

Segtrees I

Intro to the S-Tier data structure

Warmup: Range sum query

Given an array of N integers, $a[1], a[2] \dots a[n]$, support Q queries of the form

“Given $1 \leq L \leq R \leq N$, return the sum $a[L] + a[L+1] + \dots + a[R]$ ”

Target complexity: $O(N)$ precalculation, $O(1)$ per query.

Range min query?

Given an array of N integers, $a[1], a[2] \dots a[n]$, support Q queries of the form

“Given $1 \leq L \leq R \leq N$, return the minimum $\min(a[L], a[L+1] \dots a[R])$ ”

What techniques do you know to solve this?

(*answer withheld before lecture*)

Range min query + point updates

Given an array of N integers, $a[1], a[2] \dots a[n]$, support Q queries of the form

(Query) $L\ R$: Returns $a[L] + a[L+1] + \dots + a[R]$

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Idea: Precalc blocks of size 2^i

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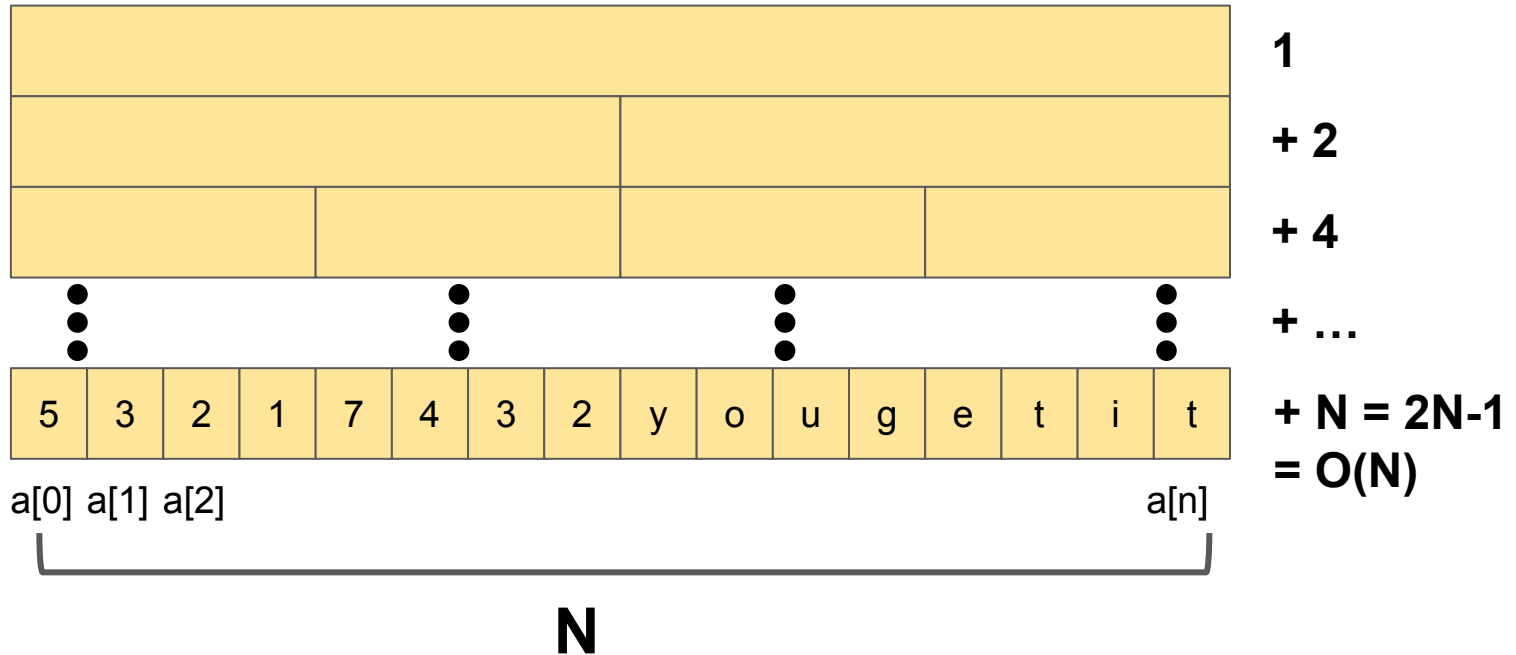
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Number of things you have to precalc?

