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# COMP90038

# Algorithms and Complexity

Lecture 4: Analysis of Algorithms  
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Search in a list of $n$ items	$n$	Key comparison
Multiply two matrices of floats	Matrix size (rows x columns)	Float multiplication
Compute $a^n$	$\log n$	Float multiplication
Graph problem	Number of nodes and edges	Visiting a node

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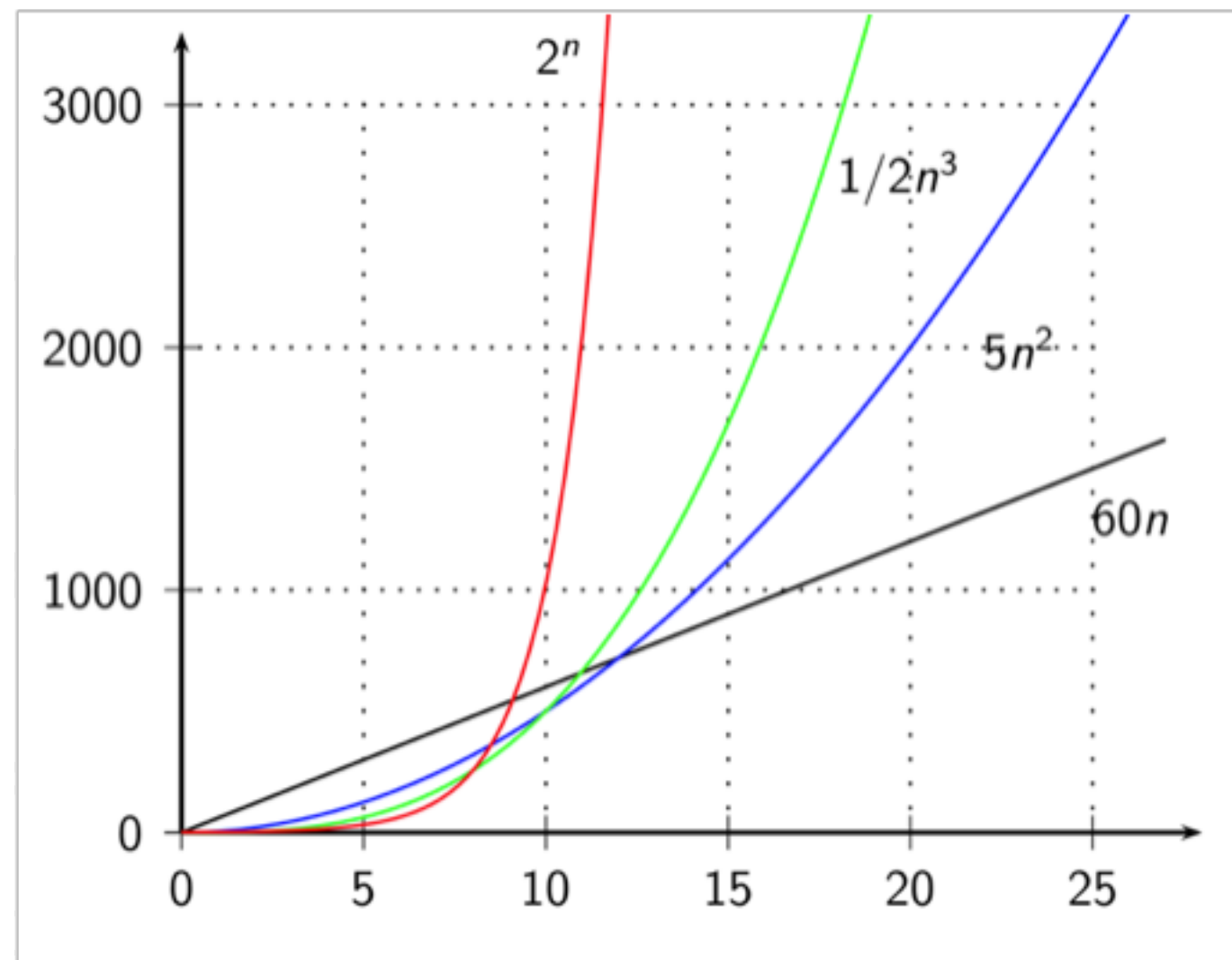
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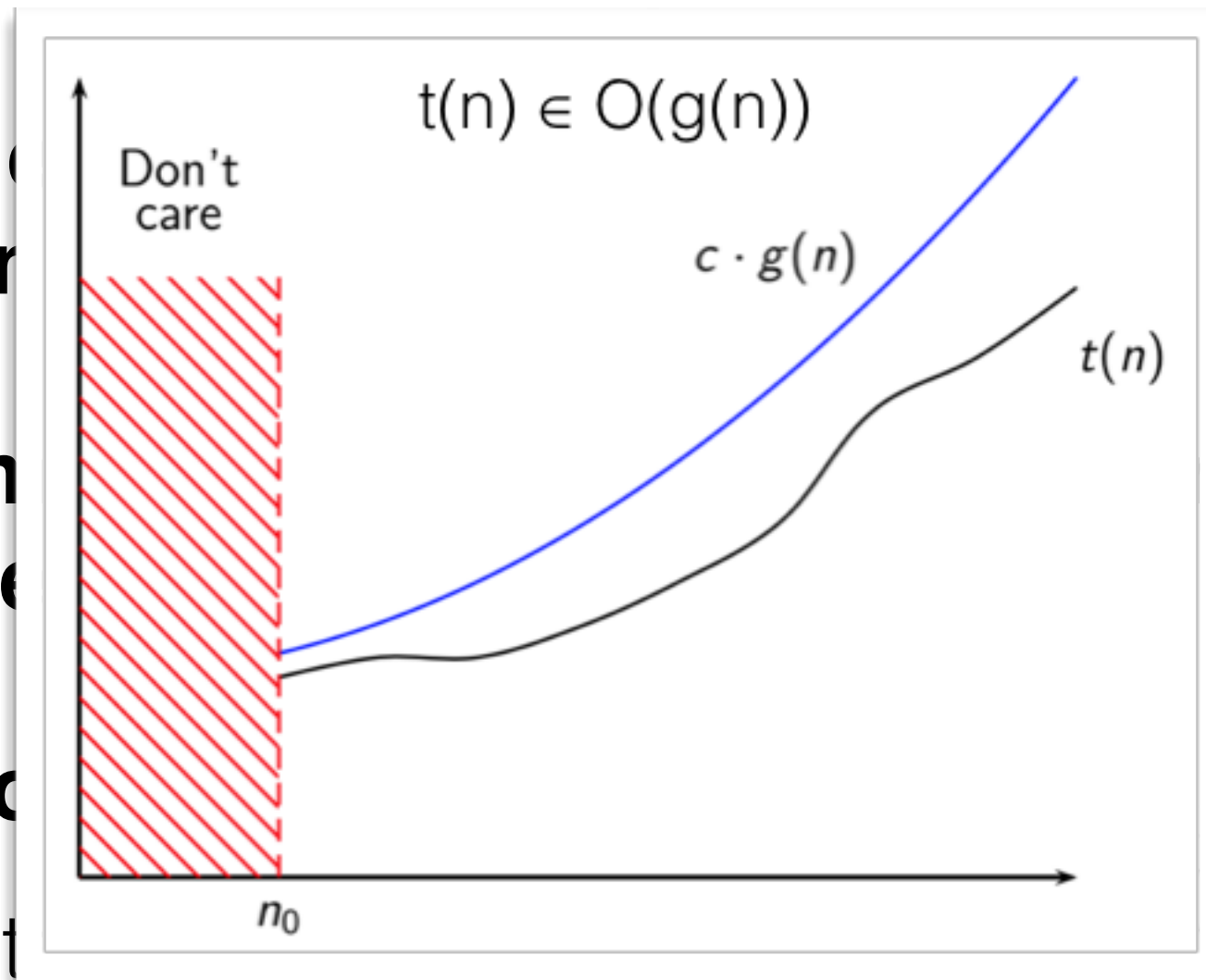
