

Experiment No. 2
To implement Insertion Sort
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Aim: To study, implement and Analyze Insertion Sort Algorithm

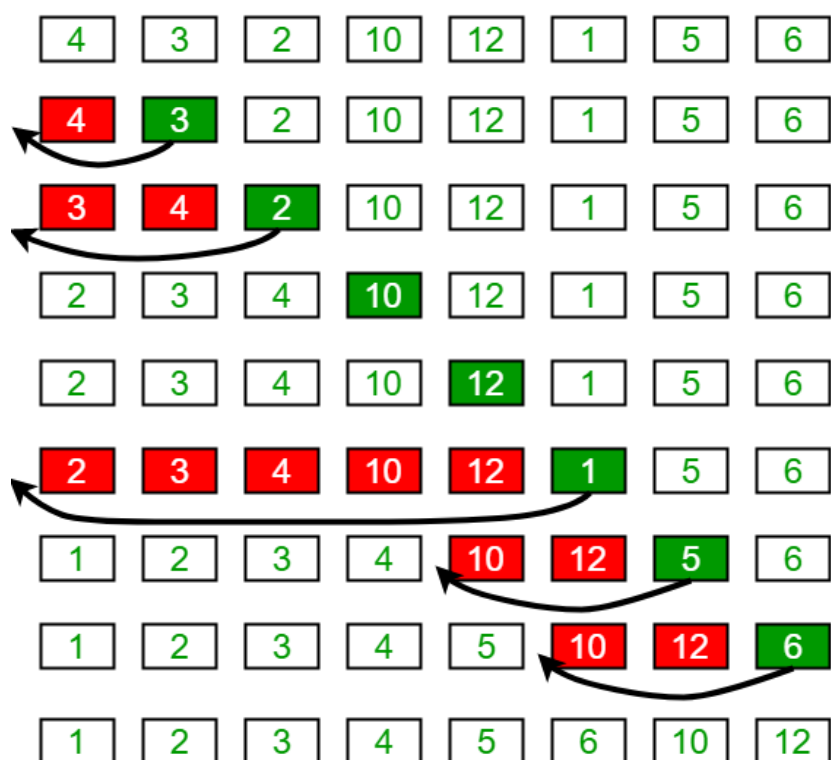
Objective: To introduce the methods of designing and analyzing algorithms

Theory:

Insertion sort is a simple sorting algorithm that works similar to the way you sort the playing cards in your hands. The array is virtually split into a sorted and an unsorted part. Values from the unsorted part are picked and placed at the correct position in the sorted part.

Example:

Insertion Sort Execution Example





Algorithm and Complexity:

Algorithm Insertion Sort (A)	Cost	Time
// A is an array of size n		
for j ← 2 to n do	c_1	n
key ← A[j]	c_2	n - 1
i ← j - 1	c_3	n - 1
while (i > 0 && A[i] > key) do	c_4	$\sum_{j=2}^n t_j$
A[i + 1] ← A[i]	c_5	$\sum_{j=2}^n (t_j - 1)$
i ← i - 1	c_6	$\sum_{j=2}^n (t_j - 1)$
end	-	-
A[i + 1] ← key	c_7	n - 1
end		

Best case analysis:

- Let size of the input array is n. Total time taken by algorithm is the summation of time taken by each of its instruction.

$$T(n) = c_1 \cdot n + c_2 \cdot (n - 1) + c_3 \cdot (n - 1) + c_4 \cdot \left(\sum_{j=2}^n t_j \right) + c_5 \cdot \sum_{j=2}^n (t_j - 1) + c_6 \cdot \sum_{j=2}^n (t_j - 1) + c_7 \cdot (n - 1)$$

- The best case offers the lower bound of the algorithm's running time.
- When data is already sorted, the best scenario for insertion sort happens.
- In this case, the condition in the while loop will never be satisfied, resulting in $t_j = 1$.



$$T(n) = c_1 \cdot n + c_2 \cdot (n-1) + c_3 \cdot (n-1) + c_4 \sum_{j=2}^n 1 + c_5 \sum_{j=2}^n 0 + c_6 \sum_{j=2}^n 0 + c_7 \cdot (n-1)$$

