Sorting(2/2)

Data Structures
C++ for C Coders

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Merge Sort
Quick Sort

Objectives & Agenda

- **Objectives:**
  - Understand advanced algorithms of sorting.

- **Agenda**
  - Merge Sort
  - Quick Sort

Mergesort

- Divide and conquer algorithm
- Recursive or non-recursive(Iteration) implementation
- It was implemented on the first general purpose computer and is still running.

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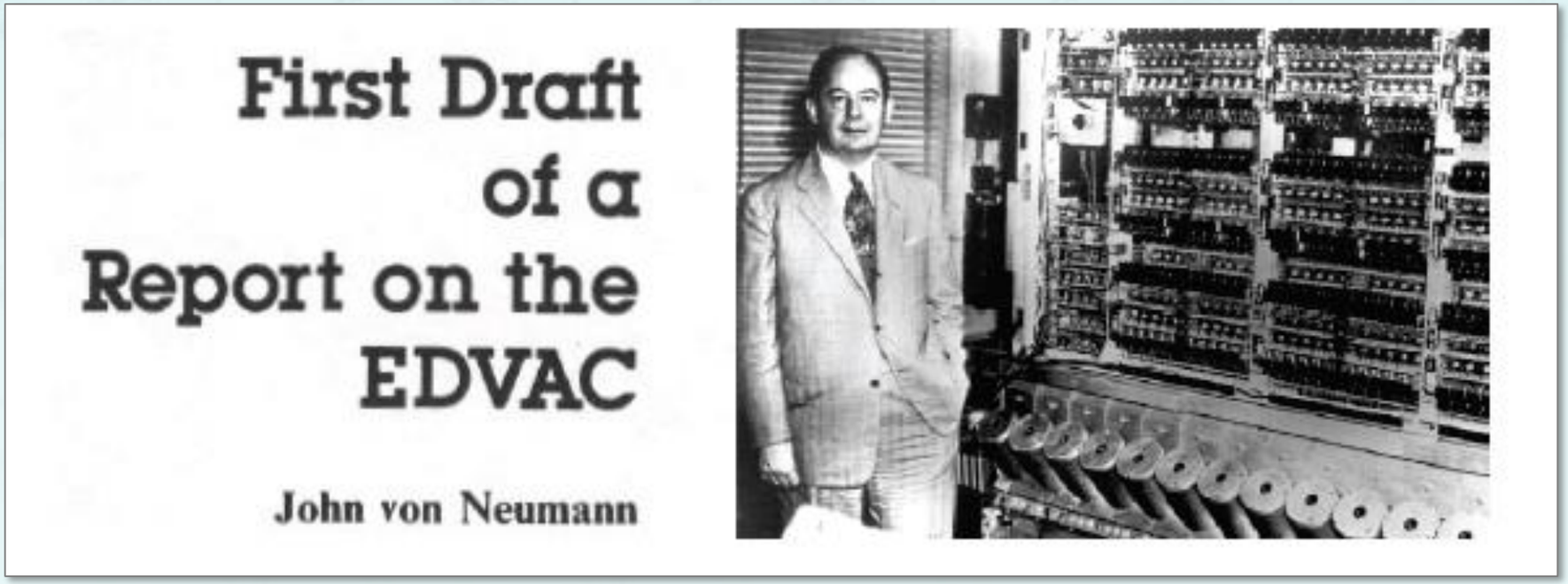

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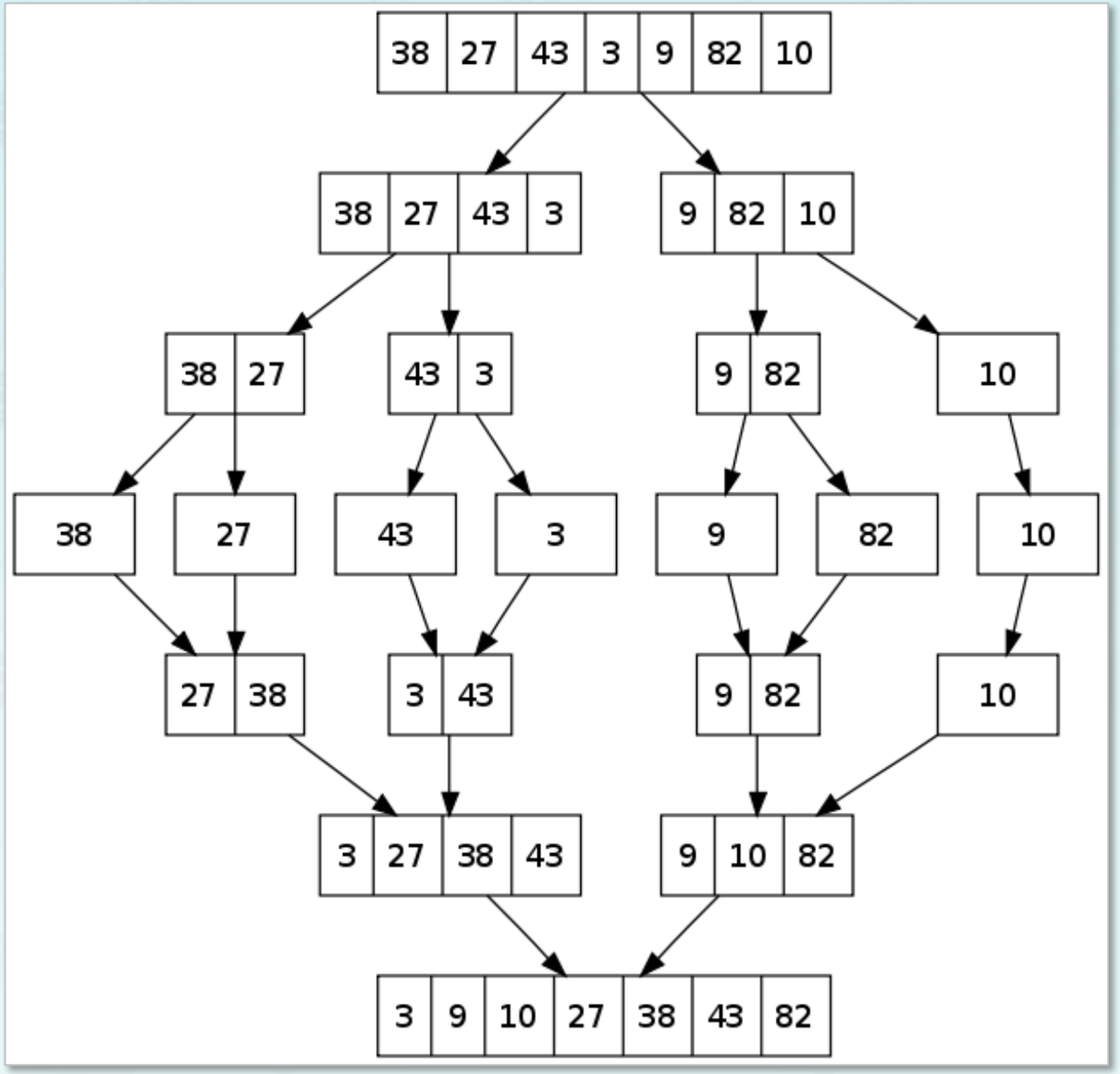

input	M	E	R	G	E	S	O	R	T	E	X	A	M	P	L	E
sort left half	E	E	G	M	O	R	R	S	T	E	X	A	M	P	L	E
sort right half	E	E	G	M	O	R	R	S	A	E	E	L	M	P	T	X
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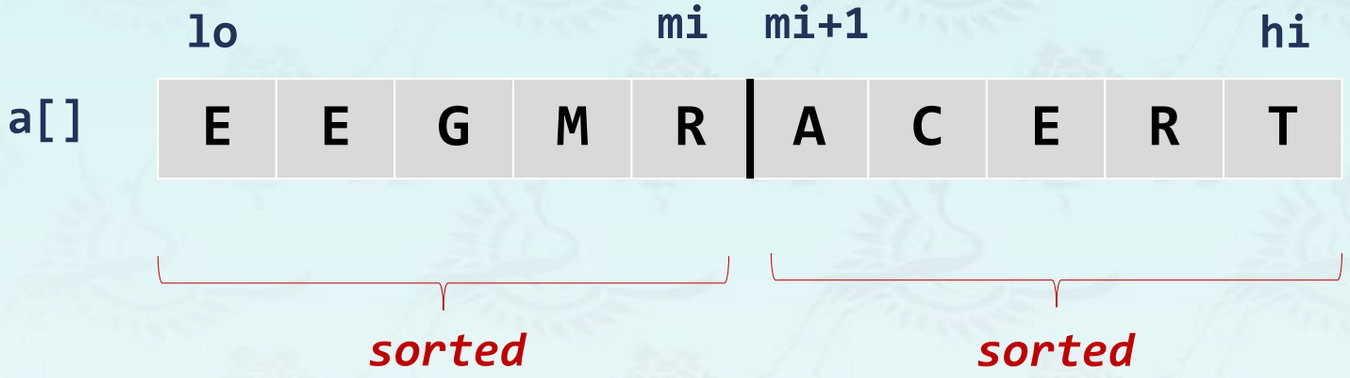

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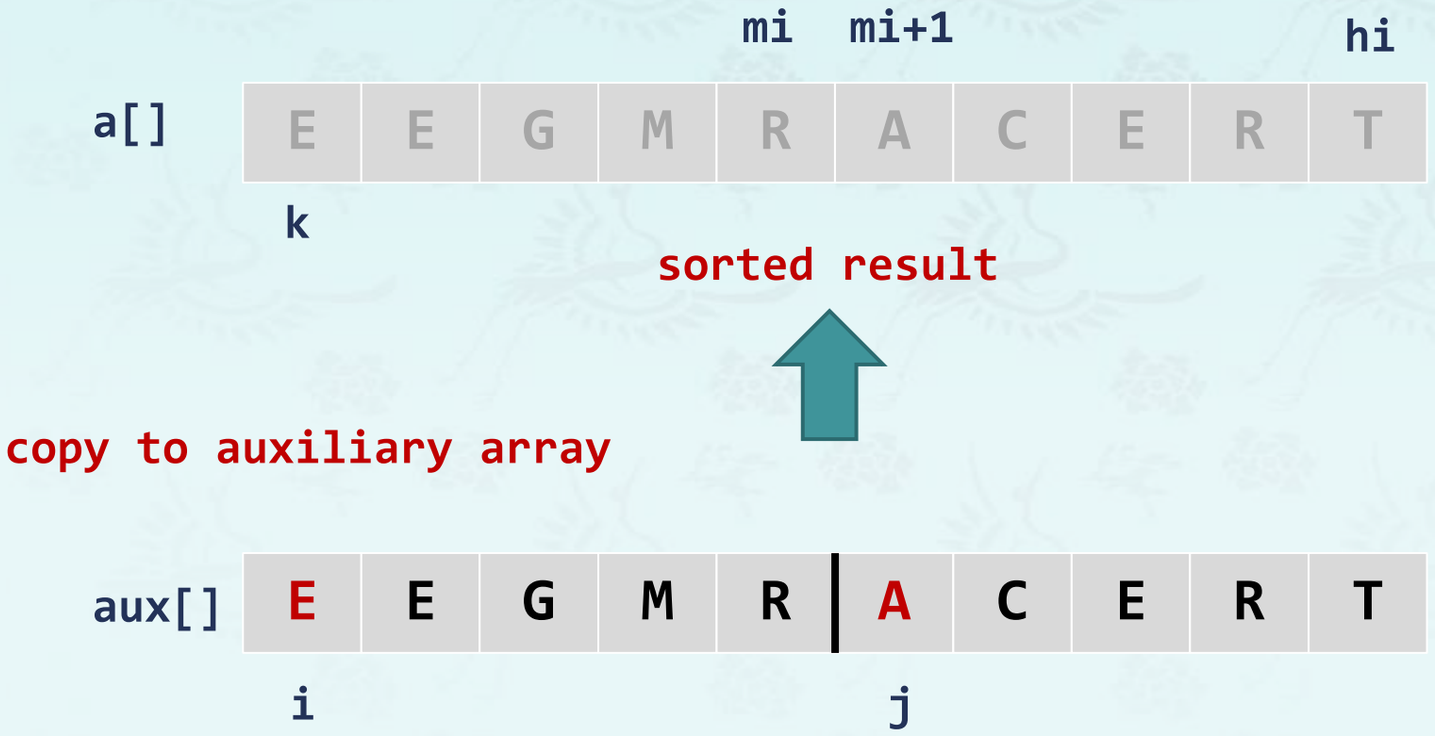

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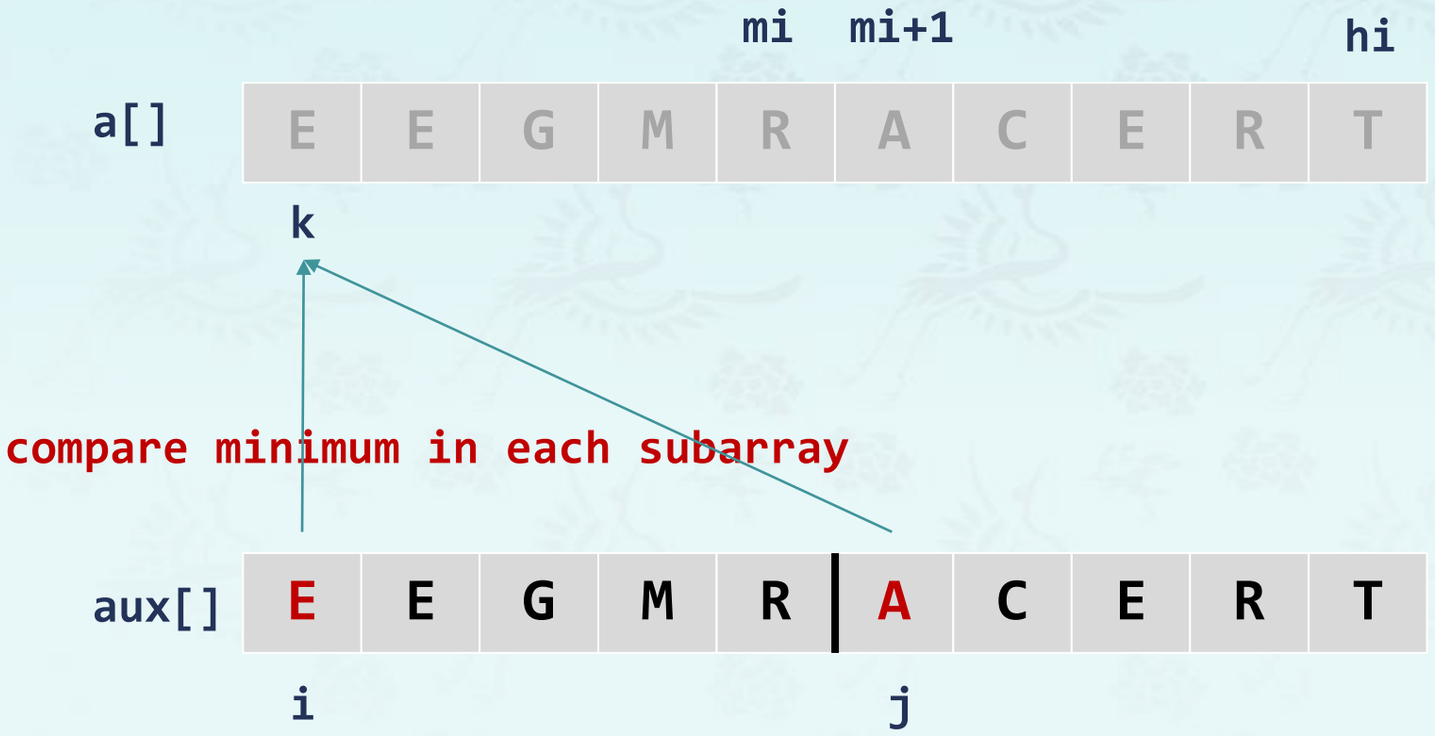

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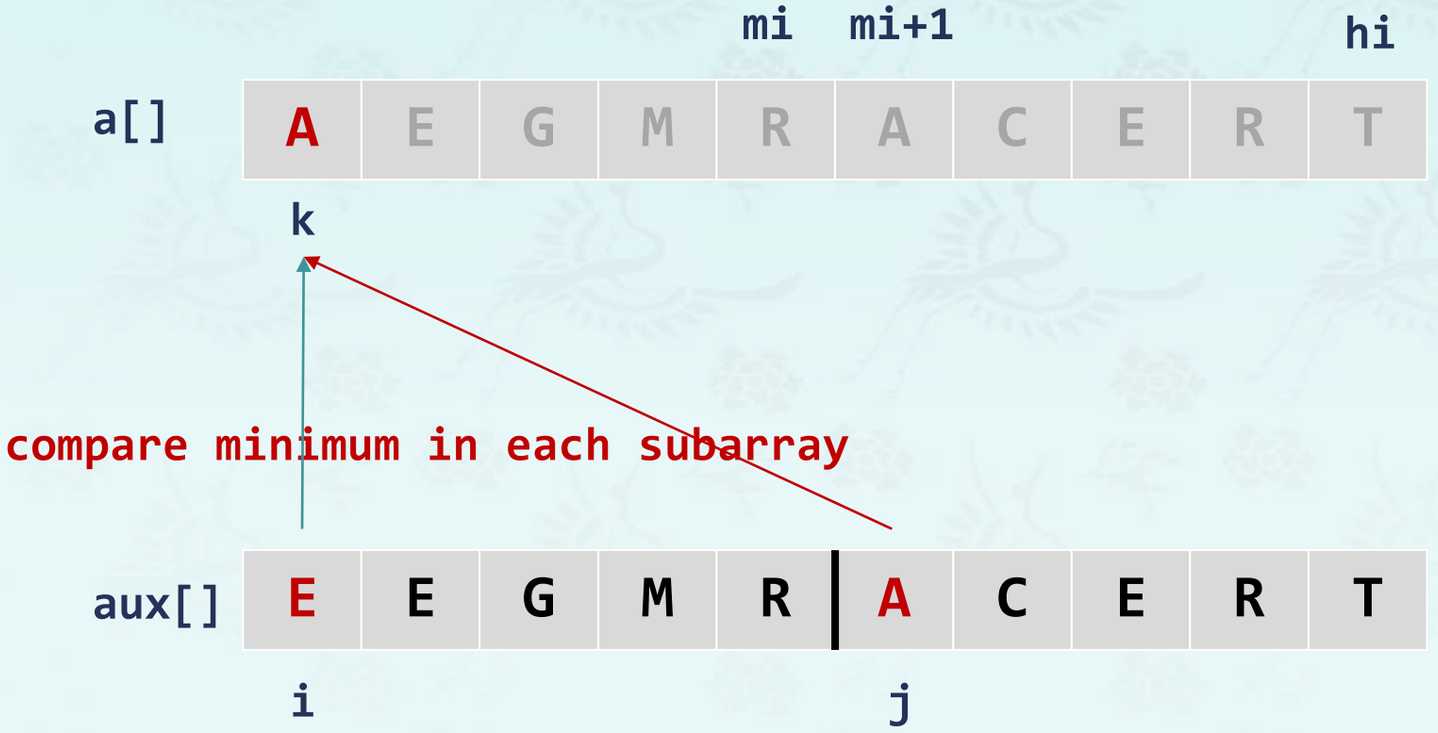

