DSA Homework 1 Report

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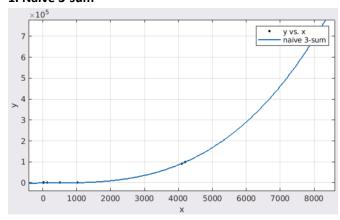
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Question 1

Size	O(N^3)(ms)	O(N^2lgN)(ms)
8	0.004	0.005
32	0.049	0.071
128	3.274	0.99
512	193.615	20.405
1024	1548.38	78.406
4096	92434.9	1419.19
4192	100535	1500.41
8192	742342	5962.08

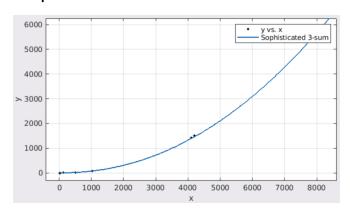
In question 1, I took advantage of the cftool in MATLAB. Detailed analysis will be shown in question 3.

1. Naive 3-sum



From this figure and the data, I believe the naïve 3-sum algorithm is a O(N^3) algorithm.

2. Sophisticated 3-sum



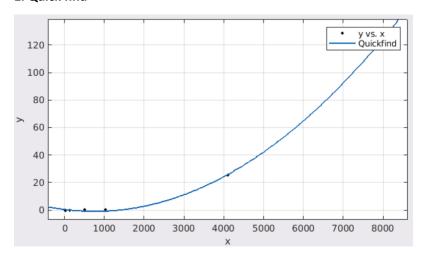
From this figure and the data, I believe the sophisticated 3-sum is a O(N^2lgN) algorithm.

Question 2

Size	Quick find (ms)	Quick union (ms)	Weighted quick union (ms)
8	0.011	0.001	0.001
32	0.014	0.002	0.001
128	0.017	0.004	0.003
512	0.409	0.073	0.023
1024	0.425	0.312	0.031
4096	25.273	8.72	0.165
8192	131.815	6.055	0.378

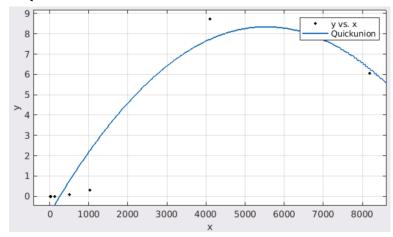
In question 2, I also used the cftool to finish the curve fitting of the data. Detailed analysis will be shown in question 3.

1. Quick find



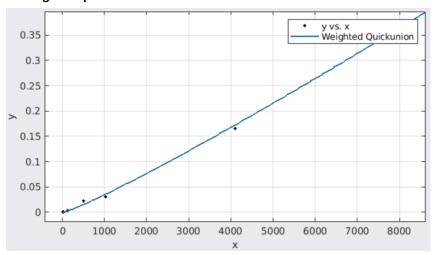
In the curve fitting, I tried O(N) and $O(N^2)$ and they both worked well, but the SSE of $O(N^2)$ is smaller, so I think quick find is a $O(N^2)$ algorithm in the worst case.

2. Quick union



It is obvious that quick union is at least a O(MN) algorithm and it could be O(N^2) in the worst case.

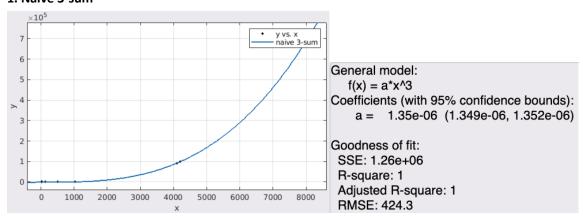
3. Weighted quick union



From this figure and the data, we call tell that weighted quick union is a O(M*lgN) algorithm. In the worst case, it could be O(N*lgN).

