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Problem 2-1.

- (a) $O(n^2)$
- **(b)** $O(n^4), \Omega(n^{2lg3})$
- (c) $\Theta(nlog^2n)$
- (d) $\Theta(n^2)$

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Problem 2-2.

- (a) selection sort, cause its fewer set operiations (O(n))
- (b) merge sort, cause it has fewer compare operiations(O(nlogn))
- (c) insertion sort, cause it decrease a inversions each inner loop iteration. So its O(n+k)

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Problem 2-3. tell card to teleport to 2^i and $n-2^i$, until Datum is found or have not been passed, then j=i, which means $2^{j-1}< k< 2^j$, then do binary search in the $[2^{j-1},2^j]$ range. All above take O(j) time.

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Problem 2-4.

1.doubly linked list L containing all undeleted messages in order. 2.a sorted array V containing the pair (v_i,p_i) , where v_i is the ID and p_i is the pointer to a linked list L_v of a sequence of pointers p_v to the ordered messages with ID v_i .

build(V):L in O(1) time, V in O(nlogn) time.

send(v,m):insert m into a node x at the front of L in O(1).find v in V in O(logn) time, then insert p_v pointing to x at the end of L_v in O

recent(k): traverse the first k nodes of L in O(k) time.

ban(v): find v in V in O(logn) time, then for each pointer p_v in L_v, delete the node pointed by p_v in L in O(1) time, set p_v point to None.

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Problem 2-5.

- (a)
- **(b)**
- (c) code in .python file