

2D Bin packing testing

- We used NFDH (Next-fit-decreasing-height) as our packing algorithm

* Items $1, \dots, n$ labeled in order

* normal \Rightarrow width of the 2D bin

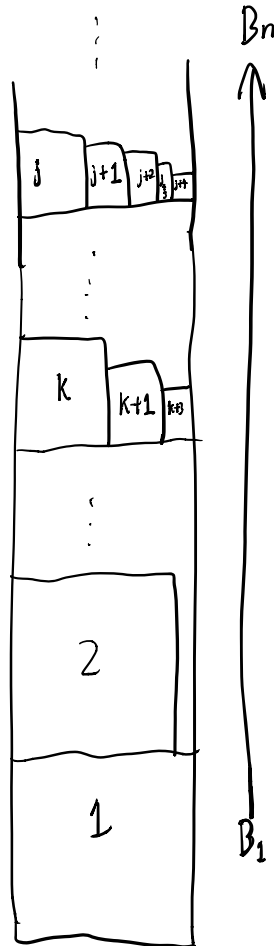
Random case;

- All elements have random height and random width

NFDH Cases; (For representation only; this is the approximation we make)

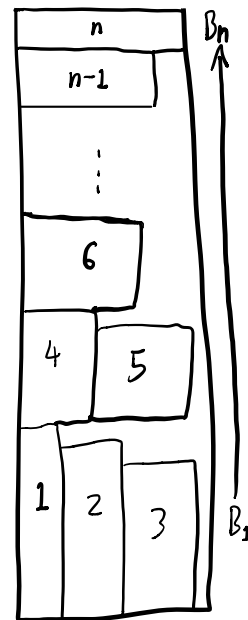
- Diagonal Case;

- Largest to smallest
- Height \Rightarrow Width for all items



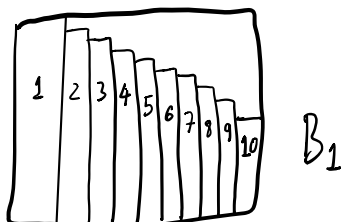
- Mismatched diagonal case

- Really long but short to really tall but skinny
- width of item = width of bin - height of item
- No items of length or height 0



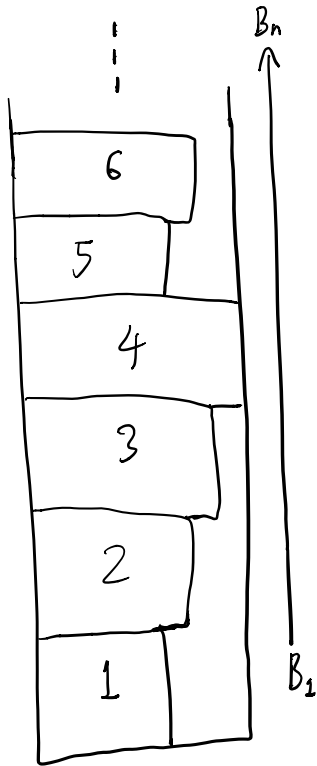
- Best case (normal ≈ 10 , size ≈ 10)

- All items can fit together in the same box.



- Worst Case; (normal=10, size=10000)

- Max # of items, no items can fit together in the same box



Optimal cases; (These are the ideal results; Our algorithms may not quite achieve this)

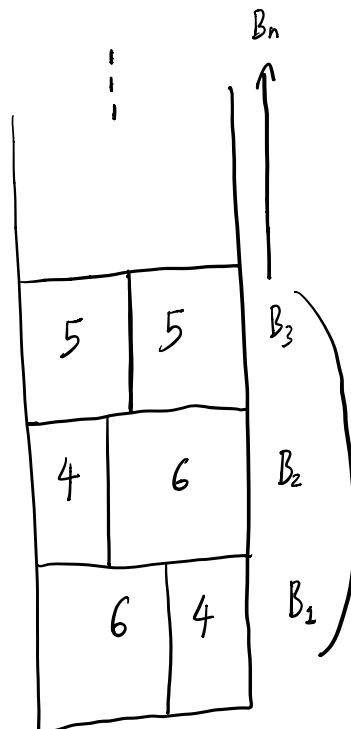
- All-Pairs case (normal=10)

- Width of each item is $4 \leq s_i \leq 6$, s.t. only 2 items will ever fit in one bin

- Fixed height=20

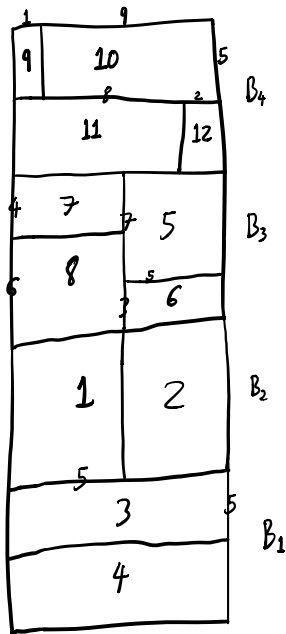
- $1/3$ of items are length 4, $1/3$ are length 6, rest $(1/3)+1$ are length 5

- Optimal solution should have no gaps



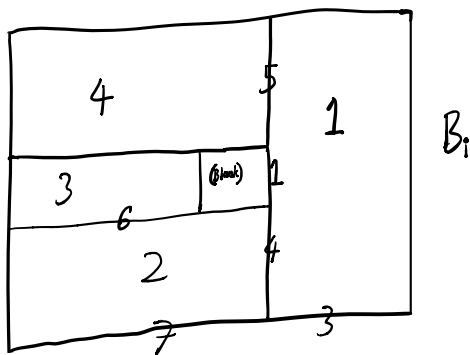
In an optimal solution, every bin should look like one of these

- Filled boxes, no gaps (Assume normal = 10)



- Every bin should look like one of these in an optimal case
- Width of every bin is 10

- Filled boxes with small gaps (normal = 10)



- Middle square "box" is blank whitespace
- Every bin should look like this in an optimal case
- Width of every bin is 10

- Trivial Case:

- All items are the exact width and height of 1 bin
- No whitespace; Items should fit perfectly in bins

