

## ALGORITHMIC ANALYSIS

**Big O:**  $f(n) \in O(g(n)) \leftrightarrow \exists c \in \mathbb{R}, n_0 \in \mathbb{Z}^{\geq 0}$  s.t.  $\forall n \geq n_0, f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n)$

**Big  $\Omega$ :**  $f(n) \in \Omega(g(n)) \leftrightarrow \exists c \in \mathbb{R}, n_0 \in \mathbb{Z}^{\geq 0}$  s.t.  $\forall n \geq n_0, f(n) \geq c \cdot g(n)$

**Big  $\Theta$ :**  $f(n) \in \Theta(g(n)) \leftrightarrow f(n) \in O(g(n)) \wedge f(n) \in \Omega(g(n))$

$\leftrightarrow \exists c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}, n_0 \in \mathbb{Z}^{\geq 0}$  s.t.  $\forall n \geq n_0, c_1 \cdot g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 \cdot g(n)$

**Growth Rates:**  $1 \rightarrow \log(n) \rightarrow n \rightarrow n \log(n) \rightarrow n^2 \rightarrow n^3 \rightarrow c^n \rightarrow n!$

## RECURSION ANALYSIS

**Case 1:** work per call follows pattern -  $T(n) = T(n-1) + O(1)$

**Case 2:** work per level is the same -  $T(n) = 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + O(n)$

**Case 3:** work per call is the same -  $T(n) = 2T(n-1) + O(1)$

## SORTING ALGORITHMS

Sort	Worst	Best	Expected
Bubble $A[i] \xleftrightarrow{\text{swap}} A[i+1]$	$O(n^2)$	$O(n)$ <i>pre-sorted</i>	$O(n^2)$
Insertion <i>by next unsorted</i>	$O(n^2)$	$O(n)$ <i>pre-sorted</i>	$O(n^2)$
Selection <i>by smallest</i>	$O(n^2)$	$O(n)$ <i>pre-sorted</i>	$O(n^2)$
Merge	$O(n \log n)$	$O(n \log n)$	$O(n \log n)$
Quick <i>3-partition</i>	$O(n^2)$	$O(n)$ <i>uniform list</i>	$O(n \log n)$
Radix	$O(d(n+N))$	$O(d(n+N))$	$O(d(n+N))$

## BASIC DATA STRUCTURES

**Amortisation:**  $T(n) \div n$ , where  $n$  = no. of operations

	SPACE	get	add	remove
<b>Dynamic Array</b>	$O(n)$	$O(1)$	$O(n)^*$	$O(n)$
<b>Linked List</b>	$O(n)$	$O(1)$	$O(n)$	$O(n)$
<b>Stack - LIFO</b>	SPACE: $O(n)$	$O(1)^1$	$O(1)$	
<b>Queue - FIFO</b>	SPACE: $O(n)$	$O(1)$	$O(1)$	
<sup>1</sup> amortised if array-based implementation				

## BINARY TREES

**Proper Binary Tree:** internal nodes have exactly 2 children

**Complete Binary Tree:** levels  $0 \rightarrow h-1$  full, level  $h$  left-most

Pre-Order	In-Order	Post-Order
self $\rightarrow$ left $\rightarrow$ right	left $\rightarrow$ self $\rightarrow$ right	left $\rightarrow$ right $\rightarrow$ self

## Properties:

- Full level  $l$  has  $2^l$  nodes (note  $l \geq 0$ )
- Max no. of nodes =  $2^{l_{\text{max}}} - 1$ , max internal nodes =  $2^{l_{\text{max}}-1} - 1$
- $h$  = no. of edges from lowest leaf =  $\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$

⚠ *care with null leaves in implementation vs. conceptual tree*

- $l$  &  $d$  use 0-based index.