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Later in implementation: how to precalc in $O(N)$


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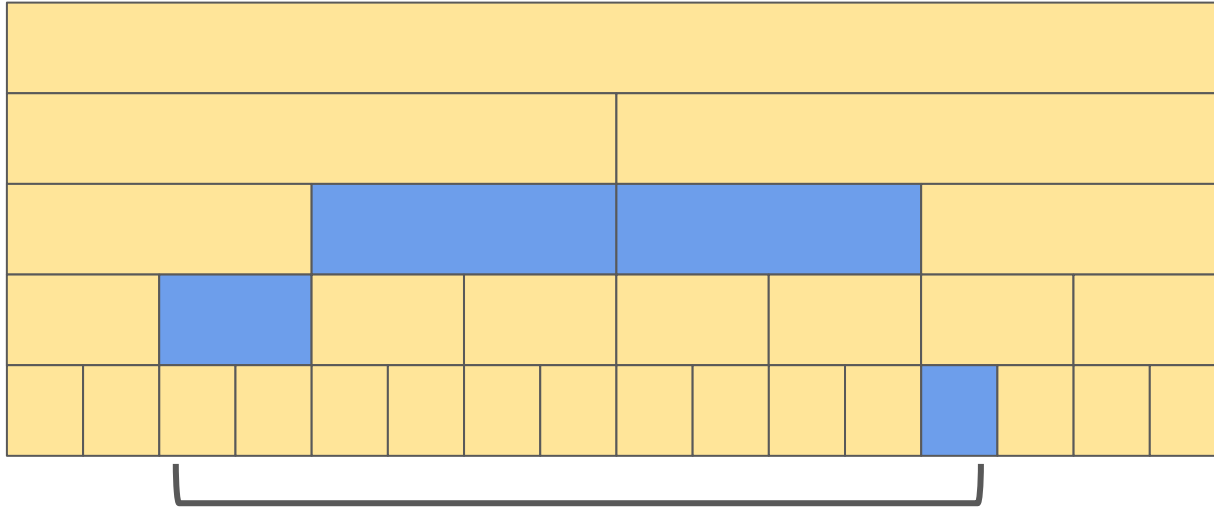
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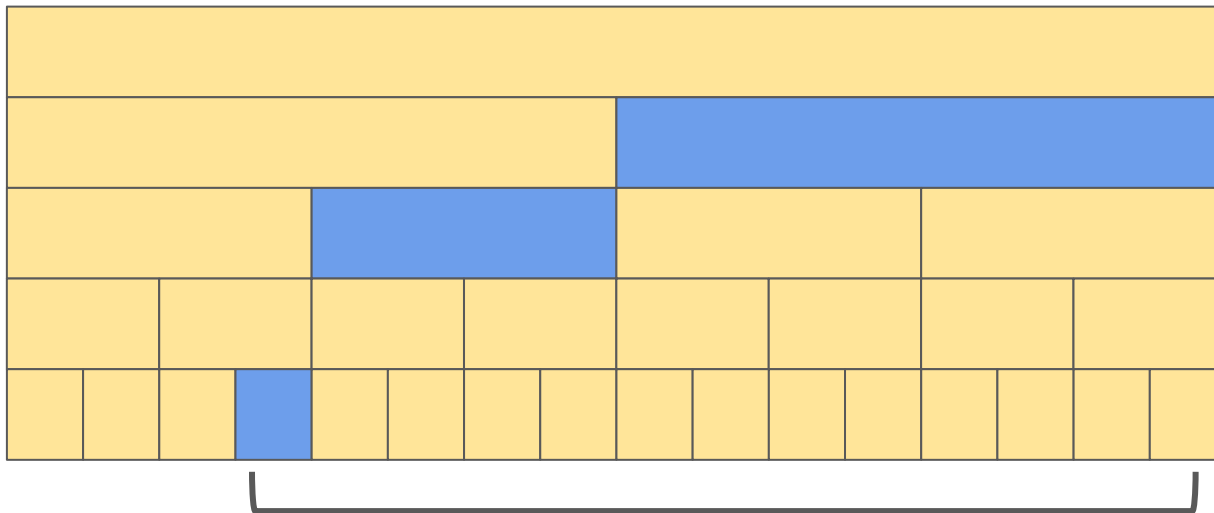
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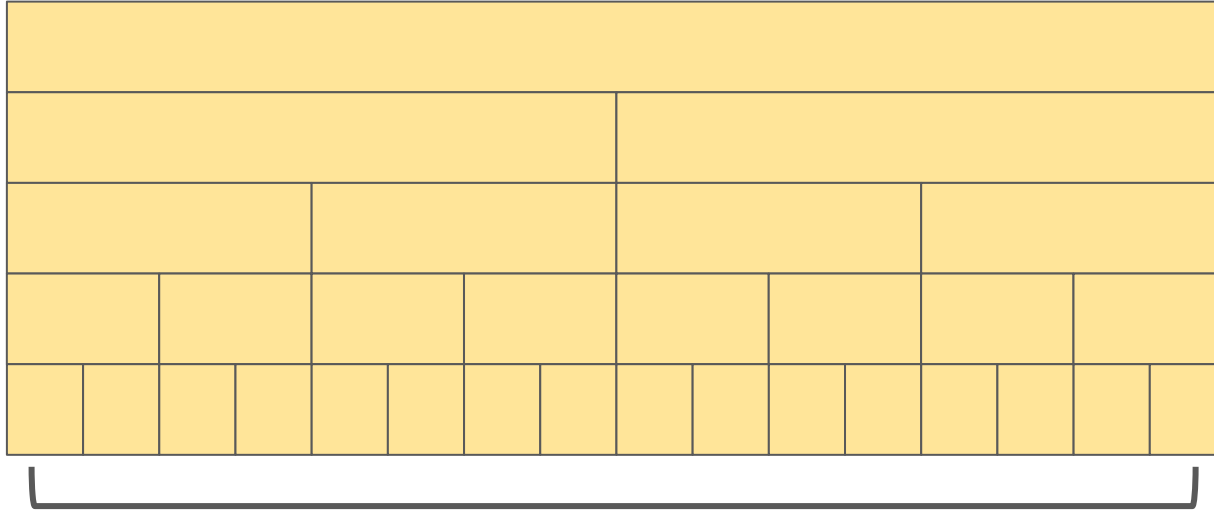
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Querying sum of 16 elements, which blocks are required?

