

CS2400 Project #3 (120 Points)  
Spring - 2019  
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**Due Date: Fri - 05/10/2019 at 11:59 pm.**

**Purpose:**

1. Understand different sorting methods and their application.
2. Analyze the complexities of sorting algorithms through experiment.

**Task #1: Sorting Algorithms (100 Pts.)**

Implement **Bubble Sort**, **Selection Sort**, **Insertion Sort**, **Merge Sort** and **Quick Sort** to sort a list of  $n$  elements. Carry out a complete test of your sorting algorithms with  $n=10,000, 20,000, 50,000, 100,000, \dots$  (up to the largest size of  $n$  that your computer can handle – You should stop the program for any method if it takes more than 10 minutes to run). Report your results.

**Task #2 : Time complexity analysis(20 Pts.)**

For each sorting method, record the sorting time for different number of  $n$  and then graph time versus  $n$  ( number of elements). In your report compare all sorting algorithms in terms of their time complexities. Explain if your empirical results are consistent with theories.

**What to Submit?**

- 1- Java source code and .jar file (**Please comment your code properly**)
- 2- A detailed report and explanation together with graphs comparing your algorithms as explained in task#2.
- 3- Readme.txt (Please describe how to run your code)
- 4- **Please zip all files as yourname CS2400 Project3.zip and submit it on blackboard via provided link no later than due date/time.**

*Discussion among students is encouraged, but I expect each student to hand in original work.*