log n})^2 = n^2$  on the other, and  $n^2$  grows slower than  $2^n$ .
  - (e) f(n) is in  $\Omega(g(n))$ . Dividing both sides by  $\log n$  and throwing away the low order terms, we see that n grows faster than 1.
  - (f)  $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$  since  $\log 10$  and 10 are both constants.
  - (g) f(n) is in  $\Omega(g(n))$  since  $2^n$  grows faster than  $10n^2$ .
  - (h) f(n) is in O(g(n)),  $3^n = 1.5^n 2^n$ , and if we divide both sides by  $2^n$ , we see that  $1.5^n$  grows faster than 1.
- **3.10** (a) This fragment is  $\Theta(1)$ .
  - (b) This fragment is  $\Theta(n)$  since the outer loop is executed a constant number of times.
  - (c) This fragment is  $\Theta(n^2)$  since the loop is executed  $n^2$  times.
  - (d) This fragment is  $\Theta(n^2 \log n)$  since the outer for loop costs  $n \log n$  for each execution, and is executed n times. The inner loop is dominated by the call to sort.
  - (e) For each execution of the outer loop, the inner loop is generated a "random" number of times. However, since the values in the array are a permutation of the values from 0 to n-1, we know that the inner loop will be run i times for each value of i from 1 to n. Thus, the total cost is  $\sum_{i=1}^{n} i = \Theta(n^2)$ .
  - (f) One branch of the if statement requires  $\Theta(n)$  time, while the other requires constant time. By the rule for if statements, the bound is the greater cost, yielding  $\Theta(n)$  time.

3.11 (a)

$$n! = n \times (n-1) \times \dots \times \frac{n}{2} \times (\frac{n}{2} - 1) \times \dots \times 2 \times 1$$

$$\geq \frac{n}{2} \times \frac{n}{2} \times \dots \times \frac{n}{2} \times 1 \times \dots \times 1 \times 1$$

$$= (\frac{n}{2})^{n/2}$$

Therefore

$$\lg n! \ge \lg \left(\frac{n}{2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} \ge \frac{1}{2}(n\lg n - n).$$

(b) This part is easy, since clearly

$$1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdots n < n \cdot n \cdot n \cdots n$$

so  $n! < n^n$  yielding  $\log n! < n \log n$ .

**3.12** Clearly this recurrence is in  $O(\log n \sqrt{n})$  since the recurrance can only be expanded  $\log n$  times with each time being  $\sqrt{n}$  or less. However, since this series drops so quickly, it might be reasonable to guess that the closed form solution is  $O(\sqrt{n})$ . We can prove this to be correct quite easily with an induction proof. We need to show that  $\mathbf{T}(n) \leq c\sqrt{n}$  for a suitable constant c. Pick c=4.

Base case:  $T(1) \le 4$ .

Induction Hypothesis:  $T(n) \le 4\sqrt{n}$ .

**Induction Step:** 

$$\mathbf{T}(2n) = \mathbf{T}(n) + \sqrt{2n}$$

$$\leq 4\sqrt{n} + \sqrt{2n}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{2}\sqrt{2n} = (2\sqrt{2} + 1)\sqrt{2n}$$

$$\leq 4\sqrt{2n}.$$

Therefore, by mathematical induction we have proven that the closed form solution for  $\mathbf{T}(n)$  is in  $O(\sqrt{n})$ .

- **3.13** The best lower bound I know is  $\Omega(\log n)$ , since a value cannot be reduced more quickly than by repeated division by 2. There is no known upper bound, since it is unknown if this algorithm always terminates.
- **3.14** Yes. Each deterministic algorithm, on a given input, has a specific running time. Its upper and lower bound are the same exactly this time. Note that the question asks for the EXISTENCE of such a thing, not our ability to determine it.

- 3.15 Yes. When we specify an upper or lower bound, that merely states our knowledge of the situation. If they do not meet, that merely means that we don't KNOW more about the problem. When we understand the problem completely, the bounds will meet. But, that does NOT mean that we can actually determine the optimal algorithm, or the true lower bound, for every problem.
- 3.16 // Return position of first elem (if any) with value K int newbin(int K, int\* array, int left, int right) int l = left-1;// l and r beyond array bounds int r = right+1;while (l+1 != r) { // Stop when l and r meet int i = (1+r)/2; // Look at middle of subarray if (K <= array[i]) r = i; // In left half</pre> if (K > array[i]) l = i; // In right half if (r > right) return ERROR; // K not in array if (array[r] != K) return ERROR; // K not in array else return r; // r at value K } 3.17 int newbin(int K, int\* array, int left, int right) { // Return position of greatest element <= K int l = left-1;// l and r beyond array bounds int r = right+1;while (l+1 != r) { // Stop when 1 and r meet int i = (1+r)/2; // Look at middle of subarray if (K < array[i]) r = i;</pre> // In left half if (K == array[i]) return i; // Found it if (K > array[i]) l = i; // In right half // Search value not in array if (l < left) return ERROR; // No value less than K // l at first value less than K return 1;
- 3.18 Initially, we do not know the position n in the array that holds the smallest value greater than or equal to K, nor do we know the size of the array (which can be arbitrarily larger than n). What we do is begin at the left side, and start searching for K. The secret is to jump twice as far to the right on each search. Thus, we would initially search array positions 0, 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32 and so on. Once we have found a value that is larger than or equal to what we are searching for, we have bounded the subrange of the array from our last two searches. The length of this subarray is at most n units wide, and we have done this initial bracketing in at most  $\log n + 1$  searches. A normal

binary search of the subarray will find the position n in an additional  $\log n$  searches at most, for a total cost in  $O(\log n)$  searches.

**3.19** Here is a description for a simple  $\Theta(n^2)$  algorithm.

```
boolean Corner(int n, int m, Piece P1, Piece** array
  for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
    for (int j=0; j<n; j++) {
      if (compare(P1, array[i][j], LEFT)) return FALSE;
      if (compare(P1,array[i][j],BOTTOM)) return FALSE;
  return TRUE;
}
void jigsaw(int n, int m, Piece** array) {
\\ First, find the lower left piece by checking each
\\ piece against the others to reject pieces until one
\\ is found that has no bottom or left connection.
for (i=0; i<n; i++)
  for (j=0; j<m; j++)
    if (Corner(n, m, array[i][j], array)) { // Found
      SWAP(array[i][j], array[0][0]); // Swap pieces
      break;
\\ Now, fill in row by row, column by column.
for (i=0; i<n; i++)
  for (j=0; j < m; j++) {
    if (j==0) { // First in row
      if (i!=0) { // Don't repeat corner piece
       for (ii=0; ii<n; ii++)
          for (jj=0; jj<m; jj++)
            if (compare(array[i][j], array[ii][jj],
                TOP)) {
              tempr = ii;
              tempc = jj;
        SWAP(array[i][j], array[tempr][tempc]);
      } }
    else {
      for (ii=0; ii<n; ii++)
        for (jj=0; jj<m; jj++)
          if (compare(array[i][j], array[ii][jj],
              RIGHT))
            { tempr = ii; tempc = jj; }
```

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```
SWAP(array[i][j], array[tempr][tempc]);
}
}
```

Finding the corner takes  $O(n^2m^2)$  time, which is the square of the number of pieces. Filling in the rest of the pieces also takes  $O(n^2m^2)$  time, the number of pieces squared. Thus, the entire algorithm takes  $O(n^2m^2)$  time.

- **3.20** If an algorithm is  $\Theta(f(n))$  in the average case, then by definition it must be  $\Omega(f(n))$  in the average case. Since the average case cost for an instance of the problem requires at least cf(n) time for some constant c, at least one instance requires at least as much as the average cost (this is an example of applying the Pigeonhole Principle). Thus, at least one instance costs at least cf(n), and so this means at least one instance (the worst case) is  $\Omega(f(n))$ .
- **3.21** If an algorithm is  $\Theta(f(n))$  in the average case, then by definition it must be O(f(n)) in the average case. Therefore, the average case cost for an instance of the problem requires at most cf(n) time for some constant c. By the pigeonhole principle, some instance (the best case) must therefore cost at most cf(n) time. Therefore, the best case must be O(f(n)).



### Lists, Stacks, and Queues

```
4.1 Call the list in question L1.
   L1.setStart();
   L1.next();
   L1.next();
   val = L1.remove();
4.2 (a) \langle | 10, 20, 15 \rangle.
    (b) \langle 39 \mid 12, 10, 20, 15 \rangle.
4.3 list L1(20);
   L1.append(2);
   L1.append(23);
   L1.append(15);
   L1.append(5);
   L1.append(9);
   L1.next();
   L1.next();
4.4 // Interchange the order of current and next elements
   void switch(List<Elem> L1) {
    Elem temp;
     if (!L1.remove(temp)) ERROR;
     L1.next();
     L1.insert(temp);
4.5 template <class Elem>
   void LList<Elem>::reverse() { // Reverse list contents
     if(head->next == NULL) return;
     // First, fix fence by pushing it forward one step
     if (fence->next == NULL) fence = head;
     else fence = fence->next;
     // Now, reverse the list
```

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```
link<Elem>* temp1 = head->next;
     link<Elem>* temp2 = temp1->next;
     while (temp2 != NULL) {
       link<Elem>* temp3 = temp2->next;
       temp2->next = temp1;
       temp1 = temp2;
       temp2 = temp3;
     head->next = temp1;
4.6 (a) The following members are modified.
       template <class Elem>
       void LList<Elem>::LList(const int sz)
         head = tail = curr = new link; // Create header
         head->next = head;
       }
       template <class Elem>
       void LList<Elem>::clear() {
                                       // Remove Elems
         while (head->next != NULL) { // Return to free
           curr = head->next;
                                       //
                                            (keep header)
           head->next = curr->next;
           delete curr;
         tail = curr = head->next = head; // Reinitialize
       }
       // Insert Elem at current position
       template <class Elem>
       void LList<Elem>::insert(const Elem& item) {
         assert(curr != NULL); // Must be pointing to Elem
         curr->next = new link(item, curr->next);
         if (tail->next != head) tail = tail->next;
       template <class Elem> // Put at tail
       void LList<Elem>::append(const Elem& item)
         { tail = tail->next = new link(item, head); }
       // Move curr to next position
       template <class Elem>
       void LList<Elem>::next()
         { curr = curr->next; }
```

```
// Move curr to prev position
template <class Elem>
void LList<Elem>::prev() {
  link* temp = curr;
  while (temp->next!=curr) temp=temp->next;
  curr = temp;
}
```

- **(b)** The answer is rather similar to that of Part (a).
- **4.7** The space required by the array-based list implementation is fixed. It must be at least n spaces to hold n elements, for a lower bound of  $\Omega(n)$ . However, the actual number of elements in the array (n) can be arbitrarily small compared to the size of the list array.
- **4.8** D is number of elements; E is in bytes; P is in bytes; and n is number of elements. Setting number of elements as e and number of bytes as b, the equation has form

$$e > eb/(b+b) = eb/b = e$$

for a comparison of e > e which is correct.

**4.9** (a) Since E=8, P=4, and D=20, the break-even point occurs when

$$n = (20)(8)/(4+8) = 13\frac{1}{3}.$$

So, the linked list is more efficient when 13 or fewer elements are stored.

(b) Since E = 2, P = 4, and D = 30, the break-even point occurs when

$$n = (30)(2)/(2+4) = 10.$$

So, the linked list is more efficient when less than 10 elements are stored.

(c) Since E = 1, P = 4, and D = 30, the break-even point occurs when

$$n = (30)(1)/(1+4) = 6.$$

So, the linked list is more efficient when less than 6 elements are stored.

(d) Since E = 32, P = 4, and D = 40, the break-even point occurs when

$$n = (40)(32)/(32+4) = 35.5.$$

So, the linked list is more efficient when 35 or fewer elements are stored.

- **4.10** I assume an int requires 4 bytes, a double requires 8 bytes, and a pointer requires 4 bytes.
  - (a) Since E = 4 and P = 4, the break-even point occurs when

$$n = 4D/8 = \frac{1}{2}D.$$

Thus, the linked list is more space efficient when the array would be less than half full.

**(b)** Since E = 8 and P = 4, the break-even point occurs when

$$n = 8D/12 = \frac{2}{3}D.$$

Thus, the linked list is more space efficient when the array would be less than two thirds full.

