

# sorting

## selection sort

select the smallest element from the array, put it at the beginning

↳ then start from second element

↳ repeat this  $n-1$  times

4	3	1	2
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1	4	3	2
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1	2	4	3
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1	2	3	4
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<u>best</u>	<u>aver</u>	<u>worst</u>
$O(n^2)$	$O(n^2)$	$O(n^2)$

```
void selection_sort ( int ar[], int n) {  
    for (int i=0; i<n-1; i++) {  
        int min = i;  
        for (int j=i+1; j<n; j++) {  
            if (ar[min] > ar[j])  
                min = j;  
        }  
        int temp = ar[min];  
        ar[min] = ar[i];  
        ar[i] = temp;  
    }  
}
```

## insertion sort

in each pass, the first elem of the unsorted part is inserted to sorted part

• appropriate for small inputs

5	2	8	4
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2	5	8	4
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2	5	8	4
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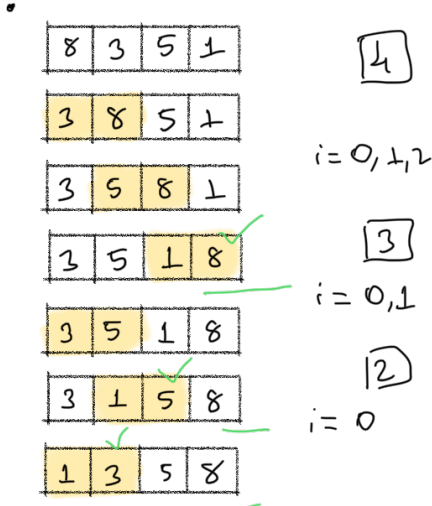
2	4	5	8
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$O(n)$	$O(n^2)$	$O(n^2)$

```
void insertion_sort ( int ar[], int n) {  
    for (int i=1; i<n; i++) {  
        int insert = ar[i];  
        int j = i;  
        for (; j > 0 && (ar[j-1] > insert); j--)  
            ar[j] = ar[j-1];  
        ar[j] = insert;  
    }  
}
```

## bubble sort

repeatedly swap adjacent elements

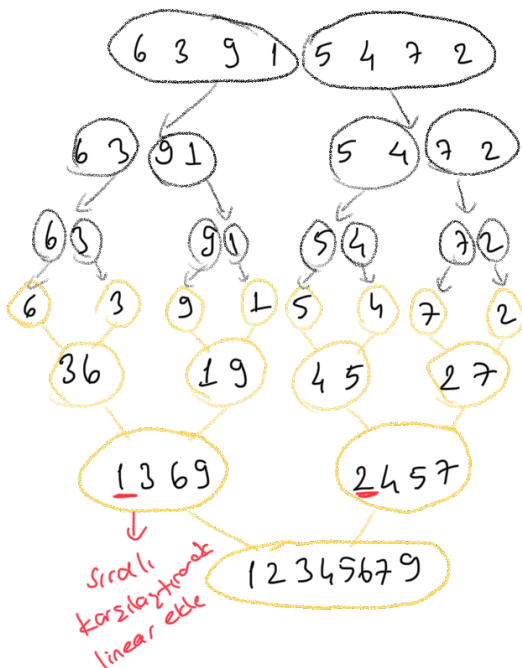


```
void bubble-sort ( int ar[], int n) {
    bool sorted = false;
    int last = n-1;
    for (int i = 0; (i < last) && !sorted; i++) {
        sorted = true;
        for (int j = 0; j < last; j++) {
            if (ar[j] > ar[j+1]) {
                swap (ar[j], ar[j+1]);
                sorted = false;
            }
        }
    }
}
```

best	aver	worst
$O(n)$	$O(n^2)$	$O(n^2)$

### merge sort

divide the list into halves, sort each part recursively, then merge  
↳ divide and conquer



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merge-sort (A, p, r) {
    if (p < r)
        then q ← [(p+r)/2]
        merge-sort (A, p, q)
        merge-sort (A, q+1, r)
        merge(A, p, q, r)
}
```

$O(\log n)$  is written next to the recursive calls, and  $O(n)$  is written next to the merge call.

best	aver	worst
$O(n \log n)$	$O(n \log n)$	$O(n \log n)$

• not memory efficient

\* Only merge sort is not inplace, other algorithms arranges given array, but merge sorting uses extra storage.

stable sort = when the order of elements is maintained when values are same. (only heap sort is not stable)

### quick sort

select a pivot element, then divide the elements with respect to it as smaller and greater, sort the parts recursively, then bring all together  
↳ divide and conquer

↳ no use of extra memory

→ most popular  
sorting algorithm

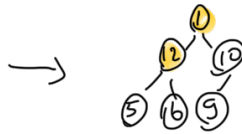
pivot = select a random elem

7	<del>4</del>	<del>6</del>	5	<del>2</del>	<del>2</del>
-2	1	0	-4	2	7
-4	-2	1	0	2	4
-4	-2	0	1	2	4
-4	-2	0	1	2	4

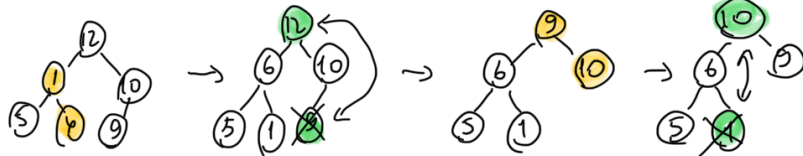
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$O(n \log n)$	$O(n \log n)$	$O(n^2)$

### heap sort

1 12 10 5 6 9

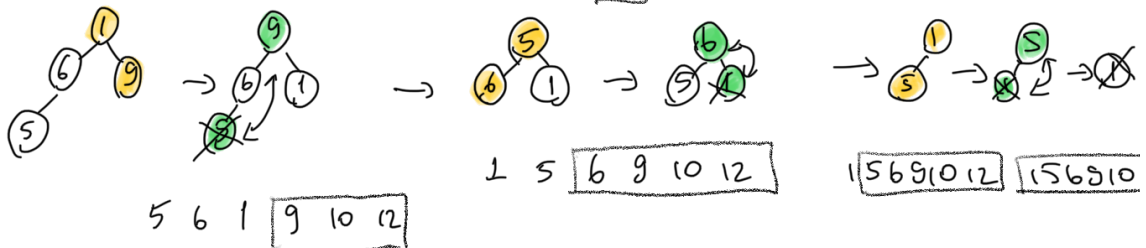


max heap:



12 6 10 5 1 9  
9 6 10 5 1 12

1 6 9 5 10 12



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