# Data Structures

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#### Why this Course?

#### **Course Educational Objectives:**

- Introduction to sort and search techniques.
- Familiarize with linear data structures and operations on them.
- Understand the concepts of stack and Queue and their applications.
- Edify non-linear data structure graph and its applications.
- Represent and manipulate data using non-linear data structure trees to design algorithms for various applications.

**Syllabus**-Theory and Lab

#### Course Objectives

- To evaluate the quality of a program (Analysis of Algorithms: Running Time and memory space)
- To write fast programs
- To solve new problems
- To give non-trivial methods to solve problems.

[Your algorithm/program will be faster]

#### Unit-1

- Introduction to data structures
- Array/List based representations and operations
- Searching techniques
  - Linear Search
  - Binary Search
- Sorting Techniques
  - Insertion Sort, Selection Sort, Bubble Sort, Merge sort and Quick sort

#### Introduction to Data Structures

- Data Structure: A **data structure** is a way of arranging data on a computer so that it can be accessed and updated efficiently.
  - It must mainly include:
    - 1. Collection of data,
    - 2. Relationships among them and
    - functions/operations that can be applied to the data like creation, insertion, deletion, search and traversal.

# Examples of Data Structures

- Arrays
- Linked Lists
- Stacks
- Queues
- Trees
- Graphs

#### Application Areas of Data Structures

- Compiler Design (Syntax trees, symbol table)
- Operating System (Task scheduling Queues )
- Artificial Intelligence( Graphs for path finding)
- DBMS (Trees for indexing)
- Simulation (Queues for managing events)
- Graphics (Quad trees for storing polygons)
- Blockchain Technology (Linked lists for forming blockchain)

#### Algorithm Specification

-Pseudocode Conventions

#### C like statements

- 1. Comments begin with //
- Blocks indicated with matching braces { and }.
- 3. Statements are delimited by;
- 4. Simple Data types are not explicitly declared
- 5. Assignment <var>:=<expression>;
- 6. true and false Boolean values can be used
- 7. 2D array access as A[i,j]

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8. Conditional statement form:

- Looping statements for, while, repeat-until can be used
- **10. Algorithm** is the only procedure with heading and a body. Heading takes form:

Algorithm Name (<parameter list>)

# Example 1: To find sum of two numbers

```
Algorithm Sum(a, b)
{
return a+b;
}
```

# Example 2a: To find factorial of a given number

```
Algorithm Factorial(n)
{
  fact=1;
  for(i=1;i<=n;i++)
  fact=fact*i;
  return fact;
}
```

# Example 2b: Recursive algorithm to find factorial of a given number

```
Algorithm RFactorial(n)
{
  if(n<=1) return 1;
  return n*RFactorial(n-1);
}</pre>
```

## Example 3: Sum of n numbers

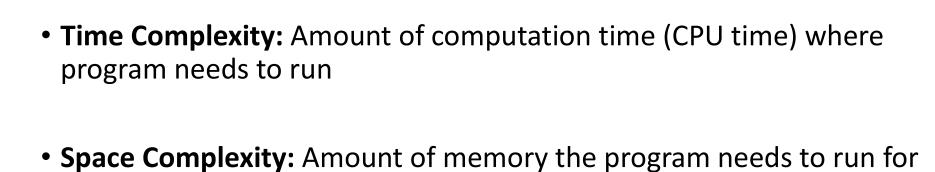
```
Algorithm Sumoflist( A[], n)
{
    sum=0;
    for(i=0;i<n;i++)
        sum=sum+A[i];
    return sum;
}
```

#### Week1 Tasks of DS Lab

- 1. Devise an algorithm and write program that inputs three integers and prints them in ascending order. Start the algorithm with **Algorithm Sort3Numbers(a,b,c)**
- 2. Devise an algorithm and write program to find the maximum value from an array of n numbers. Start the algorithm with Algorithm MaxArray( A[], n)
- 3. Devise an algorithm and write program to find the minimum value from an array of n numbers. Start the algorithm with Algorithm MinArray( A[], n)
- 4. Devise an algorithm and write program to find GCD of two numbers. Start the algorithm with Algorithm GCD(a, b)
- 5. Devise a recursive algorithm and write recursive program to find GCD of two numbers. Start the algorithm with **Algorithm RecursiveGCD(a, b)**
- 6. Devise an algorithm and write program to find the numbers of words in a string of length n. Start the algorithm with Algorithm CountofWords(s[],n)
- 7. Devise an algorithm and write program to find factorial of a number. Start the algorithm with Algorithm Factorial(n)
- 8. Devise a recursive algorithm and write recursive program to find factorial of a number. Start the algorithm with **Algorithm RecursiveFactorial(n)**

