



Data Structure & Algorithms 1

CHAPTER 4
STATIC DATA STRUCTURE (PART4):
SORTING ALGORITHMS

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Sorting Algorithms

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The goal of a sorting operation is to **arrange** elements in an array according to a specific order or criterion, either in <u>ascending</u> or <u>descending</u> order.

There are two types of sorting:

- Internal sorting, where all elements are in main memory (RAM).
- External sorting, where only a portion of the elements is in main memory, while the others are in secondary memory (Hard Disk, SSD).

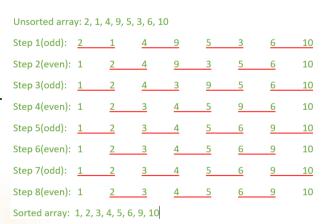
There are several sorting algorithms:

1. Odd-Even Transposition Sort

Principle: Two adjacent elements are compared and swapped if the second element is smaller than the first. In this case, a backward check is performed to ensure that the order has not been modified, and if so, it is restored.

It consists of 2 phases – the odd phase and even phase:

- Odd phase: Every odd indexed element is compared with the next even indexed element (considering 1-based indexing).
- Even phase: Every even indexed element is compared with the next odd indexed element.



1. Bubble Sort

Principle: <u>Badly</u> sorted elements <u>move up</u> in the array like bubbles rising to the surface of a liquid. The swapping of elements occurs with permutations if elem1 > elem2. It is evident that multiple passes over all elements are necessary. This method is less efficient.

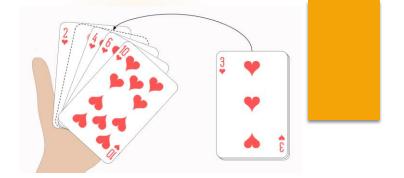
- Compare consecutive pairs of elements
- Swap elements in pair such that smaller is first
- When reach end of list, start over again
- Stop when no more swap have been made
- Largest unsorted element always at end after pass, so at most n passes



3. Insertion Sort

Principle: This algorithm involves iterating through the values of the array, one by one, and inserting them at the right place in the sorted array consisting of <u>previously</u> inserted and sorted values.

The values are inserted in the order in which they appear in the array. The challenge with this algorithm is that it requires traversing the sorted array to determine where to insert the new element, and then shifting all values greater than the element to be inserted by one position.



3. Insertion Sort

- 1. The list is divided into two parts: sorted and unsorted
- In each pass, the first element of the unsorted part is picked up, transferred to the sorted sublist, and inserted at the appropriate place.
- 3. A list of n elements will take at most n-1 passes to sort the data



4. Selection Sort (Successive Minimum Sort)

sorts an array of N integers in ascending order.

Principle:

The smallest element of the array is swapped with the first element of the array. Then, the smallest element of the remaining array is

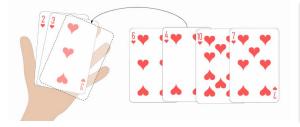
swapped with the second element, and so on.

Selection Sort (Analysis)



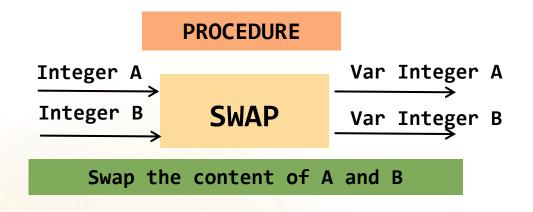
- First step
 - Extract minimum element
 - Swap it with element at index 0
- 2. Subsequent step
 - ▶ In remaining sublist, extract minimum element
 - Swap it with the element at index 1
- 3. Keep the left portion of the list sorted
 - At i'th step, first i elements in list are sorted
 - ► All other elements are bigger than first i elements