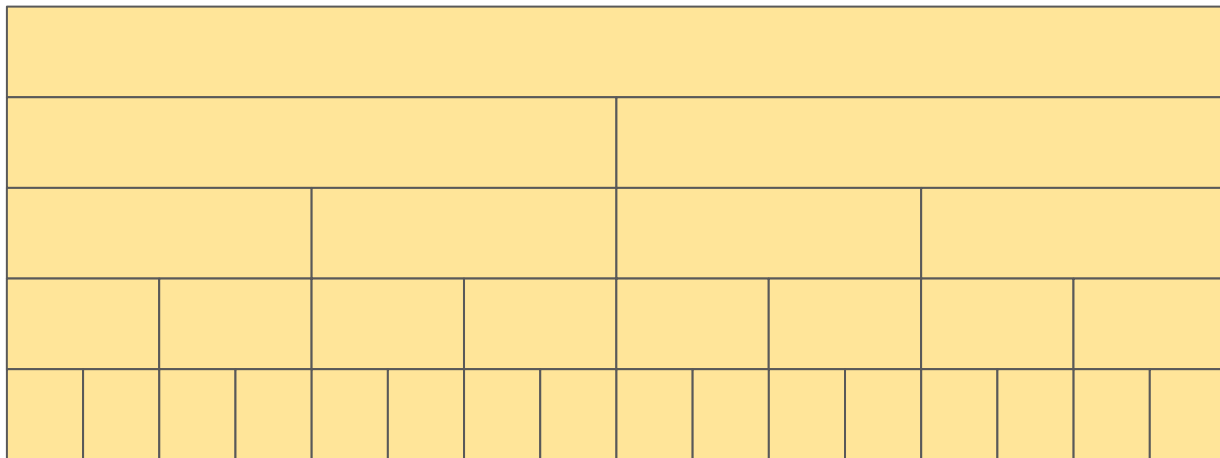
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Query time complexity?

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Each query uses at most $2\log(n)$ blocks, and can be calculated in $O(\log n)$ time.

