

Lecture # 09

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Linear Sorting Algorithms

→ non-comparison based algo...

if majority of elements in the array is already sorted : ~~Linear~~ Insertion sort

→ Counting Sort (Linear time)

constraints:

1. Small range
out of place & stable.

\geq
\leq

comparison base sorting

if range is larger ; we will not use counting sort bcz

$T(N)$ will be in exponential (inefficient)...

2	5	3	0	2	3	0	3
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

range = 0 - 5

1. Create an array (frequencies) → size = max of the array.

→ stores frequency of each element

2	0	2	3	0	1
0	1	2	3	4	5

x2. Copy the elements ...

→ to make it stable.

2. Compute the cumulative frequencies

update the freq array with it...

2	2	4	7	7	8
0	1	3	3	4	5

$Arr[i] += Arr[i-1]$

→ last occurrence of '3' in the array

0	0	2	2	3	3	3	5
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

* if time complexity depends on the values of the data :- pseudo polynomials

Counting Sort (data [1 ... N]) {

1) $K = \text{getMax}(\text{data}); \quad \text{--- } N$
 $\text{freq}[0 \dots K] = \{0\} \quad \text{--- } 1$

2) for ($i = 1$ to N) $\text{--- } N$ // count freq of each elem
 $\text{freq}[\text{data}[i]]++;$

3) for ($i = 1$ to K) $\text{--- } K$
 $\text{freq}[i] += \text{freq}[i-1]$

for $i = N$ down to 1 $\text{--- } N$ // To make it a stable algorithm

$\text{Res}[\text{freq}[\text{data}[i]]] = \text{data}[i]$

$\text{freq}[\text{data}[i]]--;$

$T(N) = O(N+K)$

if there are -ive values in the array, we will pick the minimum value and add them into the values ----

2	-5	3	0	2	3	0	-3
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min = -5 \rightarrow add kren

7	0	8	5	7	8	5	2
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Sort kren

0	2	5	5	7	7	8	8
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-5 \rightarrow subtract kren

-5	-3	0	0	2	2	3	3
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Radix Sort

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* digit level sorting , units - tens - thousands ...

329

720

720

329

457

355

329

355

657

436

436

436

839

457

839

457

436

657

355

657

720

329

457

720

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839

657

839

* should be stable for it to work

63
61 → 63
67 67

* now freq of 6 is 3,
if not stable then sorting
incorrect
for (i = N down to 1)

CountSort (Arr [1... N], dpos, N) {

freq [0... 9] = {0}

for (i = 1 to N) {

— ~~O(N)~~ O(N)

freq [(Arr[i] / dpos) % 10] ++

}

for i = 1 to 9 {

— O(1)

freq[i] += freq[i-1] }

res [1... N]

for (i = N down to 1) {

— O(N)

res [freq [(Arr[i] / dpos) % 10]] = Arr[i]

freq [(Arr[i] / dpos) % 10] --

}

// copy res into original arr

— O(N)

}

RadixSort (Arr [1... N], N) {

max = getMax (Arr, N)

for (dpos = 1; max / dpos > 0; dpos *= 10)

CountSort (Arr, dpos, N)

}

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$$\rightarrow O(d * (N + K))$$

$$K = 9$$

* linear time

* if $d = N$, we have number with same no. of digits ~~as~~ as input size, then

$O(N^2)$ \rightarrow not linear anymore

* if num of digits in input is fixed, like sorting CNICs, tel nums, then radix sort