

Shell Sort, Heap, Heap Sort & Heap Variants

Kuan-Yu Chen (陳冠宇)

Sorting

- Sorting means arranging the elements of an array so that they are placed in some relevant order which may be either **ascending** or **descending**
- A sorting algorithm is defined as an algorithm that puts the elements of a list in a certain order, which can be either **numerical** order, **lexicographical** order, or **any user-defined** order
 - **Bubble, Insertion, Tree**
 - **Selection, Merge, Shell**
 - **Quick, Radix, Heap**

Shell Sort.

- Shell sort, invented by Donald Shell in 1959, is a sorting algorithm that is a generalization of insertion sort
 - First, insertion sort works well when the input data is “almost sorted”
 - Second, insertion sort is quite inefficient to use as it moves the values just one position at a time

39	9	45	63	18	81	108	54	72	36
----	---	----	----	----	----	-----	----	----	----

A[0] is the only element in sorted list

9	39	45	63	18	81	108	54	72	36
---	----	----	----	----	----	-----	----	----	----

(Pass 2)

9	39	45	63	18	81	108	54	72	36
---	----	----	----	----	----	-----	----	----	----

(Pass 4)

9	18	39	45	63	81	108	54	72	36
---	----	----	----	----	----	-----	----	----	----

(Pass 6)

9	18	39	45	54	63	81	108	72	36
---	----	----	----	----	----	----	-----	----	----

(Pass 8)

39	9	45	63	18	81	108	54	72	36
----	---	----	----	----	----	-----	----	----	----

(Pass 1)

9	39	45	63	18	81	108	54	72	36
---	----	----	----	----	----	-----	----	----	----

(Pass 3)

9	18	39	45	63	81	108	54	72	36
---	----	----	----	----	----	-----	----	----	----

(Pass 5)

9	18	39	45	63	81	108	54	72	36
---	----	----	----	----	----	-----	----	----	----

(Pass 7)

9	18	39	45	54	63	72	81	108	36
---	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	-----	----

(Pass 9)

Example.

- Sort the 15 elements using shell sort

63, 19, 7, 90, 81, 36, 54, 45, 72, 27, 22, 9, 41, 59, 33

– The first pass: $gap = \frac{15+1}{2} = 8$

Arrange the elements of the array in the form of a table and sort the columns.

Result:

63	19	7	90	81	36	54	45
72	27	22	9	41	59	33	

63	19	7	9	41	36	33	45
72	27	22	90	81	59	54	

The elements of the array can be given as:

63, 19, 7, 9, 41, 36, 33, 45, 72, 27, 22, 90, 81, 59, 54

Example..

- The second pass: $gap = \frac{8+1}{2} = 4.5$

Result:

63	19	7	9	41
36	33	45	72	27
22	90	81	59	54

22	19	7	9	27
36	33	45	59	41
63	90	81	72	54

The elements of the array can be given as:

22, 19, 7, 9, 27, 36, 33, 45, 59, 41, 63, 90, 81, 72, 54

- The third pass: $gap = \frac{5+1}{2} = 3$

Result:

22	19	7
9	27	36
33	45	59
41	63	90
81	72	54

9	19	7
22	27	36
33	45	54
41	63	59
81	72	90

The elements of the array can be given as:

9, 19, 7, 22, 27, 36, 33, 45, 54, 41, 63, 59, 81, 72, 90

Example...

- The last step: $gap = 1$

Result:

9	7
19	9
7	19
22	22
27	27
36	33
33	36
45	41
54	45
41	54
63	59
59	63
81	72
72	81
90	90

Finally, the elements of the array can be given as:

7, 9, 19, 22, 27, 33, 36, 41, 45, 54, 59, 63, 72, 81, 90

Shell Sort.

Shell_Sort(Arr, N)

Step 1: SET GAP_SIZE=N

Step 2: Repeat Steps 3 to 5 while GAP_SIZE > 1

Step 3: SET GAP_SIZE = (GAP_SIZE + 1) / 2

Step 4: for I = 0 to I < GAP_SIZE

Step 5: insertion sort()

Step 6: END

insertion sort()

↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
63	19	7	9	41
36	33	45	72	27
22	90	81	59	54

Result:

22	19	7	9	27
36	33	45	59	41
63	90	81	72	54

The elements of the array can be given as:

22, 19, 7, 9, 27, 36, 33, 45, 59, 41, 63, 90, 81, 72, 54

Shell Sort..



$gap = 5$

$gap = 3$

$gap = 1$

					<i>Result:</i>				
63	19	7	9	41	22	19	7	9	27
36	33	45	72	27	36	33	45	59	41
22	90	81	59	54	63	90	81	72	54

The elements of the array can be given as:

22, 19, 7, 9, 27, 36, 33, 45, 59, 41, 63, 90, 81, 72, 54

Shell Sort...

Shell_Sort(Arr, N)

Step 1: SET FLAG = 1, GAP_SIZE = N

Step 2: Repeat Steps 3 to 6 while FLAG = 1 OR GAP_SIZE > 1

Step 3: SET FLAG = 0

Step 4: SET GAP_SIZE = (GAP_SIZE + 1) / 2

Step 5: Repeat Step 6 for I = 0 to I < (N - GAP_SIZE)

Step 6: IF Arr[I + GAP_SIZE] < Arr[I]
SWAP Arr[I + GAP_SIZE], Arr[I]
SET FLAG = 1

Step 7: END

– Gap = 5

										<i>Result:</i>					
63	19	7	9	41	36	19	7	9	27	22	19	7	9	27	
36	33	45	72	27	22	33	45	59	41	36	33	45	59	41	
22	90	81	59	54	63	90	81	72	54	63	90	81	72	54	

The elements of the array can be given as:

22, 19, 7, 9, 27, 36, 33, 45, 59, 41, 63, 90, 81, 72, 54

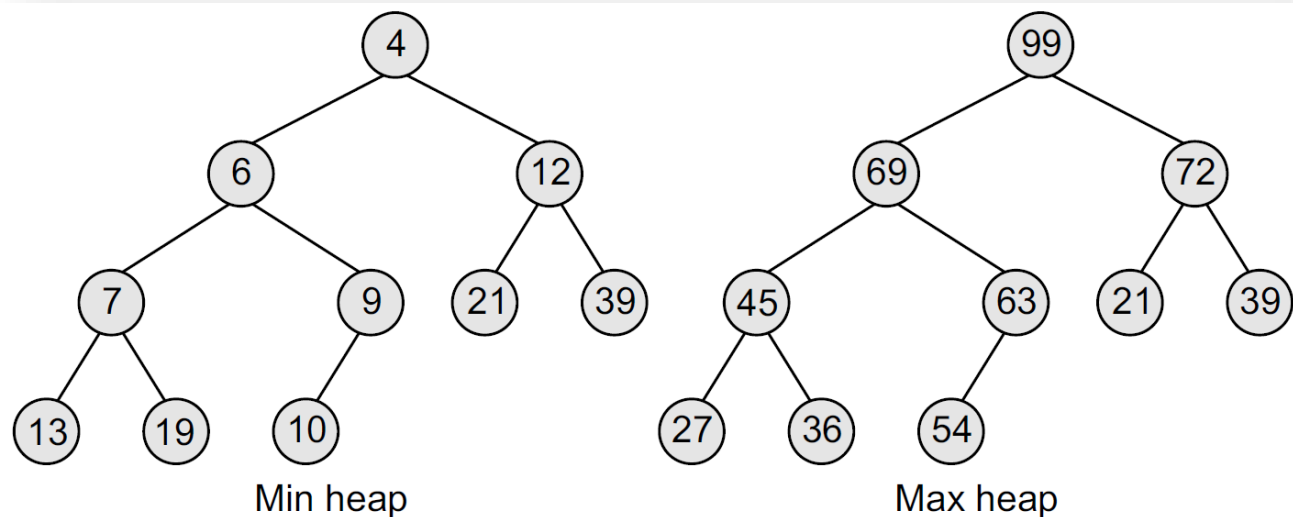
Binary Heap

- A binary heap is a **complete binary tree** in which every node satisfies the heap property
 - Min Heap

If B is a child of A , then $\text{key}(B) \geq \text{key}(A)$

- Max Heap

If B is a child of A , then $\text{key}(A) \geq \text{key}(B)$

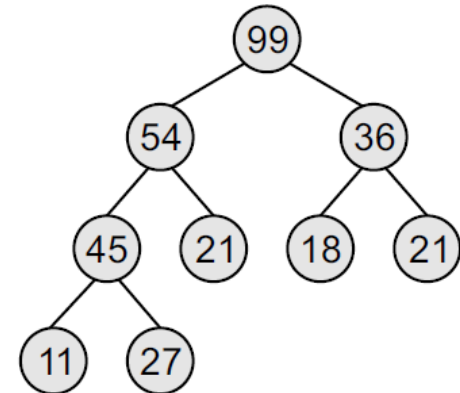
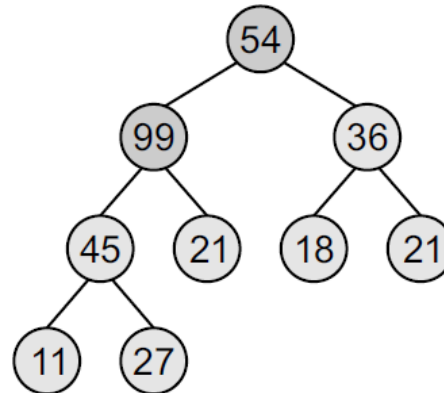
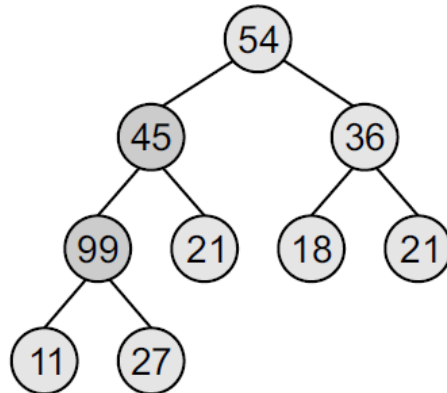
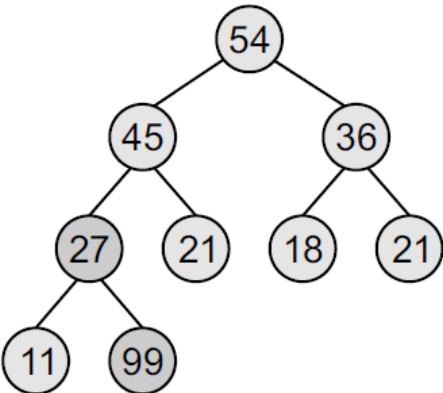
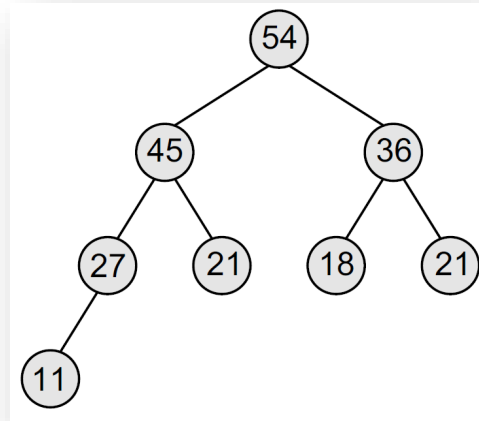


Binary Heap – Insertion

- Inserting a new value into a binary heap is done in the following two steps:
 - Consider a max heap H with n elements
 1. Add the new value at the bottom of H
 2. Let the new value rise to its appropriate place in H

Example

- Consider a max heap and insert 99 in it

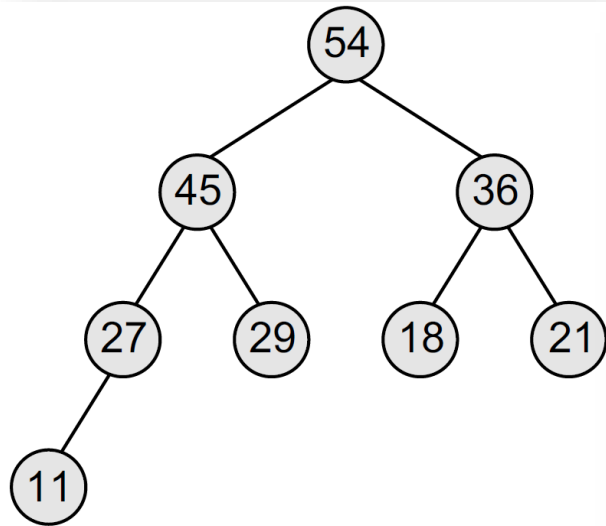


Binary Heap – Deletion

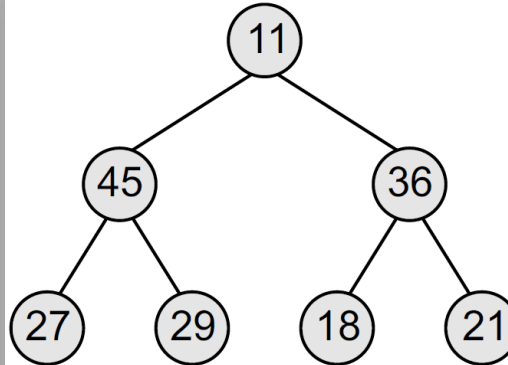
- An element is **always deleted from the root** of the heap
- Consider a max heap H having n elements, deleting an element from the heap is done in the following three steps:
 1. Replace the root node's value with the last node's value
 2. Delete the last node
 3. Sink down the new root node's value so that H satisfies the heap property