#### When do u say an algorithm is good?

- Efficient
  - Running Time
  - Space Used
- · Running time depends on
  - Single vs Multi processor
  - Read or Write speed to Memory
  - 32 bit vs 64 bit
- way the of times. F
  - Input -> rate of growth of time, Efficiency as a function of input (number of bits in an input number, number of data elements...)



completion

- It is necessary to **implement and test the algorithm** in order to determine its running time.
- In order to **compare** two or more algorithms, the same **hardware and software environments** should be used.
- To compare two algorithms, the ideal solution is to express the running time as function of input size n

• Example: Searching

-A1: Linear Search vs

-A2: Binary Search

#### How to analyze time complexity?

#### **Step Count Method**

- 1 unit time for basic Arithmetic and Logical Operations
- 1 unit time for basic statements like assignment and return
- There is no count for { and }.
- If a basic statement is iterated, then multiply by the number of times the loop is run.
- Loop statement that is iterated n times, has a count of (n+1).
  - Loop runs *n* times for the true case and a check is performed for the loop exit, hence, n+1.

# Example

```
Algorithm Sum(a, b)
{
  c=a+b;
  return c;
}

• T<sub>sum</sub> =1+1=2 units of time
  =c`=constant time
```

#### Example

=cn+c'

# Using Step Count Method, find the time taken by below algorithms

- 1. Algorithm Sort3Numbers(a, b, c) that inputs three integers and prints them in ascending order.
- 2. Algorithm MaxArray(A[], n) to find the maximum value from an array of n numbers
- 3. Algorithm MinArray(A[], n) to find the minimum value from an array of n numbers.
- 4. **Algorithm Factorial(n)** to find factorial of a number.

## What is rate of growth?

- The rate at which the running time increases as a function of input size.
- Example: 1, logn, n, n<sup>2</sup>, 2<sup>n</sup>.

# Commonly used rates of growth

Time Complexity	Name	Example
1	Constant	Adding an element to the front of a linked list
logn	Logarithmic	Finding an element in a sorted array
n	Linear	Finding an element in an unsorted array
nlogn	Linear Logarithmic	Sorting n items by 'divide-and-conquer' - Mergesort
$n^2$	Quadratic	Shortest path between two nodes in a graph
$n^3$	Cubic	Matrix Multiplication
$2^n$	Exponential	The Towers of Hanoi problem

# Plot graphs for n={1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32} for following time complexities

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## Types of Time Complexity Analysis

- Worst Case
- Average Case
- Best Case

#### Types of Analysis

#### Worst case

- Defines the input for which the algorithm takes a long time (slowest time to complete).
- Input is the one for which the algorithm runs the slowest.

#### Best case

- Defines the input for which the algorithm takes the least time (fastest time to complete).
- Input is the one for which the algorithm runs the fastest.

#### Average case

- Provides a prediction about the running time of the algorithm.
- Run the algorithm many times, using many different inputs that come from some distribution that generates these inputs, compute the total running time (by adding the individual times), and divide by the number of trials.
- Assumes that the input is random.

Lower Bound <= Average Time <= Upper Bound

#### \*Asymptotic Notations- O, $\Omega$ , $\theta$

- They are the notations that describe the different rate-of-growth relations between the defining function and the defined set of functions.
- They are defined for functions over natural numbers
  - Example :f(n)=O(n)
- They define a *set* of functions; in practice used to compare two function sizes.
- Notations:
  - Big Oh Notation(O)—Upper bound on time complexity
  - Omega Notation( $\Omega$ )—Lower bound on time complexity
  - Theta Notation(θ)—Tight bound on time complexity

#### **Big-Oh Notation**

- Big Oh notation (with a capital letter O, not a zero), also called Landau's symbol, is a symbolism used in Computational Complexity Theory, Computer Science, and Mathematics to describe the asymptotic behavior of functions.
- Basically, it tells you how fast a function grows or declines.
- Landau's symbol comes from the name of the German number theoretician Edmund Landau who invented the notation.
- The letter O is used because the rate of growth of a function is also called its order.

