

## Review: Bubble Sort and Selection Sort

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### What is sorting?

`#include <algorithm>`

`std::sort(v.begin(), v.end())`

- ▶ Input: sequence of  $n$  comparable values
- ▶ Reorder the input to be non-descending.
- ▶ Items we wish to sort are called “keys”
- ▶ Not here: retain associated information

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## Why discuss sorting?

- ▶ Standard library has sorting
- ▶ Why not use that and move on?

In this class, sorting is:

- ▶ a good intro for techniques
- ▶ a good intro to comparative algorithms

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## BubbleSort

**Idea:** Think globally act locally

85	24	63	45	17	31	96	50	Start
24	<del>85</del> 63	<del>85</del> 45	<del>85</del> 17	31	85	50	96	1st iter
24	45	17	31	63	50	85	96	
24	17	31	45	50	63	85	96	

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## BubbleSort

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for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n - 1$  do
  for  $j \leftarrow 1$  to  $n - i$  do
    if  $A[j + 1] < A[j]$  then
      Swap  $A[j]$  and  $A[j + 1]$ 
  
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$$\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{n-i} 1 \xrightarrow{\text{some math}} O(n^2)$$

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## SelectionSort

**Idea:** Swap min into first spot,  
second-min to second, etc.

(This is hand-wavy on purpose)

85	24	63	45	17	31	96	50
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17	24	31	45	85	63	96	50
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## SelectionSort

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for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n - 1$  do
   $\text{min} \leftarrow i$ 
  for  $j \leftarrow i + 1$  to  $n$  do
    if  $A[j] < A[\text{min}]$  then
       $\text{min} \leftarrow j$ 
  Swap  $A[i]$  and  $A[\text{min}]$ 

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$$2(n-1) + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=i+1}^n 1 \longrightarrow \Theta(n^2)$$

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## What's nice about SelectionSort?

- ▶ Easy to program
- ▶ Easy to explain
- ▶ Does it waste memory?
- ▶ Does it only work for numbers?
- ▶ What other info do we need?
- ▶ Are there inputs that are sorted faster?
- ▶ Is there a lot of data movement?