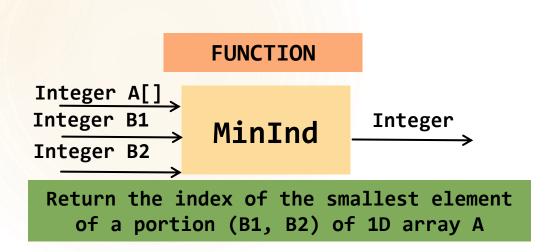
Selection Sort (Analysis)

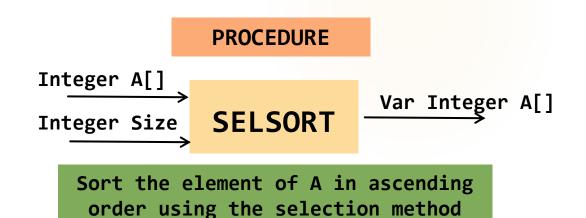


- The principle of selection sort is to exchange, at each iteration i, ranging from <u>0 to Size-1</u>, the integer A[i] with the smallest integer in the part of the array ranging from index <u>i to Size-1</u> (size of the array).
- Modular Breakdown: We will build a module, a procedure that performs the selection sort (SELSORT), which will require the following modules:
 - A module (MinInd) that gives us the index of the minimum element in a portion of the array.
 - A module (SWAP) that swaps two elements in the array.
 - We will also need modules to read the initial array (READ1D) and display the sorted array (WRITE1D).











Module MinInd Analysis:

- ▶ We assume that B1 < B2 < Size.</p>
- Save B1 in Ind.
- Traverse the array by varying the index: i = B1+1, B1+2, ..., B2. At each iteration:
 - IF the element A[i] is smaller than A[Ind] (a new minimum is found), THEN
 - Update the index: Ind = i.



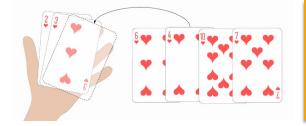
Module SELSORT Analysis:

- Traverse the array by varying i: 0, 2, 3, ..., Size-1. At each iteration:
- Search for the index of the smallest element between i and Size-1: (MinInd(A, i, Size-1)).
- Swap this element with A[i].

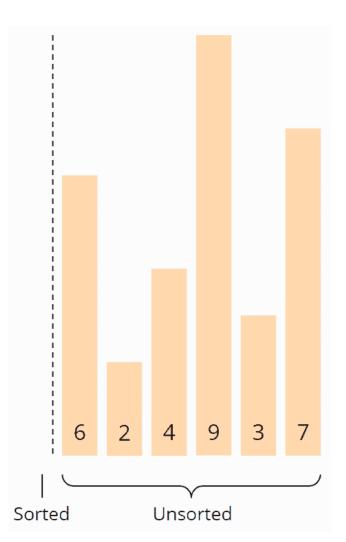


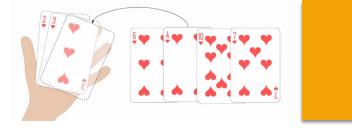
Construct the main algorithm Analysis:

- Read the array A
- Sort the array A
- Display the array A

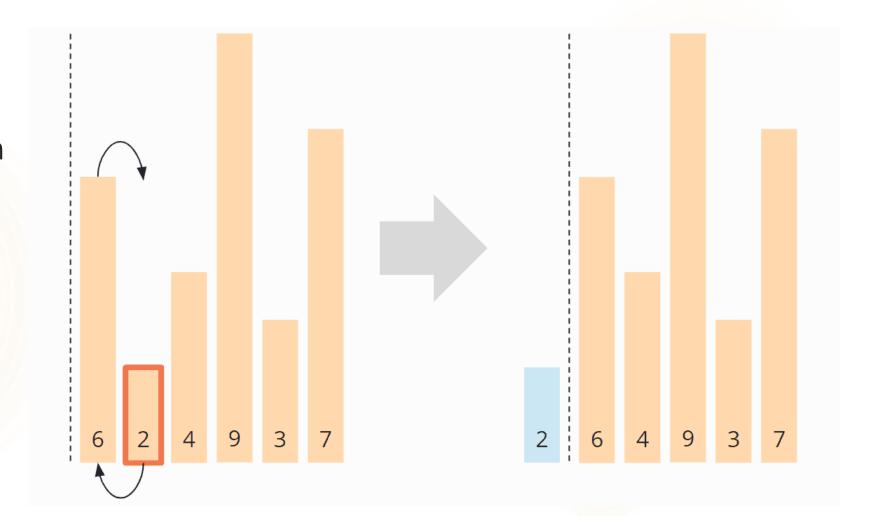


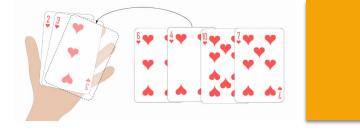
We divide the array into a left, sorted part and a right, unsorted part. The sorted part is empty at the beginning:

