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Iterative vs Recursive

- given an array of unsigned values (N), Find the sum of all N elements in the array
- Function needs 2 parameters
 1. an array
 2. number of elements
- 1. iteratively $O(n)$

```
unsigned sum (unsigned A[], unsigned n) {  
    unsigned sumA=0;  
    for(int i=0, i < n, i++)  
        sum += A[i];  
    return sumA;  
}
```

2. Recursively $O(n)$

```
unsigned sum (unsigned A[]), unsigned n) {  
  
    if(n==0) // base case  
        return 0;  
    else  
        return A[n-1] +  
            sum (A, n-1);  
}
```

Deletion from a BST

- To delete a node, replace the node with its in-order predecessor
 - right most node, on its left tree

Big O

push, in an ordered linked list implemented as a priority queue takes $O(n)$

Binary Heap

Binary heap = $O(\log_2 n)$, height = $\log n$

- min heap – smaller value = higher priority
 - Heap structure property:
 - Must be an almost complete tree
 - Heap order property
 - if you randomly pick any node, that node has the smallest value in the entire tree
- max heap – higher value = higher priority

Given index i :

index of a left child: $2i+1$

index of right child: $2i+2$

index of parent: $(i-1) / 2$