Example

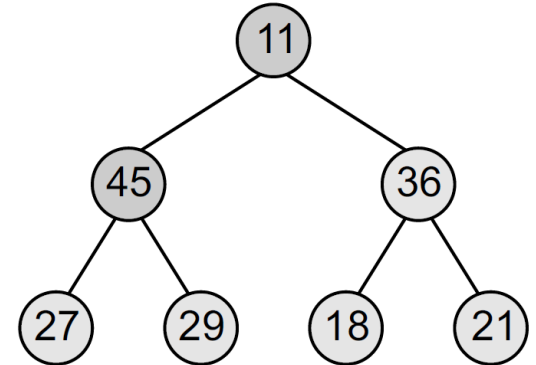
- Delete an element from the given **max** heap H



(Step 1)

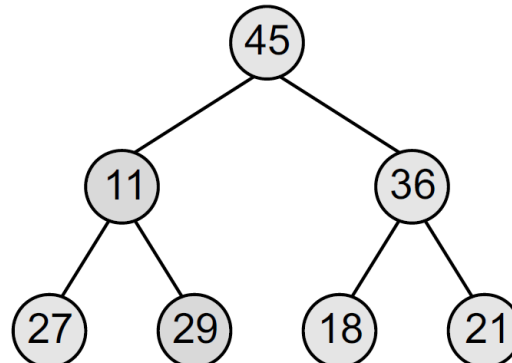


(Step 2)



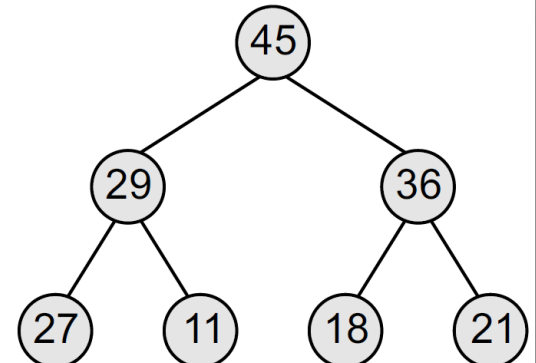
(Since 11 is less than 45, interchange the values)

(Step 3)



(Since 11 is less than 29, interchange the values)

(Step 4)



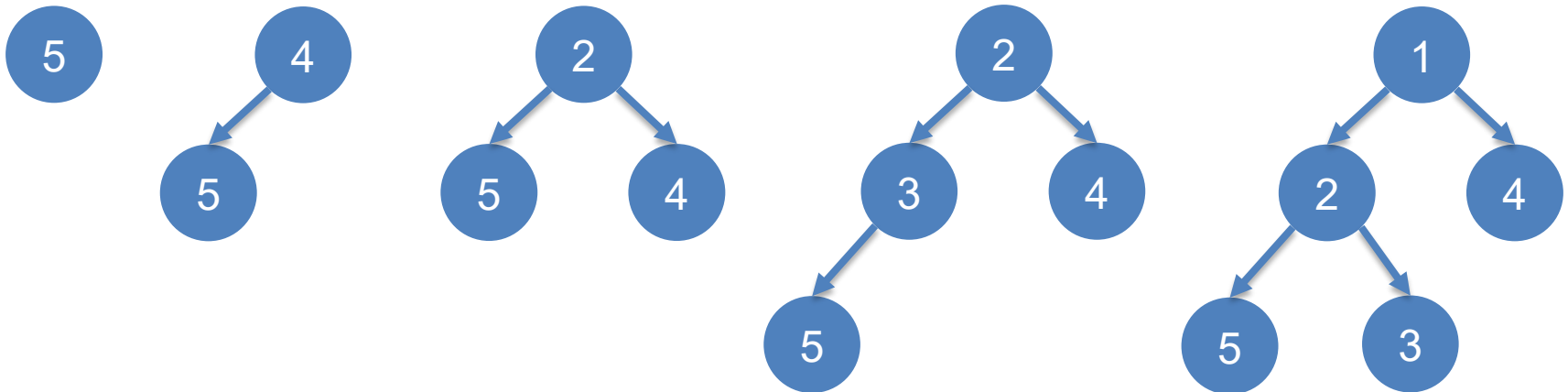
Heap Sort

- Given an array ARR with n elements, the heap sort algorithm can be used to sort ARR in two phases
 - In phase 1, build a binary heap H using the elements of ARR
 - In phase 2, repeatedly delete an element from the heap

