

CSC 2720 Data Structure

Lab 3

Due: 01/28/2024 @ 11:59PM

Requirements:

(Failure to follow the requirements will result in a score of Zero.)

1. You may use whatever IDEs / editors you like, but you must submit your responses on iCollege as **.py files**.
2. Your submissions will work exactly as required.
3. Make sure you submit a file that compiles.
4. Your submission will show an output. Should you receive a Zero for no output shown do not bother to email with “but the logic is perfect”.
5. Your program’s output must exactly match the specs (design, style) given here for each problem to pass the test cases.
6. Design refers to how well your code is written (i.e., is it clear, efficient, and elegant), while Style refers to the readability of your code (correct indentation, good variable names). Add comments to have necessary explanations for your program.
7. Add a “heading” at the very beginning of your .java files as follow:
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In computer science, a **sorting algorithm** is an algorithm that puts elements of a list into an order.

Below is how the input array is represented LST = [50, 11, 33, 21, 40, 50, 40, 40, 21].

Below is the expected output after sorting LST = [11, 21, 21, 33, 40, 40, 40, 50, 50].

ATTN :

You can use online resource to figure out how a sorting algorithm works. Please be reminded that you cannot use library functions to sort. Doing so will result in a score of Zero!

Exercise 1

(30 points) Write a Python program called **BubbleSort** that takes an input list [50, 11, 33, 21, 40, 50, 40, 40, 21] and generates an output list [11, 21, 21, 33, 40, 40, 40, 50, 50]. Users might also give any input lists. Test your program with different testcases. Below is the basic introduction on Bubble sort:

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bubble_sort

Exercise 2

(30 points) Write another Python program called **CountingSort** that takes an input list [50, 11, 33, 21, 40, 50, 40, 40, 21] and generates an output list [11, 21, 21, 33, 40, 40, 40, 50, 50]. Users might also give any input lists. Test your program with different testcases. Below is the basic introduction on Counting sort:

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Counting_sort

Exercise 3

(40 points) Please do a Big-O analysis for both sorting algorithms. Please analyze both time and space that each algorithm takes. You need to create a new Python file and analyze the program of each algorithm line by line like how we did in the class.

Also write another paragraph describing in what scenario one algorithm works better than the other one. Please write your answer in comments using `""" Comment here. """` style.

Here is an example for this exercise. In “exercise3.py” file:

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#Big-O time analysis for bubble sort
...

#Big-O space analysis for bubble sort
...

#Big-O time analysis for counting sort
...

#Big-O space analysis for counting sort
...

"""Comparison between two algorithms. """
```