

# Data Structures

## Linked Lists

SLIST:  
- size: 1 → 2 → 3 → ...  
- insert/delete: O(1)  
- search: O(n)

### DLists

- size: 1 → 2 → 3 → ...  
- insert/delete: O(1)  
- search: O(n)

### LinkedList/Sequenced

- size: 1 → 2 → 3 → ...  
- insert/delete: O(1)  
- search: O(n)

LinkedLists have O(1) get. It must travel through from the beginning.

## ArrayList

- addlast  
- getlast  
- remove last  
- get (index)

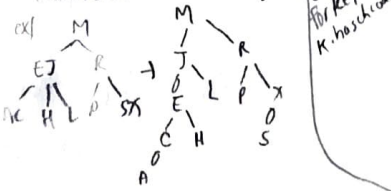
- resizing arrays  
- Literally an array with resizing.  
- Fast get method.

	ArrayList	LinkedList
get	O(1)	O(n)
add	O(1)*	O(1)
remove	O(n)	O(n)
contains	O(n)	O(n)
insert	O(n)	O(n)

## LRB Tree (basically 2-3 tree but converted)

When you want to add to LRB,  
1) first transform to 2-3 tree  
2) add to 2-3 tree  
3) transform back to LRB

Remove:  
convert to 2-3 tree  
remove  
convert back



	Runtime
add	O(LogN)
remove	O(LogN)
get	O(LogN)
contains	O(LogN)

## Heap

- Top down sorted binary tree structure used for queues (priority).  
- Guaranteed to be a complete tree

binary min heap: Binary tree that is complete and prop.  
- min heap = Every node is less than or = children  
- complete = Missing items only in bottom row, for left sided

add:  
1) add to the end (bottom leftmost of heap)  
2) compare item to parent, swap if needed  
Repeat.  
Approach 2: Array to store

implements PQ's Approach 2: Array to store

## auto-resizing array of LinkedLists

### Add

- 1) get hashcode of item
- 2) Mod hashcode by array size
- 3) Iterate through LinkedList to check if there
- 4) If present replace
- 5) If not present, add to end of LinkedList
- 6) resize if Load Factor is exceeded

### Remove

1. get hashcode of item
2. Mod hashcode by array size
3. Iterate through LinkedList to find
4. Remove that node from LinkedList

### Runtime

	Runtime
add	O(1)
remove	O(1)
get	O(1)
contains	O(1)

\* runtime are constant if hashcode distributes well.

Resizing = O(N)

### delete Min:

- 1) swap the last item with root
- 2) sink way down by swapping with smaller values.

### Runtime

	Runtime
add	O(LogN)
remove Top	O(LogN)
get Top	O(1)

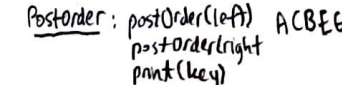
## Depth First Traversal

PreOrder: print node  
preOrder(left)  
preOrder(right)

InOrder: inorder(left) ABCDEFG  
print(key)  
inorder(right)

PostOrder: postOrder(left) ACBEGRD  
postOrder(right)  
print(key)

### example tree



## Level Order Traversal

- left to right, top to bottom  
- implement through iterative deepening

for(int i=0; i<height; i++)  
visitLevel(T, i, action)

visitLevel(Tree T, int level, action a):  
if T=null  
do nothing  
if level==0  
print T.key  
else  
visitLevel(T.left, level-1)  
visitLevel(T.right, level-1)

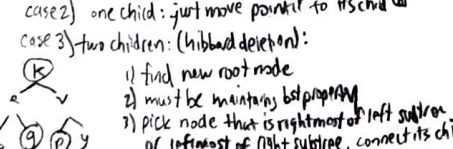
## InRange Searching

searching for items in given range  
O(LogN + R) where R is # match

## Vanilla BST (no guarantee of bushiness)

add:  
1) start at root do comparison  
2) if smaller go left  
3) if bigger go right  
4) when null leaf encountered, add there

deletion: 3 cases:  
case 1) no children: just sever the link  
case 2) one child: just move pointer to its child  
case 3) two children: (inplace deletion):



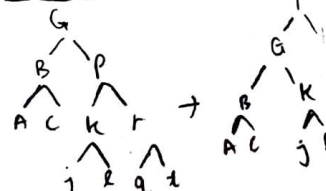
properties: left keys are less than  
right keys are greater than.