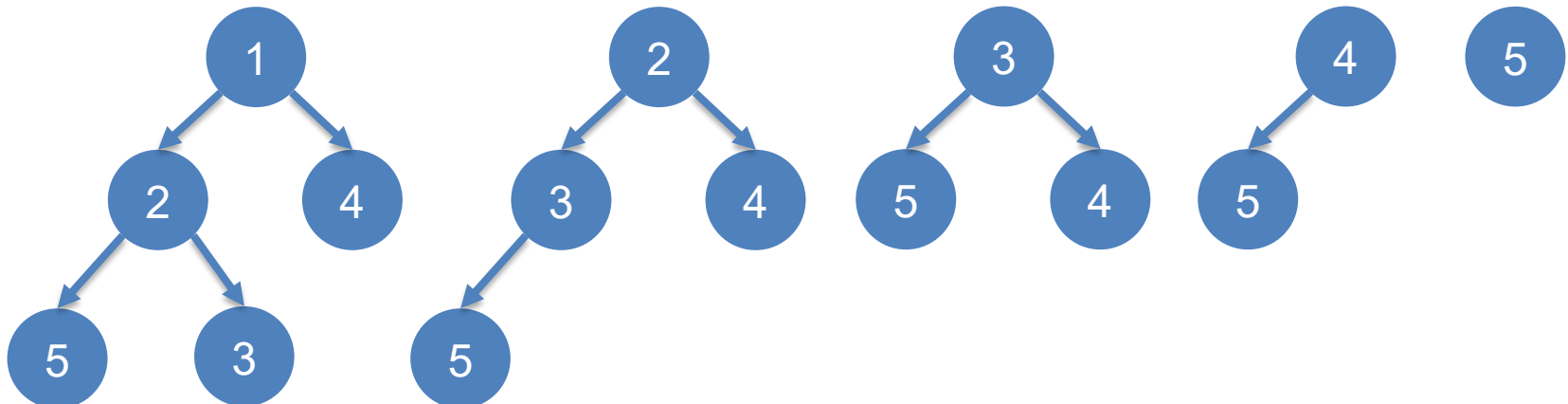
Example

- Sort the given elements using heap sort algorithm
 - 5, 4, 2, 3, 1

- Step 1: build a minimum heap

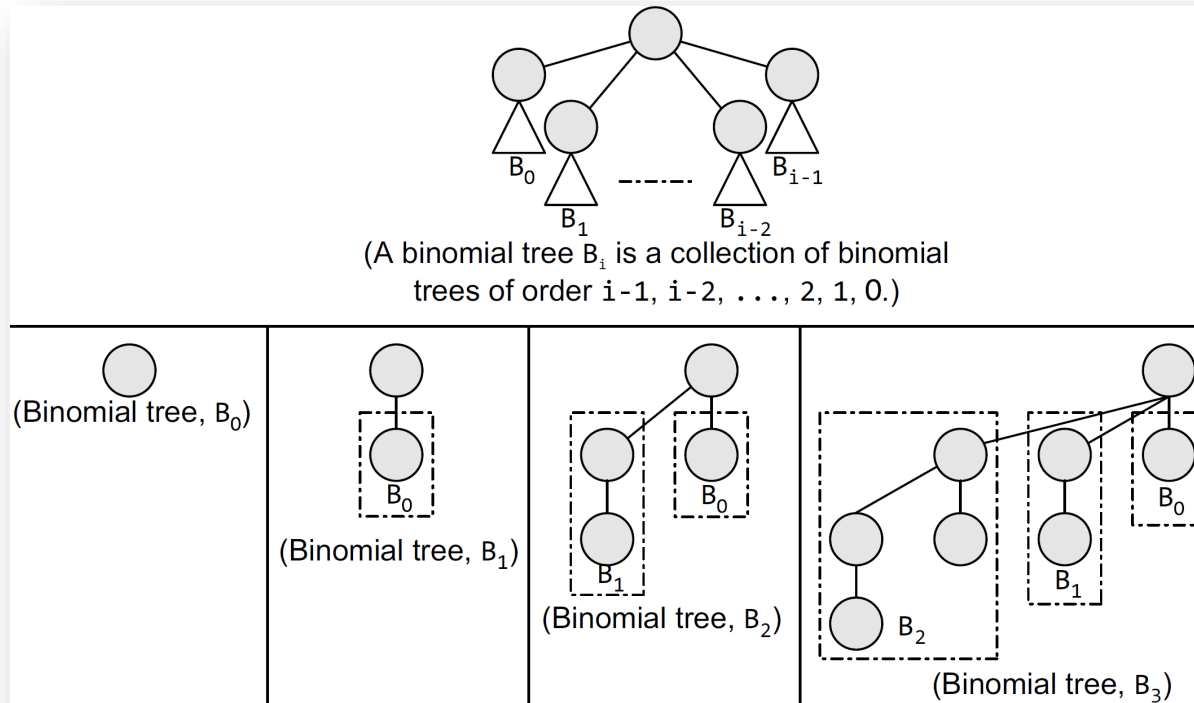


- Step 2: delete elements from the heap



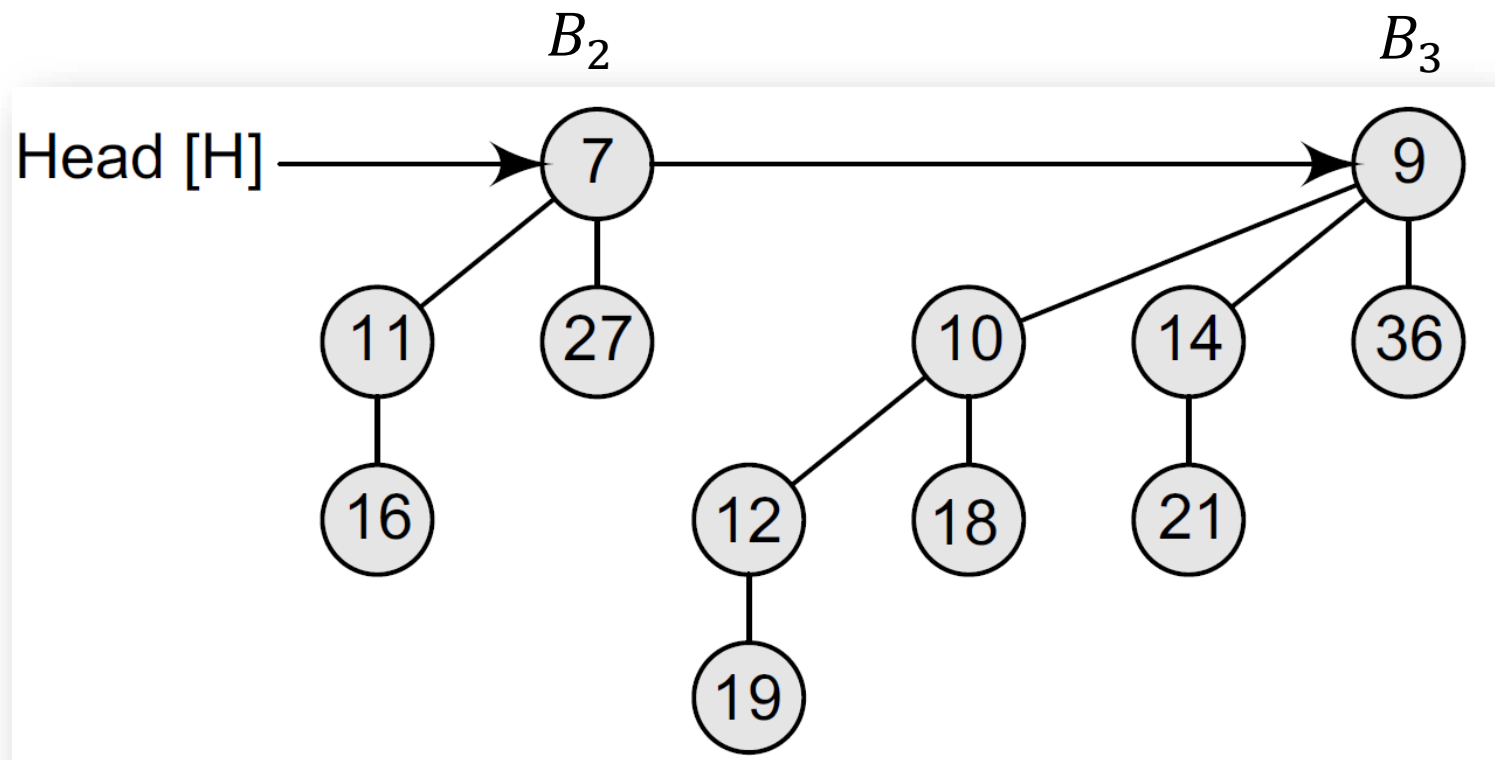
Binomial Tree

- A **binomial tree** is an ordered tree
 - A binomial tree B_i with order i has 2^i nodes
 - It contains a root node whose children are the root nodes of binomial trees of order $i - 1, i - 2, \dots, 2, 1$, and 0
 - The height of a binomial tree B_i is i
 - A binomial tree of order 0 has a single node