**4.11** We need only modify push and pop, as follows.

**4.12** Most member functions get a new parameter to indicate which stack is accessed.

```
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```

```
void clear(int st) {
        if (st == 1) top1 = 0;
        else top2 = size - 1;
      bool push(int st, const Elem& item) {
        if (top1+1 >= top2) return false; // Stack is full
        if (st == 1) listarray[top1++] = item;
        else listarraay[top2--] = item;
        return true;
                                        // Pop top element
      bool pop(int st, Elem& it) {
        if ((st == 1) && (top1 == 0)) return false;
        if ((st == 2) && (top2 == (size-1))) return false;
        if (st == 1) it = listArray[--top1];
        else it = listArray[++top2];
        return true;
      bool topValue(int st, Elem& it) const { // Return top
        if ((st == 1) && (top1 == 0)) return false;
        if ((st == 2) && (top2 == (size-1))) return false;
        if (st == 1) it = listArray[top1-1];
        else it = listArray[top2+1];
        return true;
      int length(int st) const {
        if (st == 1) return top1;
        else return size - top2 - 1;
      }
    };
4.13 // Array-based queue implementation
    template <class Elem>
    class AQueue: public Queue<Elem> {
    private:
      int size;
                           // Maximum size of queue
      int front;
                           // Index of front element
                          // Index of rear element
      int rear;
      Elem *listArray;
                       // Array holding queue elements
      bool isEmpty;
    public:
      AQueue(int sz =DefaultListSize) { // Constructor
        // Make list array one unit larger for empty slot
        size = sz+1;
        rear = 0; front = 1;
```

~AStack2() { delete [] listArray; } // Destructor

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```
listArray = new Elem[size];
        isEmpty = true;
      ~AQueue() { delete [] listArray; } // Destructor
      void clear() { front = rear; isEmpty = true; }
      bool enqueue(const Elem& it) {
        if ((isEmpty != true) &&
            (((rear+1) % size) == front)) return false;
        rear = (rear+1) % size; // Circular increment
        listArray[rear] = it;
        isEmpty = false;
        return true;
      bool dequeue(Elem& it) {
        if (isEmpty == true) return false;
        it = listArray[front];
        front = (front+1) % size; // Circular increment
        if (((rear+1) % size) == front) isEmpty == true;
        return true;
      bool frontValue(Elem& it) const {
        if (isEmpty == true) return false; // Empty
        it = listArray[front];
        return true;
      virtual int length() const {
        if (isEmpty == true) return 0;
        return ((rear+size) - front + 1) % size;
    };
4.14 bool palin() {
      Stack<char> S;
      Queue<char> Q;
      while ((c = getc()) != ENDOFSTRING) {
        S.push(c);
        Q.enqueue(c);
      while (!S.isEmpty()) {
        if (S.top() != Q.front()) return FALSE;
        char dum = S.pop();
        dum = Q.dequeue();
      }
      return TRUE;
```

}

**4.15** FIBobj stores a value and an operand type. If the operand is IN, then the value is a parameter to the Fibonacci function. If the operand is OUT, then the value is an intermediate result. When we pop of an IN value, it must be evaluated. When we have available two intermediate results, they can be added together and returned to the stack.

```
enum FIBOP {IN, OUT};
class FIBobj {
public:
  int val;
  FIBOP op;
  FIBobj(int v, FIBOP o)
  { val = v; op = o; }
};
long fibs(int n) {
  AStack<Fibobj> S;
  FIBobj f;
  f.val = n; f.op = IN;
  S.push(f);
  while (S.length()
    S.pop(f);
    int val = f.val;
FIBOP op = f.op;
    if (op == IN)
      if (val <= 2) {
        f.val = 1; f.op = OUT;
        S.push(f);
      else {
        f.val = val - 1; f.op = IN;
        S.push(f);
        f.val = val - 2;
        S.push(f);
    else // op == OUT
    if (S.length() > 0) { // Else do nothing, loop ends
      S.pop(f); // 2nd operand
      if (f.op == OUT) {
```

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```

```
f.val += val;
             s.push(f);
           else { // switch order to evaluate 2nd operand
             FIBobj temp;
             temp.val = val; temp.op = OUT;
             S.push (f);
             S.push (temp);
        }
      }
      return val; // Correct result should be in val now
    }
4.16 The stack-based version will be similar to the answer for problem 4.15, so I
    will not repeat it here. The recursive version is as follows.
    int recur(int n) {
      if (n == 1) return 1;
      return recur((n+1)/2) + recur(n/2) + n;
4.17 int GCD1(int n, int m) {
      if (n < m) swap(n, m);
      while ((n % m) != 0) {
        n = n % m;
        swap(m, n)
      }
      return m;
    }
    int GCD2(int n, int m) {
      if (n < m) swap(n, m);
      if ((n % m) == 0) return m;
      return GCD2(m, n % m);
4.18 void reverse(Queue& Q, Stack& S) {
      ELEM X;
      while (!Q.isEmpty()) {
        X = Q.dequeue();
        S.push(X);
      }
      while (!S.isEmpty()) {
        X = S.pop();
        Q.enqueue(X);
```

} }

**4.19** Some additional access capability must be added. One approach is to add more pointers to the linked list structure. By granting direct access half way in, from there to the quarter lists, etc., it is possible to gain  $O(\log n)$  insert and search times. This concept will lead to the Skip List of Chapter 13. Alternatively, we can adopt the tree concept, discussed in Chapter 5.

```
4.20 (a) bool balance(String str) {
          Stack S;
          int pos = 0;
          while (str.charAt(pos) != NULL) {
            if (str.charAt(pos++) == '(')
              S.push('(');
            else if (str.charAt(pos++) ==
              if (S.isEmpty()) return FALSE
              else S.pop();
          if (S.isEmpty()) return TRUE;
          else return FALSE;
     (b) int balance(String str)
          Stack S;
          int pos = 0;
          while (str.charAt(pos) != NULL) {
            if (str.charAt(pos++) == '(')
              S.push(pos);
            else if (str.charAt(pos++) == ')')
              if (S.isEmpty()) return pos;
              else S.pop();
          if (S.isEmpty()) return -1;
          else return S.pop();
```

## **Binary Trees**

- **5.1** Consider a non-full binary tree. By definition, this tree must have some internal node X with only one non-empty child. If we modify the tree to remove X, replacing it with its child, the modified tree will have a higher fraction of non-empty nodes since one non-empty node and one empty node have been removed.
- **5.2** Use as the base case the tree of one leaf node. The number of degree-2 nodes is 0, and the number of leaves is 1. Thus, the theorem holds.

For the induction hypothesis, assume the theorem is true for any tree with n-1 nodes.

For the induction step, consider a tree T with n nodes. Remove from the tree any leaf node, and call the resulting tree T'. By the induction hypothesis, T' has one more leaf node than it has nodes of degree 2.

Now, restore the leaf node that was removed to form T'. There are two possible cases.

- (1) If this leaf node is the only child of its parent in T, then the number of nodes of degree 2 has not changed, nor has the number of leaf nodes. Thus, the theorem holds.
- (2) If this leaf node is the child of a node in T with degree 2, then that node has degree 1 in T'. Thus, by restoring the leaf node we are adding one new leaf node and one new node of degree 2. Thus, the theorem holds.

By mathematical induction, the theorem is correct.

**5.3 Base Case**: For the tree of one leaf node, I=0, E=0, n=0, so the theorem holds.

**Induction Hypothesis**: The theorem holds for the full binary tree containing n internal nodes.

**Induction Step**: Take an arbitrary tree (call it **T**) of n internal nodes. Select some internal node x from **T** that has two leaves, and remove those two leaves. Call the resulting tree **T'**. Tree **T'** is full and has n-1 internal nodes, so by the Induction Hypothesis E = I + 2(n-1).

Call the depth of node x as d. Restore the two children of x, each at level d+1. We have now added d to I since x is now once again an internal node. We have now added 2(d+1)-d=d+2 to E since we added the two leaf nodes, but lost the contribution of x to E. Thus, if before the addition we had E=I+2(n-1) (by the induction hypothesis), then after the addition we have E+d=I+d+2+2(n-1) or E=I+2n which is correct. Thus, by the principle of mathematical induction, the theorem is correct.

```
5.4 (a) template <class Elem>
       void inorder(BinNode<Elem>* subroot) {
         if (subroot == NULL) return; // Empty, do nothing
         preorder(subroot->left());
         visit(subroot); // Perform desired action
         preorder(subroot->right());
    (b) template <class Elem>
       void postorder(BinNode<Elem>* subroot) {
         if (subroot == NULL) return; // Empty, do nothing
         preorder(subroot->left());
         preorder(subroot->right());
        visit(subroot); // Perform desired action
5.5 The key is to search both subtrees, as necessary.
   template <class Key, class Elem, class KEComp>
  bool search(BinNode<Elem>* subroot, Key K);
    if (subroot == NULL) return false;
     if (subroot->value() == K) return true;
     if (search(subroot->right())) return true;
     return search(subroot->left());
```

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**5.6** The key is to use a queue to store subtrees to be processed.

```
template <class Elem>
   void level(BinNode<Elem>* subroot) {
     AQueue<BinNode<Elem>*> Q;
     Q.enqueue(subroot);
     while(!Q.isEmpty()) {
       BinNode<Elem>* temp;
       Q.dequeue(temp);
       if(temp != NULL) {
         Print(temp);
         Q.enqueue(temp->left());
         Q.enqueue(temp->right());
   }}}
5.7 template <class Elem>
   int height(BinNode<Elem>* subroot) {
     if (subroot == NULL) return 0; // Empty subtree
     return 1 + max(height(subroot->left()),
                    height(subroot->right()));
5.8 template <class Elem>
   int count(BinNode<Elem>* subroot) {
     if (subroot == NULL) return 0;
                                     // Empty subtree
     if (subroot->isLeaf()) return 1; // A leaf
     return 1 + count(subroot->left()) +
                count(subroot->right());
```

- **5.9** (a) Since every node stores 4 bytes of data and 12 bytes of pointers, the overhead fraction is 12/16 = 75%.
  - (b) Since every node stores 16 bytes of data and 8 bytes of pointers, the overhead fraction is  $8/24 \approx 33\%$ .
  - (c) Leaf nodes store 8 bytes of data and 4 bytes of pointers; internal nodes store 8 bytes of data and 12 bytes of pointers. Since the nodes have different sizes, the total space needed for internal nodes is not the same as for leaf nodes. Students must be careful to do the calculation correctly, taking the weighting into account. The correct formula looks as follows, given that there are x internal nodes and x leaf nodes.

$$\frac{4x + 12x}{12x + 20x} = 16/32 = 50\%.$$

(d) Leaf nodes store 4 bytes of data; internal nodes store 4 bytes of pointers. The formula looks as follows, given that there are x internal nodes and

x leaf nodes:

$$\frac{4x}{4x+4x} = 4/8 = 50\%.$$

- **5.10** If equal valued nodes were allowed to appear in either subtree, then during a search for all nodes of a given value, whenever we encounter a node of that value the search would be required to search in both directions.
- **5.11** This tree is identical to the tree of Figure 5.20(a), except that a node with value 5 will be added as the right child of the node with value 2.
- **5.12** This tree is identical to the tree of Figure 5.20(b), except that the value 24 replaces the value 7, and the leaf node that originally contained 24 is removed from the tree.

```
5.13 template <class Key, class Elem, class KEComp>
    int smallcount(BinNode<Elem>* root, Key K);
      if (root == NULL) return 0;
      if (KEComp.gt(root->value(), K))
        return smallcount(root->leftchild(), K);
      else
        return smallcount(root->leftchild(), K) +
               smallcount(root->rightchild(), K) + 1;
5.14 template <class Key, class Elem, class KEComp>
    void printRange(BinNode<Elem>* root, int low,
                                          int high) {
      if (root == NULL) return;
      if (KEComp.lt(high, root->val()) // all to left
        printRange(root->left(), low, high);
      else if (KEComp.gt(low, root->val())) // all to right
        printRange(root->right(), low, high);
      else { // Must process both children
        printRange(root->left(), low, high);
        PRINT(root->value());
        printRange(root->right(), low, high);
```

**5.15** The minimum number of elements is contained in the heap with a single node at depth h-1, for a total of  $2^{h-1}$  nodes.

The maximum number of elements is contained in the heap that has completely filled up level h-1, for a total of  $2^h-1$  nodes.

- **5.16** The largest element could be at any leaf node.
- **5.17** The corresponding array will be in the following order (equivalent to level order for the heap):

12 9 10 5 4 1 8 7 3 2

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**5.18** (a) The array will take on the following order:

 $6 \ 5 \ 3 \ 4 \ 2 \ 1$ 

The value 7 will be at the end of the array.

**(b)** The array will take on the following order:

7 4 6 3 2 1

The value 5 will be at the end of the array.

```
5.19 // Min-heap class
    template <class Elem, class Comp> class minheap
    private:
                           // Pointer to the heap array
      Elem* Heap;
                           // Maximum size of the heap
      int size;
                           // # of elements now in the heap
      int n;
      void siftdown(int); // Put element in correct place
    public:
      minheap(Elem* h, int num, int max)
                                             // Constructor
        { Heap = h; n = num; size = max; buildHeap(); }
      int heapsize() const
                                // Return current size
        { return n; }
      bool isLeaf(int pos) const // TRUE if pos a leaf
        { return (pos >= n/2) && (pos < n); }
      int leftchild(int pos) const
        { return 2*pos + 1; }
                                 // Return leftchild pos
      int rightchild(int pos) const
        { return 2*pos + 2; }
                                // Return rightchild pos
      int parent(int pos) const // Return parent position
        { return (pos-1)/2; }
      bool insert(const Elem&); // Insert value into heap
      bool removemin(Elem&); // Remove maximum value
      bool remove(int, Elem&); // Remove from given pos
      void buildHeap()
                                // Heapify contents
        { for (int i=n/2-1; i>=0; i--) siftdown(i); }
    template <class Elem, class Comp>
    void minheap<Elem, Comp>::siftdown(int pos) {
      while (!isLeaf(pos)) {
                                // Stop if pos is a leaf
        int j = leftchild(pos); int rc = rightchild(pos);
        if ((rc < n) && Comp::gt(Heap[j], Heap[rc]))</pre>
                         // Set j to lesser child's value
          j = rc;
        if (!Comp::gt(Heap[pos], Heap[j])) return; // Done
```

