

Homework 1

1. Given n points on the plane, design one algorithm to find the distance between the nearest two points with the computational complexity $O(n \log n)$. You should describe this algorithm using pseudocode, and write a program to realize this algorithm.

For example, Input:

$n=5$

$A=\{(0,2),(6,67),(43,71),(39,107),(189,140)\}$

Output:

36.22

Note that: You should submit one pseudocode document as well as the source codes of the program. You can write this program in C++ or Java or Python.

2. (a) Prove the expected computational complexity of bucket sort is $O(n)$.
(b) What is the computational complexity of bucket sort in the worst case?

Please

- (1) submit your homework to TA's mailbox (lijing.coder@qq.com) before the deadline (0:00 AM, October 15.)
- (2) put all files in a compressed folder, which should be named "student id-name-homework1".