#### \*Big-Oh Notation

• Given functions f(n) and g(n), we say that f(n) is O(g(n)) if

there are positive constants c and  $n_0$  such that

$$f(n) \le cg(n)$$
 for  $n \ge n_0$ 

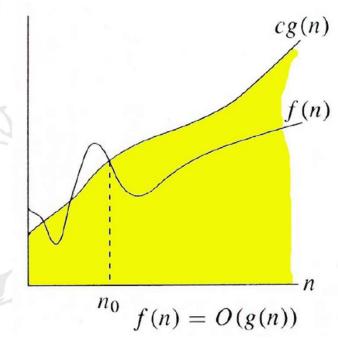
• Example: 2n + 10 is O(n)

$$2n + 10 \le cn$$

$$(c-2) n \ge 10$$

$$n \ge 10/(c-2)$$

Pick c = 3 and  $n_0 = 10$ 



#### Big-Oh Notation: Example

Given f(n)=2n+10Show that f(n)=O(n)=>Find c and  $n_0$  such that f(n)<=cg(n) for some c,  $n>=n_0$ 

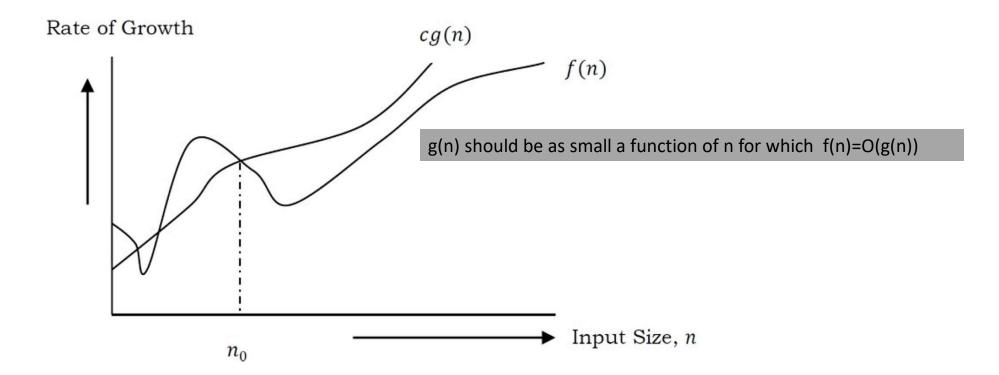
2n+10<=c\*n

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# 2n+10 <= c\*nLet 2n+10 <= 12n $\checkmark$ for n=1, 12 <= 12 $\checkmark$ n=2, 14 <= 28 $\checkmark$ n=3, 18 <= 36....=> c=12 and $n_0=1$

# Big-Oh Notation



## Big-Oh Visualization

O(1): 100,1000, 200,1,20, etc.

O(nlogn): 5nlogn, 3n - 100, 2n - 1, 100, 100n, etc.

 $O(n):3n + 100, \ 100n, 2n - 1, 3, etc.$ 

 $O(n^2):n^2, 5n-10, 100, n^2-2n+1,$ 5, etc. Find upper bound (in Big O) for the following functions with appropriate c and n<sub>0</sub>

- 1.f(n)=3n+8
- 2.f(n)=410
- $3.f(n)=n^2+1$

## Big Oh notation

• Example: the function  $n^2$  is not O(n)

$$n^2 \leq cn$$

$$n \leq c$$

The above inequality cannot be satisfied since c must be a constant

$$n^2$$
 is  $O(n^2)$ .