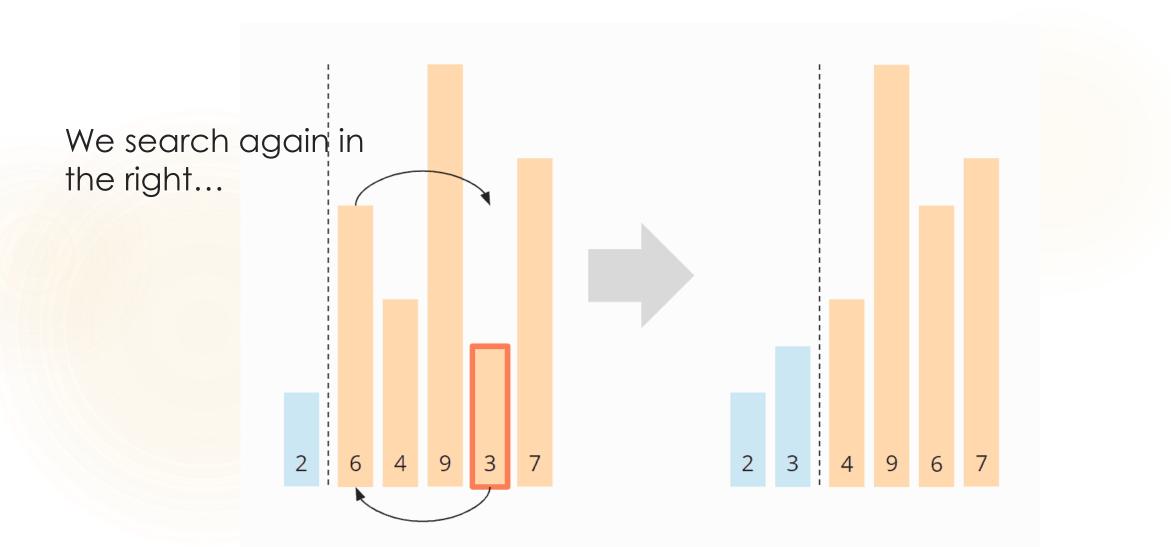


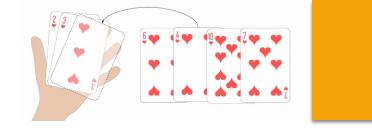


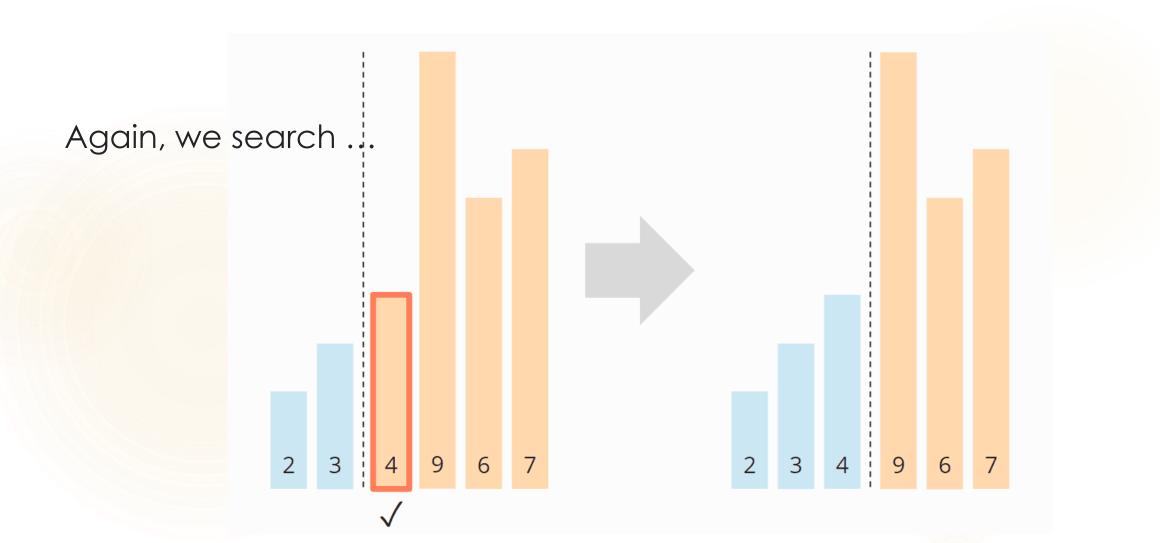
search for the smallest element in the right, unsorted part.