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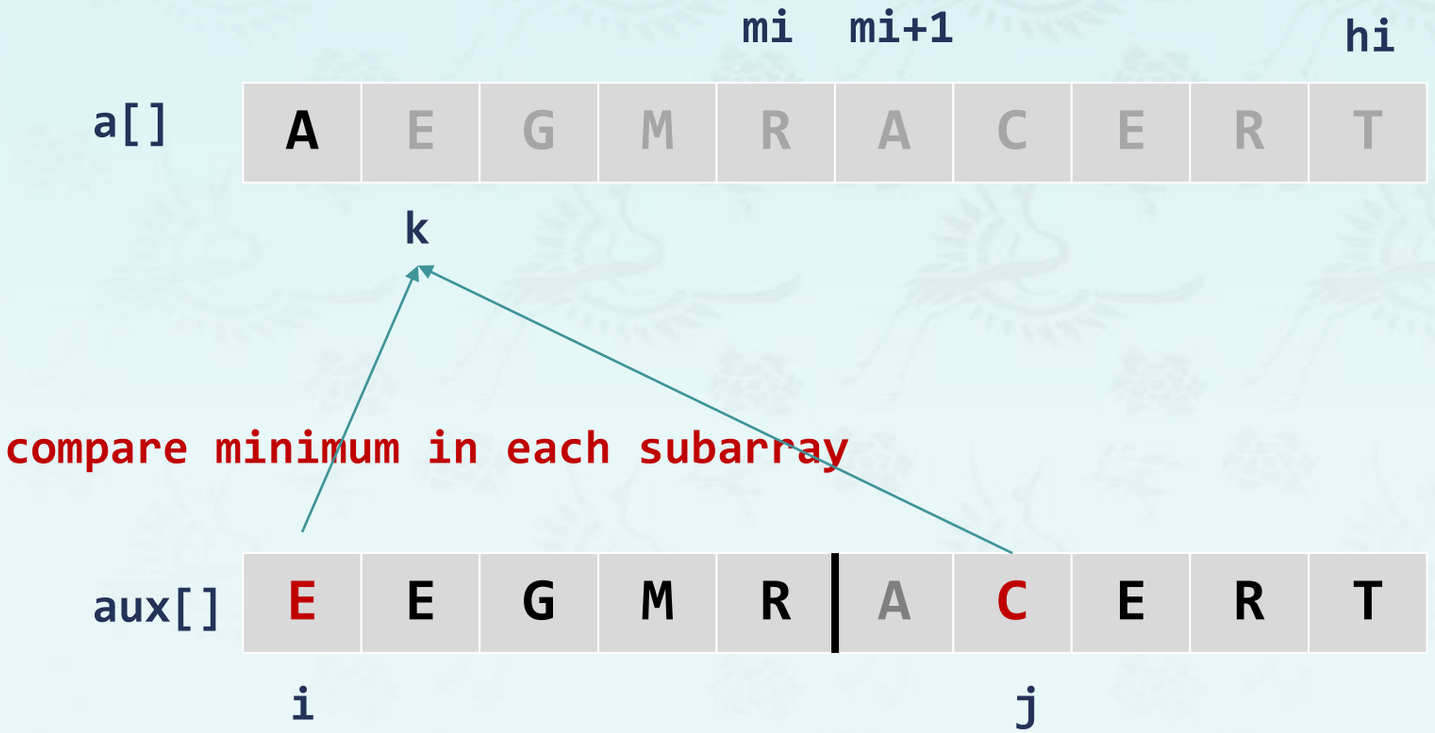

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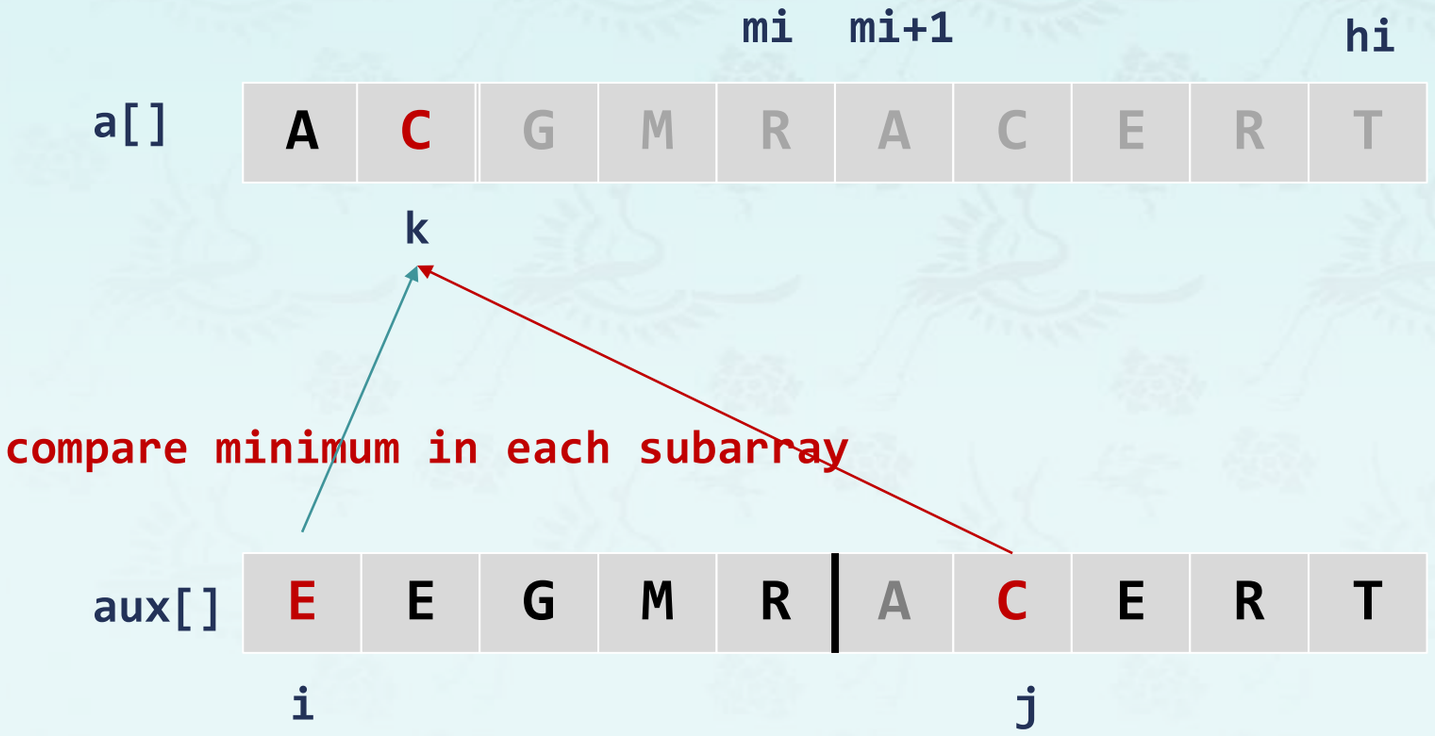

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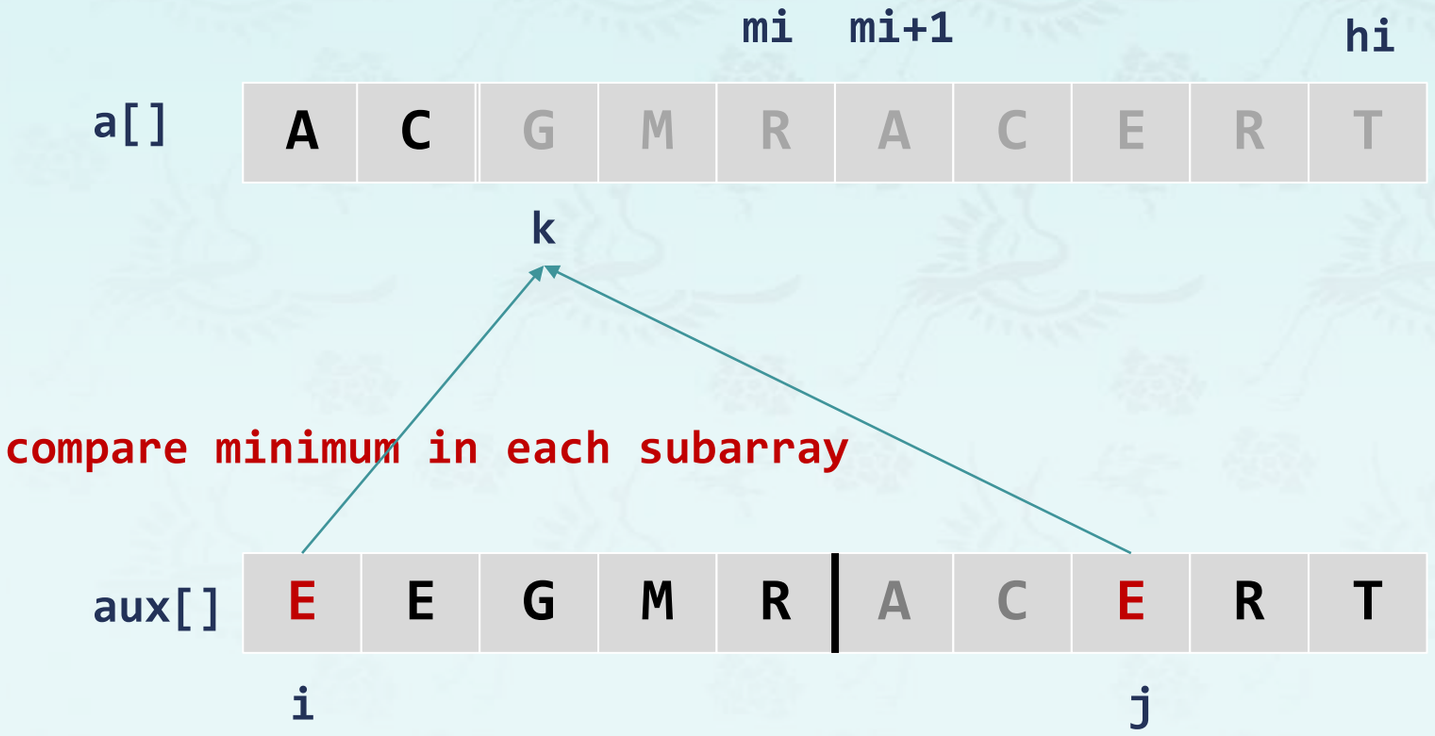

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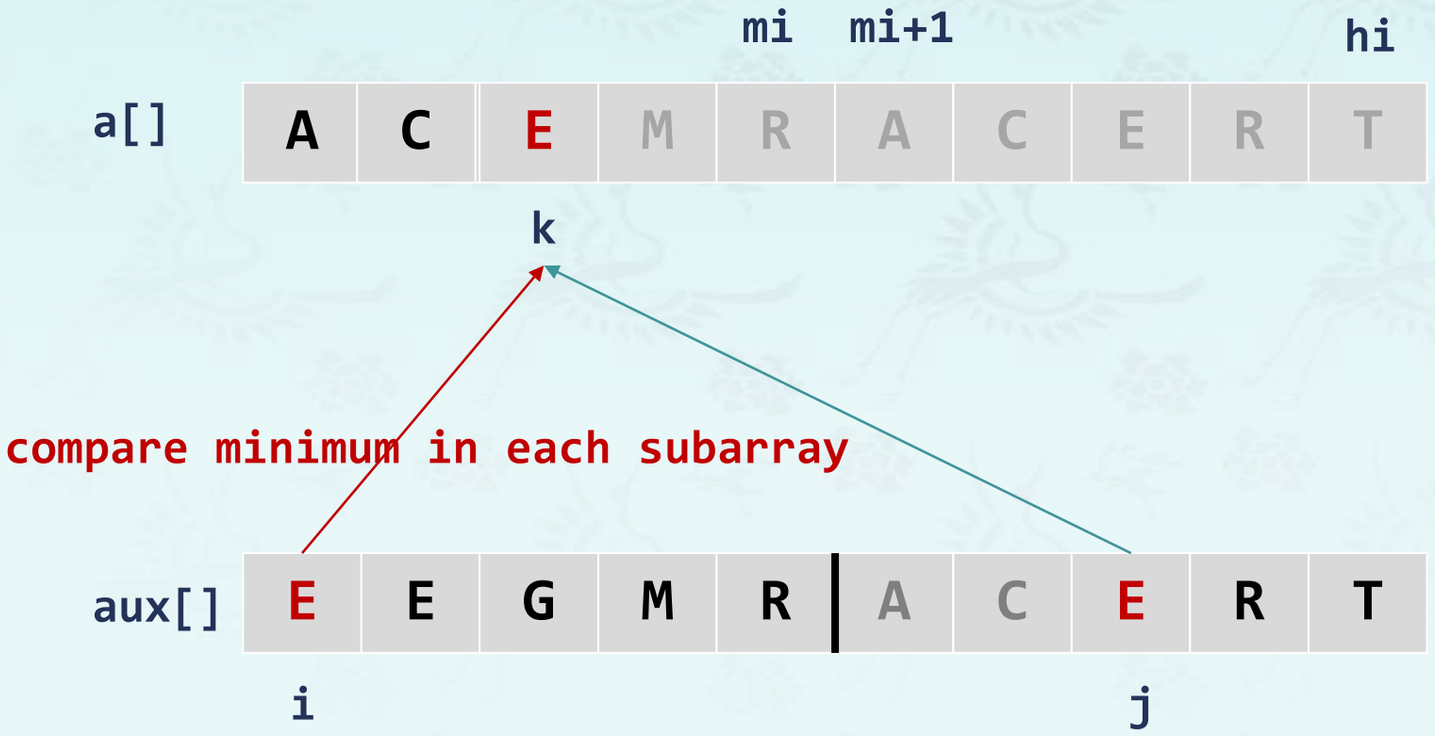

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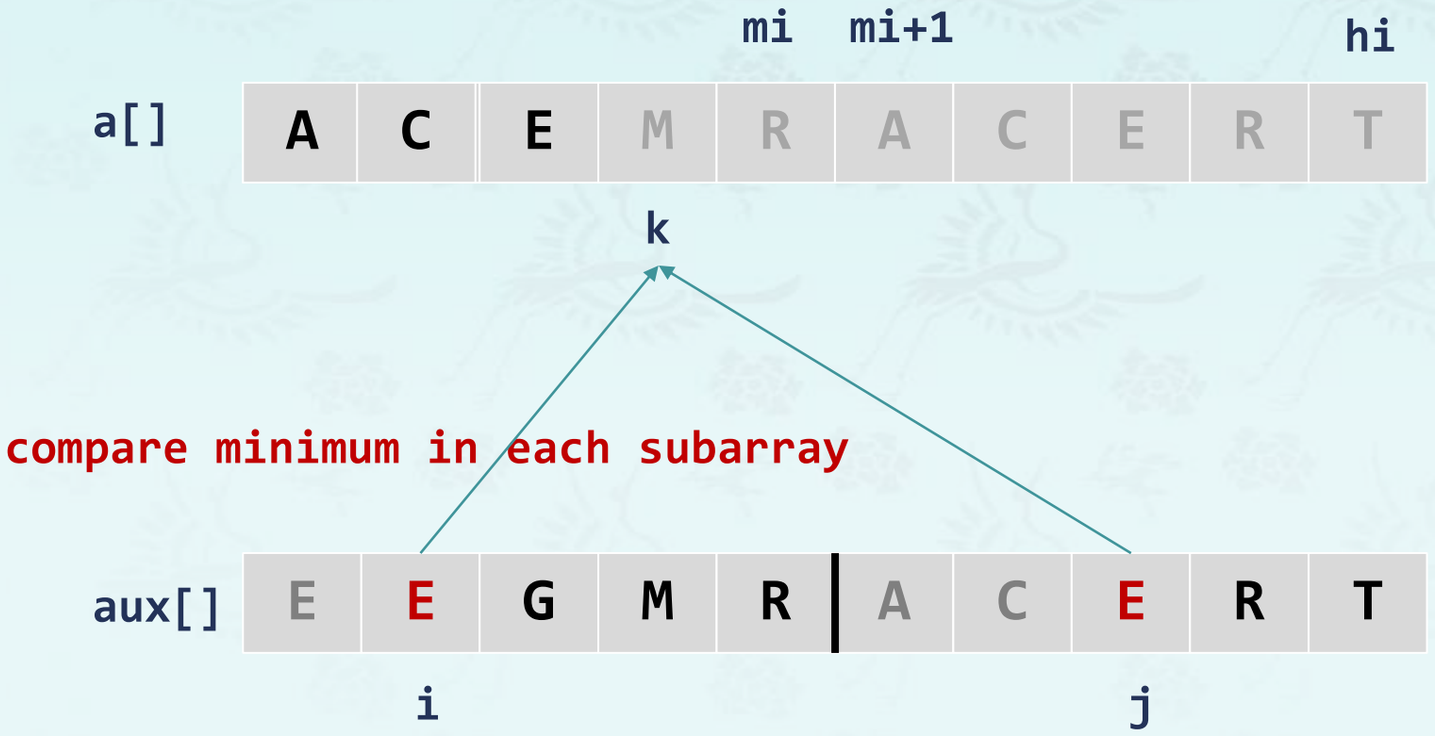

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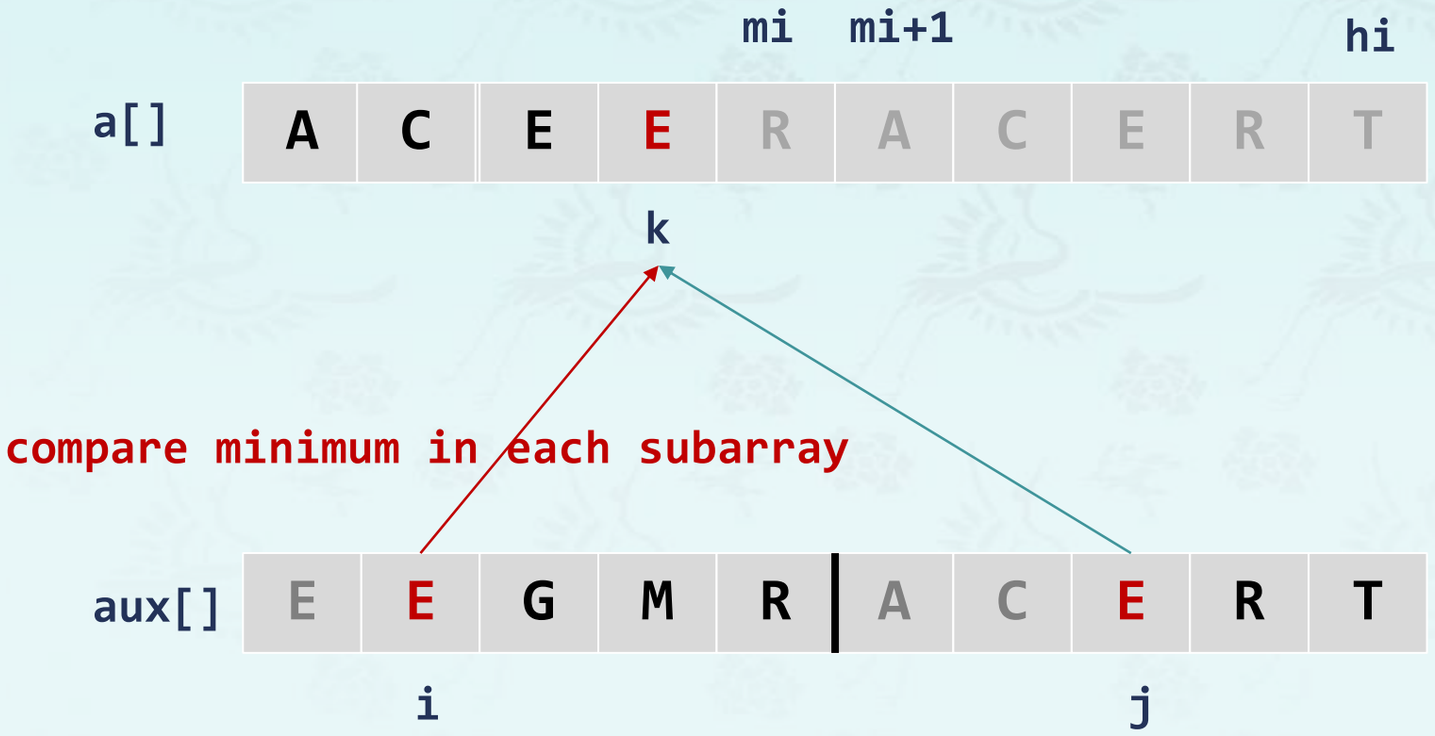

