



# Algorithms in Computational Biology and Sequence Analysis

Module 2: Strings and exact matching

## Demo - Suffix array construction

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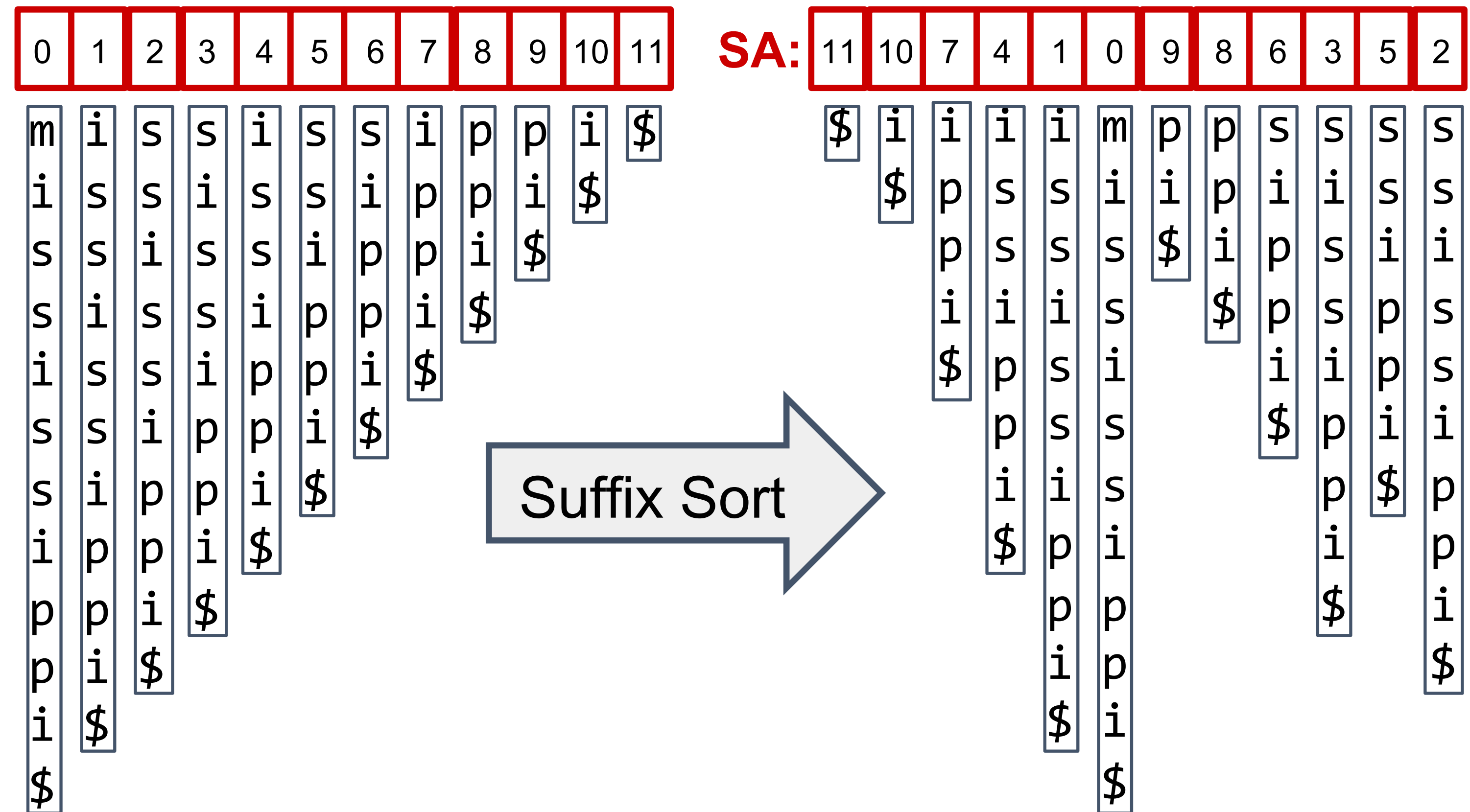
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# Recap

