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Brute Force

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Brute force is a straightforward approach to solving a problem usually directly based on the problem statement and definition of the concepts involved.

i] Selection Sort

Algorithm Selection Sort ( $A[0 \dots n-1]$ )

// Sorts a given array by selection sort

// Input: An array  $A[0 \dots n-1]$  of orderable elements

// Output: Array  $A[0 \dots n-1]$  sorting in ascending order

for  $i \leftarrow 0$  to  $n-2$  do

$\min \leftarrow i$

for  $j \leftarrow i+1$  to  $n-1$  do

if  $A[j] < A[\min]$   $\min \leftarrow j$

swap  $A[i]$  and  $A[\min]$

Analysis

Input size:  $n$

Basic operation:  $A[j] < A[\min]$

$$\begin{aligned}
 C(n) &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \sum_{j=i+1}^{n-1} 1 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} [(n-1) - (i+1) + 1] \\
 &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} (n-1-i)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$f(n) = \underbrace{\sum_{i=0}^{n-2}}_{\text{constant}}$$

$$= \frac{(n-1)n}{2}$$

$$\therefore C(n) = \Theta(n^2)$$

## 2) Bubble Sort

Algorithm BubbleSort ( $A[0 \dots n-1]$ )

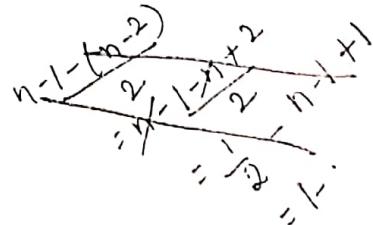
// Sorts a given array by bubble sort  
 // Input: An array  $A[0 \dots n-1]$  of orderable elements  
 // Output: Array  $A[0 \dots n-1]$  sorted in ascending order

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for i ← 0 to n-2 do
    for j ← 0 to n-2-i do
        if  $A[j+1] < A[j]$  swap  $A[j]$  and  $A[j+1]$ 
    
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$$\begin{aligned}
 C(n) &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} \sum_{j=0}^{n-2-i} 1 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} [(n-2-i)-0+1] \\
 &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-2} (n-1-i) = \frac{(n-1)n}{2} \in \Theta(n^2)
 \end{aligned}$$

OR



Algorithm BubbleSort ( $a[], n$ )

Purpose:- Arrange the numbers in ascending order.

Input:- An array  $A[0 \dots n-1]$  of orderable elements

Output:- Array  $A[0 \dots n-1]$  sorted in ascending order.

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for j ← 1 to n-1 do
    for i ← 0 to n-j-1 do
        if ( $a[i] > a[i+1]$ )
    
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temp = a[i]
a[i] = a[i+1]
a[i+1] = temp
end if
end for
end for

```

Input parameter =  $n$   
 Basic operation =  $a[i] \geq a[i+1]$

$$\begin{aligned}
 C(n) &= \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \sum_{i=0}^{n-j-1} 1 \\
 &= \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} n-j-1-0+1 = \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} n-j = (n-1)+(n-2) \\
 &\quad + \dots + 3 \\
 &= \frac{n(n-1)}{2} = \frac{n^2-n}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$C(n) \in \Theta(n^2)$$

### Sequential Search

#### Algorithm      Sequential Search

// Implements sequential search with a search  
 Key ~~as a sentinel~~.

// Input: An array A of n elements and a  
 search key K.

// Output: The index of the first element in A[0..n-1]

whose value is equal to K or -1 if no such element is found.

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A[n] ← K // Insert search key at end of the list  
i ← 0  
while A[i] ≠ K do  
    i ← i + 1  
if i < n return i // Search successful  
else return -1 // Search unsuccessful because item  
// found in nth position
```

Time efficiency =  $O(n)$  in worst case.

### Brute force String Matching

Definition:- Given a string called text with  $n$  characters and another string called pattern with  $m$  characters where  $m \leq n$ . It is required to search for the string pattern in the string text. If the search is successful return the position of the first occurrence of pattern string in the text string. Otherwise return -1

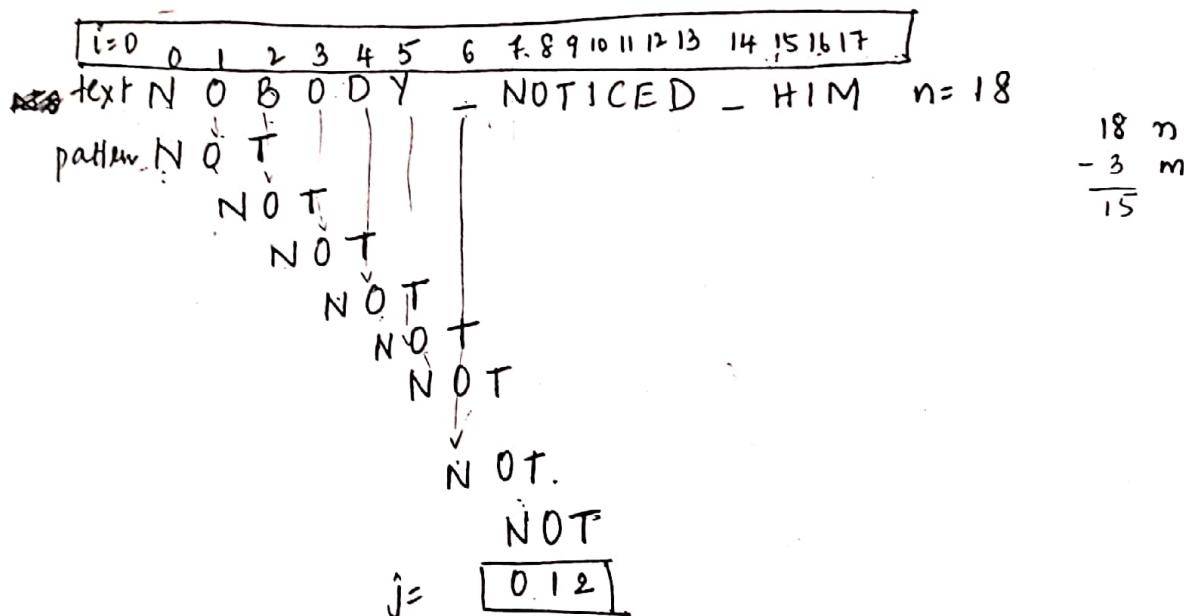
Algorithm      Brute Force String Match ( $T[0..n-1]$ ,  $P[0..m-1]$ )