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```
swap(Heap, pos, j);
    pos = j;
                    // Move down
  }
}
template <class Elem, class Comp>
bool minheap<Elem, Comp>::insert(const Elem& val)
  if (n >= size) return false; // Heap is full
  int curr = n++;
  Heap[curr] = val;
                               // Start at end of heap
  // Now sift up until curr's parent < curr
  while ((curr!=0) &&
         (Comp::lt(Heap[curr], Heap[parent(curr)]))) {
    swap(Heap, curr, parent(curr));
    curr = parent(curr);
  return true;
}
template <class Elem, class Comp>
bool minheap<Elem, Comp>::removemin(Elem& it) {
  if (n == 0) return false; // Heap is empty
  swap(Heap, 0, --n);
                           // Swap max with last value
  if (n != 0) siftdown(0); // Siftdown new root val
  it = Heap[n];
                            // Return deleted value
  return true;
```

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**5.20** Note that this summation is similar to Equation 2.5. To solve the summation requires the shifting technique from Chapter 14, so this problem may be too advanced for many students at this time. Note that 2f(n) - f(n) = f(n), but also that:

$$2f(n) - f(n) = n\left(\frac{2}{4} + \frac{4}{8} + \frac{6}{16} + \dots + \frac{2(\log n - 1)}{n}\right) - n\left(\frac{1}{4} + \frac{2}{8} + \frac{3}{16} + \dots + \frac{\log n - 1}{n}\right)$$

$$= n\left(\sum_{i=1}^{\log n - 1} \frac{1}{2^i} - \frac{\log n - 1}{n}\right)$$

$$= n\left(1 - \frac{1}{n} - \frac{\log n - 1}{n}\right)$$

$$= n - \log n.$$

**5.21** Here are the final codes, rather than a picture.

1	0.0
h	010
i	011
е	1000
f	1001
j	101
d	11000
a	1100100
b	1100101
С	110011
g	1101
k	111

The average code length is 3.23445

- **5.22** The set of sixteen characters with equal weight will create a Huffman coding tree that is complete with 16 leaf nodes all at depth 4. Thus, the average code length will be 4 bits. This is identical to the fixed length code. Thus, in this situation, the Huffman coding tree saves no space (and costs no space).
- **5.23** (a) By the prefix property, there can be no character with codes 0, 00, or 001x where "x" stands for any binary string.
  - (b) There must be at least one code with each form 1x, 01x, 000x where "x" could be any binary string (including the empty string).
- **5.24** (a) Q and Z are at level 5, so any string of length n containing only Q's and Z's requires 5n bits.
  - (b) O and E are at level 2, so any string of length n containing only O's and E's requires 2n bits.
  - (c) The weighted average is

$$\frac{5*5+10*4+35*3+50*2}{100} = 2.7$$

bits per character

**5.25** This is a straightforward modification.

```
// Build a Huffman tree from minheap h1
template <class Elem>HuffTree<Elem>*
buildHuff(minheap<HuffTree<Elem>*,
         HHCompare<Elem> >* hl) {
  HuffTree<Elem> *temp1, *temp2, *temp3;
  while(h1->heapsize() > 1) { // While at least 2 items
    hl->removemin(temp1);
                           // Pull first two trees
    h1->removemin(temp2);
                           //
                                 off the heap
    temp3 = new HuffTree<Elem>(temp1, temp2);
   hl->insert(temp3); // Put the new tree back on list
    delete temp1;
                   // Must delete the remnants
    delete temp2;
                     // of the trees we created
  return temp3;
```

### **General Trees**

**6.1** The following algorithm is linear on the size of the two trees

```
// Return TRUE iff t1 and t2 are roots of identical
// general trees
template <class Elem>
bool Compare(GTNode<Elem>* t1, GTNode<Elem>* t2) {
  GTNode<Elem> *c1, *c2;
  if (((t1 == NULL) && (t2 != NULL)) ||
      ((t2 == NULL) && (t1 != NULL)))
    return false;
  if ((t1 == NULL) && (t2 == NULL)) return true;
  if (t1->val() != t2->val()) return false;
  c1 = t1->leftmost child();
  c2 = t2->leftmost child();
  while(!((c1 == NULL) && (c2 == NULL))) {
    if (!Compare(c1, c2)) return false;
    if (c1 != NULL) c1 = c1->right sibling();
    if (c2 != NULL) c2 = c2->right sibling();
```

**6.2** The following algorithm is  $\Theta(n^2)$ .

```
// Return true iff t1 and t2 are roots of identical
// binary trees
template <class Elem>
bool Compare2(BinNode<Elem>* t1, BinNode<Elem* t2) {
  BinNode<Elem> *c1, *c2;
  if (((t1 == NULL) && (t2 != NULL)) ||
      ((t2 == NULL) && (t1 != NULL)))
    return false;
  if ((t1 == NULL) && (t2 == NULL)) return true;
```

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```

```
if (t1->val() != t2->val()) return false;
     if (Compare2(t1->leftchild(), t2->leftchild())
       if (Compare2(t1->rightchild(), t2->rightchild())
         return true;
     if (Compare2(t1->leftchild(), t2->rightchild())
       if (Compare2(t1->rightchild(), t2->leftchild))
         return true;
     return false;
6.3 template <class Elem> // Print, postorder traversa
   void postprint(GTNode<Elem>* subroot) {
     for (GTNode<Elem>* temp = subroot->leftmost child();
          temp != NULL; temp = temp->right sibling())
       postprint(temp);
     if (subroot->isLeaf()) cout <<</pre>
     else cout << "Internal: ";</pre>
     cout << subroot->value() << "\n"</pre>
6.4 template <class Elem> // Count the number of nodes
   int gencount(GTNode<Elem>* subroot) {
     if (subroot == NULL) return 0
     int count = 1;
     GTNode<Elem>* temp = rt->leftmost child();
     while (temp != NULL) {
       count += gencount(temp);
       temp = temp->right_sibling();
     return count;
```

6.5 The Weighted Union Rule requires that when two parent-pointer trees are merged, the smaller one's root becomes a child of the larger one's root. Thus, we need to keep track of the number of nodes in a tree. To do so, modify the node array to store an integer value with each node. Initially, each node is in its own tree, so the weights for each node begin as 1. Whenever we wish to merge two trees, check the weights of the roots to determine which has more nodes. Then, add to the weight of the final root the weight of the new subtree.

6.6

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	9	0	0	12	0

**6.7** The resulting tree should have the following structure:

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Node 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 Parent 4 4 4 4 -1 4 4 0 0 4 9 9 9 12 9 -1

**6.8** For eight nodes labeled 0 through 7, use the following series of equivalences: (0, 1) (2, 3) (4, 5) (6, 7) (4 6) (0, 2) (4 0)

This requires checking fourteen parent pointers (two for each equivalence), but none are actually followed since these are all roots. It is possible to double the number of parent pointers checked by choosing direct children of roots in each case.

**6.9** For the "lists of Children" representation, every node stores a data value and a pointer to its list of children. Further, every child (every node except the root) has a record associated with it containing an index and a pointer. Indicating the size of the data value as D, the size of a pointer as P and the size of an index as I, the overhead fraction is

$$\frac{3P+I}{D+3P+1}$$

For the "Left Child/Right Sibling" representation, every node stores three pointers and a data value, for an overhead fraction of

$$\frac{3P}{D+3P}$$

The first linked representation of Section 6.3.3 stores with each node a data value and a size field (denoted by S). Each child (every node except the root) also has a pointer pointing to it. The overhead fraction is thus

$$\frac{S+P}{D+S+P}$$

making it quite efficient.

The second linked representation of Section 6.3.3 stores with each node a data value and a pointer to the list of children. Each child (every node except the root) has two additional pointers associated with it to indicate its place on the parent's linked list. Thus, the overhead fraction is

$$\frac{3P}{D+3P}$$

6.10 template <class Elem>
 BinNode<Elem>\* convert(GTNode<Elem>\* genroot) {
 if (genroot == NULL) return NULL;

GTNode<Elem>\* gtemp = genroot->leftmost\_child(); btemp = new BinNode(genroot->val(), convert(gtemp), convert(genroot->right\_sibling())); 6.11 • Parent(r) = (r-1)/k if 0 < r < n. • Ith child(r) = kr + I if kr + I < n. • Left sibling(r) = r - 1 if  $r \mod k \neq 1$  0 < r < n.

• Right sibling(r) = r + 1 if  $r \mod k \neq 0$  and r + 1 < n.

**6.12** (a) The overhead fraction is

$$\frac{4(k+1)}{4+4(k+1)}.$$

**(b)** The overhead fraction is

$$\frac{4k}{16+4k}.$$

(c) The overhead fraction is

$$\frac{4(k+2)}{16+4(k+2)}$$

(d) The overhead fraction is

$$\frac{2k}{2k+4}$$

**6.13 Base Case**: The number of leaves in a non-empty tree of 0 internal nodes is (K-1)0+1=1. Thus, the theorem is correct in the base case.

**Induction Hypothesis**: Assume that the theorem is correct for any full Kary tree containing n internal nodes.

**Induction Step:** Add K children to an arbitrary leaf node of the tree with n internal nodes. This new tree now has 1 more internal node, and K-1more leaf nodes, so theorem still holds. Thus, the theorem is correct, by the principle of Mathematical Induction.

**6.14** (a) CA/BG///FEDD///H/I// (b) C'A'/B'G/F'E'D/H'/I

6.15



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```
6.16 (a) // Use a helper function with a pass-by-reference
        // variable to indicate current position in the
        // node list.
        template <class Elem>
        BinNode<Elem>* convert(char* inlist) {
          int curr = 0;
          return converthelp(inlist, curr);
        }
        // As converthelp processes the node list, curi
        // incremented appropriately.
        template <class Elem>
        BinNode<Elem>* converthelp(char* inlist
                                    int& curr
          if (inlist[curr] == '/')
            curr++;
            return NULL;
          BinNode<Elem>* temp =
                                new BinNode(inlist[curr++],
                                             NULL, NULL);
          temp->left = converthelp(inlist, curr);
          temp->right = converthelp(inlist, curr);
          return temp;
     (b) // Use a helper function with a pass-by-reference
        // variable to indicate current position in the
        // node list.
        template <class Elem>
        BinNode<Elem>* convert(char* inlist) {
        int curr = 0;
          return converthelp(inlist, curr);
        // As converthelp processes the node list, curr is
         // incremented appropriately.
        template <class Elem>
        BinNode<Elem>* converthelp(char* inlist,
                                    int& curr) {
          if (inlist[curr] == '/') {
            curr++;
            return NULL;
          BinNode<Elem>* temp =
            new BinNode<Elem>(inlist[curr++], NULL, NULL);
          if (inlist[curr] == '\'') return temp;
```

```
curr++ // Eat the internal node mark.
     temp->left = converthelp(inlist, curr);
     temp->right = converthelp(inlist, curr);
     return temp;
   }
(c) // Use a helper function with a pass-by-reference
   // variable to indicate current position in the
   // node list.
   template <class Elem>
  GTNode<Elem>* convert(char* inlist) {
     int curr = 0;
     return converthelp(inlist, curr);
   }
   // As converthelp processes the node list, curr is
   // incremented appropriately.
   template <class Elem>
   GTNode<Elem>* converthelp(char* inlist,
                             int& curr) {
     if (inlist[curr] =
       curr++;
       return NULL;
     GTNode<Elem>* temp =
         new GTNode<Elem>(inlist[curr++]);
     if (curr == ')') {
       temp->insert_first(NULL);
       return temp;
     temp->insert first(converthelp(inlist, curr));
     while (curr != ')')
      temp->insert next(converthelp(inlist, curr));
     curr++;
     return temp;
```

6.17 The Huffman tree is a full binary tree. To decode, we do not need to know the weights of nodes, only the letter values stored in the leaf nodes. Thus, we can use a coding much like that of Equation 6.2, storing only a bit mark for internal nodes, and a bit mark and letter value for leaf nodes.

## **Internal Sorting**

**7.1 Base Case**: For the list of one element, the double loop is not executed and the list is not processed. Thus, the list of one element remains unaltered and is sorted.

**Induction Hypothesis**: Assume that the list of n elements is sorted correctly by Insertion Sort.

**Induction Step**: The list of n+1 elements is processed by first sorting the top n elements. By the induction hypothesis, this is done correctly. The final pass of the outer for loop will process the last element (call it X). This is done by the inner for loop, which moves X up the list until a value smaller than that of X is encountered. At this point, X has been properly inserted into the sorted list, leaving the entire collection of n+1 elements correctly sorted. Thus, by the principle of Mathematical Induction, the theorem is correct.

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- 7.3 The revised algorithm will work correctly, and its asymptotic complexity will remain  $\Theta(n^2)$ . However, it will do about twice as many comparisons, since it will compare adjacent elements within the portion of the list already known to be sorted. These additional comparisons are unproductive.
- **7.4** While binary search will find the proper place to locate the next element, it will still be necessary to move the intervening elements down one position in the array. This requires the same number of operations as a sequential search. However, it does reduce the number of element/element comparisons, and may be somewhat faster by a constant factor since shifting several elements may be more efficient than an equal number of swap operations.
- - (b) There is unlikely to be much improvement; more likely the algorithm will slow down. This is because the time spent checking (n times) is unlikely to save enough swaps to make up.
  - (c) Try it and see!
- Insertion Sort is stable. A swap is done only if the lower element's value is LESS.
  - Bubble Sort is stable. A swap is done only if the lower element's value is LESS.
  - Selection Sort is NOT stable. The new low value is set only if it is actually less than the previous one, but the direction of the search is from the bottom of the array. The algorithm will be stable if "less than" in the check becomes "less than or equal to" for selecting the low key position.
  - Shell Sort is NOT stable. The sublist sorts are done independently, and
    it is quite possible to swap an element in one sublist ahead of its equal
    value in another sublist. Once they are in the same sublist, they will
    retain this (incorrect) relationship.
  - Quick-sort is NOT stable. After selecting the pivot, it is swapped with the last element. This action can easily put equal records out of place.

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• Conceptually (in particular, the linked list version) Mergesort is stable. The array implementations are NOT stable, since, given that the sublists are stable, the merge operation will pick the element from the lower list before the upper list if they are equal. This is easily modified to replace "less than" with "less than or equal to."

