

## Homework 1

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1) Linear Search on sorted list (in descending order)

$n$ : length of list  $A$

$v$ : the value we are searching  $A[0 \dots n-1]$  for and  
and  $A[0] \geq A[1] \geq \dots \geq A[n-1]$   
list index ~~has~~ starts from 1

~~int~~ LinearSearch( $A, n, v$ )

~~int~~ LinearSearch( $\text{int } A[], \text{int } n, \text{int } v$ ) {

for( $\text{int } i=0; i < n; i++$ ) { // for every element  $i$   
if ( $A[i] == v$ ) { // in the list of  $n$  elements

return  $i$ ;

else if ( $A[i] > v$ ) {  
return  $-1$ ;

} //end if-else  
} //end for loop

int main() {

int  $A[] = \{3, 4, 6, 9\}$

int  $n = A.size() - 1$  /  $A[0].size() - 1$ ;  
//or try

int  $n = \text{sizeof}(A) / \text{sizeof}(A[0])$ ;

int  $\text{index} = \text{LinearSearch}(A, n, v)$ ;

if ( $\text{index} == -1$ ) {

cout << "Value is not present in array  $A$ ";

}

else {

cout << "Value found at position  $\text{index}$ ;

return 0;

"Value found at position



## Bubble Sort [A]

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2) for j ← 1 to length[A]
    for i ← length[A] down to j+1;
        if A[i] < A[i-1]
            swap(A[i], A[i-1])

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example:  $A = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ \hline 5 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 6 & 9 \\ \hline \end{array}$

for  $J \leftarrow 1$  to  $\text{length}[A]$   
 $J \leftarrow 1$  to 6 ( $\text{length}[A] = 6$ )

for  $J=1$ ,

for  $i \leftarrow \text{length}[A]$  down to  $J+1$   
 $i \leftarrow 6$  down to  $(1+1)$  w/  $J=1$   
 $i \leftarrow 6$  down to 2

for  $i=6$ , if  $A[i] < A[i-1]$   
 $A[6] < A[6-1]$   
 $A[6] < A[5]$   
 $9 < 6$  false

Value of  $A[6]$  is 9  
 &  $A[5]$  is 6  
 from the array

3) a) analyze the running time of the procedure  
Smallest (a[2], left, right)

Smallest  $(a \leq \infty, \text{left}, \text{right})$   
if  $\text{left} == \text{right}$  return  $a[\text{left}] \rightarrow O(1)$  takes const.  
time only comparison  
 $\text{mid} = (\text{left} + \text{right}) / 2$

$mid = (left + right) / 2 \rightarrow O(1)$  Time only compar  
 $l1 = \text{Smallest}(a[left \dots mid]) \rightarrow T(\frac{n}{2})$   
 $l2 = \text{Smallest}(a[mid+1 \dots right]) \rightarrow T(\frac{n}{2})$

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if (l1 > l2)
    return l2 → OCID
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else

return 11  $\rightarrow$  0(1)



~~Let  $T(n)$  be the total time / steps taken by the function  $arr$  then,~~

$$T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) \rightarrow \text{(for Smallest (a, left, mid))} \\ + T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) \rightarrow \text{(Smallest (a, mid, right))} \\ + O(1) \rightarrow \text{all other operations take constant time.}$$

$T(1) = 1$  is for the base case where there is only one element

$$T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 1$$

$$T(n) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 1$$

$$T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + 1$$

$$T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right) + 1$$

$$T(n) = 2[2T\left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right) + 1] + 1 \\ = 2^2 T\left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right) + 2 + 1$$

$$T\left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right) = 2T\left(\frac{n}{2^3}\right) + 1$$

$$T(n) = 2^2 [2T\left(\frac{n}{2^3}\right) + 1] + 3 \quad (3 = 2^2 - 1)$$

$$T(n) = 2^3 T\left(\frac{n}{2^3}\right) + 2^2 + 3$$

$$T(n) = 2^3 T\left(\frac{n}{2^3}\right) + 7 \quad (7 = 2^3 - 1)$$

$$T(n) = 2^k T\left(\frac{n}{2^k}\right) + (2^k - 1)$$

$$\frac{n}{2^k} = 1 \rightarrow n = 2^k \rightarrow \log_2 n \rightarrow \log_2 2^k$$

$$\log_2 n = k \log_2 2 = k \quad (k = \log_2 n)$$

So  $T(n) = n \cdot T(1) + n - 1$   
 $= n \cdot 1 + n - 1 = 2n - 1$

$$T(n) = O(n)$$



b) Largest One Day Difference (a[0...n-1])

largestChange = 0 // initialization

for i = 0 to n-2 // runs ~~n-2~~ n-2 times

if (abs(a[i+1] - a[i]) > largestChange) // runs about  
largestChange = abs(a[i+1] - a[i]) // n-2 times

return largestChange

// other statements inside the  
// function take O(1) or  
// constant amount of time

