

## Week 2 Tuesday Lecture Notes

Before Class:

- Recitation on Wednesday: 5:45-6:45 reviewing Week 1 Homework problems
- Prepare for Quiz in class.
- Review Common Efficiency Classes (how to tell asymptotic equivalence)
- Review Slides for Inversion Counting on Canvas.
- Lecture Summaries at end of PowerPoints.

### **My Quiz Review:**

- Asymptotic Equivalence.
- Runtime ( **$\Omega$ ,  $\Theta$ , and  $O$** )
- We care about Worst Case for run time.

Proof by Induction:

1. Prove the base case
2. Induction Hypothesis: assume a statement is true for some  $k$ , or all  $\leq k$
3. Inductive step: Prove the statement is true for  $k+1$ .

Recurrence Relation Master Theorem:

## Master Theorem

$$T(n) = aT\left(\frac{n}{b}\right) + cn^d$$

Case 1:  $a < b^d$ , or equiv.  $d > \log_b a$ ,  $T(n) = O(n^d)$

Case 2:  $a = b^d$ , or equiv.  $d = \log_b a$ ,  $T(n) = O(n^d \log n)$

Case 3:  $a > b^d$ , or equiv.  $d < \log_b a$ ,  $T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a})$

## **Divide and Conquer:**

Inversion Counting: Number of inversions in an array.

Example: [1,2,3,4,5] (no inversions)

[1,3,5,2,7]

- Inversion for 2 and 5, then 2 and 3.

## **Start on Page 5 of PowerPoint 3: High Level Idea**

Counting how many inversions there are in an array.

Divide and conquer the array, break into two parts.

- Count Cross inversions between two parts.

Target is to be able to count Cross Inversions in linear time  $O(n)$

What if left and right are already sorted?

A1: = (2,4,5)              A2: (1,3,6)

Cross counting can be done very quickly if both are already sorted.

## **Building on Merge\_sort:**

Ls: Sort and Count

Rs: Sort and Count

As: Merge and CountCross (Ls,Rs)

Based on the target runtime you can figure out what needs to change to fit with the Master Theorem.

## **Pseudo Code for Merge Sort:**

We can count how many inversions there are whenever the code enters the else statement in the code.

- The number of elements Left in  $L$  when the else is run is how many inversions there will be for that value.
- Use Pseudo code to figure out the sorted array as well as the count for number of inversions.
- Are able to maintain an  $n \log n$  time.
- **Claim:** when an element  $y$  of  $R$  is copied into the output array  $A$ , the number of inversion  $y$  incurs = the number of elements left in  $L$
- **Proof:**

Let  $x$  be an element of  $L$ .

1. If  $x$  is copied into  $A$  before  $y$ , we know  $x < y$ , which does not cause inversion
2. If  $x$  is copied into  $A$  after  $y$ , we know  $y < x$ , which causes inversion

**Claim:** When a **Right** element is copied, the number of cross inversions is the number of elements still in the **Left** side. Assumes that the array is sorted.

- Because of this we are able to count Cross Inversions in Linear time.
- Going to use Proof by Induction to solve that the Merge and CountCross is done in Linear time.

**END OF LECTURE 3**

## Lecture 4: Divide and Conquer: Closest Pair of Points

- Discuss First assignment: Closest Pair of Points.
- $(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)$   $\text{SquareRoot } (x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2$
- Lots of applications

You can brute force: Check all pairs of points and  $q$  with  $n^2$  Comparisons.

**Initial Thoughts:** Brute force in  $O(n^2)$

1-D version:  $O(n \log n)$  if points are on one axis.

Assuming that no 2 points have the same  $x$  coordinate.

- Find closest pair in each side as well as the closest pair with one point on each side. Return best 3 solutions.
- Once you figure out the smallest between the 2 sets you can restrict what can be between the cross.

**How can we further Improve this Algorithm?** Food for Thought for next week.

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Had Week 2 Quiz at end of class Period. Focus on Big-O/Omega/Theta and creating and solving Recurrence Relations.

## End of Week 2 Tuesday Lecture Notes

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