- Heapsort is NOT stable. Elements in separate sides of the heap are processed independently, and could easily become out of relative order.
- Binsort is stable. Equal values that come later are appended to the list.
- Radix Sort is stable. While the processing is from bottom to top, the bins are also filled from bottom to top, preserving relative order.
- 7.7 In the worst case, the stack can store n records. This can be cut to  $\log n$  in the worst case by putting the larger partition on FIRST, followed by the smaller. Thus, the smaller will be processed first, cutting the size of the next stacked partition by at least half.
- **7.8** Here is how I derived a permutation that will give the desired (worst-case) behavior:

```
a b c 0 d e f g First, put 0 in pivot index (0+7/2),
                assign labels to the other positions
a b c g d e f 0 First swap
0 b c g d e f a End of first partition pass
0 b c g 1 e f a Set d = 1, it is in pivot index (1+7/2)
0 b c q a e f 1 First swap
0 1 c q a e f b End of partition pass
0 1 c g 2 e f b Set a = 2, it is in pivot index (2+7/2)
0 1 c q b e f 2 First swap
0 1 2 g b e f c End of partition pass
0 1 2 g b 3 f c Set e = 3, it is in pivot index (3+7/2)
0 1 2 g b c f 3 First swap
0 1 2 3 b c f g End of partition pass
0\ 1\ 2\ 3\ b\ 4\ f\ g\ Set\ c=4, it is in pivot index (4+7/2)
0 1 2 3 b q f 4 First swap
   2 3 4 g f b End of partition pass
    2 3 4 g 5 b Set f = 5, it is in pivot index (5+7/2)
0 1 2 3 4 q b 5 First swap
0 1 2 3 4 5 b g End of partition pass
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 g Set b = 6, it is in pivot index (6+7/2)
0 1 2 3 4 5 g 6 First swap
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 g End of parition pass
0\ 1\ 2\ 3\ 4\ 5\ 6\ 7\ Set\ q=7.
```

Plugging the variable assignments into the original permutation yields:

#### 2 6 4 0 1 3 5 7

**7.9** (a) Each call to qsort costs  $\Theta(i \log i)$ . Thus, the total cost is

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} i \log i = \Theta(n^2 \log n).$$

- (b) Each call to qsort costs  $\Theta(n \log n)$  for length(L) = n, so the total cost is  $\Theta(n^2 \log n)$ .
- **7.10** All that we need to do is redefine the comparison test to use strcmp. The quicksort algorithm itself need not change. This is the advantage of paramerizing the comparator.
- **7.11** For n=1000,  $n^2=1,000,000$ ,  $n^{1.5}=1000*\sqrt{1000}\approx 32,000$ , and  $n\log n\approx 10,000$ . So, the constant factor for Shellsort can be anything less than about 32 times that of Insertion Sort for Shellsort to be faster. The constant factor for Shellsort can be anything less than about 100 times that of Insertion Sort for Quicksort to be faster.
- **7.12** (a) The worst case occurs when all of the sublists are of size 1, except for one list of size i k + 1. If this happens on each call to SPLITk, then the total cost of the algorithm will be  $\Theta(n^2)$ .
  - (b) In the average case, the lists are split into k sublists of roughly equal length. Thus, the total cost is  $\Theta(n \log_k n)$ .
- **7.13** (This question comes from Rawlins.) Assume that all nuts and all bolts have a partner. We use two arrays N[1..n] and B[1..n] to represent nuts and bolts.

#### Algorithm 1

Using merge-sort to solve this problem.

First, split the input into n/2 sub-lists such that each sub-list contains two nuts and two bolts. Then sort each sub-lists. We could well come up with a pair of nuts that are both smaller than either of a pair of bolts. In that case, all you can know is something like:

N1, N2

B1, B2

At each line, there is no information available about the relationships of those objects. As merge-sort goes on, at any given instant, we have a partially sorted list of object. That might look something like:

**B**1

N2 N3

B4 B5 B6

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N7 N8 N9

B<sub>10</sub>

B11

Again, at each line, there is no information available about the relationships of those objects.

To merge two such lists, we can do a normal merge, until we reach the point were we either compare an element (say a nut) against a list of undifferentiated bolts (which requires a simple pass through the list), or else a set of undifferentiated nuts and another set of undifferentiated bolts. This would require a recursive call to the sorting program.

Unfortunately, in the worst case, one sublist will contain nuts all smaller than bolts, and the other will contain bolts all smaller than nuts. Thus, merging the two sublists will require solving two more subproblems of size n/2. In that case, the of this algorithm (and any similar divide-and-conquer algorithm) is:

$$T(n) = 4T(n/2) + O(n) = O(n^2).$$

**7.14** (a) For 3 values, use the following series of if statements (based on the decision tree concept of Figure 8.16, and optimized for swaps).

```
void Sort3(ELEM A) { // Assume A has 3 elements
  if (A[1] < A[0])
    if (A[2] < A[0])
      if (A[2] < A[1])
        swap(A[0], A[2]);
                          // YZX
        swap(A[0], A[1]);
        swap(A[1], A[2]);
                          // YXZ
    else
      swap(A[0], A[1]);
    if (A[2] < A[1])
      if (A[2] < A[1]) \{ // ZXY \}
        swap(A[0], A[2]);
        swap(A[1], A[2]);
      }
                          // XZY
      else
        swap(A[1], A[2]);
    else
                          // XYZ -- Do nothing
}
   Cost:
```

Best case: 2 compares.

Avg case: 16/6 = 22/3 compares.

Worst case: 3 compares.

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- (b) Doing a similar approach of building a decision tree for 5 numbers is somewhat overwhelming since there are 120 permutations. A pretty good algorithm can be had be building on Sort3 from part (a). Use Sort3 to sort the first 3 numbers. Then, add the 4th number in 2 comparisons by checking the middle of the first 3, and then checking the 1st or 3rd as appropriate. The last number can be added using at most 3 comparisons by checking the 2nd of the first 4 numbers, then (at worst) the 3rd and 4th. Thus, the total number of comparisons is at most 8. The best case is 6, the average case is 7 4/15 (2 2/3 for the first 3 numbers, exactly 2 for the 4th number and 2 3/5 for the 5th number).

  It is possible to do this in 7 comparisons, worst case. Seek Knuth,
- (c) Call the algorithm from part (b) Sort5. Use it to sort the first 5 numbers in at most 8 comparisons. Now, add in the sixth number by first checking the 3rd position, and then 2 more comparisons as necessary. Likewise, number 7 can be added with at most 3 comparisons and number 8 needs at most 3 comparisons. So, the worst case is 17. The best case is 13.

There is an algorithm that can do this in 16 comparisons for the worst case. See Knuth, Volume 3.

- **7.15** For this problem, a Binsort is ideal. In fact, we can keep the memory down to only 30,000 bits by storing a single bit for each value in the range. Read the numbers in sequential order and mark the ith bit for a number i. At the end, merely write out the numbers, in order, whose bits are marked.
- **7.16** (a) This can be done directly in  $\Theta(n)$  worst case time without sorting.
  - **(b)** This can be done directly in  $\Theta(n)$  worst case time without sorting.
  - (c) This can be done directly in  $\Theta(n)$  worst case time without sorting.
  - (d) Sorting allows this to be done in  $\Theta(n \log n)$  time by first sorting and then selecting the value in the middle position. However, it is possible to use a variation on Quicksort to do this in  $\Theta(n)$  time in the average case. (Most students at this level will not be familiar with that median selection algorithm, however).
  - (e) This is best done by sorting, then making a pass through the array keeping track of the item seen the most times.
- **7.17** Consider Mergesort in terms of a full binary tree. Each call to Mergesort either results in two new calls to Mergesort, or else a single call to Insertion

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Sort. Thus, the calls to Insertion Sort are equivalent to the leaf nodes of a full binary tree. We know from the Full Binary Tree Theorem that the number of leaf nodes in a full binary tree of n nodes is  $\lceil n/2 \rceil$ . Thus, if there are n calls to Mergesort, there will be  $\lceil n/2 \rceil$  calls to Insertion Sort.

```
7.18 LList<int> mergesort(LList<int> inlist) {
      LList<int> templist[2];
      if (inlist.length() <= 1) return inlist;</pre>
      inlist.setStart();
      int curr = 0;
      // Split the elements among two sublists lists
      while (!inlist.isEmpty()) {
        int item;
        inlist.remove(item);
        templist[curr].append(item);
        curr = (curr + 1) % 2;
      }
      mergesort(templist[0]);
      mergesort(templist[1]);
      // Now, merge the lists together
      templist[0].setFirst();
      templist[1].setFirst();
      while (!templist[0].isEmpty() ||
             !templist[1].isEmpty()) {
        if (templist[0].isEmpty()) {
          templist[1].remove(item);
          inlist.append(item);
        else if (templist[1].isEmpty()) {
        templist[0].remove(item);
          inlist.append(item);
        else if (templist[0].currValue() <
                 templist[1].currValue()) {
          item = templist[0].remove();
          inlist.append(item);
        else {
          item = templist[1].remove();
          inlist.append(item);
      return inlist;
```

7.19 There are n possible choices for the position of a given element in the array. Any search algorithm based on comparisons can be modeled using a decision tree. The tree must have at least n leaf nodes, one for each of the possible choices for solution. A tree with n leaves must have depth at least  $\log n$ . Thus, any search algorithm based on comparisons requires at least  $\log n$  work in the worst case.



# File Processing and External Sorting

- **8.1** Clearly the prices continue to change. But, the principles remain the same.
- **8.2** The first question is How many tracks are required by the file? A track holds 144\*.5K = 72K. Thus, the file requires 5 tracks. The time to read a track is seek time to the track + latency time + (interleaf factor × rotation time). Average seek time is defined to be 80 ms. Latency time is 0.5\*16.7 ms, and track rotation time is 16.7 ms for a total time to read the first track of

$$80 + 4.5 * 16.7 \approx 155$$
 ms.

Seek time for the remaining four tracks is defined to be 20 ms (since they are adjacent), with identical latency and read times. Thus, the total file read time is

$$155 + 4(20 + 4.5 * 16.7) \approx 536 \text{ ms}$$

which is pretty slow by today's standards.

- **8.3** The expected time to read one track at random was given in the previous exercise as 80 + 4.5 \* 16.7 = 155 ms.
  - The expected time to read one sector at random is seek time plus latency plus the time to read one sector (which takes up 1/144 of a track). Thus, the time required is  $80 + .5 * 16.7 + 1/144 * 16.7 \approx 88.5$  ms.
  - To read one byte, we save the sector read time of 1/144\*16.7 which is about .1 ms., which is insignificant.
- **8.4** This is quite similar to Exercise 8.2, but with more modern equipment. One track holds 31.5K bytes, so the file requires 4 tracks plus 4 sectors of a fifth track. Seek time to the first track is 3 ms +2100/3\*0.08 ms  $\approx 59ms$ .

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Latency and read time together require 3.5\*8.33 ms. Thus, the time to read the first track is about 88 ms. The time to read the next three tracks is  $3+2100/3*0.08+3.5*8.33\approx 32.2$  ms. The last track takes just as long to read since it requires three rotations to read the 4 blocks. Thus, the total time required is 88+32.2\*4=216.8 ms.

8.5 (a) Since a track holds 128Kb, the file requires 80 contiguous tracks. The interleave factor is three; rotational delay is one-half rotation; and the time to do one rotation at 5400 rpm is 11.11 ms. Thus, the time to read a track (once we have done the seek) is 3.5 \* 11.11 ≈ 33.9 ms. Since the random seek time is defined to be 9.5 ms., the track-to-track seek time is defined to be 2.2 ms., and the tracks are all adjacent, the total time required is

$$9.5 + 33.9 + 79(2.2 + 33.9) \approx 2895.3 \text{ ms.}$$

(b) The file now requires 2560 clusters, and each cluster requires a random seek. Since the interleave factor is 3, the angular spread for a cluster is 22 sectors. Since a track holds 256 sectors, the time to read a cluster (once the seek has been performed is the rotational delay (one half of a rotation) plus 22/256 of a rotation. Thus, the total cost is

$$2560(9.5 + 11.11(0.5 + 22/256)) \approx 40,985 \text{ ms.}$$

This is far more expensive than storing the file in adjacent tracks.