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// Implements brute-force string matching
// Input: An array T[0..n-1] of n characters representing a text
//        an array P[0..m-1] of m characters representing a pattern
// Output: The index of the first character in the text
//         that starts a matching substring or -1 if the
//         search is unsuccessful.
```

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for i ← 0 to n-m do
    j ← 0
    while j < m and P[j] = T[i+j] do
        j ← j + 1
    end while
    if j = m return i
end for
return -1

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text [7] with pattern [0]

text [8] with pattern [1]

text [9] with pattern [2]

ie `text[7+0]` - path

text[ $\neq + 1$ ] - path

text[+1] - path

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where  $j \leq 2$

$j < 3$

$j \leq m$  ( $m = 3$  is length of pattern string)

Sliding the pattern string towards right is nothing but incrementing the index  $i$  of text string by 1.

### Best case analysis

The best case occurs if the pattern string to be searched is present in the beginning of the text string.  
If  $m$  is the length of the pattern string, the no. of comparisons required is  $m$ .

$$\therefore f(n) = \mathcal{O}(m)$$

### Worst case analysis

If the pattern string is present at the end of the text string or if the pattern string is not present in the text string.

Step 1:- Parameters are  $m$  &  $n$

Step 2:- Basic operation = pattern  $[j] = \text{text}[i+j]$ .

$$f(n) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-m} \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} 1$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{n-m} m - 1 - 0 + 1$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{n-m} m = m \sum_{i=0}^{n-m} 1 = m(m-m+1)$$

$$= \mathcal{O}(mn) = mn - m^2 + m$$

## Exhaustive Search

The brute-force approach used to solve combinational problems is called exhaustive search. The solution to the combinational problems consumes too much time. This searching technique generates all the possible solutions by ~~not~~ satisfying the constraints given in the problem. Finally the desired solution which maximizes the profit is selected.

The goal of exhaustive search method is to search all possible solutions and obtain an optimal solution.

- 1) Travelling Salesman Problem
- 2) Knapsack Problem
- 3) Assignment Problem

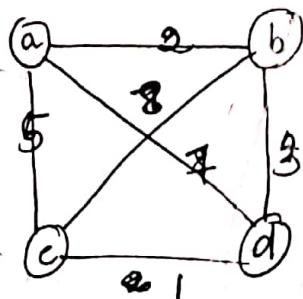
### 1) Travelling Salesman Problem

Given  $n$  cities, a salesperson starts at a specified city and visits all  $n-1$  cities only once and returns to the city from where he has started. The objective of this problem is to find a route through the cities that minimizes the cost.

- vertices represent various cities
- weights associated with edges represent distance between two cities

The problem can be stated as the problem of finding the shortest Hamiltonian circuit.

Hamiltonian circuit is defined as a cycle that passes through all the vertices of the graph exactly once.



### Tours

$$a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c \rightarrow d \rightarrow a$$

$$a \rightarrow b \rightarrow d \rightarrow c \rightarrow a$$

$$a \rightarrow c \rightarrow b \rightarrow d \rightarrow a$$

$$a \rightarrow c \rightarrow d \rightarrow b \rightarrow a$$

$$a \rightarrow d \rightarrow b \rightarrow c \rightarrow a$$

$$a \rightarrow d \rightarrow c \rightarrow b \rightarrow a$$

### length

$$l = 2 + 8 + 1 + 7 = 18$$

$$l = 2 + 3 + 1 + 5 = 11 \text{ optimal}$$

$$l = 5 + 8 + 3 + 7 = 23$$

$$l = 5 + 1 + 3 + 2 = 11 \text{ optimal}$$

$$l = 7 + 3 + 8 + 5 = 23$$

$$l = 7 + 1 + 8 + 2 = 18.$$

### Analysis

Let us see the various routes (permutations) that can be used by a traveling salesperson when he visits each & every city exactly once and returns back to the city from where he started.

Let us find out the possible routes taken by the salesperson by assuming he has started from city a.

Let  $n$  denote no. of cities to visit

When  $n=2$ ,  $a \rightarrow b \rightarrow a$ , no. of routes = 1 [ie  $(2-1)!$ ]

When  $n=3$ ,  $a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c \rightarrow a$   
 $a \rightarrow c \rightarrow b \rightarrow a$ , no. of routes = 2 [ie  $(3-1)$ ]

When  $n=4$ ,  $a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c \rightarrow d \rightarrow a$   
 $a \rightarrow b \rightarrow d \rightarrow c \rightarrow a$   
 $a \rightarrow c \rightarrow b \rightarrow d \rightarrow a$   
 $a \rightarrow c \rightarrow d \rightarrow b \rightarrow a$   
 $a \rightarrow d \rightarrow c \rightarrow b \rightarrow a$   
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$\left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} 6 \text{ routes} = (4-1)!$

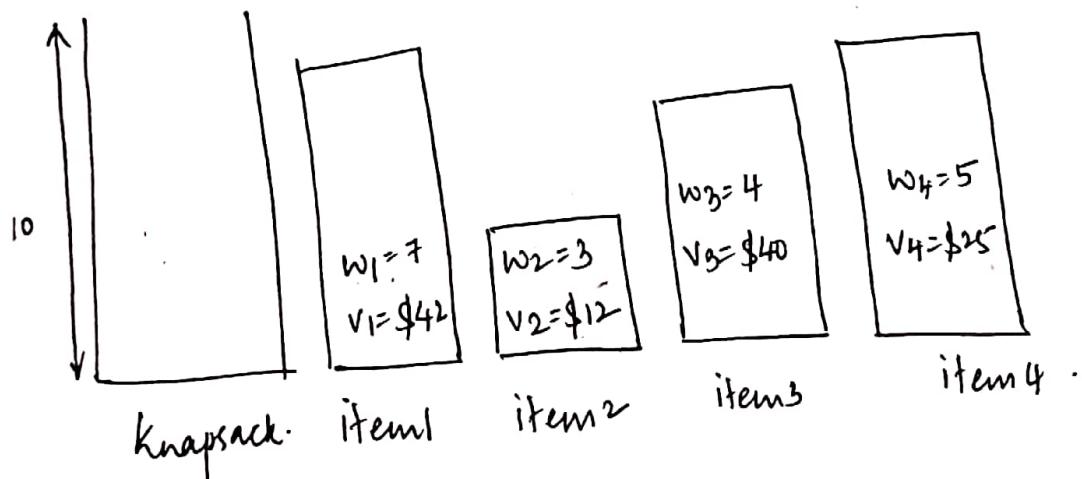
$$\therefore f(n) = (n-1)!$$

$\therefore$  Time complexity is  $f(n) \in O(n!)$

## Knapsack Problem

Given  $n$  items of known weights  $w_1, \dots, w_n$  and values  $v_1, \dots, v_n$  and a knapsack of capacity  $W$ , find the most valuable subset of the items that fit into the knapsack.

- The exhaustive-search approach to this problem leads to generating all the subsets of the set of  $n$  items given, computing the total weight of each subset to identify feasible subsets (ie ones with the total weight not exceeding the knapsack capacity) and finding a subset of the highest value among them.



Subset	Total weight	Total value
$\emptyset$	0	\$0
$\{1\}$	7	\$42
$\{2\}$	3	\$12
$\{3\}$	4	\$40
$\{4\}$	5	\$25
$\{1, 2\}$	10	\$54
$\{1, 3\}$	11	not feasible
$\{1, 4\}$	12	not feasible
$\{2, 3\}$	7	\$52
$\{2, 4\}$	8	\$37
$\{3, 4\}$	9	\$65
$\{1, 2, 3\}$	14	not feasible
$\{1, 2, 4\}$	15	not feasible
$\{1, 3, 4\}$	16	not feasible
$\{2, 3, 4\}$	12	not feasible
$\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$	19	not feasible

Efficiency  
 $\Omega(2^n)$

### Assignment Problem

There are  $n$  people who need to be assigned to execute  $n$  jobs, one person per job. The cost that would accrue if the  $i$ th person is assigned to the  $j$ th job is known as  $c[i, j]$  for each pair  $i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ . The problem is to find an assignment with the minimum total cost.

g1

	Job1	Job2	Job3	Job4
Person1	9	2	7	8
Person2	6	4	3	7
Person3	5	8	1	8
Person4	7	6	9	4

g2

	Job1	Job2	Job3	Job4
Person1	10	3	8	9
Person2	7	5	4	8
Person3	6	9	2	7
Person4	8	7	10	5

$$\langle 1, 2, 3, 4 \rangle \text{ Cost} = 10 + 5 + 2 + 5 = 22$$

$$\langle 1, 2, 4, 3 \rangle \text{ Cost} = 10 + 5 + 9 + 10 = 34$$

$$\langle 1, 3, 2, 4 \rangle \text{ Cost} = 10 + 4 + 9 + 5 = 28$$

$$\langle 1, 3, 4, 2 \rangle \text{ Cost} = 10 + 4 + 9 + 7 = 30$$

$$\langle 1, 4, 2, 3 \rangle \text{ Cost} = 10 + 8 + 9 + 10 = 37$$

$$\langle 1, 4, 3, 2 \rangle \text{ Cost} = 10 + 8 + 2 + 7 = 27$$

