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Problem 1.

$$(a) \quad T(n) = 4T(n/3) + O(n)$$

$$T(n) = O(n^{\log_3 4})$$

$$(b) \quad T(n) = 3T(n/3) + O(n^2)$$

$$T(n) = O(n^2)$$

$$(c) \quad T(n) = 4T(n/2) + O(n^2 \sqrt{n})$$

$$T(n) = O(n^2 \sqrt{n})$$

$$(d) \quad T(n) = 8T(n/2) + O(n^3)$$

$$T(n) = O(n^3 \log n)$$

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} O(n^{\log_b a}) & c < \log_b a \\ O(n^c \log n) & c = \log_b a \\ O(n^c) & c > \log_b a \end{cases}$$

Problem 2.

I modify the Count-Inversion between B and C from slides 14/13.

In the original algorithm we count the inversion and merge B and C and the same time.

For this problem, we want to count the strong inversion. $(A[i] > 2A[j])$

So, I will do count and merge separately.

sort-and-count(A, n)

1: if $n=1$ then

2: return $(A, 0)$

3: else

4: $(B, m_1) \leftarrow \text{sort-and-count}(A[1 \dots \lfloor n/2 \rfloor], \lfloor n/2 \rfloor)$

5: $(C, m_2) \leftarrow \text{sort-and-count}(A[\lfloor n/2 \rfloor + 1 \dots n], \lceil n/2 \rceil)$

6: $(A, m_3) \leftarrow \text{merge-and-count}(B, C, \lfloor n/2 \rfloor, \lceil n/2 \rceil)$

7: Return $(A, m_1 + m_2 + m_3)$

merge-and-course (B, C, m_1, m_2)

1: $count \leftarrow 0$;

2: $A \leftarrow \text{Array of size } m_1 + m_2$; $i \leftarrow 1$; $j \leftarrow 1$;

3: While $i \leq m_1$ or $j \leq m_2$ do \rightarrow time complexity $O(n)$

4: if $j > m_2$ or ($i \leq m_1$ and $B[i] \leq 2 \times C[j]$) then

$i \leftarrow i + 1$

5:

$count \leftarrow count + (j - 1)$

6:

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7:

else

8:

$j \leftarrow j + 1$

Course strong inversion

9: $i \leftarrow 1$; $j \leftarrow 1$;

10: While $i \leq m_1$ or $j \leq m_2$ do \rightarrow time complexity $O(n)$

11: if $j > m_2$ or ($i \leq m_1$ and $B[i] < C[j]$) then

12:

$A[i+j-1] \leftarrow B[i]$; $i \leftarrow i + 1$

13:

else

14:

$A[i+j-1] \leftarrow C[j]$; $j \leftarrow j + 1$

15: return ($A, count$)

Recurrence for running time:

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + O(n)$$

$$\text{running time} = O(n \lg n)$$

Correctness is obvious, since I slightly modified the Algorithm from pps.

Problem 3.

There may be multiple local minima in A .

We are only required to find A local minimum.

Since $A[0] = A[n-1] = \infty$, so for corner cases $A[0]$ and $A[n-1]$,

We only need to compare one neighbor.

For $n=1$, the local minimum is simply $A[0]$.

In the below Algorithm, we assume $n > 1$.

Also, since A is an array of distinct numbers, so $A[i] \neq A[j]$ for $i \neq j$

1: $\text{LocalMinimum}(A, n)$

2: $i \leftarrow \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$;

3: $B \leftarrow A[1, 2 \dots i]$; $C \leftarrow A[i+1, \dots n]$;

4: if ($A[i] < A[i-1]$ and $A[i] < A[i+1]$) then

5: return $A[i]$

6: else if ($A[i] > A[i-1]$) then

7: return $\text{LocalMinimum}(B, i)$

8: else should be (n - i)

9: return $\text{LocalMinimum}(C, i)$

Correctness :

if $n=1$ Local minimum: $A[1]$ is obvious.

For $n > 1$. $i = \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$

① if $A[i] < A[i-1]$ and $A[i] < A[i+1]$

$A[i]$ is a local minimum.

② if $A[i] > A[i-1]$, then we can find a local minimum

in the left sub Array $B \leftarrow A[1, \dots, i]$

Proof: For $B = A[1, \dots, i]$ and $A[i] > A[i-1] \rightarrow B[i] > B[i-1]$

if there is no local minimum, then we have

$B[i] > B[i-1] \rightarrow B[i-1] > B[i-2]$

\vdots
 $\rightarrow B[i-2] > B[i-3] \dots$ that means B is an

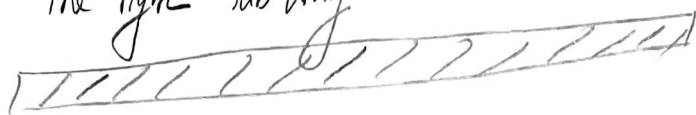
sorted Array with increasing order.

