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Programming assignment 1: <http://www.tsinsen.com>

p.143 5-2 (a)

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1. def RANDOM-SEARCH(array A, x):
2.     n = length of array A
3.     countList = [0]*n # Initialise empty list of counters to keep track how
   many times each index has been searched
4.     count = 0 # Initialise total counter
5.     while count < n: # Loop till count = n, ie. each index has been searched
6.         i = random number [0, n-1]
7.         if A[i] == x: # Found x
8.             return i
9.         elif A[i] != x and countList[i] == 0: # x not at this index i, and
   index has not been searched before
10.            countList[i] += 1
11.            count += 1
12.         else: # x not at this index i, and index has been searched before
13.             continue
14.     return 'x not found in A'
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p.143 5-2 (b-e)

Refer to attached handwritten solution.

p.204 8.4-4

We implement bucket sort. This partitions the circle into concentric buckets of radius

$r_i = \sqrt{\frac{i}{n}}$ This runs in $\Theta(n)$.

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1. def BUCKET-SORT(array A):
2.     n = length of array A
3.     B=[0]*n # Initialize empty bucket array
4.     for i from 0 to n-1:
5.         B[i] = [] # Make a list for each bucket position
6.     for i from 1 to n:
7.         B[j].append(A[i]), where (j-
   1)/n <= A[i].x**2 + A[i].y**2 < j/n # Sort elements in A into n buckets where
   each bucket has distance sqrt(i/n)
8.     for i from 0 to n-1:
9.         sort B[i]
10.    return B[0]+B[1]+...+B[n-1]
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Q ~~Let~~ 5.2-3

Let $X_i = I \{ \text{die rolls } i \}$ $\forall i$ from 1 to 6

$$E(X) = \sum_{i=1}^6 p(X_i) \cdot i = \frac{1}{6} (1+6) \frac{6}{2} = 3.5$$

$$E(nX) = n E(X) = 3.5n$$

Q 5.2-5

Let X_{ij} denote the ~~events~~ inversion event,

ie $X_{ij} = I \{ i < j \cap A[i] > A[j] \}$ $\forall i \in [1, n-1]$
 $\& j \in [i+1, n]$

$$E \left(\sum_{i < j} X_{ij} \right) = \sum_{i < j} E(X_{ij}) = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=i+1}^n p(A[i] > A[j])$$

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

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

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

$$= \frac{n(n-1)}{4}$$

for a randomly picked element, $\frac{1}{2}$ of a random array is expected to be smaller than this element

Q5-2(b)

Let p_i denote the probability of X occurring at index i .

Also assume uniform distribution $p_i = p = \frac{1}{n} \forall i \in [0, n-1]$

Let y denote the total number of searches.

$$\begin{aligned} E(y) &= \sum_{y=1}^{\infty} y P(y) = \sum_{y=1}^{\infty} y \cdot (1-p)^{y-1} p \\ &= p \sum_{y=1}^{\infty} y \cdot (1-p)^{y-1} \quad \text{————— (1)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } S &= \sum_{y=1}^{\infty} y (1-p)^{y-1} \\ &= 1(1-p)^0 + 2(1-p)^1 + 3(1-p)^2 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

$$(1-p)S = 1(1-p)^1 + 2(1-p)^2 + 3(1-p)^3 + \dots$$

$$\cancel{S} (1-(1-p))S = \cancel{1}(1-p)^0 + (1-p)^1 + (1-p)^2 + \dots$$

$$pS = \frac{1}{1-(1-p)}$$

$$S = \frac{1}{p^2} \quad \text{————— (2)}$$

sub (2) into (1)

$$\begin{aligned} E(y) &= p \frac{1}{p^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{p} \\ &= n // \end{aligned}$$

Q5-2 (c)

Here $p_i = p = \frac{k}{n}$

$$E(y) = \frac{1}{p} = \frac{n}{k} //$$

Q5-2 (d)

$$E(y) = \sum_{y=n}^{\infty} y p(y)$$

~~$$\sum_{y=n}^{\infty}$$~~

$p(y)$ denotes the event that the first $y-1$ searches touch $n-1$ indices & the last search looks at n^{th} index

$$\begin{aligned} p(y) &= \left(\frac{n-1}{n} \cdot \frac{n-2}{n} \dots \frac{1}{n} \right) \left(\frac{n-1}{n} \right)^{y-1-(n-1)} \cdot \frac{1}{n} \\ &= \frac{(n-1)!}{n^{n-1}} \left(\frac{n-1}{n} \right)^{y-n} \frac{1}{n} \\ &= \frac{(n-1)! (n-1)^{y-n}}{n^{(n+y-n)}} \\ &= \frac{(n-1)! (n-1)^{y-n}}{n^y} \end{aligned}$$

$$E(y) = \sum_{y=n}^{\infty} \frac{(n-1)! (n-1)^{y-n}}{n^y} \cdot y$$

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~~too~~ Have to use textbook method.

Q5-2 (d)

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Let n_i denote the number of searches to take us from having searched $i-1$ indices to having searched i indices.

$$E(n_i) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} i \cdot \left(\frac{i-1}{n}\right)^{i-1} \left(\frac{n-i+1}{n}\right)$$

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

$$= \frac{n-i+1}{\cancel{i-1}} \cdot \frac{\cancel{\frac{i-1}{n}}}{\left(1 - \frac{i-1}{n}\right)^2}$$

$$= \frac{n}{n-i+1}$$

$$E(y) = E\left(\sum_{i=1}^n n_i\right)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n E(n_i)$$

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

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

No nice close-form solution for n th harmonic series

Approximate harmonic series by integral:

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i} &\geq \int_1^{n+1} \frac{1}{x} dx \\ &\geq [\ln x]_1^{n+1} \\ &\geq \ln(n+1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i} &= 1 + \sum_{i=2}^n \frac{1}{i} \leq 1 + \int_1^n \frac{1}{x} dx \\ &\leq 1 + \ln(n)\end{aligned}$$

$$n \ln(n+1) \leq E(y) \leq n + n \ln(n) //$$

Q5-2(e)

Average-case time:

$$\begin{aligned}E(y) &= \sum_{y=1}^n y P(y) \\ &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{y=1}^n y \\ &= \frac{n+1}{2}\end{aligned}$$

Assume each search cost constant c
then $T(n) = \frac{n+1}{2} c$

Worst-case time:

$$T(n) = nc$$