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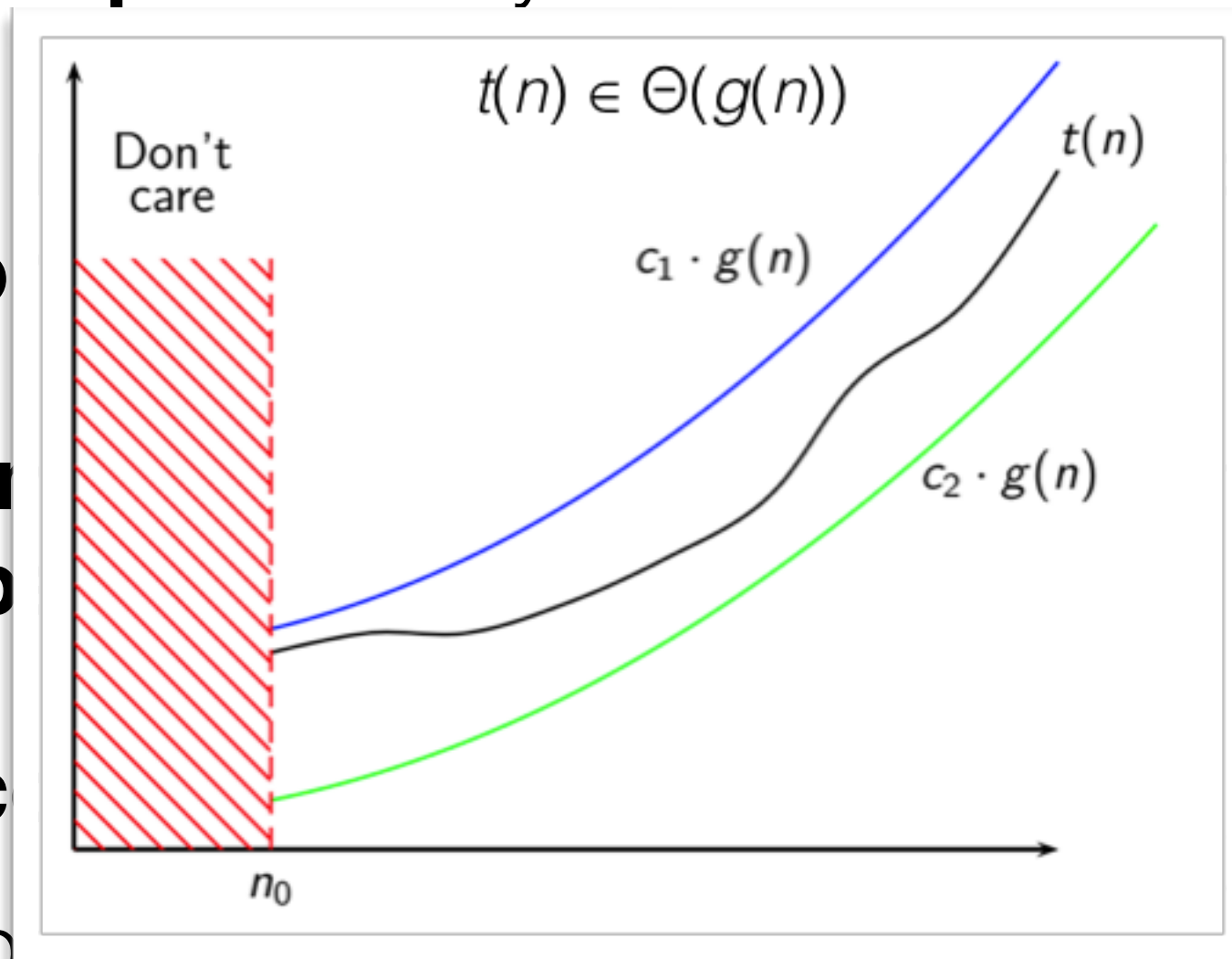
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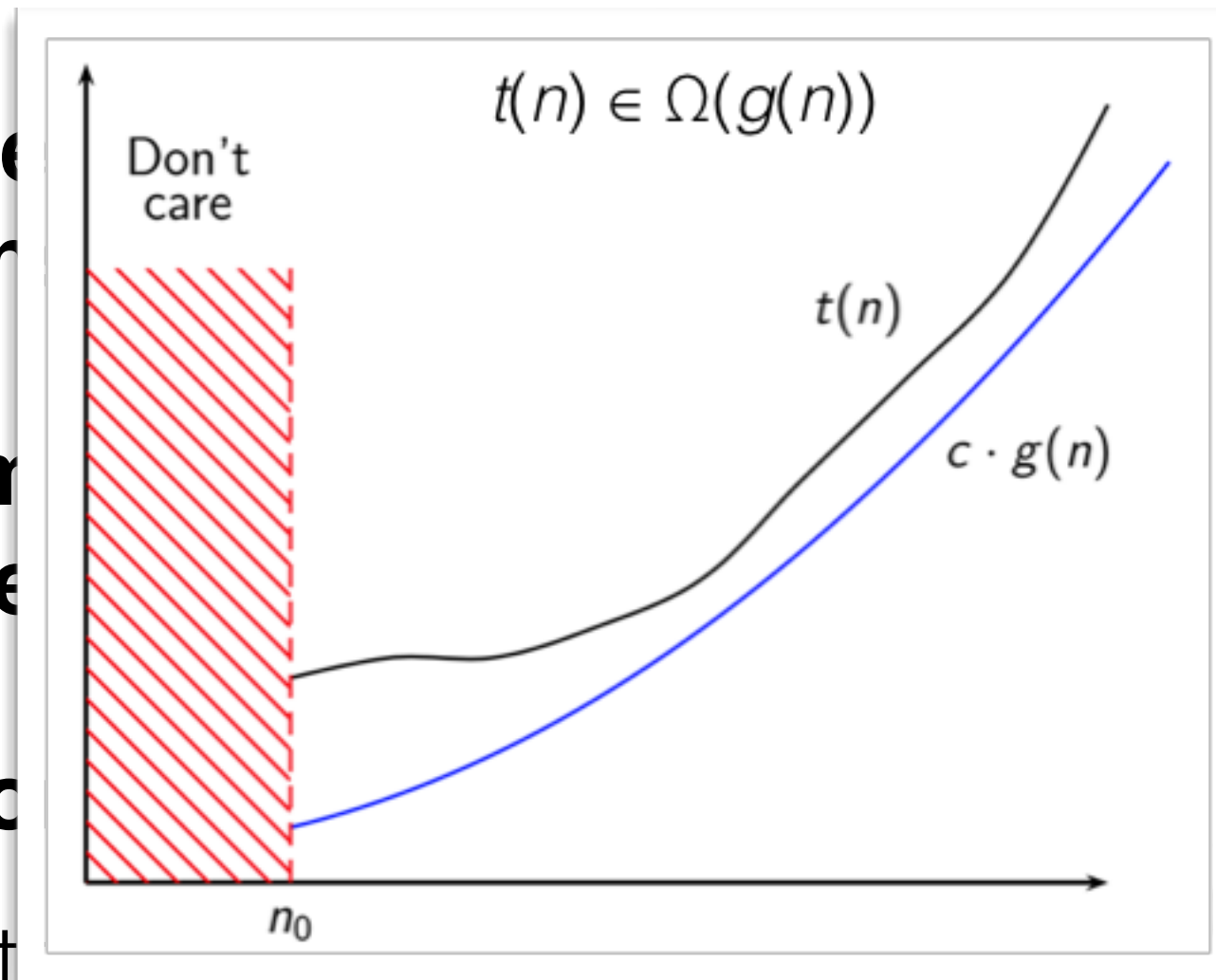
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# Establishing Growth Rate