#### Big Oh notation

# ♦ 7n-2 7n-2 is O(n) $need\ c>0\ and\ n_0\geq 1$ such that $7n-2\leq c\bullet n$ for $n\geq n_0$ this is true for c=7 and $n_0=1$

■ 
$$3n^3 + 20n^2 + 5$$
  
 $3n^3 + 20n^2 + 5$  is  $O(n^3)$   
need  $c > 0$  and  $n_0 \ge 1$  such that  $3n^3 + 20n^2 + 5 \le c \cdot n^3$  for  $n \ge n_0$   
this is true for  $c = 4$  and  $n_0 = 21$ 

#### ■ 3 log n + 5

```
3 log n + 5 is O(log n) need\ c>0\ and\ n_0\geq 1\ such\ that\ 3\ log\ n+5\leq c\bullet log\ n\ for\ n\geq n_0 this is true for c=8 and n_0=2
```

### Big Oh notation

Theorem: If  $f(n)=a1n^{m}+a2n^{m-1}+....a'n+a0$ , then  $f(n)=O(n^{m})$ 

1. Can 7n-2 be O(1)?

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Answer: No

2. Can 7n-2 be  $O(n^2)$ ?

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Answer: Yes

## Time Complexity

- · We analyze time complexity for
  - a) A very large input size
  - b) Worst case scenario
- Rules
  - a) Drop lower order terms
  - b) Drop Constant multipliers

• Find the time complexity of the following code snippet:

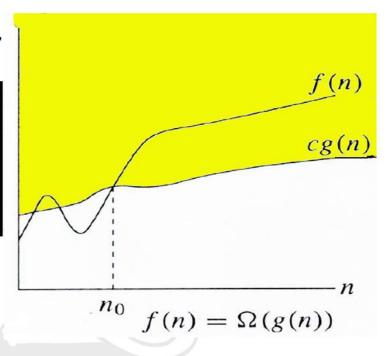
• Find the time complexity of the following code snippet:

Answer:O(logn)

For function g(n), we define  $\Omega(g(n))$ , big-Omega of n, as the set:

 $\Omega(g(n)) = \{f(n) :$  $\exists$  positive constants c and  $n_{0}$ , such that  $\forall n \geq n_{0}$ , we have  $0 \leq cg(n) \leq f(n)\}$ 

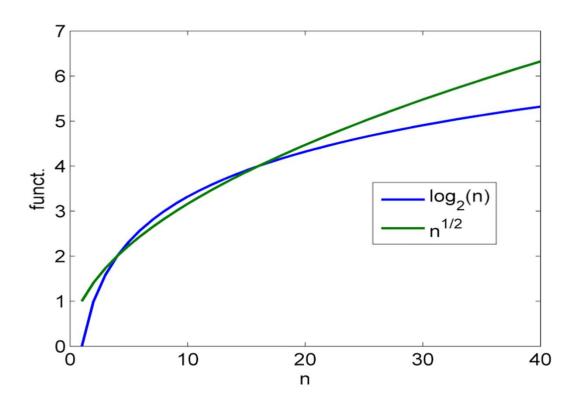
**Intuitively**: Set of all functions whose *rate of growth* is the same as or higher than that of g(n).



g(n) is an asymptotic lower bound for f(n).

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•  $\sqrt{n} = \Omega(\log n)$ . Choose c and  $n_0$ . for c=1 and  $n_0$  =16,  $c*\log n \leq \sqrt{n} \quad , \ \forall \, n \geq 16$ 



- Omega gives us a LOWER BOUND on a function.
- ❖ Big-Oh says, "Your algorithm is at least this good."
- Omega says, "Your algorithm is at least this bad."

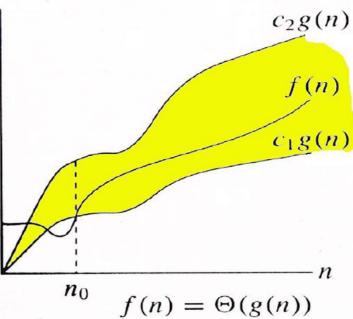
#### \*O- notation

For function g(n), we define  $\Theta(g(n))$ ,

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```
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\exists positive constants c_1, c_2, and n_{0,n} such that \forall n \geq n_{0,n}
we have 0 \leq c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n)
\}
```

**Intuitively**: Set of all functions that have the same rate of growth as g(n).



g(n) is an asymptotically tight bound for f(n).

#### Θ- notation