**8.6** Considering all of the possible cases for a disk with n tracks, the first track could be at any position from 1 to n, and the second track could be at any position from 1 to n. If the first track is i and the second is j, then the distance is |j-i|. Alternatively, in n of the  $n^2$  possible cases the distance is 0, and otherwise we can count only the cases where i < j and multiply the sum by two to account for the cases where j < i. Thus, we get the average cost as

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 2\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=i+1}^{n}(j-i)}{n^{2}} & = \\ & 2\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n-1}\sum_{j=1}^{i}(j)}{n^{2}} & = \\ & 2\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n-1}(i^{2}+i)/2}{n^{2}} & = \\ & \frac{1}{n^{2}}(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1}i^{2}+i) & = \end{array}$$

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$$\frac{1}{n^2}(\frac{2n^3+3n^2+n}{6}+\frac{3n^2+3n}{6}) = \frac{2n^3+6n^2+4n}{6n^2} \approx n/3.$$

- **8.7** The batch method is more efficient when enough sectors are visited to make processing the whole file in sequential order more efficient. Since the file consists of 10,000 sectors, it requires 50,000 ms to process sequentially. This is equivalent to random access to 1000 sectors. Thus, if the set of queries requires processing more than 1000 sectors, it would be more efficient to process the entire file in batch mode.
- **8.8** (a) 10 4 6 8 5
  - **(b)** 5 (6 times) 3 (3 times) 4 (1 time) 6 (1 time) 8 (1 time)
  - (c) 5 (6 times) 3 (3 times) 9 (3 times) 2 (3 times) 8 (2 times)
  - (d) 586410
- **8.9** Since working memory is 1MB and the block size is 1KB, the number of blocks in working memory is 1024. The expected runlength is 2MB, since replacement selection will, on average, produce runs that are twice the memory size. 1024 runs can be merged in a single multiway merge operation. Thus, the largest expected file size for a single pass of multiway merge is 2 Gigabytes.
- **8.10** Since working memory is 256KB and the blocksize is 8KB, the working memory holds 32 blocks. The expected runlength is 512KB, so a single pass of multiway merge forms runs of length 16MB. The second pass then forms a run as large as 512MB.
- **8.11** This proposition is TRUE. If a record X is preceded by less than M keys larger than it, then X will gain entry into the heap prior to any of the keys larger than it being output. Thus, X will be output. Since this condition holds for all records, all records are output in sorted order.
- 8.12 As illustrated by Exercise 8.9, reasonable use of memory should allow this file to be sorted after a single execution of replacement selection followed by a single execution of multi-way merge. In practice, this means reading and writing every record twice, with random block access. If average block access time is estimated to be 10 ms, and the file consists of 4K blocks, the file has around 25,000 blocks. Thus, the entire operation takes about 4 \* 25000 \* .01 = 1000 sec which is a bit over 15 minutes. This is not unreasonable in comparison with the third line of Table 9.12, considering that disks are now faster than that used for the table.
- **8.13** (a) Speeding up the CPU will have little effect on an external sorting operation.

- **(b)** Cutting the disk I/O time will substantially improve the external sorting time. A reasonable estimate is that cutting disk I/O time in half will cut the sorting time by around 1/3.
- (c) Main memory access time will not help a great deal, since disk I/O is the probable bottleneck. However, for the sorting operation, main memory access time is in fact more of a bottleneck than CPU speed, so it should help more to speed the memory than to speed the CPU.
- (d) Increasing the memory size by a factor of two will increase the file size that can be processed by a single pass of multi-way merge by a factor of four, in two passes by a factor of eight, and so no. If this leads to a reduction in the number of passes need to process the file, then a substantial time savings will be realized. This could easily cut the processing time by 1/3 or 1/4 since 2 or 3 passes of multiway merge under the initial conditions are reasonable to expect.
- **8.14** How to approach this depends on the form of the records. If they have relatively small, fixed-length keys, the best solution would be to make a simple linear index file, as discussed in Chapter 11. Simply make a pass through the original record file and store in the index file for each record the key and a pointer to the original record. Then, sort the index file.

If the records to be sorted have a large, variable length key, the index file approach will not work. In this case, it is possible to sort the file directly. We must modify both replacement selection and multiway merge. For replacement selection, we should still use the concept of an index in the heap. The heap stores fixed length pointers to a pool of variable length records read into memory. To compare two elements in the heap, go back to the records in the pool. In this way the heap can be manipulated without disturbing the pool. As records are processed, read them out of the pool. Compacting the pool or some similar memory management concept (Chapter 12) will be necessary. For multiway merge, simply read in as many records as will fit into each

For multiway merge, simply read in as many records as will fit into each run's memory space, and refill as necessary. The merge process itself remains unchanged, except that a suitable compare function will be required.

## **Searching**

**9.1** The graph shows a straight line from (n+1)/2 when  $p_0 = 0$  to n when  $p_0 = 1$ . Thus, the growth rate in the cost for a search is linear as the probability of an unsuccessful search increases.

```
9.2 int dictsrch(int array[], int K, int left, int right,
                int low, int high) {
     // left and right are array bounds. low and high are
     // key range bounds. Return position of the element
     // in array (if any) with value K
     int i;
     double fract;
     int l = left-1;
     int r = right+1;
                       // l and r beyond bounds of array
     if (K == high)
                        // Special case
       if (K == array[right]) return right;
       else return UNSUCCESSFUL;
     while (r != 1+1) \{ // Stop when 1 and r meet \}
       // Compute where in the current range K will be
       fract = (double)(K - low)/(double)(high - low);
       // Set pos to check at that fraction of bounds
       i = l+1 + (int)(fract * (double)(r - l - 1));
       // i will be between 1 and r, non-inclusive,
       // so progress must be made
       // Now, check that position and update ranges
       if (K < array[i])</pre>
         { r = i; high = array[i]; }
       if (K == array[i]) return i;
       if (K > array[i])
         { l = i; low = array[i]; }
     return UNSUCCESSFUL; // key value not found
```

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}

- **9.3** At each step, the exponent, call it x, is cut in half. This can only happen  $\log x$  times. Of course,  $x = \log n$ . Thus, the total cost is  $O(\log \log n)$ .
- **9.4** The partition and findpivot functions remain the same.

```
template <class Elem, class Comp>
int findK(Elem A[], int i, int j, Elem K) {
  if (j <= i) return i; // Don't sort 0 or 1 Elem
  int pivotindex = findpivot(A, i, j);
  swap(A, pivotindex, j); // Put pivot at end
  // k will be the first position in the right subarray
  int k = partition<Elem,Comp>(A, i-1, j, A[j]);
  swap(A, k, j); // Put pivot in place
  if (Comp.eq(A[k], K)) return k;
  if (Comp.gt(A[k], K))
  return findK<Elem,Comp>(A, i, k-1, K);
  else return findK<Elem,Comp>(A, k+1, j, K);
}
```

- **9.5** Binary search is faster since the self-organizing search cost grows faster. Note, however, that self-organizing search may be faster when the time to sort prior to binary search is an important factor.
- **9.6** Count: H G E D C A B F; the number of searches is 53.

Move-to-front: GHECDABF; the number of searches is 59.

Transpose: A B D E H G C F; the number of searches is 95.

**9.7** For count, visit each record in turn in the order that will visit the last element each time. For example, if for the values 0 to 7 stored in ascending order initially, visit them in reverse order (from 7 down to 0).

For Move-to-Front, again visit in reverse order.

For Transpose, alternately visit the last two elements, as described in the book.

9.8 template <class Elem>

```
void FreqCount(Elem A[], int count[]) {
    // Assume that array is empty to begin with
    int n = 0;
    while ((int val = GETNEXT()) != DONE) {
        for (i=0; i<n; i++)
            if (A[i] == val) break;
        if (i == n) {
            A[n] = val;
            count[n++] = 1;
        }
}</pre>
```

else { count[i]++; while ((i > 0) && (count[i] > count[i-1])) { swap(A[i], A[i-1]); swap(count[i], count[i-1]); } } 9.9 template <class Elem> void MoveToFront(Elem A[]) { // Assume that array is empty to begin with int n = 0; while ((int val = GETNEXT()) != DONE for (i=0; i<n; i++) if (A[i] == val) break; if (i == n) A[n] = val;while (i > 0)swap(A[i], A[i-1]); } } 9.10 template <class Elem> void tanspose(Elem A[]) { // Assume that array is empty to begin with int n = 0; while ((int val = GETNEXT()) != DONE) { for (i=0; i<n; i++) if (A[i] == val) break; if (i == n) A[n] = val;if (i != 0)swap(A[i], A[i-1]); // in1 and in2 are input bit vectors, out is output bit vector; n is length of bit vector in ints. Assume // the length of the bit vectors are always a number // of ints. void union(int\* in1, int\* in2, int\* out, int n) { for (int i=0; i<n; i++) out[i] = in1[i] | in2[i]; } // in1 and in2 are input bit vectors, out is output bit // vector; n is length of bit vector in ints. Assume

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```
// the length of the bit vectors are alwasy a number
// of ints.
void inter(int* in1, int* in2, int* out, int n) {
  for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
    out[i] = in1[i] & in2[i];
}

// in1 and in2 are input bit vectors, out is output bit
// vector; n is length of bit vector in ints. Assume
// the length of the bit vectors are alwasy a number
// of ints.
void diff(int* in1, int* in2, int* out, int n) {
  for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
    out[i] = in1[i] & ~in2[i];
}</pre>
```

**9.12** (a) The probability p can be computed as follows:

$$p = 1 - \overline{p} = 1 - \frac{364 * 363 * \dots * 343}{365 * 365 * \dots * 365} \approx 50.7\%.$$

My simulation program give 50,5%.

- **(b)** My simulation program gives 64.4%
- (c) Simplify this problem by assuming that each month has equal probability for having an individual's birthday. Five students is sufficient in fact, for five students the probability of a match is over 60% My simulation program gives 42.9% for 4 people, and 62.2% for 5 people.
- **9.13** (a) No if  $K \ge n^2$  then the result will be out of the range of the hash table.
  - **(b)** Yes –but is the worst possible hash function since all values hash to the same location.
  - (c) No it is not possible to recover the location of the element once it is stored using a random number.
  - (d) Yes this may be a reasonable hash function, if K tends to be much larger than n.
- **9.14** The table will store values in order:

Slot: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6
Value: 9 3 2 12

Slot 0 and 1 will be filled next with probability 1/7. Slot 6 will be filled next with probability 5/7.

- **9.15** Using a hash table of size 101, here are the results.
  - (a) 20
  - **(b)** 71

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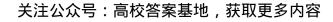
```
(c) 37
9.16 Key: 2 8 31 20 19 18 53 27
     H1: 2 8 5 7 6 5 1 1
     H2: 3 9 1 1 2 3 1 5
     Result of inserting:
         2 \rightarrow 2 \text{ OK}
         8 \rightarrow 8 \text{ OK}
         31 \rightarrow 5 \text{ OK}
         20 \rightarrow 7 \text{ OK}
         19 \rightarrow 6 \text{ OK}
         18 \rightarrow 5 Collision. So, try 5+3=8. Collision.
              Then 5+6 = 11. OK
         53 \rightarrow 1 \text{ OK}
         27 \rightarrow 1 Collision. So, try 1+5=6. Collision.
              Then 1+5+5=11. Collision.
              Then 1+5+5+5\% 13 = 3. OK
     Final table:
     Position: 0
                                                     9 10 11 12
    Value:
                          2 27
                                    31 19 20
                                                            18
9.17 // Search for and delete the record with Key K
     template <class Key, class Elem, class KEComp,
                 class EEComp>
     bool hashdict<Key, Elem, KEComp, EEComp>::
     hashDelete(const Key& K, Elem& e) const {
       int home;
                                  // Home position for K
       // Initial posit on probe sequence
       int pos = home = h(K);
       for (int i = 1; !KEComp::eq(K, HT[pos]) &&
                          !EEComp::eq(EMPTY, HT[pos]); i++)
          // Next on probe sequence
         pos = (home + p(K, i)) % M;
       if (KEComp::eq(K, HT[pos])) { // Found it
         e = HT[pos];
         HT[pos] = TOMBSTONE; // Delete it
         return true;
                              // K not in hash table
       else return false;
     }
```

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```
// Insert e into hash table HT
template <class Key, class Elem, class KEComp,
          class EEComp>
bool hashdict<Key, Elem, KEComp, EEComp>::
hashInsert(const Elem& e) {
                                 // Home position for
  int home;
  int pos = home = h(getkey(e)); // Init probe sequence
  for (int i=1; (!(EEComp::eq(EMPTY, HT[pos])) &&
             !(EEComp::eq(TOMBSTONE, HT[pos]))); i++) {
    pos = (home + p(getkey(e),i)) % M; // Follow probes
    if (EEComp::eq(e, HT[pos])) return false; // Dup
 HT[pos] = e;
                                 // Insert e
  return true;
}
```

The search function need not be changed at all, since tombstone slots should be treated as though they are full.

**9.18** This "random" probe sequence yields identical results to using linear probing with a constant skip factor of 2. In other words, if an element has its home slot at position 2, it will follow the same probe sequence as an element whose home slot is at position 0 and probed one time to slot 2. Thus, we must be careful that the random permutation does not have properties of regular behavior as shown by this series.



## Indexing

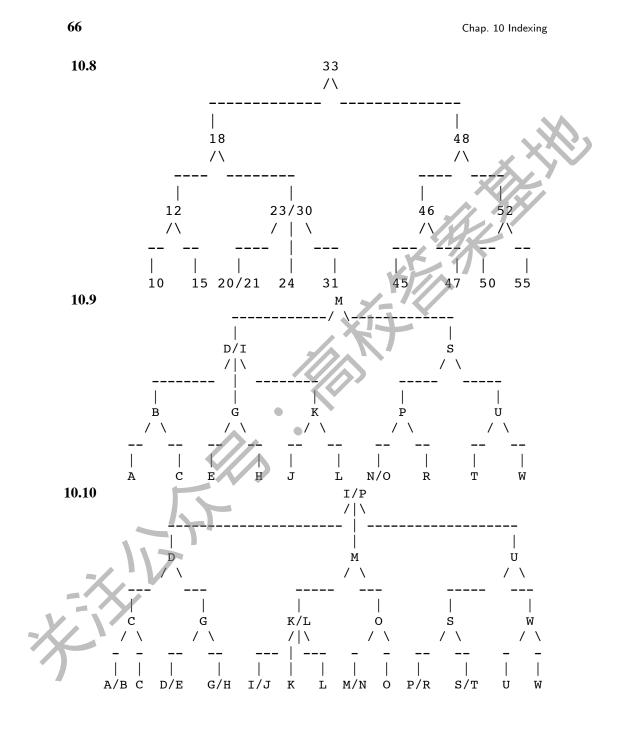
- **10.1** (a) A record in the linear index refers to a block of sorted data records. Assuming that the linear index stores a key and a 4 byte block number, the index can hold information for 32K blocks, for a total file size of 32MB, or 4M records.
  - (b) This second level index allows the first level index to be 128 blocks, or 16K records long. Thus, the record file can contain 16K blocks, or 16MB, which is 2M records. While this is smaller than the situation in (a), there is only a very small amount of main memory in use.
- 10.2 (a) Assuming that the linear index stores a key and a 4 byte block number, the index can hold information for 256K blocks. Assume that a block hold  $\lfloor 4096/68 \rfloor = 60$  records. Thus, the data file can hold up to 15,728,640 records.
  - (b) This second level index allows the first level index to be 1024 blocks, or .5M records long. Thus, the record file can contain .5M blocks, which is 30M records.
- 10.3 No change needs to be made, since the data value itself is not used by the binary search function, only the key which is stored in the index.
- **10.4** The linear index will store the key values in sorted order, with each key having a pointer to its string.

