

MaxHeapSort code analysis report

Overview

The code implements maxheap with methods

- **Insert - adds a child element**
- **GetMax – returns root element**
- **IncreaseKey – increases value of the element by some index**
- **MaxHeapify - sorts the finished maxheap**

1. Asymptotic Complexity

Time Complexity

- Insert: Worst $O(\log n)$, Best $\Theta(1)$, Average $\Theta(\log n)$
- GetMax: $\Theta(1)$
- IncreaseKey: $O(\log n)$
- MaxHeapify: $O(\log n)$

Space complexity

- Heap Array uses $\Theta(n)$ space
- Recursion stack $O(\log n)$
- Mostly in-place implementation

Recurrence relation

- MaxHeapify: $T(n) = T(n/2) + O(1) \rightarrow O(\log n)$

2. Code reviews & Optimization

Inefficiencies

- Main operations are optimal

Space improvements

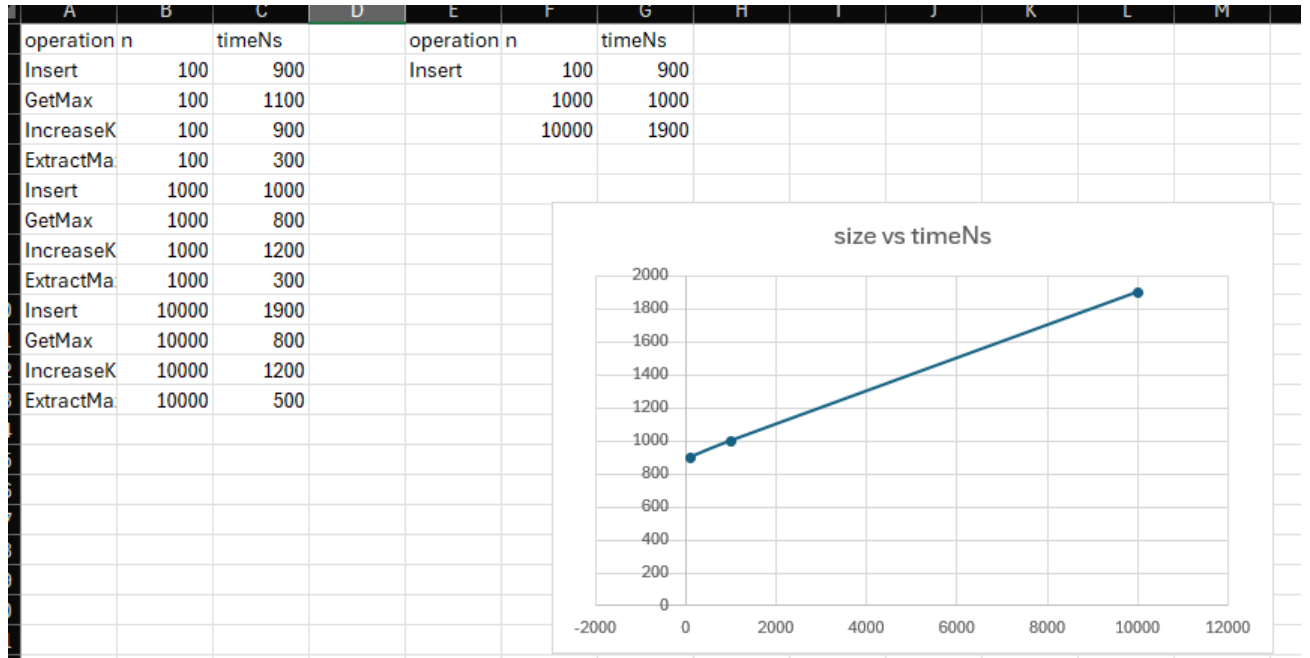
- Iterative MaxHeapify avoids recursion stack

3. Empirical Validation

Performance expectations

- GetMax constant; Insert & ExtractMax grow $\log n$
- Main operations much faster than $O(n)$ sorting

Plot and measurements



Conclusion

Implementation is correct and mostly efficient. Time and space complexity are optimal for a heap. Improvements: iterative maxHeapify. This change will improve performance for large heaps.