

Sorting, Searching, Selection, and Amortized Analysis

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Maximal-sum Subarray (Problem 3.7)

- ▶ Array $A[1 \cdots n], a_i \geq 0$
- ▶ To find (the sum of) an MS in A

$$A[-2, 1, -3, \boxed{4, -1, 2, 1}, -5, 4]$$

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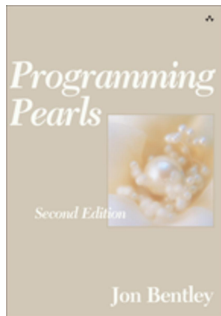
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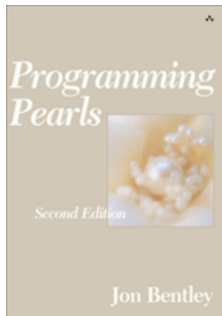
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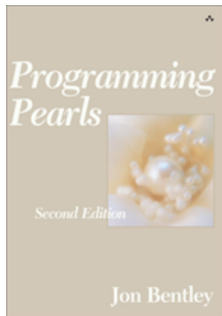


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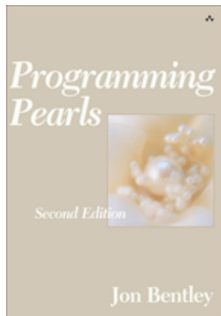
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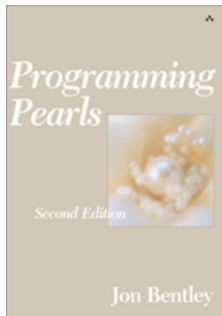


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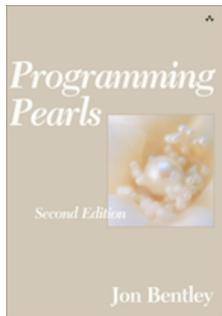
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Sorting

Definition (K -sorting (Problem 6.8))

An array $A[1 \cdots n]$ is *k -sorted* if it can be divided into k blocks, each of size n/k (we assume that $n/k \in \mathbb{N}$), such that the elements in each block are larger than the elements in earlier blocks and smaller than elements in later blocks. The elements within each block need *not* be sorted.

$$n = 16, k = 4, \frac{n}{k} = 4$$

1, 2, 4, 3; 7, 6, 8, 5; 10, 11, 9, 12; 15, 13, 16, 14

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$$n! \sim \sqrt{2\pi n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n \implies \log n! \sim n \log n$$

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In the worst case:

- ▶ “Matching Nuts and Bolts” by Alon *et al.*, $\Theta(n \log^4 n)$
- ▶ “Matching Nuts and Bolts Optimality” by Bradford, 1995, $\Theta(n \log n)$



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Searching

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$\implies x$ is a $\frac{n}{26}$ -repeated element of $R[1 \dots \frac{n}{2}]$ or $R[\frac{n}{2} + 1 \dots n]$

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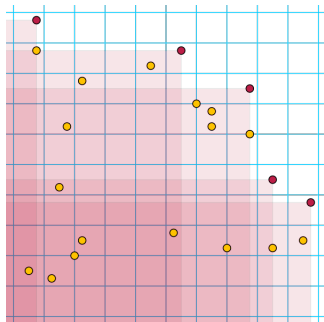
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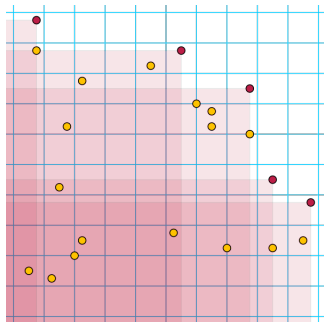
“Finding Repeated Elements” by Misra & Gries, 1982

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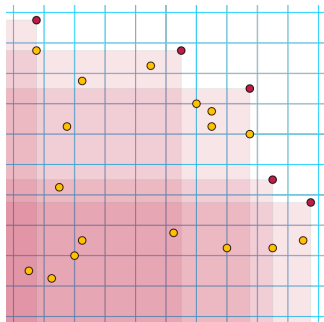
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Wrong Divide and Conquer Algorithms

x -median & y -median

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$A + B = c$ (Problem 9.9)

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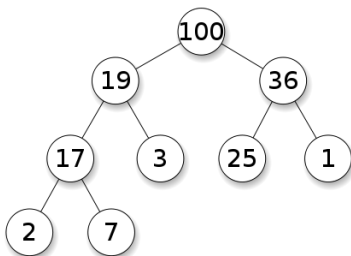
Left-right-pointers iteration

$S_i + S_j \geq < c$

Selection

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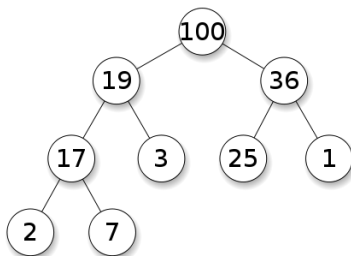
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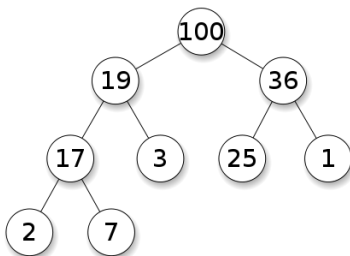


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k -selection + **partition** + sorting

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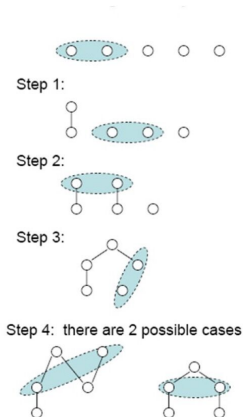
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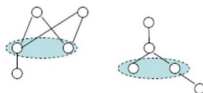
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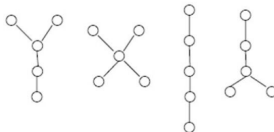
Selecting the Median of 5 Elements using 6 Comparisons (Problem 8.2)



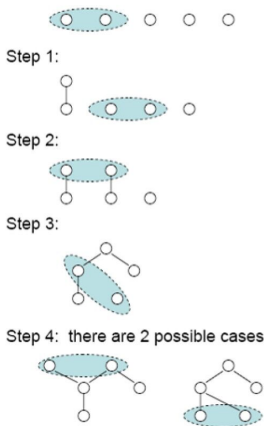
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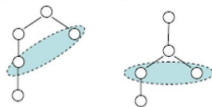
Step 6: there are 4 possible cases, done



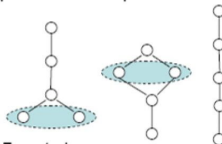
Sorting 5 Elements using 7 Comparisons



Step 5: there are 2 possible cases



Step 6: there are 3 possible cases



Step 7: sorted



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an algorithm analysis technique for
analyzing a sequence of operations
irrespective of the input to show that
the average cost per operation is small, even though
a single operation within the sequence might be expensive.

The Summation Method

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Simulating a queue Q using two stacks S_1, S_2 (Problem E3)

procedure ENQ(x)

Push(S_1, x)

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while $S_1 \neq \emptyset$ **do**

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Thank
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