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## Task-5

Implement various searching and sorting operations in Python.

a) Library Book Search (Linear Search, Binary Search).

Aim: To write Python program that allows searching for a book in a list of book titles using linear search and binary search (if the list is sorted).

### Algorithm:-

- 1) start from the first element of the list
- 2) compare each element with the search key.
- 3) if found, return the position.
- 4) if not found after checking all elements, return "not found".

Binary search (for sorted lists)

1. set  $low = 0$  and  $high = n-1$ .
2. find  $mid = \lfloor (low + high) / 2 \rfloor$ .
3. if  $key == list[mid]$ , return position.
4. if  $key < list[mid]$ , search the left half ( $high = mid - 1$ ).
5. else, search the right half ( $low = mid + 1$ ).
6. repeat until found or list is exhausted.

Program:-

# Linear Search

```
def linear_search(book, key):  
    for i in range(len(book)):
```

```
        if book[i] == key:
```

```
            return i
```

```
    return -1
```

# binary search

```
def binary_search(book, key):
```

```
    low, high = 0, len(book) - 1
```

```
    while low <= high:
```

```
        mid = (low + high) // 2
```

```
        if book[mid] == key:
```

```
            return mid
```

```
        if book[mid] < key:
```

```
            low = mid + 1
```

```
        else:
```

```
            high = mid - 1
```

```
    return -1
```

#main

```
book = ["python", "c", "Java", "HTML", "SQL"]
```

```
search_book = "Java".
```

```
print("Linear Search Result:")
```

```
pos = linear_search(book, search_book)
```

```
print("Binary Search Result:")
```



# Sample output

Linear Search Result:

Book found at position

Sorted books: ["C", "H", "M", "Siva", "Python", "SQL"]

Binary Search Result: 1

Book found at position 2.

1 - (24000) not found

2 - (24000) not found

3 - (24000) not found

4 - (24000) not found

5 - (24000) not found

6 - (24000) not found

7 - (24000) not found

8 - (24000) not found

9 - (24000) not found

10 - (24000) not found

11 - (24000) not found

12 - (24000) not found

13 - (24000) not found

if pos != -1:

print(f"Book found at position {pos}")

else:

print("Book not found")



student grade organizer (sorting with  
insertion / selection).

Aim:- to write a python program that  
organized students' grades using different  
sorting techniques.

Algorithm:-

Bubble Sort (Ascending)

1. Repeat for  $n-1$  passes.
2. compare adjacent elements.
3. swap if out of order.
4. After each pass the largest element  
moves to the end.

selection sort (descending)

1. Find the maximum element in the unsorted  
part.
2. swap with first element of the unsorted  
part.
3. Repeat until sorted.

Program:-

# Bubble sort (Ascending)

```
def bubble_sort(arr):
```

```
    n = len(arr)
```

```
    for i in range(n-1):
```

```
        for j in range(n-1-i):
```

```
            if arr[j] > arr[j+1]:
```

```
                arr[j], arr[j+1] =
```

```
arr[j+1], arr[j]
```

```
    return arr
```

# selection sort (Descending)

```
def selection_sort(arr):
```

```
    n = len(arr)
```

```
    for i in range(n):
```

```
        max_idx = 0
```

```
        for j in range(i+1, n):
```

```
            if arr[j] > arr[max_idx]:
```

```
                max_idx = j
```

```
        arr[i], arr[max_idx] =
```

```
arr[max_idx], arr[i]
```

```
    return arr
```

# main

```
grades = [88, 92, 75, 66, 90, 58, 99]
```

```
print("Original grades:", grades)
```

# Bubble sort (Ascending)

```
asc = bubble_sort(grades.copy())
```



Sample output

original array: (85, 92, 75, 66, 90, 58, 99)

Ascending (Bubble sort): (58, 66, 75, 85, 90, 92, 99)

Descending (Selection sort): (99, 92, 90, 85, 75, 66, 58)

Top 3 scores: [99, 92, 90]

$(i+1) \text{ arr} < (i) \text{ arr}$   
 $\rightarrow (i+1) \text{ arr}, (i) \text{ arr}$

$(i) \text{ arr}, (i+1) \text{ arr}$   
arr swap

$(arr, brock)$  true, not sorted  
 $(arr) \text{ true} - \text{not sorted}$   
 $(arr) \text{ not} = \text{true}$

$(i)$  inner loop  
 $i = \text{len} - 1$

$(i+1)$  outer loop  
 $(arr - \text{arr}) \text{ arr} (i) \text{ arr}$   
 $i = \text{len} - 1$

$(arr - \text{arr}) \text{ arr} (i) \text{ arr}$   
 $(i) \text{ arr} (arr - \text{arr}) \text{ arr}$   
arr swap

[99, 92, 90, 85, 75, 66, 58]  
[99, 92, 90] = top 3 scores  
(99, 92, 90) = top 3 scores



```

print("Ascending (with sort fcn)")
selection sort (Ascending)
desc selection sort (grades.copy())
print("Descending (selection sort fcn, desc)")
# DP 3 scores
print("DP 3 scores:", desc([3])

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PERFORMANCE	5
RESULT ANT	6
WIND VOICE	2
RECORD	2
TOTAL	5
GRADIENT	

Grades

Results show, the final grade requires  
 are both ascending & descending order  
 using different algorithms are  
 executed successfully.