So,  $T(n) = n - 2 + c$  for all  $n > 1$  ~~0~~  
~~0~~ = 0 if  $n = 1$  ~~0~~

Therefore,  $T(n) = O(n)$

c) some\_func(data[1...n])

for i = 1 to n-4 // n-4 times

sum[i] = 0

for j = i to i+3 // i+3 times

sum[i] = sum[i] + data[j]

largest = sum[i]

for i = 1 to n-4 // ~~n-4~~ n-4 times

if (sum[i] > largest) if i = 1, j runs from 1 to 5

largest = sum[i] if i = 2, j runs from 2 to 6

if i = 3, j runs from 3 to 7

Running time is sum of cost of nested looping block, simple  
looping block, and constants

$$T(n) = 5(n-4) + (n-4) + c$$

$$= 5n - 20 + (n-4) + c$$

$$= 6n - 24 + c$$

So,

$$T(n) = O(n)$$



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4) Solve the following recursive relations using method of iteration, given that  $T(1) = 1$

a)  $T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + 1$

~~$T(n) =$~~  
$$\begin{cases} T(n) = 1, & n = 1 \\ T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + 1, & n > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + 1$$

$$T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) + 1$$

$$T\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) = T\left(\frac{n}{9}\right) + 1$$

$$T(n) = \left[ T\left(\frac{n}{9}\right) + 1 \right] + 1$$

$$T(n) = \left[ T\left(\frac{n}{27}\right) \right] + 2$$

$$\vdots$$

$$T(n) = T\left(\frac{n}{2^k}\right) + k$$

if  $\frac{n}{2^k} = 1$  and  $n = 2^k$  and  $k = \log_2 n$

Then  $T(n) = T(1) + \log n$

$$T(n) = 1 + \log n$$

$$= O(\log n)$$



$$\underline{b)} \quad T(n) = T(n-1) + 3n$$

$$\begin{cases} T(n) = 1, & n=1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} T(n) = T(n-1) + 3n, & n > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$T(n) = T(n-1) + 3n$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(n-1) &= T(n-1-1) + 3(n-1) \\ T(n-1) &= T(n-2) + 3n-3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= (T(n-2) + 3n-3) + 3n \rightarrow \\ T(n) &= T(n-2) + 6n-3 \\ T(n) &= (T(n-3) + 3n-6) + 6n-3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= T(n-3) + 9n-9 \\ T(n) &= T(n-3) + 3^2(n-1) \end{aligned}$$

$$T(n) = T(n-k) + (n-(k-1)) + (n-(k-2)) + \dots + (n-1) + n$$

if  $n-k=1$  and  $n-1=k$

$$T(n) = T(\overset{n}{\cancel{n}} - \overset{n}{\cancel{n}} + 1) + (n - \overset{n}{\cancel{n}} + 2) + (n - \overset{n}{\cancel{n}} + 3) + \dots + (n - \overset{n}{\cancel{n}} + n)$$

$$T(n) = T(1) + 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + n$$

$$T(n) = 1 + \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

So,  $O(n^2)$



$$\underline{c)} \quad T(n) = 2T(n-1)$$

$$\begin{cases} T(n) = 1, & n = 1 \\ \cancel{T(n) = 2T(n-1)}, & n > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$T(n) = 2T(n-1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(n-1) &= 2T(n-1-1) \\ T(n-1) &= 2T(n-2) \end{aligned}$$

$$T(n) = 2(2T(n-2))$$

$$T(n) = 2(2(2T(n-3)))$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\vdots \\ &\vdots \\ &\vdots \end{aligned}$$

for  $k^{\text{th}}$

$$T(n) = 2^k T(n-k)$$

if ~~n~~  $n-k = 1$  and  $n-1 = k$

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= 2^{n-1} T(n-n+1) \\ T(n) &= 2^{n-1} T(1) \end{aligned}$$

$$T(1) = 1$$

$$T(n) = 2^{n-1}$$

Sol.  $O(2^n)$

5)

(a) Write a recursive algorithm to calculate the exponent function

$$\begin{aligned} a^n &= 1, \text{ if } n=0 \\ &= a, \text{ if } n=1 \\ &= a^k, \text{ if } n \text{ is even, } n=2k \\ &= a^k \times a, \text{ if } n \text{ is odd, } n=2k+1 \end{aligned}$$

