

## Assignment 2 CPSC 331

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### Question 1

a) An algorithm would be  
 $\lg \text{largest\_Number} = A[n-1-k]$

b)

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int largestNumber(int[] A, int low, int high)
    if low > high then
        | throw NotFoundException
    else
        | mid =  $\lfloor \frac{\text{low} + \text{high}}{2} \rfloor$ 
        | if (A[mid] > high) then
        |     | return largestNumber(A, mid, high-1)
        | else if (A[mid] < low) then
        |     | return largestNumber(A, low, mid-1)
        | else
        |     | return A[mid]
    end if
end
    
```

### Question 2

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int[] DPartition(int[] A, int low, int high)
    p = 0
    i = low
    j = high
    while i < j do
        while i < j and A[i] ≤ p do
            i = i + 1
        while j > i and A[j] ≥ p do
            j = j - 1
        if i < j then
            Swap(A[i], A[j])
        return A
    
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This will return an array that has all the negative ~~or~~ #'s preceding the non-negative. The asymptotic run time is  $O(\text{high}-\text{low})$   
 $\therefore A(n)$

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3. size = # of elements in stack
while (size > 0) do
    max = Integer.Min-Value;
    for (int i = 0, i < size, i++) do
        int temp = stack.pop();
        if (temp > max) max = temp;
        queue.add(temp);
    end
    for (int i = 0; i < size; i++)
        temp = queue.remove();
        if (temp == max) stack do
            stack.push(temp);
            i i = size;
        else queue.add(temp);
    end
    size--;
end

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The algorithm is correct because at the end of each loop in the while loop, the size decreases by 1, thus the loop guard will end once  $size = 0$ , which is when the queue is empty and the stack is full and sorted. The max integer value is found and that value is pushed onto the stack. At the end the postconditions are met and the loop terminates. Its running time is  $O(n^2)$ .