Where,

$$\sum_{j=2}^n 1 = 1 + 1 + \dots + 1 \text{ (n-1 times)} = n-1$$

$$= c_1 \times n + c_2 \times n - c_2 + c_3 \times n - c_3 + c_4 \times n - c_4 + c_7 \times n - c_7$$

$$= (c_1 + c_2 + c_3 + c_7) n - (c_2 + c_3 + c_4 + c_7)$$

$$= a n + b$$

Which is linear function of n

$$= O(n)$$

Worst case analysis:

- The worst-case running time gives an upper bound of running time for any input.
- The running time of algorithm cannot get worse than its worst-case running time.
- Worst case for insertion sort occurs when data is sorted in reverse order.
- So we must have to compare $A[j]$ with each element of sorted array $A[1 \dots j-1]$.
So, $t_j = j$

$$\sum_{j=2}^n j = 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + n$$

$$= (1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n) - 1 = \sum_{n=1}^n n - 1$$

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

$$\sum_{j=2}^n (j-1) = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n-1 = \sum_{n=1}^n (n-1) = \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$$

$$T(n) = c_1 \cdot n + c_2 \cdot (n-1) + c_3 \cdot (n-1) + c_4 \cdot \left(\sum_{j=2}^n j \right) + c_5 \cdot \sum_{j=2}^n (j-1) + c_6 \cdot \sum_{j=2}^n (j-1) + c_7 \cdot (n-1)$$

$$= c_1 \cdot n + c_2 \cdot (n-1) + c_3 \cdot (n-1) + c_4 \cdot \left(\frac{n(n+1)}{2} - 1 \right) + c_5 \cdot \frac{n(n-1)}{2} + c_6 \cdot \frac{n(n-1)}{2} + c_7 \cdot (n-1)$$

$$= \left(\frac{c_4}{2} + \frac{c_5}{2} + \frac{c_6}{2} \right) \cdot n^2 + \left(c_1 + c_2 + c_3 + \frac{c_4}{2} - \frac{c_5}{2} - \frac{c_6}{2} + c_7 \right) \cdot n - (c_2 + c_3 + c_4 + c_7)$$

$$= an^2 + bn + c$$

which is quadratic function of n

$$= O(n^2)$$



Average Case Analysis

- Let's assume that $t_j = (j-1)/2$ to calculate the average case

Therefore,

$$T(n) = C_1 * n + (C_2 + C_3) * (n - 1) + C_4/2 * (n - 1) * (n) / 2 + (C_5 + C_6)/2 * ((n - 1) * (n) / 2 - 1) + C_8 * (n - 1)$$

further simplified has dominating factor of n^2 and gives $T(n) = C * (n^2)$ or $O(n^2)$

Code:

```
#include <stdio.h>

// Function to sort an array using insertion sort
void insertionSort(int arr[], int n)
{
    int i, key, j;
    for (i = 1; i < n; i++)
    {
        key = arr[i];
        j = i - 1;

        while (j >= 0 && arr[j] > key)
        {
            arr[j + 1] = arr[j];
            j = j - 1;
        }
    }
}
```



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    }  
    arr[j + 1] = key;  
}  
}
```

```
void printArray(int arr[], int n)  
{  
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)  
        printf("%d ", arr[i]);  
    printf("\n");  
}
```

```
int main()  
{  
    int n;  
  
    printf("Enter the number of elements: ");  
    scanf("%d", &n);  
  
    int arr[n];
```



```
printf("Enter %d elements:\n", n);  
  
for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)  
    scanf("%d", &arr[i]);  
  
insertionSort(arr, n);  
  
printf("Sorted array: ");  
printArray(arr, n);  
  
return 0;  
}
```



Output:

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Enter the number of elements: 7
Enter 7 elements:
8 5 3 9 14 20 7
Sorted array: 3 5 7 8 9 14 20

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Process exited after 39.92 seconds with return value 0
Press any key to continue . . .
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Conclusion:

In conclusion, Insertion Sort is a straightforward and practical sorting technique, ideal for small datasets or partially sorted arrays. Although its time complexity is $O(n^2)$, it remains a valuable option for scenarios where simplicity is prioritized over speed.