## HEAPS & PRIORITY QUEUES

**Binary Heap:** complete binary tree with heap property order

$\text{key}(\text{node}) \leq \text{key}(\text{parent}(\text{node}))$  OR  $\text{key}(\text{node}) \geq \text{key}(\text{parent}(\text{node}))$

**Insertion:** insert at last node location then **upHeap** -

- Check  $k < \text{parent} \wedge k \neq \text{root}$
- Swap  $k \leftrightarrow \text{parent}_{\text{greater than current}}$
- Repeat until  $k \geq \text{parent} \vee k = \text{root} \rightarrow O(\log n)$

**RemoveMin:** swap root  $\leftrightarrow$  last node then **downHeap** -

- Check  $k > \text{child}_{\text{left or right}}$
- Swap  $k \leftrightarrow \text{child}_{\text{less than current}}$
- Repeat until  $k > \text{child}_{\text{both}} \vee k = \text{leaf} \rightarrow O(\log n)$

**Array-Based:** left child @  $2i+1$  & right child @  $2i+2$

**Heap Sort:** for  $a$  in  $A \rightarrow$  add to heap  $\rightarrow$  removeMin back to  $A$

**Bottom Up Heap Construction:** get  $l_{\text{MAX}} = \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor \rightarrow$  get no. of leaves on bottom level (fill remaining with nulls)  $\rightarrow$  add nodes to merge heaps

## MAPS - HASH TABLES

**General Summary:** pre-hash  $\rightarrow$  compress  $\rightarrow$  handle collisions  $\rightarrow$  rehash

**Complexities:**  $O(1)$  expectation,  $O(n)$  worst-case

**Pre-hash to Hash Code:**

- Component sum: e.g. sum of all char in string (collision risk)
- Polynomial accumulation:  $p(z) = a_0 z^0 + a_1 z^1 + \dots z \in \mathbb{Z}$
- Cyclic shift: replace  $z$  with bit-shifted version (e.g.  $z \ll 5$ )

**Compress to Hash Value:** fow below,  $N$  = table size  $\wedge N \in \mathbb{Z}^{\text{prime}}$

- Division:  $h(k) = k \bmod N$
- MAD:  $h(k) = ((ak + b) \bmod p) \bmod N$   
 $p > N \wedge p \in \mathbb{Z}^{\text{prime}}, a \in [1, p-1], b \in [0, p-1]$

**Collision Handling:** separate chaining vs. open addressing

- Probe idx computed as  $(h(k) + f(i)) \bmod N$  for  $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$
- 1st probe is just  $h(k)$  hence  $i = 0$  for open addressing, below:

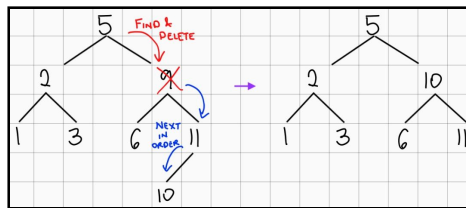
	Linear	Quadratic	Double Hash
$f(i)$	$i$	$i^2$	$i \times d(k)$

**Load Factor**  $\alpha = \frac{n}{N} \rightarrow 0.8 \leq \alpha \leq 1$  chaining &  $\alpha < \frac{2}{3}$  open addressing