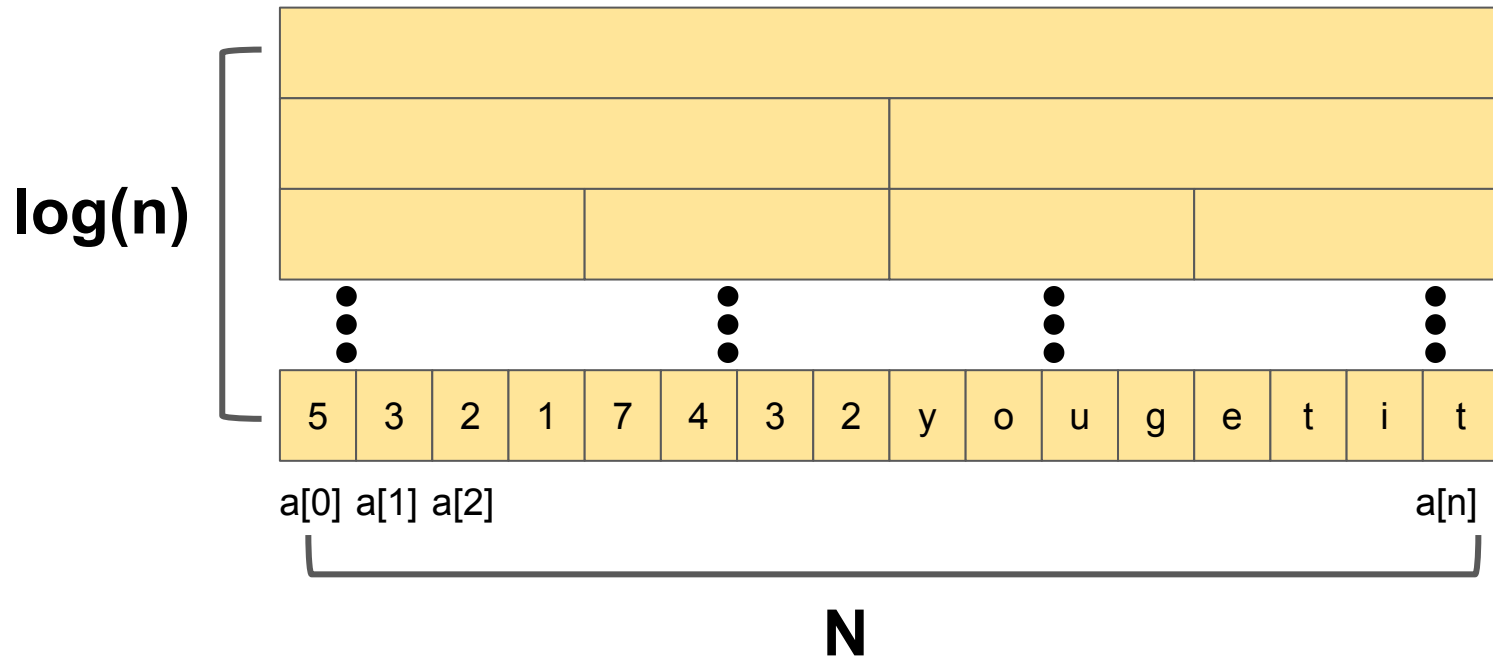
This fact will be made a bit more clear in implementation details later on.

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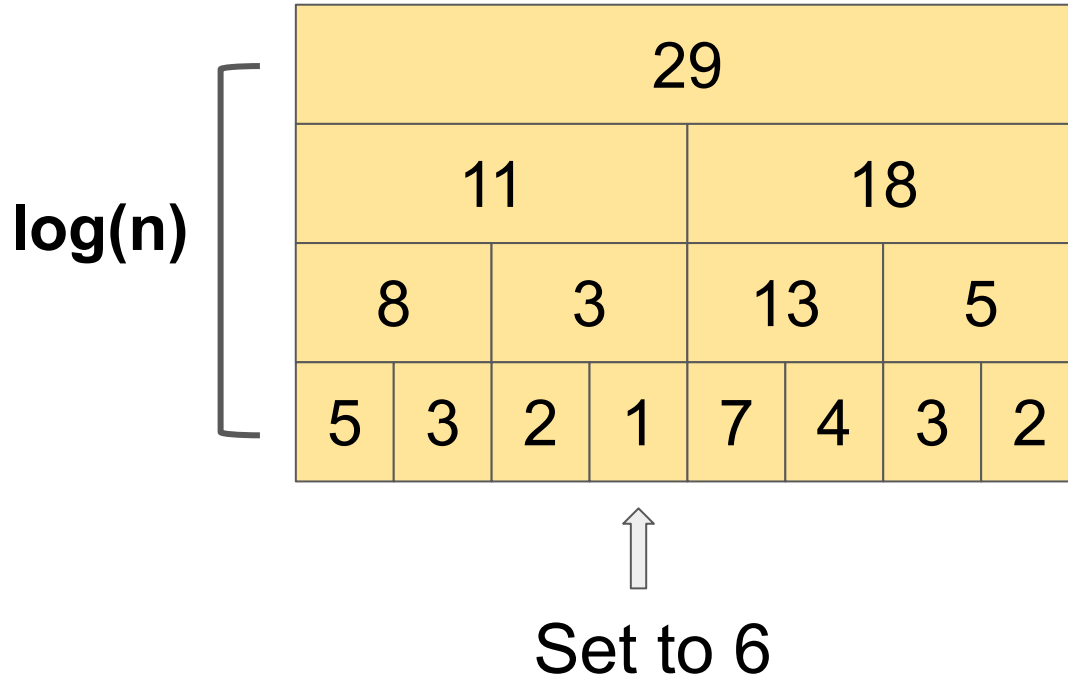