```
\Theta(g(n)) = \{f(n) : \exists \text{ positive constants } c_1, c_2, \text{ and } n_0, 
such that \forall n \geq n_0, \quad 0 \leq c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n) \}
```

- $10n^2 3n = \Theta(n^2)$
- What constants for  $n_0$ ,  $c_1$ , and  $c_2$  will work?
- Make c<sub>1</sub> a little smaller than the leading coefficient, and c<sub>2</sub> a little bigger.
- To compare orders of growth, look at the leading term.

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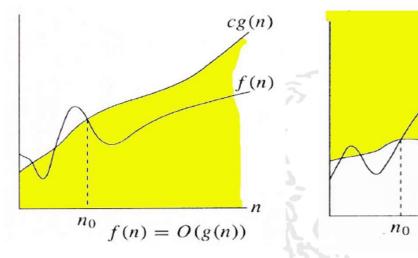
- Is  $3n^3 \in \Theta(n^4)$  ??
- How about  $2^{2n} \in \Theta(2^n)$ ??

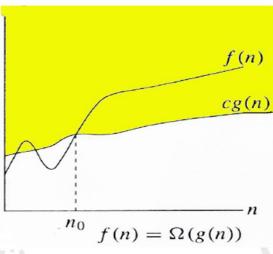
### Example

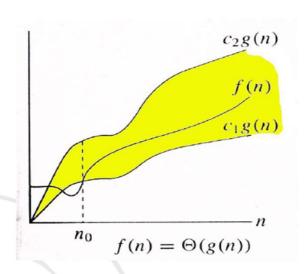
$$3n^2 + 17$$

- $\Omega(1)$ ,  $\Omega(n)$ ,  $\Omega(n^2)$   $\rightarrow$  lower bounds
- $O(n^2)$ ,  $O(n^3)$ , ...  $\rightarrow$  upper bounds
- $\Theta(n^2)$   $\rightarrow$  exact bound

### Relations between O, $\Omega$ and $\Theta$







### \*Comparison of O, $\Omega$ and $\Theta$

$$f \leftrightarrow g \approx a \leftrightarrow b$$

$$f(n) = O(g(n)) \approx a \leq b$$

$$f(n) = \Omega(g(n)) \approx a \geq b$$

$$f(n) = \Theta(g(n)) \approx a = b$$

#### Limits of O, $\Omega$ and $\Theta$

- $\lim_{n\to\infty} [f(n)/g(n)] < \infty \Rightarrow f(n) \in O(g(n))$
- $0 < \lim_{n \to \infty} [f(n) / g(n)] < \infty \Rightarrow f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$
- $0 < \lim_{n \to \infty} [f(n) / g(n)] \Rightarrow f(n) \in \Omega(g(n))$
- $\lim_{n\to\infty} [f(n)/g(n)]$  undefined  $\Rightarrow$  can't say

Represent following functions using  $\ O, \ \Omega$  and  $\ \Theta$ 

$$T(n) = n^3 + 3n^2 + 4n + 2$$

$$T(n) = 16n + \log n$$

- General rules to determine running time of an algorithm:
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  - 2. Nested Loops
  - 3. Consecutive statements
  - 4. If-then-else statements
  - 5. Logarithmic statements

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```
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for (i=1; i<=n; i++)
m = m + 2; // constant time, c
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Total time = a constant  $c \times n = c n = O(n)$ .

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```
//outer loop executed n times
for (i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    // inner loop executes n times
    for (j=1; j<=n; j++)
        k = k+1; //constant time
}</pre>
```

Total time =  $c \times n \times n = cn^2 = O(n^2)$ .

3. Consecutive statements: Add the time complexities of each statement.

```
x = x +1; //constant time
// executes n times
for (i=1; i<=n; i++)
    m = m + 2; //constant time
//outer loop executes n times
for (i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    //inner loop executed n times
    for (j=1; j<=n; j++)
        k = k+1; //constant time
}</pre>
```

Total time =  $c_0 + c_1 n + c_2 n^2 = O(n^2)$ .

4. If-then-else statements: Consider the test condition and either then part or else part(whichever is larger)

Total time=c1+c2\*n=O(n).

