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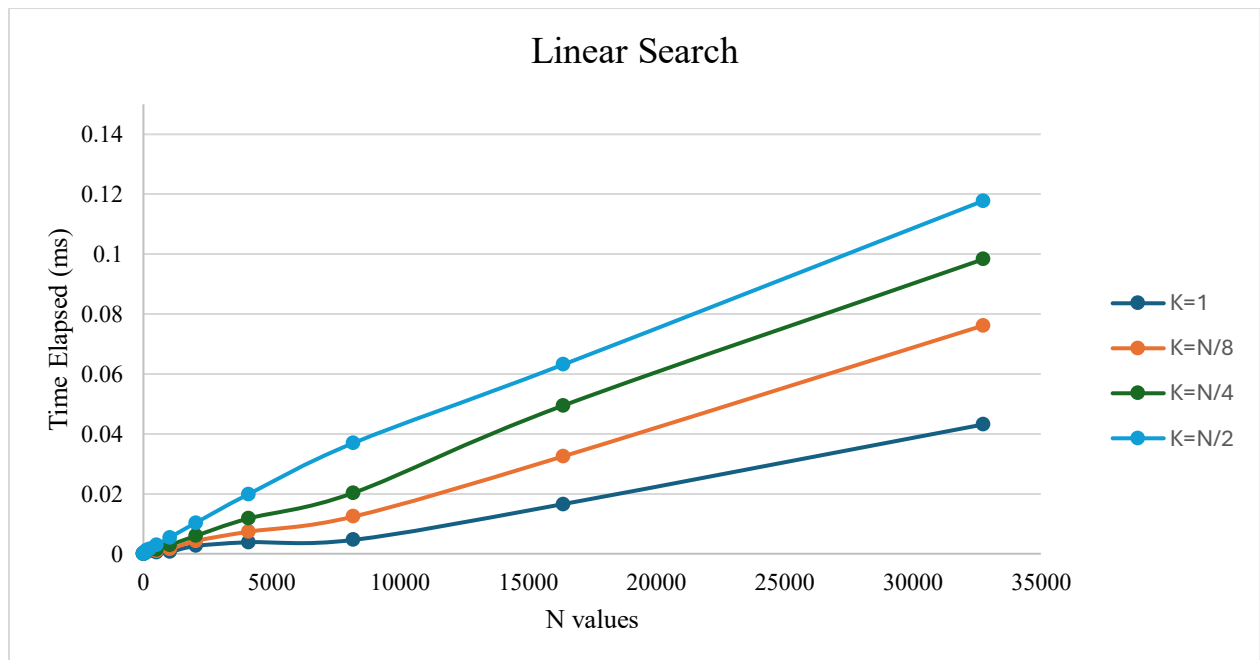
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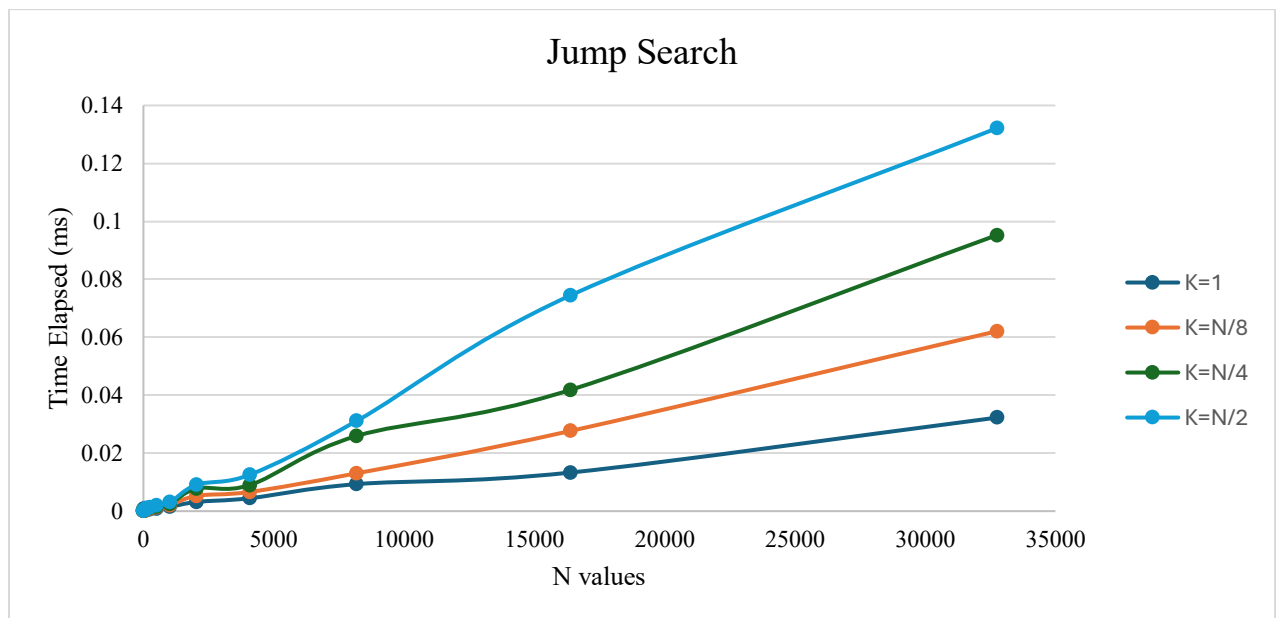
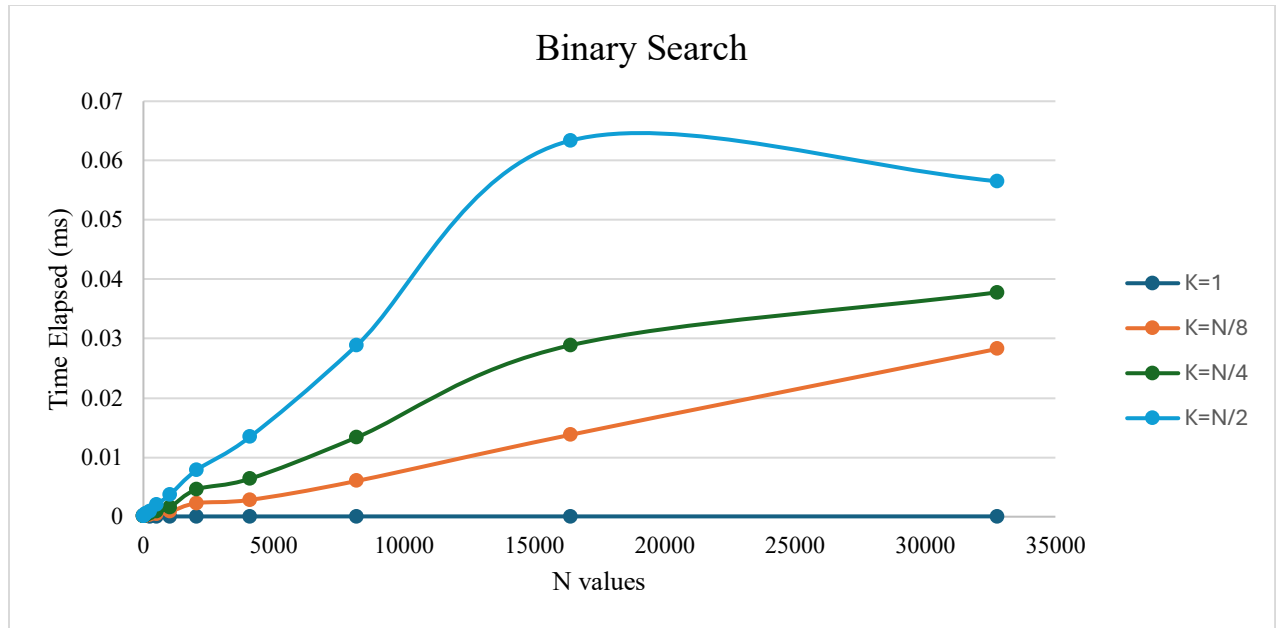
3.4 Table For the Results

