Array and Simple Queries

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Problem Statement

- The problem
- We take in
 - N (number of elements in array)
 - M (number of queries)
 - A (array of integers)
- 2 Types of queries
 - 1: (1 i j)
 - Removes from i to j and adds to the front of the array
 - o 2: (2 i j)
 - Removes from i to j and adds to the back of the array
- After execution print Abs(A[1] A[N]) and the resulting array

Sample Input

Sample Output

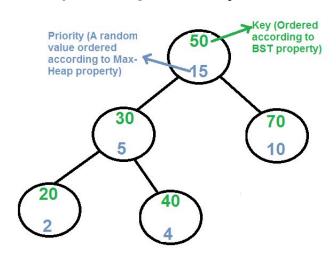
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Our First Approach

- Attempted a simple solution
- Loop
 - Read query type
 - Move elements around using a temp array
 - Edit the main array as needed
 - Repeat on next query
- Took too long
 - Inefficiency = BAD
 - Needs to work on very large arrays
- We needed something more efficient
 - Decided to use a treap

What's a Treap?

- Variation on a balanced binary search tree
 - Uses randomization and heap priority to maintain balance
 - Each node has a value and a priority
- Would allow us to shift data more efficiently than manipulating an array
 - Search, insert, and delete are O(log n)



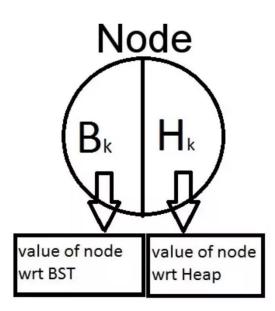
Algorithm Summary

- 1. Read in user input
- 2. Create the initial treap
- 3. Read in query and extract subtree from i to j
 - a. If type 1, merge subtree at "front" of treap
 - b. If type 2, merge subtree at "back" of treap
- 4. Repeat for all queries
- 5. Store final tree in array using inorder traversal

Code Overview

Method by Method

The Node



Creating the node, as well as initializing the size, storage array, and a counter value

Merge

```
// get the size of a tree
int getSize(Node *n)
{
   if (n == NULL)
   {
      return 0;
   }
   return n->size;
}
```

Helper function to return tree size

```
// join two trees -- with no rotation
// the heap order is to maintain a min heap
// the merge operation merges two given treaps L and R into a single treap T
// only care about immediate parent
// all Nodes in the left subtree are visited before the root is visited
// and all Nodes in the right subtree are visited after the root is visited
Node *merge(Node *n1, Node *n2)
 //if null then the tree is the other side
  if (n1 == NULL)
    return n2;
  if (n2 == NULL)
    return n1;
 //if v priority is higher
 if (n1->priority < n2->priority)
   //merge right subtree recursively
   n1->right = merge(n1->right, n2);
    //increase size
   n1->size = getSize(n1->left) + getSize(n1->right) + 1;
    return n1;
 //if x priority is higher
  else
   //merge left subtree recursively
   n2->left = merge(n1, n2->left);
   //increase size
   n2->size = getSize(n2->left) + getSize(n2->right) + 1;
    return n2;
```

Function that merges two treaps, preserving min heap order

Extract

```
//Helper function for extracting subtrees that recursively splits
void splitNode(Node *n, Node *&left, Node *&right, int value)
 if (!n)
   //set to null and ignore
   left = NULL:
   right = NULL;
 else
    //use left subtree
   int maxSize = getSize(n->left) + 1;
   //if left subtree is greater than value
   if (value < maxSize)</pre>
     // if in the bounds split right
     right = n;
     splitNode(n->left, left, n->left, value);
   else
     //if in the bounds split right
     left = n;
     splitNode(n->right, n->right, right, value - maxSize);
   //increase tree size
   n->size = getSize(n->left) + getSize(n->right) + 1;
                                                               Helper that splits trees
```

```
//in order to get the subtree must be able to spit into subtrees
Node *extract(Node *&n, int from, int to)
{
   Node *left, *right, *middle;
   //split from right
   splitNode(n, middle, right, to);
   //split from left
   splitNode(middle, left, middle, from);
   //merge into Node
   n = merge(left, right);
   return middle;
}

Function that extracts a node
```

Inorder Traversal

```
// Inorder tree traversal
// 1) visit node
// 2) traverse left subtree
// 3) traverse right subtree
// Performs recursive Inorder traversal of a given binary tree.
void Inorder(Node *n)
  if (n != NULL)
    Inorder(n->left);
                                               Function that recursively passes over the tree,
    values[inc] = n->value;
                                               storing the values in the array we initialized
    inc++;
                                               earlier, using the counter variable we created to
    Inorder(n->right);
                                               track the index
```

Main Pt. 1: Input & Initialization

```
int main()
  // Dr. B's io speed trick
  ios::sync with stdio(false);
  cin.tie(NULL);
        Speeds up input time
 * Take in user input
 * Line 1: Size n of array, number m of queries
 * Line 2: int array A[]
 * Remaining lines: Queries
 * Query format: 1 i j (remove from i to j and move to front)
 * or 2 i j (remove from i to j and move to back)
 */
int n, m;
cin >> n;
                        Get input for array size and
cin >> m;
                        query numbers and initialize
Node *tree = NULL;
                        tree
```

```
for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
  // initialize values in each Node
  cin >> node[i].value;
  node[i].priority = rand();
  node[i].size = 1:
  // points to the root of the tree
  tree = merge(tree, node + i);
       Reads in the user-inputted
      array, putting each value in a
        node, and then filling the
                  tree
```

Main Pt. 2: Evaluating Queries

```
while (m > 0)
                                                                                                  Using a while loop, evaluates
  m - - ;
                                                                                                  each guery and the indices it
  int type;
                                                                                                 will act on
  int i, j;
  cin >> type;
  cin >> i:
  cin >> j;
                                                                                                  Extracts new subtree from
                                                                                                  index i to index i
  Node *subtree = extract(tree, i - 1, j);
  // Modify the given array by removing elements from i to j and adding them to the front
  if (type == 1)
                                                                                                  If query type 1, attach the
                                                                                                  subtree to the front
   // points to the root of the tree
    tree = merge(subtree, tree);
  // Modify the given array by removing elements from i to j and adding them to the back
                                                                                                  If query type 2, attach the
  else if (type == 2)
                                                                                                  subtree to the end
    // points to the root of the tree
    tree = merge(tree, subtree);
```

Main Pt. 3: Storage & Printing

```
// Store values of tree using in-order traversal
                                                                  Store the final order in the array using
Inorder(tree);
                                                                   an inorder traversal of the tree
//print tree
                                                                  Calculate the absolute value and print it
cout << abs(values[0] - values[n - 1]) << endl;</pre>
for (int i = 0; i < n; ++i)
  cout << values[i] << " ";
                                                                  Using a loop, print the array in order,
                                                                  with a space after each item
//newline
cout << endl;
return 0;
                                                                  Woo hoo, it's done!
```

Test Cases

- Proven to work in extremes
 - Negative integers
 - Extremely large input (99000 elements and 99000 queries!) →
 - Extremely small input (Empty array, 0 queries)
 - Don't believe us? Watch it happen!



References Used

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- https://threads-iiith.quora.com/Treaps-One-Tree-to-Rule-em-all-Part-2

Thank You Very Much!