$$\langle 2, 1, 3, 4 \rangle = 17$$

$$\langle 2, 1, 4, 3 \rangle = 29$$

$$\langle 2, 3, 1, 4 \rangle = 19$$

$$\langle 2, 3, 4, 1 \rangle = 25$$

$$\langle 2, 4, 1, 3 \rangle = 27$$

$$\langle 2, 4, 3, 1 \rangle = 21$$

$$\langle 3, 1, 2, 4 \rangle = 29$$

$$\langle 3, 1, 4, 2 \rangle = 31$$

$$\langle 3, 2, 1, 4 \rangle = 24$$

$$\langle 3, 2, 4, 1 \rangle = 30$$

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$$\langle 3, 4, 2, 1 \rangle = 33$$

$$\langle 4, 1, 2, 3 \rangle = 35$$

$$\langle 4, 1, 3, 2 \rangle = 25$$

$$\langle 4, 2, 1, 3 \rangle = 30$$

$$\langle 4, 2, 3, 1 \rangle = 24$$

$$\langle 4, 3, 1, 2 \rangle = 26$$

$$\langle 4, 3, 2, 1 \rangle = 30$$

The solution that takes least cost is,

$$\langle 2, 1, 3, 4 \rangle = 3 + 7 + 2 + 5 = 17.$$

Analysis The total no. of feasible solutions for  $n=4$   
will be  $2^4$  which is  $4!$

$$\therefore f(n) \in O(n!)$$

## Depth-first Search

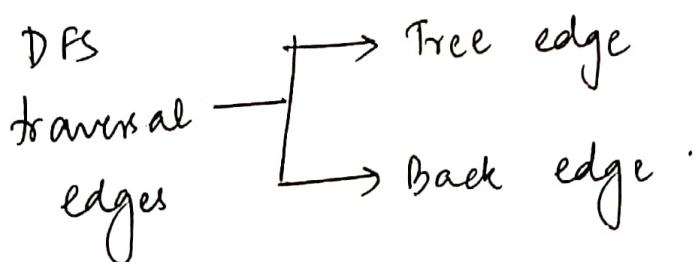
- Depth-first search starts visiting vertices of a graph at an arbitrary vertex by marking it as having been visited.
- On each iteration, the unvisited vertex that is currently in. (If there are several such vertices a tie can be resolved arbitrarily.) algorithm proceeds to an adjacent to the one it is
- The process continues until a dead end - a vertex with no adjacent unvisited vertices - is encountered.
- At a dead end, the algorithm backs up one edge to the vertex it came from and tries to continue visiting unvisited vertices from there.
- The algorithm eventually halts after backing up to the starting vertex, with the latter being a

- By then all vertices have been visited
- If unvisited vertex still remains, the depth-first search must be restarted at any one of them.

### Data structure used

We use stack to trace the operation of DFS.

- 1) we push a vertex onto the stack when the vertex is reached for the first time.
- 2) we pop a vertex off the stack when it becomes a dead end.



- 1] During traversal when a new unvisited vertex say  $v$  is reached from the first link from current vertex say  $u$ , then the edge  $(u, v)$  is called a tree edge. (represented by solid lines)
- 2] During traversal when an already visited vertex say  $v$  is reached from the current vertex  $u$  and if  $v$  is not the immediate

predecessor of  $u$ , then edge  $(u, v)$  is called back edge  
(represented by dotted line)

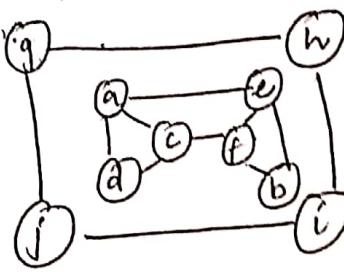
### Algorithm DPS(G)

// Implement a depth-first search traversal of given graph  
// Input: Graph  $G = \langle V, E \rangle$   
// Output: Graph  $G$  with its vertices marked with  
// consecutive integers ~~in~~ in the order they're been  
// first encountered by the DFS traversal. ~~marked~~  
mark each vertex in  $V$  with 0 as a mark  
of being "unvisited"  
Count  $\leftarrow 0$

for each vertex  $v$  in  $V$  do  
    if  $v$  is marked with 0  
        dfs( $v$ )

### dfs( $v$ )

// visits recursively all the unvisited vertices connected  
// to vertex  $v$  by a path and numbers them in  
// the order they are encountered via global variable  
// count.  
count  $\leftarrow$  count + 1; mark  $v$  with count  
for each vertex  $w$  in  $V$  adjacent to  $v$  do  
    if  $w$  is marked with 0  
        dfs( $w$ ).



Stack	$v = \text{adj}(s[\text{top}])$	Nodes visited $s$	pop(stack)	O/P
$a_1$	-	a	-	
$a_1$	c	a, c	-	a - c
$a_1, c_2$	d	a, c, d	-	c - d
$a_1, c_2, d_3$	-	a, c, d	$d_3, 1$	-
$a_1, c_2, f_4$	f	a, c, d, f	-	c - f
$a_1, c_2, f_4, b_5$	b	a, c, d, f, b	-	f - b
$a_1, c_2, f_4, b_5, e_6$	e	a, b, c, d, e, f	$e_6, 2$	b - e
$a_1, c_2, f_4, b_5$	-	a, b, c, d, e, f	$b_5, 3$	-
$a_1, c_2, f_4,$	-	a, b, c, d, e, f	$f_4, 4$	-
$a_1, c_2$	-	a, b, c, d, e, f	$c_2, 5$	-
$a_1$	-	a, b, c, d, e, f	$a_1, 6$	-
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Stack empty. So take next vertex which is not marked.				
$g_f$	h	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h	-	g - h
$g_f, h_8$	i	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i	-	h - i
$g_f, h_8, i_9$	j	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j	-	i - j
$g_f, h_8, i_9, j_{10}$	-	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j	$j_{10}, f$	-
$g_f, h_8, i_9$	-	"	$i_9, 8$	-
$g_f, h_8$	-	"	$h_8, 9$	-
$g_f$	-	"	$g_f, 10$	-

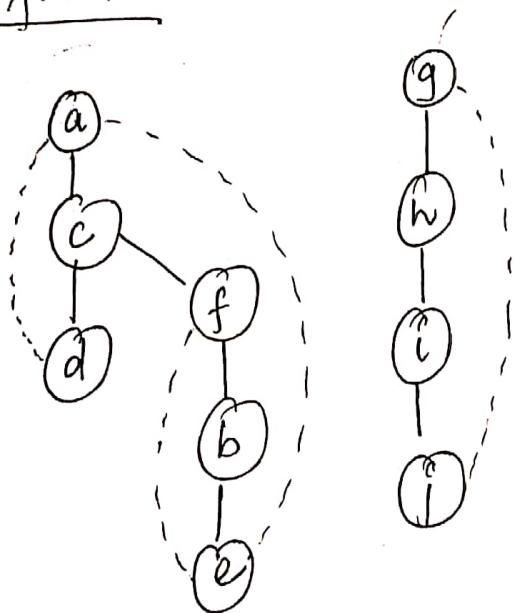
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## Traversal Stack

	e <sub>6,2</sub>	
	b <sub>5,3</sub>	f <sub>4,4</sub>
d <sub>3,1</sub>		j <sub>10,7</sub>
c <sub>2,5</sub>		i <sub>9,8</sub>
a <sub>1,6</sub>		h <sub>8,9</sub>
		g <sub>7,10</sub>

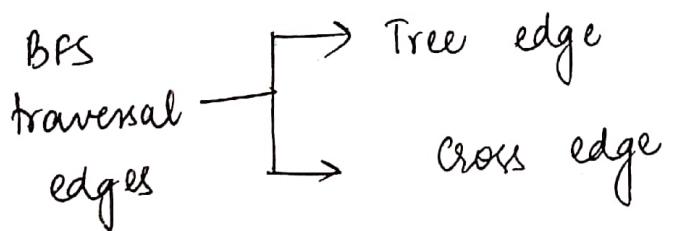
In traversal stack, the first subscript number indicates the order in which a vertex was visited ie pushed onto the stack; the second one indicates the order in which it became a dead-end ie popped off the stack.

## DPS forest



## BFS (Breadth First Search)

The Breadth First Search proceeds in a concentric manner by visiting first all the vertices that are adjacent to a starting vertex, then all unvisited ~~two~~ vertices two edges apart from it and so on, until all the vertices in the same connected component as the starting vertex are visited. If there are still remain unvisited vertices, the algorithm has to be restarted at an arbitrary vertex of another connected component of the graph.



### Tree edge :-

During traversal when a new unvisited vertex say  $v$  is reached for the first time from a current vertex say  $u$ , then edge  $(u, v)$  is called a tree edge. In the tree edge  $(u, v)$  the vertex  $u$  is the parent and vertex  $v$  is the child. The edges are represented using solid lines.

### Cross edge

During traversal when an already visited vertex say  $v$  is reached from current vertex  $u$  and if  $v$  is not the immediate predecessor of  $u$ , then edge  $(u,v)$  is called cross edge represented by dotted line.

### Definitions

Tree edge :- whenever a new unvisited vertex is reached for the first time, the vertex is attached as a child to the vertex it is being reached from with an edge called tree edge

### Cross edge

If an edge leading to a previously visited vertex other than its immediate predecessor (ie its parent in the tree) is encountered the edge is noted as a cross edge

## Data Structure

- The queue which provides first in first out property is very useful in traversing the graph in BFS.
- When a vertex is reached for the first time, it is inserted into rear end of queue.  
When we get a dead end (ie the vertex is already explored), we delete a vertex from front of queue.
- The BFS yields only one ordering of vertices i.e. the order in which the vertices are inserted into queue is same as the order in which the vertices are deleted from queue.

### Algorithm BFS(G)

