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**CPSC 335: Algorithm Engineering** 

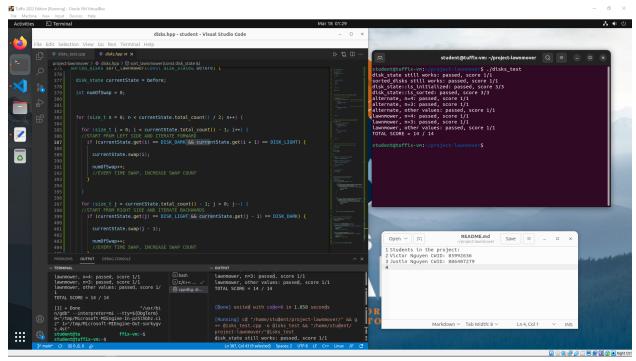
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**CPSC 335 Project 1: Implementing Algorithms** 

### **README.md Screenshot:**



# **Code Compiling and Executing Screenshot:**



## The Lawnmower Algorithm:

Code:

#### Pseudocode:

```
The pseudocode for lawnmower_sort is:
{\tt def\ lawnmower\_sort(disk\_state)\ [} [
    let n = total length of disk_state
    let swap_count = 0
    for (i from 0 to n / 2, incrementing by 1) {
        //sort starting from left towards right
        for (j from 0 to n-1, incrementing by 1) {
            if (disk at index j == dark && disk at index j+1 == light) {
                swap (disk at index j and disk at index j+1)
                increase swap count by 1
        //sort starting from right towards left
        for (k from n-1 to 0, decrementing by 1) \{
            if (disk at index k == light && disk at index k-1 == dark) {
                swap(disk at index k and disk at index k-1)
                increase swap count by 1
    return lawnmower_sort(disk_state, swap count)
```

#### Step Count:

### Step Count for Lawnmower Algorithm:

$$SC = 1 + 1 + (\frac{n}{2} + 1) \cdot [(n)(4 + 1) + (n)(4 + 1)]$$

$$= 2 + (\frac{n}{2} + 1) \cdot [5n + 5n]$$

$$= 2 + (\frac{n}{2} + 1) \cdot (10n)$$

$$= 2 + 5n^{2} + 10n$$

$$= 5n^{2} + 10n + 2 + 4u$$

Prove 
$$5n^2 + 10n + 2 \in O(n^2)$$
:

by Limit's Theorem,

$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \frac{5n^2+10n+2}{n^2} = \lim_{n\to\infty} 5+\frac{10}{n}+\frac{2}{n^2} = 5+0+0 = 5 \ge 0 \quad \text{and} \quad a \quad \text{constant}$$

There fore,

$$5n^2+10n+2 \in O(n^2)$$

# The Alternate Algorithm:

#### Code:

```
sorted_disks sort_alternate(const disk_state& before) {
 int numOfSwap = 0;
 disk_state currentState = before;
   for (int i = 0; i < currentState.total_count() / 2; i++){</pre>
         if (i % 2 == 0){
           for (int j = 0; j < currentState.total_count() - 1; <math>j = j+2){
              if (currentState.get(j) != currentState.get(j + 1)){
                   if (currentState.get(j) == DISK_DARK && currentState.get(j + 1) == DISK_LIGHT){
                      currentState.swap(j);
                      numOfSwap++;
           for (int index = 1; index < currentState.total_count() - 2; index = index+2){</pre>
              if (currentState.get(index) != currentState.get(index + 1)){
                  if (currentState.get(index) == DISK_DARK && currentState.get(index + 1) == DISK_LIGHT){
                     currentState.swap(index);
                     numOfSwap++;
         return sorted_disks(disk_state(currentState), numOfSwap);
```

#### Pseudocode:

```
The pseudocode for alternate_sort is:
def alternate sort(disk state) {
    let n = total length of disk_state
    let swap_count = 0
    for (i from 0 to n / 2, incrementing by 1) \{
        //sort starting from leftmost disk
        if (i % 2 == 0) {
            for (j from 0 to n-1, incrementing by 2) {
                if (disk at index j == dark && disk at index j+1 == light) {
                    swap (disk at index j and disk with index j+1) increase swap count by 1
        //sort starting from second leftmost disk
            for (k from 1 to n-2, incrementing by 2) {
                if (disk at index k == dark && disk at index k+1 == light) {
                    swap (disk at index k and disk with index k+1)
                    increase swap count by 1
    return alternate_sort(sorted disks, swap count)
```

#### Step Count:

# Step Count for Alternate Algorithm:

$$SC = 1 + 1 + \left(\frac{n}{2} + 1\right) \cdot \left[2 + \max\left(\left(\frac{n-1}{2} + 1\right) \cdot (s)\right), \left(\frac{n-3}{2} + 1\right) \cdot (s)\right)\right]$$

$$= 2 + \left(\frac{n}{2} + 1\right) \cdot \left[2 + \left(\frac{Sn}{2} - \frac{S}{2} + s\right)\right]$$

$$= 2 + \left(\frac{n}{2} + 1\right) \cdot \left[\frac{Sn}{2} + \frac{q}{2}\right]$$

$$= 2 + \frac{Sn^2}{4} + \frac{q}{4} + \frac{Sn}{2} + \frac{q}{2}$$

$$= \frac{S}{4}n^2 + \frac{Sn}{2} + \frac{3S}{4}$$

# Prove $\frac{5}{4}n^2 + \frac{5}{2}n + \frac{35}{4} \in O(n^2)$ :

By Limit's Theorem,

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{\frac{S}{4}n^2 + \frac{S}{2}n + \frac{35}{4}}{n^2} = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{S}{4} + \frac{S}{2n} + \frac{3S}{4n^2} = \frac{S}{4} + 0 + 0 = \frac{5}{4} \ge 0 \text{ and a constant}$$

There fore,

$$\boxed{\frac{5}{4}n^2 + \frac{5}{2}n + \frac{35}{4} \in O(n^2)}$$