### Runtime:

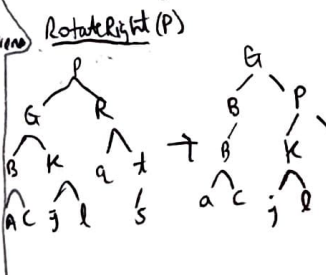
	Runtime
add	O(N)
remove	O(N)
get	O(N)
contains	O(N)

## Tree Rotations (to make more bushy)

### Rotate Left (G)



### Rotate Right (P)



## Quad Tree



## Weighted Quick Union

Tree Structure (represented by arrays of numbers that store info about which numbers are part of the same set. Size of each set tracked.

### Constructor

- 1) instantiate array with N numbers
- 2) set each number's parent to itself

### Connect

- 1) get first number's parent, if this parent is not its own parent repeat.
- 2) get second number's parent, if the parent is not its own parent repeat.
- 3) set the root of the smaller set to the root of the bigger set.

### isConnected

- 1) get both nodes' root.
- 2) check if the parents are same

### findRoot

- 1) get number's parent
- 2) if the number's parent is itself, done
- 3) else repeat.

	Runtime
Constructor	O(N)
connect	O(LogN)
isConnected	O(LogN)
findRoot	O(LogN)

(Union) = connect

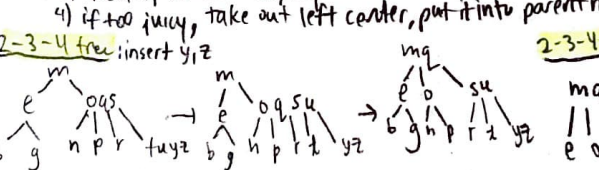
## 2-3-4 BST (Guaranteed self-balancing B-Tree)

2-3-4 trees: may have up to 3 items in each node, may have 2, 3, 4 children for each node

2-3 tree: may have up to 2 items in each node, may have 2 or 3 children for each node

add: 1) iterate through tree by doing comparisons as usual until reaching leaf node.  
2) insert new item into leaf node, where it should be  
3) check if node is "too juicy"  
4) if too juicy, take out left center, put it into parent node.

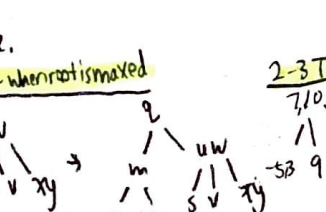
2-3-4 tree: insert y, z



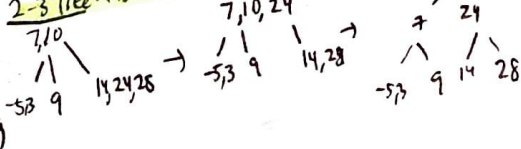
### Runtime

	Runtime
add	O(LogN)
remove	O(LogN)
get	O(LogN)
Contains	O(LogN)

### 2-3-4 tree when rotation is maxed



### 2-3 Tree: insert 28





# Stacks

- crippled list: can only operate on item at the top
- pop removes - peek
- push adds
- all runtime  $O(1)$

- Last in First out or First in Last Out: (FILO)

# Queues

- can only read or remove item at the front of queue
- can only add item to the back of queue

All methods  $O(1)$

# FIFO

used: Breadth First searches

# Deque

- can know when
- support insertion at the front & back

# Sorting

## Selection Sort

- 1) find the smallest item
- 2) swap this item to the front and fix it (literally swap)
- 3) repeat for the unsorted items

## Insertion Sort (In-Place)

- 1) divide the array into two parts: first item is fixed, start at second and work until happy
- 2) insert item  $i$  as the traveling item
- 3) swap it backwards until it is in the right place among the previously examined items
- 4) use a pointer as the "cursor" to current spot of traveling item

## Heapsort (In-Place)

- 1) Max-heapify the array (in place)
  - 2) while the heap is not empty, throw max element to the end of the array
- Heapification
- add all the array values as it is to the heap. Then sink from bottom-right, Right to Left.
  - add the max value to the end of the array, delete it, swap with bottom right (last) and sink down. Swap with larger of the two children.
  - Repeat but consider only the array from the non-finished ones at the end.