```
// Implements a breadth-first search traversal  
// of a given graph  
// Input: Graph G = <V, E>  
// Output: Graph G, with its vertices marked with  
// consecutive integers in the order they have  
// been visited by BFS traversal  
// mark each vertex in V with 0 as a mark  
// of being "unvisited"
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for each vertex  $v$  in  $V$  do

    if  $v$  is marked with 0

        bfs( $v$ )

bfs( $v$ )

// visits all the unvisited vertices connected to

// vertex  $v$  by a path and assigns them the

// numbers in the order they are visited via

// global variable count

count  $\leftarrow$  count + 1; mark  $v$  with count & initialize  
queue with  $v$

while the queue is not empty do

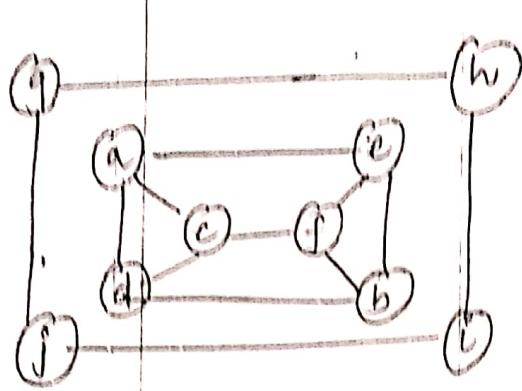
    for each vertex  $w$  in  $V$  adjacent to front vertex

        if  $w$  is marked with 0

            count  $\leftarrow$  count + 1; mark  $w$  with count

            add  $w$  to the queue

    remove the front vertex from the queue



Soln:

Insert source vertex  $a$  into  $Q$  and add a to  $S$  as shown in Table.

	$u = \text{def}(Q)$	$V = \text{adj to } u$	Node visited $S$	$Q$	$O/P T(u,v)$
Stage 1	$a$	$c, d, e$	$a, c, d, e$	$c, d, e$	$a-c$ $a-d$ $a-e$
Stage 2	$c$	$f$	$a, c, d, e, f$	$d, e, f$	$c-f$
Stage 3	$d$	-	$a, c, d, e, f$	$e, f$	-
Stage 4	$e$	$b$	$a, b, c, d, e, f$	$f, b$	$e-b$
Stage 5	$f$	-	$a, b, c, d, e, f$	$b$	-
Stage 6	$b$	-	$a, b, c, d, e, f$	-	-
Note: Now queue is empty. But there are some vertices that are not visited.					

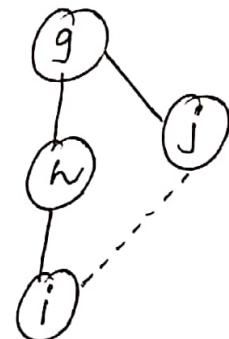
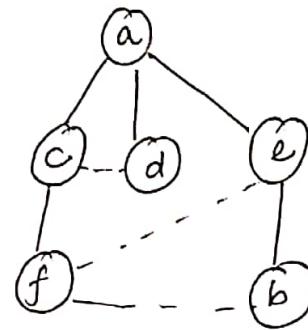
Initial  
step

-	-	a, b, c, d, e, f, g	g	-
g	h, j	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, j	h, j	g-h g-j
w	i	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j	j, i	h-i
j	-	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j	i	-
i	-	a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j	-	-

ordering

a, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, b

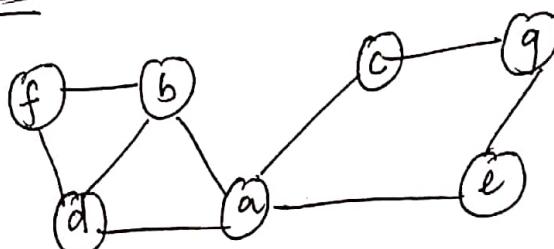
g ≠ h & j ≠ i, o



	DPS	BFS
Data Structure	stack	queue
No. of vertex orderings	2 orderings	1 ordering
edge types (undirected graphs)	tree & back edges	tree and cross edges
Application	connectivity, acyclicity, articulation points	minimum-edge paths, connectivity, acyclicity
Efficiency for adjacent matrix	$\Theta( V ^2)$	$\Theta( V^2 )$
efficiency for adjacent lists	$\Theta( V  +  E )$	$\Theta( V  +  E )$

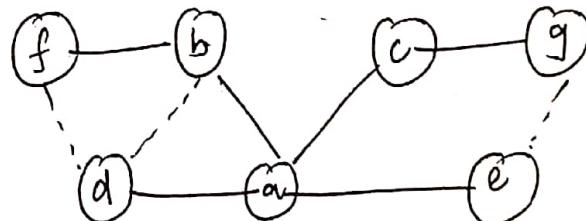
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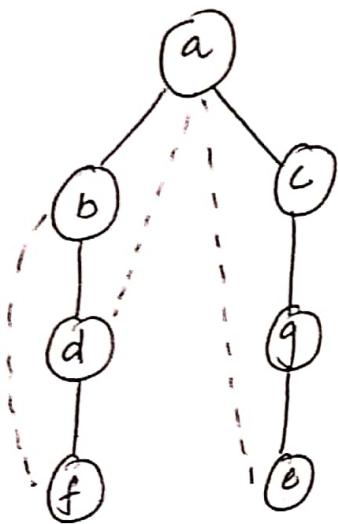
ordering

a<sub>1</sub>, b<sub>2</sub>, c<sub>3</sub>, d<sub>4</sub>, e<sub>5</sub>, f<sub>6</sub>, g<sub>7</sub>.



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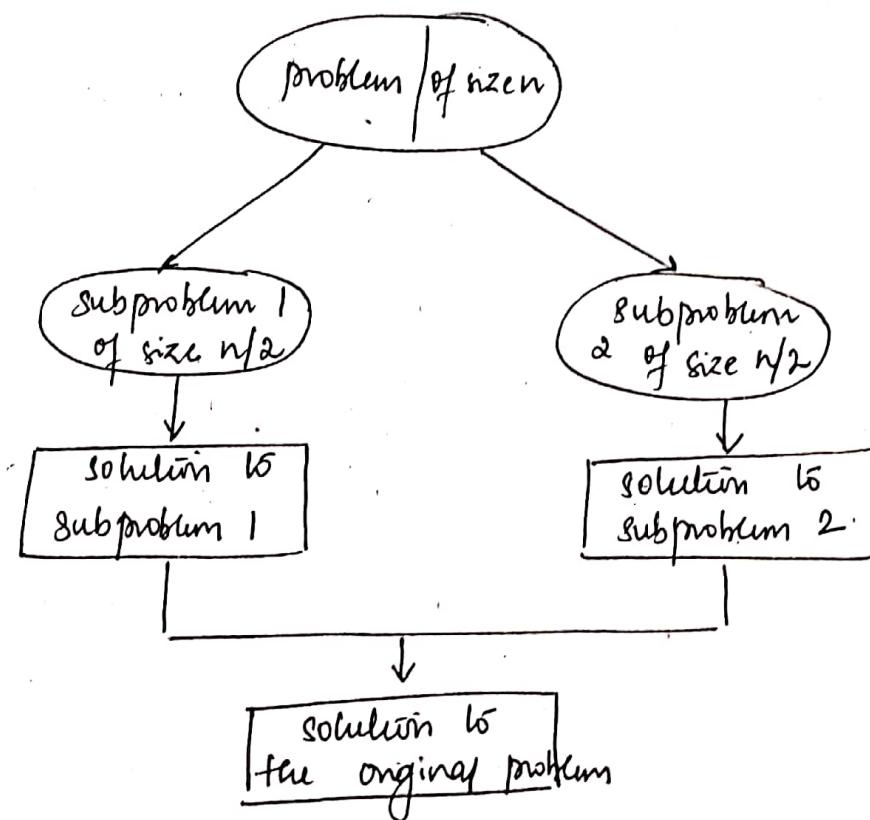
$f_{4,1}$        $e_{7,4}$   
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 $a_{1,7}$



## Divide & Conquer

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Divide and conquer is a top-down technique for designing algorithms that consist of dividing the problem into smaller sub problems. The solution of all smaller problems are then combined to get a solution for the original problem.