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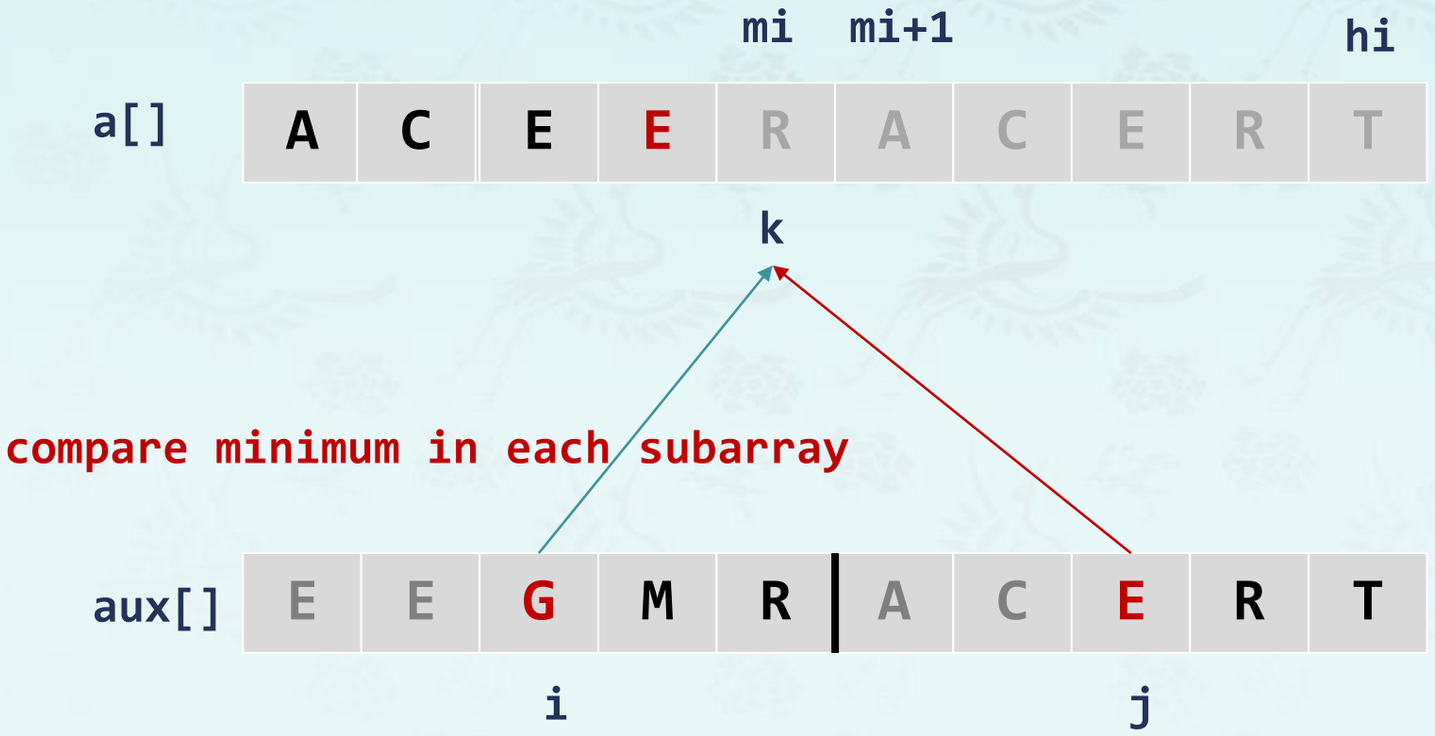

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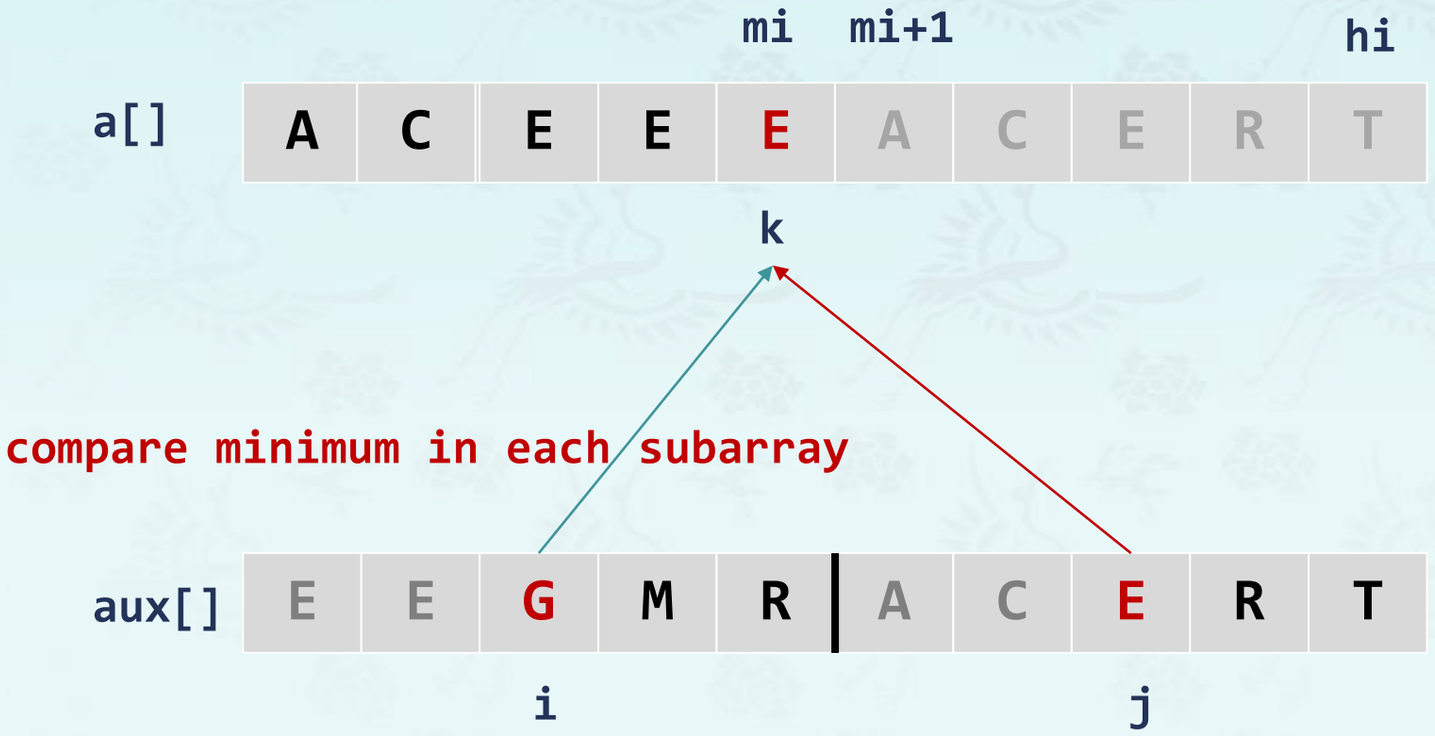

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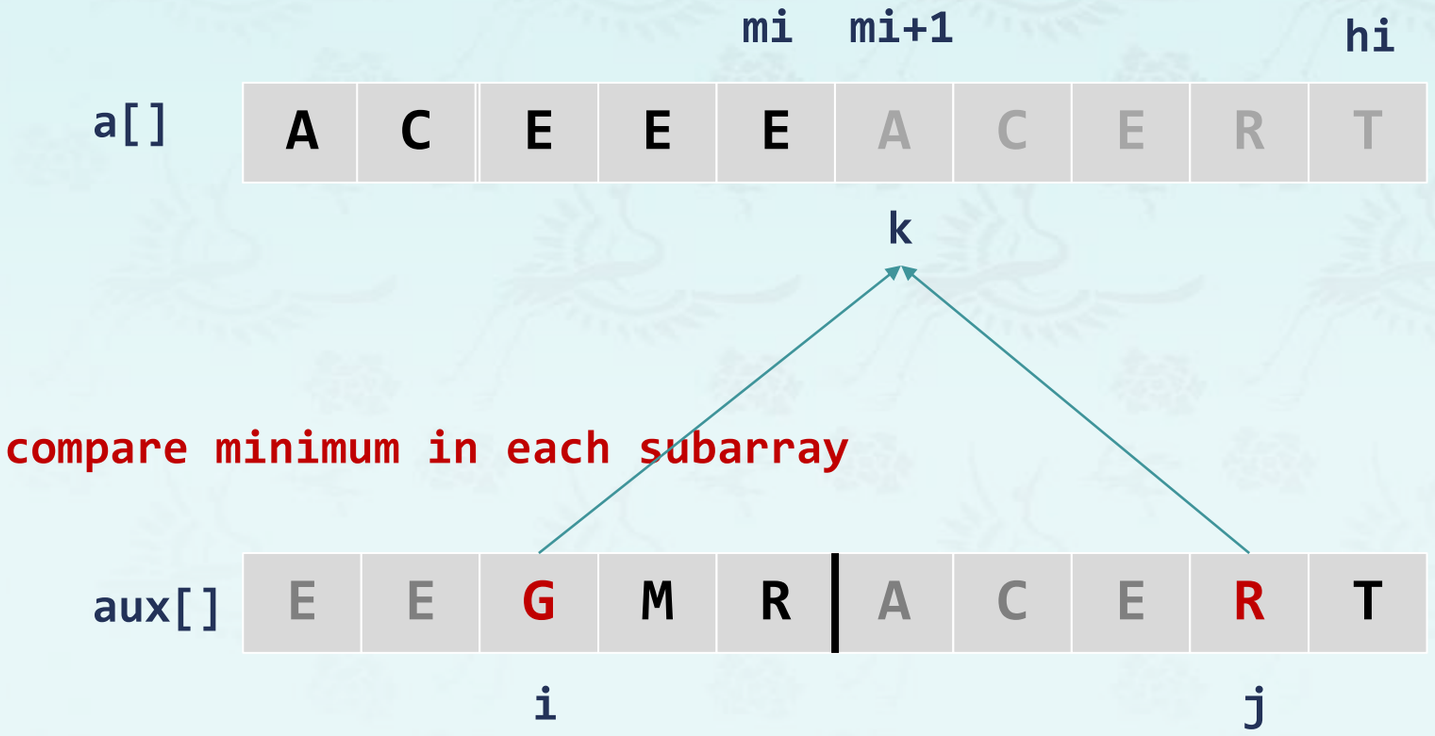

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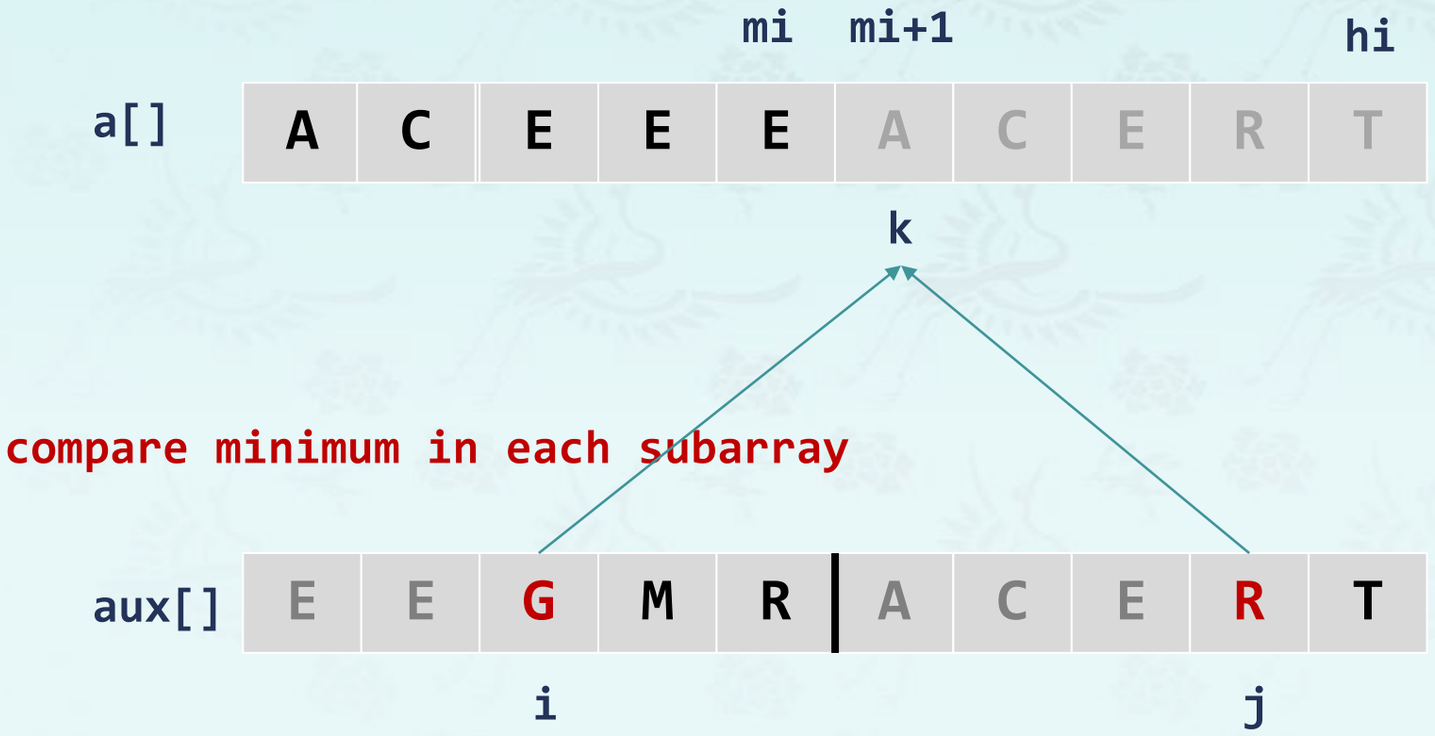

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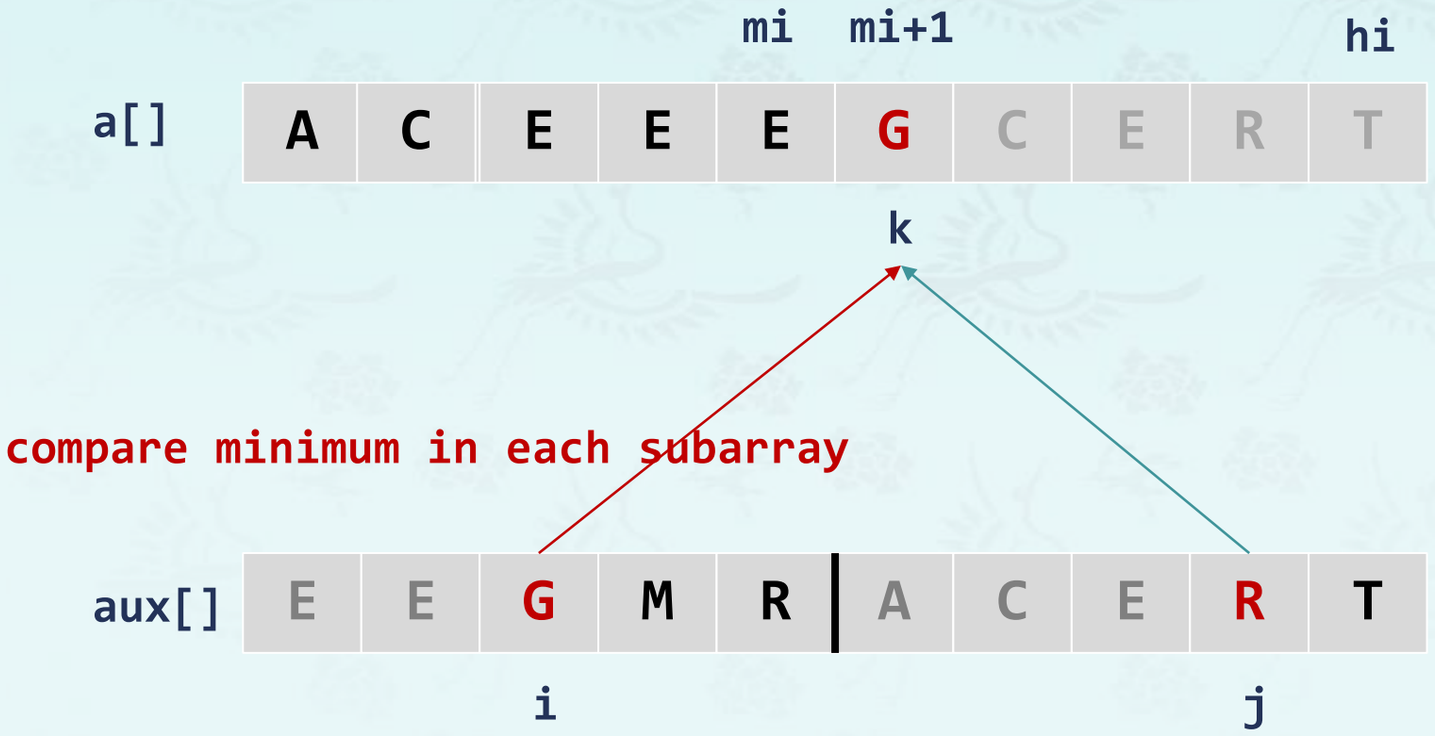