- Expected no. of probes =  $\frac{1}{1-\alpha}$

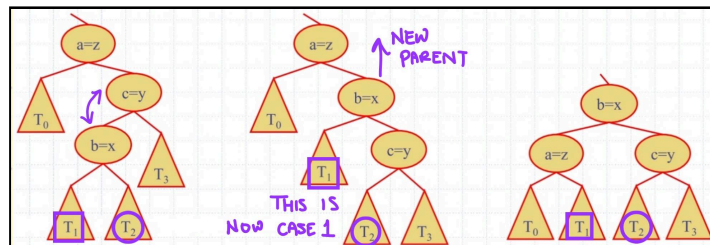
## SEARCH TREES

**BST:**  $O(\log n)$  expected get, add, remove (in-order traversal),  $O(n)$  worst



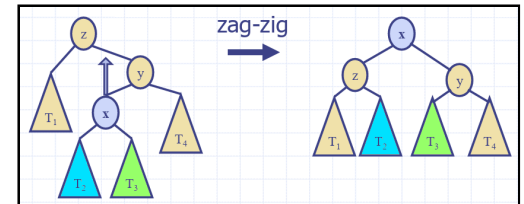
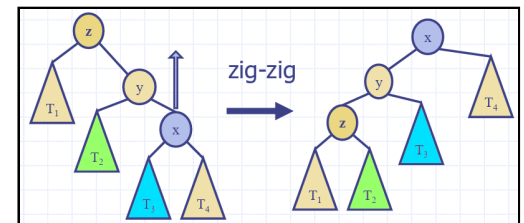
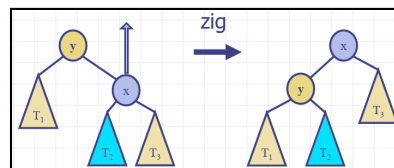
**AVL Trees:** BST that doesn't degrade to  $O(n)$

- Insertion: re-balance at **first** unbalanced node from bottom
- Deletion: after BST deletion, re-balance upwards from bottom
- Tri-node inputs: parent, child + grandchild of greater height



**Splay Trees:**  $O(n)$  worst,  $< O(\log n)$  best (popular nodes),  $O(\log n)^*$

- get(K) - splay found node, or last accessed node before null leaf
- insert(K, V) - splay inserted/updated node
- remove(K) - splay original parent of removal node



## GRAPHS

- Incident edge** = connected to vertex, **adjacent vertices** = connected by edge
- Vertex Degree** = no. of incident edges (in vs out degree for directed)
- Simple Path** = distinct edges AND vertices
- Simple Cycle** = simple path with same start/end points
- Subgraph** = subset of vertices/edges
- Spanning Subgraph** of  $G$  = subgraph that contains *all* vertices of  $G$
- Connected Graph** =  $\exists$  simple path between any 2 vertices
- Unrooted Tree** = connected graph with no simple cycles (can be spanning)
- Forest** = unconnected graph with no simple cycles (can be spanning)
- Fully Dense Graph:**  $\sum \text{deg}(v) = 2 \times |E|$  in undirected graph  $\rightarrow |E| \leq n(n-1) \div 2$
- Graph Density:**
  - $\frac{2 \times |E|}{n(n-1)}$  undirected or  $\frac{|E|}{n(n-1)}$  directed
  - $|E| \sim O(n)$  sparse or  $|E| \sim O(n^2)$  dense
- Graph Representations:**
  - Edge list: simple list of edge pointers only  $O(m)$
  - Adjacency List: for each vertex, store all adjacent vertices  $O(n+m)$
  - Adjacency Matrix:  $V \times V$  grid where  $(u, v) = 1 \leftrightarrow$  edge exists

Feature	Edge List	Adjacency List	Adjacency Matrix
Space	$n+m$	$n+m$	$n^2$
outgoingEdges( $v$ )	$m$	$\text{deg}(v)$	$n$
incomingEdges( $v$ )	$m$	$\text{deg}(v)$	$n$
getEdge( $v, w$ )	$m$	$\min(\text{deg}(v), \text{deg}(w))$	1
insertVertex( $o$ )	1	1	$n^2$
insertEdge( $v, w, o$ )	1	1	1
removeVertex( $v$ )	$m$	$\text{deg}(v)$	$n^2$
removeEdge( $v$ )	1	1	1
Good for	small graphs	sparse graphs	dense graphs

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**ADT METHODS**

Stack	push(V)	pop()	top() or peek()
Queue	enqueue(V)	dequeue()	front() or peek()
Priority Q	insert(K, V)	removeMin()	min()
Entry	getKey()	getValue()	compareTo(Entry)
Map	get(K)	put(K, V)	remove(K)
	entrySet()	keySet()	values()
	numVertices()		vertices()
	numEdges()		edges()
	outDegree(V)		inDegree(V)
Graph	outgoingEdges(V)		incomingEdges(V)
	insertVertex(x)		insertEdge(V1, V2, x)
	removeVertex(V)		removeEdge(E)
	getEdge(V1, V2)		endVertices(E)
	opposite(V, E)		