In most typical case of divide-and-conquer a problem instance of size  $n$  is divided into two instances of size  $n/2$ . More generally, an instance of size  $n$  can be divided into  $b$  instances of size  $n/b$ , with  $a$  of them needing to be solved. (Here  $a$  and  $b$  are constants;  $a \geq 1$  and  $b > 1$ )

## Master theorem

The generalized relation for divide & conquer method  
is :-

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

and the time complexities can be obtained  
using following relations :-

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} \Theta(n^d) & \text{if } a < b^d \\ \Theta(n^d \log n) & \text{if } a = b^d \\ \Theta(n \log_b a) & \text{if } a > b^d \end{cases} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

for sum of  $n$  numbers, recurrence relation is,

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n=1 \\ T(n/2) + T(n/2) + 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} n^d &= n^d = 1 = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n=1 \\ 2T(n/2) + 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \\ &\therefore T(n) = 2T(n/2) + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{where } a &= 2, \quad b = 2 \quad \& f(n) = 1 = \frac{n^0}{n^d} \\ &\therefore d = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{since } a &> b^d \quad \therefore T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a}) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 2}) \\ &= \Theta(n) \end{aligned}$$

## Mergesort

Mergesort sorts a given array  $A[0..n-1]$  by dividing it into two halves  $A[0.. \lfloor n/2 \rfloor - 1]$  and  $A[\lceil n/2 \rceil .. n-1]$  sorting each of them recursively and then merging the two smaller sorted arrays into a single sorted one.

### Algorithm Mergesort ( $A[0..n-1]$ )

// Sorts array  $A[0..n-1]$  by recursive mergesort  
// Input: An array  $A[0..n-1]$  of orderable elements  
// Output: Array  $A[0..n-1]$  sorted in nondecreasing  
// order.

if  $n > 1$

    copy  $A[0.. \lfloor n/2 \rfloor - 1]$  to  $B[0.. \lfloor n/2 \rfloor - 1]$   
    copy  $A[\lceil n/2 \rceil .. n-1]$  to  $C[0.. \lceil n/2 \rceil - 1]$

Mergesort ( $B[0.. \lfloor n/2 \rfloor - 1]$ )

Mergesort ( $C[0.. \lceil n/2 \rceil - 1]$ )

Merge ( $B, C, A$ )

### Algorithm Merge ( $B[0..p-1], C[0..q-1], A[0..p+q-1]$ )

// Merges two sorted arrays into one sorted array

// Input: Arrays  $B[0..p-1]$  and  $C[0..q-1]$  both sorted  
// Output: Sorted array  $A[0..p+q-1]$  of the elements

$i \leftarrow 0; j \leftarrow 0; k \leftarrow 0$

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while i < p and j < q do
    if B[i] ≤ C[j]
        A[k] ← B[i]; i ← i + 1
    else A[k] ← C[j]; j ← j + 1
    k ← k + 1

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if i = p
    copy C[j...q-1] to A[k...p+q-1]
else copy B[i...p-1] to A[k...p+q-1]

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### Analysis

The recurrence relation for no. of key comparisons

$C(n)$  is:-

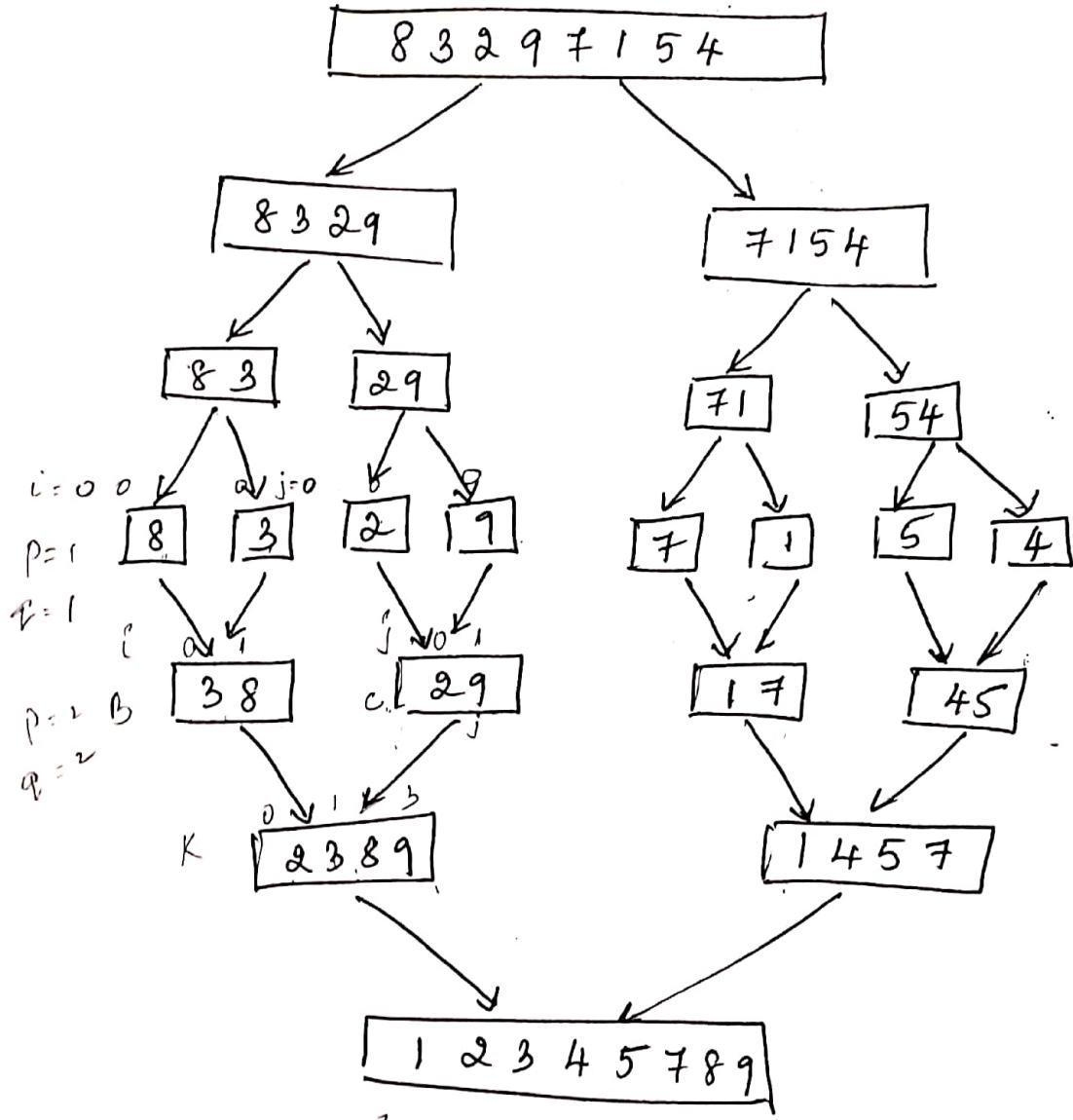
$$C(n) = 2C(n/2) + C_{\text{merge}}(n) \quad \text{for } n > 1 \quad C(1) = 0$$

~~$$C(n) = C(n/2) + C(n/2) + C_{\text{merge}}(n) \quad \text{for } n > 1 \quad C(1) = 0$$~~

Time required to sort left part of the array

Time required to sort right part of the array.