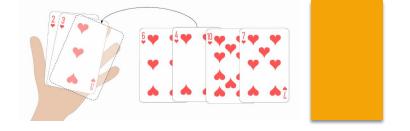


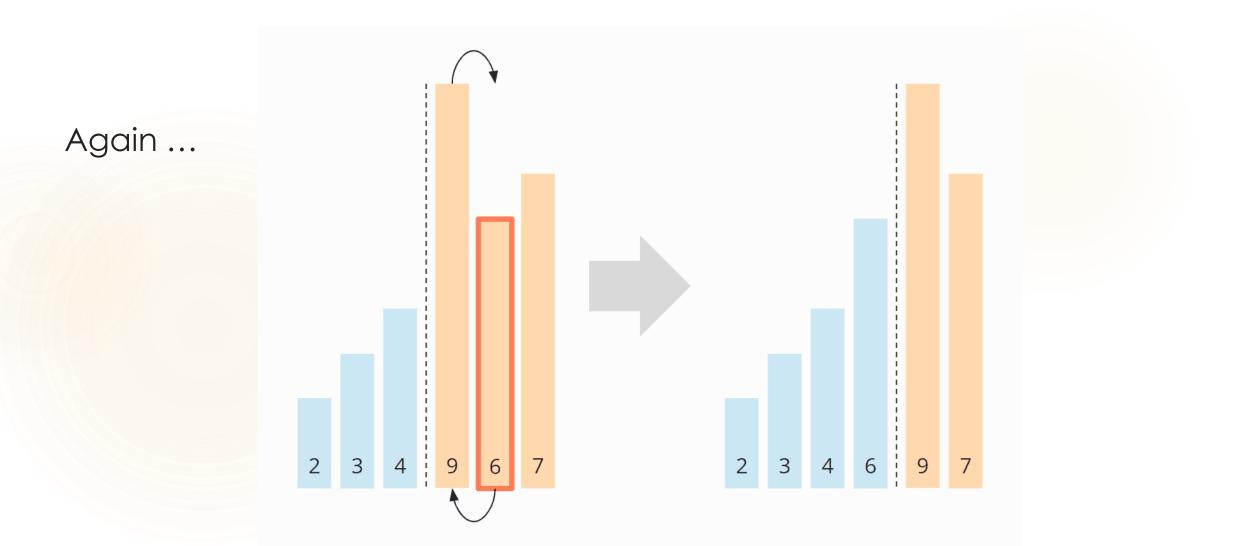


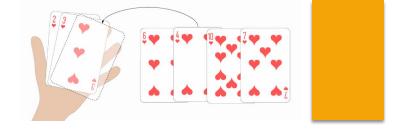


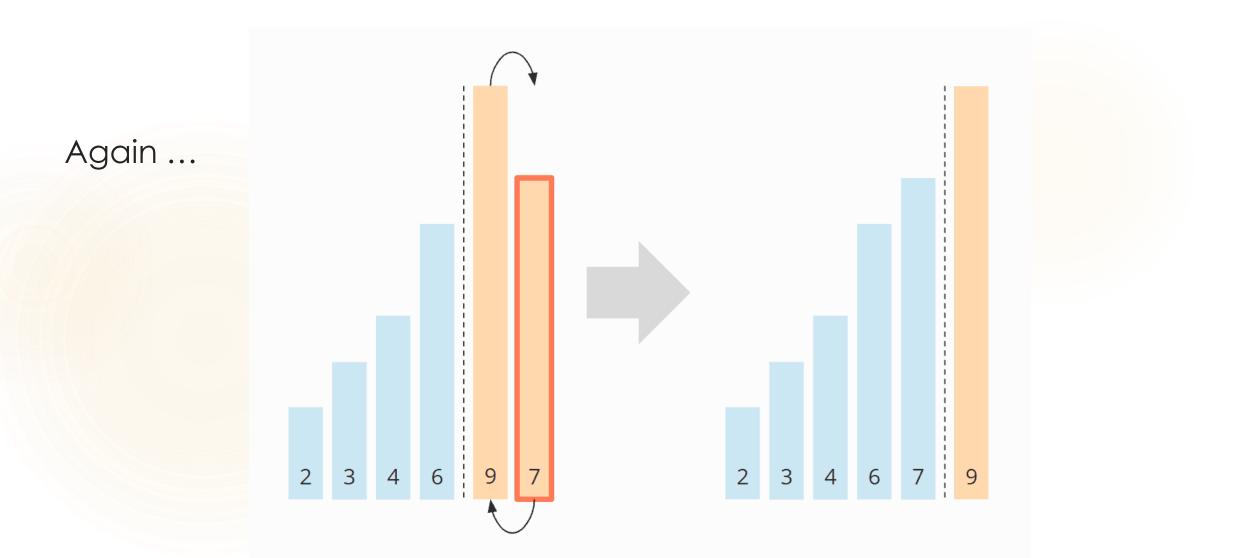


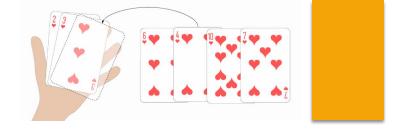




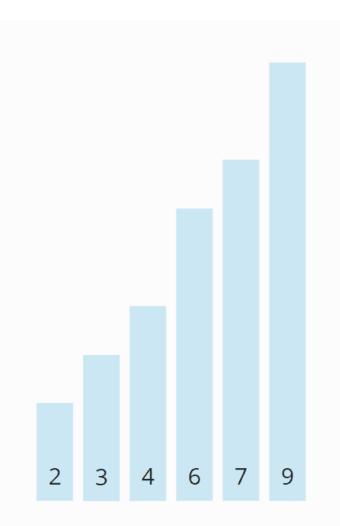












Selection Sort (Application)



Provide the solution that allows searching by dichotomy for a given value V in a sorted array of up to 100 integers.