Question 3

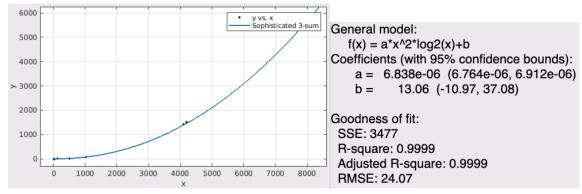
1. Naive 3-sum



Suppose that $f(N) = 1.35*10^{-6}*N^{3}$.

Assume that $g(N) = N^3$ and c = 1. To get f(N) < c*g(N) (N>Nc), we can set Nc = 1.

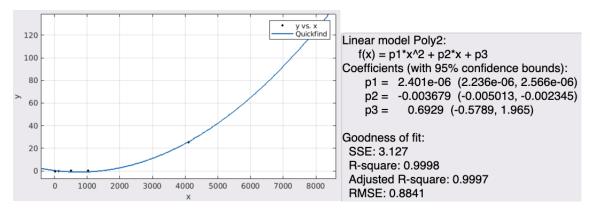
2. Sophisticated 3-sum



Suppose that $f(N) = 6.838*10^{-6}*N^{2}*log(N)+13.06$.

Assume that $g(N) = N^2 * log(N)$ and c = 7. To get f(N) < c * g(N) (N>Nc), we can set Nc = 10.

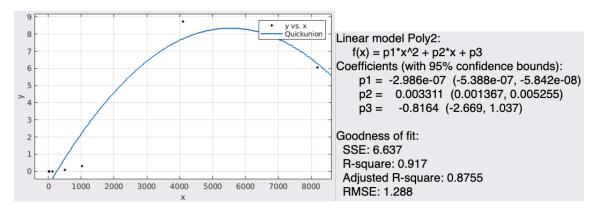
3. Quick find



Suppose that $f(N) = 2.401*10^{-6}*N^2-0.0036*N+0.6929$.

Assume that $g(N) = N^2$ and c = 3. We can get Nc = 1.

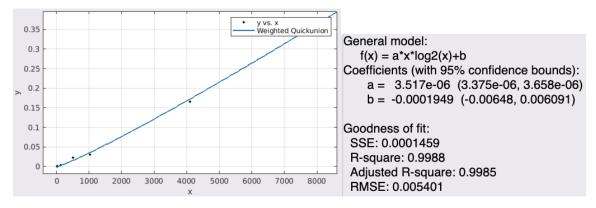
4. Quick union



Suppose that $f(N) = -2.986*10^{-7}*N^2+0.003311*N-0.8164$.

Assume that $g(N) = N^2$ and c = -1. We can get Nc = 1.

5. Weighted quick union



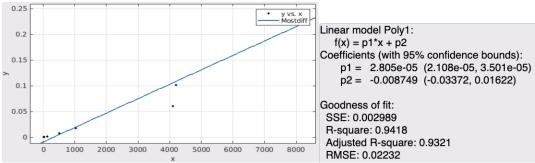
Suppose that $f(N) = 3.517*10^{-6}*N*log(N)-0.0001949$.

Assume that g(N) = N*log(N) and c = 4. We can get Nc = 2.

Question 4

The data I used in this question is as same as question 1.

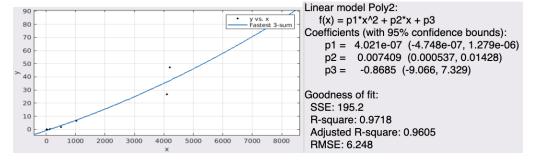
Size	Time(ms)	
8	0.001	
32	0.001	
128	0.002	
512	0.008	
1024	0.018	
4096	0.061	
4192	0.102	
8192	0.247	



It is obvious that this is a linear algorithm.

Question 5

Size	Time(ms)	
8	0.002	
32	0.009	
128	0.137	
512	1.751	
1024	6.645	
4096	26.679	
4192	47.309	
8192	86.579	



Apparently, this is O(N^2) algorithm, which is faster than the two previous algorithms.