// Return  $a^n$

// n is a natural number,  $n=0, 1, 2, \dots$

Exp(a, n)



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int Exp(int a, int n) {

    // Base Case

    if (n == 0) {

        return 1;

    // general case if  $n \geq 1$

    //  $a^n = a \times (a^{n-1})$

        int k;

        if (n % 2 == 0) {

            //  $a^n = a^k$  if n is even, where  $n=2k$

$k = n/2$ ;

            return a \* Exp(a, (2 \* k) - 1);

        } else { //  $a^n = a^k \times a$  if n is odd, where  $n=2k+1$

~~return~~  $k = (n-1)/2$ ;

            return a \* Exp(a, (2 \* k));

        }

}



## Simplified Version

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int Exp(int a, int n)
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//base case
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if (n == 0)
    return 1;
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//general case if  $n \geq 1$ 
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 $a^n == a \times a^{n-1}$ 
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return a * Exp(a, n-1);
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b)

Trace the execution of  $\text{Exp}(2, 7)$   
draw the recursion tree

$\text{Exp}(2, 7)$

$$2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 7-1) = 2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 6) = 2 \times 64 = 128$$

$$2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 6-1) = 2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 5) = 2 \times 32 = 64$$

$$2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 5-1) = 2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 4) = 2 \times 16 = 32$$

$$2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 4-1) = 2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 3) = 2 \times 8 = 16$$

$$2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 3-1) = 2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 2) = 2 \times 4 = 8$$

$$2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 2-1) = 2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 1) = 2 \times 2 = 4$$

$$2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 1-1) = 2 \times \text{Exp}(2, 0) = 2 \times 1 = 2$$

$$\text{Exp}(2, 7) = 128$$

c)

Fill in the blank in the following binary search algorithm



Let red color be answer to the To-Do

if (left + 1 == right) {

if (A[left] == V)

// add code To do

return left

else if (A[right] == V)

return right

else if (V > A[left])

// V is larger than A[left], so V should appear before it

return -1 \* left

else if (V < A[right])

// V is smaller than A[right], so V should appear before it

return -1 \* (right + 1)

else

// V > A[right], but V < A[left] so it would take current A[right] index

return -1 \* right

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// general case, length of list  $\geq 3$

mid = (left + right) / 2

if (A[mid] == Value)

return mid

else if (A[mid] > V)

// V < A[mid], so search right half since descending order

return BinarySearch(A, V, mid + 1, right)

else

// V > A[mid], so search left half since ascending order

return BinarySearch(A, V, left, mid - 1)

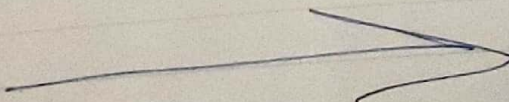
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(d) Use the three question rule to verify

• Base case: We have base cases for when the input size is 1 or 2. For  $n=1$ , if the value exists in the list, it will have to be  $A[\text{left}]$ . If the value is not in the list, it must be greater or smaller than the existing element, to which the proper would-be index will be returned. For  $n=2$ , if the value exists in the list, it will have to be  $A[\text{left}]$  or  $A[\text{right}]$ . If the value is not in the list, it must be greater than  $A[\text{left}]$ , smaller than  $A[\text{right}]$ , or it is less than  $A[\text{left}]$  and greater than  $A[\text{right}]$ . If this is the case, the proper would-be index will be returned. The base cases will ensure that we are able to exit the algorithm non-recursively.

• Smaller Caller: Each recursive call to the algorithm involves a smaller case of the original problem, leading inescapably to the base cases. The call to BinarySearch decreases the range by half which will lead to the base cases as it gets smaller. The algorithm gets the value of the middle index and compares it to the value being searched for. If the value is greater than the middle value, BinarySearch is called with a smaller range to search only the left half of the original list as the list is sorted in descending order. If the value is less than the middle value, BinarySearch is called with a smaller range to search only the right half of the original list as the list is sorted in descending order.





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## ● General Case's

There is a general case for when the input size is greater than or equal to 3. The algorithm first finds a middle index by adding the left and right indices and dividing them by 2. If the middle value is equivalent to the value we are searching for, the algorithm will return the middle index. The algorithm will be called recursively if the value being searched for is less than or greater than the middle value. If so, the algorithm calls itself recursively with a range that is decreased by half, searching a specific half based on whether the value is less than or greater than the middle value.