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## **Quick sort algorithm**

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partition(A, p, r):
   Select i uniformly at random in [ p \cdots r ]
   Exchange A[i] \leftrightarrow A[r]
  x \leftarrow A[r] // Pivot element
  i \leftarrow p-1
  // LI: A[p···i] \leq x, A[i+1···j-1] > x,
  // A[j \cdots r-1] is unprocessed, A[r] = x.
  for j \leftarrow p to r-1 do
      if A[j] \le x then
        i \leftarrow i + 1
         Exchange A[i] \leftrightarrow A[j]
  // Bring pivot back to the middle
  Exchange A[i+1] \leftrightarrow A[r]
  // A[p \cdots i] \le x, A[i+1] = x, A[i+2 \cdots r] > x
  return i+1
quickSort(A):
  quickSort(A, 0, A.length - 1)
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quickSort(A, p, r): // Sort A[ p \cdots r ]
  if p < r then
                                     经过partition()使得q前的比q
     q \leftarrow partition(A, p, r)
                                     小,后的比q大
     quickSort(A, p, q-1)
     quickSort(A, q + 1, r)
There is another partition algorithm given by Hoare:
partition2(A, p, r):
  Choose x uniformly at random from A[p \cdots r]
  i \leftarrow p-1, j \leftarrow r+1
  // LI: A[ p \cdots i ] \leq x, A[ j \cdots r ] \geq x
  while true do
     do \{i++\} while A[i] < x
     do \{j--\} while A[j] > x
     if i \ge j then
        return j
     Exchange A[i] \leftrightarrow A[j]
    i++, i--
If quickSort calls this version of partition, the
second recursive call should be changed to
quickSort(A, q, r).
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## **<u>Dual-pivot partition</u>** (Yaroslavskiy)

Choose 2 elements of A[p···r] uniformly at random, and exchange them as: A[p] =  $x_1$ , A[r] =  $x_2$ ,  $x_1 \le x_2$ . Initially, k = i = p + 1, j = r - 1.  $S_1 = A[p + 1 \cdots k - 1]$ .  $S_2 = A[k \cdots i - 1]$ .  $S_3 = A[j + 1 \cdots r - 1]$ . Loop Invariant:

	$S_1$	$S_2$		S <sub>3</sub>	
<b>X</b> <sub>1</sub>	< x <sub>1</sub>	x <sub>1</sub> -x <sub>2</sub>	unprocessed	> x <sub>2</sub>	$X_2$
р		k	i	i	r

Unprocessed elements are processed from both ends:

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Case 1: x_1 \le A[i] \le x_2. S_2 grows by 1. i++ Case 2: A[i] < x_1. S_1 grows by 1. Exchange A[i] with A[k], the left-most element of S_2. i++ Case 3: A[j] > x_2. S_3 grows by 1. j--  SWAP(A[k], A[j]); SWAP(A[i], A[i], A[i]); SWAP(A[i], A[i], A[i]); SWAP(A[i], A[i], A[i], A[i]); SWAP(A[i], A[i], A[i
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## dPQuickSort:

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dualPivotPartition
dPQuickSort S_1, dPQuickSort S_3
if x_1 \neq x_2 then dPQuickSort S_2
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Improvements: handle sizes below some threshold with another algorithm. One of the best implementations of Quick sort uses dual-pivot partition, with hand-coded, loopless sorting algorithm for n < 8.