But we have: $B[i] < B[2]$ and $B[i] < B[0] = \infty$ So $B[i]$ is a local min.

that means we can find a local minimum in $B \leftarrow A[1, \dots, i]$, if $A[i] > A[i-1]$

② if $A[i] > A[i+1]$ then we can find a local minimum in

the right sub array $C \leftarrow A[i+1, \dots, n]$



Prove:

For $C = A[i+1, \dots, n]$ and $A[i] > A[i+1] \rightarrow \overset{\text{corner}}{\cancel{C[i] > C[i+1]}}$

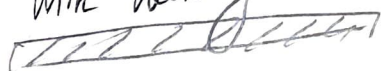
if there is no local minimum in C , then we have

$$C[i] > C[i+1] \rightarrow C[i+1] > C[i+2]$$

\vdots

$\rightarrow C[n-1] > C[n]$ that means C is an sorted array

with decreasing order.



But we have $C[n] < C[n+1] = \infty$ and $C[n] < C[n-1]$

so $C[n]$ is a local minimum

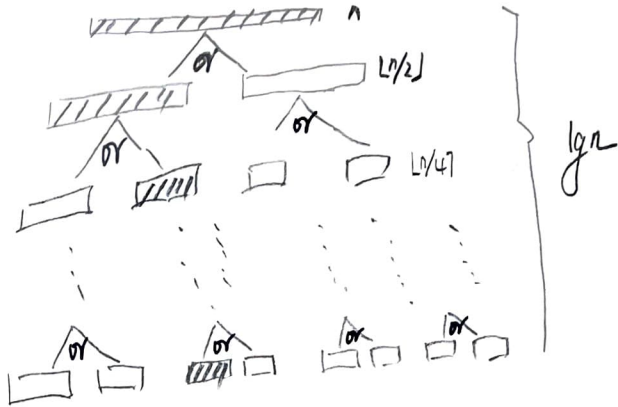


That means we can find a local minimum in $C \leftarrow A[i+1, \dots, n]$

if $A[i] > A[i+1]$.

Time Complexity.

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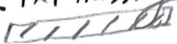
For each step we divide the array into two subarray.

But we only choose one subarray to continue


For each level, we need $O(1)$ running time for comparison


There are $O(\lg n)$ levels for the worst case

Total running time $O(\lg n)$


Problem 4: $2^n \times 2^n$ with 1×1 missing 

1: Cover-with- L-shape ($2^n \times 2^n$)


2: if $n=1$ then 



3: It is a "L" shape. Done. 

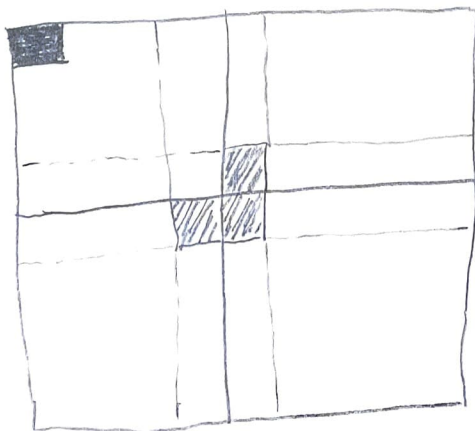
4: else

5: cover the center of $2^n \times 2^n$ with a "L" shape. And don't 

cover the subsquare with the missing 1×1

6: so, we have 4 $2^{n-1} \times 2^{n-1}$ each with a missing 1×1 

7: Do cover-with-L-shape ($2^{n-1} \times 2^{n-1}$) 4 times  



time complexity:

$$\underline{k = 2^n}$$

$$\underline{2^{n-1} = k/2}$$

$$T(k) = 4(k/2) + O(1)$$

$$T(k) = O(k^2)$$

As a result, the time complexity is $O(2^{2n}) = O(4^n)$

Alternatively, the whole area is $2^n \times 2^n - 1 = 2^{2n} - 1$, "L" is 3

To cover the whole area we need $(2^{2n} - 1)/3$ numbers

of "L" shape.

For each L shape we need $O(1)$ time

So, the total time is $(2^{2n} - 1)/3$

$$\rightarrow O(2^{2n}) = O(4^n)$$