- In the last lecture we proved  $t(n) \in O(g(n))$  for some cases of  $t$  and  $g$ , using the definition of  $O$  directly:

$$n > n_0 \Rightarrow t(n) < c \cdot g(n) \quad \text{for some } c \text{ and } n_0.$$

- A more common approach uses

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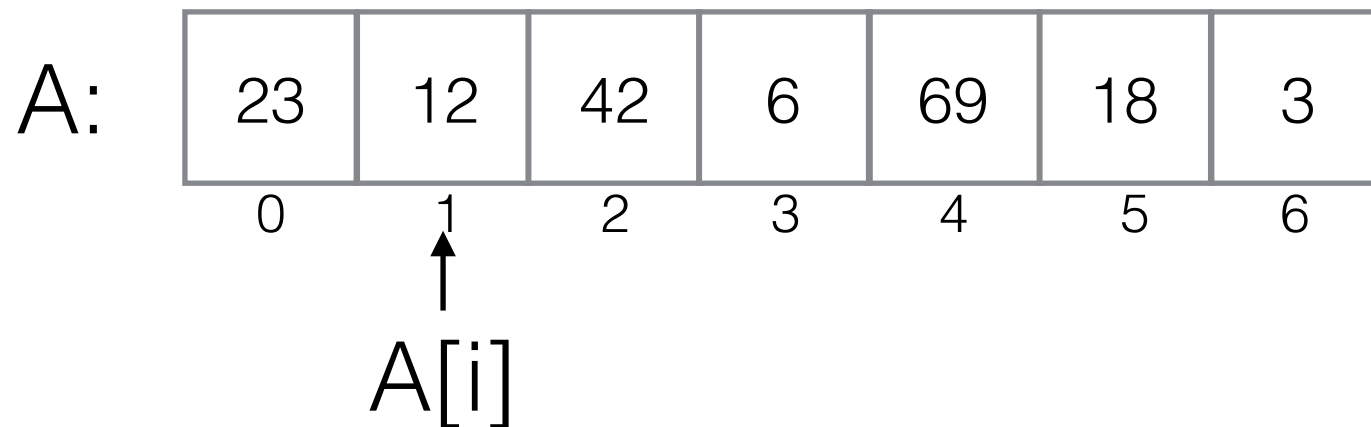
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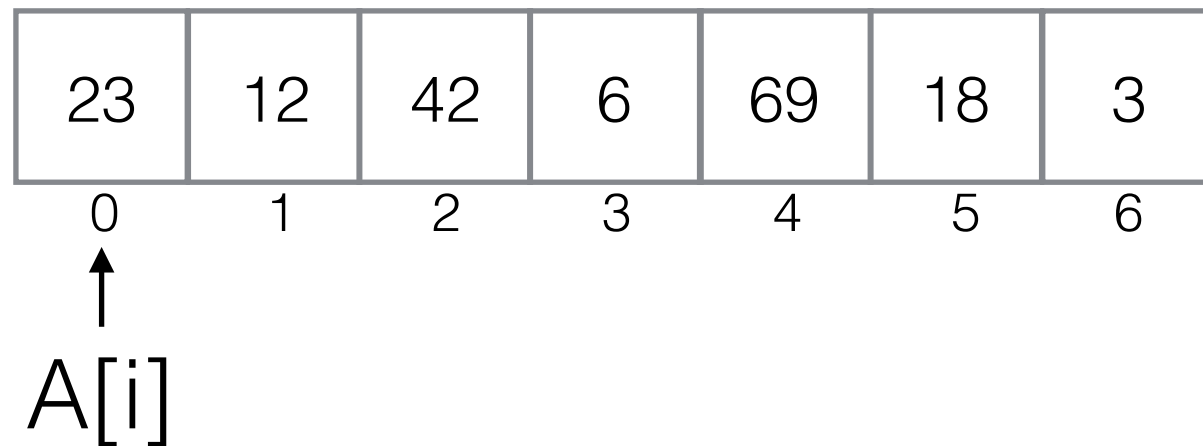
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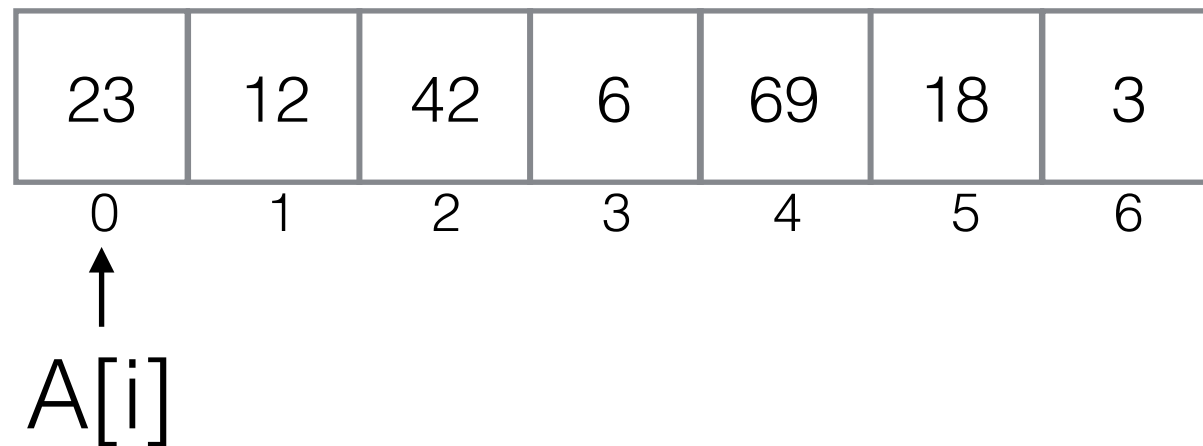
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min: 1