$SA(T)$  : Lexicographically ordered array of all suffixes of text  $T$

$T = \text{mississippi\$}$



# Agenda

Coding algorithms to  
construct  $SA(T)$

**Naive Sorting**

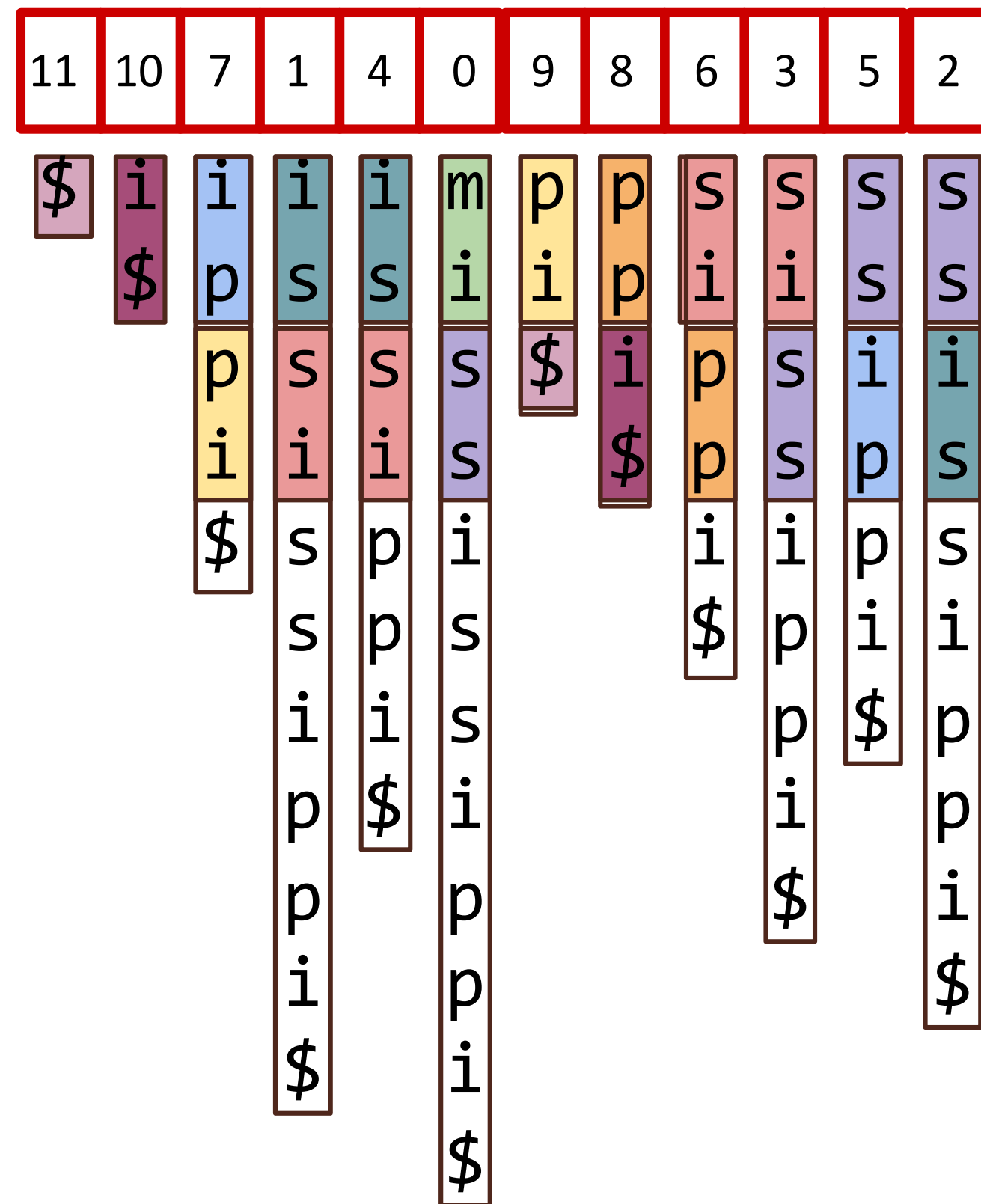
$$O(|T|^2 \log |T|)$$