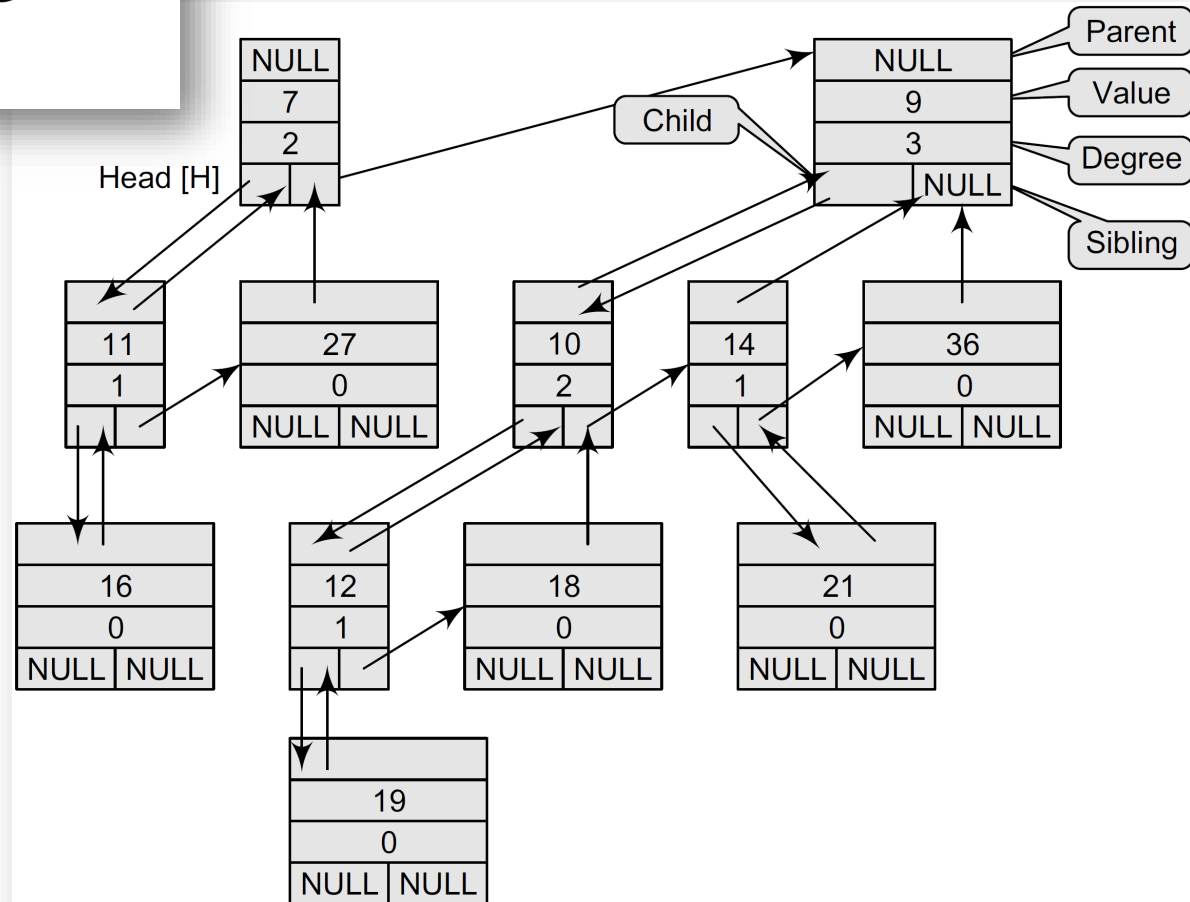
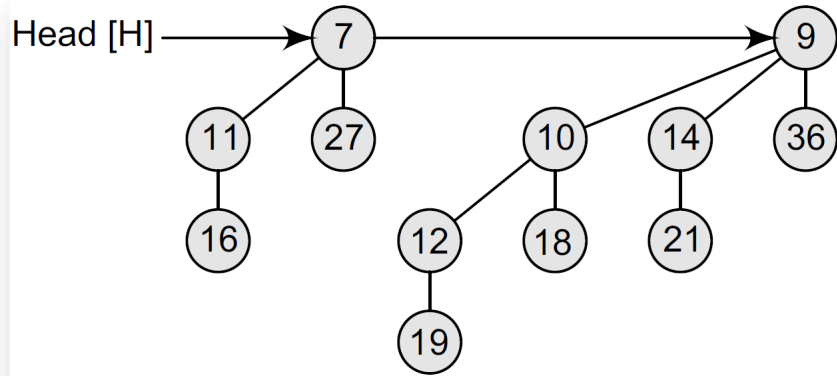


Binomial Heap

- A **binomial heap** H is a set of **binomial trees**
 - Every binomial tree in H satisfies the **minimum heap** property