Table 1: Results

N	Linear Search				Binary Search				Jump Search			
	K=1	K=N/8	K=N/4	K=N/2	K=1	K=N/8	K=N/4	K=N/2	K=1	K=N/8	K=N/4	K=N/2
8	0,000048	0,000052	0,000054	0,00008	0,000078	0,000077	0,000101	0,000106	0,000087	0,000085	0,000089	0,000125
16	0,000063	0,000073	0,00009	0,000131	0,000078	0,000086	0,000107	0,000152	0,000093	0,000102	0,000118	0,000164
32	0,000137	0,00015	0,000166	0,000225	0,000079	0,000101	0,000121	0,000207	0,000153	0,000183	0,00021	0,000312
64	0,000224	0,000295	0,000384	0,000568	0,000073	0,000145	0,000233	0,000411	0,000228	0,000279	0,00037	0,000471
128	0,000497	0,000644	0,000842	0,001223	0,000081	0,000223	0,000336	0,00061	0,000412	0,000611	0,000787	0,001095
256	0,000847	0,00115	0,001352	0,001555	0,000061	0,00031	0,000558	0,000898	0,000594	0,000863	0,00112	0,00142
512	0,00045	0,000873	0,001344	0,003002	0,000061	0,000501	0,000849	0,002055	0,000909	0,001291	0,001623	0,002088
1024	0,000624	0,001478	0,00286	0,005404	0,000049	0,000855	0,001597	0,003738	0,001479	0,002073	0,002478	0,003103
2048	0,002588	0,004273	0,005984	0,010346	0,000043	0,002292	0,004601	0,007871	0,003189	0,005319	0,007864	0,009141
4096	0,003825	0,007341	0,011765	0,019855	0,000044	0,002838	0,0064	0,01347	0,00448	0,006645	0,009022	0,012594
8192	0,004627	0,012402	0,02033	0,036961	0,000047	0,006028	0,013376	0,028888	0,009328	0,013079	0,025962	0,031162
16384	0,016595	0,032549	0,049496	0,063181	0,000049	0,013794	0,028878	0,063366	0,013317	0,02766	0,041835	0,074412
32768	0,043172	0,07621	0,098331	0,117837	0,000052	0,028269	0,037798	0,05652	0,032284	0,062125	0,095292	0,13219