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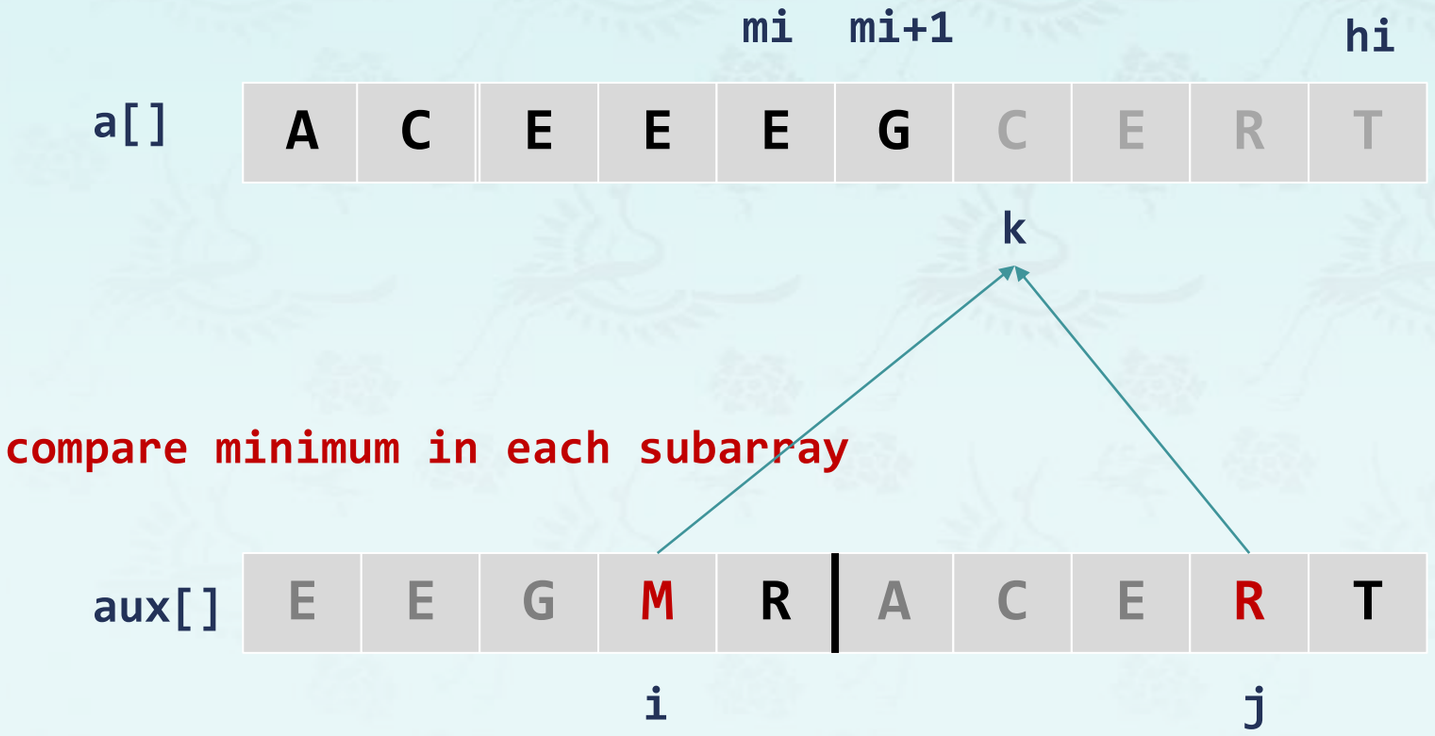

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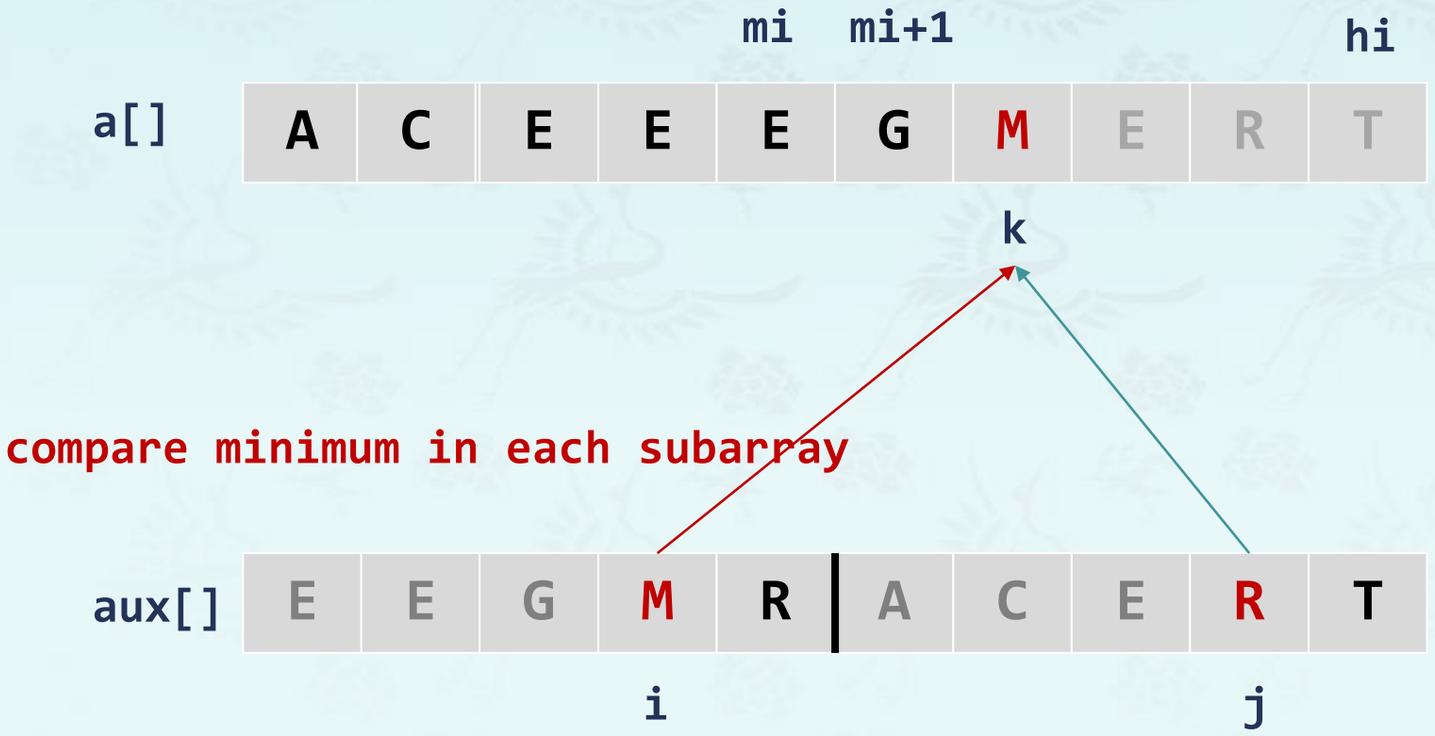

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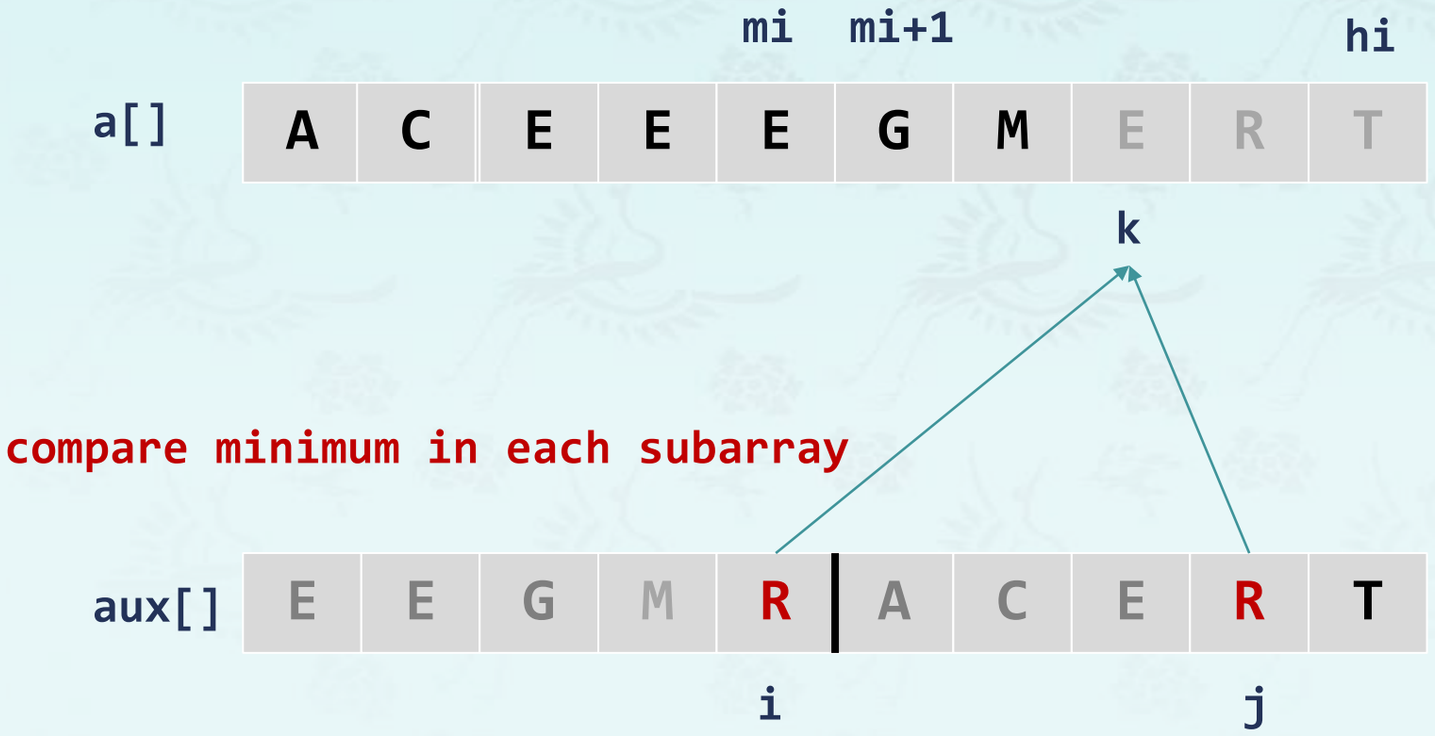

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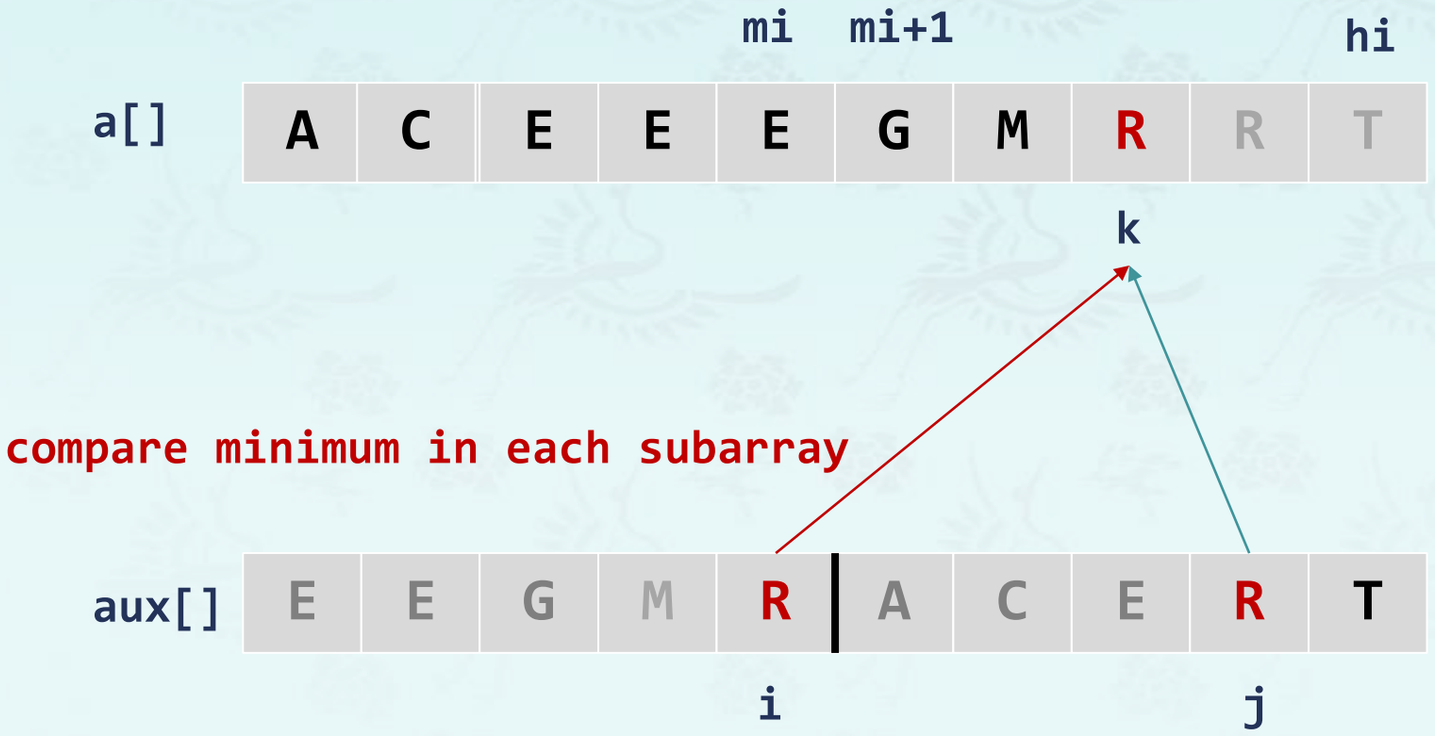

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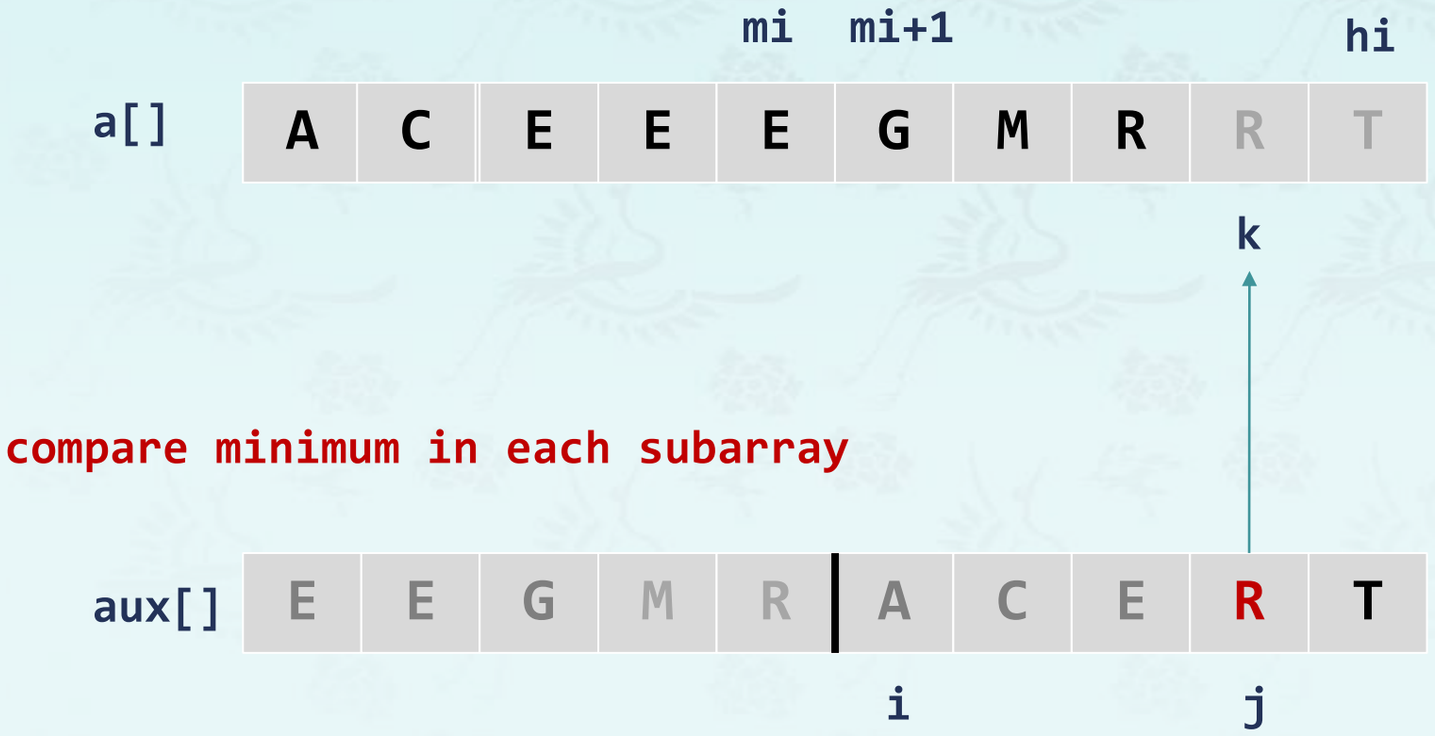

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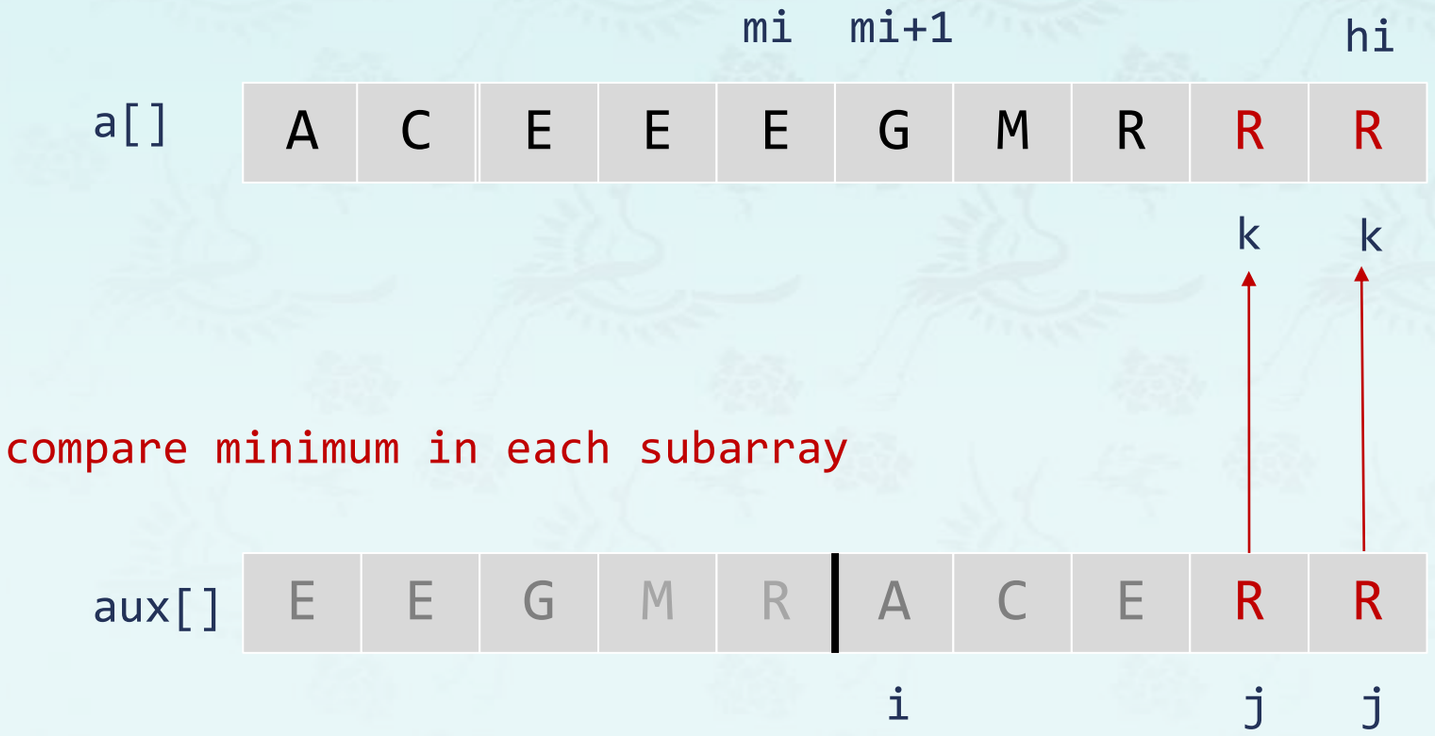

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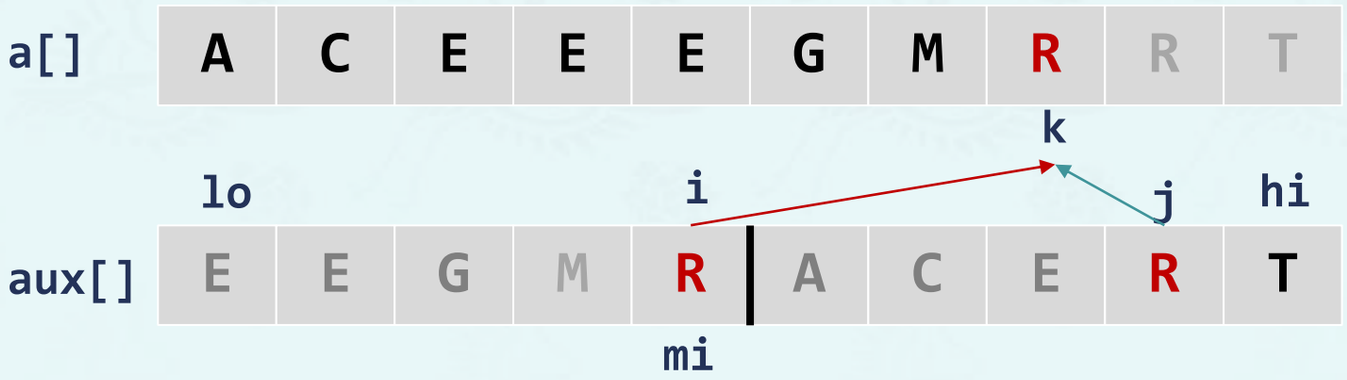
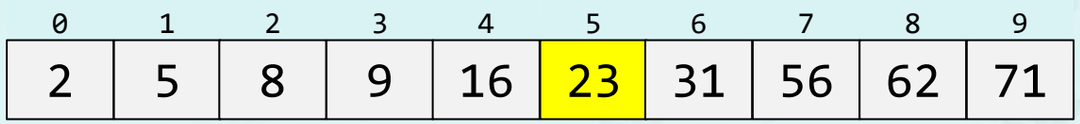
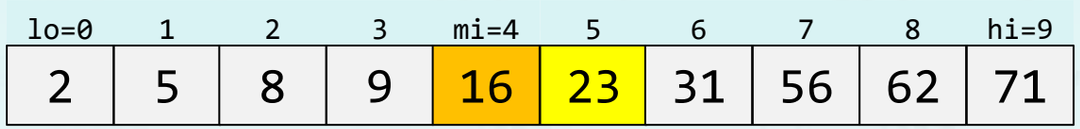
- If your array is empty or has one element, it is sorted.
- If it has two elements, sort it by swapping as appropriate.
- If it has more than two elements, do this:
  - **split** the array in half at the midpoint **mi**;
  - **merge** on the left half and **merge** on the right half;
    - **merge** the arrays by picking the smallest head element from the two sub-arrays until they are exhausted.

