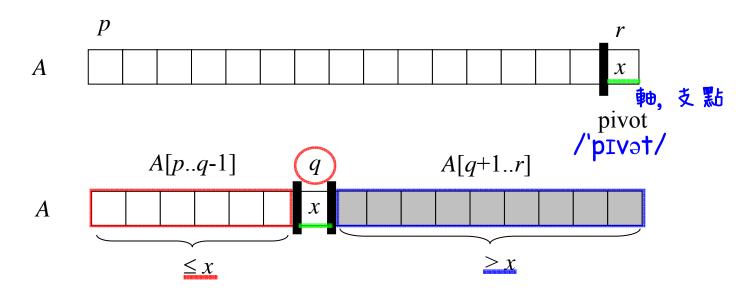
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7.1 Quicksort



Quicksort(A[p..r])

Divide: partition A[p..r] into A[p..q-1] and A[q+1..r]

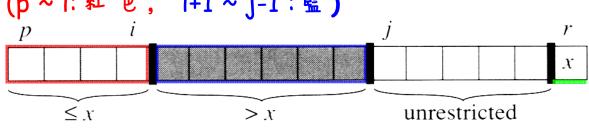


Conquer: recursively sort A[p..q-1] and A[q+1..r]

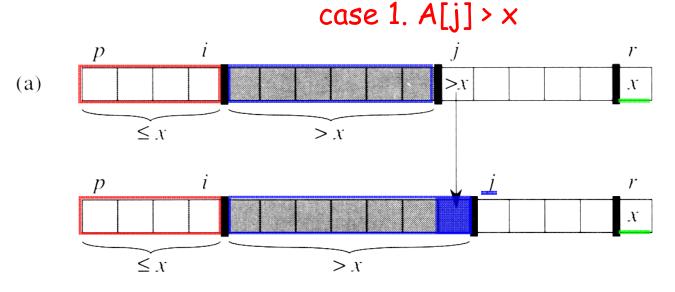
Combine: no work is needed.

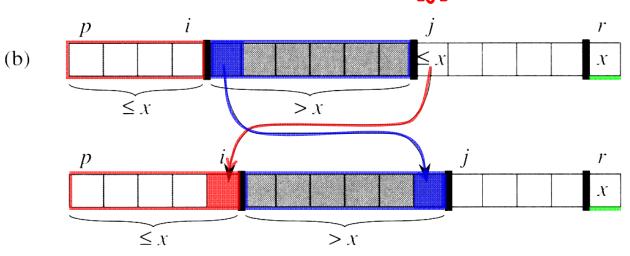
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Quicksort(A, p, r)
1 If p < r then
2 q \leftarrow Partition(A, p, r) /* divide */
3 Quicksort(A, p, q-1) /* conquer */
4 Quicksort(A, q+1, r) /* conquer */
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Partition(A, p, r)

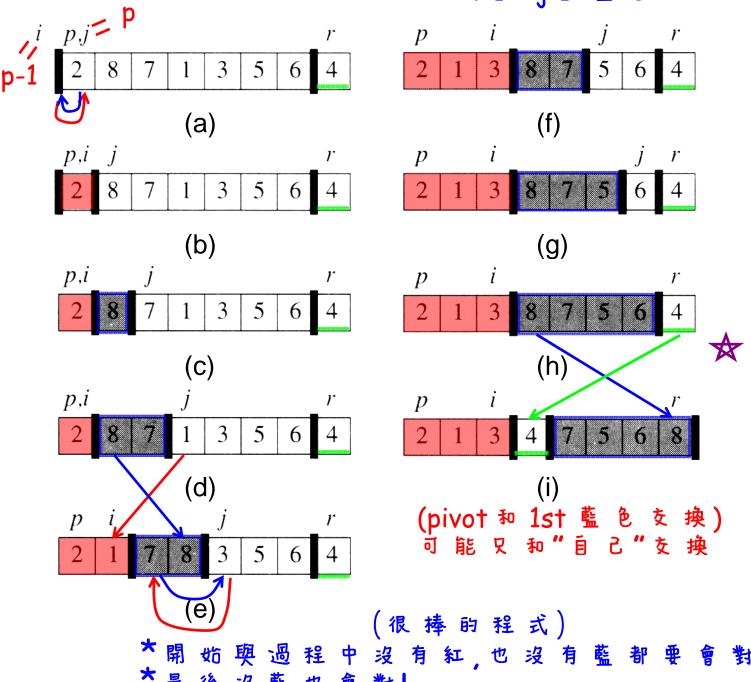


How i and j changes:





Example: (Partition, x=A[r]=4) $p \sim i$: $x \in \mathbb{R}$



7.4 Analysis

for example

Worst-case: $\Theta(n^2)$ (occurs for sorted input)

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T(n) = \max_{1 \le q \le n} \{T(q-1) + T(n-q)\} + \Theta(n) bn

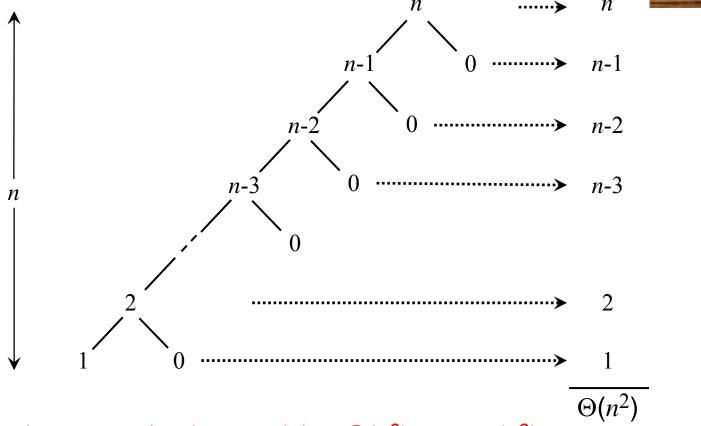
= \max_{0 \le k \le n-1} \{T(k) + T(n-k-1)\} + \Theta(n)
                                                   (or simply n, n-1)
* T(n) = O(n^2)
      Guessing: T(n) \le c n^2 = O(n^2) (for n \ge n_0)
      Substituting: (Basis: ok)
 (Induction) Assume T(x) \le cx^2 for x = n_0, ..., n - 1
        T(n) \le \max \{ck^2 + c(n-k-1)^2\} + \Theta(n)
                  0 < k < n-1
              \leq c \max_{0 \leq k \leq n-1} \{k^2 + (n-k-1)^2\} + \Theta(n)
              \leq c(n-1)^2 + \Theta(n)
              e.g. 100n

\leq cn^2 - c(2n-1) + \Theta(n) \Theta(n) = bn

b is a constant
              \leq cn^2 (by picking c large enough)
  T(n)=\Omega(n^2)
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Worst-case partition? (proof?) (e.g., occurs for sorted input)

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* This example shows $T(n) = \Omega(n^2)$, not $O(n^2)$

Average-case: $\Theta(n \lg n)$

(Assume that all elements are distinct.)

 \rightarrow at most O(n) calls to Quicksort

- T(n)=O(n+X), where X is the total # of comparisons performed in Line 4 of Partition.
- For each call to Partition, A[i] and A[j] will not be further compared if A[i]<x<A[j] or A[j]<x<A[i].

Example: Let $A=\{3, 9, 2, 7, 5\}$. After 1st round, $A=\{3, 2, 5, 9, 7\}$. Then, $\{3, 2\}$ won't be compared with $\{9, 7\}$ anymore.

7-5a

- Rename the elements of A as z₁, z₂, ..., z_n with z_i being the i-th smallest element. Also define the set Z_{ij}={z_i, z_{i+1}, ..., z_i}.
- z_i : z_j iff the first pivot chosen from Z_{ij} is either z_i or z_i .
- For any i,j, the probability of z_i : z_j is 2/(j-i+1). Therefore, $\sum_{i,j:i < j}$

$$X = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=i+1}^{n} \frac{2}{j-i+1} \times 1 \text{ comparison}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{k=1}^{n-i} \frac{2}{k+1} \qquad \frac{2}{1+1} + \frac{2}{2+1} + \dots + \frac{2}{n-i+1}$$