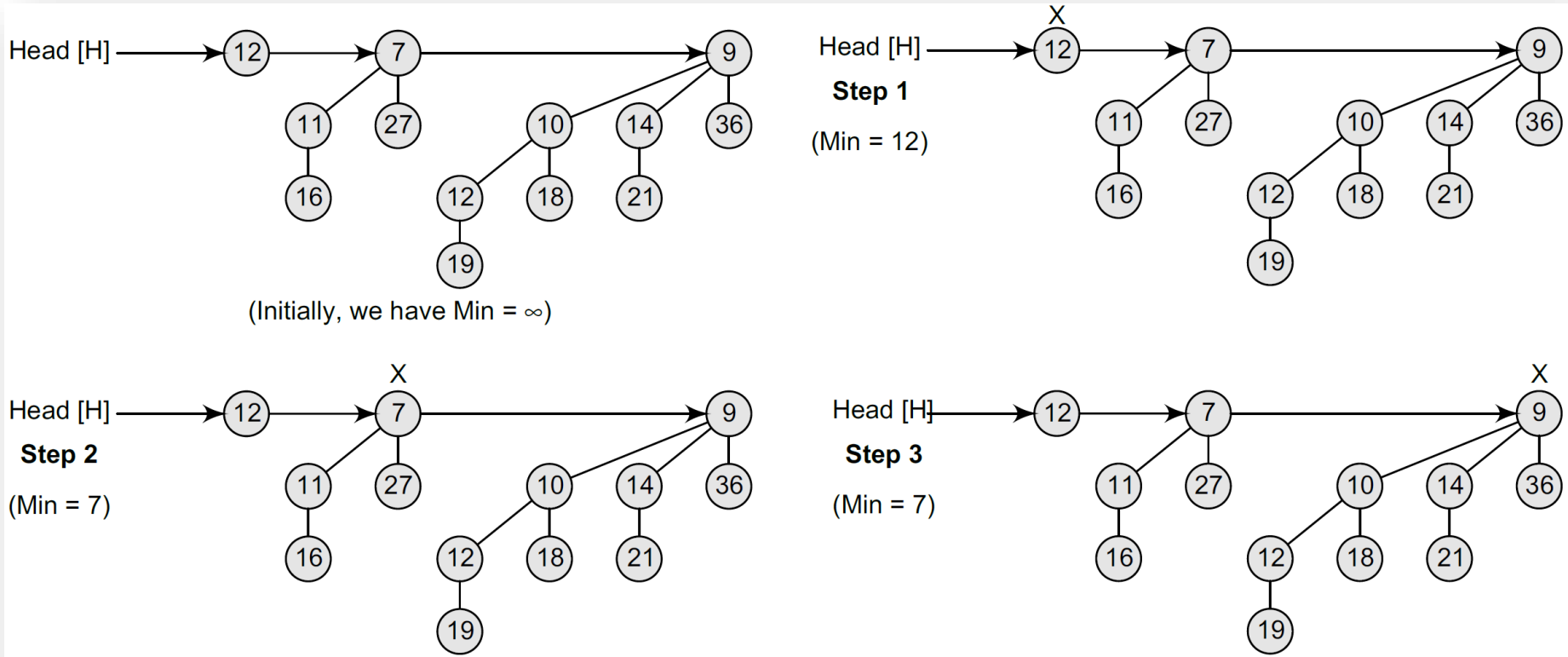


Binomial Heap with Linked List



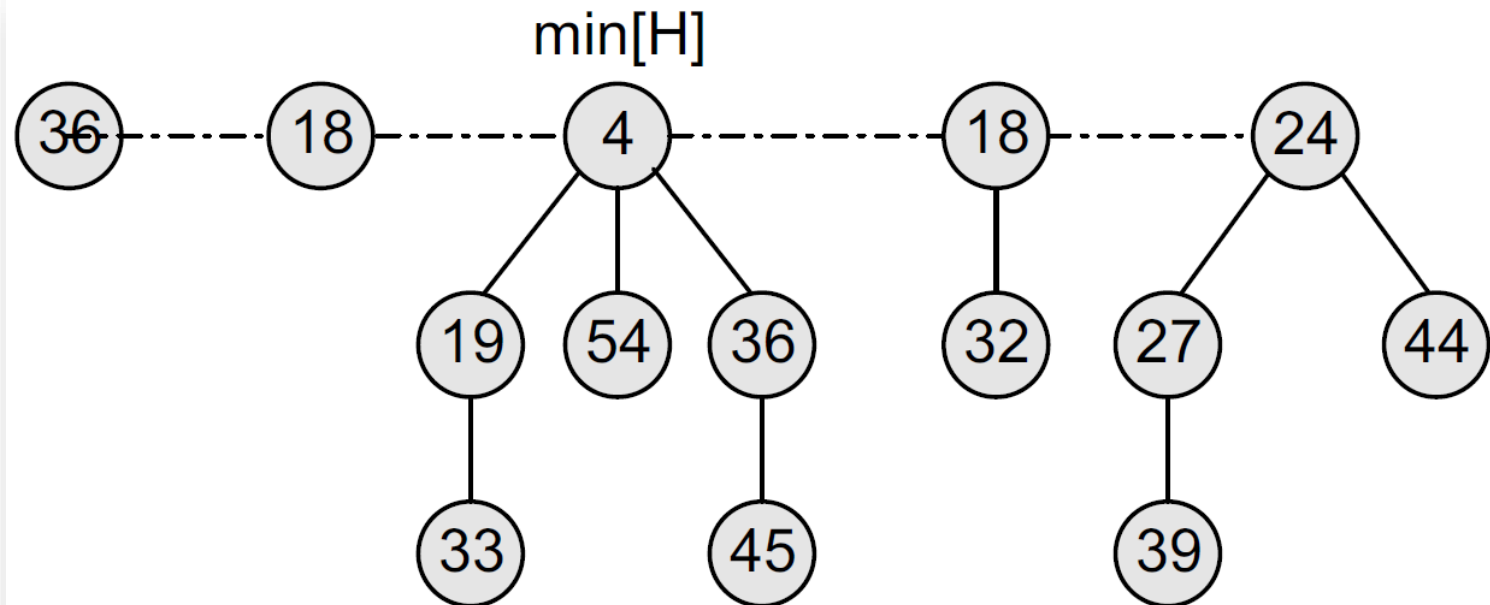
Minimum Value in Binomial Heap

- Since a binomial heap is heap-ordered, the node with the minimum value in a particular binomial tree will appear as a root node in the binomial heap



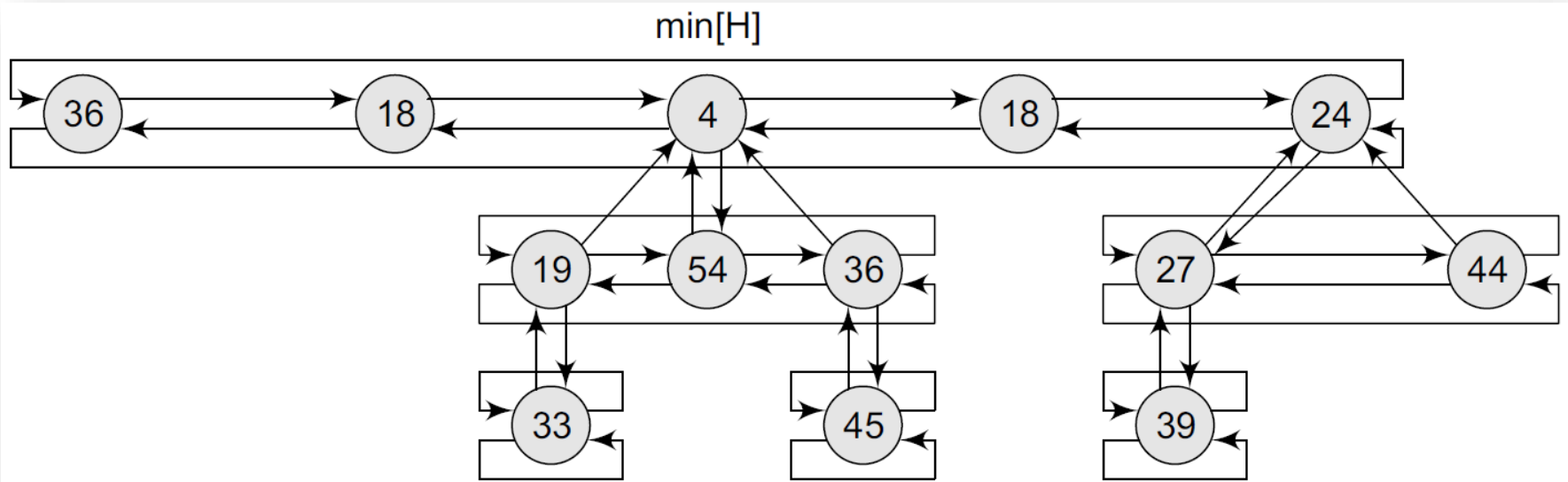
Fibonacci Heaps.