3.5 Plot For Each Algorithm





4.1 Specifications of Computer

Processor: 8-core CPU

RAM: 16 GB

Chip: Apple M2

Operating System: MacOS

Memory: 256 GB SSD

4.2 Algorithm Working With Unsorted Data

Linear Search: works with unsorted data as it iterates over each element.

Binary Search: does not work with unsorted data as it requires sorted data to recursively divide and search in half.

Jump Search: does not work with unsorted data as it requires sorted data for block selection.

4.3 Theoretical best / average / worst cases and effect of finding K closest values

4.3.1 Theoretical Cases

4.3.1.1 Linear Search

Best case: $\Theta(1)$

Average case: $\Theta(N)$

Worst case: $\Theta(N)$

4.3.1.2 Binary Search

Best case: $\Theta(1)$

Average case: $\Theta(\log N)$

Worst case: $\Theta(\log N)$

4.3.1.3 Jump Search

Best case: $\Theta(1)$

Average case: $\Theta(N)$

Worst case: $\Theta(N)$

4.3.2 Adapted Cases

4.3.2.1 Linear Search

When we adapt the linear search algorithm to our example, we observe that the best case becomes $\Theta(K)$, the average case becomes $\Theta(N+K)$ and the worst case becomes $\Theta(N+K)$ as we take K neighbours of the target key.

4.3.2.2 Binary Search

When we adapt the binary search algorithm to our example, we observe that the best case becomes $\Theta(N)$, the average case becomes $\Theta((\log N)+K)$ and the worst case becomes $\Theta((\log N)+K)$ as we take K neighbours of the target key.

4.3.2.3 Jump Search

When we adapt the jump search algorithm to our example, we observe that the best case becomes $\Theta(K)$, the average case becomes $\Theta(N+K)$ and the worst case becomes $\Theta(N+K)$ as we take K neighbours of the target key.

4.4 Observed best / average / worst cases from the table and plots, and comparison

4.4.1 Observed results

From my experimental table and plots, it is seen that;

- For each algorithm the largest time elapses are recorded when N and K are the largest. Therefore, these values are the worst cases in my observed results.
- Likewise, for each algorithm, the smallest running times are recorded when N and K is the smallest, providing best case scenerios in the experiment.
- The intermediate values of N and K represent the average cases which we can understand from the plots for the observed results since the lines for $K=N/8$ and $K=N/4$ lie in between $K=1$ and $K=N/2$ for each algorithm.

