排序

希尔排序：PS序列

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They are like the leaves which a tempest whirls up and scatters in every direction and then allows to fall.

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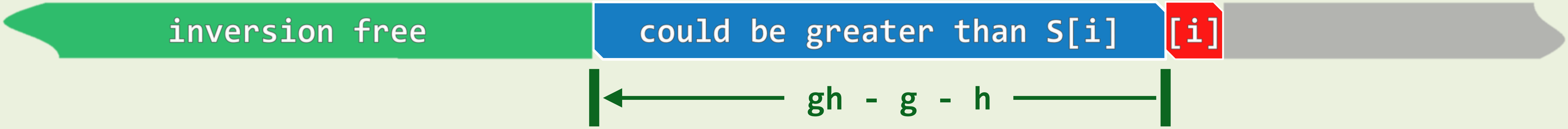
d-Sorting an $\mathcal{O}$(d)-Ordered Sequence in $\mathcal{O}$(dn) Time

❖ If g and h are relatively prime and are both in $\mathcal{O}(d)$

we can d-sort the sequence in $\mathcal{O}(dn)$ time ...

- re-arrange the sequence as a 2D matrix with d columns

- each element is swapped with $\mathcal{O}((g-1)\cdot(h-1)/d) \;=\; \mathcal{O}(d)$ elements



❖ Since this holds for all elements, $\mathcal{O}(dn)$ steps are enough

PS Sequence

❖ Papernov & Stasevic, 1965 //also called Hibbard's sequence

$$\mathcal{H}_{PS} = \mathcal{H}_{Shell} - 1 = \{ 2^k - 1 \mid k \in \mathcal{N} \} = \{ 1, 3, 7, 15, 31, 63, 127, 255, \ldots \}$$

❖ Different items **MAY NOT** be relatively prime, e.g., $h_{2k} = h_k \cdot (h_k + 2)$

But ADJACENT items **MUST** be, since $h_{k+1} - 2 \cdot h_k \equiv 1$

❖ Shellsort with $\mathcal{H}_{PS}$ needs

- $\mathcal{O}(\log n)$ outer iterations and
- $\mathcal{O}(n^{3/2})$ time to sort a sequence of length n //Why ...

t < k

❖ Let h_t be the h closest to $\sqrt{n}$ and hence $h_t \approx \sqrt{n} = \Theta(n^{1/2})$

1)Consider those iterations for $\{\, h_k \mid t < k \,\} = \{\, \overleftarrow{h_{t+1},\ h_{t+2},\ \ldots,\ h_m} \,\}$

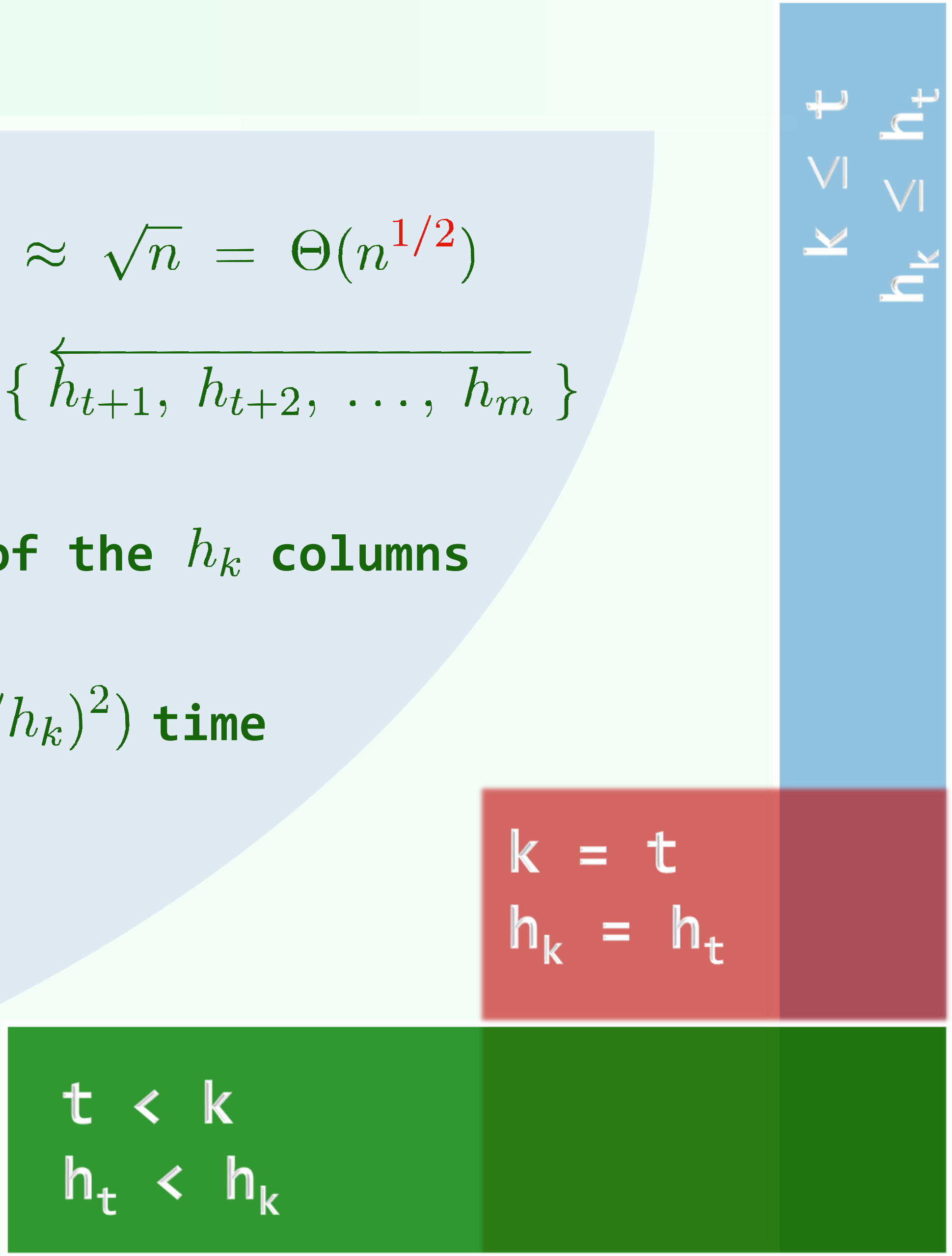
$\because$ there would be $\mathcal{O}(n/h_k)$ elements in each of the h_k columns

$\therefore$ we can **insertionsort** each column in $\mathcal{O}((n/h_k)^2)$ time

$\therefore$ each h_k-sorting costs $\mathcal{O}(n^2/h_k)$ time

$\therefore$ all these iterations cost time of

$\mathcal{O}(2 \times n^2/h_t) = \mathcal{O}(n^{3/2})$



k ≤ t

2)Consider those iterations for $\{ h_k \mid k \le t \} = \{ \overleftarrow{h_1, h_2, \dots, h_t} \}$

- $\because$ h_{k+1} and h_{k+2} are relatively prime and are both in $\mathcal{O}(h_k)$
- $\therefore$ each h_k-sorting costs $\mathcal{O}(n \times h_k)$ time
- $\therefore$ all these iterations cost $\mathcal{O}(n \times 2 \cdot h_t) = \mathcal{O}(n^{3/2})$ time

❖ This upper bound is TIGHT

❖ What about the average cases?

- $\mathcal{O}(n^{5/4})$ based on simulations
- but not proved yet