

## DS - 2nd WEEK

### Sorting Algorithms

#### 1. Bubble Sort

- Concept and algorithm
- Complexity analysis ( $O(n^2)$ )
- Stability and in-place sorting
- Applications

#### 2. Insertion Sort

- Concept and algorithm
- Complexity analysis ( $O(n^2)$ )
- Stability and in-place sorting
- Applications

#### 3. Selection Sort

- Concept and algorithm
- Complexity analysis ( $O(n^2)$ )
- Stability and in-place sorting
- Applications

#### 4. Quick Sort

- Concept and algorithm
- Complexity analysis ( $O(n \log n)$  average,  $O(n^2)$  worst-case)
- Stability and in-place sorting
- Applications
- Deterministic vs. Non-deterministic

#### 5. Merge Sort

- Concept and algorithm
- Complexity analysis ( $O(n \log n)$ )
- Stability and out-of-place sorting
- Applications
- Divide and conquer strategy

### Stack

#### 1. Concept of Stack

- Definition and properties (LIFO)
- Applications

#### 2. Operations

- PUSH
- POP
- Peek
- Display elements

#### 3. Concepts

- Stack overflow vs. underflow
- Types of stacks
- Pros of using Linked List for stack

## Queue

1. **Concept of Queue**
  - Definition and properties (FIFO)
  - Applications
2. **Operations**
  - Enqueue
  - Dequeue
  - Peek
  - Display elements
3. **Concepts**
  - Types of queues (simple, circular, priority)
  - Double-ended queue (Deque)
  - Pros of using Linked List for queue

## Hash Table

1. **Concept of Hash Table**
  - Definition and properties
  - Applications
2. **Hash Function**
  - Concept and types
  - Generating hash values
3. **Collisions**
  - Definition
  - Methods to prevent collisions (chaining, linear probing, quadratic probing, double hashing)
4. **Load Factor**
  - Definition and importance
  - Calculating load factor
5. **Comparison with Arrays**
  - Differences between arrays and hash tables
  - Pros and cons of each

## DS2- Practice

## Sorting Algorithms

1. **Bubble Sort**
  - Implement Bubble Sort and test it on various datasets.
  - Modify Bubble Sort to detect already sorted arrays and terminate early.
  - Compare the performance of Bubble Sort with other sorting algorithms for different types of input (e.g., sorted, reverse sorted, random).
2. **Insertion Sort**

- Implement Insertion Sort and test it on various datasets.
  - Modify Insertion Sort to use binary search to find the position to insert an element.
  - Compare the performance of Insertion Sort with Bubble Sort and Selection Sort on small arrays.
3. **Selection Sort**
- Implement Selection Sort and test it on various datasets.
  - Modify Selection Sort to find both the minimum and maximum in each iteration.
  - Compare the performance of Selection Sort with other  $O(n^2)$  sorting algorithms.
4. **Quick Sort**
- Implement Quick Sort using different pivot selection strategies (first element, last element, middle element, random element).
  - Analyze the performance of Quick Sort on different types of input (e.g., sorted, reverse sorted, random).
  - Implement a non-recursive version of Quick Sort using an explicit stack.
5. **Merge Sort**
- Implement Merge Sort and test it on various datasets.
  - Modify Merge Sort to sort linked lists.
  - Compare the performance of Merge Sort with Quick Sort for large datasets.

## Stack

1. **Basic Operations**
- Implement a stack using arrays.
  - Implement a stack using linked lists.
  - Write functions to perform PUSH, POP, and Peek operations and display stack elements.
2. **Advanced Concepts**
- Write a program to check for balanced parentheses in an expression using a stack.
  - Implement a stack that supports getting the minimum element in constant time.
  - Compare the performance of stack operations implemented using arrays vs. linked lists.

## Queue

1. **Basic Operations**
- Implement a queue using arrays.
  - Implement a queue using linked lists.
  - Write functions to perform Enqueue, Dequeue, and Peek operations and display queue elements.
2. **Types of Queues**
- Implement a circular queue and test it with various operations.
  - Implement a priority queue and test it with different priorities.
  - Implement a double-ended queue (Deque) and test all operations.

### 3. Applications

- Write a program to simulate a printer queue.
- Implement a breadth-first search (BFS) algorithm using a queue.
- Compare the performance of queue operations implemented using arrays vs. linked lists.

## Hash Table

### 1. Basic Implementation

- Implement a hash table using chaining for collision resolution.
- Implement a hash table using linear probing for collision resolution.
- Implement a hash table using quadratic probing for collision resolution.
- Implement a hash table using double hashing for collision resolution.

### 2. Hash Functions

- Write a custom hash function for strings.
- Write a custom hash function for integers.
- Analyze the distribution of hash values generated by different hash functions.

### 3. Collision Handling

- Compare the performance of different collision handling techniques (chaining, linear probing, quadratic probing, double hashing) under various load factors.
- Implement a resize operation for hash tables to maintain a low load factor.
- Write a program to find the most frequent element in an array using a hash table.

### 4. Applications

- Use a hash table to implement a dictionary.
- Implement a spell checker using a hash table.
- Write a program to find duplicates in an array using a hash table.

## General Practice

### 1. Sorting Algorithms

- Write test cases to evaluate the performance of all sorting algorithms.
- Visualize the sorting process using graphical representations.

### 2. Stacks and Queues

- Implement a browser history using a stack.
- Implement an undo feature using a stack.
- Simulate a ticket booking system using a queue.
- Write a program to schedule tasks based on priority using a priority queue.

### 3. Hash Tables

- Write a program to count the frequency of words in a text file using a hash table.
- Implement a cache system using a hash table.
- Write a program to perform join operations on two datasets using hash tables.