

Algorithmic Programming

1. Introduction

- What Is Algorithm Programming and Analysis?
- Big-O Notation
- Case Study: An Anagram Detection Example
(<http://interactivepython.org/courselib/static/pythonds/AlgorithmAnalysis/AnAnagramDetectionExample.html>)
 - Solution 1: Checking Off
 - Solution 2: Sort and Compare
 - Solution 3: Brute Force
 - Solution 4: Count and Compare
- Performance of Python Data Structures Compared to C
- Lists
- Dictionaries

2. Basic Data Structures

- Linear Structures
- Stack
 - Python Implementation
 - LAB: Balance Parentheses
(https://www.reddit.com/r/dailyprogrammer/comments/5llk bj/2017012_challenge_298_easy_too_many_parentheses/)
- Queue
 - Python Implementation
 - LAB: Printer Queue
- Deque
 - Python Implementation
 - LAB: Palindrome Checker
- List
 - Python Implementation
 - Unordered List

- Ordered List
- Linked List
- Union Find
 - Python Implementation
 - Union Find By Rank

3. Recursion

- Introduction
- The Three Laws of Recursion
 - A recursive algorithm must have a base case.
 - A recursive algorithm must change its state and move toward the base case.
 - A recursive algorithm must call itself, recursively.
- LAB:
 - Sierpinski Triangle
 - Tower of Hanoi
 - Exploring a Maze
- Dynamic Programming
 - Longest Common Subsequence Algorithm Python Implementation

4. Sorting and Searching

- Introduction
- The Sequential Search
 - Python Implementation of Sequential Search
- The Binary Search
 - Python Implementation of Binary Search
- Hashing
 - Hash Functions
 - Collision Resolution
 - Python Implementation of Hashing
- Sorting
 - The Bubble Sort

- The Selection Sort
- The Insertion Sort
- The Shell Sort
- The Merge Sort
- The Quick Sort

5. Trees and Tree Algorithms

- Introduction
- Terms and Definitions
- Tree Traversals
- Binary Heap Implementation
 - Binary Heap Operations
 - The Structure Property
 - The Heap Order Property
 - Heap Operations
- Binary Search Trees
 - LAB: <https://medium.com/@jamis/weekly-programming-challenge-1-55b63b9d2a1#.nbxbfoxb6>
 - Balanced Binary Search Trees
- Search Trees
 - Search Tree Implementation
- AVL Tree Performance
 - Python Implementation

6. Graphs and Graph Algorithms

- Introduction
- Terms and Definitions
- An Adjacency Matrix
 - Python Implementation
- Breadth First Search
 - Python Implementation
- LAB: The Knight's Tour Problem
- Depth First Search

- Python Implementation
- Topological Sorting
- Shortest Path Problems
- Dijkstra's Algorithm
 - Python Implementation
 - Speeding up Dijkstra