**Prefix doubling algorithm  
with naive sorting**

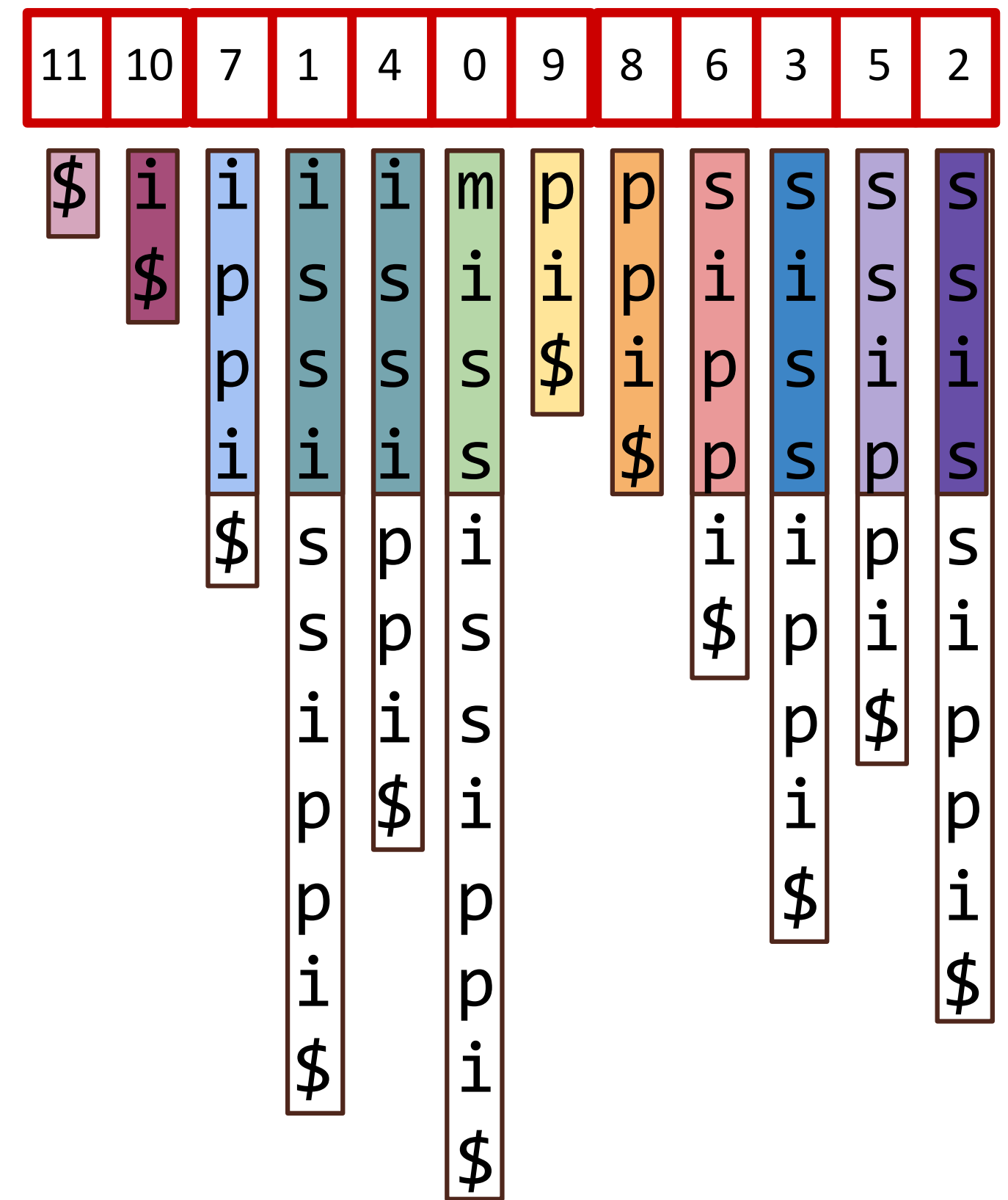
$$O(|T| (\log |T|)^2)$$

# Prefix-doubling

## Sort strings by ID pairs



Now suffixes are sorted by  
prefixes of size 4, recalculate  
bucket IDs



## Update the “inverse array”