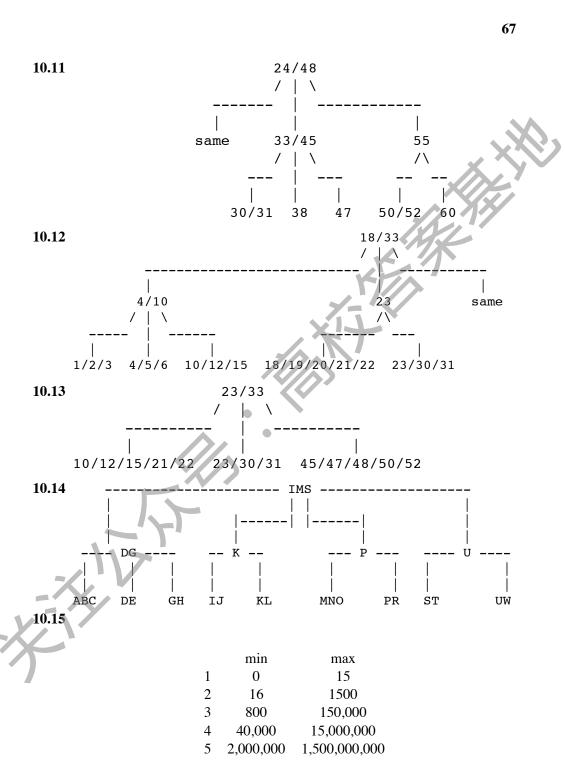
10.5	(a) sec			primary
	key	index	index	key
	DEER	0	0	2398
	DUCK	4	1	3456
	FROG	7	2	8133
	GOAT	9	3	9737

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			4	2936	
			5	7183	
			6	9279	
			7	1111	
			8	7186	
			9	7739	
<b>(b)</b>	sec			primary	Nex
	key	index	index	key	
	DEER	0	0	2398	1
	DUCK	4	1	3456	2
	FROG	7	2	8133	3
	GOAT	9	3	9737	-1
			4	2936	5
			5	7183	6
			6	9279	-1
			7	1111	8
			8	7186	-1
			9	7739	-1

- **10.6** ISAM is space efficient, more so than the B-tree. If few records are inserted, the ISAM system will work well. ISAM will continue to work well even if a number of records are deleted.
- **10.7** The 2-3 tree of k levels will have the fewest nodes if no parent has three children. We know from Chapter 5 that the complete binary tree with k levels has at least  $2^{k-1}$  leaves.
  - The 2-3 tree of k levels will have the most nodes if every parent has three children. A 3-ary tree with k levels can have as many as  $3^{k-1}$  nodes.





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10.16

	min	max
1	0	50
2	50	2500
3	1250	125,000
4	31,250	6,250,000
5	781 250	312 500 000

### **Graphs**

**11.1 Base Case**: A graph with 1 vertex has 1(1-1)/2=0 edges. Thus, the theorem holds in the base case.

**Induction Hypothesis**: A graph with n vertices has at most n(n-1)/2 edges.

**Induction Step**: Add a new vertex to a graph of n vertices. The most edges that can be added is n, by connecting the new vertex to each of the old vertices, with the maximum number of edges occurring in the complete graph. Thus,

$$E(n+1) \ge E(n) + n \ge n(n-1)/2 + n = (n^2 + n)/2 = n(n+1)/2.$$

By the principle of Mathematical Induction, the theorem is correct.

- 11.2 (a) For a graph of n vertices to be connected, clearly at least  $|\mathbf{V}| 1$  edges are required since each edge serves to add one more vertex to the connected component. No cycles means that no additional edges are given, yielding exactly  $|\mathbf{V}| 1$  edges.
  - (b) Proof by contradiction. If the graph is not connected, then by definition there are at least two components. At least one of these components has i vertices with i or more edges (by the pigeonhole principle). Given i-1 edges to connect the component, the ith edge must then directly connect two of the vertices already connected through the other edges. The result is a cycle. Thus, to avoid a cycle, the graph must be connected.

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(c) The adjacency matrix requires  $36 \times 2 = 72$  bytes. The adjacency list requires  $24 \times 4 + 18 \times (2 + 2) = 168$  bytes. Thus, the matrix is considerably more efficient in this case.

11.5

11.6 Add the following at the end of algorithm on Page 206:

11.7 In the worst case, and algorithm for finding the shortest path between a given pair of vertices i and j will have to visit every node in the graph. In the process of visiting every node in the graph, we can determine the shortest paths from the start vertex to all the nodes. Thus, in the worst case, the

cost for finding all of the shortest paths is no worse than the cost to find the shortest path between a specified pair of vertices.

11.8

	1	2	3	4	5	6
Initial	$\infty$	$\infty$	$\infty$	0	$\infty$	$\infty$
Process 4	20	5	$\infty$	0	11	10
Process 2	15	5	8	0	11	10
Process 3	15	5	8	0	11	10
Process 6	12	5	8	0	11	10
Process 5	12	5	8	0	11	10
Process 1	12	5	8	0	11	10

**11.9** Store at each position of array D both the distance, and the neighbor through which the vertex is reached (the vertex's parent in the DFS tree). At the end, print out the path, in reverse order back to the source.

```
// Compute shortest path distances
void Dijkstra(Graph* G, Rec D[], int s) {
  int i, v, w;
  for (int i=0; i<G->n(); i++)
                                  // Initialize
    D[i].dist = INFINITY;
  D[s].dist = 0; D[s].par = -1; // This is the root
  for (i=0; i<G->n(); i++) {
                                // Process vertices
    v = minVertex(G, D);
if (D[v].dist == INFINITY) return; // Unreachable
    G->setMark(v, VISITED);
    for (w=G->first(v); w<G->n(); w = G->next(v,w))
      if (D[w].dist > (D[v].dist + G->weight(v, w))) {
      D[w].dist = D[v].dist + G->weight(v, w);
       D[w].par = v; // w's parent in the DFS is v
   Print out the paths (in reverse order)
  for (i=0; i<G->n(); i++) {
    cout << "Path for " << i << ": ";
    for (t=i; D[t].par != -1; t = D[t].par)
      cout << t << " ";
    cout << s << "\n";
}
```

**11.10** Here is a pseudo-code sketch of the algorithm. Converting to  $C^{++}$  is quite easy since the code is given in the book as described here.

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```
INITIALIZE array Count to 0's;
FOR every edge (v, w) // Similar to BFS topo sort
   Count[w]++;
IF the number of vertices with zero Count is not 1
   THEN return "No Root";
ELSE {
   do DFS search from the vertex with zero Count;
   Verify that every vertex has been marked;
}
```

11.11 The following algorithm is  $O(|\mathbf{V}| + |\mathbf{E}|)$ . It is a minor modification on DFS. Unfortunately, it will not detect a cycle if the input is not a DAG.

- **11.12** To solve this problem, simply run the BFS topological sort algorithm. If there are any cycles, then some vertices will remain in the queue.
- 11.13 To solve this problem, simply run the standard DFS algorithm, returning the fact that there is a cycle if any already visited vertex is encountered (ignoring the edge returning to the vertex that you just came from). This algorithm has has time  $\Theta(|V|)$  because the graph can only have  $\Theta(|V|-1)$  edges if it does not contain a cycle, and any existing cycle will be detected in at most |V| edge visits.
- **11.14** Simply reverse the direction of all the edges, then run the standard algorithm for Single-Source Shortest Paths.
- **11.15** O-paths:

```
2 3 4 5 6
1 10 x 20 x 2
2 3 5 x x
3 x 15 x
4 11 10
5 3
```

1-paths:

	2	3	4	5	6
1	10	x	20	x	2
2		3	5	x	12
3			х	15	Х
4				11	10
5					3

#### 2-paths:

2 3 4 5 6 1 10 13 15 x 2 2 3 5 x 12 3 8 15 15 4 11 10 5 3

#### 3-paths:

#### 4-paths:

2 3 4 5 6 1 10 13 15 31 2 2 3 5 16 12 3 8 15 15 4 11 10 5 3

#### 5-paths:

2 3 4 5 6 1 10 13 15 31 2 2 3 5 16 12 3 8 15 15 4 11 10 5 3

6-paths:

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```
2 3 4 5 6
1 10 13 12 6 2
2 3 5 16 12
3 8 15 15
4 11 10
5 3
```

- 11.16 The problem is that each entry of the array is set independently, forcing processing of the adjacency list repeatedly from the beginning. This illustrates the dangers involved in thoughtlessly using an inefficient access member to a data structure implementation. A better solution is to process the actual edges within the graph. In other words, for each vertex, visit its adjacency list. Set the shortest-paths array by setting the values associated with that edge. If the array is initialized with values of  $\infty$ , then any vertices not connected by an edge will retain that value.
- 11.17 Clearly the algorithm requires at least  $\Omega(n^2)$  time since this much information must be produced in the end. A stronger lower bound is difficult to obtain, and certainly beyond the ability of students at this level. The primary goal of this exercise is for the students to demonstrate understanding of the concept of a lower bound on a problem, in a context where they will not be able to make the lower bound and the algorithm's upper bound meet.
- **11.18** (3, 2) (2, 4) (2, 1) (1, 6) (6, 5).

Alternatively, (3, 2) (2, 4) (4, 6) (6, 1) (6, 5).

```
11.19

1 2 3 4 5 6

Initial -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1

(1, 6) -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1

(2, 3) -1 -1 2 -1 -1 1

(6, 5) -1 -1 2 -1 1 1

(1, 2) -1 1 2 -1 1 1

(6, 4) -1 1 2 1 1
```

- 11.20 Simply use any Minimal Cost Spanning Tree algorithm, but alway pick the greatest edge among the available choices instead of the least edge.
- 11.21 The two algorithms can yield different spanning trees only if they make different choices regarding equal-valued edges. For example, the answers to Exercises 7.17 and 7.18 indicate that choices can be made, leading to different spanning trees with the same total value.
- **11.22** The proof that Prim's algorithm is correct serves as a proof for this theorem, since, when the edge values are distinct, Prim's algorithm has only one series of alternatives, leading to one unique tree.

- 11.23 If all of the edges are negative, then a smaller number is obtained by picking more edges than necessary to span the graph. It is not clear what the desired answer should be (1) the smallest value that spans the graph, even if it is not a tree, or (2)the smallest value with the minimum number of edges required to span the tree. If (1), then neither algorithm works since both will give spanning trees, not the graph that spans but with least value. If (2), then the algorithms work.
- **11.24** Dijkstra's algorithm does yield a spanning tree. However, this spanning tree is not necessarily of least cost. Consider the example:



The MST is (A, C) (B, C) for cost 5. But, if starting at A, Dijkstra's algorithm will pick (A, C) (A, B) since by that way B is closer.



# Lists and Arrays Revisited

**12.1** Here is the final Skip List.

```
head 2 5 20 25 26 30 31
+----> +--> +--> +--> /
+----> +---> /
+----> /
```

- 12.2 For each even numbered node i, i can be written as  $j2^k$  for the largest possible integer k. For example, 8 is  $1*2^3$  and 12 is  $3*2^2$ . Each even numbered node  $j2^k$  stores a pointer to  $(j+1)2^k$ . This makes access time  $2\log n+1$  in the worst case. Odd numbered nodes i can point to node i+2 to speed the search somewhat.
- 12.3 The average number of pointers for a Skip List with n nodes is 2n (not counting the header).

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```
update[i] = x;  // Keep track of end at level i
}
if (!KEcomp.eq(K, x->forward[0]->value))
  return;  // Value not in list
x = forward[0];  // Pointing at node to delete
for (i=0; i<=x->level; i++) // Fix up the pointers
  update[i]->forward[i] = x->forward[i];
Elem temp = x->value;
delete x;
return temp;
```

12.5 This is something of a trick question. There is no good access method for finding the ith node, other than to count over i pointers at level 0.

- 12.6 A regular array cell requires 8 bytes (a value. A sparse matrix cell requires 4 pointers, two indices and a value for a total of 28 bytes. If the array contains more than 8/28 or 29% non-zero-valued elements, then the regular array representation will be more space efficient. Note that this ignores the space required for the row and column headers, which will be 10(M+N) for and  $M \times N$  matrix.