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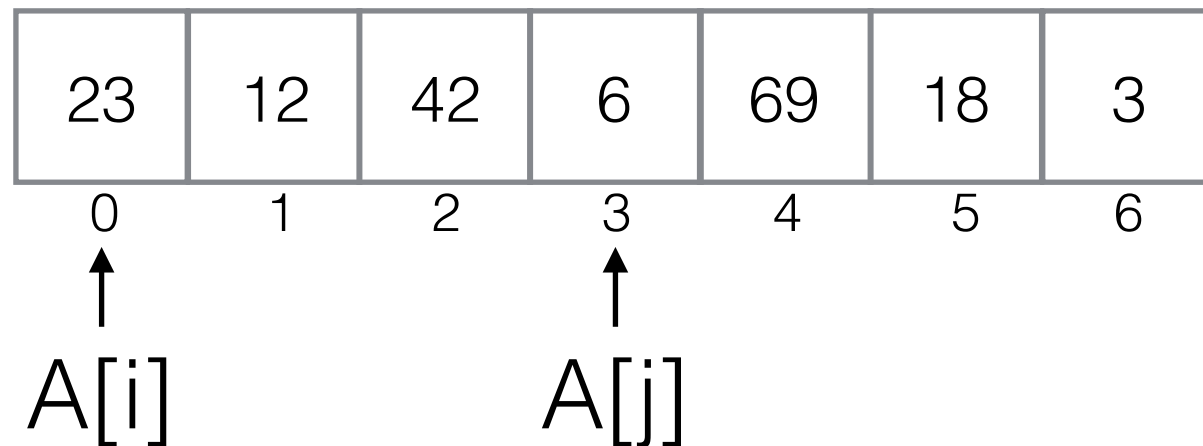
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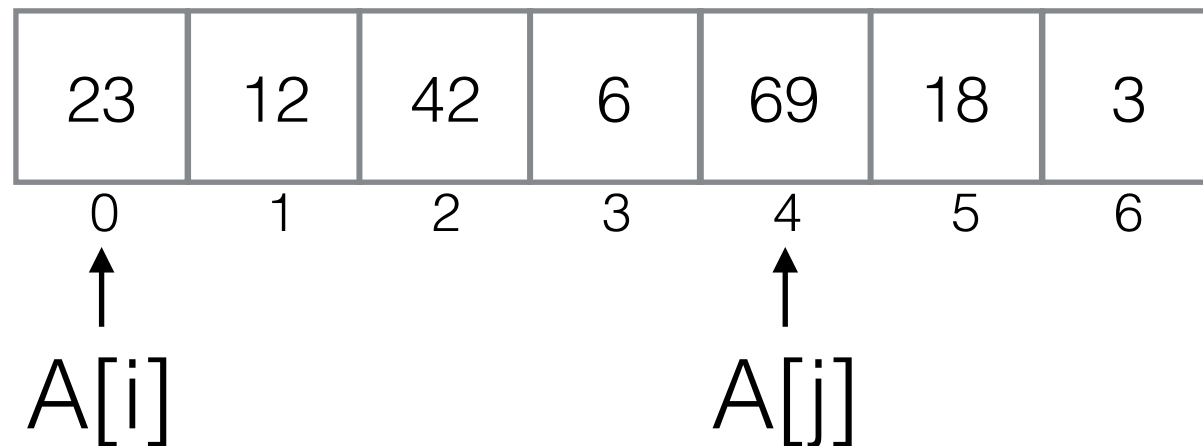
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min: 3

# Example: Selection Sort



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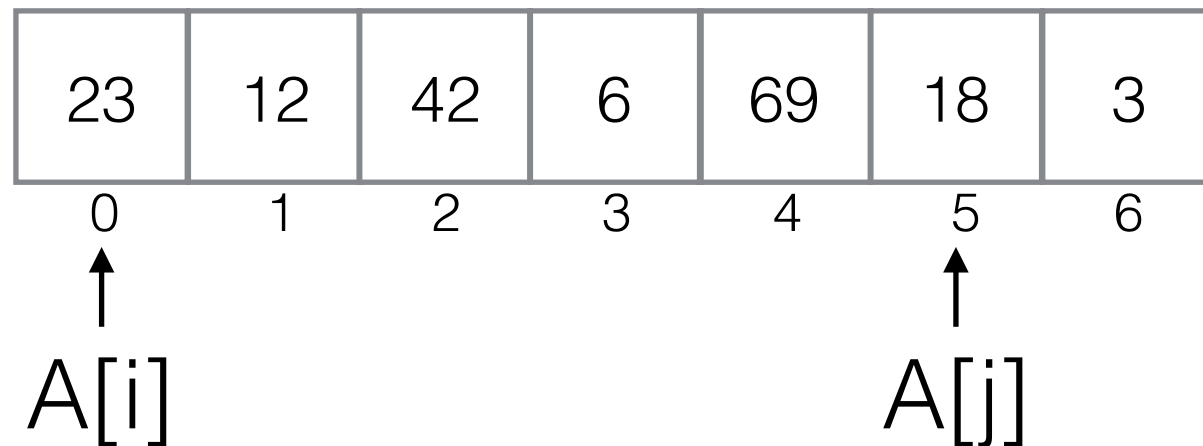