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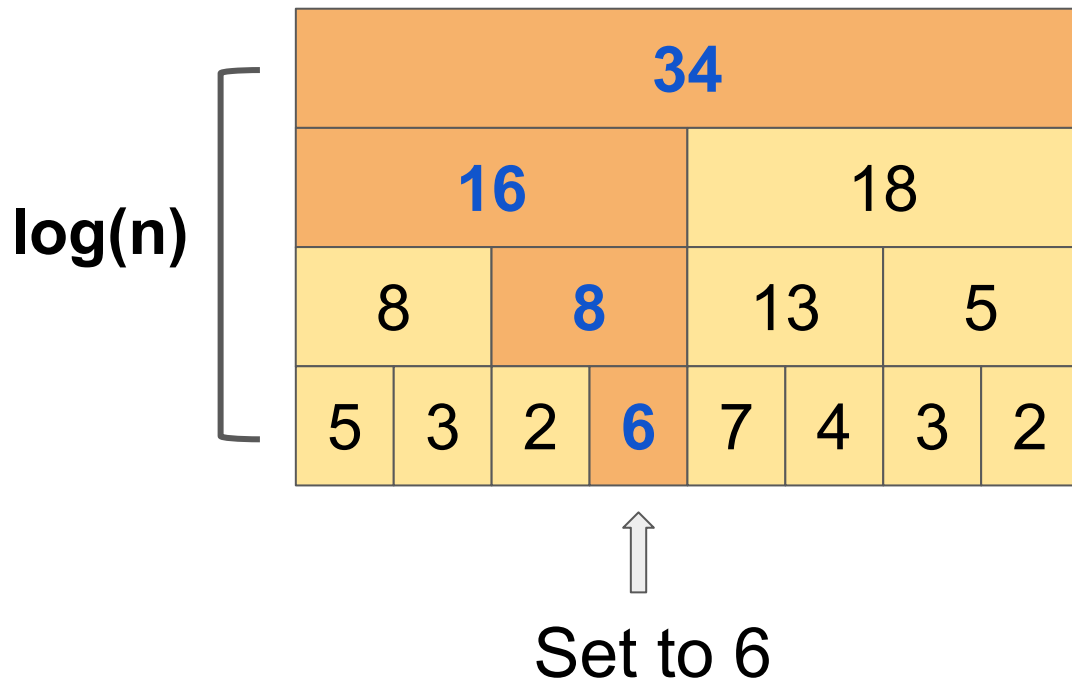


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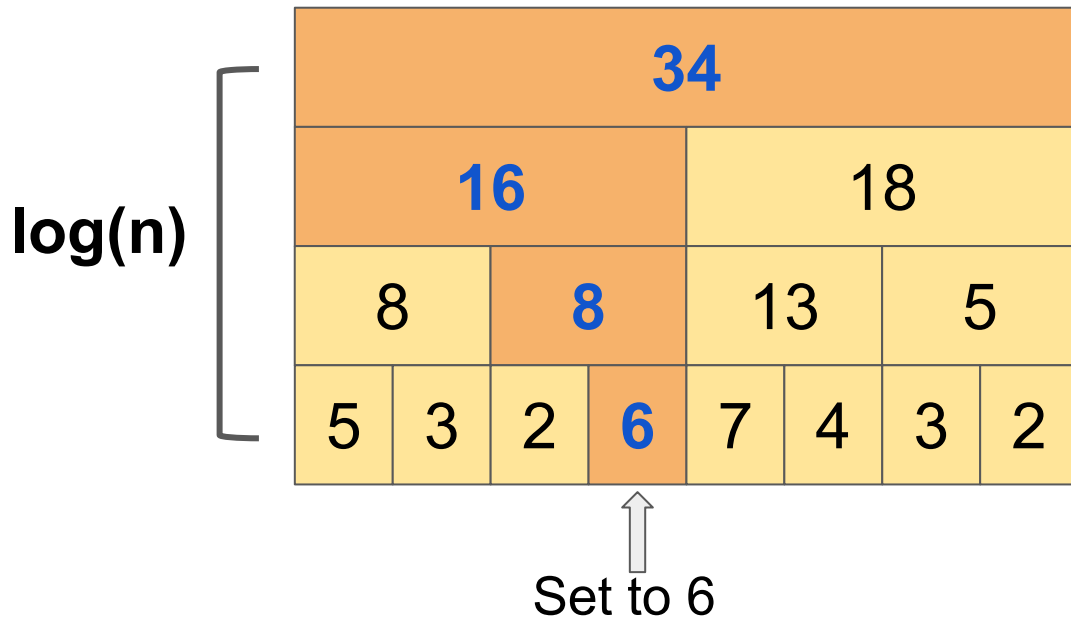


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For any update, only $O(\log n)$ nodes change!

