## HASHTABLES IMPLEMENTATION

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### **INTRODUCTION**

#### What are hash tables?

- A hash table (hash map) is a data structure which implements an associative array abstract data type, a structure that can map keys to values
- A hash table uses a hash function to compute an index into an array of buckets or slots, from which the desired value can be found

### Tab 2

## LINEAR PROBING

In this strategy, all entry records are stored in the bucket array itself. When a new entry has to be inserted, the buckets are examined, starting with the hashed-to slot and proceeding in some probe sequence, until an unoccupied slot is found. When searching for an entry, the buckets are scanned in the same sequence, until either the target record is found, or an unused array slot is found, which indicates that there is no such key in the table.

# SEPARATE CHAINING

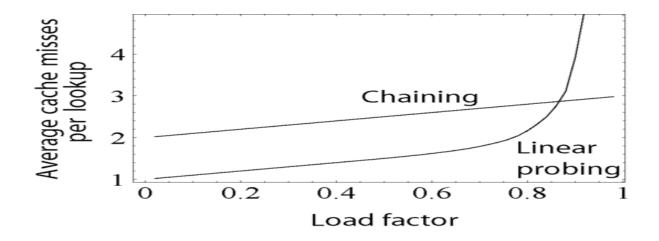
In the method known as separate chaining, each bucket is independent, and has some sort of list of entries with the same index. The time for hash table operations is the time to find the bucket (which is constant) plus the time for the list operation.

Tab 3

### COMPARISON

- Generally, linear probing is faster than separate chaining
- But, at the worst case (which is a big number of collisions), linear probing starts to consume too much time
- On the other hand, separate chaining keeps its change in time (slope) constant
- So, in case of few collisions, Linear probing is better. But, in case of many collisions, separate chaining has the advantage.





### SAMPLE RUNS

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□ C:\Users\LENOVO\Documents\Code Blocks\DS_Assignment_3(ID_4774\)bin\Debug\DS_Assignment_3(ID_4774).exe" — 

Image Inserted into Hash Table At Index 46 with ID 989 with key 372046

Image Inserted into Hash Table At Index 816 with ID 990 with key 394316

Image Inserted into Hash Table At Index 843 with ID 991 with key 529843

Image Inserted into Hash Table At Index 767 with ID 992 with key 370912

Image Inserted into Hash Table At Index 767 with ID 993 with key 396767

Image Inserted into Hash Table At Index 787 with ID 994 with key 294787

Image Inserted into Hash Table At Index 236 with ID 995 with key 632236

Image Inserted into Hash Table At Index 618 with ID 996 with key 444618

Image Inserted into Hash Table At Index 480 with ID 997 with key 675480

Image Inserted into Hash Table At Index 886 with ID 998 with key 715886

Image Inserted into Hash Table At Index 914 with ID 999 with key 279914

//******Time Of Linear Probing*****//
----> 0.350000

//*******Initialization Completed************//
Enter The ImageFile Name: test_data.txt
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### SAMPLE RUNS

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■ "C:\Users\LENOVO\Documents\Code Blocks\DS_Assignment_3(ID_4774)\bin\Debug\DS_Assignment_3(ID_4774).exe"
   ---Linear Probing Based HashTable-
■ "C:\Users\LENOVO\Documents\Code Blocks\DS_Assignment_3(ID_4774)\bin\Debug\DS_Assignment_3(ID_4774).exe
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