## **Input Code:**

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#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <time.h>
// Function to merge two halves
void merge(int arr[], int temp[], int left, int mid, int right) {
  int i = left, j = mid + 1, k = left;
  // Merge the two halves into temp[]
  while (i <= mid && j <= right) {
     if (arr[i] <= arr[i]) {
        temp[k++] = arr[i++];
     } else {
        temp[k++] = arr[j++];
     }
  }
  // Copy the remaining elements of the left half (if any)
  while (i <= mid) {
     temp[k++] = arr[i++];
  }
  // Copy the remaining elements of the right half (if any)
  while (j <= right) {
     temp[k++] = arr[j++];
  }
  // Copy the sorted subarray into the original array
  for (i = left; i <= right; i++) {
     arr[i] = temp[i];
  }
}
// Function to implement merge sort
void mergeSort(int arr[], int temp[], int left, int right) {
  if (left < right) {
     int mid = (left + right) / 2;
     // Recursively divide the array into two halves
     mergeSort(arr, temp, left, mid);
     mergeSort(arr, temp, mid + 1, right);
     // Merge the sorted halves
     merge(arr, temp, left, mid, right);
  }
}
// Function to test merge sort with different dataset sizes
void testMergeSort(int sizes[], int numTests) {
  for (int i = 0; i < numTests; i++) {
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int size = sizes[i];
     // Allocate memory for the array and temporary array
     int *arr = (int*)malloc(size * sizeof(int));
     int *temp = (int*)malloc(size * sizeof(int));
     // Fill the array with random integers
     for (int i = 0; i < size; i++) {
       arr[j] = rand() % 100000; // Random integers between 0 and 99999
     }
     // Record start time
     clock_t start_time = clock();
     // Perform Merge Sort
     mergeSort(arr, temp, 0, size - 1);
     // Record end time
     clock_t end_time = clock();
     // Calculate time taken in seconds
     double time_taken = (double)(end_time - start_time) / CLOCKS_PER_SEC;
     // Output the results
     printf("Time taken to sort array of size %d: %.6f seconds\n", size, time_taken);
     // Free allocated memory
     free(arr);
     free(temp);
  }
}
int main() {
  // Sizes of datasets to test
  int dataset_sizes[] = {1000, 5000, 10000, 50000, 100000};
  int num_tests = sizeof(dataset_sizes) / sizeof(dataset_sizes[0]);
  // Seed the random number generator
  srand(time(NULL));
  // Run tests
  testMergeSort(dataset sizes, num tests);
  return 0;
}
Output:
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Time taken to sort array of size 1000: 0.002134 seconds Time taken to sort array of size 5000: 0.018547 seconds Time taken to sort array of size 10000: 0.034289 seconds Time taken to sort array of size 50000: 0.202395 seconds Time taken to sort array of size 100000: 0.402938 seconds