

IN PLACE AND OUT OF PLACE

IN PLACE

- ▶ Aims to reduce memory usage.
- ▶ Overwrites input with output.
- ▶ An algorithm which is not in place is called out of place.
- ▶ In place examples: Quick Sort, Heap Sort, etc.
- ▶ Out of place examples: Merge Sort.

BUBBLE SORT

- ▶ Simple, but inefficient.
- ▶ Compares each pair of adjacent elements and swaps them if they are in the wrong order.
- ▶ Practical in cases where the list is mostly sorted with a few unsorted elements.
- ▶ Time complexity of $O(n^2)$, which is much slower than most other sorting algorithms.