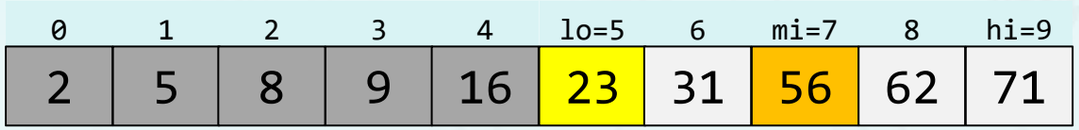


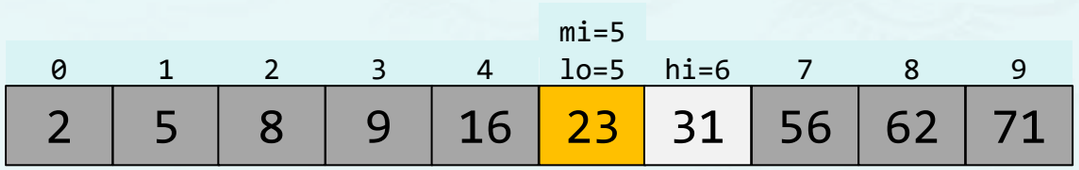
Example 5: Recursive binary search

- For instance, we want to search "23" from the array. If we find it, we return its array index; otherwise, -1 or something else.










```
int binarySearch(int list[], int key,
                                 int lo, int hi) {
  if (lo > hi) return -1;

  mi = (lo + hi)/2;
  if (key == list[mi]) return mi;
  if (key <  list[mi])
    return binarySearch(list, key, lo, mi - 1);
  else
    return binarySearch(list, key, mi + 1, hi);
}
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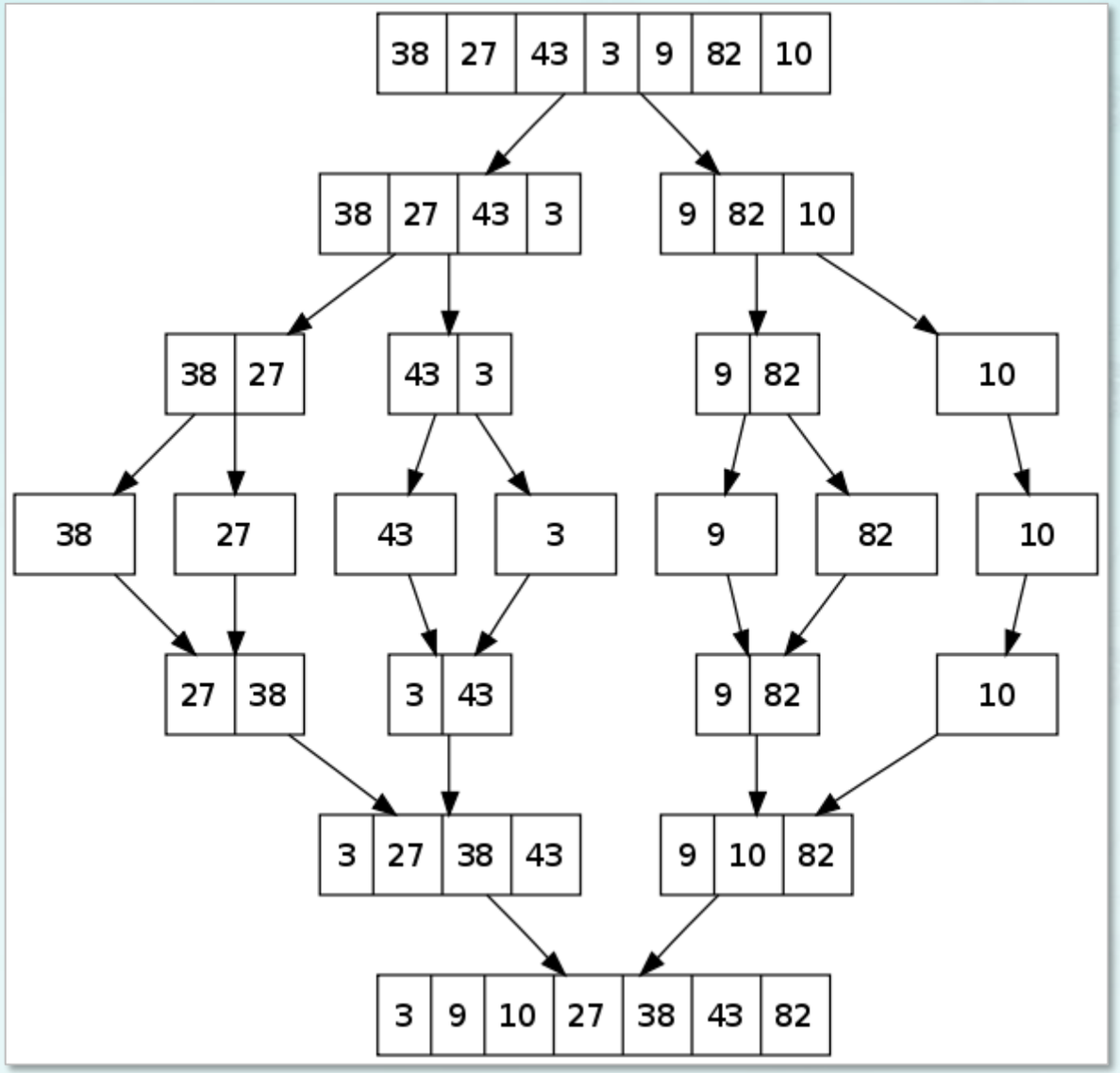

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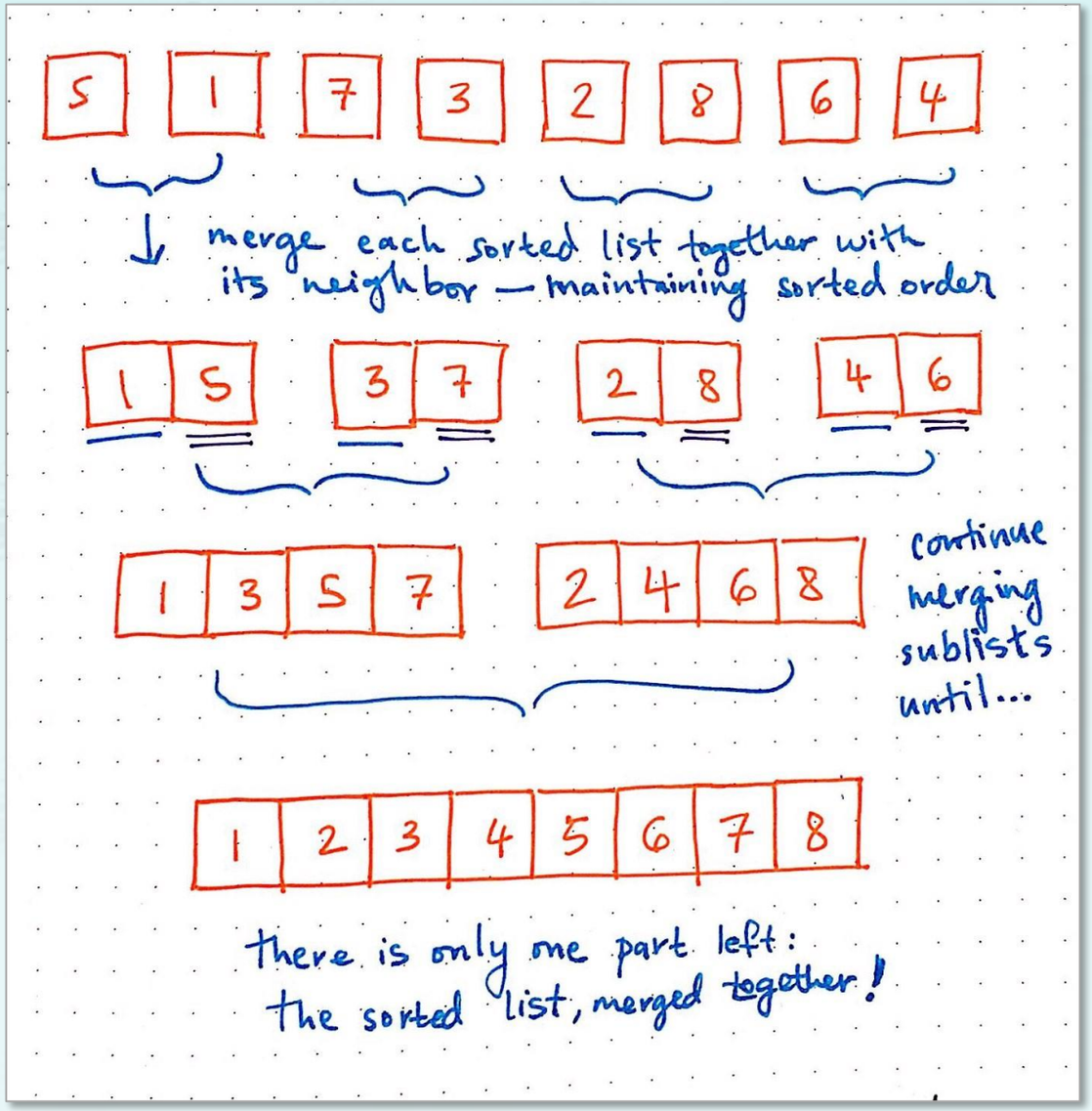

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mergeSort(a[], aux[], N, lo,  hi)
If hi > lo
  Find the middle to divide the array into two: mi = (lo+hi)/2
  Split 1st half: mergeSort(a, aux, N, lo,   mi)
  Split 2nd half: mergeSort(a, aux, N, mi+1, hi)
  Merge the two halves sorted: merge(a, aux, lo, mi, hi)
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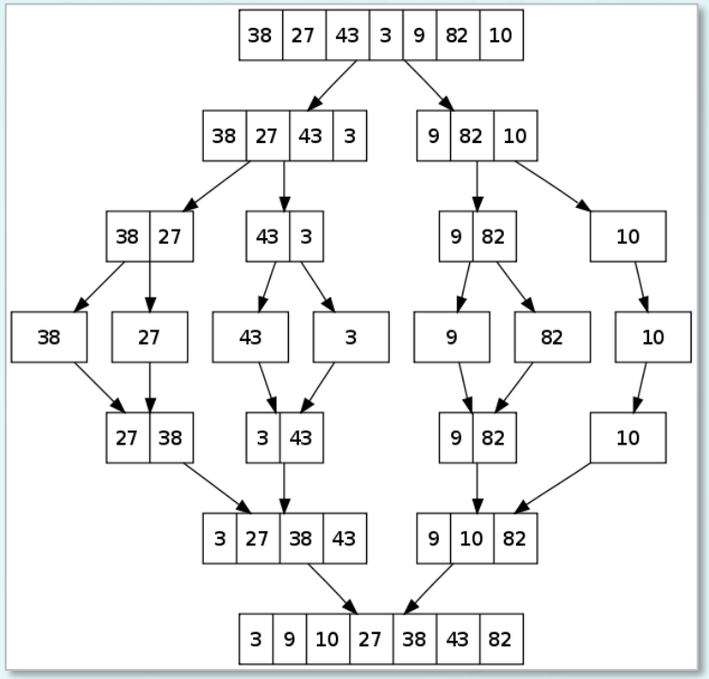


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mergeSort(a[], n) {
  ...
  mergeSort(a, aux, N, 0, N-1);
}
```

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```
void mergeSort(char *a, char *aux, int N, int lo, int hi) {
  if (hi <= lo) return;
  int mi = lo + (hi - lo) / 2;                    // mi=(lo+hi)/2
  mergeSort (a, aux, N, lo,     mi);
  mergeSort (a, aux, N, mi + 1, hi);
  merge(a, aux, lo, mi, hi);
}

int main() {
  char a[]={'M','E','R','G','E','S','O','R','T','E','X','A','M','P','L','E'};
  cout << "UNSORTED: "; for (auto x: a) cout << x; cout << endl;
  int N = sizeof(a) / sizeof(a[0]);
  char *aux = new char[N];
  mergeSort(a, aux, N, 0, N - 1);
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int isSorted(char *a, int i, int j){return a[i] <= a[j];}

void merge(char *a, char *aux, int lo, int mi, int hi) {
    assert(isSorted(a, lo,   mi));     // precondition: a[lo..mi]   sorted
    assert(isSorted(a, mi+1, hi));     // precondition: a[mi+1..hi] sorted
    for (int k = lo; k <= hi; k++) aux[k] = a[k];

    int i = lo;
    int j = mi + 1;
    for (int k = lo; k <= hi; k++) {
        if      (i > mi)           a[k] = aux[j++];     // A is exhausted, take B[j]
        else if (j > hi)           a[k] = aux[i++];     // B is exhausted, take A[i]
        else if (aux[j] < aux[i]) a[k] = aux[j++];     // B[j] <  A[i], take B[j]
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    assert(isSorted(a, lo, hi));       // postcondition: a[lo..hi] sorted
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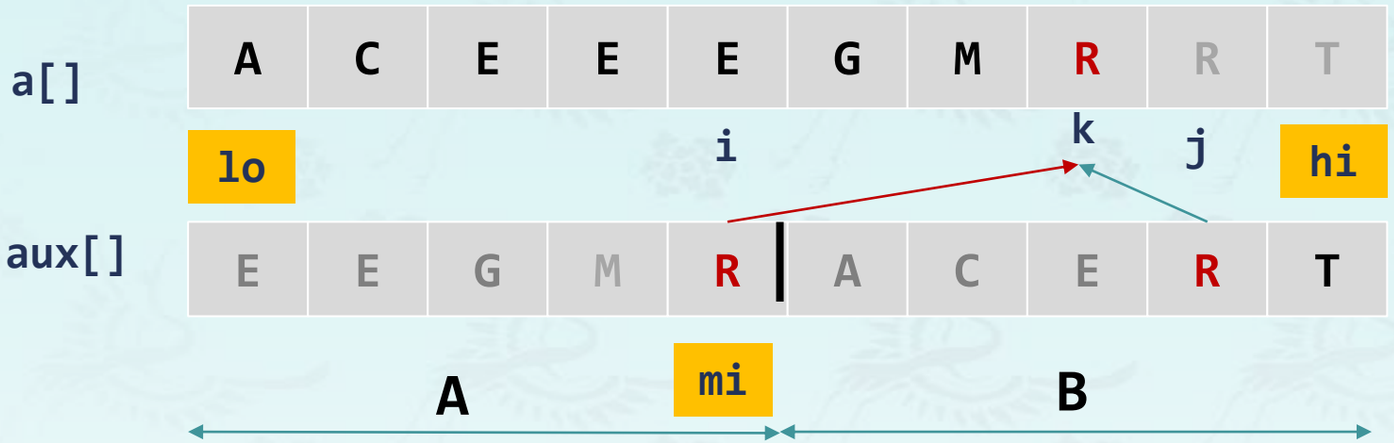

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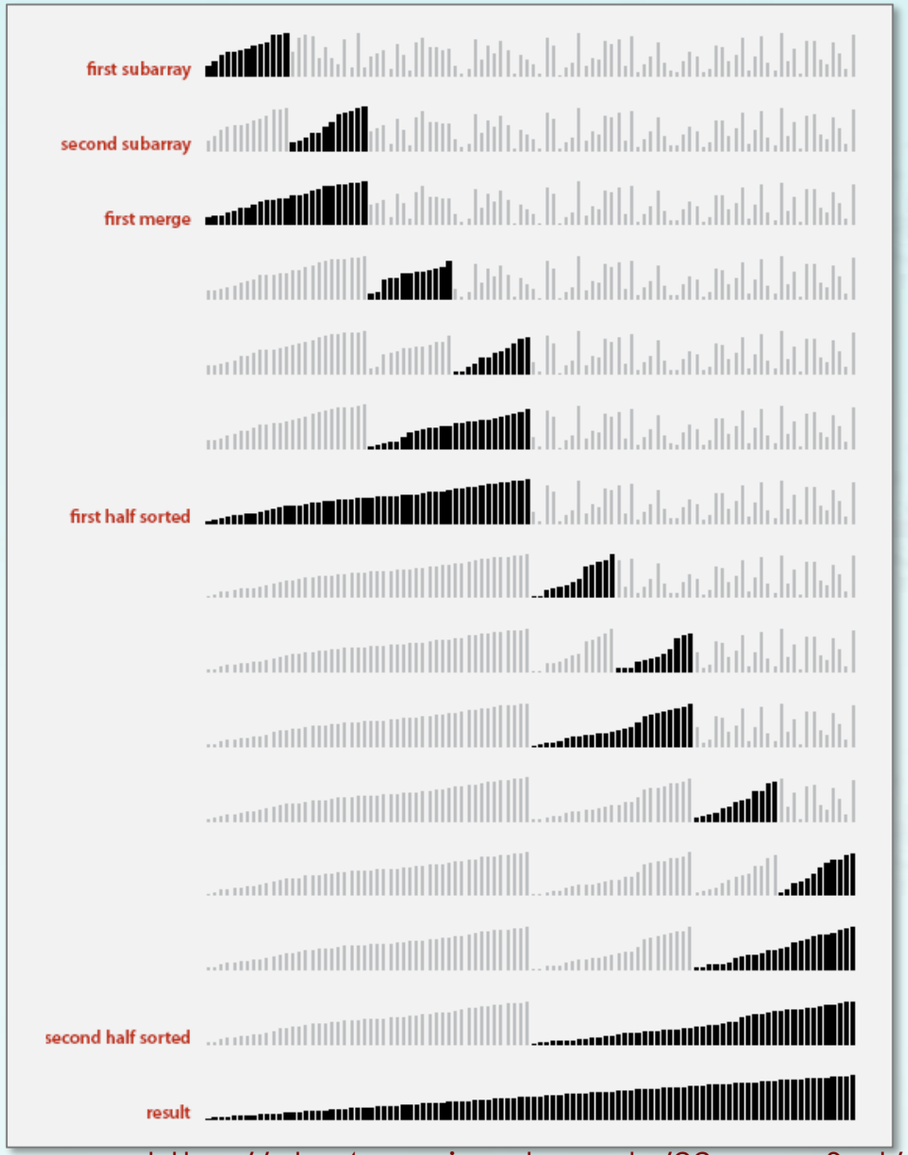

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Assertion in C/C++

- **Assertion:** Statement to test assumptions about your program in Java.
  - Helps detect logic bugs.
  - Documents code.
- **Assert statement:** abort the program and print an error message (the function name and a line number) unless Boolean condition is true.

```
#include <cassert>
assert( isSorted(a, lo, hi) );
```

- **Best practices:** Use assertions to check internal invariants;
  - Assume assertions will be disabled in production code.
  - Do not use for external argument checking.