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

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} O(\lg n)$$

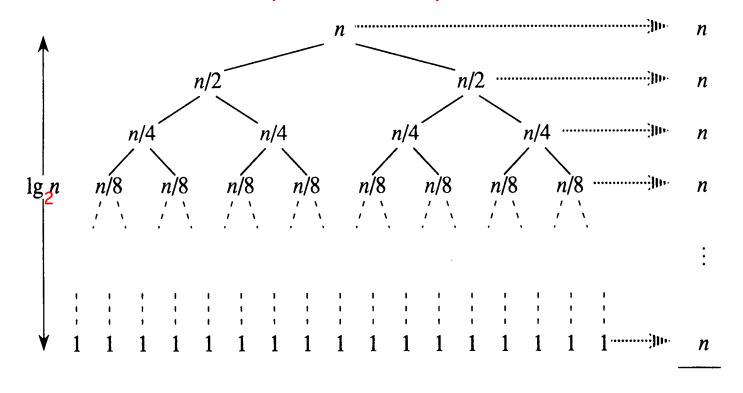
$$= O(n \lg n)$$

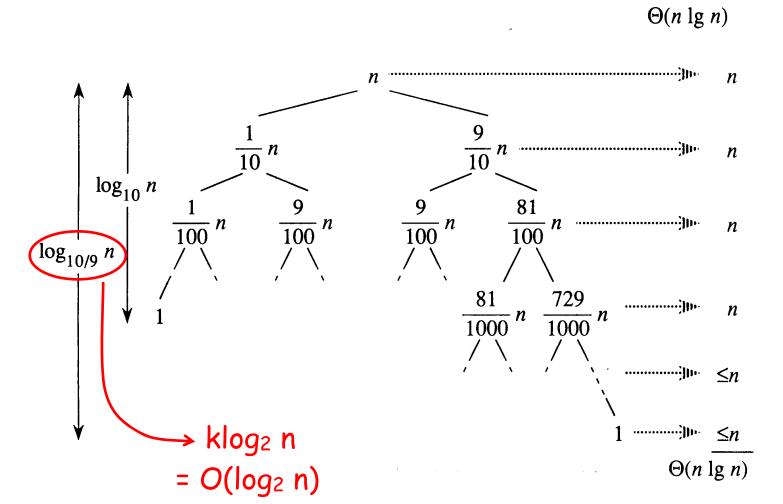
(Using Harmonic Series)

$$H_{n} = \sum_{k=1}^{n} \frac{1}{k} = \ln n + O(1)$$

$$= O(\lg n)$$
(see 3-5)

best-case partition? (proof?)





Another analysis

$$E(n) = (n-1) + \frac{1}{n} \sum_{q=1}^{n} \{E(q-1) + E(n-q)\}$$

only # of comparisons is counted

=
$$(n-1) + \frac{2}{n} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} E(k)$$

n,bn, $\Theta(n)$

For simplicity, assume

$$E(n) = \frac{n+1}{n+1} + \frac{2}{n} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} E(k)$$

$$\Rightarrow nE(n) = n^2 + n + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} E(k) \qquad -----(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (n-1)E(n-1) = (n-1)^2 + (n-1) + 2\sum_{k=1}^{n-2} E(k) -----(2)$$

(replacing n by n-1 in (1))

(1)–(2), we have

$$nE(n) = (n+1)E(n-1) + 2n$$

$$\Rightarrow E(n) = \frac{n+1}{n}E(n-1)+2$$

(Applying iteration method)

$$= \frac{n+1}{n} \left\{ \frac{n}{n-1} E(n-2) + 2 \right\} + 2$$

$$E(x) = \frac{x+1}{x} E(x-1)$$

$$= \frac{n+1}{n-1}E(n-2)+2\frac{n+1}{n}+2$$

$$= \frac{n+1}{n-2}E(n-3) + 2\frac{n+1}{n-1} + 2\frac{n+1}{n} + 2$$

$$= \frac{n+1}{2}E(1)+2(n+1)(\frac{1}{3}+\frac{1}{4}+\ldots+\frac{1}{n})+2$$

$$=\Theta(n)+\Theta(n)\left(\sum_{k=3}^{n}\frac{1}{k}\right)+2$$

=
$$\Theta(n)+\Theta(n)\times\Theta(\lg^n)+2$$
 (Using Harmonic Series)

$$= \Theta(n | g, n)$$

7.3 Randomized version of quicksort

Randomized Algorithm:

An algorithm uses random-number generator.

Pseudorandom-number generator:

A deterministic algorithm that returns numbers that "look" statistically random.

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Randomized-Partition(A, p, r)

i \leftarrow \text{Random}(p, r); \longrightarrow \text{pivot}

exchange(A[r], A[i]); prevent almost sorted or attack return Partition(A, p, r)
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Homework: Ex. 7.1-2, 7.2-4, 7.4-2 and Pro. 7-1)
7-4

R 常 problem-size original

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保證 problem-size partition
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經典之作。請勿任意更動

* need a q-sort:
 copy one, instead of write one by yourself
 (自己寫的一定不是"quick" sort)