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Aim: To implement the Merge Sort Technique using DAC.

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Evaluation

Performance Indicator	Max. Marks	Marks Obtained
Performance	5	
Understanding	5	
Journal work and timely submission.	10	
Total	20	

Performance Indicator	Exceed Expectations (EE)	Meet Expectations (ME)	Below Expectations (BE)
Performance	5	3	2
Understanding	5	3	2
Journal work and timely submission.	10	8	4

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- **Aim:** To implement the Merge Sort Technique using DAC.
- ***** Theory:

• Merge Sort Technique :

Merge Sort is a divide-and-conquer algorithm that works by recursively splitting a large array into smaller sub-arrays until each sub-array contains only one element. Once this division is complete, the algorithm merges the sub-arrays back together in a manner that results in a sorted array.

Steps to follow in merge sort:

- I) Divide: The array is recursively divided into two halves until each sub-array has only one element.
- II) Conquer: During this merge step, the smallest elements of the two sub-arrays are compared, and they are merged in sorted order. This process continues recursively until all sub-arrays are merged back into a single sorted array.

• Algorithms (Merge Sort):

- **Step 1:** Find the middle index of an array and divide the array into two halves.
- **Step 2:** Repeat step 1 till each element of an array is separated into a single element.
- **Step 3:** Compare each element of the two sub-arrays and merge them into a sorted order.
- **Step 4:** Repeat the process until the entire array is sorted.

• Complexity:

Best Case Analysis: *O(nlogn)*Worst Case Analysis: *O(nlogn)*Average Case Analysis: *O(nlogn)*



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Program: Merge Sort:

```
def merge_sort(arr, left, right):
  # This will divide the array into halves
  if left < right:
    mid = (left + right) // 2
    # this is wall call the fucntion recursively
    merge_sort(arr, left, mid)
                                    # This will make the left side and so on
                                              # this will make the right side and
    merge_sort(arr, mid + 1, right)
    merge(arr, left, mid, right)
def merge(arr, left, mid, right):
  i = left # Pointer for the left sub-array
  j = mid + 1 # Pointer for the right sub-array
  while i <= mid and j <= right:
    if arr[i] <= arr[j]:
      i += 1
    else:
      temp = arr[j]
                            # Store the value to be moved
      for p in range(j, i, -1):
        arr[p] = arr[p - 1]
      arr[i] = temp
      i += 1
      j += 1
      mid += 1
arr = [14, 28, 9, 59, 8, 87, 12, 79]
n = len(arr)
merge_sort(arr, 0, n - 1)
print("Sorted array is:", arr)
```

Output:

```
er' '60789' '--' 'C:\Users\SOHAM\.conda\mergesort.py'
Sorted array is: [8, 9, 12, 14, 28, 59, 79, 87]
```

❖ **Conclusion:** Merge Sort is an efficient sorting algorithm that uses a divide-and-conquer approach. Its time complexity is O(n log n) in all cases, which makes it faster than algorithms with quadratic time complexity. However, Merge Sort has a space complexity of O(n) because it requires additional space for merging the sorted subarrays.