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INTRODUCTION TO ALGORITHMS
HOMEWORK #2

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1) • It is given that the array is already sorted in descending order. Hence, the last element or the pivot element in the array is the least among all the other elements.

- At the first time, the partition step will take $\Theta(n)$ time. After that, it will give a subarray of size $n-1$ and a subarray of size 0, which is the pivot element itself.
- The subarray with size $n-1$ contains the remaining elements, for which the running time is again considered as recurrence. For this the running time is $\Theta(n) + T(n)$.
- Hence, running time to sort in increasing order using quick sort will be $T(n) = T(n-1) + n$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{T(n) = T(n^2) \text{ or } \Theta(n^2)}$$

2a) Let us consider that 'A' has n elements.
If $n=1$, then the size of A is 1 element.
In this case, $p = 1$.

Let us assume that $1 \leq k \leq n-1$, in this case
the TAIL-RECURSIVE-QUICKSORT will correctly sort
the array A containing k elements.

Let q be the pivot element and by the
induction hypothesis, TAIL-RECURSIVE-QUICKSORT correctly
sorts the left subarray that is smaller in size.
After this, p gets updated to $q+1$ and the same
steps are repeated and the array size is small.

Thus by induction hypothesis, QUICKSORT(A, 1, length[A])
correctly sorts the array A.

2b) If the input array is already sorted, then the stack
depth will be $O(n)$. The right subarray will be having
size 0. Hence there will be $(n-1)$ recursive calls
before the while condition $p < r$ is violated.

2c) Modified Quicksort :

while $p < r$

do

$q = \text{PARTITION}(A, p, r)$

if $q < [(r-p)/2]$ then

$\text{MODIFIED-TAIL-RECURSIVE-QUICKSORT}(A, p, q-1)$

$p = q+1$

else

$\text{MODIFIED-TAIL-RECURSIVE-QUICKSORT}(A, q+1, r)$

$r = q-1$

end if

end while

3a)

	i	j	A[0]	A[1]	A[2]	A[3]	A[4]	A[5]	A[6]	A[7]	A[8]	A[9]	A[10]	A[11]
	0	13	13	19	9	5	12	8	7	4	18	2	6	21
	1	11	6	19	9	5	12	8	7	4	11	2	13	21
	2	10	6	13	9	5	12	8	7	4	11	2	19	21
	10	2	6	13	9	5	12	8	7	4	11	2	19	21

Parameters $p=1, r=12$.

3b) At the beginning of the loop, $i < j$.

\Rightarrow It is true initially as long as $|A| \geq 2$.

If this condition has to fail, then we would have left the loop in the prior iteration itself.

To show that the indices i and j cannot be accessed outside the subarray, we have to prove that at the beginning of every run of the loop, there is a $k > i$ so that $A[k] \geq x$ & $k' < j$ & $A[j'] \leq x$.

This is true because initially i and j are outside the bounds of the array & x must be between the two. Since $i < j$, consider $k = j$ & $k' = i$. The element k satisfies the desired relation to x , because the element at position i & j are the same which applies the same for k' .

3c) If the loop runs more than one time, there is $j < i$ because it decreases by one with every iteration.

At the last line of program (return j), value of i is 1 as $A[p] = x \geq x$. So if we terminate after single iteration of main loop, we should have $j = 1 < p$.

3d) After the iteration of the loop is finished, i become from i_1 to i_2 & j becomes from j_1 to j_2 .

All the elements in $A[i_1+1 \dots i_2-1]$ are less than x , because that does not terminate the ~~list~~^{loop} from

lines 8-10. Also after the exchange, $A[i_2] \leq x \leq A[j_2]$

By induction, all the elements in $A[p \dots i_1]$ are

less than or equal to x & all element in $A[j_1 \dots r] \geq x$.

Then $A[p \dots i_2] = A[p \dots i_1] \cup A[i_1+1 \dots i_2-1] \cup \{A[i_2]\}$

and $A[j_2 \dots r] = \{A[j_2]\} \cup A[j_2+1 \dots j_1-1] \cup A[j_1 \dots r]$

have the desired inequality. At the termination,

$i \geq j$, $A[p \dots i] \leq A[p \dots i]$ & every element of $A[p \dots i]$

is $\leq x$ which is less than or equal to every element

of $A[j+1 \dots r] \leq A[j \dots r]$

4) Maximum and minimum number of elements in a heap of height h :

- A complete binary tree of depth $h-1$ will have

$$\sum_{i=0}^{h-1} 2^i = 2^{h-1} \text{ elements.}$$

- The number of elements for a complete binary tree of depth $(h-1)$ exclusive and the number of elements for a complete binary tree of depth h inclusive decides the number of elements in a heap of

depth h .

- Hence the maximum number of elements is $2^{h+1} - 1$ and the minimum number of elements is 2^h .

5) Iterative MAX-HEAPIFY(A, i) loop

- The inputs are an array A and index i into the array.
- When the function is called, MAX-HEAPIFY will assume that the binary trees rooted at $LEFT(i)$ and $RIGHT(i)$ are MAX-HEAPS.
- MAX-HEAPIFY will let the value at $A[i]$ do "float down" in the max-heap so the subtree rooted at index i will obey the max-heap property

Iterative MAX-HEAPIFY (A, i) : (declaring array $A[i]$)

while ($i < A.heap-size$)

do

$left = LEFT(i)$

$right = RIGHT(i)$

$largest = i$

 if $left \leq A.heap-size$ and $A[left] > A[i]$ then

 then $largest = left$

 end if

 if $right \leq A.heap-size$ and $A[right] > A[i]$ then

$largest = right$

 end if

 if $largest \neq i$ then

 exchange $A[i]$ and $A[largest]$

 else return A .

 end if

end while

return A

b) The smallest possible depth of a leaf in a decision tree for a comparison sort is $\boxed{n-1}$

If we construct a graph with vertices as the indices, then we join any 2 indices that are compared on the shortest path to form the edge.

The graph has to be connected otherwise the algorithm will be ran twice. If we maintain the same relative ordering of the elements, then the algorithm will produce the same result.

Therefore for a graph of ' n ' vertices, there will be $(n-1)$ edges, because the addition of an edge can reduce the number of connected elements by 1 & the graph with no edge will have n connected elements.

\therefore The depth is $n-1$.