

INSERTION SORT

Algorithm: Insertion sort (A)

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1  for j = 0 to A.length
2      key = A[j]
3      i = j - 1
4      while (i > 0 & A[i] > key)
5          A[i+1] = A[i]
6          i = i - 1
7      A[i+1] = key
8  end for

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Cost of line No. of times run

C_1

n

C_2

$n-1$

C_3

$n-1$

C_4

$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (t_i)$

C_5

$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (t_{i-1})$

C_6

$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (t_{i-1})$

C_7

$n-1$

$$T(n) = C_1 \cdot n + (C_2 + C_3) \cdot (n-1) + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} t_i \cdot C_4 + (C_5 + C_6) \cdot \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} t_{i-1} + C_7 \cdot (n-1)$$

$$\Rightarrow C_1(n) + 2(n-1) + n(n-1) \cdot C_4$$

$$\Rightarrow (n-1 + n^2 - n) \cdot C_4 \Rightarrow O(n^2)$$

Optimizing further

- we can optimize the searching by using binary search.

which will improve the searching complexity from $O(n)$ to $O(\log n)$ for one element and to $n \times O(\log n)$ or $O(n \log n)$ for n elements.

But since it will take $O(n)$ for one element to be placed at the correct position, n elements will take $n \times O(n)$ or $O(n^2)$ time for being placed at their right places hence the overall complexity remains $O(n^2)$.

- we can optimize the swapping by doubly link list.

Instead of Array that will improve the complexity of swapping from $O(n)$ to $O(1)$ as we can insert an element in a linked list by changing pointers (without shifting rest of element) But since the complexity to search remains $O(n^2)$ as we cannot use binary search in link list Hence overall complexity remain same.