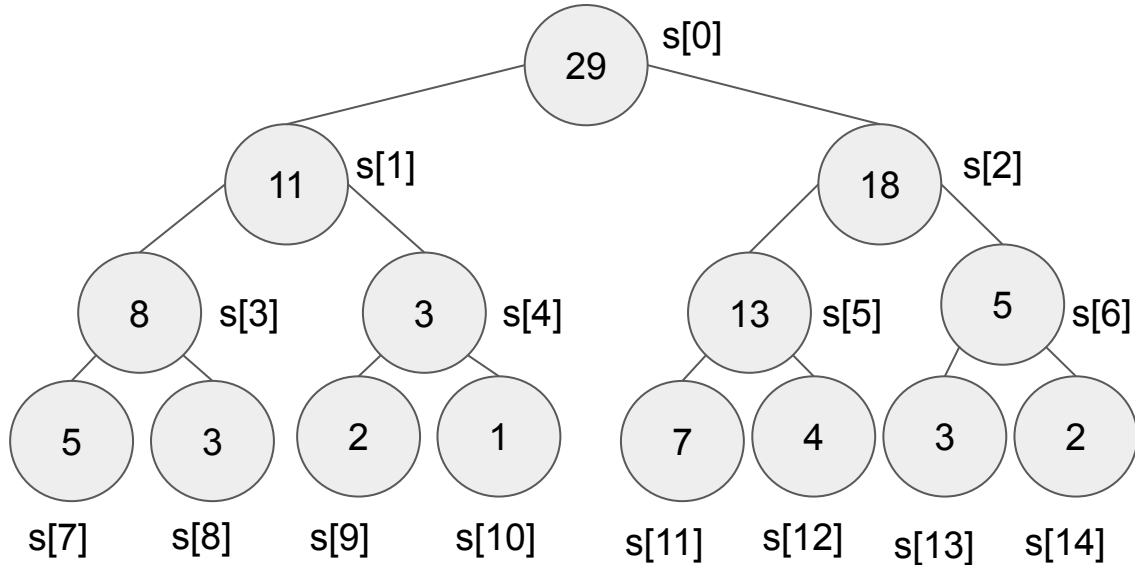
Implementation...

Store the segment tree as a binary tree, using heap indexing:

Left child of node n is node $2n + 1$

Right child is node $2n+2$

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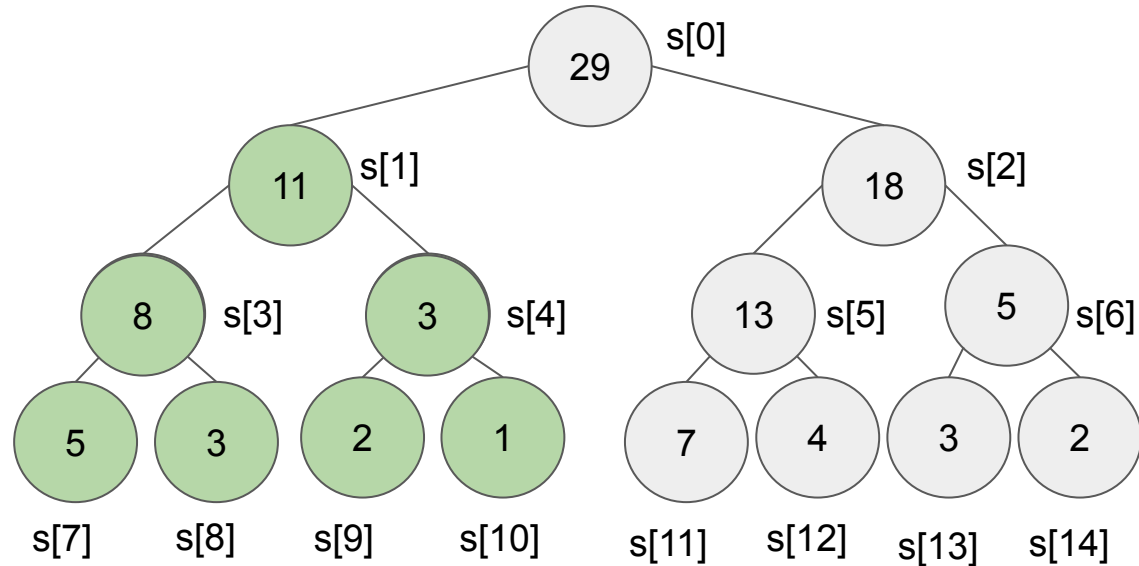
Implementation...