## Merge Sort

- 1) split items into roughly 2 even pieces
- 2) merge sort each half, recursively.
- 3) compare sorted halves by comparing values from each sort, and putting in smaller of the two values to a third array.

## Quick Sort - 3s an

- 1) Partition on leftmost item
  - 2) Quick sort left half
  - 3) Quick sort right half
- Partitioning
- all items greater than the pivot to the right, all items less than the pivot to the left.
  - fix the pivot where it's supposed to be.

## Quick Sort - Tony Hoare In Place

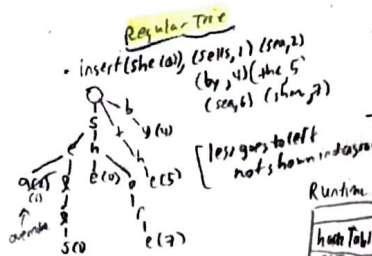
- 1) create L and R pointers at left and right ends
- 2) L is fixed to small items and holes larger equal items
- 3) R is a friend to large items and holes smaller equal items
- 4) walk pointer towards each other, stopping on a hated item
- 5) when both pointers stop, swap and move pointers by one
- 6) swap pivot with L
- 7) fix the pivot where it's supposed to be

## Counting Sort

- 1) count # of times each key appears
  - 2) use the count to create an array of starting indices
  - 3) iterate through the list and place the keys based off of starting indices
  - 4) iterate through original array and put the values in the final array and increment the starting index position of the count array of starting indices
- Good if  $N \gg R$  where  $R$  is the # of keys in the alphabet/whatever code.
- Good for big collections of items from some alphabet.
- \* Don't use if # digits  $\gg$  # elements in array

add  
adds to the top

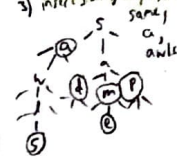
remove  
removes to the top.



# Trie: a digit-by-digit set representation

- good for prefix matching, approximate matching
- algorithm for longest prefix of
  - 1) check each digit in turn, working down tree
  - 2) keeping track of the most recent blue thing
  - 3) At some point you find the next (not there) then
  - 4) return the most recent blue thing.
- 1) Array based Trie.
- 2) BST based Trie
- 3) Ternary Search Trie.
  - assign a character to each node
  - give each node 3 links
    - 1) Left link if key's next character < node's character
    - 2) middle if key == node's character
    - 3) right if key > node's character

# TST

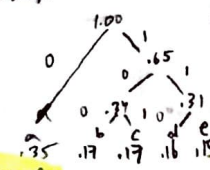


	Amortized Average	Worst	Best	Memory
hash Table	$O(1)$			ML
BST		$\log N$	1	NL
Trie (array Map)		L	1	NL
Trie (hash Map)		L	1	NL
Trie (tree Map)		$L \log R$	1	NL
TST		NL	1	NL

Opt:  $N$  keys,  $L$  digits per key,  $R$  alphabet size,  $A$  miss means the key isn't present

# Huffman Coding for Compression

- 1) assign each character to a node with relative frequency as weight
- 2) Take two smallest nodes and merge them into a super node with weight as sum
- 3) Repeat until tree



# Huffman Compression

- 1) count relative freq.
- 2) build encoding array and decoding tree
- 3) write decoding tree to output
- 4) write code word for each symbol to output

Radix over Compare: alphabet is well defined.

Insertion Sort: 1) when input is small 2) almost sorted

Quick sort over Merge sort if:

- 1) want faster overall runtime
- 2) better memory usage
- 3) don't care about stability
- 4) many duplicates, 3 way partition

Tree over Hash: 1) when we want to look for near misses (spell checker)

- 2) autocomplete or other string operations
- 3) when we expect to have mismatches early on in a string
- 4) to save space for certain pathological inputs with large degree of overlap at the front of strings
- 5) when we want to support ordered operations
- 6) implement alphabet sorts

Heaps over LRU: 1) uses less memory

- 2) easier to implement/understand
- 3) handles duplicates well
- 4) stepping stone for heapsort