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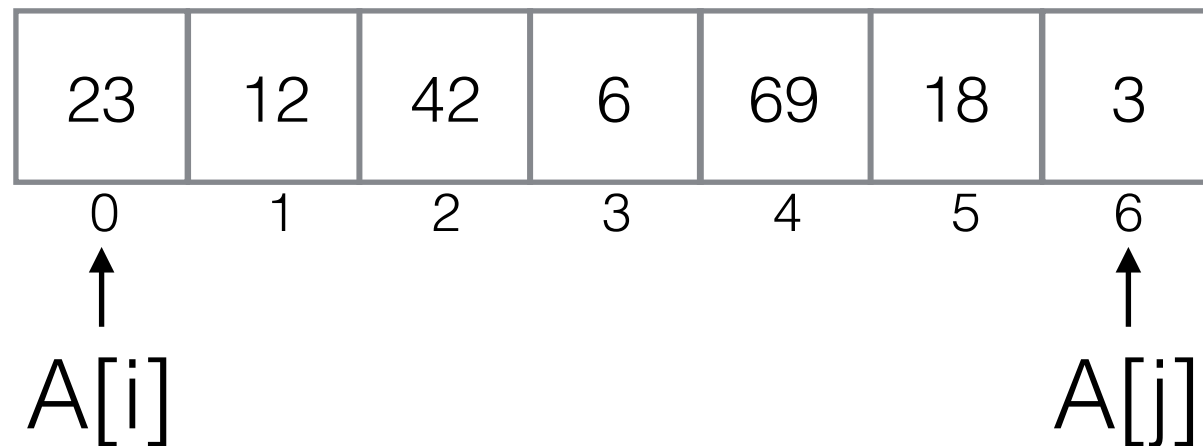


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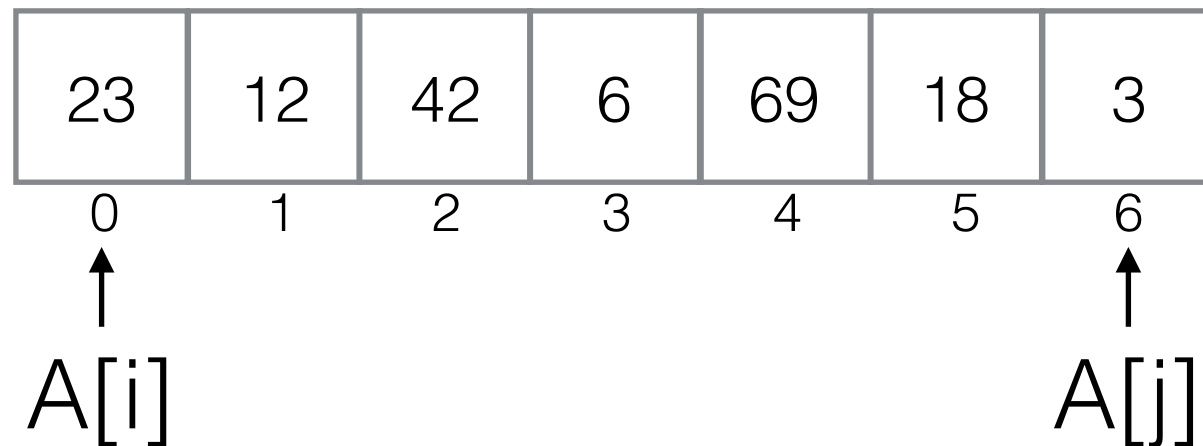


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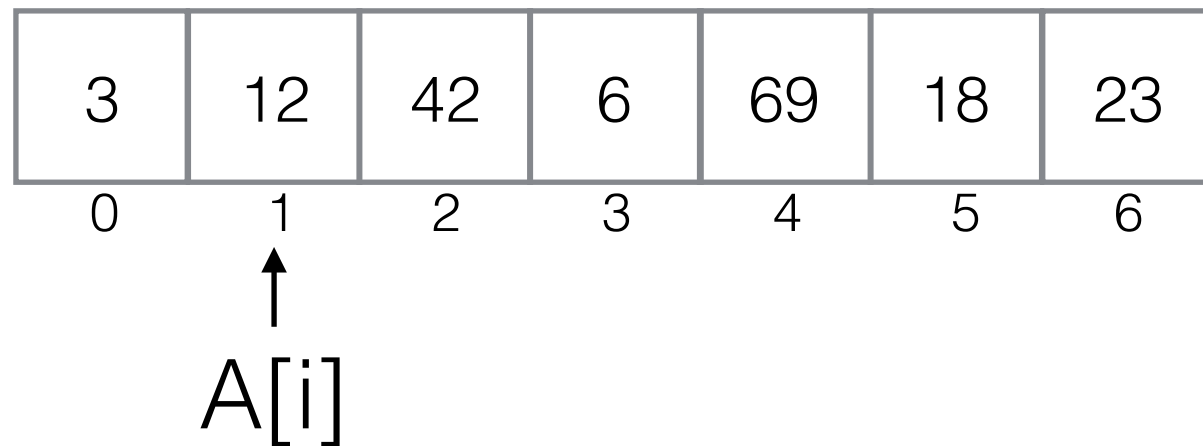
↑  
 $A[i]$

