Concept Challenge

Using timings to evaluate performance

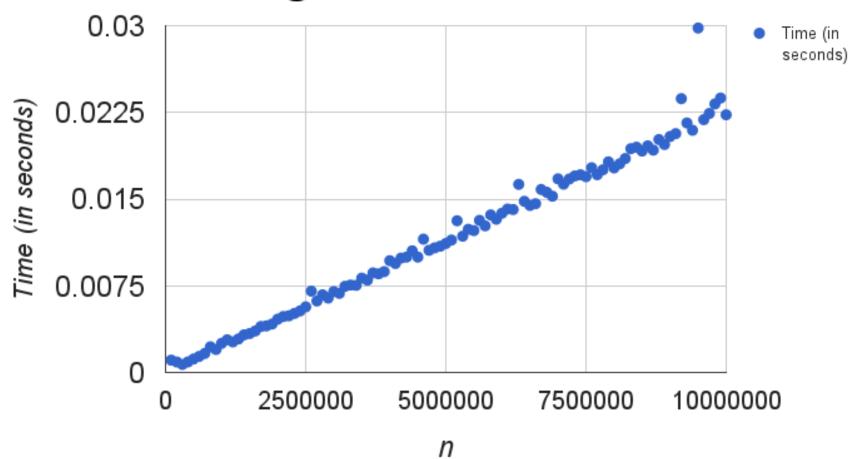


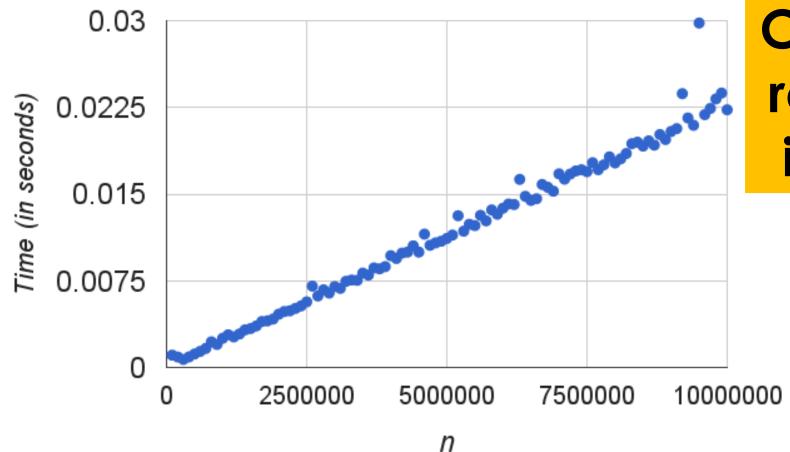
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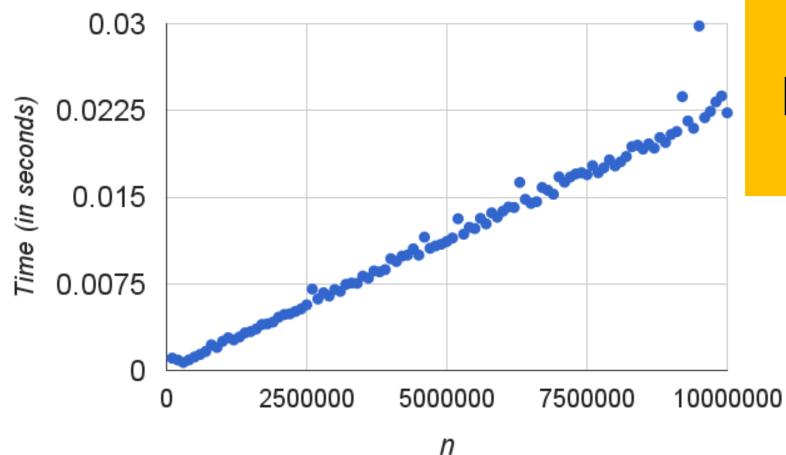
- Pause Try to solve the problem yourself
- Discuss with other learners (if you can)
- Watch the UCSD learners video
- Confirm your understanding with our explanation





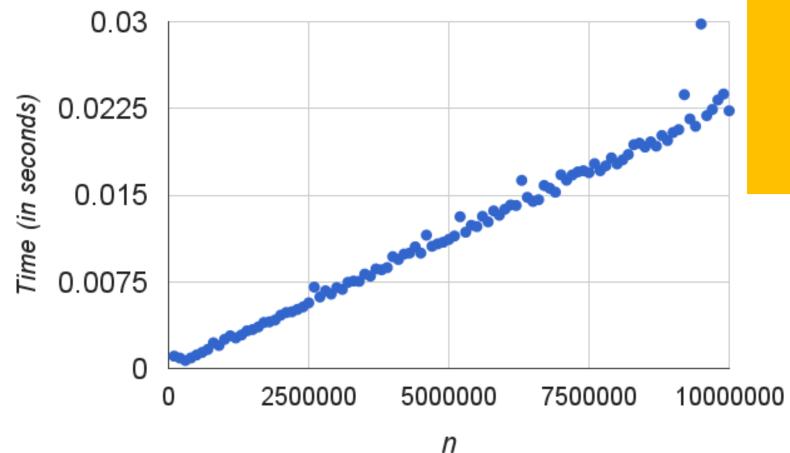


Could these be real timings for insertion sort?



IVQ Placeholder – Yes, No

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This appears linear, not quadratic

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       // swap
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