# Radix Sort LSD - Counting Sort

- 1) Sort each digit independently rightmost digit to left
  - 2) Treat empty spaces as less than other characters.
- count sort each column and keep doing it
  - good for highly similar that are long strings
  - Bad for highly dissimilar that are long strings
- Because merge sort knows the strings are different bit by bit checking the leftmost digit

# Radix Sort MSD - Counting Sort

- 1) Sort each digit from leftmost
  - 2) run MSD on each subgroup.
- counting sort from left to right
  - good for highly dissimilar because subgroups are smaller

Stable		Runtime	Best	Worst	Notes
N	Heapsort	$\Theta(N \log N)^*$	$\Theta(N)$	$\Theta(N \log N)$	Bad caching
N	Selection Sort	$\Theta(N^2)$	$\Theta(N^2)$	$\Theta(N^2)$	terrible
Y	Insertion Sort	$\Theta(N^2)^*$ $\Theta(NK)$	$\Theta(N)$	$\Theta(N^2)$	good if inversions is small good if small list
Y	Merge Sort	$\Theta(N \log N)^*$	$\Theta(N \log N)$	$\Theta(N \log N)$	Best Stable sort
No dep.	Quick Sort	$\Theta(N \log N)^*$	$\Theta(N \log N)$	$\Theta(N^2)$	Best comparison based sort is quick sort
Y	Counting Sort	$\Theta(N+R)$		$\Theta(N+R)$	Avoid compares, good if $N \gg R$
Y	Radix Sort LSD	$\Theta(W(N+R))$		$\Theta(W(N+R))$	
Y	Radix Sort MSD	$\Theta(W(N+R))$		$\Theta(W(N+R))$	
	Shell Sort	$\Theta(N \log N)$	$\Theta(N)$		



## Data Structures II

### Graphs

- vertices, nodes, adjacent, paths, cycle: path whose first/last node is the same
- connected: all vertices are connected

### Implementing Graphs

Rep 1: Adjacency Matrix:

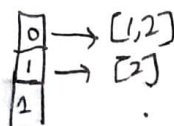
	0	1	2	3
0	0	1	0	0
1	1	0	0	0
2	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	0

Rep 2: Edgesets: hashsets

$\{(0,1), (0,2), (1,2)\}$



Rep 3: Adjacency List



An arraylist of arraylists;

Tree is a graph with no cycles.

### Run Times

	add Edge	for (w: adj(v))	print graph	has Edge	space usage
adjacency matrix	$\Theta(1)$	$\Theta(V)$	$\Theta(V^2)$	$\Theta(1)$	$\Theta(V^2)$
list of Edges	$\Theta(1)$	$\Theta(E)$	$\Theta(E)$	$\Theta(E)$	$\Theta(E)$
adjacency list	$\Theta(1)$	$\Theta(1)$ to $\Theta(V)$	$\Theta(V+E)$	$\Theta(\text{degree})$	$\Theta(E+V)$

When would you use matrix over list?

- when the graph is very dense or where the number of edges  $|E|$  approaches  $|V|^2$

## Graph Traversals

### Depth First Traversal

- guaranteed to reach every node that is reachable

- runs in  $\mathcal{O}(V+E)$  (finds a path from  $s$  to every reachable vertex)

1) start somewhere

2) mark it

3) for each unmarked adjacent, set edge to.

uses a stack. literally go deep before wide.

• DFS PreOrder: return value as you traverse: 0 | 2 5 4 3 6 7 8

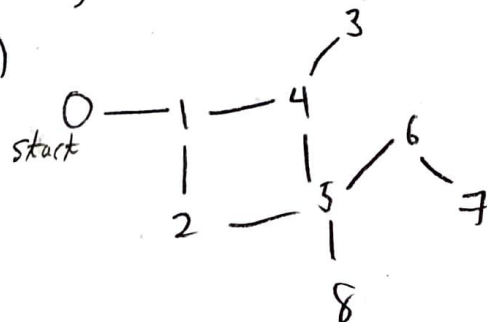
• DFS PostOrder: return once at the end, then backtrack: 3 4 7 6 8 5 2 1 0

• Level Order: order of increasing distance from  $s$ : 0 | 4 2 5 3 6 8 7

↑ anything on the same level can be permuted.

uses a stack

ex)



### Worst case runtimes

BFS	DFS	Dijkstra	A*	Topological Sort
$\mathcal{O}(V+E)$	$\mathcal{O}(V+E)$	$\mathcal{O}(V+E \log V)$	$\mathcal{O}(V+E \log V)$	$\mathcal{O}(V+E)$

## Topological Sorting

Reverse PostOrder.

