

Part 1 (Jarvis march algorithm)

Computational Complexity:

The total run time is $O(Nh)$, where N is the size of input data, h is the size of the output (the subset of points that lie on the convex hull). $h \leq N$

Random input case:

Theoretically: $O(Nh)$, h depends on how the function 'random_data' define.

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import random
#code for random data generation
def random_data(N):
    inputlista = [[random.randint(0, 32767) for j in range(1, 3)] for i in range(1,N)] #get N pairs random points
    return inputlista
```

Experimentally:

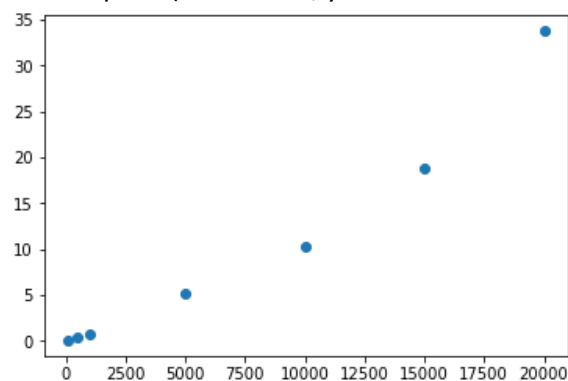
$N = 100, 500, 1000, 5000, 10000, 15000, 20000$

$h = 10, 15, 19, 25, 19, 20, 32$

(note: Because of the randomly generated number, when N is large, there will be more repetition, resulting in errors.)

execution time (s) = 0.05418679999999654, 0.30562709999999527, 0.70943490000000051, 5.089238100000003, 10.2168597, 18.8075726, 33.735515199999995

Scatter plots (x-axis is N , y-axis is the measured execution time):



Conclusion:

With the range of x-y scale of input points unchanged ($[0, 32767]$), the value of h does not change much when N takes 100, 500, 1000, 5000, 10000, 15000, 20000. The value of h is much less than N , and h is not proportional to N .

The worst-case:

Theoretically: $h = N \rightarrow O(N^2)$

Experimentally: ' $h = N$ ' means all of the input points lie on the convex hull. The code used here is an example which is a circle with center $(32767/2, 32767/2)$.

'input' $N = 100, 500, 1000, 5000, 10000, 15000, 20000$

Note: The actual value of N is always less than the 'input' N . This is because we use 'random'. It causes the larger 'input' N , the more repetitions. But in the actual algorithm, there is no repeated point by default.

However we use the code to measure the average execution time by running 100 times, that will reduce the error.

execution time : 0.55816469999999919, 11.065480799999989, 30.790700200000003, 275.2977508, 632.0587733, 1069.4067395000002, 1555.7652975

Scatter plots (x-axis is N , y-axis is the measured execution time):

