

## SORTING METHODS

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# SELECTION SORT EXAMPLE

arr[] = 64 25 12 22 11

// Find the minimum element in arr[0...4]

// and place it at beginning

11 25 12 22 64

// Find the minimum element in arr[1...4]

// and place it at beginning of arr[1...4]

11 12 25 22 64

// Find the minimum element in arr[2...4]

// and place it at beginning of arr[2...4]

11 12 22 25 64

// Find the minimum element in arr[3...4]

// and place it at beginning of arr[3...4]

11 12 22 25 64

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# SELECTION SORT FUNCTION CODE

```
void selectionSort(int arr[], int n)
{
    int i, j, min_idx;

    // One by one move boundary of unsorted subarray
    for (i = 0; i < n-1; i++)
    {
        // Find the minimum element in unsorted array
        min_idx = i;
        for (j = i+1; j < n; j++)
            if (arr[j] < arr[min_idx])
                min_idx = j;

        // Swap the found minimum element with the first element
        swap(&arr[min_idx], &arr[i]);
    }
}
```