Mergesort: Quiz 1

1. Improvement by reducing the number of `merge()` function call.
   Some hints for this problem are provided in the following pages.
2. How many times did you spare `merge()` calls for "`MERGESORTEXAMPLE`" case?
   - Total number of **merge()** calls without your improvement: _____
   - The number of **merge()** calls spared with your improvement: _____
3. Identify those sets of char array groups that `merge()` call was unnecessary.

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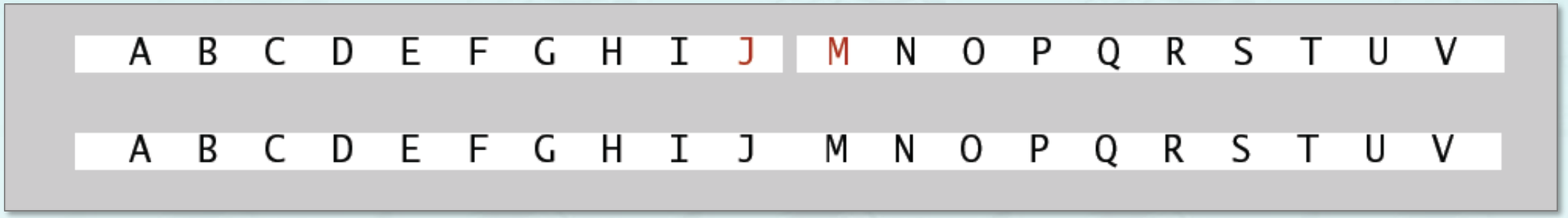

정렬들에 관한 좋은 자료를 읽어 보길 적극 추천합니다.
영어: https://medium.com/basecs/making-sense-of-merge-sort-part-1-49649a143478
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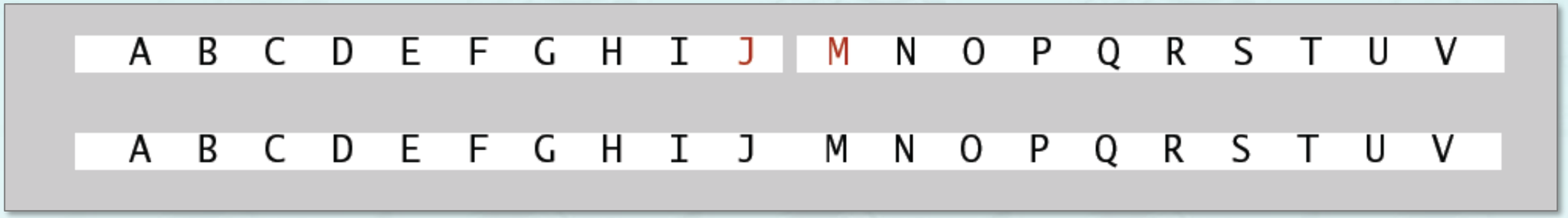