- A Fibonacci heap is a collection of trees
 - It is loosely based on binomial heaps
 - Fibonacci heaps differ from binomial heaps as they have a more relaxed structure
 - The trees in a Fibonacci heap are **not** constrained to be binomial trees



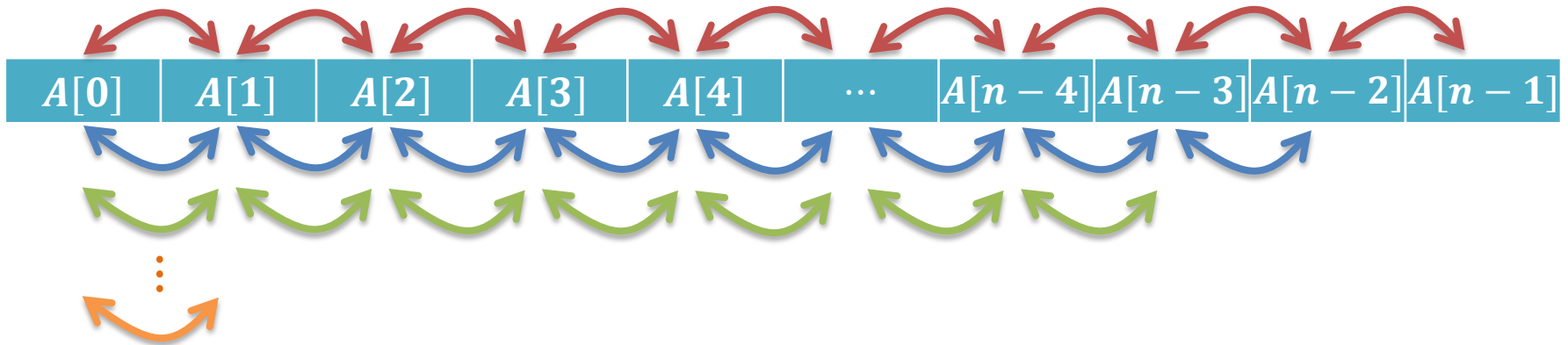
Fibonacci Heaps..

- Fibonacci heap H is generally accessed by a pointer called $\text{min}[H]$ which points to the root that has a minimum value
 - If the Fibonacci heap H is empty, then $\text{min}[H] = \text{NULL}$



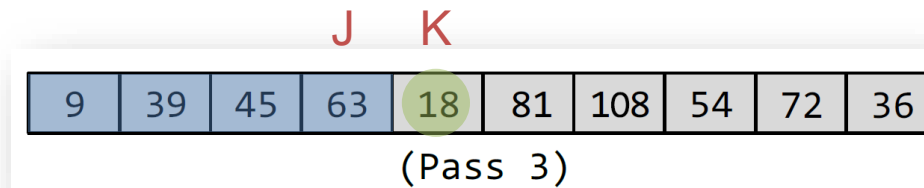
Review.

- Bubble Sort



- Best/Worst/Average Case: $\mathbf{O}(n^2)$

- Insertion Sort



- Best Case: $\mathbf{O}(n)$
 - Average/Worst Case: $\mathbf{O}(n^2)$

Review...

- Selection Sort

- Average/Best/Worst Case: $O(n^2)$

PASS	ARR[0]	ARR[1]	ARR[2]	ARR[3]	ARR[4]	ARR[5]	ARR[6]	ARR[7]
1	9	39	81	45	90	27	72	18
2	9	18	81	45	90	27	72	39
3	9	18	27	45	90	81	72	39
4	9	18	27	39	90	81	72	45
5	9	18	27	39	45	81	72	90
6	9	18	27	39	45	72	81	90
7	9	18	27	39	45	72	81	90

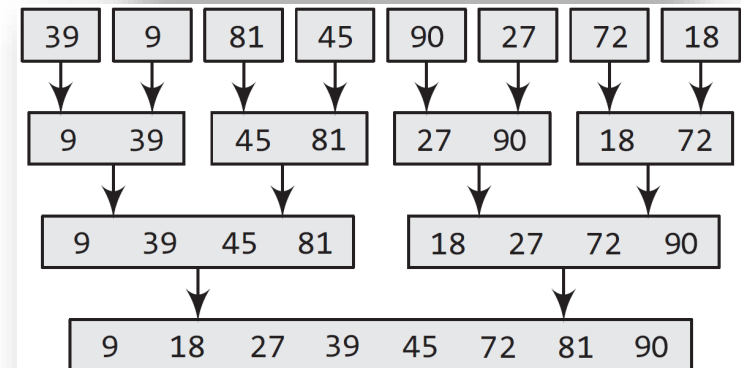
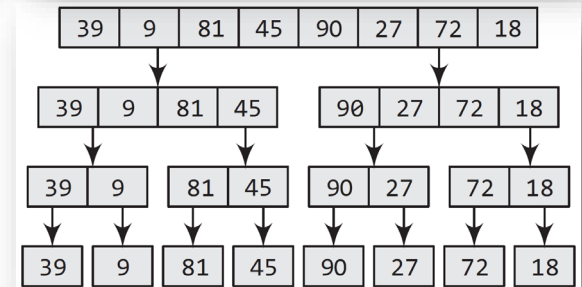
- Merge Sort

- Average/Best/Worst Case: $O(n \log n)$
- It needs an additional memory space

9	39	45	81	18	27	72	90	TEMP	9	18						
BEG	I		MID	J			END	INDEX								
9	39	45	81	18	27	72	90	INDEX	9	18	27					
BEG	I		MID	J			END	INDEX								
9	39	45	81	18	27	72	90	INDEX	9	18	27	39				
BEG	I		MID	J			END	INDEX								
9	39	45	81	18	27	72	90	INDEX	9	18	27	39	45			
BEG	I		MID	J			END	INDEX								
9	39	45	81	18	27	72	90	INDEX	9	18	27	39	45	72		
BEG	I, MID		J	END				INDEX								
9	39	45	81	18	27	72	90	INDEX	9	18	27	39	45	72	81	
BEG	I, MID		J	END				INDEX								

SMALLEST (ARR, K, N, POS)

Step 1: [INITIALIZE] SET SMALL = ARR[K]
 Step 2: [INITIALIZE] SET POS = K
 Step 3: Repeat for J = K+1 to N-1
 IF SMALL > ARR[J]
 SET SMALL = ARR[J]
 SET POS = J
 [END OF IF]
 [END OF LOOP]
 Step 4: RETURN POS



Review....

