

ALGORITHMIC ANALYSIS

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

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

$\leftrightarrow \exists c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}, n_0 \in \mathbb{Z}^{\geq 0}$ 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 $A[i] \xrightarrow{\text{swap}} A[i + 1]$ | $O(n^2)$ | $O(n)$ pre-sorted | $O(n^2)$ |
| Insertion by next unsorted | $O(n^2)$ | $O(n)$ pre-sorted | $O(n^2)$ |
| Selection by smallest | $O(n^2)$ | $O(n)$ pre-sorted | $O(n^2)$ |
| Merge | $O(n \log n)$ | $O(n \log n)$ | $O(n \log n)$ |
| Quick 3-partition | $O(n^2)$ | $O(n)$ uniform list | $O(n \log n)$ |
| 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 |
|--|---------------|----------|---------|--------|
| Dynamic Array | $O(n)$ | $O(1)$ | $O(n)*$ | $O(n)$ |
| Linked List | $O(n)$ | $O(1)$ | $O(n)$ | $O(n)$ |
| Stack - LIFO | SPACE: $O(n)$ | $O(1)^1$ | $O(1)$ | |
| Queue - FIFO | SPACE: $O(n)$ | $O(1)$ | $O(1)$ | |
| ¹ 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 = $2^{l_{\max}} - 1$, max internal nodes = $2^{l_{\max}-1} - 1$
- 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

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

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 $l_{\max} = \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor \rightarrow$ 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: few 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:

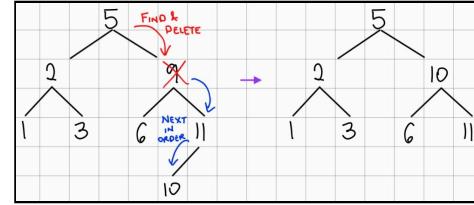
| | Linear | Quadratic | Double Hash |
|--------|--------|-----------|-----------------|
| $f(i)$ | i | i^2 | $i \times d(k)$ |

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

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

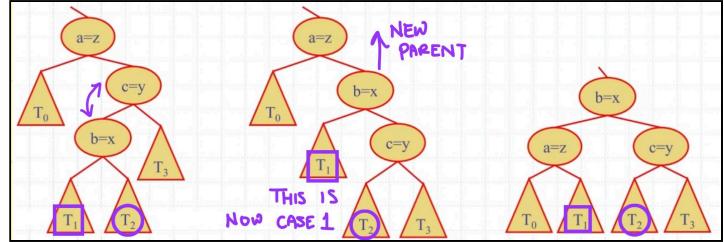
SEARCH TREES

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



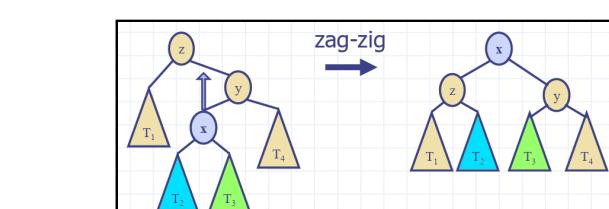
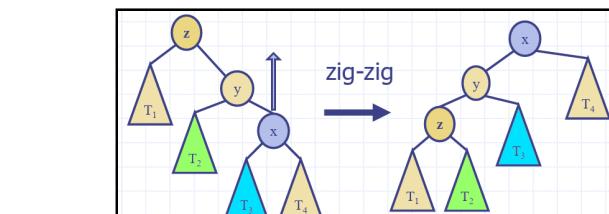
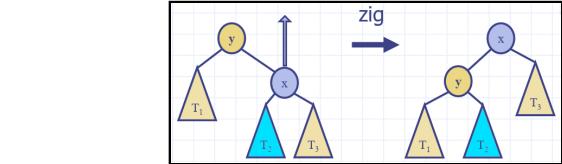
AVL Trees: BST that doesn't degrade to $O(n)$

- 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

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) |
| Map | entrySet() | keySet() | values() |