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    int mi = lo + (hi - lo) / 2;
    mergeSort(a, aux, N, lo,     mi);
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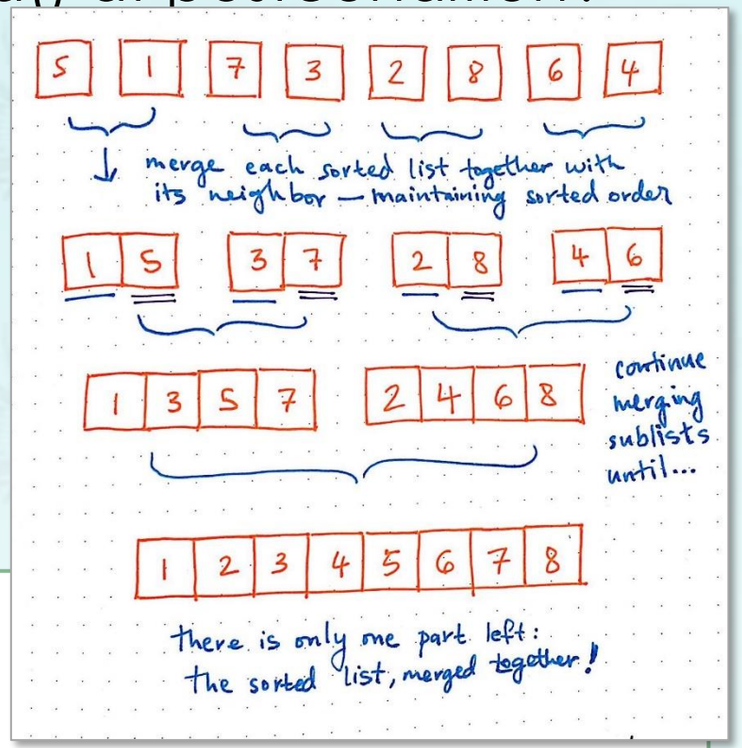
    // your code here                    // already sorted
    merge(a, aux, lo, mi, hi);
}
```

Mergesort: Quiz 2

- In the figure, which elements are compared in isSorted() at postcondition?
- Why isSorted() checks only two elements?
  Is this enough?

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void merge(int *a, char *aux, int lo, int mi, int hi) {
    assert(isSorted(a, lo,   mi));     // precondition: a[lo..mi]   sorted
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     ……
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}
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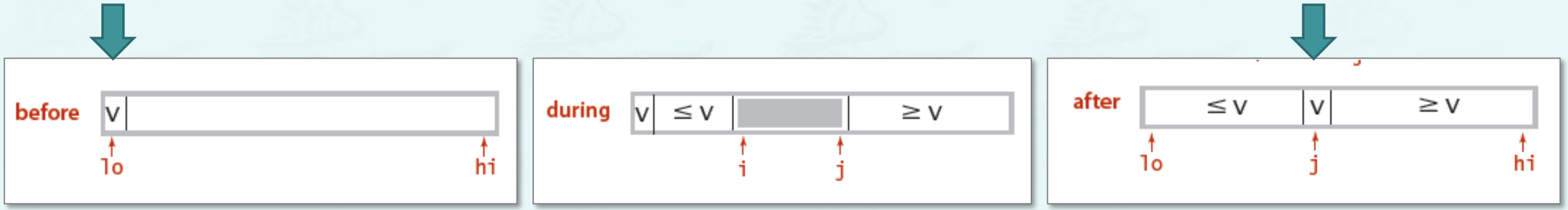

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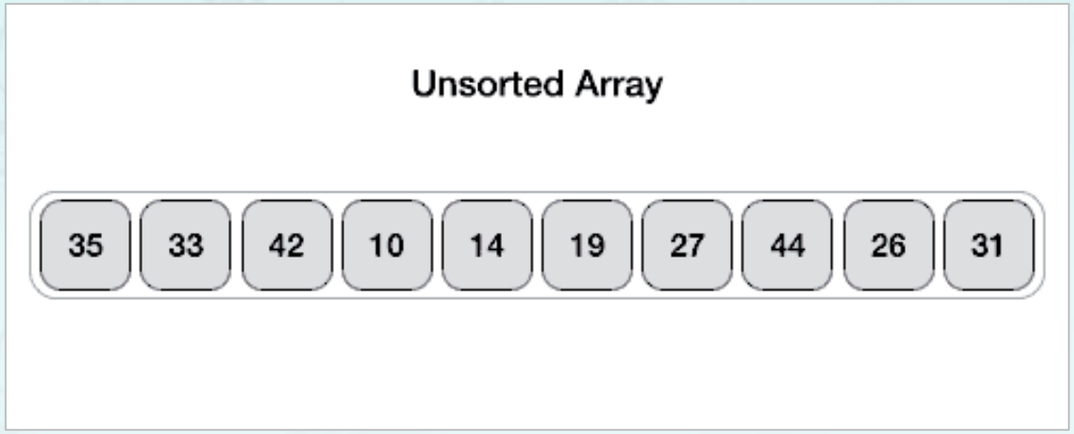

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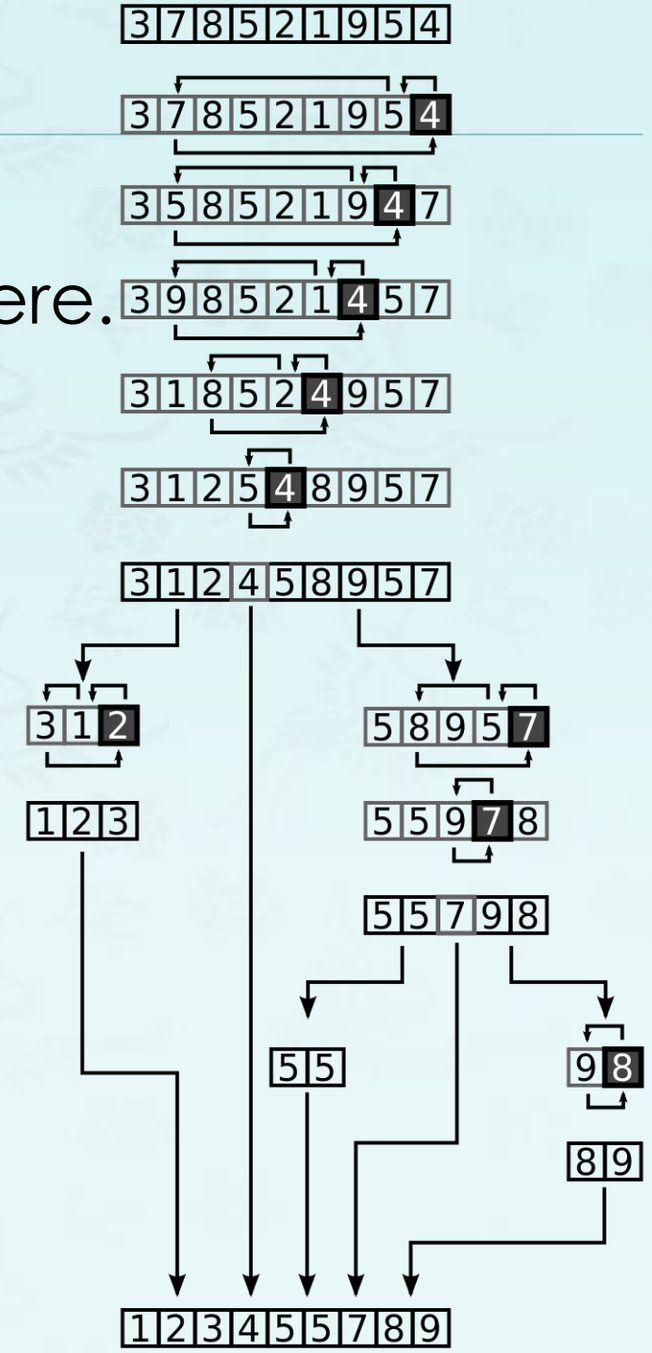

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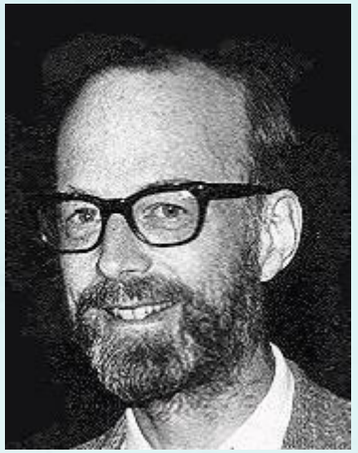

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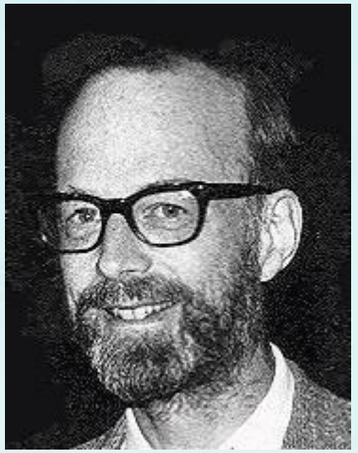

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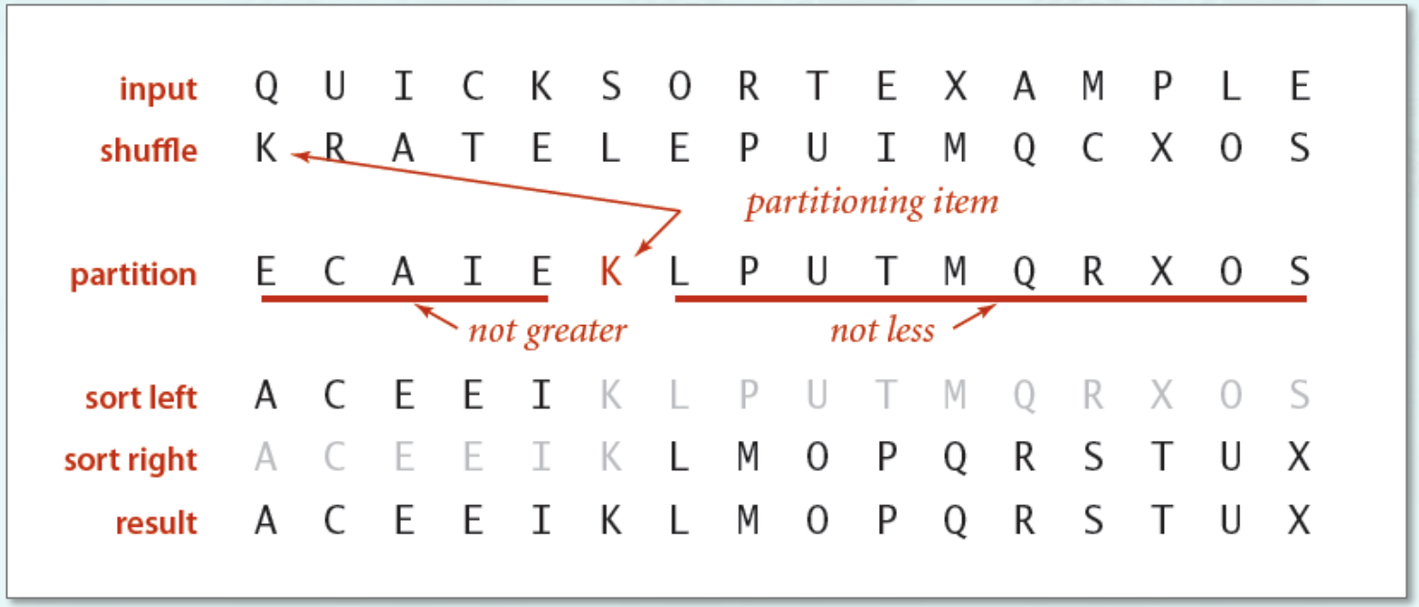

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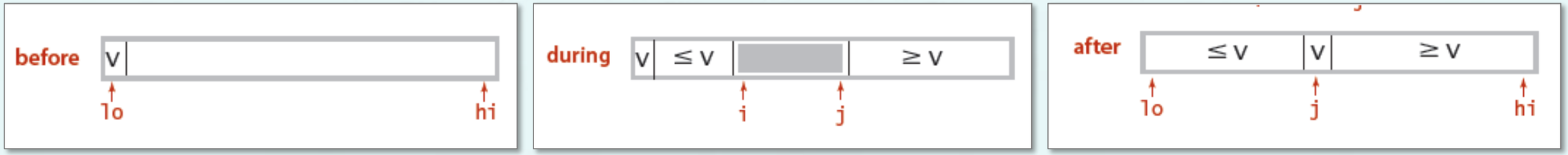
lo	i														j



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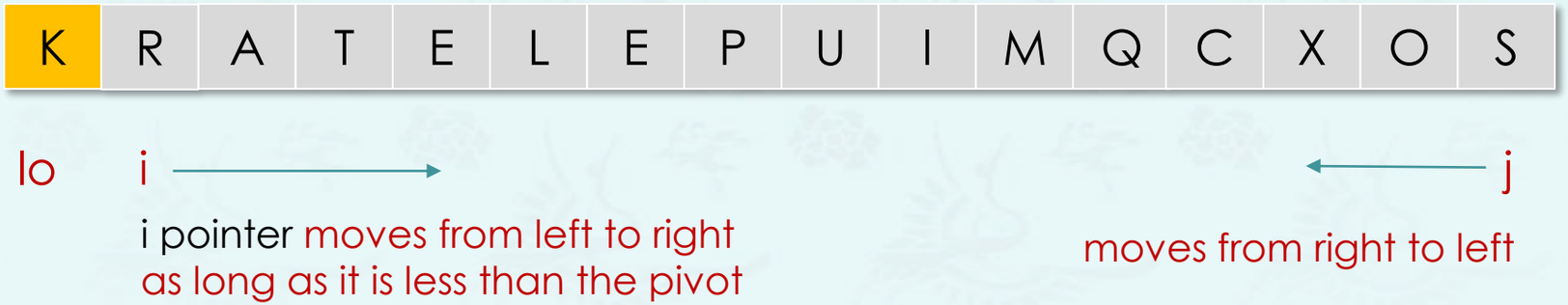

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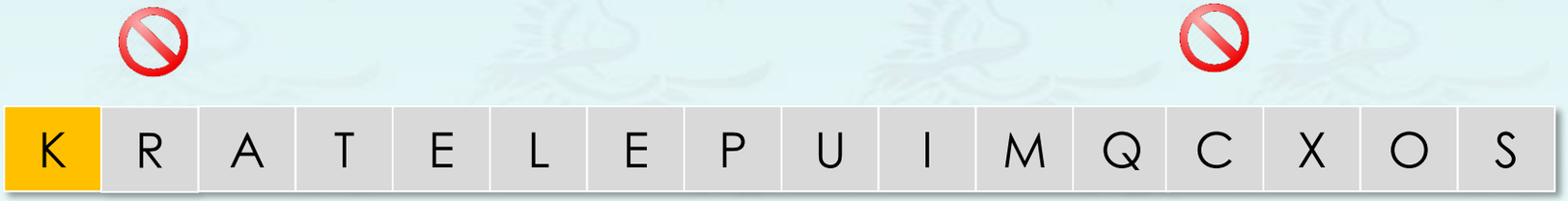

lo i

i pointer moves from left to right
as long as it is less than the pivot

i pointer stops immediately since ….

j ← j

moves from right to left

now decrement j until ….

j pointer moves and stops at "C"

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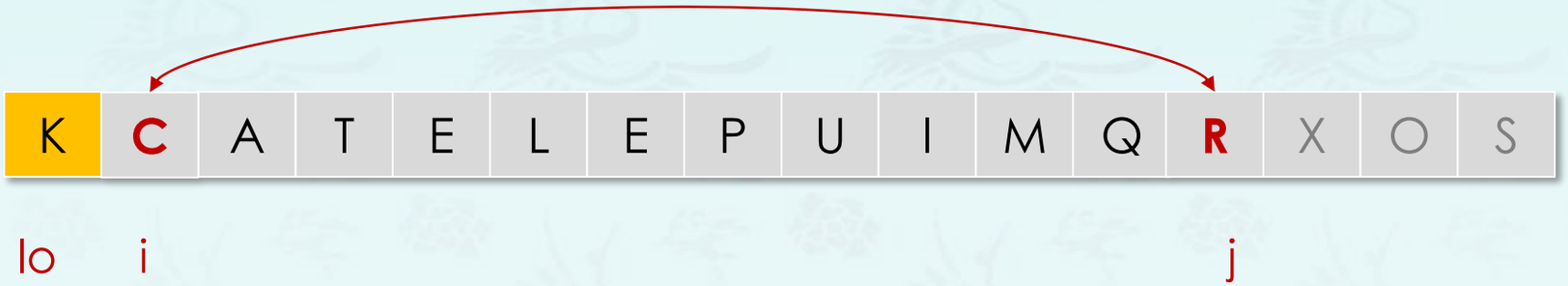

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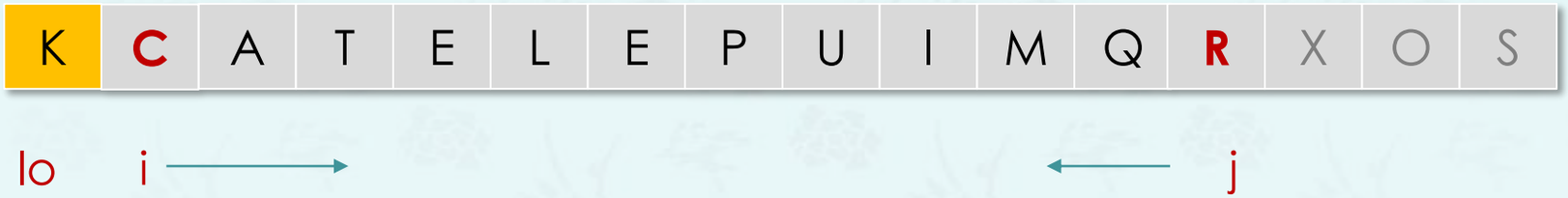

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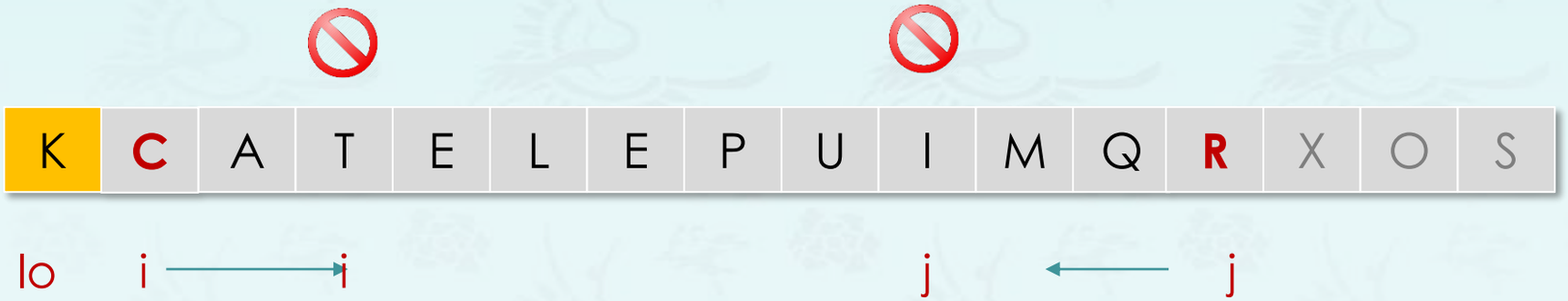

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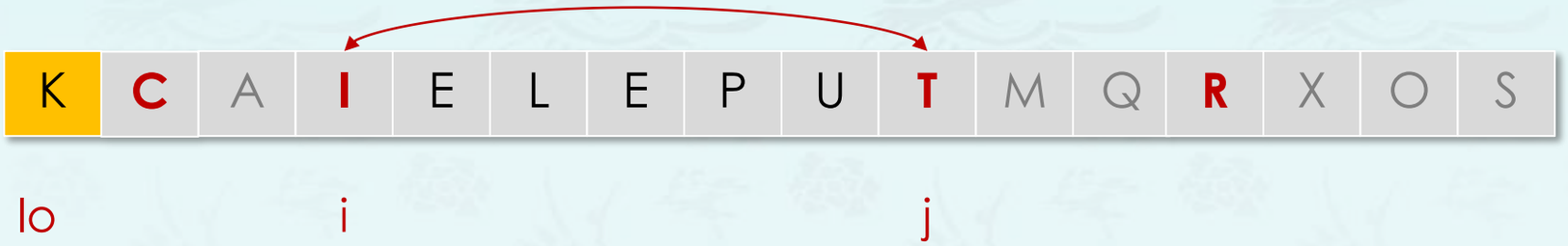

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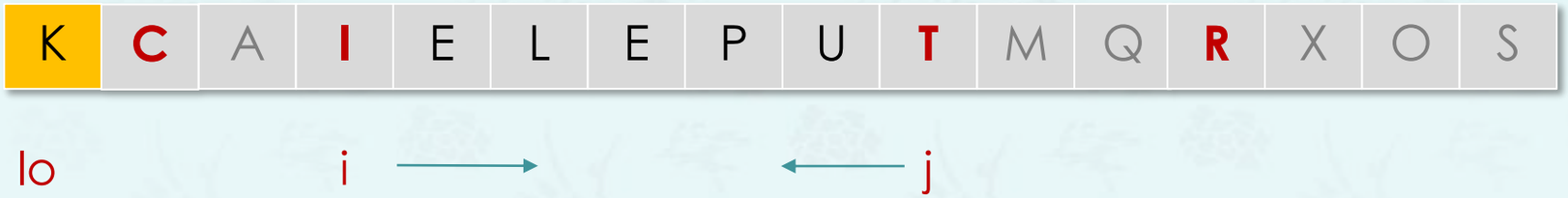

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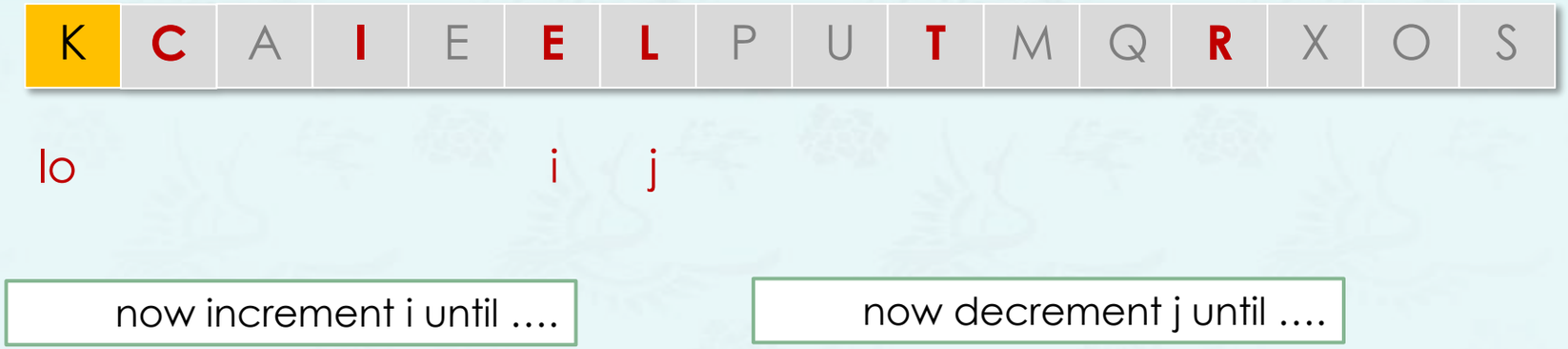

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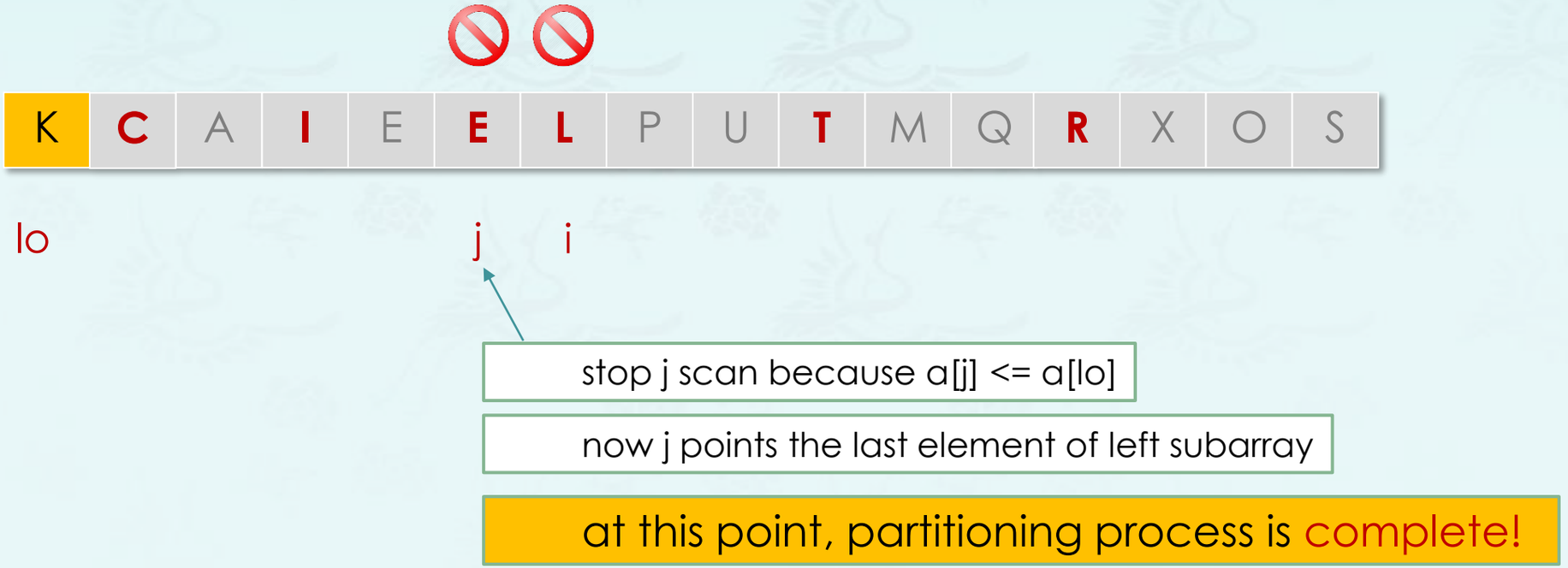

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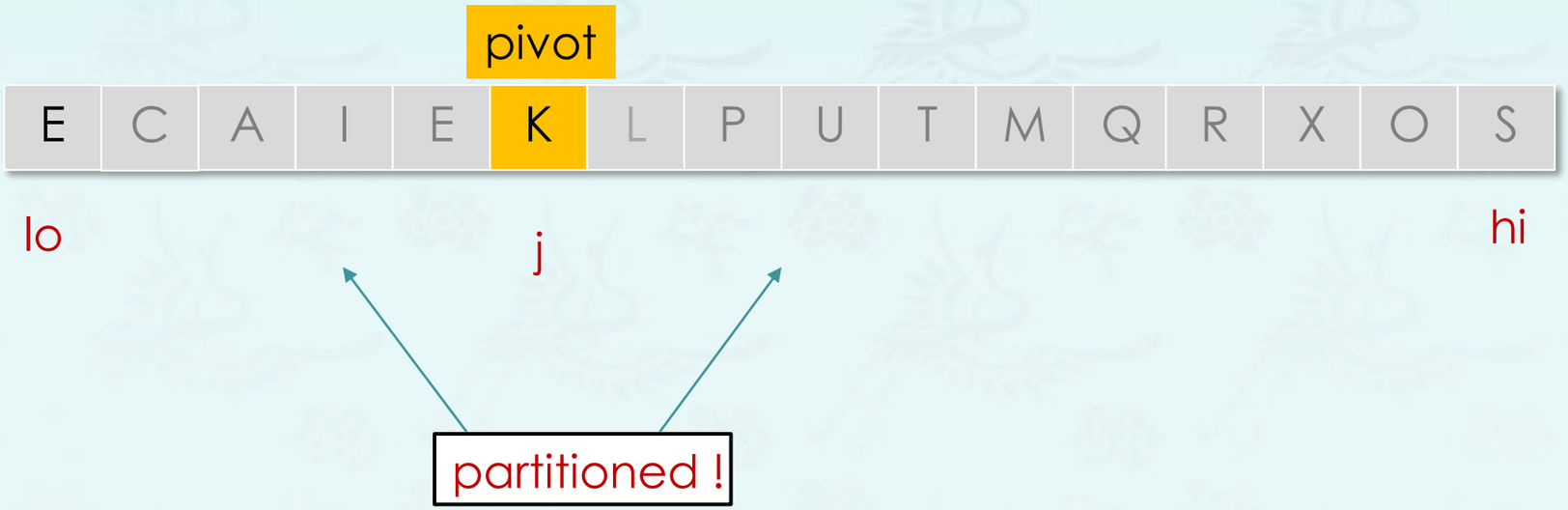

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void swap(char *a, int i, int j)  { char t = a[i];  a[i] = a[j];   a[j] = t; }

int partition(char *a, int lo, int hi) {
    int i = lo; int j = hi + 1;
    while (1) {
        while (less(a[++i], a[lo]))
            if (i == hi) break;

