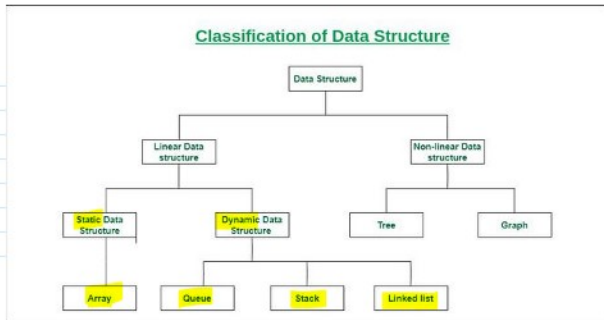


## DATA STRUCTURES

Repo with a lot of references <https://github.com/tavllan/awesome-algorithms>

→ Defns how data is organized, stored and manipulated

↳ Used to store and organize data

→ Data structure is a collection of data types  
Time complexity plays an important role

1. **Linear Data Structure:** Data structure in which data elements are arranged sequentially or linearly, where each element is attached to its previous and next adjacent elements, is called a linear data structure.

Example: Array, Stack, Queue, Linked List, etc.

2. **Static Data Structure:** Static data structure has a fixed memory size. It is easier to access the elements in a static data structure.

Example: array.

3. **Dynamic Data Structure:** In dynamic data structure, the size is not fixed. It can be randomly updated during the runtime which may be considered efficient concerning the memory (space) complexity of the code.

Example: Queue, Stack, etc.

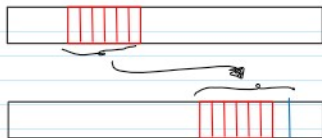
4. **Non-Linear Data Structure:** Data structures where data elements are not placed sequentially or linearly are called non-linear data structures. In a non-linear data structure, we can't traverse all the elements in a single run only.

Examples: Trees and Graphs.

① Arranged sequentially



↳ As block of data → that has a limited amount of space but can't grow indefinitely without moving every thing over and over



In order to add one more item here, it needs to copy the whole memory

↳ Search time is faster but insertion time don't

Back To Basics: C++ Containers



→ This video explain it in more details

Watch it again!!!

→ COMPLEXITY

→ time x space

<b>BIG-O</b>	<b>WORST CASE</b>
<b>BIG-Ω</b>	<b>BEST CASE</b>
<b>BIG-Θ</b>	<b>AVERAGE CASE</b>

→ 3 ways to measure the complexity

↳ But the worst case is the most important one!!

Complexity → Count of statements that needs to execute

↳ Constant Complexity ( $O(1)$ )

→ 4 statements =  $O(4)$

```
function askInfo() {
  console.log('Enter your name:');
}
```

↳ Constant, because it doesn't depend on the input

## Constant Complexity ( $O(1)$ )

```
function askInfo() {
  console.log('Enter your name:');
  console.log('Enter your age:');
  console.log('Enter your location:');
  console.log('Enter your profession:');
}
```

4 statements =  $O(4)$

↳ Constant because it doesn't depend on the input or process anything to call it  $O(1)$

## Linear Complexity ( $O(n)$ )

```
function printItems(items) {
  for (let i = 0; i <= items.length; i++) {
    console.log(items[i]);
  }
}
```

Complexity =  $O(1) + O(n)$

↳  $O(n)$

↳ Depends on the input length

Because the statements will

repeat  $N$  times → adding complexity

## COMMON COMPLEXITIES

**LINEAR**  $O(N)$  (3)

**QUADRATIC**  $O(N^2)$  (4)

**CONSTANT**  $O(1)$  (1)

**EXPONENTIAL**  $O(2^N)$  (5)

**LOGARITHMIC**  $O(\log N)$  (2)

**LINEAR**  $O(N)$

→ Grows linearly



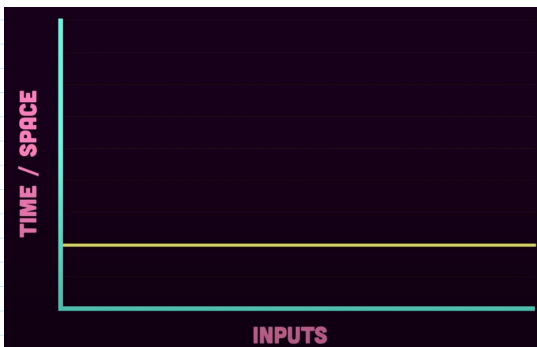
```
for (let i = 0; i <= n; i++) {
  // do something
}
```