- Start at node with no incoming direction
- works only for directed graphs.

## Breadth First Search (wide before deep)

- guaranteed linear time
- initialize a queue (opposite of stack), starting with vertices, and mark it.
- Fringe (until empty):
  - remove vertex  $v$  from queue (oldest)
  - for each unmarked neighbor of  $v$ , mark, add to queue, set  $EdgeSet \cdot v$ .

- Good for finding shortest paths
  - runs in  $V+E$  time and  $V$  space.
  - gives 2 for 1 deal; reachability / shortest paths.  $O(V)$  space

## DFS vs BFS

Both traverse entire graph in different order

DFS good for topological sort

BFS for shortest paths

Both for existence of a path

doesn't work w/ negatives because it assumes paths get better. And it "whitens" things that are the shortest so it doesn't compare the alternative path. It takes out the visited in the fringe so we can't update it again.

## Dijkstra's Algorithm (doesn't work w/ negative)

goal: to find shortest path from source to: 1) target 2) every vertex

Fact: solution to every direction is a tree because every node has one parent, choose parent with shortest distance.

Shortest Path's Tree has  $V-1$  edges

Relaxation: replacing things with better stuff

Fringe: Priority Queue

- 1) add start node to PQ
- 2) remove/pop start from PQ, add its neighbors
- 3) remove the node that's closest from source
- 4) add all its neighbors (repeat)
- 5) relax all edges / update the values

Runtime	# operations	cost per operation	total cost
PQ insertion	$V$	$O(\log V)$	$O(V \log V)$
PQ delete-min	$V$	$O(\log V)$	$O(V \log V)$
PQ decrease priority	$E$	$O(\log V)$	$O(E \log V)$

overall:  $O(V \log V + V \log V + E \log V) = O(E \log V)$  assuming  $E \geq V$

A\*

to a single target.

- 1) start node add it to PQ, with the PQ as heuristic + distance from source
- 2) pop start, add neighbors with its heuristic.
- 3) Basically Dijkstra's but with different PQ compare.

## Minimum Spanning Tree

- cheapest way of connecting all vertices

- 1) Prim's Algorithm
- 2) Kruskal's Algorithm

## Prim's Algorithm (works with negative)

- use priority queue
- 1) start from some node, mark node
- 2) repeatedly add shortest edge from the marked nodes
- 3) repeat until  $V-1$  edges

Prim's and Dijkstra's algorithm are the same, except:

- Dijkstra's considers distance from source
- Prim's considers distance from tree

Runtime  
assume binary heap based PQ

	# ops	cost per	total
PQ add	$V$	$O(\log V)$	$O(V \log V)$
PQ delMin	$V$	$O(\log V)$	$O(V \log V)$
PQ decrease priority	$O(E)$	$O(\log V)$	$O(E \log V)$

overall:  $O(E \log V)$  assuming  $E \geq V$

## Kruskal's Algorithm (works with negative)

- 1) mark all gray (edges)
- 2) consider edges in increasing weight
- 3) Add to MST unless it makes cycle
- 4) Repeat until  $V-1$  edges

algorithm

- 1) use PQ, add to PQ all edges
- 2) use WQU + check for cycles.

Operation	# times	Time per Op	Total time
insert	$E$	$O(\log E)$	$O(E \log E)$
deleteMin	$O(E)$	$O(\log E)$	$O(E \log E)$
union	$O(V)$	$O(\log^2 V)$	$O(V \log^2 V)$
isConnected	$O(E)$	$O(\log^2 V)$	$O(E \log^2 V)$

Overall: add all total: if present then  $O(E \log V)$

## Shortest Paths and MST algorithm summary

Problem	Algorithm	Runtime if $E \geq V$	Notes
Shortest Paths	Dijkstra's	$O(E \log V)$	Fails for (-) w
MST	Prim's	$O(E \log V)$	analogous to Dijkstra's
MST	Kruskal's	$O(E \log E)$	uses WQU
MST	Kruskal's with pre-sorted edges	$O(E \log^2 V)$	uses WQU