        while (less(a[lo], a[--j]))
            if (j == lo) break;

        if (i >= j) break;
        swap(a, i, j);
    }
    swap(a, lo, j);
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```

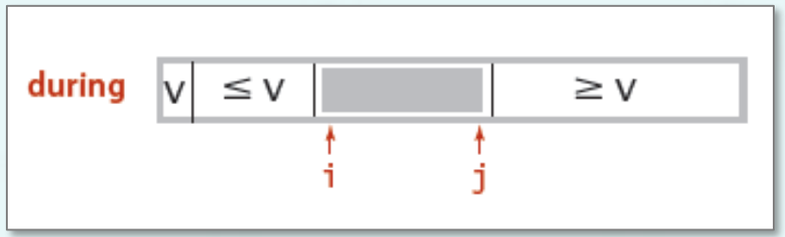
pivot

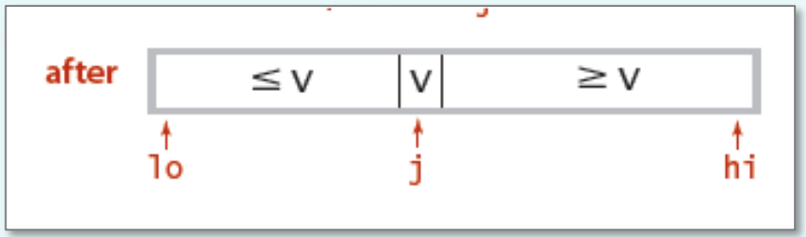
find item on left to swap

find item on right to swap

check if pointers cross
swap

swap with pivot
return index of item now sorted





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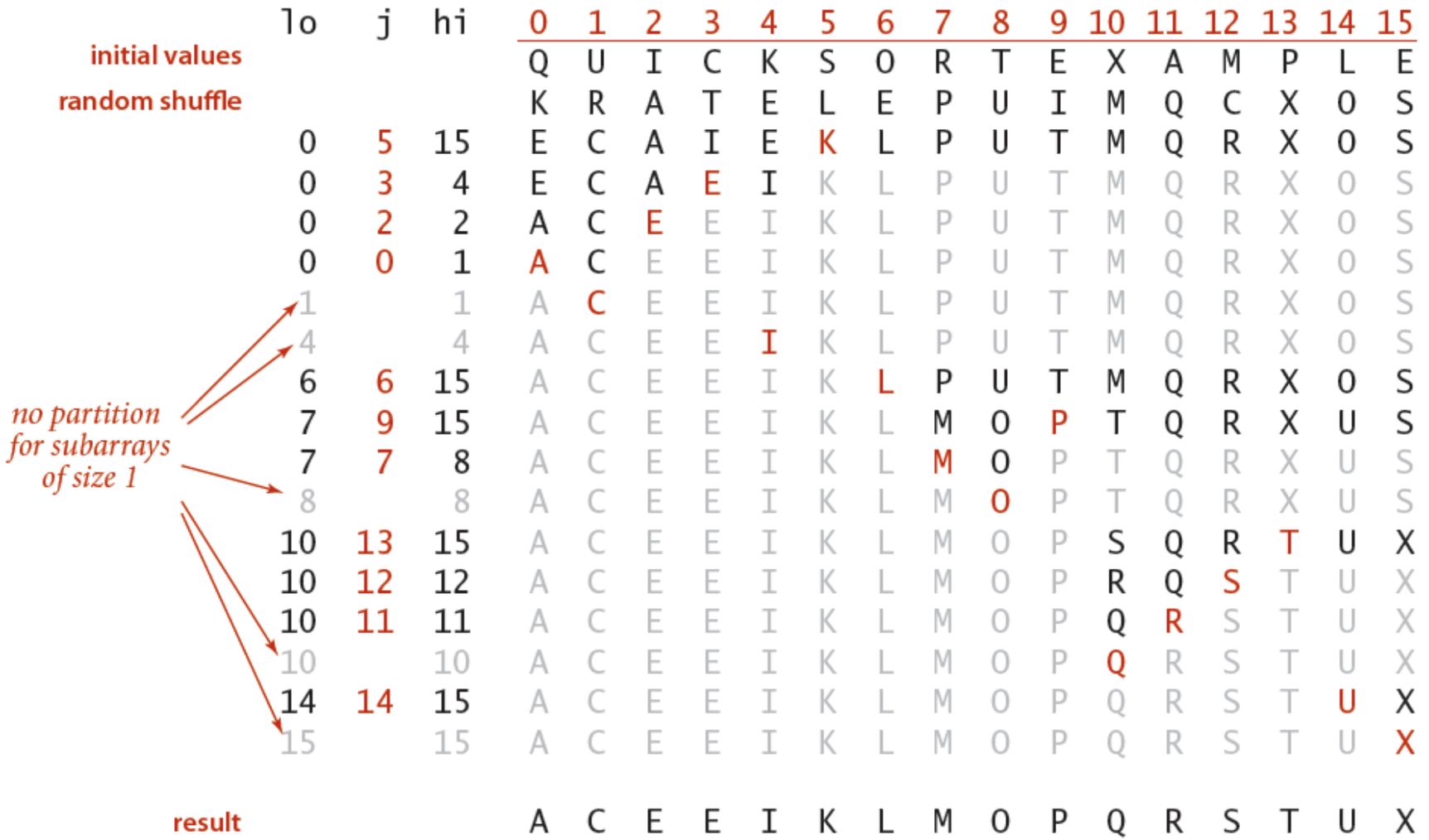

Quicksort trace (array contents after each partition)

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Quick Sort: best-case analysis

- **Best case:** Number of compares is ~ *N* lg *N*.

			a[ ]														
lo	j	hi	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
initial values			H	A	C	B	F	E	G	D	L	I	K	J	N	M	O
random shuffle			H	A	C	B	F	E	G	D	L	I	K	J	N	M	O
0	7	14	D	A	C	B	F	E	G	H	L	I	K	J	N	M	O
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Quick Sort: worst-case analysis

- **Worst case:** Number of compares is ~ ½ N^2 .

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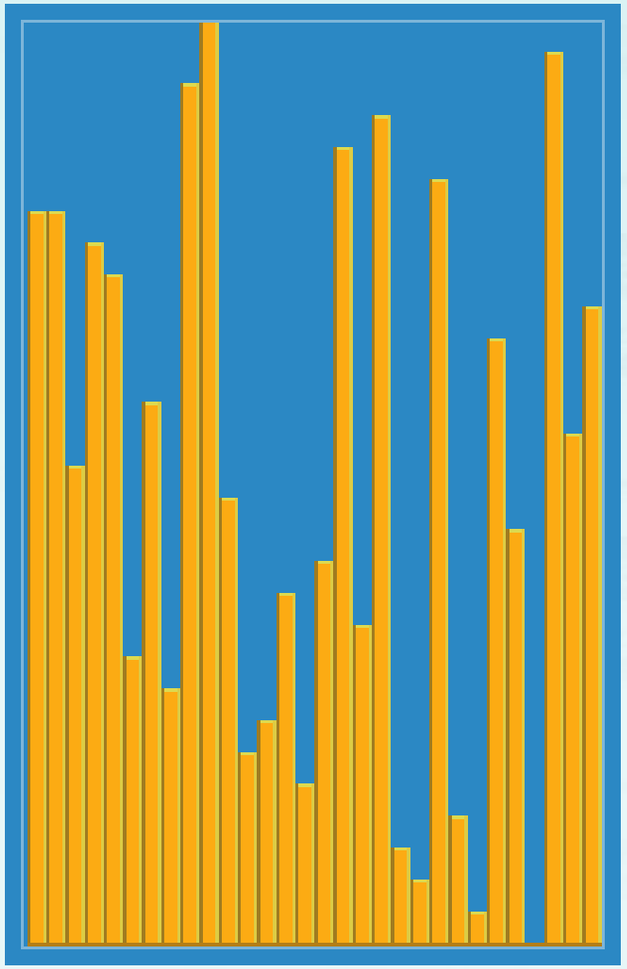
Quick Sort: average-case analysis

- Worst case: Number of compares is quadratic.
  - $N + (N - 1) + (N - 2) + \ldots + 1 \sim \frac{1}{2} N^2$.
  - More likely that your computer is struck by lightning bolt
- **Average case:** Number of compares is ~ 1.39 N lg N.
  - 39% more compares than mergesort.
  - But faster than mergesort in practice because of less data movement.
- Random shuffle:
  - Probabilistic guarantee against worst case.
  - Basis for math model that can be validated with experiments.

Sorting Algorithm Animation



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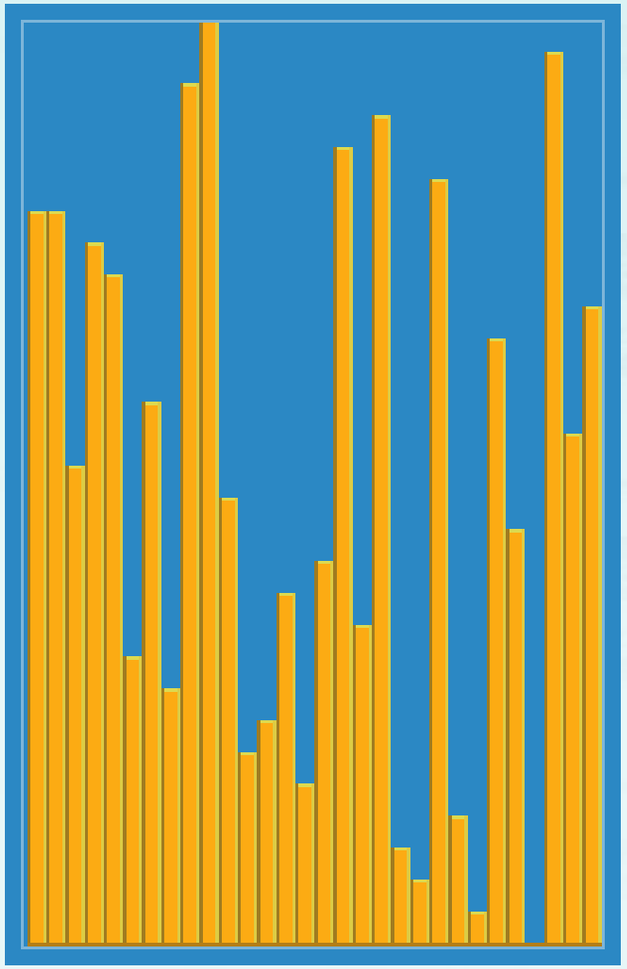

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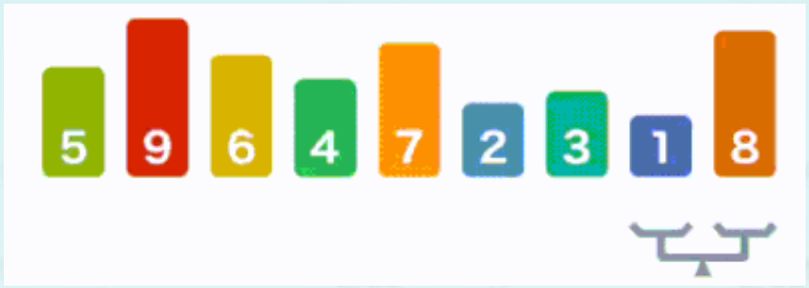

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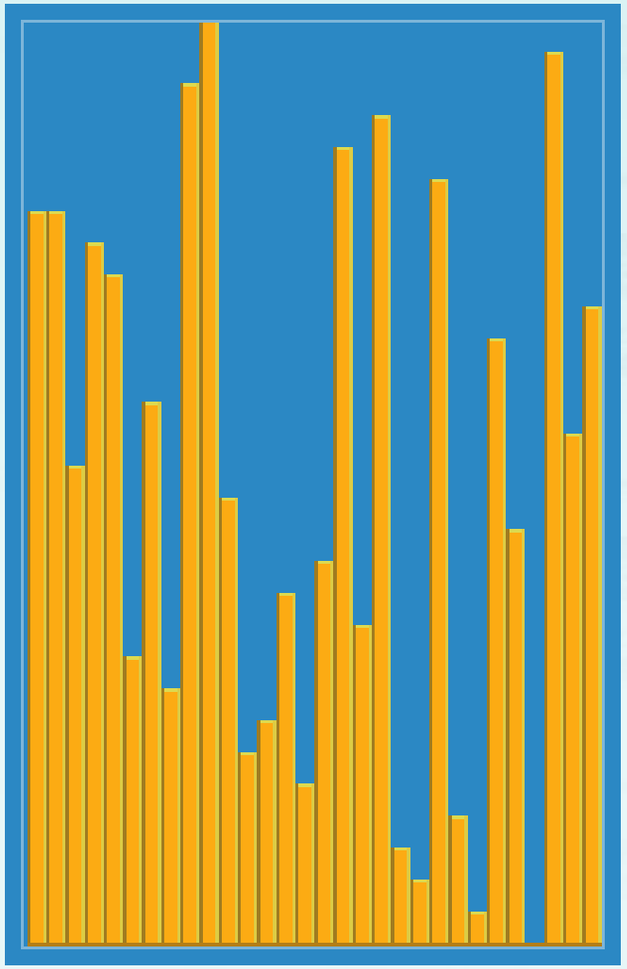

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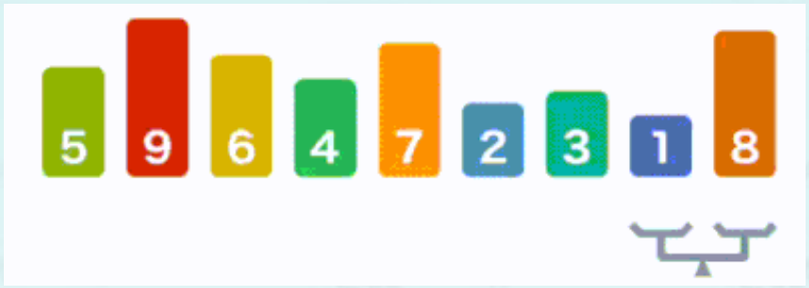

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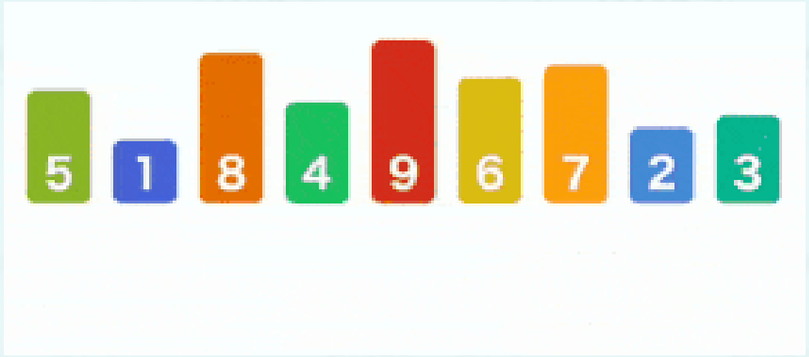

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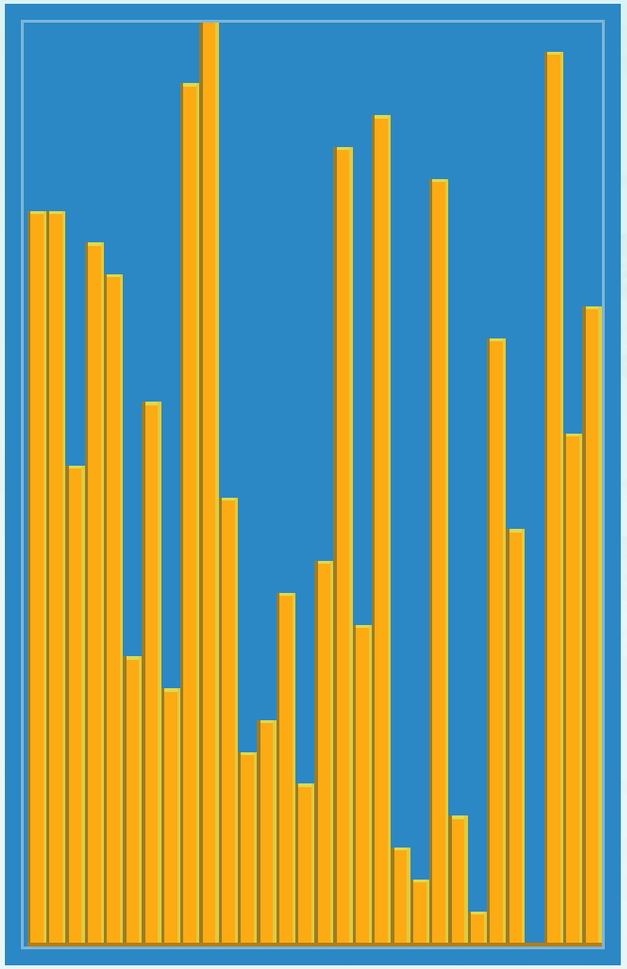

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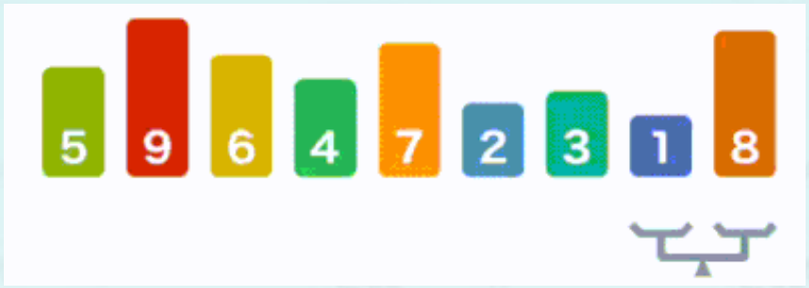

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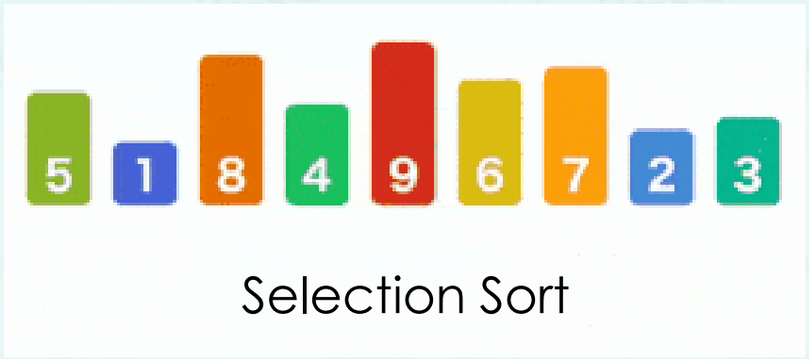

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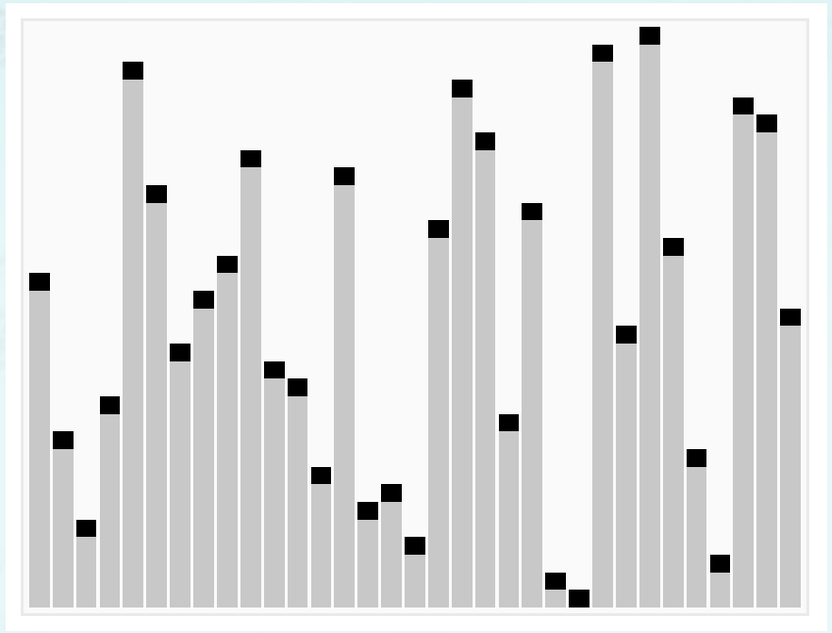

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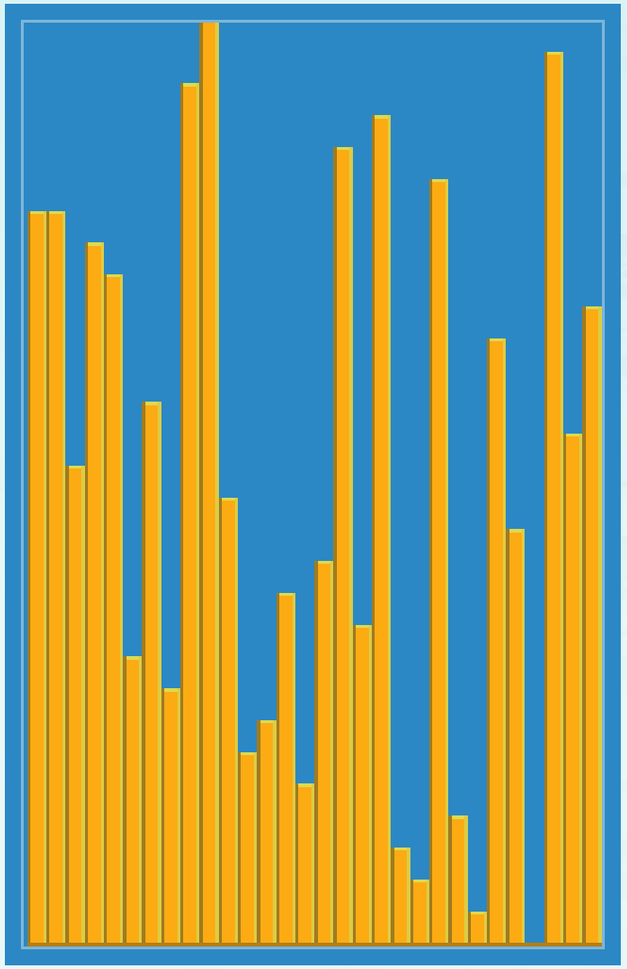

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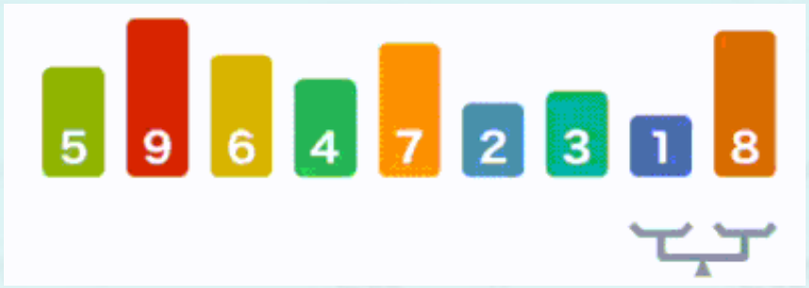

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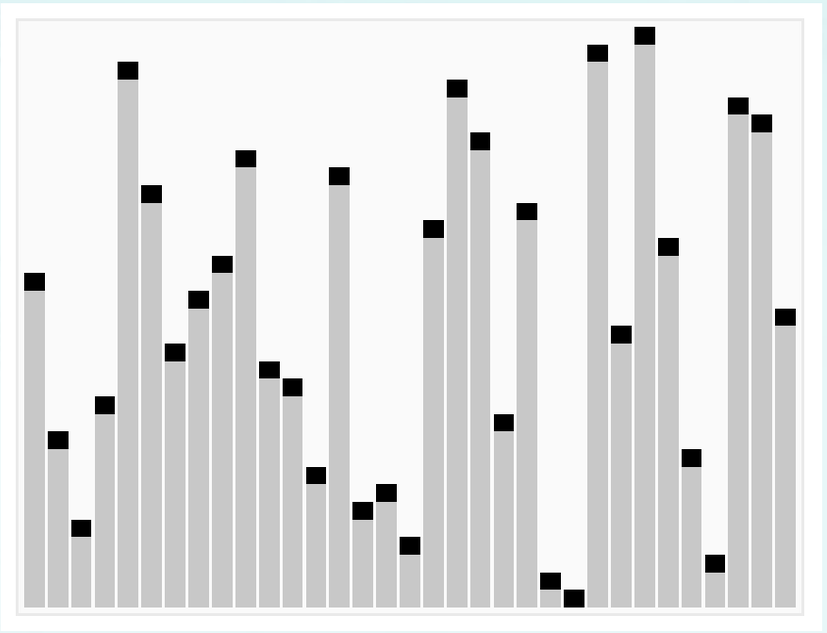

quicksort

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