5. Logarithmic statements: An algorithm is O(logn) if it takes a constant time to cut the problem size by a fraction (usually by  $\frac{1}{2}$ ).

```
for (i=1; i<=n;)
i = i*2;
```

If we observe carefully, the value of i is doubling every time. Initially i = 1, in next step i = 2, and in subsequent steps i = 4.8 and so on. Let us assume that the loop is executing some k times. At  $k^{th}$  step  $2^k = n$ , and at  $(k + 1)^{th}$  step we come out of the *loop*. Taking logarithm on both sides, gives

```
log(2^k) = logn

klog2 = logn

k = logn //if we assume base-2

Total time = O(logn).
```

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```
void Function (int n) {
    int i=1, s=1;
    // s is increasing not at rate 1 but i
    while( s <= n) {
        i++;
        s = s+i;
        printf("*");
    }
}</pre>
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- We can define the 's' terms according to the relation si = si-1 + i. The value of t' increases by 1 for each iteration.
- The value contained in 's' at the *ith* iteration is the sum of the first k positive integers.
- If *k* is the total number of iterations taken by the program, then the *while* loop terminates if:

$$1 + 2 + ... + k = \frac{k(k+1)}{2} > n \implies k = O(\sqrt{n}).$$

Answer: O(n<sup>2</sup>logn)

```
function( int n ) {
    if(n == 1) return;
    for(int i = 1 ; i <= n ; i + + ) {
        for(int j = 1 ; j <= n ; j + + ) {
            printf("*" );
            break;
    }
}</pre>
```

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}</pre>
```

Answer: O(n)

```
void Read(int n) {
    int k = 1;
    while( k < n )
        k = 3*k;
}</pre>
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## What is time complexity of following function?

Answer: O(n<sup>2</sup>)

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Answer: O(n<sup>5</sup>)

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Answer:

1. O(n)

2. O(2<sup>n</sup>)

2. T(n)=0, if N=0 =2T(n-1)+1, if N>0

### Space Complexity

Components:

☐ Fixed space requirements (c): doesn't depend on number and size of the program's inputs and outputs.

☐ Instruction space

☐ Space for simple variables, constants

 $\square$  Variable space requirements  $S_p(I)$ : depends on particular instance of the problem

□ Data Space: n or input array size

☐ Environmental stack space

Thus, space needed by a program

 $S(P)=c+S_{P}(I)$ 

### Space Complexity

```
float abc(float a, float b,float c)
{
  return a+b+b*c+(a+b-c)/(a+b)+4.00;
}
```

```
S(P)=c+S_P(I)
=3(4)+0=12
Space complexity: O(1)
```

### Space Complexity

```
float sum(float list[], int n)
{
  float tempsum=0;
  int i;
  for(i=0;i<n;i++)
    tempsum+=list[i];
  return tempsum;
}</pre>
```

```
S(P)=c+S_P(I)
=3(4)+n(4)
Space complexity: O(n)
```

## Example 1: To find sum of two numbers

## Example 2a: To find factorial of a given number

# Example 2b: Recursive algorithm to find factorial of a given number

## Example 3: Sum of n numbers

```
Algorithm Sumoflist( A[], n)  \{ \\ sum=0; // sum \ occupies \ 4 \ bytes \\ for(i=0;i<n;\ i++)//\ i,\ n\ -4 \ bytes \ each \\ sum=sum+A[i]; \\ space \ complexity: O(n) \\ return \ sum; \}
```

## Data Abstraction -Abstract Data Type(ADT)

- By default, all primitive data types (int, float, etc.) support basic operations such as addition and subtraction.
  - The system provides the implementations for the primitive data types.
  - E.g.
    - Data type *int* consists of objects {0,+1,-1,+2,-2,...INT\_MAX, INT\_MIN}
    - INT MAX and INT MIN are the largest and smallest integers that are defined in limits.h
    - Operators on integers include infix operators like +, -, \*, / and %, prefix operators like atoi(), sqrt() etc.
- In general, user defined data types are defined along with their operations.
- We combine the data structures with their operations and we call this Abstract Data Types (ADTs).

## Data Abstraction -Abstract Data Type(ADT)

- An ADT consists of 2 parts:
  - 1. Declaration/Specification of data
  - 2. Declaration/Specification of operations on the data: specification of operation or function includes function name, types of its arguments and the type of result.
- ADT focuses on specification only and is implementation independent
- ADT is used to specify the functions that can be applied on the data by program designer
- Commonly used ADTs *include*: Linked Lists, Stacks, Queues, Priority Queues, Binary Trees, Dictionaries, Disjoint Sets (Union and Find), Hash Tables, Graphs, and many others.

