

PROBLEM 4

Bubblesort can be considered similar to a type of mergesort because it sorts by dividing into groups and swapping which can be seen here:

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void swap(int *x, int *y)
{
    int temp = *x;
    *x = *y;
    *y = temp;
}
```

Due to this, we can say the complexity can be summed up as $N \log N$ similar to the mergesort's complexity. Overall, the efficiency in such a sort is good. In order for a linear time solution to be possible you must first find the largest or smallest number in the array and use that as a basis to sort local maxima or local minima around that chosen integer. Thus a mergesort can be used to accomplish this with $O(N)$ complexity.