```
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```

```
12.8 void SparseMatrix insert(int r, int c, int val) {
      for (SMhead* crow = row;
           (crow->index <= r) && (crow->next != NULL);
           crow = crow->next); // First, find the row
      if (crow->index != r) // Make a new row
        crow->next = new SMhead(r, crow->next, NULL);
      for (SMhead* ccol = col;
           (ccol->index <= c) && (ccol->next != NULL);
           ccol = ccol->next); // Now, find the column
      if (ccol->index != c) // Make a new row
        ccol->next = new SMhead(c, ccol->next, NULL);
      // Now, put in its row;
      if ((crow->first == NULL) || (crow->first->col > c))
        SMElem* temp = crow->first =
           new SMElem(val, crow->first, NULL, NULL, NULL);
      else {
        for (SMElem* temp = crow->first;
             (temp->col <= col) && (temp->nextcol != NULL);
             temp = temp->nextcol);
        if (temp->col == c) { // Replace entry value
          temp->value = val;
          return;
        temp->nextcol =
          new SMElem(val, temp->nextcol, temp, NULL, NULL);
        temp = temp->nextcol;
        temp->nextcol->prevcol = temp;
      // Finally, put in its column;
      if ((ccol->first == NULL) ||
          (ccol->first->row > c)) {
        temp->nextrow = ccol->first;
        temp->prevcol = NULL;
        ccol->first = temp;
      else {
        for (SMElem* tempc = ccol->first;
             (tempc->row <= row) &&
             (tempc->nextrow != NULL);
             tempc = tempc->nextrow);
        temp->prevrow = tempc;
        temp->nextrow = tempc->nextrow;
        tempc->nextrow->prevrow = temp;
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```
tempc->nextrow = temp;
       }
     }
12.9 void SparseMatrix remove(int r, int c) {
       // First, find the row
       for (SMhead* crow = row;
            (crow->index <= r) && (crow->next != NULL);
            crow = crow->next);
       if (crow->index != r) ERROR; // Not in array
       // Now, find the column
       for (SMhead* ccol = c;
            (ccol->index <= c) && (ccol->next != NULL);
            ccol = ccol >next);
       if (ccol->index != c) ERROR;
                                      // Not in array
       // Now, find the element
       for (SMElem* temp = crow->first;
            (temp != NULL) && (temp->col != c);
            temp = temp->nextcol);
                                    // Not in array
       if (temp->col != c) ERROR;
       // Now, detatch the element
       if (temp->prevrow == NULL) {
         ccol->first = temp->nextrow;
         if (temp->nextrow != NULL)
           temp->nextrow->prevrow = NULL;
       }
       else {
         temp->prevrow->nextrow = temp->nextrow;
         if (temp->nextrow != NULL)
           temp->nextrow->prevrow = temp->prevrow;
       if (temp->prevcol == NULL) {
         crow->first = temp->nextcol;
         if (temp->nextcol != NULL)
           temp->nextcol->prevcol = NULL;
       else {
         temp->prevcol->nextcol = temp->nextcol;
         if (temp->nextcol != NULL)
           temp->nextcol->prevcol = temp->prevcol;
       }
12.10 Transposing a sparse matrix is fairly straightforward. Here is pseudocode:
```

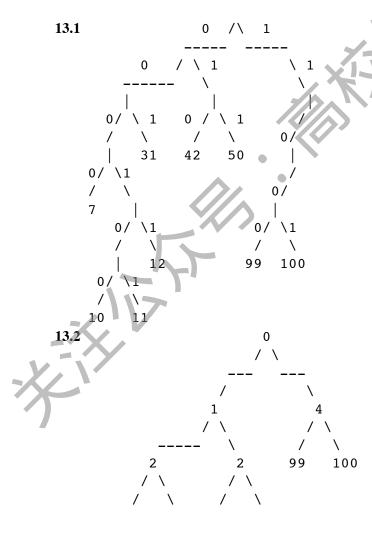
void SparseMatrix::transpose() {

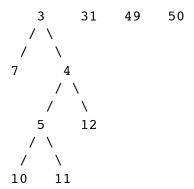
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```
// For each element, switch row and column pointers,
       // and its row/column indices.
       for (each row)
         for (each element in the row) {
           swap(nextrow, nextcol);
           swap(prevrow, prevcol);
           swap(row, col);
       swap(row, col); // Swap row and column list headers
12.11 Here is pseudocode to add two sparse matrices.
     void SparseMatrix::add(SparseMatrix& In1,
                            SparseMatrix& In2)
       // The current object will be the result of adding
       // its two inputs.
       SMhead *temp1 = In1->row;
       SMhead *temp2 = In2->row;
       while ((temp1 != NULL) | (temp2 != NULL))
         if ((temp2 == NULL) |
             (temp1->index < temp2->index)) {
           // Insert row from first matrix
           for (each elem in temp1's row)
             this.insert(elem->value, elem->row, elem->col);
         else if ((temp1==NULL) ||
                 (temp2->index < temp1->index)) {
           // Insert row from second matrix
          for (each elem in temp2's row)
             this.insert(elem->value, elem->row, elem->col);
         else { // Both matrices have this row
           SMElem* curr1 = temp1->first;
           SMElem* curr2 = temp2->first;
           if ((curr2 == NULL) ||
               (curr1->col < curr2->col)) {
             // Insert element from first matrix
             this.insert(curr1->value, curr1->row,
                                        curr1->col);
             curr1 = curr1->nextcol;
           else if ((curr1 == NULL) ||
                    (curr2->col < curr1->col)) {
```

- **12.12** This is quite simple. The memory pool is simply viewed as a stack. Requests pop off the requested amount of storage (move the top pointer down). Returns push the storage back on the stack (move the top pointer up). Just re-implement the stack functions for variable length records.
- **12.13** Simply manage the memory pool as an array-based queue, with variable length records. Memory requests move the rear pointer by the appropriate amount; memory returns move the front pointer by the appropriate amount.
- **12.14** (a) 1300, 2000, 1000
  - **(b)** 1000, 2000, 1300
  - (c) 900, 1300, 1100, 1000

# **Advanced Tree Structures**





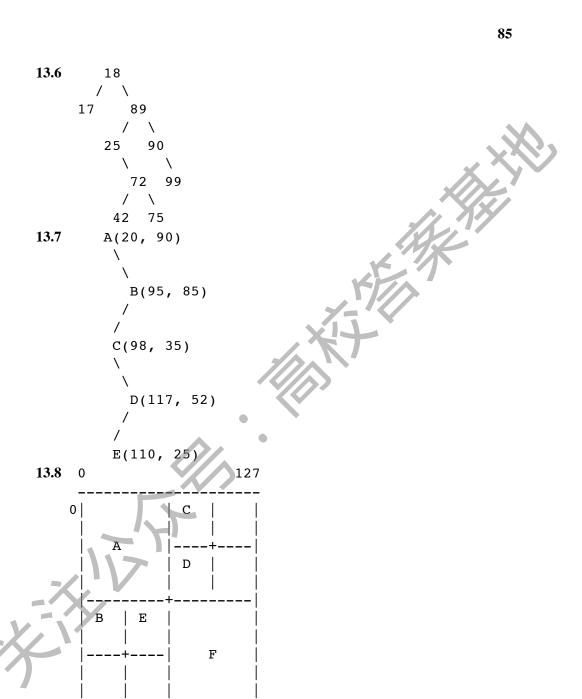
**13.3** Binary Trie insertion routine. Assume that the Trie class has a root pointer named "root" and a member named "level" to tell how many bits are in the key.

```
void Trie::insert(int value)
 TrieNode* temp = root;
  int currlev = level;
  if (root == NULL)
   root = new TrieNode(value
 else
   while (TRUE) {
      if (temp->isLeaf()) { // Push down existing value
        int tempval = temp->value;
        if (bit(tempval, level) == 1)
          temp->right = new TrieNode(tempvalue);
        else
          temp->left = new TrieNode(tempvalue);
      if (bit(value, currlev) == 1)
       if (temp->right == NULL) {
          temp->right = new TrieNode(value);
          return;
        else {
          temp = temp->right;
          currlev--;
        }
      else
        if (temp->left == NULL) {
          temp->left = new TrieNode(value);
          return;
        }
        else {
```

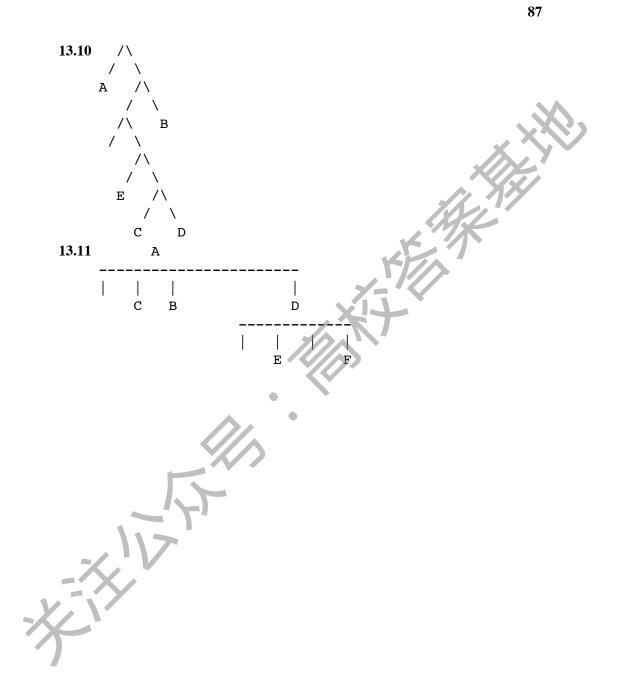
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               temp = temp->left;
               currlev--;
             }
         }
    }
13.4 void Trie::removehelp(TrieNode*& rt, int val,
                           int level) {
      if (rt == NULL) cout << val
                            << " is not in the tree.
      else if (rt->value == val) {
        TrieNode* temp = rt;
        rt == NULL
        delete temp;
                                        // Check left
      else if (bit(val, level) == 0)
        removehelp(rt->left, val, level);
                                    // Check right
      else
        removehelp(rt->right, val);
      // Now, collapse a node with a single leaf child
      if ((rt->left == NULL) &&
           (rt->right->value != EMPTY)) {
        rt->value = rt->right->value;
        delete rt->right;
        rt->right = NULL;
      if ((rt->right == NULL) \&\&
           (rt->left->value != EMPTY)) {
        rt->value = rt->left->value;
        delete rt->left
        rt->left = NULL;
```