Each node is “**responsible**” for a range of indices that in its subtree

This information **won't** be stored in these nodes in implementation: but rather passed through the recursive function calls.

Also don't worry about when it's not a perfect power of 2, the implementation later will just handle that.

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Implementation: Initialising the segtree!

```
// This function, given an array a,  
// builds a range sum segtree in the array st
```

```
void build(int si, int sl, int sr){  
    // si = current segtree left  
    // sl = segtree left  
    // sr = segtree right  
    // Precondition: node si is responsible for indices [sl,sr]
```

```
    // Base case: we're at a leaf node.
```

```
    if (sl == sr){  
        st[si] = a[sl];  
        return;
```

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    }
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    int mid = (sl + sr)/2;
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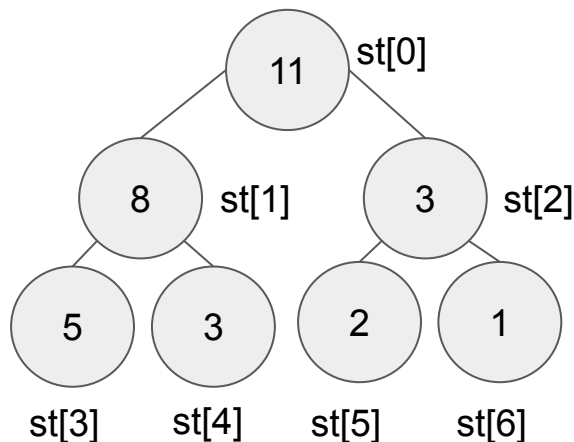
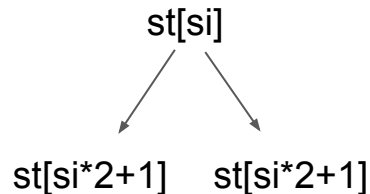
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    // Initialise the children!
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    build(si * 2 + 1, sl, mid);
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    build(si * 2 + 2, mid+1,sr);
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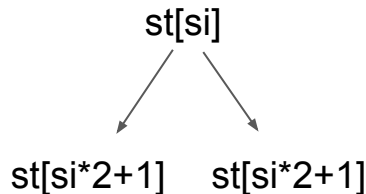
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    st[si] = st[si*2+1] + st[si*2+2]
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        return;  
    }  
    int mid = (sl + sr)/2;  
    // Initialise the children!  
    build(si * 2 + 1, sl, mid);  
    build(si * 2 + 2, mid+1,sr);  
    st[si] = st[si*2+1] + st[si*2+2]  
}
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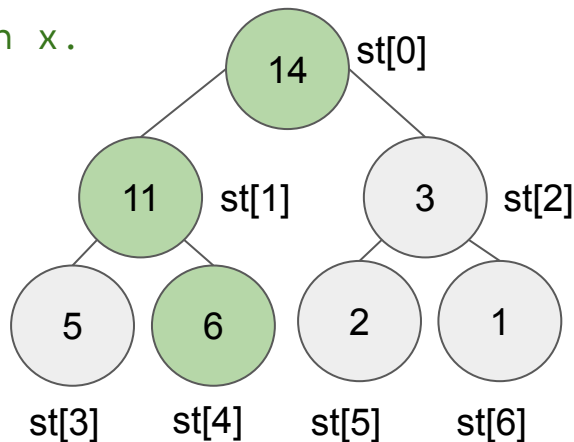


Question: If we're initialising a segtree over an array of size N , what arguments do we put in when we call `build()`?

Another question: what is the time complexity?

Implementation: Updating!

```
// This function updates a[x] to v
void update(int si, int sl, int sr, int x, int v){
    // Note si,sl,sr have the same meanings as in build
    // Base case: leaf node is simple
    if (sl == sr){
        st[si] = v;
        return;
    }
    int mid = (sl + sr)/2;
    // Update only the child that contains position x.
    if (x <= mid){
        update(si*2+1,sl,mid,x,v);
    }
    else{
        update(si*2+2,mid+1,sr,x,v);
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        update(si*2+1,sl,mid,x,v);
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        update(si*2+2,mid+1,sr,x,v);
    }
    // Update this node.
    st[si] = st[si*2+1] + st[si*2+2]
}
```

Question: What arguments do we give to update() in order for it to update position x to value y?

Another question: what is the time complexity of this?

Implementation: Query!