# Data Abstraction -Abstract Data Type(ADT)

- The ADT definition begins with the name of ADT
- ADT has two main sections
  - 1. Data/Objects
  - 2. Functions/Operations
- Example:

#### **ADT Array is**

Data: Sequence of elements of same type

#### **Functions:**

Create(a, n): to create an array a of n values

Store(a, i, e): to store an element e at index i in array a Retrieve(a, i): to retrieve an element stored at index i

## SEARCHING TECHNIQUES

Linear Search

Binary Search

#### LINEAR SEARCH

- It is also called as Sequential Search
- Searches for a particular value (*KEY*) in an array sequentially
- Compares *KEY* with every element in the array in a sequence until a match is found
- It is mostly used to search an unordered list of elements.

#### LINEAR SEARCH

Example: A[]={1,22,33,55,44},

- key=55
- Comparisons:
  - 1==55 : F
  - 22==55:F
  - 33==55:F
  - 55==55: True =>Key found
- Key=7
- No. of comparisons:5
  - 1==7,22==7,33==7,55==7,44==7:False =>Key not found

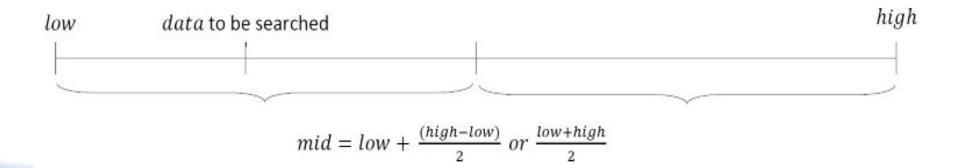
#### LINEAR SEARCH ALGORITHM

```
Algorithm LinearSearch(A[],key,n)

{
for(i=0;i<n;i++){
    if (A[i]==key){
        print("key found");break;}
    }
    if(i==n)
    print("Key Not Found")
}
```

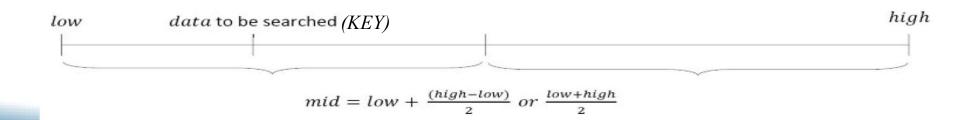
Time complexity: O(n)

- Searches for a particular value (*KEY*) in a sorted array with run-time complexity of O(logn)
- It works on the principle of Divide and Conquer
- Compares *KEY* with middle element(*mid*) in the array



In binary search,

- 1. If KEY = A[mid], then search successful.
- 2. If KEY < A[mid], then KEY will be present in the left segment of the array. So, the value of *high* will be changed as high = mid 1.
- 3. If KEY > A[mid], then KEY will be present in the right segment of the array. So, the value of low will be changed as low = mid + 1.
- Finally, if *KEY* is not present in the array, then eventually, *high* will be less than *low*. When this happens, the algorithm will terminate and the search will be unsuccessful.



Example:  $A[]=\{1,22,33,44,55\},$ 

- key=55
- Comparisons: low=0, mid=2, high=4
  - 55==33(A[2]):F
  - 55>33:True => low=3, mid=3, high=4
  - 55==44 (A[3]): :F ,55>44=>low=4,mid=4,high=4
  - 55==55((A[4]):: True =>Key found

Example: A[]={1,22,33,44,55},

- key=7
- Comparisons: low=0, mid=2, high=4
  - 7 == 33(A[2]):F
  - 7<33:True => low=0, mid=0, high=1
  - 7==1(A[0]): :F,7>1=>low=1,mid=1,high=1
  - 7==22((A[1]): :F,7<22=>low=1,high=0
  - low>high, True =>Key not found
- More Examples: <a href="https://www.cs.usfca.edu/~galles/visualization/Search.html">https://www.cs.usfca.edu/~galles/visualization/Search.html</a>

### BINARY SEARCH ALGORITHM

```
Algorithm BinarySearch(A[],key,n)
```

Time complexity: O(logn)