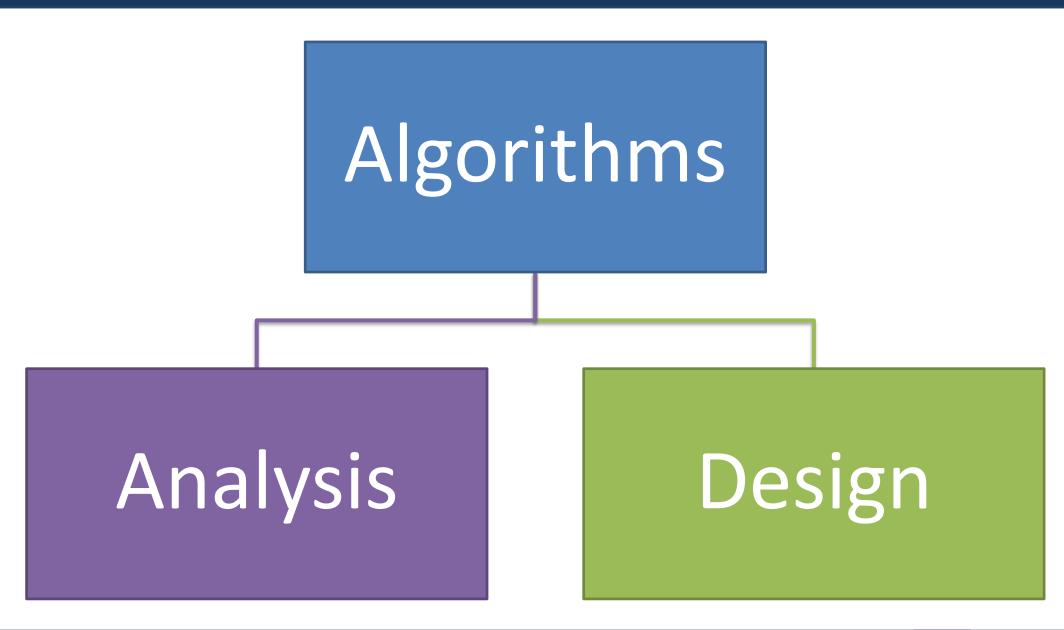
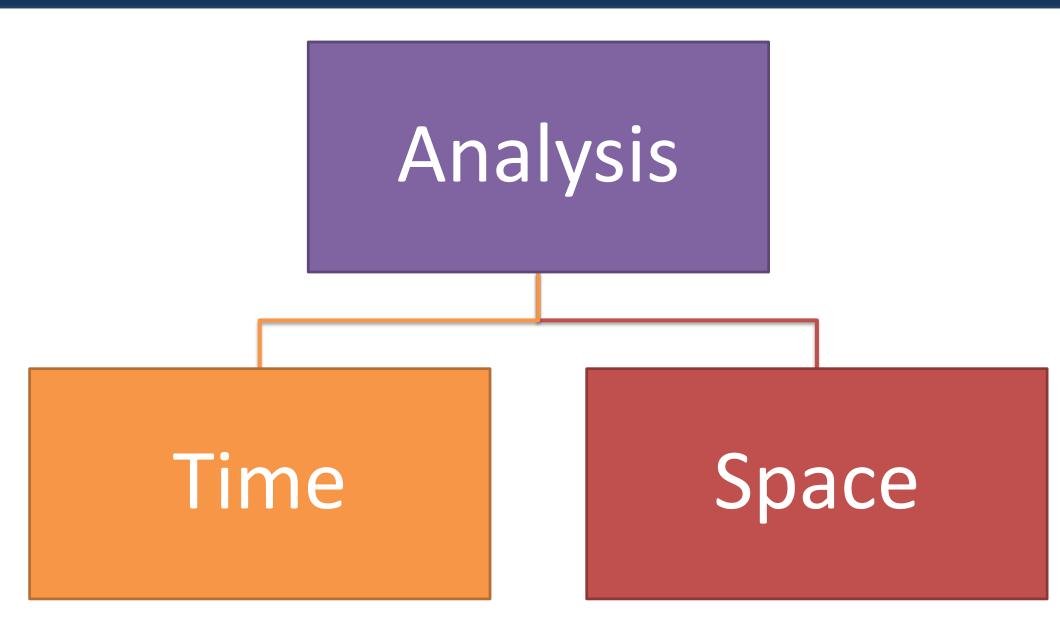
- An algorithm is a set of steps of operations to solve a problem performing calculation, data processing, and automated reasoning tasks.
- An algorithm is the best way to represent the solution of a particular problem in a very simple and efficient way.



Analysis: predict the cost of an algorithm in terms of resources and performance

Design: creating an efficient algorithm to solve a problem in an efficient way using minimum time and space.



### Time Complexity & Space Complexity

☐ Time Complexity is a function describing the amount of time required to run an algorithm in terms of the size of the input.

□ Space Complexity is a function describing the amount of memory an algorithm takes in terms of the size of input to the algorithm.

### Time Complexity & Space Complexity

☐ Time Complexity

What make algorithm "fast"?

☐ Space Complexity

How much memory is used?

- $\square$  Input: sequence  $\langle a_1, a_2, ..., a_n \rangle$  of numbers.
- $\square$  Output: permutation  $\langle a'_1, a'_2, ..., a'_n \rangle$  such that

$$\alpha'_1 \leq \alpha'_2 \leq \ldots \leq \alpha'_n$$
.

#### Example:

Input 8 12 5 9 2

Output 2 5 8 9 12

### Algorithm vs Pseudocode

An algorithm is a formal definition with some specific characteristics that describes a process. Generally, the word "algorithm" can be used to describe any high level task in computer science.

□ Pseudocode is an informal and human readable description of an algorithm leaving many details of it. Writing a pseudocode has no restriction of styles and its only objective is to describe the high level steps of algorithm.

### Algorithm vs Pseudocode

☐ Algorithm: Selection Sort

Input: A list L of integers of length n

Output: A sorted list L1 containing those integers present in L

Step1: Find the minimum value in the list L

Step 2: Swap it with the value in the current position

Step3: Repeat this process for all the elements until the entire list is sorted

Step 4: Return the sorted list L1

Step 5: Stop

### Algorithm vs Pseudocode

☐ Pseudocode : Selection Sort for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to n-1 smallest ← j for  $i \leftarrow j + 1$  to n if A[i] < A[ smallest ] smallest ← i Exchange A[j]  $\leftrightarrow$  A[smallest]

Sorting Algorithms

Numerical Algorithms

Searching Algorithms

Patterns Algorithms **Graph Algorithms** 

□ Sorting Algorithms are to rearrange the items of a given list in non decreasing order.

□ Searching Algorithms deal with finding a given value, called a search key, in a given set.

□ Pattern (String) Algorithms deal with string which comprise letters, numbers, and special characters; bit strings, which comprise zeros and ones; and gene sequences

Numerical Algorithms deal with mathematical problems that solving equations and systems of equations, computing definite integrals, evaluating functions, and so on.

Graph Algorithms deal with graphs. Graph can be thought of as a collection of points called vertices, some of which are connected by line segments called edges. Graphs can be used for modeling a wide variety of applications, including transportation, communication, social and economic networks, project scheduling, and games.