4.4.2 Comparison between theoretical and observed

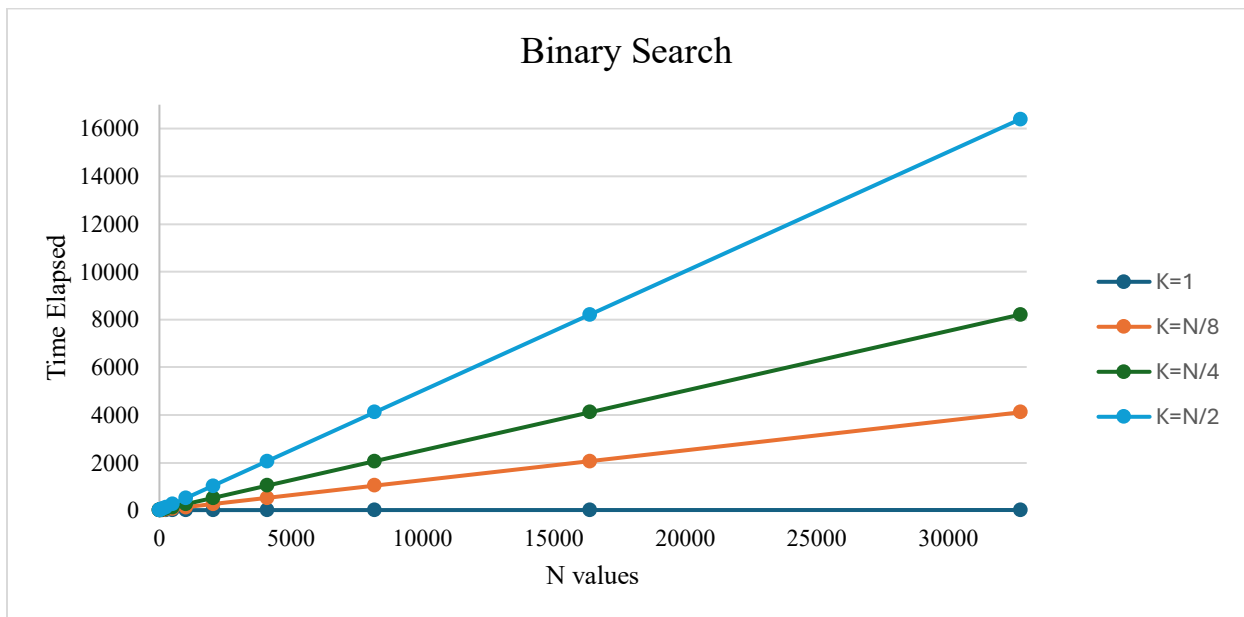
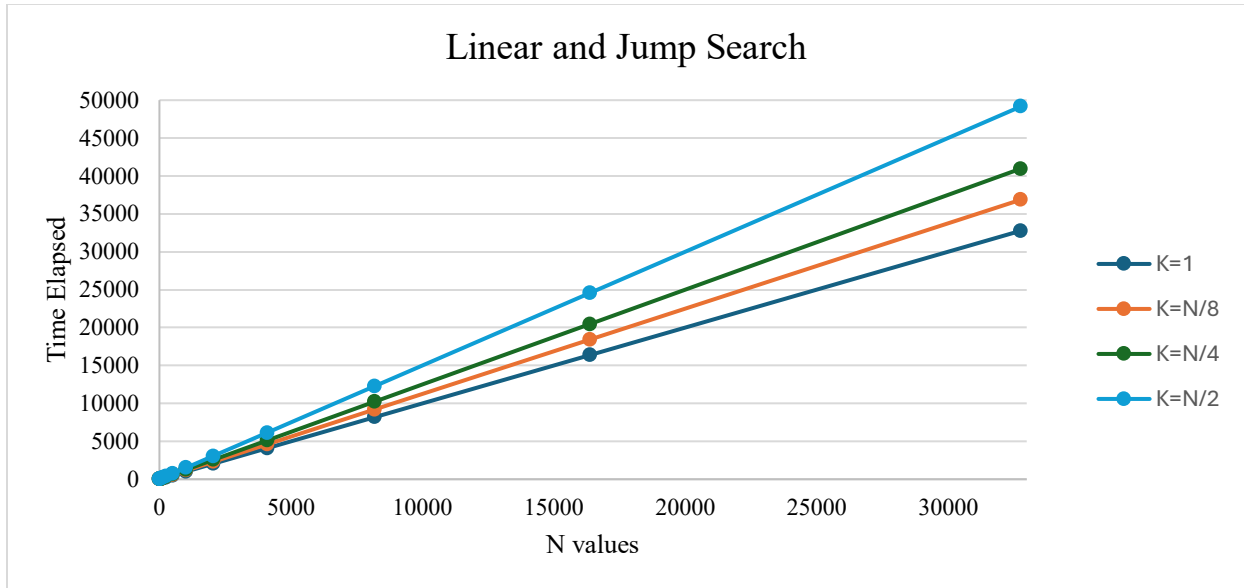
- For $K=1$, binary search is faster when compared to linear and jump search algorithms and grows logarithmically as N grows which matches with the theoretical time complexities ($\Theta(\log N)$ versus $\Theta(N)$).
- For other values of K , the elapsed time for all algorithms matches the theoretical time complexities as binary search grows with a smaller rate.
- Additionally, comparing linear and jump search with each other also supports the idea that there is a correlation between theoretical results and observed results as they both grow linearly with the increasing value of N with small non-consistencies.

- Possible reasons for inconsistencies:

- implementation details which can show inconsistencies due to use of recursion and loops.
- background processes which can add small variations for small N values.

4.5 Theoretical Plots vs Experimental plots

4.5.1 Theoretical Plots



4.5.2 Comparison With Results

Both theoretical and observed plots for each search algorithm shows the same overall linear complexities. In the case of binary search, the observed value for $K=N/2$ at $N=16384$, there is an anomaly where the time elapsed exceeds the time at $N=32768$.