

Ch. 2 Introduction

Insertion Sort

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Insertion-Sort(A, n)
  for j ← 2 to n do
    key ← A[j]
    i ← j - 1
    while i > 0 and A[i] > key do
      A[i + 1] ← A[i]
      i ← i - 1
    A[i + 1] ← key

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- $A[k]$ for $k \leq \text{key}$ are sorted
- Insert $A[\text{key}]$ to the right place in $A[k]$ for $k \leq \text{key}$

Correctness

- "An alg is correct" \equiv "It *halts* w/ the *correct output* for every input instance"

Loop Invariants

- Conds and rels satisfied by the vars and ds at the end of *every iteration* of the loop
- Explain why an alg is correct
- We need to show 3 things about a loop invariant
 - *Initialization*: True prior to the 1st iteration
 - *Maintenance*: If true before an iteration, also true before the next iteration
 - *Termination*

Correctness of Insertion Sort

- Loop invariant
 - At the start of each iteration of the loop, $A[1..j - 1]$ consists of the elems originally in $A[1..j - 1]$ but in sorted order.
- Initialization
 - When $j = 2$, $A[1..j - 1] \equiv A[1]$
- Maintenance
 - Move $A[j - 1], A[j - 2], \dots$ by one pos to the right until the proper pos for $A[j]$ is found
- Termination
 - Ends when $j = n + 1$, $A[1..n]$ consists of the elems originally in $A[1..n]$ but in sorted order

Kinds of Analysis on Running Time

1. Worst-case (usually)

- $T(n)$: Max time of alg on any input of size n
- Usually interested in because
 - Gives an upper bound
 - Occurs often for some algs
 - Avg case is often bas as the worst case
- 2. Avg-case (sometimes)
 - $T(n)$: Expected time of alg over all inputs of size n
- 3. Best-case (bogus)

Asymptotic Analysis

- Look only at the leading term of the formula for running time
 - $an^2 + bn + c \rightarrow \Theta(n^2)$
 - Ignore machine-dependent constants
- "One alg is more efficient than another" \equiv "Its worst-case running time has a smaller order of growth"
- $T(n)$: *Basic computer steps* needed in the alg
 - Basic computer steps: branching, loading, storing, comparisons, simple arithmetic, ...
 - Assumption: Basic computer steps take a constant amount of time.
 - $T(n) = \Theta(g(n))$: $T(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$, technically

Θ -Notation

- $\Theta(g(n)) \equiv$

$$\{f(n) \mid \exists c_1, c_2, n_0 \text{ s.t. } 0 \leq c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0\}$$
 - $g(n)$: Asymptotic tight bound for $f(n)$

Insertion Sort Analysis

Worst Case

- Input reverse sorted
- $T(n) = \sum_{j=2}^n \Theta(j) = \Theta(n^2)$

Avg Case

- All permutations equally likely
- $T(n) = \sum_{j=2}^n \Theta(j/2) = \Theta(n^2)$

Fibonacci Numbers

- Recursive definition

$$F_n = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ 1 & \text{if } n = 1 \\ F_{n-1} + F_{n-2} & \text{if } n \geq 2 \end{cases}$$
- Naive recursive algorithm

```
function fib1(n)
  if n = 0 do
    return 0
  if n = 1 do
    return 1
  return fib1(n - 1) + fib1(n - 2)
```

- Analysis

$T(n) \begin{cases} \leq 2 & \text{for } n \leq 1 \\ = T(n-1) + T(n-2) + 3 & \text{for } n > 1 \end{cases}$

- $T(n) \geq F_n$
- $F_n \approx 2^{0.694n}$
- $T(n)$ is *exponential* in n

- Better algorithm

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function fib2(n)
  if n = 0 do
    return 0
  f[0...n]
  f[0] <- 0
  f[1] <- 1
  for i <- 2 to n do
    f[i] <- f[n-1] + f[n-2]
  return f[n]
```

- Analysis

- $f[n-1] + f[n-2]$ doesn't take a constant time as they are not small
- $T(n) = n \times \Theta(n) = \Theta(n^2)$

Asymptotic Growth

- $c < \log(n) < \sqrt{n} < n < n \log(n) < n^2 < n^3 < c n^c < n^{\log(n)} < 2^n < 2^{2^n} < 2^{2^{2^n}}$

Θ -Notation

- $\Theta(g(n)) \equiv$
 $\{f(n) \mid \exists c_1, c_2, n_0 > 0 \text{ s.t. } 0 \leq c_1 g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 g(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0\}$
 - $g(n)$: Asymptotic tight bound for $f(n)$
- $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(n)/g(n) = c, c \in \mathbb{R}^+ \Rightarrow f \in \Theta(g)$
- $n^2/2 - 2n = \Theta(n^2)$

O-Notation

- $O(g(n)) \equiv \{f(n) \mid \exists c, n_0 > 0 \text{ s.t. } 0 \leq f(n) \leq c g(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0\}$
 - $g(n)$: Asymptotic upper bound for $f(n)$
- $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(n)/g(n) = c, c \in \mathbb{R}^+ \Rightarrow f \in O(g)$
 - \mathbb{R}^+ : Set of non-negative real numbers
- $2n^2 = O(n^3)$

Ω -Notation

- $O(g(n)) \equiv \{f(n) \mid \exists c, n_0 > 0 \text{ s.t. } 0 \leq c g(n) \leq f(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0\}$
 - $g(n)$: Asymptotic lower bound for $f(n)$
- $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(n)/g(n) = \begin{cases} c > 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow f \in \Omega(g)$
 - \mathbb{R}^+ : Set of non-negative real numbers
- $\sqrt{n} = \Omega(\lg(n))$

o -Notation

- $o(g(n)) \equiv \{f(n) \mid \forall c > 0, \exists n_0 > 0 \text{ s.t. } 0 \leq f(n) < c g(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0\}$
 - $f(n)$ is asymptotically smaller than $g(n)$
- $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(n)/g(n) = 0 \Rightarrow f \in o(g)$
- $10^{10} n^2 + 10^5 n + 10^9 = o(n^3)$

ω -Notation

- $o(g(n)) \equiv \{f(n) \mid \forall c > 0, \exists n_0 > 0 \text{ s.t. } 0 \leq c g(n) < f(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0\}$
 - $f(n)$ is asymptotically larger than $g(n)$
- $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(n)/g(n) = \infty \Rightarrow f \in \omega(g)$
 - \mathbb{R}^+ : Set of non-negative real numbers
- $n^3 - 9 = \omega(n)$

Theorems

- $g(n) = o(f(n)) \Leftrightarrow f(n) = \omega(g(n))$
- $f(n) = \Theta(g(n)) \Leftrightarrow f(n) = O(g(n)) \wedge f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$
- $\lg(n) = o(n^\alpha)$ for any $\alpha > 0$
- $n^k = o(2^n)$ for any $k > 0$

There is exercise in the lecture note!!