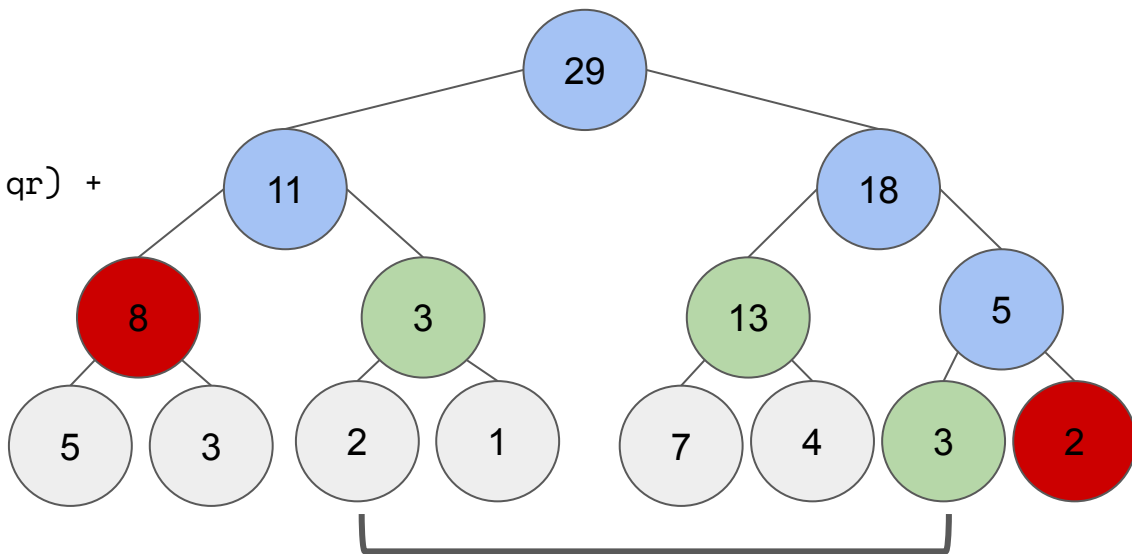
```
// This function returns the sum of the values in the intersection of
// [s1, sr] and [q1,q2] (Calling query(0,1,n,q1,q2) returns the desired query)
void query(int si, int s1, int sr, int q1, int q2){
    // If [s1,sr] and [q1,q2] don't intersect, the sum is 0.
    if (s1 > q2 || sr < q1){
        return 0;
    }
    // If [s1,sr] is fully contained in [q1,q2], then the answer is the sum
    // from s1 to sr (conveniently stored in st[si])
    if (q1 <= s1 && sr <= q2){
        return st[si];
    }
    // Otherwise, idk, ask our children for the answer.
    int mid = (s1 + sr)/2;
    return query(si*2+1,s1,mid,q1,q2) + query(si*2+2,mid+1,sr,q1,q2);
}
```

Query time complexity...

```
void query(int si, int sl, int sr, int ql, int qr){
    if (sl > qr || sr < ql){
        // Point A
        return 0;
    }
    if (ql <= sl && sr <= qr){
        // Point B
        return st[si];
    }
    // Point C
    int mid = (sl + sr)/2;
    return query(si*2+1,sl,mid,ql,qr) +
        query(si*2+2,mid+1,sr,ql,qr);
}
```

It can be shown that the query will access at **most 4 nodes** at each level in the segtree: at most two greens bookended by blue or red nodes.

Hence at most $4\log n$ nodes are considered, so time complexity is $O(\log n)$



Implementation: Flexibility!!!

What if we want the segtree to solve range minimum query instead? How much do we have to modify the segtree?

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Application: Inversion counting

Given an array of N integers $a[1] \dots a[N]$,
count the number of (i,j) such that $1 \leq i < j \leq N$ and $a[i] > a[j]$

Can you find a solution in $O(n \log n)$?

Remember: you just learnt what a segtree is! A magical black box that can do arbitrary point updates (change any value in the array) and range queries (find the sum/min/whatever of any (you can even choose the array you build the segtree on)!

Application / New Technique: Range update, point query...

Given an array of N integers, $a[1], a[2] \dots a[n]$, support Q queries of the form

(Update) L, R, V : Add V to $a[L] + a[L+1] + \dots + a[R]$

(Query) X : Return the value of x

Can you find a solution in $O(n \log n)$?

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Bonus! Maximum subarray sum, with updates!

Given an array of N (possibly negative) integers $a[1] \dots a[N]$, there are Q updates of the form:

Change $a[i]$ to V

After each update, calculate the maximum subarray sum of the array.

The maximum subarray sum is the largest value of $a[L] + a[L+1] + \dots + a[R]$ for any $1 \leq L, R \leq N$

Find an $O(n \log n)$ solution.

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