**QUADRATIC**  $O(N^2)$



```
for (let i = 0; i <= n; i++) {
  for (let j = 0; j <= n; j++) {
    // do something
  }
}
```

## CONSTANT $O(1)$



```
let names = ['John Doe', 'Jane Doe', 'Baby Doe'];
console.log(names[0]);
```

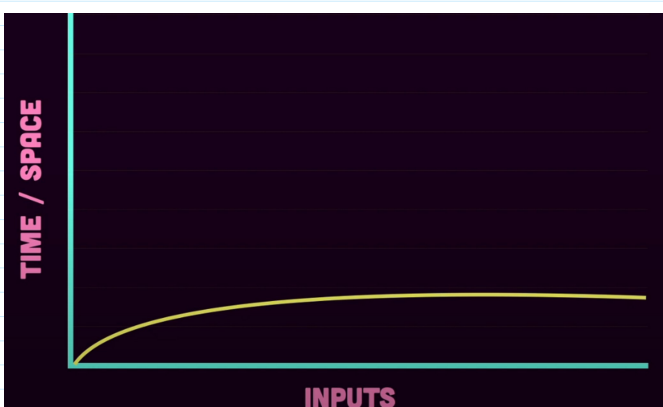
## EXPONENTIAL $O(2^N)$



```
function fibonacci(n) {
  if (n <= 1) return n;
  return fibonacci(n - 2) + fibonacci(n - 1);
}
```

*↳ recursive recursive?*  
 $O(3) = 8$   
 $O(5) = 32$

## LOGARITHMIC $O(\log N)$



```
for (let i = 1; i <= n; i = i * 2) {
  // do something
}
```

$O(10000)$   
 $O(10000)$

Binary search is also a good example

### O-Notation

→ worst case (most important)

↳ Upper bound on the asymptotic behavior

↳ function grows no faster than a certain rate

$$7n^3 + 100n^2 - 20n + 6 \sim n^3 \rightarrow O(n^3)$$

↳ Considers only the highest order terms because they are the most important ones

$\Omega$  notation  $\rightarrow$  Best case

- $\hookrightarrow$  Lower Bound on the asymptotic behavior
- $\hookrightarrow$  function grows at least as fast as certain rate

$$7n^3 + 100n^2 - 20n + 6 \rightsquigarrow n \quad \boxed{\sim \Omega(n)}$$

$\Theta$  notation  $\rightarrow$  Average case

- $\hookrightarrow$  tight bound on the asymptotic behavior
- $\hookrightarrow$  Grows precisely at a certain rate

$$7n^3 + 100n^2 - 20n + 6 \rightsquigarrow \begin{cases} O(n^3) \\ \Omega(n^3) \rightarrow \text{Can be!} \end{cases}$$

$\hookrightarrow$  "Grows no faster than"

$\Theta(n^3)$

INSERTION-SORT( $A, n$ )

```
1 for  $i = 2$  to  $n$   $\rightarrow O(n)$ 
2    $key = A[i]$ 
3   // Insert  $A[i]$  into the sorted subarray  $A[1 : i - 1]$ .
4    $j = i - 1$ 
5   while  $j > 0$  and  $A[j] > key$   $\rightarrow O(n)$ 
6      $A[j + 1] = A[j]$ 
7      $j = j - 1$ 
8    $A[j + 1] = key$ 
```

$\left. \begin{array}{l} O(n) \\ O(n) \end{array} \right\} O(n^2)$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  The worse case would be  $\geq$  loop with  $N$  iterations

$\rightarrow$  Nested loops