$C_{\text{merge}}(n)$ , the no. of key comparisons performed during the merging stage.



At each step, exactly one comparison is made, after which total no. of elements in the two arrays still needed to be processed is reduced by one.

$$\therefore C_{\text{merge}}(n) = n - 1$$

$$C_{\text{worst}}(n) = 2C_{\text{worst}}(n/2) + n - 1 \quad \text{for } n > 1$$

$$C_{\text{worst}}(1) = 0.$$

$$a = 2, b = 2, f(n) = \frac{n}{n^d} \\ \therefore d = 1, \underline{\underline{a = b^d}}$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^d \log_b n)$$

$$= \Theta(n^1 \log_2 n)$$

$$\boxed{T(n) = \Theta(n \log_2 n)}$$

## Quicksort

- Quicksort is another important sorting algorithm that is based on divide and conquer approach. Unlike mergesort which divides its input's elements according to their position in the array, quicksort divides them according to their value.
- It rearranges elements of a given array  $A[0..n-1]$  to achieve its partition, a situation where all elements before some position  $s$  are smaller than or equal to  $A[s]$  and all the elements after position  $s$  are greater than or equal to  $A[s]$

$$\underbrace{A[0] \dots A[s-1]}_{\text{all are } \leq A[s]} \quad A[s] \quad \underbrace{A[s+1] \dots A[n-1]}_{\text{all are } \geq A[s]}$$

- After partition has been achieved  $A[s]$  will be in its final position in the sorted array and we can continue sorting the two subarrays of the elements preceding & following  $A[s]$  independently.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc} & \cdot & - & \circ & \cdot & + & & & \\ \hline (5) & 3 & 1 & 9 & 8 & 2 & 4 & 7 & \\ \cancel{t} & \cancel{t} & \cancel{t} & \cancel{i} & \cancel{i} & \cancel{j} & \cancel{j} & \cancel{s} & \cancel{s} \end{array}$$

$$(5) \quad 3 \quad 1 \quad 4 \quad 8 \quad 2 \quad 9 \quad 7$$

$\cancel{t} \quad \cancel{i} \quad \cancel{j} \quad \cancel{s}$

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$\cancel{i} \quad \cancel{j}$

$$(2) \quad 3 \quad 1 \quad 4 \quad \underline{\underline{5}} \quad \stackrel{8}{\cancel{5}} \quad \stackrel{9}{\cancel{7}} \quad \stackrel{7}{\cancel{7}}$$

$\cancel{t} \quad \cancel{i} \quad \cancel{j} \quad \cancel{s}$

$$2 \quad 1 \quad 3 \quad 4$$

$\cancel{t} \quad \cancel{j} \quad \cancel{i} \quad \cancel{s}$

$$2 \quad 3 \quad \cancel{1} \quad 4$$

$\cancel{j} \quad \cancel{i}$

$$2 \quad \cancel{1} \quad 3 \quad 4$$

$\cancel{j} \quad \cancel{i}$

$$(1) \quad \underline{\underline{2}} \quad 3 \quad 4$$

$\cancel{t} \quad \cancel{i} \quad \cancel{j}$

$$(8) \quad \stackrel{7}{\cancel{7}} \quad \stackrel{9}{\cancel{9}} \quad \stackrel{7}{\cancel{7}}$$

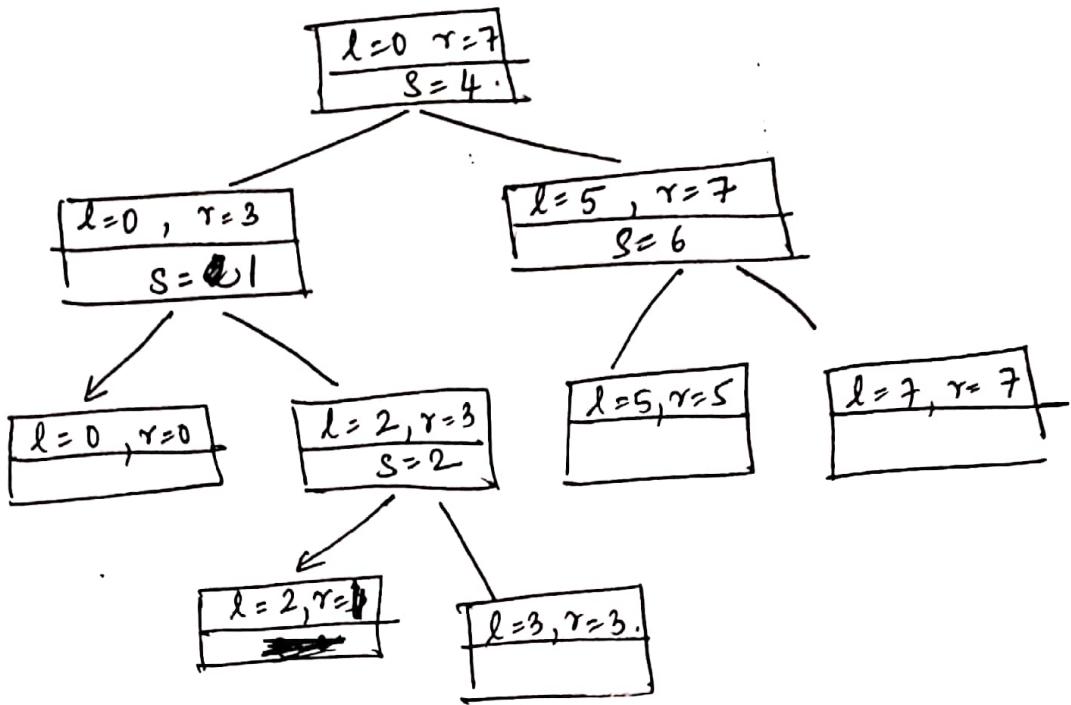
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$$8 \quad \stackrel{9}{\cancel{9}} \quad \stackrel{7}{\cancel{7}} \quad \stackrel{9}{\cancel{9}}$$

$$7 \quad 8 \quad 9$$

$\stackrel{l}{\cancel{t}} \quad \stackrel{r}{\cancel{i}} \quad \stackrel{c}{\cancel{j}} \quad \stackrel{r}{\cancel{s}}$

$l=2, r=1$



Algorithm Quicksort ( $A[l \dots r]$ )

// Sorts a subarray by quicksort

// Input: A subarray  $A[l \dots r]$  of  $A[0 \dots n-1]$ , defined

// by its left and right indices  $l$  and  $r$ .

// Output: Subarray  $A[l \dots r]$  sorted in nondecreasing order

if  $l < r$

$s \leftarrow \text{Partition}(A[l \dots r])$  //  $s$  is a split position

Quicksort ( $A[l \dots s-1]$ )

Quicksort ( $A[s+1 \dots r]$ )

Algorithm Partition ( $A[l \dots r]$ )

// Partition a subarray by using its first element as pivot

// Input: A subarray  $A[l \dots r]$  of  $A[0 \dots n-1]$  defined

// by its left & right indices  $l$  and  $r$  ( $l < r$ )

// Output: A partition of  $A[l \dots r]$  with the split

position returned as this function's value.