min: 6

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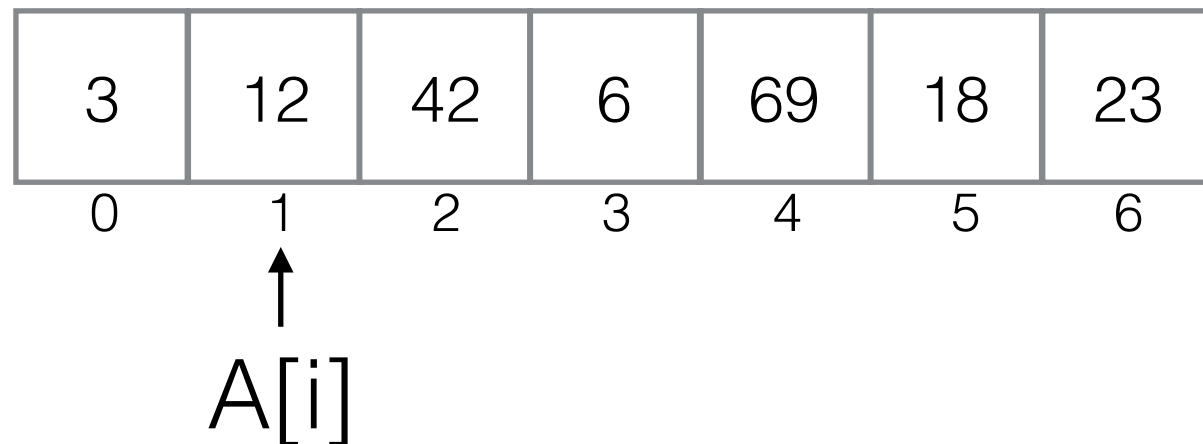


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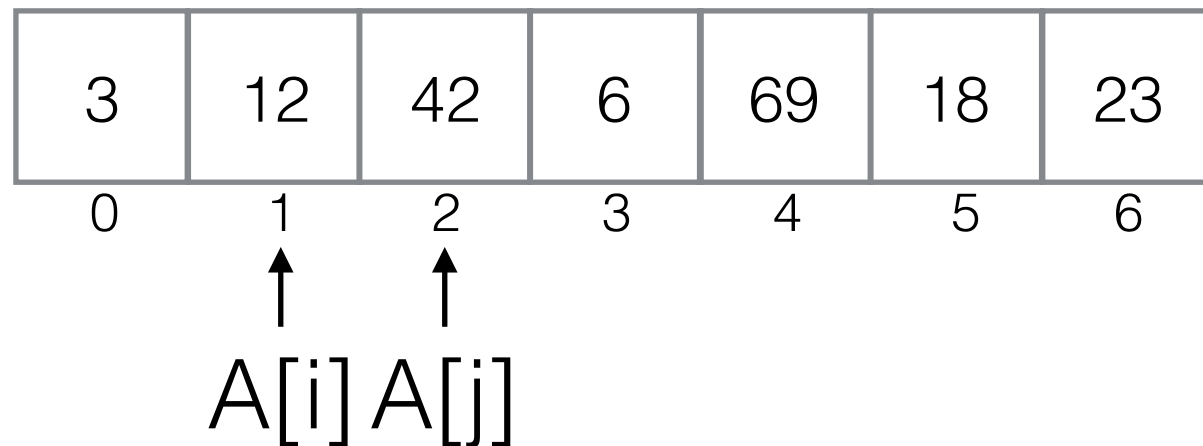
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min: 1

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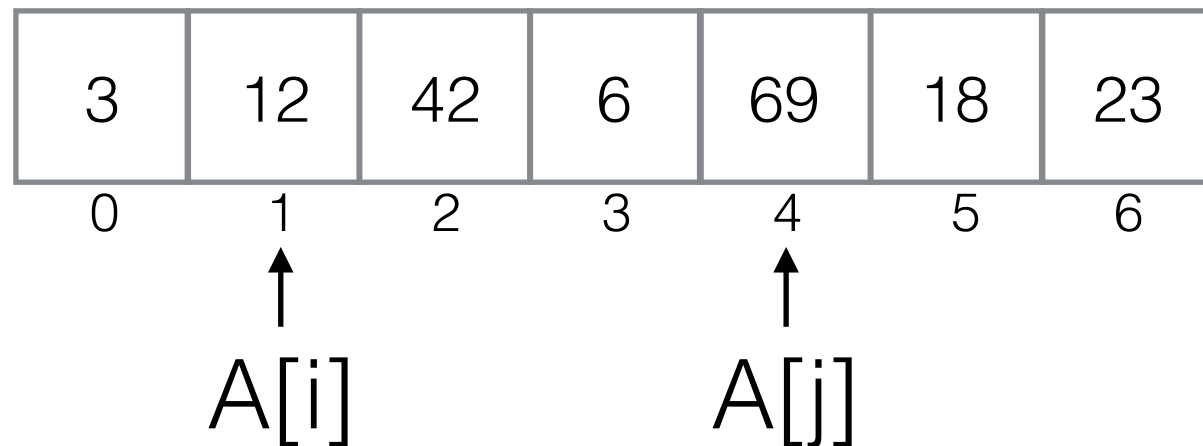
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min: 3