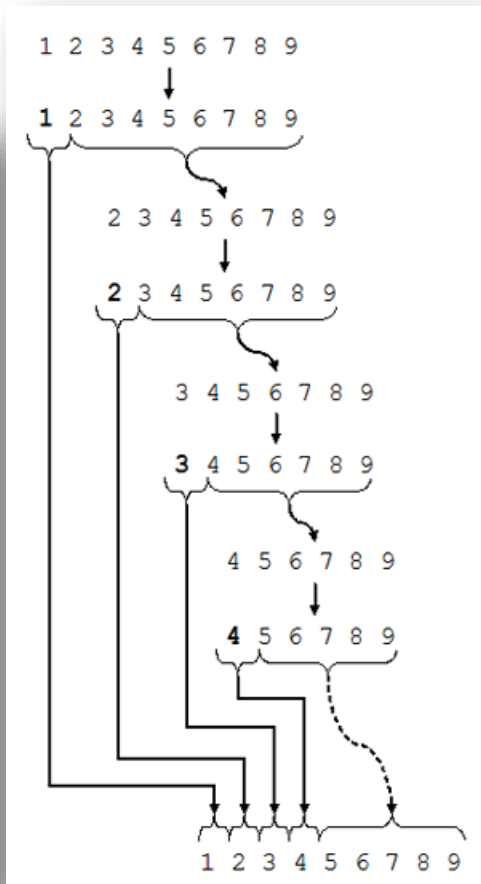
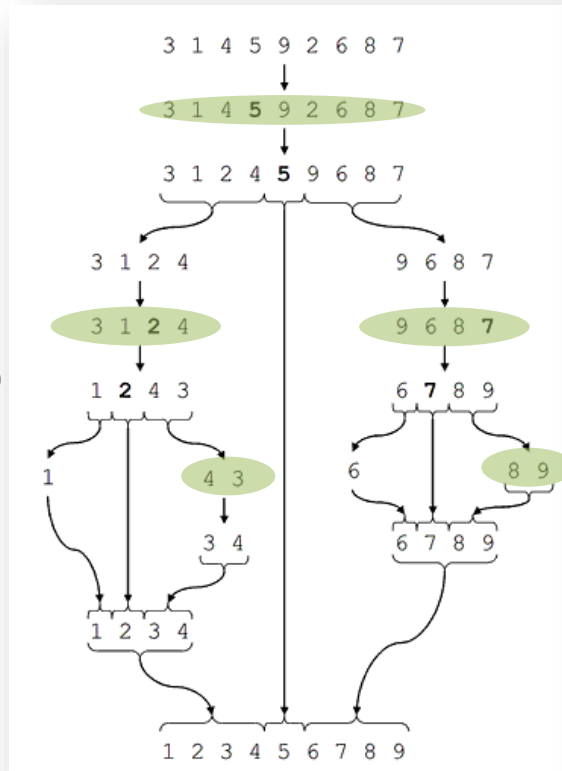
- Quick Sort



- Best Case: $O(n \log n)$
- Average Case: $O(n \log n)$
- Worst Case: $O(n^2)$

- Tree Sort

- Best Case: $O(n \log n)$
 - Add a node is $O(\log n)$
- Worst Case: $O(n^2)$
 - Add a node is $O(n)$



Review.....

- Radix Sort

- Best/Worst/Average Case: $O(kn)$

- k is the number of digits of the largest element

Number	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
911		911								
472								472		
123			123							
654						654				
924			924							
345					345					
555						555				
567							567			
808	808									

- Shell Sort

- Best Case: ?

- The best case for Insertion Sort is $O(n)$

- Average/Worst Case: $O(n^2)$

- Insertion Sort

- Heap Sort

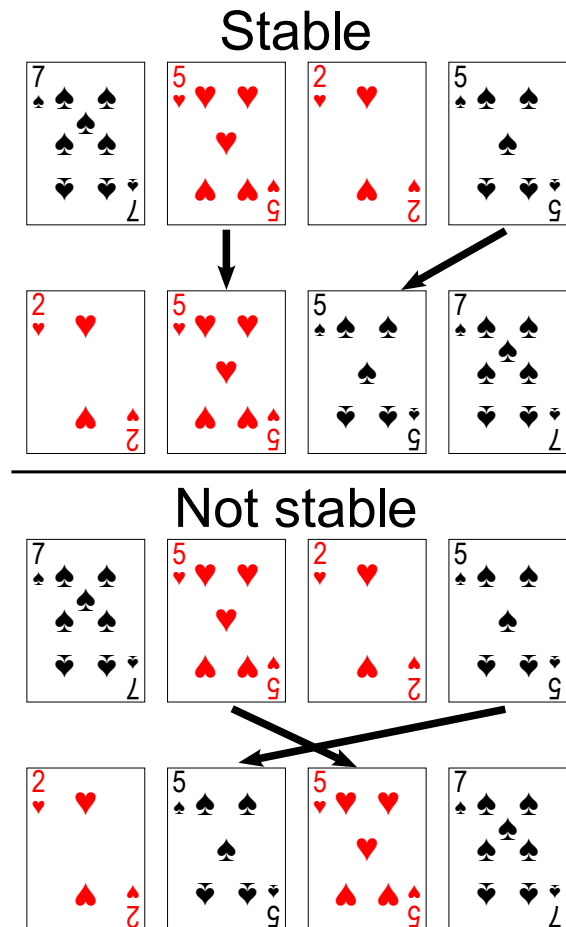
- Average/Best/Worst Case: $O(n \log n)$

- A Complete Binary Tree

Balance Tree

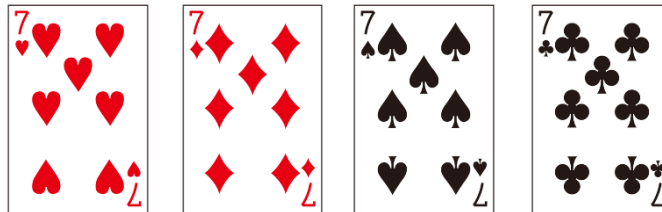
Stable Sorting Algorithms.

- Stable sort algorithms sort equal elements in the same order that they appear in the input
 - https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sorting_algorithm#Stability

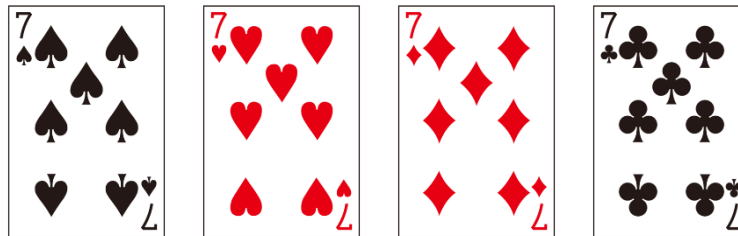


Stable Sorting Algorithms..

- Why is the property important?
 - Please sort the four cards by referring to their numbers and suits

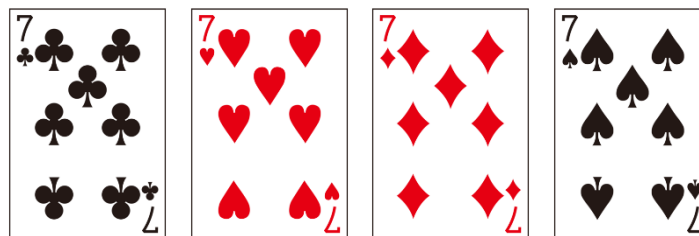


- First, sort by suits



- Then, sort by numbers

➤ For unstable sorting algorithm, we may get:



Comparison & Non-comparison

- Comparison sorts
 - A comparison sort cannot perform better than $\mathbf{O}(n \log n)$ on average
 - Bubble, Insertion, Tree, Selection, Merge, Shell, Quick, Heap sorts
- Non-comparison sort
 - Radix sort

Questions?



kychen@mail.ntust.edu.tw