P6

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a)

- Sort the set of points P along x-axis into a BST, P. Use x as a key and y as a value. — $O(n \log n)$ with merge sort.

- initialize 'layers' a 2D list
- While P is not empty:
  - start from rightmost in P
    - it is sorted and keyed by x so can be reached O(1).
  - Add to layer
  - save y-value as max_y
  - For point in P:
    - If $point_y > max_y$:
      - add point y to layer ← O(1)
      - pop point from P ← O(log n)

Complexity:

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- Each point is visited only once because they are removed when visited.

- Delete on every traversal $O(n \cdot \log(n))$
- Add to list on every traversal $O(n)$

$O(n \log n + n \log n + n)$

$O(2n \log n)$

$\underline{O(n \log n)}$

b)