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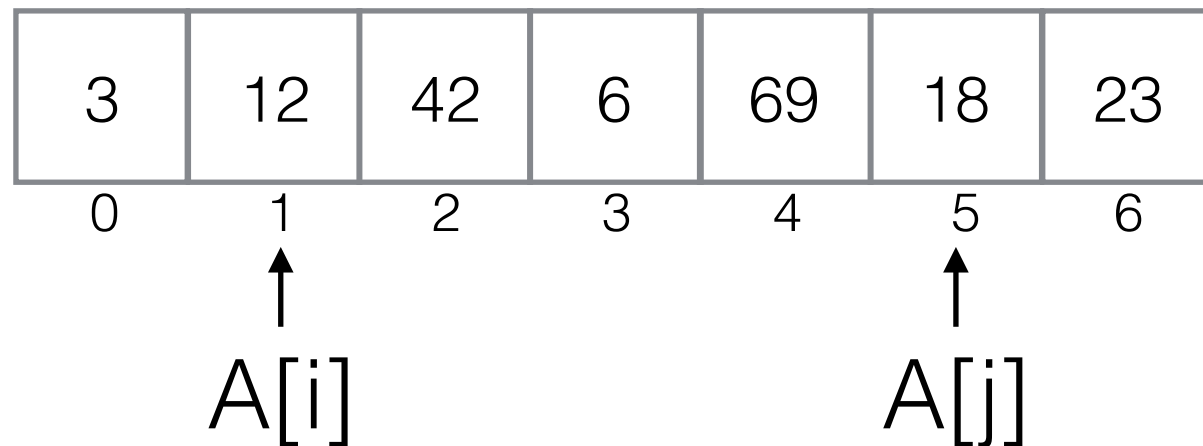
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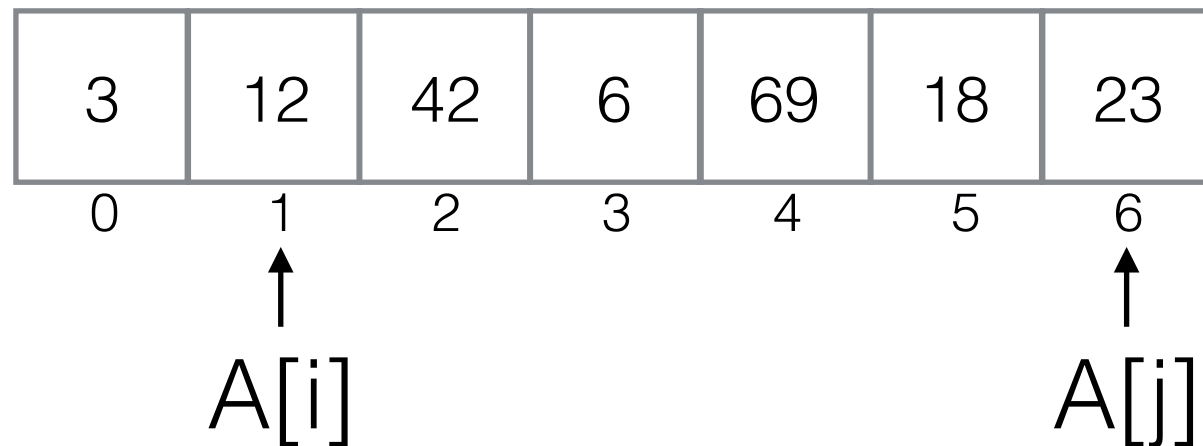


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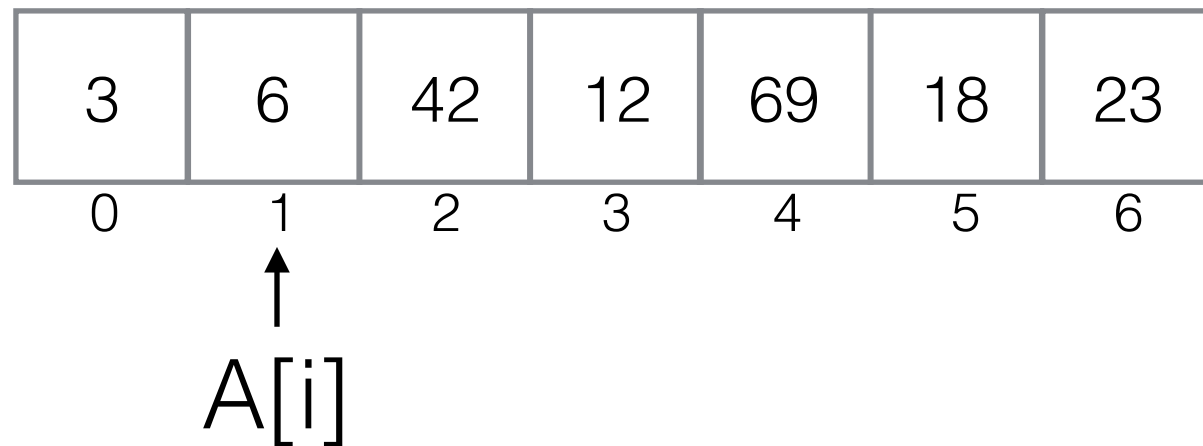


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3	6	42	12	69	18	23
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$\uparrow$   
 $A[i]$

min: 3

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# Example: Matrix Multiplication



```
function MATRIXMULT( $A[\cdot, \cdot]$ ,  $B[\cdot, \cdot]$ ,  $n$ )    ▷ For  $n \times n$  matrices
  for  $i \leftarrow 0$  to  $n - 1$  do
    for  $j \leftarrow 0$  to  $n - 1$  do
       $C[i, j] \leftarrow 0.0$ 
      for  $k \leftarrow 0$  to  $n - 1$  do
         $C[i, j] \leftarrow C[i, j] + A[i, k] \cdot B[k, j]$ 
  return  $C$ 
```

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 7 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 2 \\ 9 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} & \\ & \end{bmatrix}$$

$A \qquad \qquad B \qquad \qquad C$

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Levitin's Appendix B is a tutorial on recurrence relations.

# The Road Ahead



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