$p \leftarrow A[l]$

$i \leftarrow l ; j \leftarrow r+1$

repeat

repeat  $i \leftarrow i+1$  until  $A[i] \geq p$

repeat  $j \leftarrow j-1$  until  $A[j] \leq p$

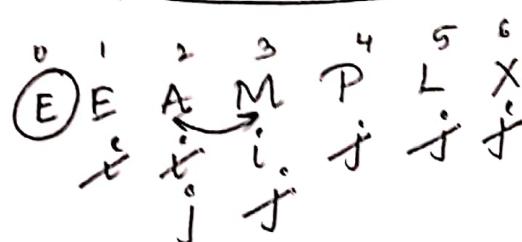
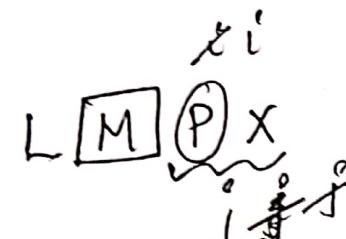
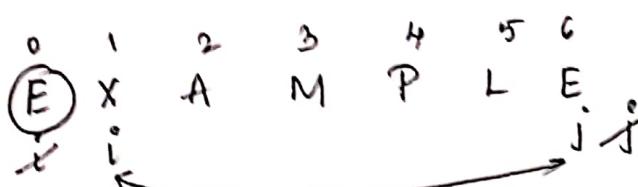
swap ( $A[i]$ ,  $A[j]$ )

until  $i \geq j$

swap ( $A[i]$ ,  $A[j]$ ) // undo last swap when  $i \geq j$

swap ( $A[l]$ ,  $A[j]$ )

return  $j$ .



$L M P X$

(E) E M A P L X  
undo last swap

(E) E A M P L X

(A) E E M P L X

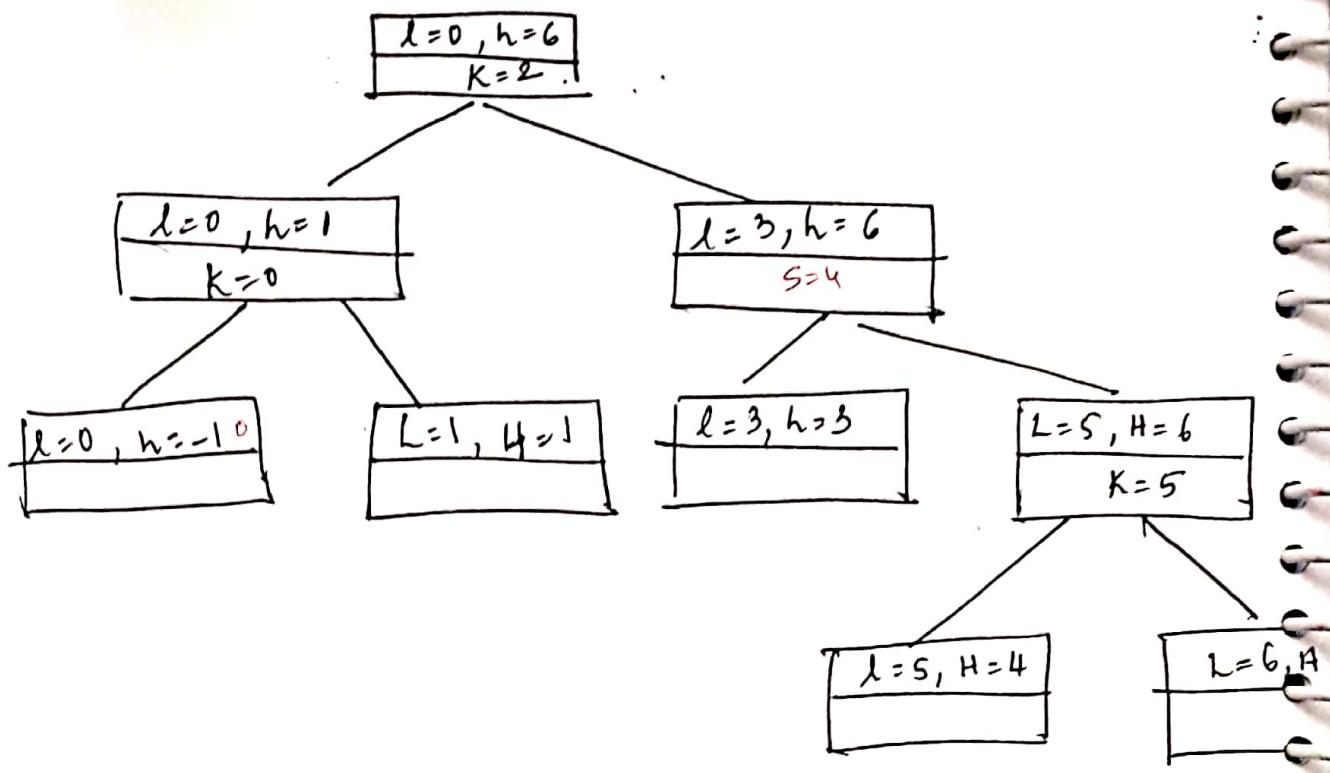
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(A) E L P X

L P X

② 1 3  
i i j f  
j i  
 $i < j$   
1 2 3

$n+1$



### Analysis of Quicksort

#### Best case time efficiency

This case occurs, if the key element is present making at the center dividing the array into two equal parts.

$$\therefore T(n) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n=1 \quad (\text{sorting not required}) \\ T(n/2) + T(n/2) + n & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Time required to sort the left part of the array.

Time required to sort the right part of the array.

Time required to partition n elements.

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n=1 \\ 2T(n/2) + n & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

### Using Master's theorem

$a=2$ ,  $b=2$ , and  $f(n)=n = n^1 = n^d$

$\therefore$  we get  $a=2$ ,  $b^d = 2^1 = 2$

$$\therefore a = b^d$$

$$\boxed{T(n) = \Theta(n^d \log_b n) = \Theta(n^1 \log_2 n)}$$

### worst case efficiency

The worst case occurs when at each invocation of the procedure, the current array is partitioned into two sub arrays with one of them being empty. This situation occurs if all the elements are arranged in ascending order or descending order.

e.g.  $[22, 33, 44, 55]$

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$22 \ 33 \ 44 [55]$

In general if the array has  $n$  elements, after partitioning  $n-1$  elements will be there towards right and 0 elements will be there towards left of the key element.

$\therefore$  The recurrence relation is,

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n=1 \\ T(0) + T(n-1) + n & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore T(n) &= T(0) + T(n-1) + n \\ &= T(n-1) + n \\ &= T(n-2) + (n-1) + n \rightarrow \text{By replacing } n \text{ by } n-1 \\ &= T(n-3) + (n-2) + (n-1) + n \rightarrow \text{By replacing } n-1 \text{ by } n-2 \\ &\quad \cdots \\ &\quad \cdots \\ &= \cancel{T(0)} \quad 0 + 1 + 2 + \dots + (n-2) + (n-1) + n \\ &= \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore T_{\text{worst}}(n) \in \Theta(n^2)$$

Average Case

$$\text{Cavg}(n) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{s=0}^{n-1} (n+1) + \text{Cavg}(s) + \text{Cavg}(n-s)$$

$$\text{Cavg}(0)=0 \quad \& \quad \text{Cavg}(1)=0$$

## Multiplication of Large Integers

Some cryptology and modern applications require manipulation of integers that are over 100 decimal digits long. Since such integers are too long to fit in a single word of a modern computer.

Multiplication of large numbers use divide & conquer technique

e.g. 23 and 14.

$$23 = 2 \times 10^1 + 3 \times 10^0$$

$$14 = 1 \times 10^1 + 4 \times 10^0$$

$$23 \times 14 = (2 \times 10^1 + 3 \times 10^0) * (1 \times 10^1 + 4 \times 10^0)$$

$$= (2 \times 1)10^2 + (2 \times 4 + 3 \times 1)10^1 + (3 \times 4)10^0$$

= 322 → But uses same technique as the pen-and-pencil algorithm.