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```
13.9 // Return TRUE iff rectangle R intersects circle with
    // centerpoint C and radius Rad.
    boolean CheckIntersect(Rectangle* R, Point* C,
                           double Rad)
     double Rad2;
     Rad2 = Rad * Rad;
     // Translate coordinates, placing C at the origi
     R->max.x -= C->x; R->max.y -= C->y;
     R->min.x -= C->x; R->min.y -= C->y;
     if (R->max.x < 0) // R to left of circle center
       if (R->max.y < 0) // R in lower left corner</pre>
         return (R->max.x * R->max.x +
                 R->\max.y * R->\max.y) < Rad2;
       else if (R->min.y > 0) // R in upper left corner
         return (R->max.x * R->max.x +
                 R->min.y * R->min.y)
       else // R due West of circle
         return ABS(R->max.x) < Rad;
     else if (R->min.x > 0) // R to right of circle center
       if (R->max.y < 0) // R in lower right corner
         return (R->min.x * R->min.x) < Rad2;
       else if (R->min.y > 0) // R in upper right corner
         return (R->min.x * R->min.x +
                 R->\min_{y} + R->\min_{y} < Rad2;
       else // R due East of circle
         return R->min.x < Rad;
     else // R on circle vertical centerline
      if (R->max.y < 0) // R due South of circle
         return ABS(R->max.y) < Rad;
       else if (R->min.y > 0) // R due North of circle
         return R->min.y < Rad;
       else // R contains circle centerpoint
         return TRUE;
```



## **Analysis Techniques**

**14.1** Guess that the solution is of the form

$$an^3 + bn^2 + cn + d.$$

Since when n=0 the summation is 0, we know that d=0. We have the following simultaneous equations available:

$$a+b+c = 1 8a+4b+2c = 5 27a+9b+3c = 14$$

Solving this set, we get  $a=1/3,\,b=1/2$  and c=1/6, yielding Equation 2.2.

**14.2** Guess that the solution is of the form

$$an^4 + bn^3 + cn^2 + dn + e.$$

Since when n=0 the summation is 0, we know that e=0. We have the following simultaneous equations available:

$$a+b+c+d = 1$$

$$16a+8b+4c+2d = 9$$

$$81a+27b+9c+3d = 36$$

$$256a+64b+16c+4d = 100$$

Solving this set, we get a=1/4, b=1/2, c=1/4, and d=0. Thus, the closed form formula is

$$\frac{n^4 + 2n^3 + n^2}{4}.$$

The student should verify by induction.

14.3 From Equation 2.2 we know that

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} i^2 = \frac{2n^3 + 3n^2 + n}{6}.$$

Thus, when summing the range  $a \le i \le b$ , we get

$$\sum_{i=a}^{b} i^2 = \frac{2b^3 + 3b^2 + b}{6} - \frac{2a^3 + 3a^2 + a}{6}$$
$$= \frac{2(b^3 - a^3) + 3(b^2 - a^2) + (b - a)}{6}$$

**14.4** We need to do some rearranging of the summation to get something to work with. Start with

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} i^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (i+1-1)^2.$$

Substituting i for i-1, we get

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} i^{2} = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (i+1)^{2}$$
$$= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (i^{2} + 2i + 1).$$

The  $i^2$  terms mostly cancel, leaving

$$n^{2} = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (2i+1)$$

$$= 2 \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i + n.$$

$$\frac{n^{2} - n}{2} = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i$$

Substituting back i-1 for i, we get

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} = \frac{n^2 + n}{2}.$$

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14.5

$$F(n) = 2 + 4 + \dots + 2^{n}$$
  
2F(n) = 4 + 8 + \dots + 2^{n+1}

When we subtract, we get  $2F(n) - F(n) = F(n) = 2^{n+1} - 2$ . Thus,

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} 2^{i} = 2^{n+1} - 2.$$

**14.6** Call our summation G(n), then

$$G(n) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} i 2^{n-i} = 2^{n-1} + 2 \cdot 2^{n-2} + 3 \cdot 2^{n-3} + \dots + n \cdot 2^{0}$$

$$2G(n) = 2\sum_{i=1}^{n} i2^{n-i} = 2^{n} + 2 \cdot 2^{n-1} + 3 \cdot 2^{n-2} + \dots + n \cdot 2^{1}.$$

Subtracting, we get

$$2G(n) - G(n) = G(n) = 2^{n} + 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-2} + \dots + 2^{1} - n * 2^{0}$$

This is simply  $2^{n+1} - 2 - n$ .

- **14.7** TOH has recurrence relation F(n) = 2F(n-1) + 1, F(1) = 1. Since the problem gives us the closed form solution, we can easily prove it by induction.
- **14.8** The closed form solution is F(n) = nc, which can easily be proved using induction.
- **14.9** Pick the constants  $c = 1, n_0 = 4$ , prove for powers of 2.

**Base Case**: For n = 4,  $F(n) = n + 2 > 2 \log 2$ . Thus, the theorem holds.

**Induction Hypothesis**: For  $n \le k$ ,  $F(n) > k \log k$ .

**Induction Step:** F(2k) = 2F(k) + 2k. By the induction hypothesis, we get  $F(2k) = 2F(k) + n > 2(k \log k) + 2k = 2k \log k + 2k$ . Now,  $2k \log 2k = 2k(\log k + 1) = 2k \log k + 2$ , which is clearly less than  $2k \log k + 2k$ . Thus, the theorem holds by the principle of Mathematical Induction.

**14.10** Expanding the recurrence, we get

$$\sqrt{n} + \sqrt{n/2} + \sqrt{n/4} + \dots + 1.$$

Clearly this is smaller than  $\sqrt{n} \log n$ , so we will guess that

$$\mathbf{T}(n) = \Theta(\sqrt{n}\log n.$$

To complete the proof we must show that  $\mathbf{T}(n)$  is in  $\Omega(\sqrt{n} \log n)$ , but this turns out to be impossible.

On the other hand, the recurrence is clearly  $\Omega\sqrt{n}$ . So, let's guess that  $\mathbf{T}(n)$  is in  $O(\sqrt{n})$  for  $c=4, n_0=2$ . We prove this by induction.

**Base case:**  $T(2) = 1 + \sqrt{2} < 4\sqrt{2}$ , so the hypothesis is correct.

**Induction Hypothesis**: For any value less than or equal to k,  $T(k) < 4\sqrt{k}$ .

**Induction Step**: For 2k,

$$\mathbf{T}(2k) = \mathbf{T}(k) + \sqrt{2k}.$$

By the induction hypothesis,

$$\mathbf{T}(k) + \sqrt{2k} < 4\sqrt{k} + \sqrt{2k}$$

For the theorem to be correct,

$$\mathbf{T}(k) + \sqrt{2k} < 4\sqrt{k} + \sqrt{2k} < 4\sqrt{2k}$$

which is true. Thus, by the principle of Mathematical Induction, the theorem is correct.

**14.11** Expanding the recurrence, we get

$$\mathbf{T}(n) = 2\mathbf{T}(n/2) + n$$

$$= 2(2\mathbf{T}(n/4) + n/2) + n$$

$$= 2(2(2\mathbf{T}(n/8) + n/4) + n/2) + n$$

$$= 2(2(\dots 2(2+4) + 8) + \dots) + n$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\log n} 2^i 2^{\log n - i}$$

$$= n \log n.$$

- **14.12** For binary search,  $\mathbf{T}(n) = \mathbf{T}(n/2) + 1$ . By Theorem 14.1,  $1 = 2^0$ , so the recurrence is  $\Theta(n^0 \log n) = \Theta(\log n)$ .
- 14.13 Assume that the hash table is originally of size 2B. Once insert B elements, we must reinsert them again. Once we have inserted another B elements, 2B elements are reinserted, then after another 2B get inserted, 4B get reinserted. Thus, the first B elements inserted are repeatedly reinserted, the next

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B elements are repeatedly reinserted one fewer times, the next 2B elements 2 fewer times, etc. Thus, once we insert  $2^iB$  elements, we have done a total number of insertions costing  $2^iB + 2^{i-1}B + 2^{i-2}2B + \cdots + 2^{i-1}B$ . This works out to requiring about two inserts per element.

**14.14** (a) By adding the components in each quadrant of the matrix, you will find that

$$\begin{array}{rcl} s_1+s_2-s_4+s_6 & = & A_{11}B_{11}+A_{12}B_{21} \\ s_4+s_5 & = & A_{11}B_{12}+A_{12}B_{22} \\ s_6+s_7 & = & A_{21}B_{11}+A_{22}B_{21} \\ s_2-s_3+s_5-s_7 & = & A_{21}B_{12}+A_{22}B_{22} \end{array}$$

**(b)** Strassen's algorithm requires 7 matrix multiplies and 18 matrix additions, while the regular algorithm requires 8 matrix multiplies and 4 matrix additions. The recurrence relation for Strassen's algorithm is

$$T(n) = 7T(n/2) + 18(n/2)^2$$

while the recurrence relation for the regular algorithm is

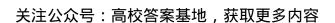
$$T(n) = 8T(n/2) + 4(n/2)^2$$

- (c) Plugging the constants from the recurrence relation into Theorem 14.1, we find that Strassen's algorithm is  $\Theta(n^{\log_2 7}) \approx \Theta(n^{2.81})$ . The regular algorithm is  $\Theta(n^3)$ .
- (d) While Strassen's algorithm gives a theoretical speedup, the constant is very large. Thus, it requires impractical sizes of n for Strassen's algorithm to be faster than the regular algorithm.
- 14.15 First, note that we are clearly discussing an upper bound here. In the case of large N and small M, there might be no node splits at all. The bound is also achievable, since a packed tree with each leaf node receiving an insert would cause every node to split. The question is, how bad can things get?

Given a tree of N nodes, with every node full, there is a potential for N node splits with no nodes being inserted "for free." Each node split creates two nodes each with an open space, thus lowering the potential of the tree by one for each node split. Each insertion of an element into a node that is not-yetfull raises the potential by one. Thus, the amortized cost for M inserts is at most M+N node splits.

**14.16** (a) The amortized cost is 2 inserts/element since we can get growth by n positions only after inserting n elements.

- (b) Fill an array with  $2^n + 1$  elements, which forces a final growth to an array of size  $2^{n+1}$ . Now, do an arbitrarily long series of alternating inserts and deletes. This will cause the array to repeatedly shrink and grow, for bad  $(\Theta(n^2))$  performance.
- (c) If we shrink the array whenever the space use goes below 25%, we will have the desired performance.
- 14.17 Each node can be visited only once. Thus, there is initially potential for |V| node visits. We can look at each edge only once (the edges out of a node are visited when the node is visited). Thus, there is potential for |E| edge visits. The initial call to DFS can expend a small part of that potential, or a large part. But, the sum of all the calls to DFS must cost  $\Theta(|V| + |E|)$ .
- 14.18 As with Move-to-Front, the contribution of unsuccessful searches requiring comparisons between keys A and B is independent of other keys. We have an unsuccessful search for A if and only if we have had more requests for B so far. Assuming that B is requested  $R_B$  times and A is requested  $R_A$  times with  $R_B > R_A$ , we can only have unsuccessful searches twice the number of times that A is requested. This happens at most for  $R_A$  requests to B occurring before  $R_A$  requests to A. The remaining requests to B are successful without encountering A. Thus, the Count heuristic can have cost at most twice that of the optimal static ordering.



### **Limits to Computation**

- 15.1 This reduction provides an upper bound of  $O(n \log n)$  for the problem of maximum finding (that is the time for the entire process), and a lower bound of constant time for SORTING (since that is the time spent by Maximum Finding in this process). Neither bound is particularly enlightening. There is no true reduction from SORTING to Maximum Finding (in the sense that the transformations do not dominate the cost) since SORTING is an intrinsicly more difficult problem than Maximum Finding.
- **15.2** Consider the following fact:

$$\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^2 = \begin{bmatrix} A^2 & AB \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Thus, if we had an algorithm that could square an  $n \times n$  matrix in less time than needed to multiply two matrices, we could use a transformation based on this fact to speed up matrix multiplication.

**15.3** Consider the following fact:

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc} 0 & A & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}\right] \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & B \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}\right] = \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 0 & 0 & AB \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}\right].$$

Thus, if we had an algorithm that could multiply two  $n \times n$  upper triangular matrices in less time than needed to multiply two matrices, we could use a transformation based on this fact to speed up matrix multiplication.

**15.4** (a) The input (the number n) requires  $\log n$  bits to represent it. However, n multiplication operations are required. Thus, the work is exponential on the input size.

- (b) It is possible to compute  $x^n$  in  $\log n$  time, and the rest of the formula requires a constant number of multiplications. Thus, the number of multiplications required is polynomial on the input size.
- **15.5** First, we should note that, for both problems, the decision problem is being considered.

TRAVELING SALESMAN is  $\mathcal{NP}$ -complete if (1) it is in  $\mathcal{NP}$ , and (2) it is  $\mathcal{NP}$ -hard. Proving (1) is easy, just provide a non-deterministic polynomial time algorithm. To prove (2), we will reduce to TRAVELING SALESMAN from the known  $\mathcal{NP}$ -complete problem HAMILTONIAN CYCLE. First, we transform an input to HAMILTONIAN CYCLE into an input to TRAVELING SALESMAN by giving each edge of the input graph an arbitrary distance of 1, and then picking any arbitrary (large) number for the total distance to beat. Then if TRAVELING SALESMAN returns "YES", we know that there exists a Hamiltonian cycle in the graph since a salesman's circuit is a Hamiltonian cycle. If TRAVELING SALESMAN returns "NO" then no such cycle exists.

**15.6** To prove that K-CLIQUE is  $\mathcal{NP}$ -complete, prove that it is in  $\mathcal{NP}$  and that it is  $\mathcal{NP}$ -hard. Clearly it is in  $\mathcal{NP}$  since a nondeterministic algorithm is simply to guess a set of vertices of size K to form the clique, and check in polynomial time that the guess is correct.

To prove that K-CLIQUE is  $\mathcal{NP}$ -hard, use a reduction from the known  $\mathcal{NP}$ -complete problem, VERTEX COVER. The necessary insight is that, given a graph of n vertices with a K-clique, the inverse graph has a Vertex Cover of size n-K. (The inverse graph G' of G has an edge between two vertices if and only if G does not.) Clearly this transformation is correct, because the nodes making up the K-Clique in G must have no connecting edges in G', so selecting the other n-K edges for the cover is satisfactory.

Thus, given as input to VERTEX COVER a graph and a size I to beat, the input to K-CLIQUE is the inverse graph and n-I as the size of the Clique.

**15.7** INDEPENDENT SET is clearly in  $\mathcal{NP}$  since we can guess a set of vertices and test whether it is an independent set of size k or greater.

We can prove that INDEPENDENT SET is  $\mathcal{NP}$ -hard by a reduction from CLIQUE. The reduction is quite simple, since we observe that a clique of size k in graph G is an independent set of size k in inverse graph G'. Thus, we can solve the CLIQUE problem for inputs G and K simply by converting G to G', and thensolving INDEPENDENT SET on G' for size K. The answer obtained from running INDEPENDENT SET on G' and size K is the answer for CLIQUE on G and size K. Therefore, if CLIQUE is K-complete, then INDEPENDENT SET must also be K-complete.

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- 15.8 Represent a real number in a bin as an infinite column of binary digits, similar to the representation of functions in Figure 15.4. Now we can use a simple diagonalization proof. Assume that some assignment of real numbers to integers is proposed. We can construct a new real number that has not been assigned by taking the first bit of the number assigned to "1" and flipping it; take the second bit of the number assigned to "2" and flip it; and so on.
- **15.9** Clearly, KNAPSACK is in  $\mathcal{NP}$ , since we can just guess a set of items and test in polynomial time if its size is less than k and its value greater than v. To prove that KNAPSACK is  $\mathcal{NP}$ -hard, we reduce from the known  $\mathcal{NP}$ -complete problem EXACT KNAPSACK. EXACT KNAPSACK takes as input some items with sizes and a value k. To convert this input to an input for KNAPSACK, we give each item a value equal to its size. We set v = k. We now give this input to KNAPSACK.
  - If KNAPSACK returns "NO" then there is no solution for EXACT KNAPSACK. If KNAPSACK returns "YES" then the items whose values sum to v must also have size exactly k. Thus, if KNAPSACK returns "YES" then the answer for EXACT KNAPSACK is "YES."
- **15.10** Take an arbitrary program, and modify it to remove all print statements. Then, at all places where the program might terminate, insert a print statement. This revised program prints if and only if the original program halts. Thus, if we had a program that determined if an arbitrary program prints something, we could use it to solve the HALTING problem.
- **15.11** Take an arbitrary program, and modify it so that at all places where it might terminate, it makes a call to a new subroutine that contains one empty statement S, then returns. Thus, the original program halts if and only if the new program executes statement S. Thus, if we had a program that determined if an arbitrary program executes a specified statement, we could use it to solve the HALTING problem.
- 15.12 Fix one input program to be the program that halts if and only if its input is the empty string. Call this program E. Now, take an arbitrary program P and modify it so that it goes into an infinite loop if its input is not empty. call this modified program P'. Now, this modified program halts on empty input if and only if the original program halts on empty input. We can now feed E and P' to our proposed program that determines if two programs halt on the same set of inputs. We now have a solution to the problem of determining if a program halts on the empty input, which we know from the text to be unsolvable.
- **15.13** See the answer to Exercise 5.12. The modified program halts, if it halts, only for the empty input, so it serves as a solution to this problem as well.