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void IterativeMergeSort(vector<int> &vect, int low, int high)
{
    vector<int> temp(high+1);
    int i, j;
    for(i=1; i<high-low; i+=i)
    {
        for(j=high-i; j>=0; j-=i+i)
        {
            IterMerge(vect, temp, max(j-i+1, 0), j, j+i);
        }
    }
}

void IterMerge(vector<int> &vect, vector<int> &temp, int low, int
mid, int high)
{
    int first=low;
    int last=mid;
    int first2=mid+1;
    int last2=high;

    int firstNew=first;

    while(first<=last && first2<=last2)
    {
        if(vect[first]<=vect[first2])
        {
            temp[firstNew]=vect[first];
            first++;
        }
        else
        {
            temp[firstNew]=vect[first2];
            first2++;
        }
        firstNew++;
    }
    while(first<=last)
    {
        temp[firstNew]=vect[first];
        first++;
        firstNew++;
    }
    while(first2<=last2)
    {
        temp[firstNew]=vect[first2];
        first2++;
        firstNew++;
    }
    for (int i=low; i<=high; i++)
    {

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    vect[i]=temp[i];  
  }  
}
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initial:  
items[0] = 16  
items[1] = 24  
items[2] = 23  
items[3] = 12  
items[4] = 2  
items[5] = 27  
items[6] = 0  
items[7] = 26  
items[8] = 3  
items[9] = 17  
items[10] = 18  
items[11] = 7  
items[12] = 5  
items[13] = 22  
items[14] = 28  
items[15] = 10  
items[16] = 25  
items[17] = 1  
items[18] = 20  
items[19] = 9  
items[20] = 8  
items[21] = 13  
items[22] = 4  
items[23] = 19  
items[24] = 11  
items[25] = 21  
items[26] = 14  
items[27] = 15  
items[28] = 6  
sorted:  
item[0] = 0  
item[1] = 1  
item[2] = 2  
item[3] = 3  
item[4] = 4  
item[5] = 5  
item[6] = 6  
item[7] = 7  
item[8] = 8  
item[9] = 9  
item[10] = 10  
item[11] = 11  
item[12] = 12  
item[13] = 13
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item[14] = 14
item[15] = 15
item[16] = 16
item[17] = 17
item[18] = 18
item[19] = 19
item[20] = 20
item[21] = 21
item[22] = 22
item[23] = 23
item[24] = 24
item[25] = 25
item[26] = 26
item[27] = 27
item[28] = 28
Time (ms): 20
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