We can compute the middle term with just one digit multiplication by taking advantage of the products  $2 \times 1$  and  $3 \times 4$  that need to be computed anyway.

$$2 \times 4 + 3 \times 1 = (2+3)*(1+4) - 2 \times 1 - 3 \times 4$$

Thus in general for any pair of two digit integers  $a = a_1a_0$  and  $b = b_1b_0$  their product  $c$  can be computed by the formula.

$$c = a \times b = c_2 10^2 + c_1 10^1 + c_0$$

where

$c_2 = a_1 \times b_1$  is the product of their first digits

$c_0 = a_0 \times b_0$  is the product of their second digits

$c_1 = (a_1 + a_0) * (b_1 + b_0) - (c_2 + c_0)$  is the product of the sum of the a's digits and the sum of the b's digits minus the sum of  $c_2$  &  $c_0$

Consider the following example

$$a = 1234 \quad \text{and} \quad b = 5678$$

we split the given numbers equally into two parts.

$$a_1 = 12 \quad \text{and} \quad a_0 = 34 \quad \text{---} \quad ①$$

$$b_1 = 56 \quad \text{and} \quad b_0 = 78$$

$$\therefore a = 10^2 * a_1 + 10^0 * a_0 \quad \text{---} \quad ②$$

$$a = 10^2 * 12 + 10^0 * 34 = 1234$$

Similarly

$$b = 10^2 * b_1 + 10^0 * b_0 \quad \text{---} \quad ③$$

$$= 10^2 * 56 + 10^0 * 78 = 5678 \quad \text{---}$$

Now the two numbers 1234 & 5678 can be multiplied using ② & ③ as shown below:-

$$a * b = (10^2 a_1 + 10^0 a_0) (10^2 b_1 + 10^0 b_0)$$

$$= 10^4 a_1 b_1 + 10^2 (a_1 b_0 + a_0 b_1) + 10^0 a_0 b_0 \quad \text{--- } ④$$

Substituting the values

$$1234 * 5678 = \underline{\underline{4006652}}$$

In above equation we have four multiplications which has to be reduced to three multiplications.

Let us consider,

$$a_1 b_0 + b_1 a_0 = (a_1 + a_0)(b_1 + b_0) - a_1 b_1 - a_0 b_0 \quad \text{--- } ⑤$$

Substituting ⑤ in ④

$$\therefore a * b = 10^4 a_1 b_1 + 10^2 [(a_1 + a_0)(b_1 + b_0) - a_1 b_1 - a_0 b_0] + 10^0 a_0 b_0$$

$$= 10^4 a_1 b_1 + 10^2 [(a_1 + a_0)(b_1 + b_0) - a_1 b_1 - a_0 b_0] + a_0 b_0 \quad \text{--- } ⑥$$

In above equation we have three multiplication

$$\rightarrow a_1 b_1$$

$$\rightarrow a_0 b_0$$

$$\rightarrow (a_1 + a_0)(b_1 + b_0)$$

In general

$$a * b = (a_1 10^{n/2} + a_0) (b_1 10^{n/2} + b_0)$$

$$= (a_1 * b_1) 10^n + (a_1 * b_0 + a_0 * b_1) 10^{n/2} + (a_0 * b_0)$$

$$\therefore 10^n + c_1 10^{n/2} + c_0$$

where

$c_2 = a_1 * b_1$  is product of their first halves

$c_0 = a_0 * b_0$  is product of their second halves

$c_1 = (a_1 + a_0) * (b_1 + b_0) - (c_2 + c_0)$  is product of  
the sum of the a's halves & the  
sum of b's halves minus the sum of  
 $c_2$  &  $c_0$ .

### Analysis

Two n-digit numbers requires 3 multiplications  
of  $n/2$  digit numbers and recurrence relation is  
given by:

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n=1 \\ 3T(n/2) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$T(n) = 3 \cdot T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) \rightarrow \text{Replacing } n \text{ by } n/2$$

$$= 3 \cdot 3 \left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right) \quad \text{we have}$$

$$T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) = 3T\left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right)$$

$$= 3^2 \left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right)$$

$$= 3^3 \left(\frac{n}{2^3}\right)$$

$$= 3^i \left(\frac{n}{2^i}\right) \quad \text{substitute } n=2^i$$

$$= 3^i \cdot 1 = 3^i$$

$$T(n) = 3^i$$

From  $2^i = n$ , we have taking log on both sides

$$\log 2^i = \log n$$

$$\therefore \log_2 2^i = \log_2 n$$

$$\therefore i = \log_2 n$$

$$\therefore T(n) = 3^{\log_2 n}$$

$$= n^{\log_2 3}$$

$$= n^{1.585}$$

Note  $a^{\log_2 b} = b^{\log_2 a}$

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OR

$$M(n) = 3M(n/2) \quad \text{for } n > 1 \quad M(1) = 1$$

Solving it by backward substitution for  $n = 2^k$  yields

$$\begin{aligned} M(2^k) &= 3M(2^{k-1}) \\ &= 3[3M(2^{k-2})] \\ &= 3^2 M(2^{k-2}) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \dots = 3^i M(2^{k-i})$$

$$= \dots = 3^k M(2^{k-k})$$

$$= 3^k.$$

$$n = 2^k \Rightarrow k = \log_2 n \Rightarrow [a^{\log_b c} = c^{\log_b a}]$$

$$\begin{aligned} M(n) &= 3^{\log_2 n} \\ &= n^{\log_2 3} \approx \underline{\underline{n^{1.585}}} \end{aligned}$$

## Strassen's Matrix Multiplication

We can apply divide-and-conquer approach to find the product  $c$  of two  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $A$  and  $B$  with just seven multiplications as opposed to the eight required by the brute-force algorithm.

This is accomplished by using the following formulas:-

$$\begin{bmatrix} c_{00} & c_{01} \\ c_{10} & c_{11} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{00} & a_{01} \\ a_{10} & a_{11} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_{00} & b_{01} \\ b_{10} & b_{11} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} m_1 + m_4 - m_5 + m_7 & m_3 + m_5 \\ m_2 + m_4 & m_1 + m_3 - m_2 + m_6 \end{bmatrix}$$

where,

$$m_1 = (a_{00} + a_{11}) * (b_{00} + b_{11})$$

$$m_2 = (a_{10} + a_{11}) * b_{00}$$

$$m_3 = a_{00} * (b_{01} - b_{11})$$

$$m_4 = a_{11} * (b_{10} - b_{00})$$

$$m_5 = (a_{00} + a_{01}) * b_{11}$$

$$m_6 = (a_{10} - a_{00}) * (b_{00} + b_{01})$$

$$m_7 = (a_{01} - a_{11}) * (b_{10} + b_{11})$$

7 - multiplications

18 - additions / subtractions.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 7 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} a_{00} = 1 & b_{00} = 8 \\ a_{01} = 2 & b_{01} = 7 \\ a_{10} = 5 & b_{10} = 1 \\ a_{11} = 6 & b_{11} = 2 \end{array}$$

$$m_1 = (1+6)(8+2) = 70$$

$$m_2 = (5+6)8 = 88$$

$$m_3 = 1(7-2) = 5$$

$$m_4 = 6 * (1-8) = -42$$

$$m_5 = (1+2)*2 = 6$$

$$m_6 = (5-1)*(8+1) = 60$$

$$m_7 = (2-6)*(1+2) = -12$$

$$C = \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 70 & -42 & -6 & -12 & 5+6 \\ 88 & 4-42 & & & 70-5-88+60 \end{array} \right] \\ = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 11 \\ 46 & 47 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 & 7 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 1 & 8 \\ 8 & 1 & 3 & 7 \\ 5 & 8 & 7 & 7 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Apply Strassen's algorithm to compute

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_{00} & A_{01} \\ A_{10} & A_{11} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} B_{00} & B_{01} \\ B_{10} & B_{11} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix} * \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \Gamma$$

## Time efficiency

$$M(n) = 7M(n/2) \quad \text{for } n > 1$$

$$M(1) = 1$$

Since  $n = 2^k$

$$\begin{aligned} M(2^k) &= 7M(2^{k-1}) \\ &= 7[7M(2^{k-2})] \\ &= 7^2M(2^{k-2}) = \dots 7^iM(2^{k-i}) \\ &= 7^kM(2^{k-k}) \\ &= 7^k. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $n = 2^k$

$$k = \log_2 n$$

$$\begin{aligned} M(n) &= 7^{\log_2 n} \\ &= 7^{\log_2 n} \\ &= n^{\log_2 7} \\ &\approx n^{2.807} \end{aligned}$$


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Note: This algorithm works fine if size of the matrix is always a power of 2.

If the size of the matrix is not a multiple of 2, add sufficient zeros both in rows & columns so that size of the matrices are always multiples of 2.