Modular Breakdown:

- We need a module SearchDichV
- Basic modules
 - ▶ READ1D and WRITE1D

Analysis of Module SearchDichV

- We assume having a sorted array
- Initialization of a variable Found to false;
- Initialization of two variables Min to 0 and Max to Size-1;
- While (Min < Max) we perform the following:</p>
 - We assign to a variable mid the value (Min + Max) DIV 2
 - We compare the element A[mid] with the value V
 - If A[mid] < V, we set another minimum, which is "mid + 1"</p>
 - Otherwise, we set another maximum, which is "mid"
 - We compare if A[mid] is equal to V
 - If it is equal, we assign True to Found
- We assign: RechDichV = Found





```
Boolean FUNCTION SearchDichV (Integer A[], Integer Size, Integer V)
Variable Integer Min, Max, mid
         Boolean Found
BEGIN
    Found = False
   Min = 0
    Max = Size -1
    WHILE Min < Max AND NOT Found DO
       mid = (Min + Max) DIV 2
       IF A[mid] < V THEN</pre>
            Min = mid + 1
       ELSE
            Max = mid
       END IF
       IF A[mid] == V THEN
            Found = True
        END IF
    END WHILE
    SearchDichV = Found
END
```





Construct the main algorithm Analysis:

- Read the array A
- Read the searched value V
- Call the Function SearchDichV
- Display the result (V found or not)

```
Algorithm Selection_Sort
Constant MAX = 100
Variable Integer A[MAX], Size, V
        Boolean Result
Procedures READ1D, WRITE1D, SearchDichV
   ....Procedures Body...
BEGIN
   READ1D(A, Size)
   WRITE ('The searched value is: ')
   READ (V)
   Result = SearchDichV(A, Size, V)
   IF Result == True THEN
       WRITE (V, " exist in the array A")
   ELSE
       WRITE (V, " does not exist in the array A")
   END IF
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Complexity of Selection Sort

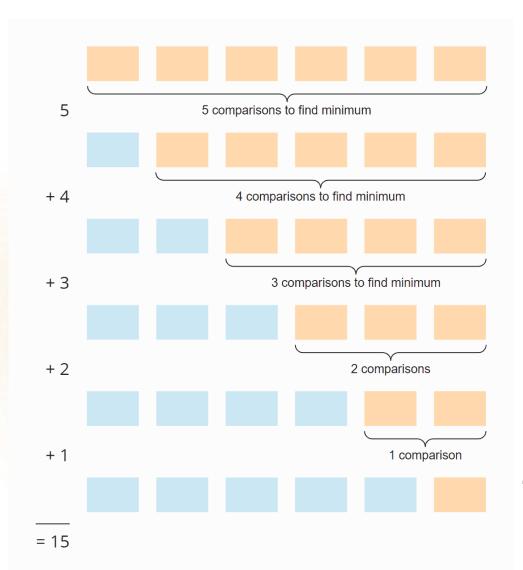
To assess the efficiency and speed of a sorting algorithm, the concept of **complexity** is used, which provides an approximate time for the algorithm expressed in the number of operations performed.

It is an order of magnitude expressed in terms of the amount of data to be processed.

	Time Complexity		
Sorting Algorithms	Best Case	Average Case	Worst Case
Bubble Sort	Ω(N)	Θ(N^2)	O(N^2)
Selection Sort	Ω(N^2)	Θ(N^2)	O(N^2)
Insertion Sort	Ω(N)	Θ(N^2)	O(N^2)
Quick Sort	Ω(N log N)	Θ(N log N)	O(N^2)
Merge Sort	Ω(N log N)	Θ(N log N)	O(N log N)
Heap Sort	Ω(N log N)	Θ(N log N)	O(N log N)

Complexity of Selection Sort





$$6 \times 5 \times \frac{1}{2} = 30 \times \frac{1}{2} = 15$$

If we replace 6 with n , we get $n \times (n-1) \times \frac{1}{2}$

When multiplied, that's: $\frac{1}{2} n^2 - \frac{1}{2} n$

Complexity: O(n²) -"quadratic time"

The average, best-case, and worst-case time complexity of Selection Sort is: $O(n^2)$

Selection Sort (Conclusion)

